

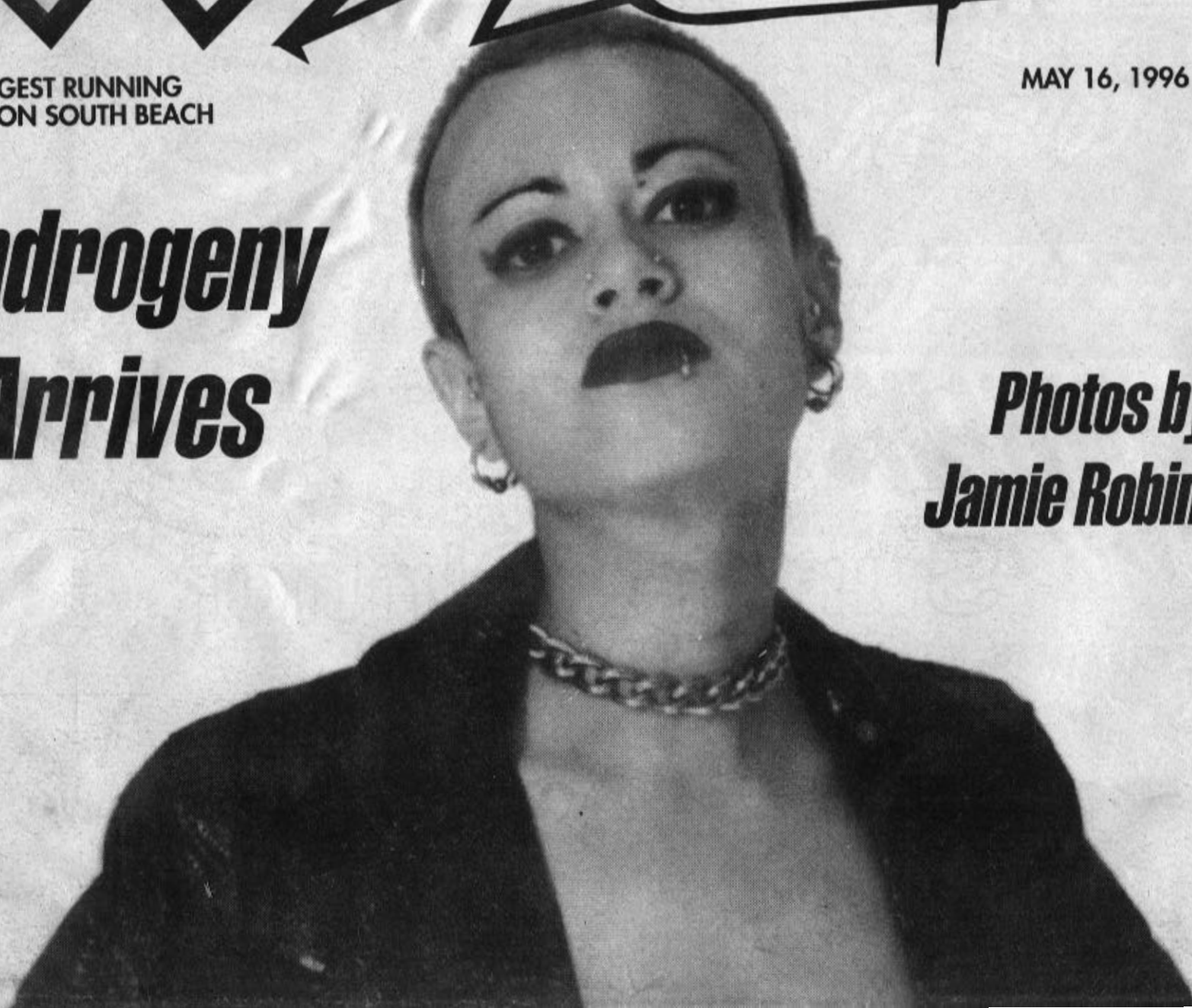
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SWAMP! AT THE COLONY

**One Performance Only—
THIS FRIDAY**

by Melanie Morningstar

Jude Parry, Artistic Director of the Gold Coast Theatre Company has come up with "Swamp! and Other Florida Stories" at an important time in the Everglades history. With Big Sugar choking one of this country's great natural resources, it's time we understood what we have to lose.

"Swamp!" uses minimal costume and lighting to enhance the effect of the loss of the Everglades. Using music of the twentieth century avant-garde, the company draws on "new mime techniques and human special effects to dramatize the personal cost of urban sprawl. The environmental issues dealt with in SWAMP! are typical of the issue-oriented content of much of Gold Coast Theatre's work.

Now in its eleventh year, this Company has been home to many performers trained in the European tradition of physical theatre and corporeal mime. "Physical theatre transcends boundaries of language" explains Parry, and says she believes that is why some many members of Gold Coast have come from England, Spain, Argentina, Cuba, Panama, Canada and the U.S. and have studied in Europe, Latin America and the Far East.

Physical theatre has undergone a revival, just look at the success of Jim Carrey, Stomp and Cirque du Soleil.

"Swamp!" consists of different stories including "South Beach" (watching the Beach transform through the eyes of traditional Jewish values), "The Screaming Mimis" (a spoof of Sixties singers in the wake of the Beatles invasion), "Ponce de Leon" and "Calle Cubana".



The Gold Coast Theatre Company will perform "Swamp!" for one night only, this Friday (May 17) at 8:00p.m. at the Colony Theatre, 1040 Lincoln Road. Call 538-5500 for tickets and information.

—Melanie Morningstar is Contributing Editor for *Wire*.

Pictured above: The ensemble performers of "Swamp! and Other Stories" at the Colony Theatre, this Friday for one performance only.

THE *Wire* + CALENDAR

Editor's note: The deadline for this free listing is Fridays at noon. Any late additions will be at the discretion of the Publisher. Absolutely no listing will be accepted after Monday at noon. Please fax Melanie Morningstar, Calendar Editor (538-9666) or e-mail (andys@aol.com). Thank you.

Thursday, May 16

BASH "Visages" - a special slide show and photo exhibit of all the big parties over the past 3 years. 10pm 655 Washington 538-2274.
BOOKS & BOOKS Kathleen Ann Goodnan reads from "The Bones of Time" 8pm. 933 Lincoln Rd 532-3222
BASS MUSEUM OF ART "Monumental Propaganda" Soviet monuments to totalitarianism. 2121 Park Ave. 673-7530.
CENTURY BEACH CLUB "Blues Nights" live jazz & blues. Free. 9pm. 161 Ocean Dr. 674-8855.
CENTURY RESTAURANT "Century Classics". Live Classical music w/Florida Phil. artists. 150 Ocean Dr. 674-8855.
JACKIE GLEASON THEATER Dance Theatre of Harlem "Signs & Wonders, Prodigal Son, Douglas" 8pm. 1700 Washington Ave. 674-5885
LOUIS WOLFSON II MEDIA HISTORY CENTER Eight Annual Film & Video Awards Ceremony. Pre-program reception at Foundlings Club, then free entry to awards presentation at Colony Theater, 1000 Lincoln Rd. 375-1505 res & info.
RADIANCE CENTER "Light Touch Method of Rebirthing" 12-week course. 435 Espanola 534-YOGA (9642)
RESPECTABLE STREET (RSC) "SBU Keg Party. DJ LenDog. Live "Bumper" 11pm. 218 Espanola Way 672-1707.



PICK OF THE WEEK THURSDAY MAY 16

Tony Segretto, NBC 6 Miami, hosts the Eighth Annual Louis Wolfson II Film & Video Awards at the Colony Theatre. This 7:15pm event is free.

Friday, May 17

CAMEO THEATER Presents Sophie B. Hawkins. Billy Mann is the opening act. Doors open 7p.m. 1master 358-5885. 1447 Washington. 673-9736
CENTURY BEACH CLUB Live Stomp Native Americans, traditional rituals/Seminole Tribe of Florida. Story tellings, arts & craft ex-

PERFORMING ARTS NETWORK (PAN) "Momentum Dance Company" - repertory/new work. 555 17th St. 672-0552.
ROSES BAR & LOUNGE "The New York City All-Star Players" Celebrity/All Star Jam. Featuring Slash (Guns & Roses and many others". 11pm. \$15. 754 Washington Ave. 532-6210.

Sunday, May 19

ALLIANCE THEATRE Cinema Vortex - "Murder in Harlem" 1935 - Oscar Micheau. \$4. noon 927 Lincoln. 531-8504.
ANTIQU & COLLECTIBLES MARKET (Lincoln Road Partnership) - 800 Lincoln & Jefferson.
BASS MUSEUM OF ART Members of the Florida Philharmonic Orchestra perform Jolivet, Villa-Lobos and Sauguet - harp, flute & bassoon. 3pm. 2121 Park Ave. 673-7530.
EDGE/THEATRE "South Beach - The Play" returns. 8pm \$12/\$10 seniors & students. 405 Espanola Way 531-6083.
FLORIDA AIDS RIDE PRESENTED BY TANQUERAY Join the first bicyclists as they return from their three-day, 275 mile bike ride from Orlando. 4p.m. Memorial Field/Flamingo Park. 532-6055 for info.
MIAMI DESIGN PRESERVATION LEAGUE Bike tour of Art Deco district. Meet at bike shop 501 5th St. \$5 tour/\$5 rental. Info 672-2014
PERFORMING ARTS NETWORK (PAN) "Tennor Titans" - a tribute by Jazz Reed Player Great, Eric Allison 3pm. 555 17th St. 672-0552.

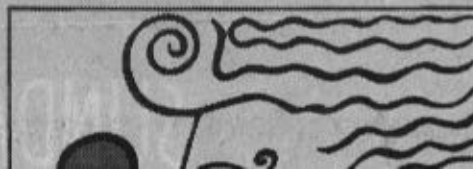
Monday, May 20

BERLIN BAR Maryel Epps performs her special brand of heaven at Brigitte Andrade's "Cosy Mondays". Open from 8p.m. 661 Washington Ave. 674-0864.
821 Presents the debut of "Tomas" at the Cosmopolitan Club. From 8p.m. 821 Lincoln Rd. 534-0887.
SWEAT The Love Machine & Mr. Gay Florida Inc. present this first night at Planet X, just a cocktail's throw from Caffe Torino. 1417 Washington Ave. 532-7500

Tuesday, May 21

BASS MUSEUM OF ART "Treasures of the Bass Museum: 18th & 19th Century paintings". Lecture 10-11:30am 2121 Park Ave. 673-7530.

Wednesday, May 22



BASH "Geronimo's Clothing Boutique" - Fashion show. Also art exhibit "Electric Sheep" by Marvin Emerson 10pm. 655 Washington 538-2274.
BASS MUSEUM OF ART "Una Noche

CENTURY BEACH CLUB Live Stomp Native Americans, traditional rituals/Seminole Tribe of Florida. Story tellings, arts & craft ex-hits & trad. food. Free admission. 9pm. 161 Ocean Drive 674-8855.

EDGE/THEATRE "South Beach - The Play" returns. 8pm \$12/\$10 seniors & students. 405 Espanola Way 531-6083.

KENT GARDEN Kent Hotel - Paquito Hechavarria Trio - Jazz Bar 8pm-1am, 2 sets. 1131 Collins 673-8373 ext.12 info (thru 5/24)

LESBIAN GAY & BI-SEXUAL COMMUNITY CENTER Mari Castellanos, MA. "Intimate friendships, Values & Models in Lesbian Relationships". \$2 1335 Alton Rd. 253-3740

LULU'S Little Theatre presents "Bodacious" and "Bambi & The Boys" 1053 Washington Ave. 532-6147.

JACKIE GLEASON THEATER Dance Theatre of Harlem "Signs & Wonders, Prodigal Son, Dougla" 8pm. 1700 Washington Ave. tix 358-5885

RESPECTABLE STREET (RSC) "The Lungs" w/ "Underground Funk" 11pm. 218 Espanola Way 672-1707.

WOLFSONIAN "Patrons of the Arts" featuring Craig Robins, Vivian Rodriguez. Miami Design Alliance. Free. 1001 Washington 361-1410 for info. Last lecture in series.



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Saturday, May 18

AMNESIA Luther Campbell's Album Release Party. 130 Collins Ave. 531-5535

BASH "Slip Back into the 70s" - the Leukemia Society of America fundraiser. 7-11pm. 10pm 655 Washington 538-2274.

BASS MUSEUM OF ART "American Impressionists & Realists in Search of the New" lecture at 2pm. 2121 Park Ave. 673-7530.

BARBARA GILLMAN GALLERY "Memories of Jazz - Herman Leonard". Opening reception and book signing 7-10pm. Exhibit runs thru 8/96) 939 Lincoln Rd. 534-7872.

EDGE/THEATRE "South Beach - The Play" returns. 8pm \$12/\$10 seniors & students. 405 Espanola Way 531-6083.

JACKIE GLEASON THEATER Dance Theatre of Harlem "Concerto in F, Medea, Firebird" 2pm also "Signs & Wonders, Prodigal Son, Dougla" 8pm. 1700 Washington Ave. tix 358-5885

LINCOLN THEATRE "Swamp...and other Florida Shows" by the Gold Coast Theatre Co. 1040 Lincoln Rd. 538-5500.



**PICK OF THE WEEK
WEDNESDAY MAY 22**

Summer Kick-Off Party at the Strand got off to a wild start last week. This Wednesday, play The Dating Game.

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Emerson 10pm. 655 Washington 538-2274
BASS MUSEUM OF ART "Una Noche en el Bass" Family night for students from Miami Beach schools. 5-9pm. 2121 Park Ave. 673-7530.
BOOKS & BOOKS Lyle Howard reads from "Mr. Sandman" 8pm. 933 Lincoln Rd 532-3222
COMEDY ZONE "Blondes Doo Shakespeare" 1121 Washington Ave \$12 res & info. 672-4788.
GAY & LESBIAN AGENDA TASK FORCE Looking for volunteers & input from community-focused organizations on SoBe. Info. Jack 531-4614 L.G, Bi Comm Ctr. 1335 Alton Rd.