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Bardavon Presents Announces

Pop Jam Band

GUSTER

&

Jazz superstar and Grammy winner

DIANA KRALL

BOTH at UPAC in Kingston

On sale to members October 27 at 11am and to  
General Public October 29!

**Guster w/ special guest Ben Kweller**

**Thursday, January 13 at 7:30pm at UPAC in Kingston**

A versatile and literate East Coast alt-rock institution, Guster emerged in the mid-'90s with a quirky amalgam of acoustic folk and pop before adopting a more robust sound that blended stadium-ready Brit-pop grandeur with proletariat American trad-rock. Known for their earworm hooks, soaring choruses, deft guitar noodling, and early on, their distinctive hand-drumming, the band broke big in 1999 with the release of their third studio effort, *Lost and Gone Forever*, which included the breezy hit single "Fa Fa." Subsequent LPs like *Ganging Up on the Sun* (2006), *Easy Wonderful* (2010), and *Look Alive* (2019) found similar success, yielding numerous charting singles that found their way into popular television shows and films.

Although they evolved into a full-fledged pop band, Guster began their career as an offbeat acoustic trio. The band, whose three co-founders met during freshmen year at Tufts University, spent most of the '90s touring the college circuit and releasing independent albums, all of which featured hand percussion in lieu of a traditional drum set. Released in 1999, *Lost and Gone Forever*

widened the band's sound considerably, and the follow-up album found percussionist Brian Rosenworcel playing a drum set on several songs. Multi-instrumentalist Joe Pisapia joined the line-up in 2003, allowing Guster more freedom to explore a combination of folk, pop, and rock.

**Tickets start at \$40 (Members get \$5 off)**

## **Diana Krall**

**Saturday, April 2 at 8pm at UPAC**

Diana Krall is the only jazz singer to have eight albums debut at the top of the Billboard Jazz Albums chart. To date, her albums have garnered two Grammy Awards, ten Juno Awards and have also earned nine gold, three platinum and seven multi-platinum albums. Krall's unique artistry transcends any single musical style and has made her one of the most recognizable artists of our time. As The New York Times recently noted Krall possesses, "A voice at once cool and sultry, wielded with a rhythmic sophistication".

Every generation an artist comes along who transcends a particular style of music and broadens its audience to the masses. For modern jazz music, that artist is undoubtedly Diana Krall. A jazz pianist and singer known for her contralto vocals, Krall has sold more albums than any other female jazz artist in the last 30 years, establishing herself as one of the best-selling artists of her time. After marrying Elvis Costello, she worked with him as a lyricist and started to compose her own songs, resulting in "The Girl in the Other Room." The album, released in April 2004, topped the Jazz Albums and Canadian Albums Charts, while also reaching #4 on the Billboard 200.

**Tickets start at \$75 (Member get \$5 off)**

DIANA KRALL BIO LINK:

<https://caa.app.box.com/s/miev093y4n6c074oeg76vzbzqtnzqsru>

Diana Krall video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-b8brVSAQA>

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**\*\* Bardavon Presents has announced that due to the Delta variant and the recent increase in new Covid cases, all audiences at Bardavon and UPAC must be fully vaccinated and wear masks at all times. Ticket holders must show proof of vaccination and government issued ID on show days. This policy is in effect for the foreseeable future and will be reassessed based on CDC guidelines. Exceptions: Children under 12 and those with medical or religious exceptions, must show proof of exemption and negative test in the last 72 hours. MORE INFO AT: [www.bardavon.org](http://www.bardavon.org)**

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