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Duke's On Sunday

Jimmy's latest CD is scheduled to be released on October 10. Award winning bassist Glenn Worf, Mobile native Will Kimbrough, Little Feats' Billy Payne, and slide guitar master Sonny Landreth joined Jimmy and the resident Coral Reefers in Key West last February at what was then the Party At The End Of The World. We knew better than to refer to it as such so early, but it was a working title. In between fishing and boating trips, and sampling the keys culinary offerings, "should I spend time on the treadmill or eat at Hogfish," Jimmy and his talented troop started the "party" that ended as "weather" in Mac McNally's studio in Muscle Shoals.

All the talent trapped in the old ice house on Key West's historic waterfront set the substance for the new recording, and the style was added by Mac and Mr. Utley. Meanwhile, Jimmy was overseas watching World Cup soccer and hanging with Mark Knopfler - not exactly dire straits. A video was filmed last summer for the song "Bama Breeze" and Jimmy told the Boston Globe's Steve Morse, "It's a tribute to those honky-tonks that line the Gulf Coast where I grew up on the Alabama, Mississippi, Florida coast of the Gulf. It's about the infamous Flora-Bama bar. It had been blown away in a storm. The patrons had given it an Irish wake and that was a neat story. So I used that as the format for the video."

Check out the Air Margaritaville Cap Jimmy wears in the video.

## TAKE THE WEATHER WITH YOU PRESS RELEASE

Jimmy Buffett's *Take The Weather With You* is his newest release on RCA Records/Nashville. As a singer/songwriter, Buffett has recorded more than forty records, most of which have gone gold, platinum or multi-platinum. He received Grammy nominations in 2004 and 2005. Also in 2004, Jimmy released *License To Chill*, which debuted at #1 on both the Pop and Country charts, and was his first number one record. The collection featured duets with some of country's biggest stars including Alan Jackson, George Strait, Kenny Chesney, Martina McBride and others.

Buffett's first full length concert on DVD, *Live At Wrigley Field*, was recently released on Mailboat Records. His celebrated performances at Chicago's Wrigley Field took place on Labor Day Weekend, 2005. The sold-out shows made history in the Windy City as Buffett's concerts were the first at the 92 year-old ballpark.

An accomplished author, when his 1998 travel-memoir *A Pirate Looks At Fifty* hit number one on the New York Times bestseller list, Buffett became the sixth author in history to have reached No. 1 on both the New York Times fiction and non fiction lists. Other authors who have accomplished this are Ernest Hemingway, John Steinbeck, William Styron, Irving Wallace and Dr. Seuss. Buffett has also written the best-selling mystery *Where Is Joe Merchant?*, the novel *A Salty Piece Of Land*, and *Tales from Margaritaville*, a collection of short stories.

*Take The Weather With You* returns Buffett back to his country foundation with breezy ballads, interpretations of alt-country songs, a version of Merle Haggard's "Silver Wings" and mariachi horns in "Cinco De Mayo In Memphis." A tribute to the historic bars along the Gulf Coast in "Bama Breeze" is flavored with sublime Southern riffs, and Buffett fulfilled a dream of playing with Mark Knopfler, who wrote and guests on "Whoop De Doo."

When recording this new record, Buffett brought together an excellent array of talented musicians. "Weather With You" includes the English rock band Gomez, on Neil and Tim Finn's (Crowded House) title track. Original Coral Reefer steel guitarist Doyle Grisham continues to complement the enchanting sounds of Robert Greenidge (master steel drummer from Trinidad) and world-renowned percussionist Ralph MacDonald (prolific composer of numerous hits, including "Where Is The Love" and "Just The Two Of Us"). Hawaiian ukulele virtuoso Jake Shimabukuro also appears on several songs. Produced by Coral Reefer band members Michael Utley and Mac McAnally, most of *Take The Weather With You* was mixed on a soulful Neve Console in McAnally's hometown of Muscle Shoals, Alabama.

Buffett reinvents Mary Gauthier's "Wheel Inside The Wheel" with swampy rhythms crafted by Lafayette, Louisiana slide guitarist Sonny Landreth. "That song summed up the French Quarter when I was 18 years old," Buffett said. "Without realizing it, I went to my roots on this record. It's not a stretch for me to do country music."

On *Take The Weather With You*, he takes a philosophical look at the devastation of the Crescent City in the ballad "Breathe In, Breathe Out, Move On," which Buffett wrote with former drummer Matt Betton. "When the storm hit New Orleans, I was performing at Wrigley Field in Chicago" said Buffett. "I go back to the emotions I was feeling on stage there during the biggest show of my life. That spilled over into this record. People still don't understand the devastation along the Gulf Coast. I was angry and started writing about it, but Matt sent me the first makings of 'Move On' and that calmed me down."

*Take The Weather With You* combines a variety of styles and sounds from Nashville, New Orleans and Key West. It's a smooth sail for Buffett.

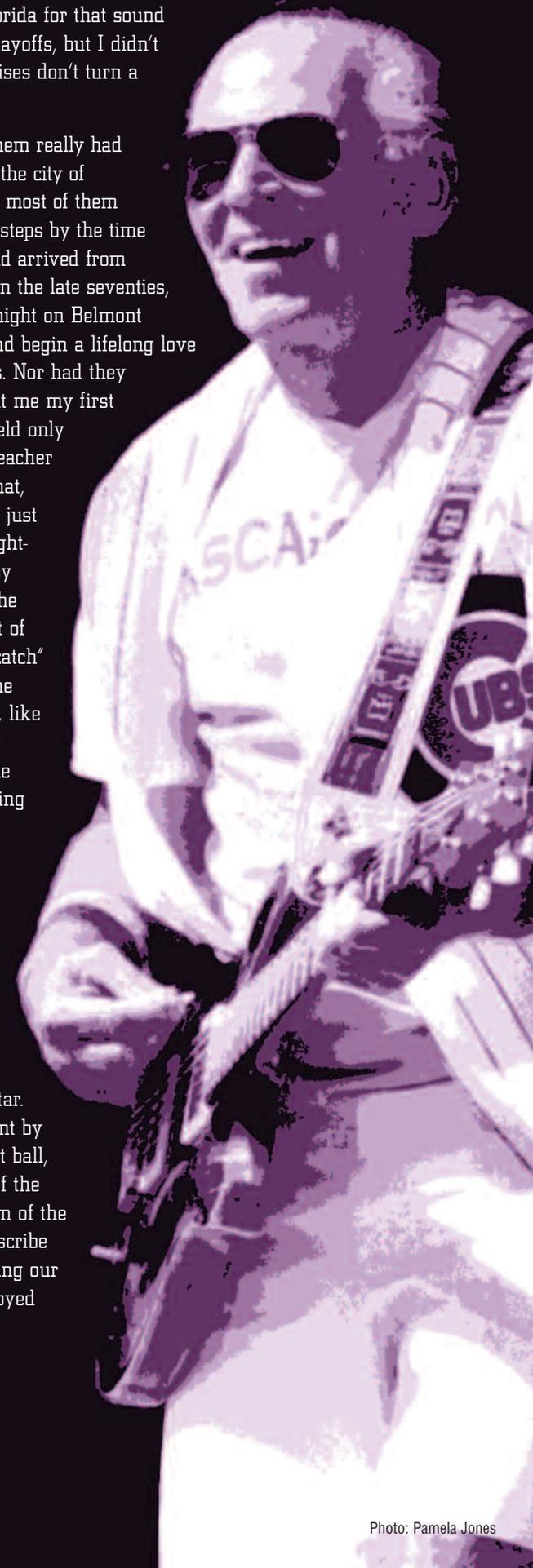
## HEY MAN, I'M A CUBS FAN

I caught a lot of flack back in South Florida for that sound bite on the opening day of the [2003] playoffs, but I didn't mind. Geography and expansion franchises don't turn a Cubs fan into a non-Cubs fan.

In fairness to those reporters, none of them really had any knowledge of my past history with the city of Chicago and the Chicago Cubs. After all, most of them probably had just taken their first baby steps by the time a nervous Gulf Coast solo folk singer had arrived from Nashville in a beat-up red Volkswagen in the late seventies, and had taken the stage at the Quiet Knight on Belmont Avenue to open for Jerry Jeff Walker and begin a lifelong love with the Windy City and it's inhabitants. Nor had they been there when Steve Goodman bought me my first ticket to a Cubs game when Wrigley Field only featured day games and I became a "bleacher bum." Nor were they privy to the fact that, once again with Steve Goodman, sitting just above the fabled 400 ft marker in straight-away center field, I watched another boy from Alabama playing center field for the opposing New York Mets in the twilight of his career make a sensational "basket catch" at the warning track below us. His name was Willie Mays. I of course fantasized, like any former little league, bush league or minor league ball player would, that one day it wouldn't be Willie out there making that catch - it would be ME.

In September of 2005, the Cubs once again missed the playoffs, but the friendly confines of Wrigley Field would belong for two days to a team known as "The Parrot Heads," and playing center field was an ex-utility infielder from Mobile, Alabama who was armed, not with a Louisville Slugger, but with a Martin acoustic guitar. Two shows and five hours on stage went by in the blur of a vintage Kerry Wood fast ball, and all of sudden it was the last song of the second show, and then it was the bottom of the ninth. There simply are no words to describe the experience. I hope you enjoy watching our days at Wrigley Field as much as I enjoyed playing them.

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"The Gulf Coast hurricane tragedy humbled all of America. Together we wanted to help the people of the Gulf Coast reclaim their lives, homes, and communities. And as New Yorkers, we also felt a special sense of responsibility as recipients of the outpouring of help and good will in the aftermath of our own September tragedy. The generosity of America during our time in need demanded that we respond to the Gulf crisis as strongly as possible.

We are proud that *From The Big Apple To The Big Easy* provided an opportunity for all of us to celebrate the unique culture and music of New Orleans, underscoring the important role that the city has played in our nation's musical history. We are hopeful that this special DVD captures the magic and celebration of the unforgettable night, which will surely be remembered as one of the greatest in the history of Madison Square Garden." –

James L Dolan, Chairman of Madison Square Garden and President and Chief Executive Officer of Cablevision Systems Corporation.

Jimmy performs seven songs on the DVD that also includes The Neville Brothers, Lenny Kravitz, Dave Matthews, Simon & Garfunkel, Elton John, Bette Midler and many others. The Coconut Telegraph will donate 100% of the proceeds from the sale of the DVD to NOAAHH.

The New Orleans Artists Against Hunger and Homelessness, Inc. NOAAHH began in 1985 when Grammy Award winner and lead vocalist of the Neville Brothers, Aaron Neville and two-time Grammy nominee songwriter/musician Allen Toussaint brought together a group of New Orleans musicians for the purpose of performing a concert to benefit the hungry and homeless of metro New Orleans.

Today, NOAAHH has developed into a successful nonprofit organization that annually presents concerts and gala celebrity mixers to raise funds to help alleviate hunger and homelessness in the metro New Orleans area. NOAAHH is governed by an all-volunteer Board of Directors headed by Sister Jane F. Remson. Volunteering his time with NOAAHH's Board of Directors is Quint Davis, Producer/Director of the New Orleans Jazz and Heritage Festival.

#### From The Big Apple To The Big Easy

Over three hours of New Orleans musical legends joined on stage by many of music's biggest names. 100% of the proceeds from the sale of the DVD will be donated to New Orleans Artists Against Hunger and Homelessness. #19445 \$24.99

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# Third Annual "Six String Music" Songwriters Invitational

New Orleans, LA – After three successful years, it becomes much easier to describe our "Six String Music" singer/songwriter festival. It is simply a phlocking from a different point of view. This event is ALL ABOUT THE MUSIC! It's "guys/gals with guitars" struttin' (and strumming) their stuff in the city where Jimmy got his start singing on the street corner in the French Quarter for tips.

"All we really need is Six String Music...a song from me to you" wrote Jimmy Buffett. How true this is! This event is not designed to feature the big bands, but rather to allow the featured singer/songwriters to get back to their roots and showcase their original music in more intimate settings.

Our 3rd annual event featured a dozen invited singer/songwriters coming in from all over the country. Presented as a joint venture between the New Orleans Parrot Head Club and the Towns Around Biloxi Parrot Head Club, performances took place at host venues Margaritaville and Tropical Isle.

The weekend featured solo performances by Scott Kirby, James "Sunny Jim" White, John Frinzi, Wes Loyer, Kelly McGuire, Joe Bennett, Jerry Diaz, Jim Hoehn, Bob Karwin, Brent Burns, Chuck Lawson and special guest Keith Sykes. Each of these performers showed off their original music & lyrics to very attentive and appreciative crowds, and they were each afforded the chance to play either some newly written music or some of their lesser played tunes.

Friday and Saturday evenings culminated in "All-Star Songwriter Circle" performances where three or four of the musicians at a time got up together and either jammed with each other or "swapped" songs in the round. Keith Sykes amused the group with his "Jimmy Bob" rendition of "Margaritaville" as sung by Bob Dylan – a parody that came from his days as a Coral Reefer waiting backstage for the big show with JB. He also engaged the crowd with his "Monkey River Town Girl" and his self-deprecating "Keith Sykes is Sorry" along with the story of the song's origin.

Kelly McGuire got to try out some new music on the crowds as they eagerly await the release of his newest CD this fall. Wes Loyer, Bob Karwin and Chuck Lawson are relatively new faces with the local Parrot Heads and were well received, as were long-time favorites Joe Bennett & Jerry Diaz. Radio Margaritaville's Carson Cooper served as Emcee for the weekend, and Host "Sunny Jim" kept the festivities rolling along with seamless transitions and even took a turn as auctioneer.

Besides the live auction, a silent auction and various raffles were held through-out the weekend as fund-raising components to the event. Proceeds are being donated to the New Orleans Musicians' Clinic, which provides low-cost health care to many working musicians in the city who do not have insurance.

Plans are already underway for the Fourth Annual "Six String Music" so mark your calendars for August 16-19, 2007 for what is sure to be another magical, musical weekend in the "Big Easy"!

Sheila Chimento, Margaritaville – New Orleans



John Frinzi & Kelly McGuire perform. Photo: Tammy Camp



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