



EARL KLUGH'S RENOWNED WEEKEND OF JAZZ RETURNS TO KIAWAH ISLAND

**Earl Klugh's 6th Annual Weekend of Jazz at Kiawah Island Golf Resort
November 12-14, 2015!**

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Kiawah Island, SC – Since 2004, GRAMMY®-winning guitarist Earl Klugh has been bringing world-renowned artists together with jazz enthusiasts for his one-of-a-kind musically-driven lifestyle getaways. His Weekend of Jazz is now held at two Forbes Five-Star, AAA Five-Diamond properties each year; The Broadmoor in Colorado Springs, and [The Sanctuary at Kiawah Island](#), South Carolina.

Klugh's 6th annual Weekend of Jazz at Kiawah Island will be held November 12-14, 2015 and features three incredible days of entertainment from 10-Time GRAMMY®-winning guitar legend and vocalist **GEORGE BENSON**; 4-time GRAMMY®-nominee and multi-platinum-selling saxophonist **BONEY JAMES**; R&B balladeer **JEFFREY OSBORNE**; ukulele virtuoso **JAKE SHIMABUKURO**; contemporary pianist **MARCUS JOHNSON**; local favorites **THE EAST COAST PARTY BAND**; your GRAMMY®-winning host **EARL KLUGH**; and more!

Earl Klugh's Weekend of Jazz is committed to bringing our guests one-of-a-kind experiences with the very best musical talent, unforgettable collaborations, surprise guests, exceptional culinary and wine experiences, Yogalates, golf and more – all within a Five-Star, Five-Diamond setting.

2-Night Weekend of Jazz Packages Include (Friday, 11/13 and Saturday 11/14):

- Luxury accommodations for each night on the package
- Tickets to main event concerts each night with priority seating
- Admission to after-hours shows
- Admission to VIP artist experience
- Exclusive sign-up for Weekend of Jazz activities and experiences, including The Weekend of Jazz Golf Outing with PGA Tour Professional and golf commentator John Mahaffey, featuring contests, food and beverage and more on Saturday afternoon
- Great discounts on suite/ocean view/villa upgrades
- Great discounts on Sanctuary Spa treatments and select Kiawah Island golf courses
- And more!

2-Night Packages start at **\$257* per person/per night in the Villas.**

3-Night Packages and Sanctuary Rooms are currently sold out with wait list availability. To inquire, please call 800-654-2924. All two & three-night package guests will be automatically entered to win a VIP dinner with Earl Klugh at the event.

Call Kiawah Island Golf Resort at 800-654-2924 to reserve your 2-night Weekend of Jazz package today, or visit www.WeekendofJazz.com/Kiawah for more details.

ABOUT EARL KLUGH

GRAMMY®-winning guitarist EARL KLUGH's career of more than four decades includes over 200 compositions, more than 30 full-length albums, hosting and producing his own events, work in film and numerous world tours. Klugh's work earned him a GRAMMY® award for *One On One* with Bob James, plus 13 career Grammy nominations. The latest nomination is for his current release, ***HandPicked***, which also debuted at #1 on the Billboard Contemporary Jazz Albums Chart. Klugh has been hailed by *The New York Times*, "...a guitarist with impeccable technique" and is looking forward to his sixth annual Weekend of Jazz at Kiawah Island.

Klugh credits 2015 Weekend of Jazz performer George Benson as a mentor, and the catalyst to launching his recording career. Benson and Klugh recorded *Collaboration* together (1987) and remain lifelong friends. "Having George perform at Weekend of Jazz is a huge highlight for me!" says Klugh. "I can't wait to share this experience with the fans. We have a great lineup of artists this year and I hope you will join us in November!" www.EarlKlugh.com

ABOUT KIAWAH ISLAND GOLF RESORT

Located just south of Charleston, South Carolina, along 10 miles of pristine beach, Kiawah Island Golf Resort was recently named the No. 1 golf resort on the U.S. Mainland by readers of the prestigious Conde Nast Traveler magazine. The publication also named Kiawah as the No. 3 overall resort on the U.S. Mainland. Tennis magazine named it the No. 3 tennis resort in the U.S. Kiawah Island is also known as one of the top eco-friendly resorts in the U.S., and its beach was named one of the 10 best beaches in America by famed "beachologist," Dr. Stephen Leatherman, aka Dr. Beach. It includes The Sanctuary – a AAA Five Diamond and Forbes Five Star-rated, 255-room hotel and spa – and 600 private villas and luxury homes. The resort has five championship golf courses, including The Ocean Course – host of the 1991 Ryder Cup, the 2007 Senior PGA and 2012 PGA Championship.

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