



## *Michael's Buzzing Reed*

The Newsletter of Clarinetist Michael Norsworthy

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### **NEW MICHAEL NORSWORTHY WEBSITE**



Actually, not new, but newly re-designed. Michael's site has undergone a beautiful reworking and is

available for viewing in both Flash and HTML versions.

Lots of audio examples of this amazing clarinetists' mastery of contemporary and standard literature. Please visit <http://www.michaelnorsworthy.com/> and have a look and listen.

### **MICHAEL NORSWORTHY IN THE CONCERT HALL**

As an "in-demand" soloist, chamber player and orchestral musician, Michael Norsworthy has a busy calendar of upcoming performances through the end of March. Among them are:

#### **Japan-USA Musical Perspectives**

Tenri Cultural Institute  
January 31, 2009 | 4:00 pm  
43a West 13th Street, New York, NY

#### **Boston Modern Orchestra Project**

(BMOP) @ Club Café  
February 03, 2009 | 7:00pm  
Boston, MA

#### **New Music Festival**

Boston Conservatory - Seully Hall  
February 05, 2009 | 8:00 pm  
8 The Fenway, Boston, MA  
Program to include "CLAIR" by Franco Donatoni

#### **Japan-USA Musical Perspectives**

Fenway Center @ Northeastern University  
February 07, 2009 | 8:00 pm  
77 St. Stephen Street, Boston, MA

#### **Manhattan Sinfonietta - Merkin Concert Hall**

February 17, 2009 | 8:00 pm  
129 West 67th Street, New York, NY



#### **Manhattan Sinfonietta - Merkin Concert Hall**

February 18,  
2009 | 8:00 pm  
Program

includes: Donald Martino - Triple Clarinet Concerto

#### **Fromm Players at Harvard**

Manhattan Sinfonietta - Harvard University  
Paine Hall  
February 20, 2009 | 8:00 pm  
Cambridge, MA

#### **Manhattan Sinfonietta - Harvard University Paine Hall**

February 21, 2009 | 8:00 pm  
Cambridge, MA  
Fromm Players at Harvard  
Program includes: Donald Martino - Triple Clarinet Concerto

## Northeast Texas Clarinet Day

March 07, 2009 | All Day

Commerce, TX

Texas A&M University-Commerce

## Boston Modern Orchestra Project

March 20, 2009 | 8:00 pm

Boston, MA - Jordan Hall

**MICHAEL NORSWORTHY  
ON CD  
Several New Recordings Coming**



Michael Norsworthy has several new CDs that will be released in 2009-2010:

**For Naxos** – Clarinet music of contemporary Finnish master Magnus Lindberg. Michael will record his **Clarinet Concerto, Clarinet Quintet, Away**, for clarinet and chamber orchestra and **Ablauf** for clarinet and percussion. The orchestral pieces will be recorded in Bratislava, Slovakia with Kirk Trevor and the Slovak Radio Symphony Orchestra.

**For Albany** – two new projects:

**1** - music of Yehudi Wyner, winner of the 2006 Pulitzer Prize in Music, to be recorded Michael and the Ibis Camerata this coming August. This disk will also feature performances by Norsworthy's teacher and mentor Richard Stoltzman.

**2** - Michael has recorded Noel Zahler's **Concerto for Clarinet, Chamber Orchestra and Interactive Computer**, which he gave the March 2007 World Premiere of with the Columbia Sinfonietta, Jeffrey Millarsky, Director at Columbia University's Miller Theatre in New York City. This will soon be available at <http://www.albanyrecords.com/>.

**For Mode** – music of Michael Finnissy, with the composer playing piano on several of the selections. This will be available in 2010 from <http://www.moderecords.com/>.

Michael has previously recorded a number of chamber and orchestral disks. For more about them, please visit the recordings section of <http://www.michaelnorsworthy.com/>.

**MORE OF MICHAEL  
NORSWORTHY ON THE WEB**

For more information about Michael Norsworthy, including a bio, performance calendar, press kit and more, visit his newly re-designed website at <http://www.michaelnorsworthy.com/>.

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