



# THE ANGELA CARRINGTON AWARDS 2012

The Angela Carrington Awards event was established in 2006 by Brian Shaw with an aim to celebrate the talent and diversity of singers on the Greater London open mic scene. Now entering its 7th year, this event will be held on Saturday the 17th March 2012 at the Vortex Jazz Club in Dalston.

Singers will be asked to audition before a panel of four judges singing two songs of choice in differing tempos, with piano accompaniment. Four singers will be nominated and will then be invited to sing at an awards night on Sunday, 8th April at the Vortex before a different panel of judges. One singer will be chosen who the judges feel best represents the spirit of the jazz open mic scene. All four nominated singers, from the audition day, will then be given the opportunity to hold their own gig at the Vortex in August.

The cost of entering the competition is £14. The closing date for applications is Saturday, 25th February. Cheques should be made payable to Catherine Lima and returned to: 38 Cheshire Road, Bowes Park, London N22 8JJ.

## Joint winners from 2011



Sarah Niles

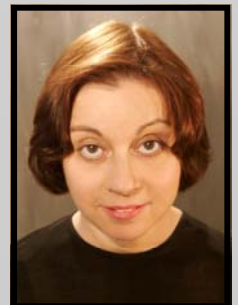


Yuko Yokoi

Money raised from the April event will go to the Manic Depression Fellowship (MDF) see below.

The auditions for 2012 will be organised by Catherine Lima. Application forms for the event are available now. More detailed information will be posted up on Catherine's website: [www.catherinelima.com](http://www.catherinelima.com) in due course. If you have any queries about this event, please contact Catherine on 07950 649978 or email her at [catherinelima@btinternet.com](mailto:catherinelima@btinternet.com)

*This event is held in memory of Angela Carrington who took part in many open mic events but suffered from mental illness and took her life in May 2005. She was a classically trained wood wind musician and a jazz singer/songwriter. Angela was incredibly supportive of other singers and was a source of encouragement to many who came to the open mic events.*



Manic Depression Fellowship (MDF) The Bipolar Organisation is the national charity dedicated to supporting individuals with the much misunderstood and devastating condition of bipolar, their families and carers.

MDF work to enable people affected by bipolar (also known as manic depression) to take control of their lives.

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