

**MEETING NOTICE - Sunday, April 21, 2 PM - 5 PM Arlington Heights  
Historical Society  
Arlington Room, 110 W. Fremont  
Arlington Heights, IL For directions go to:  
<http://www.chicagoaudio.org/directions.htm>**

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**APRIL MEETING--SONIC HEMISPHERE FIDELITY MONITOR  
LOUDSPEAKERS with Cary (mod) preamp, Clayton Audio Mono Blocks,  
and Oppo BD-105 Universal Player; MUSIC FIRST CLASSIC V2 PREAMP**

We are pleased to have Sonic Hemisphere  
( [www.sonichemisphere.com](http://www.sonichemisphere.com) ) a new loudspeaker company right here  
in Palatine demonstrate their Fidelity Monitor  
loudspeakers ( [www.sonichemisphere.com/Fidelity\\_Monitor.php](http://www.sonichemisphere.com/Fidelity_Monitor.php) ).  
They were at last month's AXPONA show and attracted much favorable  
attention. The company maintains a showroom (by appointment) in  
Palatine, IL to hear their products. The system will consist of the  
following:

## **Sonic Hemisphere Fidelity Monitor Speakers**

**Clayton Audio M-200 Class A Mono Block Amps**

**Cary Audio SLP-2002 Tube Preamp (modified)**

**Oppo BD-105 Universal Disc Player**

In addition, we have on loan from the manufacturer the Music First  
Classic V2 preamp. This is a passive preamp from the UK utilizing the  
highly regarded Stevens and Billington transformers. Our listening  
system is balanced and both the Music First and the Cary Audio will be  
run in balanced mode and we will have the opportunity to compare the  
two preamps. More information on the Music First Preamp can be seen  
at: [www.musicfirstaudio.com](http://www.musicfirstaudio.com) and  
[mfaudio.co.uk/classic.htm](http://mfaudio.co.uk/classic.htm)

**Please do bring along your favorite discs to listen to. The Oppo handles  
ALL formats!**

**We look forward to seeing you all there this Sunday!**

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