

JILLIAN MICHAELS - BIO

Jillian started out as a session singer in Toronto recording jingles and voice overs as well as her original songs. Her first live gig was in BC Place stadium singing back-ups for the internationally acclaimed EMI recording act, Glass Tiger. Anxious to find her own voice, she moved to Vancouver ready to travel every inch of the road as a lead singer while continuing with her voice acting. . *"As a singer of tunes from Jazz to Rock, I had a talent for being able to manipulate my voice. It was a natural progression to start having fun doing voice overs and cartoon characters."* Jillian Michaels. In the early 90's, Jillian wrote and released her independent debut, pop/rock CD "Mental Trashcans" c1999, Scootercat Music Inc.

After years of singing live, Jillian is now one of Vancouver's top voice actresses. She has lent her vocal abilities, either singing or doing voice overs to radio and television spots for over 20 years. She's also come into her true goofiness voicing scores of cartoon characters on shows such as My Little Pony, Edgar and Ellen, Ninjago, Ricky Sprocket, Dragonball Z, Hamtaro, Mixmaster and Inuyasha just to name a few. She has done TV promotions for Bellingham's KVOS TV 12 and Victoria's Chek TV. She has also done numerous voices on video games such as Need for Speed and Def Jam Wrestling for Electronic Arts and narration for various clients.

After completing two intensive wine courses, she is WSET certified and therefore classified as a sommelier.

Among her other right brain talents, Jillian has written children's songs, does oil painting, interior design and has completed her first practical yet humorous book entitled, "Breaking Up Without Breaking Down". It's a self-help survival guide about what to expect and how to get through a break up with the fewest battle scars. She is seeking a publishing deal for both her songs and her book.

"My creativity has allowed me an avenue through which I can express, vent and attempt to understand the world around me." Jillian Michaels