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Denver Jazz Club in operation for 66 continuous years

Established 1954

For the protection of our Denver Jazz Club members and guests: COVID-19 Vaccination is required for entry to the Denver Jazz Club.

PLEASE BRING A COPY OF YOUR PROOF OF VACCINATION CARD, AND SHOW IT AT THE ENTRY TO THE BALLROOM.

The Denver Jazz Club Board of Directors, in a special meeting held on Monday, August 23, voted unanimously to require that those attending our monthly sessions at the Westminster Elks Lodge be vaccinated against COVID-19. This is because of the widespread outbreak of the new Delta variant of the disease. Those 15 years of age and younger are required to wear masks at all times. This policy will apply to musicians as well as attendees. For club-sponsored student organizations, full vaccinations are required for ages 12 and up. The club will keep a record of each member's vaccination status, so only a one-time check will be needed.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation!

Lance Acker and Friends

Sunday, September 19



For our September DJC session, reedman **Lance Acker** has assembled a fine lineup of swinging players: **Charlie Smith**, trumpet; **Eric Staffeldt**, trombone; **Mark Flory**, piano; **Maury Walker**, banjo; **Cedrick Forsythe**, bass and **Tony Pantelis**, drums. This is bound

to be a first-rate musical afternoon!

Where, when, how much:

- Denver Jazz Club, 2:00-5:00 PM Sunday, September 19
- Westminster Elks Club, 3850 Elk Drive
- Admission is \$8 for members of any jazz club, \$10 for anyone who isn't a jazz club member, free for age 12 and younger.

Amenities:

- Cabaret-style seating, dance floor, cash bar.
- Denver Jazz Club Youth All-Stars perform between sets.

Summit Hot Seven

Sunday, October 17



Chaz Bowles, trumpet, leads this long-standing band that initially was the Jazz Ensemble assembled by the late trombonist

Alan Frederickson. With **Marti Henry**, trombone; **Bill Pontarelli**, clarinet; **Scott Grove**, piano; **Rory**

Thomas, banjo; **Roger Johns**, bass, and **Dave Rohlf**, drums.

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YOUTH ALL-STARS

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR SUPPORT - OUR NEW ORLEANS CONCERT TOUR WAS A COMPLETE SUCCESS!

We had great performances at the Creole Queen, the Spotted Cat music club, Buffa's Bar and Restaurant, Jean Lafitte National Historical Park and Preserve Visitor Center, Preservation Hall Educational Clinic with the Preservation Hall Jazz Band, steamboat Natchez dock, and Cafe Beignet on Bourbon Street with Dave Ruffner! What a concert tour!

We are now working towards our summer 2022 European concert tour!! The DJC Youth All-Stars are setting their sights on the Montreux, Switzerland International Jazz Festival, along with other possible European performance destinations.

You can help us out by going to <http://youthallstars.denverjazzclub.com/donate/> to make a single or recurring donation, or to purchase any of our 12 CDs! Our most recent CD, "It's Mardi Gras Time!" is now available for just \$10 -- buy any 3 of our CDs and get one free! You can also mail donations and purchases to: Denver Jazz Club Youth All-Stars, Ed Cannava, Director, 6388 S. Dexter St, Centennial, CO 80121. Venmo donations to: [@DenverJazzClubYouthAll-Stars](https://www.venmo.com/DenverJazzClubYouthAll-Stars). PayPal donations to: youthallstars.denverjazzclub.com/donate



Selections Include: Mardi Gras In New Orleans; Creole Love Call; Is It True What They Say About Dixie; 17 Cherry; Everybody Loves My Baby; Nostalgia In Times Square; Tiger Rag; St. Thomas; That's a Plenty; Basin Street Blues; Caravan; What a Wonderful World; Midnight In Moscow; and After You've Gone



Presenting the 2021-22 DJC Youth All-Stars:

Joanna Toy – Clarinet – Sophomore, Golden High School; **Nolan Musson** – Tenor Sax – Freshman, Chatfield High School;
Lakeif McDonald - Trumpet - Junior, East High School; **Dylan Hays** - Trombone - Freshman, Legacy High School;
Joey Crooks – Banjo – Sophomore, East High School; **Jonny Anders** - Piano – Freshman, Golden High School;
Ryan Kilgroe - Tuba - Freshman, Arvada West High School; **Bennett Miller** – Drums – Sophomore, East High School

Local Band Appearances

Musicians frequently lead complicated lives. It's always a good idea to check the band website – or the venue's website – to update scheduled appearances.

After Midnight

www.aftermidnightjazzband.com

Saturday, September 11 1:00 & 2:00 PM - Mikey's Colorado Best Jazz Bands Party, Radisson Hotel, 3155 S. Vaughn Way
 Friday, September 17 3:00 PM - Wind Crest Arts and Enrichment Center Concert, 3235 Mill Vista Road, Highlands Ranch
 Saturday, September 25 7:00 PM - Carousel Dance Club, Denver Marriott West, 1717 Denver West Blvd, Golden

Denver Jazz Club Youth All-Stars

www.youthallstars.denverjazzclub.com

Tuesday, September 14 6:45 PM - The Vi Retirement Community Outdoor Concert, 2850 Classic Dr., Highlands Ranch
 Sunday, September 19 Denver Jazz Club, Westminster Elks Lodge, 3850 Elk Dr. (between featured band sets)
 Sunday, October 17 Denver Jazz Club, Westminster Elks Lodge, 3850 Elk Dr. (between featured band sets)

Joni Janak and Centerpiece Jazz

Saturday, September 11 6:30 PM & 8:30 PM - Mikey's Colorado Best Jazz Bands Party, Radisson Hotel, 3155 S. Vaughn Way

La Pompe Jazz

www.lapompejazz.com

Saturday, September 11 7:30 PM & 9:30 PM - Mikey's Colorado Best Jazz Bands Party, Radisson Hotel, 3155 S. Vaughn Way

Neil Bridge with vocalist Karen Lee

www.neilbridgemusic.com

Saturday, September 18 7:00 PM - Caffe Sole Jazz Supper Club, 637R South Broadway Street, Boulder (Neil Bridge Quintessence)
 Thursday, October 28 6:30 PM - Dazzle, 1512 Curtis, Denver (Neil Bridge 7+ with Karen Lee - tribute to PapiRay Pacheco)

Poudre River Irregulars

www.prijb.com

Every first Friday 2:00 PM - Avogadro's Number, 605 S. Mason St., Fort Collins

Queen City Jazz Band

www.queencityjazzband.com

Saturday, September 11 3:00 PM & 4:00 PM - Mikey's Colorado Best Jazz Bands Party, Radisson Hotel, 3155 S. Vaughn Way
 Sundays, Sept. 12, Oct. 10 8:00 PM - Mercury Cafe, 22nd and California, Denver

Mikey's Colorado Best Jazz Bands Party

September 11, 2021

Eight sets with four bands – 1:00PM to 5:00 PM and 6:30 PM to 10:30 PM

1:00 PM & 2:00 PM – After Midnight

3:00 PM & 4:00 PM – Queen City Jazz Band

6:30 PM & 8:30 PM – Joni Janak and Centerpiece Jazz

7:30 PM & 9:30 PM – LaPompe Jazz

In the Ballroom at the Radisson Hotel Denver Southeast, 3155 S. Vaughn Way, Aurora (I-225 & Parker Road)

Admission: \$5.00 per set

To attend, contact Michael D. Wilson: wilson12255@msn.com or 720-779-4928.

Send checks to 5152 S. Shalom Park Circle, Aurora, CO 80015.

Tickets also available at the hotel table the day of the concert.

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Denver Jazz Club Membership Application

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Other Jazz Clubs:

The Boulder Friends of Jazz first Sunday monthly jam sessions will resume September 5, at the Avalon Ballroom, 6185 Arapahoe Rd, Boulder. Verification of COVID vaccine status will be required for entry. Information at boulderfriendsofjazz.org

Pikes Peak Jazz and Swing Society (PPJASS) Second Sunday Jazz Affairs have not yet resumed. Information at ppjass.org

The Northern Colorado Traditional Jazz Society hosts its first Friday events on the patio at Avogadro's Number, 605 S. Mason Street, in Fort Collins, from 2:00 PM until 4:00 PM. The Poudre River Irregulars provide the music. Admission is \$15.00. Reservations are no longer required. Information at prijb.com and www.avogadros.com



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