



Flower City Jazz Society

WHERE FRIENDS and JAZZ MEET...Newsletter Volume XVI Number 2 February 2015

MARDI GRAS Monday, February 16th BLACK DIAMOND EXPRESS



The Black Diamond Express Dixieland Band is back for the annual Flower City Jazz Society's **Mardis Gras** party. Come – in costume & with parasol – participate in the Mardi Gras Cakewalk. Black Diamond Express playing traditional Dixieland tunes; dancing, listening & enjoying.

Leader Rod Ham (back from February-2014's family cruise !!), on trombone retired from a career in financial planning with Kodak. Rod currently is a member of the Honeoye Falls Community Band, the Penfield Rotary Big Band, his trombone quartet, the Pittsford Fire Dept. Band, and as well performs in pit bands. He has made four European tours with the Michigan State Univ. Alumni Band where his Dixieland band was featured at the concerts.

Steve Quance, on trumpet plays in a wide variety of big bands and ensembles. He co-leads the Starlight Orchestra from Rochester, the Western NY Big Band from Waterloo and the Penfield Fireman's Band. He particularly enjoys musicals and plays in high school and college musical productions throughout the area. He is on call for several of the big bands in the area including Johnny Matt's Big Band and the Southern tier All Star Jazz Band. Steve works for the Xerox Corporation (over 33 years) and lives in Macedon.

Dick Stacy on clarinet is a retired band director and high school principal who has gone back into music big-time. He has been director of the Penfield Rotary Big Band for the past several years, and in addition, has his own big band - the Rhythm Aces. He has played in the Tommy Dorsey and Glenn Miller Bands, and as well, plays for several local big bands and pit orchestras for local musical productions.

Lynn Eberhardt on bass and tuba is a retired public school music teacher, having taught for thirty years near Rochester, NY. He graduated from the Eastman School of Music followed with four years as the bass player in the U.S. Coast Guard Band. Lynn enjoys playing in any setting that requires a bass player, from duos to community orchestras, including shows, brass quintets, early jazz, and of course The Black Diamond Express.

Dariusz Terefenko on piano plays many solo and small-group concerts while teaching as a faculty member of the Jazz & Contemporary Media Dept. at Eastman School of Music, where his Ph.D. thesis was an award-winning study. Dariusz also plays with area bands and regularly travels to his native Poland to lecture, play concerts, and conduct workshops.

Glenn Gardner on drums was born and raised in Rochester. After a career in human resource positions in Xerox, he is currently a business and property management consultant in the Rochester area. He enjoys his music; currently playing in the Krazy Fireman's Band and as well has also played in Greece Symphony, Barnard Fire Dept. Band, Monroe County Parks Band, and various pit bands.

2015 MARDI GRAS PARADE SCHEDULE



Schedule copied from
<http://www.mardigrasneworleans.com/schedule.html>

(Alas, we've already missed
14 January parades !!)

Sunday | Feb 1

- Metairie
- [Krewe of Little Rascals](#) 12:00pm
- Slidell
- [Krewe of Perseus](#) 1:00pm

Friday | Feb 6

- French Quarter
- [Krewe of Cork](#) 3:00pm
- Uptown New Orleans
- [Krewe of Oshun](#) 6:00pm
- [Krewe of Cleopatra](#) 6:30pm
- Metairie
- [Krewe of Excalibur](#) 7:00pm
- [Krewe of Athena](#) 7:30pm
- Mandeville
- [Krewe of Eve](#) 7:00pm

Saturday | Feb 7

- Slidell
- [Krewe of Paws](#) 10:00am
- [Krewe of Titans](#) 6:30pm
- Westbank
- [The Mystic Knights of Adonis](#)
- Chalmette
- [Knights of Nemesis](#) 1:00pm
- Uptown New Orleans
- [Krewe of Pontchartrain](#) 1:00pm
- [Krewe of Choctaw](#) follows

- [Krewe of Freret](#) follows
- [Knights of Sparta](#) 6:00pm
- [Krewe of Pygmalion](#) 6:15pm
- Marigny
- ['tit Rax](#) 5:00pm
- [Krewe of Chewbacchus](#) 6:00pm
- Metairie
- [Krewe of Caesar](#) 6:00pm
- Covington
- [Krewe of Olympia](#) 6:00pm

Sunday | Feb 8

- Uptown New Orleans
- [Krewe of Carrollton](#) 12:00pm
- [Krewe of King Arthur and Merlin](#) follows
- [Krewe of Alla](#) follows
- [Krewe of Femme Fatale](#) follows
- Slidell
- [Krewe of Dionysus](#) 1:00pm
- Madisonville
- [Krewe of Tchefoncté](#) 2:00pm
- French Quarter
- [Krewe of Barkus](#) 2:00pm

Wednesday | Feb 11

- Uptown New Orleans
- [Krewe of Druids](#) 6:30pm
- [Krewe of Nyx](#) 7:00pm

Thursday | Feb 12

- Uptown New Orleans
- [Knights of Babylon](#) 5:45pm
- [Knights of Chaos](#) 6:15pm
- [Krewe of Muses](#) 6:30pm

Friday | Feb 13

- French Quarter
- [Krewe of Bosom Buddies](#) 11:30am
- Uptown New Orleans
- [Krewe of Hermes](#) 6:00pm
- [Krewe d'Etat](#) 6:30pm
- [Krewe of Morpheus](#) 7:00pm

- Slidell
- [Krewe of Selene](#) 6:30pm

- Metairie
- [Krewe of Centurions](#) 7:00pm

Saturday | Feb 14

- Westbank
- [Krewe of NOMTOC](#) 10:45am
- Uptown New Orleans
- [Krewe of Iris](#) 11:00am
- [Krewe of Tucks](#) 12:00pm
- Mid-City
- [Krewe of Endymion](#) 4:15pm
- Metairie
- [Krewe of Isis](#) 6:30pm

Sunday | Feb 15

- Uptown New Orleans
- [Krewe of Okeanos](#) 11:00am
- [Krewe of Mid-City](#) 11:45am
- [Krewe of Thoth](#) 12:00pm
- [Krewe of Bacchus](#) 5:15pm
- Metairie
- [Corps de Napoleon](#) 5:00pm

Monday | Feb 16

- Uptown New Orleans
- [Krewe of Proteus](#) 5:15pm
- [Krewe of Orpheus](#) 6:00pm

Tuesday | Feb 17

- Uptown New Orleans
- [Krewe of Zulu](#) 8:00am
- [Krewe of Rex](#) 10:00am
- [Krewe of Elks Orleans](#) follows
- [Krewe of Crescent City](#) follows
- Westbank
- [Krewe of Grella](#) 10:00am
- Metairie
- [Krewe of Argus](#) 10:00am
- [Krewe of Elks Jefferson](#) follows
- [Krewe of Jefferson](#) follows
- Covington
- [Krewe of Lyra](#) 10:00am

BOARD of DIRECTORS Meeting, Monday, Feb. 9th, Kathie & Kent Campbell's house

FLOWER CITY JAZZ SOCIETY www.flowercityjazz.org

Board of Directors (names with " * ")

President: Kathie Campbell* 248-5864

Vice-President: Ron Anderson* 381-0686

Secretary: Jeanne Thomann* 227-6684

Hospitality: Kathie Campbell*

Treasurer: Dave Sturmer* 381-7603

Membership: Tom* & Carol* Ireland 671-3657

Dinner Reservations: Jerry Williams*, 729-6555. See Page Three (Menu area)

Historian: Carolyn Bastian 586-8294

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Newsletter Editors & Volunteers: Dave Sturmer*/Kent Campbell*/Tom Ireland*/Joanne* & Tim* Wright/Doreena Hames/Kay Salerno

Flower City Jazz Society formed to preserve & promote Dixieland Jazz in Greater Rochester. [ASCAP Licensee]

Membership dues: \$15 per person for one year. Dinner-Concerts are third Monday, January through December, at GLENDOVEERS, Old Browncroft Blvd, Rochester, NY (Handicap-accessible). FCJS, Inc. c/o Kathie Campbell, 127 Park Lane, Rochester, NY 14625



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THANKS TO RENEWING MEMBERS Carl Baxter, Elaine DiFulvio, Lunzer & Katherine Evans, Leonard Lyons, George Morris, John Murphy, Carl Fisher, Albert & Hetta Smith, Pat Thompson, Dave & Brenda Heeks, Robert & Marianne Hesselberth, Mary Lou Hogle, Joilee Mulhern, Carus Olcott, Jerry & Gerri Rossner, Henry & Nancy Hamlin, George Haynes, Robert DeWald

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS: Mary Cronin, Harold Mayberry

COMMENTS FOR THE BOARD:

RATE LAST MONTH'S BAND: BELOW AVERAGE AVERAGE ABOVE AVERAGE
 (Smugtown Stompers) Name _____ Telephone _____ Date _____

Member Comments: Jeanne Thormann: Jeanne grew up in Batavia and soon after graduation she moved to sunny California with her dad. After two years, enjoying 24 months of sunshine, she returned to Rochester and started working at Michaels-Stern Clothing company as an IBM Key punch operator. After two years there, she



she moved to Eastman Kodak, where she worked for 27 years as a secretary before taking an early retirement. Listening to a suggestion from her sister-in-law, Jeanne started a new career doing medical transcriptions in 1992 until 2011. Now fully retired, she heads off to Florida for 3 months of the year to escape the Rochester winters. Jeanne has a love of jazz, and has belonged to our group since 1995. "Dedicated" would be a strong but simple word to sum up what she does for Flower City Jazz. Editor of the newsletter for 8 years, and a member of the board since 1998, both secretary and governance at different times. Jeanne enjoys a challenging good game of scrabble and also enjoys NASCAR. When asked who her favorite driver is she never hesitated ..why not? She has more than one, and she can name each of them easily without hesitation! The Red Cross is fortunate to have her volunteer during blood drives and also making phone calls to families of Armed Forces members. They say: "great things come in small packages". This certainly describes Jeanne!

Thank you for allowing us to get to know you better. Submitted by Joanne Wright

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DINNER RESERVATION FORM FOR FEBRUARY 16, 2015

⇒MAIL TO: Jerry Williams, 84 Chippenham Drive, Penfield, NY 14526 (585)729-6555⇐
Reservation form and payment is due on or before Monday, February 9, 2015

(Last name) _____ (First) _____ (Telephone) _____

 (Spouse/Companion)

MENU, Monday, February 16, 2015 6:30 PM *Items That Are Gluten Free	Price	#of Meals	Price x # Meals
*Flank Steak with Mashed Potatoes & Seasonal Vegetable Medley	\$24		
*Seafood Jambalaya with Dirty Rice	\$22		
Southern Fried Chicken with Mashed Potatoes & Seasonal Vegetable Medley	\$19		
Apple Pie	\$4		

Total enclosed: \$ _____ (Please make checks payable to FLOWER CITY JAZZ SOCIETY)

Coffee Service with dessert for those who are sitting





www.FlowerCityJazz.org Flower City Jazz Society



LOCATION: FLOWER CITY JAZZ 2014 Glendoveers Banquet Hall 2328 Old Browncroft Blvd, Rochester 14625
"Old Browncroft Blvd" is a **LEFT Turn** at bottom of Browncroft Blvd "hill". From Rte 590; exit for Browncroft Blvd; go east (down hill); **warn traffic behind you as you approach bottom of hill; Slow Down Early; No Left Turn Lane**; turn Left to Old Browncroft Blvd at bottom of hill.

Sandra Saturno passed away on January 16, 2015. She and her companion Charlie Cometa were regular attendees at FCJS with Rod & Diane Ham's group. We express our condolences to Charlie & to Sandy's family.

Bob Tombs passed away on January 22, 2015. He and his wife Sandy spent many FCJS evenings at the "non-dinner" table with friends. We express our condolences to Bob's wife Sandy and to the family.

Live Jazz Calendar (support live jazz)

UPCOMING "FCJS" CONCERTS & OTHER VENUES

Weekly Calendar: Local Jazz/Dance Events see www.jazzrochester.com

February 2015 Preservation Hall Jazz Band, Friday, 2/13/15 & Saturday 2/14/15 at

Kodak Hall/Eastman Theater. Tickets: 585-454-2100 or at any Rochester area Wegmans.

February 2015 16th Monday(**FCJS**) Black Diamond Express, GLENDOVEERS

March 2015 16th Monday(**FCJS**) Fredtown Stompers (named for SUNY Fredonia by college graduates.....a young and energetic crew), GLENDOVEERS

April 2015 20th Monday(**FCJS**) BarRoom Buzzards Plus Two, GLENDOVEERS

May 2015 18th Monday(**FCJS**) Jon Seiger & the All Stars with special guest Neville Dickie, (stride pianist from England during his USA 2015 tour) GLENDOVEERS

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