



Flower City Jazz Society

WHERE FRIENDS and JAZZ MEET...Newsletter Volume XVI Number 8 August 2015

AUGUST 17th's SPECIAL GATHERING: BUFFET DINNER and “JAM WITH JON”(Seiger) (musicians' “sit-in” evening)

As the words go in the classic “Riverboat Shuffle” tune:
YOU'RE INVITED TODAY.....

To a special Flower City Jazz Evening JAM SESSION, MONDAY AUGUST 17th, 6:30pm-9:30pm, at Glendoveers Banquet Hall 2328 Old Browncroft Blvd, Rochester 14625, hosted by the multi-talented Jon Seiger and his trio. Jon is a veteran of many jam-session events, especially in the New York City area early in his career, so we're very pleased that he'll guide us thru this extraordinary musical evening. Jon's trio members will be Eric Metzgar on drums and Al Bruno on bass, both of whom have played with Jon extensively over recent years.

How's it work ? MUSICIANS who want to “sit-in” for (four-or-five?) tunes (don't have to play all three hours) can attend and get “free admission”, by signing in and playing some time during the evening. Jon will use the sign-in list to assemble various groups of sit-in players.

The evening's dinner, as usual in August, is a buffet (for menu and price, see page 3).

THE JON SEIGER TRIO

Jon Seiger (Trumpet, Piano, and Vocals). Jon is widely acclaimed as an outstanding trumpet player, jazz vocalist, and pianist, having completed his 9th appearance at the Alexandria Bay Ragtime-Jasstime Festival in May, 2015. Jon is a graduate of the New England Conservatory of Music and is one of very few performing deaf musicians. He specializes in older styles of jazz and has performed with many jazz greats including Ella Fitzgerald, Roy Eldridge, Maynard Ferguson, Joe Williams, and Billy Eckstine. Jon's engaging personality and consummate musicianship continue to delight his many fans, thankful that he has survived his serious illnesses and surgeries of mid-2007. In May of this year in Rochester, Jon hosted English-stride pianist Neville Dickie to give Flower-City-Jazz fans an excellent evening of jazz.



Eric Metzgar (drums) For some of Eric's performances, see youtube.com clips: 6/13/2010 The Rush Henrietta Mixed Chorus singing the Theme From Spiderman (unwillingly). Conducted by Brian Bohrer with Yasuko Kelly on Piano & Eric Metzgar on Drums. 12/9/2009 The Rush-Henrietta Mixed/Womens Choruses singing 80's Dance Party. Conducted by Brian Bohrer with Yasuko Kelly (Piano), Laurence Tallman(Synthesizer), & Eric Metzgar (Drums). Eric plays often with Jon Seiger "trios" and with the All-Stars.



Al Bruno, bassist, lays down a beat that reflects the 20-plus years he played in Manhattan with stars like Teddy Wilson, Lionel Hampton, Gene Krupa and Charlie Parker. He also played storied venues like Carnegie Hall, Lincoln Center and Broadway theatres.

WISHING FCJS MEMBERS IMPROVED HEALTH:
John Amorese, Connie Steedman,
Ginny Lawler & Sally Stookey

Welcome New Members to Board of Directors:
Kay Salerno, Mary Lou Hogle, Robert DeWaldt
and volunteer Bob Hesselberth now doing publicity for FCJS events.

BOARD of DIRECTORS Meeting, August 10th, Kathie & Kent Campbell's house

FLOWER CITY JAZZ SOCIETY www.flowercityjazz.org **Board of Directors (names with " * ")**

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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 BARBARA CONROY, JEANETTE CULLEN, RON & JUDI FLEMMING, GERALDINE RITTERSBACH, CONNIE STEEDMAN, JEANNE THOMANN, KAY SALERNO

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS MICHAEL & HARRIET STAEBELL, JUDITH MILLER, GOODY FREED, HAROLD THOMAS, RICHIE RYAN

COMMENTS FOR THE BOARD: _____

RATE LAST MONTH'S BAND: BELOW AVERAGE AVERAGE ABOVE AVERAGE

(*The JAZZHAPPENSBAND*) Name _____ Telephone _____ Date _____

FCJS "LOGO"
LOOK GREAT &



CAPS HATS SHIRTS JACKETS
ADVERTISE FLOWER CITY JAZZ SOCIETY.

Baseball caps (& shirts & Caps are cotton twill with embroidered logo & tax = merchandise catalog is:

sweatshirts) with Flower City Jazz logo are available. two-layer bill & striped hook/loop closure. Cost for hat, \$11.00. Style 830(men), LC830(ladies). Complete

<http://www.companycasuals.com/FLOWERCITYJAZZSOCIETY/start.jsp>
Must order directly with (& delivered by) Lorie Seegler, owner of Letters & Logos Embroidery, 2501 Browncroft Blvd (corner of Browncroft & Blossom Rd./Creek St.) Penfield; (585) 248-9250 [cell 520-2031]. Lorie is very helpful & easy to work with.

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DINNER RESERVATION FORM FOR Monday, August 17th, 2015

MAIL TO: Jerry Williams, 84 Chippenham Drive, Penfield, NY 14526 (585) 729-6555 <=
Reservation form and payment is due on or before Tuesday, August 11th, 2015

Last Name First Name Telephone
 Spouse/Companion

MENU for MONDAY, Aug. 17th	PRICE	# of MEALS	PRICE X # MEALS
Buffet: salad, BBQchicken, Hamburgers/cheesburgers, red-or-white hot, rolls, mac&cheese, tomato-cucumber salad, baked beans, cole slaw, fresh fruit	\$18		
Coffee Tea	included		
Home-Style Cookies & Gormet Brownies	included		

Total enclosed: \$ _____ (check payable to FLOWER CITY JAZZ SOCIETY)



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LOCATION: FLOWER CITY JAZZ 2015 *Glendoveers Banquet Hall 2328 Old Browncroft Blvd, Rochester 14625*

JOIN IN FOR AUGUST'S FLOWER CITY JAZZ EVENT

"JAM WITH JON" !!!! BUFFET DINNER, TOO

THE GROVE PLACE JAZZ PROJECT WILL FEATURE JON SIEGER & HIS BAND ON TUESDAY AUGUST 25TH FROM 7PM TO 9PM @ DOWNSTAIRS CABARET -20 WINDSOR ST. FREE PARKING.

Live Jazz Calendar (support live jazz)

UPCOMING "FCJS" CONCERTS & OTHER VENUES

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

August 2015 17th Monday(**FCJS**) "Jam With Jon", Join FCJS- and other guest-musicians for an all-evening Jam Session hosted by Jon Seiger and his trio; Buffet Dinner, too !! GLENDOVEERS

August 2015 25th Tuesday Jon Seiger & Guests, Downstairs Cabaret, 20 Windsor St, Rochester
Close-Up Musical Evening with Jon Seiger , et al (\$5 for FCJS members) 7pm—??

September 2015 21st Monday(**FCJS**) Bourbon Street Parade, GLENDOVEERS

October 2015 18th Sunday TransAtlantic Band—Sarah Spencer and Special European Musican Guests

Public Concert at Downstairs Cabaret Theater, Winton Place, Rochester, NY Sunday evening

October 2015 19th Monday(**FCJS**) Sarah Spencer's TransAtlantic Band & Guests GLENDOVEERS

Rochester, NY 14625

127 Park Lane

