



Garfield Jazz Newsletter

June 2022

Upcoming Events

June 3 - Farewell to Seniors Jazz Concert (All Ensembles)

Please join us for the Farewell to Seniors Jazz Concert featuring all three Garfield Jazz Ensembles on Friday, June 3rd at the Quincy Jones Performing Arts Center. Doors open at 6:30 pm. Performance starts at 7:00 pm. Unfortunately, the bake sale for this event has been canceled due to Covid exposure concerns.

June 6 - Annual GJF Meeting and Election of 2022-23 Board Members

Please join us for the Garfield Jazz Foundation Annual Meeting, at which the new 2022-23 GJF Board will be voted in. We have decided to hold the meeting on Zoom, 7pm on Monday June 6th.
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89929556663>

June 8 - The Royal Room (Ensemble 1)

Garfield Jazz will be opening for Orrin Evans and Captain Black Big Band (which includes Bulldog Alum Thomas Marriott, GHS '94) on June 8th at the Royal Room! Enjoy a performance by one of Seattle's leading jazz band and see our performers play one last time this school year. This is not a GJF sponsored event and tickets are selling fast (<https://www.strangertickets.com/events/123158620/seattle-jazz-fellowship-presents-orrin-evans-and-captain-black-big-band>).

June 12 - Jam Session (All Jazz Students Welcome and Encouraged)

Our final Student Jam Session for this school year will take place on Sunday, June 12th from 12 to 3 pm at the Central Cinema. [More information can be found here.](#)

August 1 - GJF 2022-23 Fiscal Year Begins

Leadership of GJF transfers from the 2021-22 Board to the 2022-23 Board.



Update: GJF 2022-23 Board/Volunteer Recruitment Process

The 2021-22 GJF Board will be voting on nominees for the 2022-23 GJF Board at the June 6 Annual GJF Board Meeting. Transition of current GJF leadership to the incoming board will officially occur on August 1, 2022, at the start of the 2022-23 fiscal year for GJF.

While some Lead Volunteer roles have already been filled, there are many opportunities for your involvement in the coming year! This is an exciting time to get involved with the GJF. We expect performance opportunities (local and distant) to ramp up again next year, so having many hands to help with a variety of volunteer roles is essential. Thank you for your support of Garfield Jazz!

The 2022-23 Jazz Auditions will Conclude on June 3rd

Class placements and a preliminary calendar with important dates will be available prior to the end of this school year.

Can you help strike the stage?

Our directors could use some general help after the Farewell to Seniors Jazz Concert stacking risers and putting away chairs and stands. Specialized support from individuals knowledgeable in wrapping XLR mic cables would also be appreciated. [Sign Up Here](#)



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