



Dear CNY Jazz Youth Orchestra Musicians and Parents,

Congratulations! Soon you'll be experiencing the excitement and satisfaction to be gained as members of the CNY Jazz Youth Orchestra.

This "festival orchestra" is designed to be a pre-professional experience, a gateway to further academic and professional activity, and a source of summer income. There is no tuition. Members are paid prevailing scale rates for free public service concerts.

A limited number of weekly rehearsals are held in May and June. Concerts are scheduled in July, culmination in a festival performance with a national guest artist.

Private auditions are held in the Jazz Central Education Center in downtown Syracuse, the headquarters and rehearsal hall for the orchestra.

Additional Member Benefits

CNY Jazz, the largest jazz education organization in Upstate New York, will provide college entry support to CNYJYO members on request, should they wish to pursue a music education beyond High School. These include:

- Family counseling about college choices
- Creative career counseling
- Free audition recording support in our fully equipped theater. We will provide coaching and professional musicians to accompany them in their all-important, required college entry audition videos.

Attached are all the forms necessary to complete registration. Please return as soon as possible to CNY Jazz Central via: fax to 315-479-7409; email to info@cnyjazz.org; or mail to 441 East Washington Street, Syracuse, NY 13202.

Sincerely,

Larry Luttinger

Larry Luttinger, Executive Director



CNYJYO REGISTRATION FORMS

Please fill out completely!

Bandmember's Name _____

Instrument(s) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____

Zip _____

Email _____

Cell Phone _____

Age _____

Grade ENTERING next fall: _____ Graduation Year: _____

School Name: _____

School District: _____

Shirt Size (adult): _____

Brief description of experience:

ALL Parent/Guardian Contact Information (both parents)

Name(s)		
Emails		
Phone #'s (day)		
Phone #'s (eve)		
Phone #'s (cell)		

Additional information, if any (special needs, medications, limitations):





MEDICAL RELEASE

I AUTHORIZE EMERGENCY MEDICAL OR SURGICAL CARE
TO BE GIVEN TO MY CHILD

WHEN I AM UNABLE TO BE REACHED OR CONTACTED.

THIS AUTHORIZATION INCLUDES TREATMENT WHICH THE
EXAMINING PHYSICIAN FEELS HE/SHE CAN SKILLFULLY PROVIDE
AND/OR REFERRAL TO OTHER MEDICAL CENTERS OR PHYSICIANS
WHEN THE EXAMINING PHYSICIAN DETERMINES THAT
SUCH REFERRAL IS INDICATED.

(PLEASE PRINT) Name of Student

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Print Parent/Guardian Name

Additional medical information, if any (special needs, medications, limitations):

WHEN I AM UNABLE TO BE REACHED OR CONTACTED

IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY, PLEASE CONTACT:

PLEASE PRINT!

#1 Contact: _____

Relationship to Bandmember: _____

Phone: _____

#2 Contact: _____

Relationship to Bandmember: _____

Phone: _____



PHOTO/VIDEO RELEASE FORM

I hereby give permission for images of my child, captured during the CNY Jazz Youth Orchestra through video, photo and digital camera, to be used solely for the purposes of CNY Jazz Arts Foundation promotional material and publications, and waive any rights of compensation or ownership thereto.

Name of Participant (please print):

Age: _____

Name of Parent/Guardian (please print):

Parent/Guardian Signature:

Date: _____

GENERAL INFORMATION

CONTACT INFO:

CNY JAZZ CENTRAL 315-479-5299

MR. CARELLO 315-439-0911

INFO@CNYJAZZ.ORG (Monday-Friday 10-5 only)

YOUR PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES AS A MEMBER OF THE ORCHESTRA

- Be on time. If you arrive 5 -10 minutes before a rehearsal or concert, you are LATE.
- Dress appropriately. Band shirts, clean, designated pants and shoes.
- PROMPT communications with band director and CNY Jazz at all times.
- ALL members must bring all equipment necessary to perform.
- Play your best.
- Behave like adult professionals at all times. You are ambassadors of the arts, and of CNY Jazz Central, as members of this orchestra. One bad report harms your reputation and ours.
- **No smoking anywhere at any time**
- **Use, sale, distribution or possession of any illegal drug or alcohol will result in immediate expulsion and notification of law enforcement**

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT

Members must bring keyboards, guitars, amps, drum set, all horns, reeds, mouthpieces, accessories, AND MUSIC STANDS to all engagements.

A drum set and bass amp are available for summer use, if necessary.

All music will be provided.

ATTENDANCE

Regular attendance is 100% vital to the success of this program, given the short length of its season and the highly interactive nature of jazz ensemble playing.

All members must attend all services with no exceptions.

Emergency absences must be reported in advance to CNYJAF (315-479-5299) AND to Mr. Carello (315-439-0911) to avoid notification of parents, and authorities, if parents cannot be located by phone. Upon returning, the student must present a valid medical excuse with contact information naming the physician in question.

Other true emergencies (personal family reasons) must be discussed by phone directly by a parent/guardian.

Students risk expulsion if absent from the program for any length of time, in the sole opinion of the director and administration of the program.





CNY JAZZ YOUTH ORCHESTRA FAMILY AGREEMENT

Our child is a member of the CNY Jazz Youth Orchestra.

We hereby agree to the
terms of membership in this registration packet:

Student Name

Print Student Name

Parent/Guardian Signature

Print Parent Name:





CNY jazz
youth
orchestra



OUR DIRECTOR



Our Music Director and Conductor,
Joe Carello,
is the most respected and experienced
jazz educator and bandleader in the
extended Central New York region.
He presently conducts jazz ensembles
at Le Moyne College and O.C.C.

He performs with Symphoria
and has been a featured soloist with
Diane Schuur, Maureen McGovern,
and Jeff Tyzik. As lead alto saxophonist
with the CNY Jazz Orchestra he has
performed with Clark Terry, Jimmy Heath,
Slide Hampton, Joe Lovano,
Bob Mintzer, Grady Tate and others.
He has worked in the orchestras of
Chuck and Gap Mangione, Harry
Connick Jr., Natalie Cole, Barry
Manilow, and Frank Sinatra Jr,
and has recorded with the CNY Jazz
Orchestra, Danny D'Imperio,
Eric Alexander, Barry Harris, Nancy Kelly,
Ralph Lalama, and more.

Joe is a featured performer and conductor
with college and High School jazz bands and
is a sought-after clinician and adjudicator.