



**2022**

**Northeastern Colorado Combined Leagues Presents:**

# **Honor Jazz Bands Concert**

**November 15th, 2022**

**6pm Frederick High School**

### **Altona Middle School**

Directors-Dana Clanin, Nathan Park, Principal-Jeremy LaCrosse

### **Centennial Middle School**

Director-Jennifer Dunn, Principal-Liz Tucker

### **Chappelow K-8**

Director-Ben Kleiber, Principal-Christopher Kieffer

### **Coal Ridge Middle School**

Director-Desmond Anderson, Principal-Liza Nybo

### **Trail Ridge Middle School**

Director-Jay Clanin, Principal-Eddie Cloke

### **Westview Middle School**

Director-Carrie Proctor, Principal-Mark Spencer

### **Union Colony Preparatory School**

Director-Rob Borger, Principal-Carrie Leffler

### **Eaton High School**

Director-Benjamin Corneliusen, Principal-Jessica Grable

### **Erie High School**

Director-Doug Carmichael, Principal-Josh Griffin

### **Frederick High School**

Director-Edward Wellman, Principal-Russ Fox

### **Greeley Central High School**

Director-Doug Farr, Principal-Cary Smith

### **Highland High School**

Director-Jeremy Kaminski, Principal- Kelsey Bailey

### **Longmont High School**

Director-Darryl Abrahamson, Principal-Jeff McMurry

### **Lyons High School**

Director-Karen Gregg, Principal-Christopher Frank

### **Mead High School**

Directors-Abigail Koehler, Fransico Borja, Principal-Brian Young

### **Niwot High School**

Director-Wade Hendricks, Principal-Eric Rauschkolb

### **Roosevelt High School**

Director-John Balderson, Principal-David Benson

### **Silver Creek High School**

Director-Edward Wellman III, Principal Erick Finnestead

### **University High School**

Director-Clark Goering, Principal-Jeff Casey

### **Windsor High School**

Director-Megan Muñoz, Principal-Thomas Dodd

# Middle School Jazz Band

## Jonathan Zimny- Clinician

Jonathan Zimny is a trombonist, vocalist, composer, and educator from Sacramento, California. Raised by two band directors, he has loved and been deeply involved with music from a very young age. He moved to Colorado in 2010 to attend the University of Northern Colorado where he received his BM in Jazz Studies. While there, Zimny studied with Dr. Nat Wickham and performed with UNC Jazz Lab Band 1 under the direction of Dana Landry. During his time with Lab 1, the band received the best graduate jazz ensemble award from Downbeat magazine. Zimny later finished his master's degree in 2018 at the University of Colorado, Boulder with an MM in Jazz Performance and Pedagogy where he studied with Paul McKee.



Zimny has performed with a multitude of artists in Denver and California, toured China and Costa Rica, performed on cruise ships, and can be heard of the song “Faith” recorded for the popular motion picture Sing. He has also taught low brass for the Blue Knights Drum and Bugle Corps and Phantom Regiment Drum and Bugle Corps.

Jonathan has worked for CCJA since 2018 teaching middle school combos and big bands, and helps put on programs such as Jazz Boot Camp, Jazz in the Sangres, the CCJA Street Band, and Denver Day of Jazz.

# High School Jazz Band

## Ed Breazeale- Clinician

Ed Breazeale is a drum set performer, composer and educator. He's had the good fortune to perform with many jazz luminaries including: Phil Woods, Terell Stafford, Greg Osby, Victor Goines, Peter Martin, Cyrus Chesnut, Billy Hart, Maria Schneider, Von Freeman, David "Fathead" Newman, Bobby Broom, Nneena Freelon, Brad Goode, Andy Laverne, Jon Faddis, Elliot Mason and Carlos Henriquez. Ed holds a bachelor's degree in music performance from the University of Cincinnati College Conservatory of Music (CCM) and a master's degree in jazz performance and pedagogy from the University of Colorado. From 2016-18, Ed was the Visiting Assistant Professor of Percussion at the University of Wyoming (UW). At UW, Ed oversaw all facets of the percussion area including teaching all applied percussion students, percussion ensemble, percussion methods and jazz ensemble. Previously, Ed held the position of lecturer in percussion at the University of Colorado-Denver (2012-16). In addition to teaching applied percussion at UC Denver, he taught classes in music theory, ear training, jazz improvisation and directed the UC Denver Pop/Rock Ensemble.

From 2012-17, Ed was an Artist-In-Residence at the Denver School of the Arts (DSA). At DSA Ed, along with fellow percussionist Greg Harris, formed the DSA Percussion Ensemble, the DSA Drum Set Armada and the DSA Percussion Camp.



# High School Jazz Band

## Orlando Otis- Clinician

Mr. Otis is a 1986 graduate of Louisiana Tech University, where he received his B.A. in Music Education. He is the Co-Director of the Colorado Symphony Winds and has been on staff since 1998. Mr. Otis began teaching in 1986 at Gateway High School. In 1992 he became the Director of Bands and Instrumental Music Department Chair for the Denver School of the Arts. He also directed the DPS Citywide Marching Band for six years, and the Denver All City Jazz and Symphonic Band for seven years. Mr. Otis went on to be the Director of Bands and Department Chair for the Performing Arts at Chaparral High School in Douglas County, Colorado, where he directed bands for eleven years that consistently received superior ratings locally and nationally. Currently, Mr. Otis is the Director of Bands for Legend High School in Douglas County. His Jazz, Marching and Wind Ensembles have consistently received Superior and Excellent ratings. He received the 1996 "Governor's Award for Excellence in Education," the 1999 and 2001 IBM/CHSAA "Outstanding Educator Award," in 2000, 2002, 2005, and 2006 Mr. Otis was nominated to Who's Who of American High School Teachers. His ensembles have performed at CMEA, the Tournament of Roses Parade, numerous Bowl Games, Hollywood Christmas Parade, and the Reno International Jazz Festival as well as in Hawaii, California, London, Florida, Indiana and Ireland. Mr. Otis is the founder of the Legends Jazz and Legend Marching Festival. His professional affiliations include: CBA, MENC, IAJE, ASBDA, Kappa Kappa Psi, Phi Mu Alpha and Phi Beta Mu. He is also in demand as a Concert and Jazz band clinician/adjudicator.



# Middle School Jazz Band

## Personnel

Flute- Adyan Andrade

Clarinet- Collin Toepfer

Clarinet-Jolie Roturier

Alto Saxophone 1- Brielle Wach

Alto Saxophone 2- Sam Lindquist

Tenor Saxophone 1- Shaan Karande

Tenor Saxophone 2- Gavin Kim

Baritone Saxophone- Miles Lacis

Trumpet 1- Connor Lindsay

Trumpet 2- Orion Freeman

Trumpet 3- Ricardo Torres

Trumpet 4- Fabian Maldonado

Trombone 1- Armando Gurrola

Trombone 2- Jack Ebert

Trombone 3- Asa Dimarco

Trombone 4- Noah Troyer

Bass- Karrington Savage

Drums- Owen Morrow

Vibes- Ann Allred

Piano- Michelle Tan

# High School Jazz Band

## Breazeale Band Personnel

Alto Saxophone 1- Sebastian Aguirre

Alto Saxophone 2- Brandt Hartman

Tenor Saxophone 1- Lucas Haratsaris

Tenor Saxophone 2- Andrew Deba

Baritone Saxophone- Ian Lenick

Trumpet 1- Alex Pawlowski

Trumpet 2- Max Scherer

Trumpet 3- Cole Cooper

Trumpet 4- Tristen Thompson

Trumpet 5- Paige Davis

Trombone 1- Shandi Bailey

Trombone 2- Claire Atteberry

Trombone 3- Jakob Faulkner

Trombone 4- Andres Amparan

Bass- Jaiden Reighard

Drums- Simon Von Hatten

Guitar- Henry Barone

Percussion- Jason Nouhan

Piano- Max Nacius

# High School Jazz Band

## Otis Band Personnel

Alto Saxophone 1- Annika Sesselman

Alto Saxophone 2- Maggie Watson

Tenor Saxophone 1- Sage Wynja

Tenor Saxophone 2- Louise Larsen

Baritone Saxophone- Austin Fuchs

Trumpet 1- Augie Falborn

Trumpet 2- Ethan Botello

Trumpet 3- Sam Atherton

Trumpet 4- Zane Ramey

Trumpet 5- Jessi Lehman

Trombone 1- Zach Kaufman

Trombone 2- Justin Balderson

Trombone 3- James Ohara

Trombone 4- Montana Heather

Bass- Jack McGuirk

Drums- Devin Martin

Guitar- Brody Mundt

Percussion- Gabby Overholt

Piano- Gabe Bandera



# Program

To be selected from:

## Middle School Zimny Jazz Band

Buck Jump - Andrews & Ballard/Arr. by John Wasson

Ocho Ocho - Bret Zvacek

Suspension Bridge - Ryan Fraley

Take Me With You - Russ Freeman/Arr. by John Wasson

Hat Trick - Carl Strommen

Ziffelmeyer Blues - Ryan Fraley

## High School Otis Jazz Band

Can't Stop the Feeling - Timberlake & Martin/Arr. by John Wasson

Gentle Piece - Ken Wheeler

On Green Dolphin Street - Bronislau Kaper, Arr. by Dave Wolpe

One Note Samba - Antonio Carlos Jobim, Arr. by Paul Murtha

West Coast Blues - Wes Montgomery, Arr. Kris Berg

## High School Breazeale Jazz Band

Alamode - Curtis Fuller, arr. Paul Murtha

Blackwing Blues - Doug Beach

Arnge Drank - Paul Baker

Riverscape - Paul Murtha

Slow Hot Wind - Henry Mancini, arr. Paul Murtha

Sabor De Cuba - Victor Lopez

## Audience expectations.....

- Please don't enter auditorium during performance.
- No food or drink in auditorium.
- No talking during performance.
- Please take disruptive children to lobby.
- Please turn off cell phones and all other electronics.
- No photography or videography.

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Providing students with quality musical  
performing opportunities, with peers from  
across the northeastern part of Colorado.*