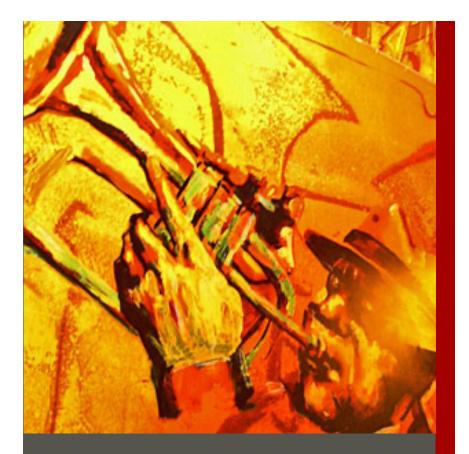
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# 2015

Northeastern Colorado Combined Leagues Presents:

## Honor Jazz Bands Concert

November 16<sup>th</sup>, 2015 6pm Frederick High School

## Middle School Clinician Paul Romaine

Paul Romaine, Drum Set, felt drawn to music from the depth of his being throughout his childhood. He began playing drums professionally at age 14. Paul has led, recorded, or performed with countless combinations of the Denver area's best players and with internationally acclaimed artists such as Eddie Harris, Benny Golson, James Moody, Lary Coryell, Gunther Schuller, Charlie Rouse, Eddie Gomez, Jack McDuff, Marlena Shaw, Rufus Reid, Clark Terry, Dave Grusin, and Robin Eubanks. During his association with the Woody Herman Orchestra, Paul toured North America performing concerts and Clinics, In between gigs; he studied jazz composition at the Lamont School of Music and, in 1991 received a degree in recording engineering from the University of Colorado. He serves as a mentor musician/ clinician in several Denver area school districts. Paul saw the need for a jazz education program for students who are serious about the music and founded the Colorado Conservatory for the Jazz Arts (CCJA) which offers a program for middle school and high school students throughout the Denver metropolitan area to play together and study with professional musicians on a weekly basis.



Northeastern Colorado Combined Leagues Mission:

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



## Wade Hendricks- Director

Wade is the director of bands at Niwot High School, a position he has enjoyed since 2013. Prior to that he was the director of bands for the Concord Public School system in Concord, Massachusetts for 8 years. A proud graduate of CU/Boulder, Wade is happy to be back home with the mountains to the west!

# High School Bands

**Darren Kramer High School Band** Alto Saxophone 1 Jack Merrill Alto Saxophone 2 Nathan Radich Tenor Saxophone 1 Amaya Arevalo Tenor Saxophone 2 Adam Hureau Baritone Saxophone Jack Clay Trumpet 1 Ian Thomas Trumpet 2 Ethan Melani Trumpet 3 Adam Richling Trumpet 4 Weston Johnson Trumpet 5 Will Shrigley Trombone 1 Sam Keedy Trombone 2 Aidan Hilinski Trombone 3 Rabi Phelan Trombone 4 Kyle Munholland Trombone 5 Stephen Haw Drum Set John Sevy Percussion Riley Williams Bass Max Williams Piano Brandon Petersen Guitar Riley Junemann Vibes Alex Multer



Wade Hendricks Saxophone Quartet Alto Saxophone 1 Seth Cumley Alto Saxophone 2 Isaiah Montejano Tenor Saxophone Jayden Bowen Baritone Saxophone Tyler Couser

# Middle School Clinician

#### Joe Anderies

Joe attended Colorado Mesa State and North Texas State University where he majored in jazz studies and flute performance later graduating from Metropolitan State University of Denver with degrees in Flute Performance and Music Education. Subsequently he obtained his masters degree at the University of Colorado in Music Education and Saxophone. Concluding over 25 years of teaching in Douglas County and Denver Public Schools, Joe recently retired in order to concentrate on his performing, music publishing, and clinician initiatives. Joe's past performance and recording experiences include the international group IMAGES that he helped form as well as collaborations with Rob Mullins. Ron Miles. Chuck Lamb, Eric Gunnison, Hugh Ragin, Paul Romaine, and Nestor Torres. Joe continues to lead groups and produce jazz concerts in the Denver area primarily at the jazz venue Dazzle. During his music education career these past 25 years Joe has worked with hundreds of elementary students developing the "Music Beyond Borders" curriculum that features an overlay of technology

assisted jazz instruction, call and response improvisation work, and professional mentor integration. He has expanded these concepts in his years teaching middle school, with high school students in his jazz camp experience and his teaching in the Colorado Conservatory for the Jazz Arts. Joe has also worked as adjunct professor at Metropolitan State University of Denver and has done jazz clinics for both students and educators at numerous conventions and colleges. Joe has served as Colorado president of several jazz education organizations and currently is working on publishing much of his band and orchestra music written for student groups over the years.



# High School Clinician

#### Darren Kramer

Darren Kramer is an Edwards Trombone Performing Artist and Ableton Live Specialist and is in demand as a freelance trombonist, multi-instrumentalist DJ/VJ, composer and educator throughout the United States. Kramer graduated from the University of Miami and moved to NYC where he toured with Matchbox Twenty, Tom Jones, Tommy Dorsey Orchestra and Duke Ellington's Sophisticated Ladies. He has also recorded with such artists as Michael Brecker, Eric Marienthal and Jerry Hey and his original composition "Not Far From Here" was a finalist in the John Lennon Songwriting Contest. Kramer is President/CEO of his own music company. DKO The Darren Kramer Organization, whose inspiring concerts, educational clinics, five exceptional recordings, and over fifty challenging arrangements (available now for small group AND big band!) have helped modernize the trombone and expand its role in contemporary music.

The 2012 CD and new solo project "Beyond The Boneyard" is a cutting-edge live performance innovation that pushes the boundaries of the typical trombone stereotype as well as that of the traditional DJ. Due to its technological sophistication, "Beyond The Boneyard" is also taught by Kramer as a popular media arts presentation and workshop in schools throughout the country.

> "It takes an intelligent ear to listen to jazz." -Art Blakey

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**Paul Romaine Band** 

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**Joe Anderies Band** Alto Saxophone 1 Kerrigan Thornock Alto Saxophone 2 Kayleigh Vu Tenor Saxophone 1 Josiah Madera Tenor Saxophone 2 Ethan Coulter Bari Saxophone Greta Krombholz Flute Emily Billow Flute Charlotte Nouhan Clarinet Grace Theibeau Clarinet Yave Soto Bass Clarinet Cody Couser Trumpet 1 Carter Delaney Trumpet 2 Diego Chavez Trumpet 3 Lola Cimperman Trumpet 4 Lucas Hart Trumpet 5 Jordan Wheaton Trombone 1 Brian Davis Trombone 2 Wyatt Sands Trombone 3 Declan Magill Horn Aaron Christiansen Trombone 5 Braeden Elwood Drum Set Evan DeMeyer Auxiliary Percussion Ryan Strong Bass Janiah Camacho Piano Esther Xu Vibes Ashayla Powers Guitar Liam Garcia

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