

*The Orange County Music Educators' Association  
Presents*

**THE ALL-COUNTY  
JAZZ FESTIVAL  
2010**



**GUEST CONDUCTORS**

***JUNIOR HIGH JAZZ ENSEMBLE***  
ROBERT SHAUT

***HIGH SCHOOL JAZZ ENSEMBLE***  
BRETT ZVACEK / TOM CUNANE



Minisink Valley Middle School  
Slate Hill, New York  
Saturday, March 6, 2010  
3:00 PM  
<http://www.orangeccmeany.org/>

# CONCERT PROGRAM

Greeting ..... Mrs. Nicole Regan  
President, Orange County Music Educators' Association

## JUNIOR HIGH JAZZ ENSEMBLE

Brishe..... Robert Shaut  
[Unpublished]  
A Nightingale Sang in Berklee Square..... Nat King Cole  
[Maurie Music Co.]  
Back Bone..... Thad Jones  
[Smart Chart Music]  
Tiger of San Pedro..... John La Barbera  
[Deaver Enterprises]

## HIGH SCHOOL JAZZ ENSEMBLE

Slight Derangement..... Bret Zvacek  
[Kendor Music]  
Moten Swing ..... Buster & Bennie Moten  
Arr: Ernie Wilkins  
[Sierra Music]  
The Next Big Thing..... Bret Zvacek  
[Kendor Music]  
It Only Happens Every Time ..... Thad Jones  
[Kendor Music]  
Full Count ..... Mark Taylor  
[Hal Leonard]

## OCMEA JAZZ ENSEMBLE

A Little Minor Booze..... Willie Maiden  
Superbone Meets the Badman ..... Jay Chattaway  
Count Bubba ..... Gordon Goodwin

*Please silence all cell phones and electronic devices.  
Please refrain from the use of flash photography during  
performances. OCMEA will provide a moment for  
pictures before each ensemble's performance.*

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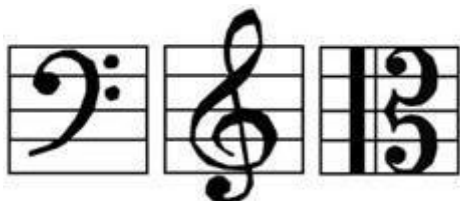
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# *Summer Music Institute*



**Band, Chorus, and String Ensemble - Grades 4 – 12**

**July 5 – 8 and 12 – 15, 2010**

Concert on July 15<sup>th</sup>

C.J. Hooker Middle School, Goshen, NY

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Keith Sherman  
Joseph Horner  
Michael Antonelli  
Barton Schindler  
Ashley Head

### **Trombones**

Dan Chester  
Steve Kessler  
Dave Baxter  
Lenny Klopchin

### **Piano**

Paul Davis

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Eric Winter

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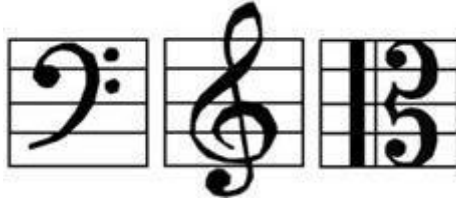
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## **JUNIOR HIGH JAZZ ENSEMBLE**

**Alto Saxophone**  
Jason Sherman, M  
Jesse DeTeresa, C

**Tenor Saxophone**  
Emerson Benn, C  
Matt Cialdella, WV

**Baritone Saxophone**  
Scott Chatfield, C

**Trumpet**  
Dylan Little, MC  
Matthew Wolek, G  
Ben Bisaro, WV  
Matthew Suckling, C  
Michael Derevensky, VC

**Trombone**  
Travis Silbernagel, WV  
Sam Sander-Effron, WV  
Johanna Wiley, MV  
Nikolas Vanderhoof, G

**Piano**  
Benjamin Gessner, MV

**Vibes**  
Devin Angelet, W

**Guitar**  
Matt Nolder, VC

**Bass**  
Angus McCaw, N

**Drum Set**  
Bernard Cohen, G

## **HIGH SCHOOL JAZZ ENSEMBLE**

**Alto Saxophone**  
Shane Peters, MV  
Kate Leary, PB \*

**Tenor Saxophone**  
Nicholas Schneider, VC  
Michael Nathanson, MV

**Baritone Saxophone**  
Joshua Marcolina, MV

**Trumpet**  
Jack Storer, C  
Brittany German, B  
Grant Lubeck, C  
Matthew O'Connor, MV  
Mike Heredia, C

**Trombone**  
Morgan Decker, MV  
Lauren Knowles, W  
Ryan Gagnon, C  
Abigail Dull, W  
Joe Racanelli, B

**Piano**  
Kelly Chu, MV

**Vibes**  
Jonathan Frederick, G

**Guitar**  
Lindsay Roblesi, C \*

**Bass**  
Stephanie Lozina, HF

**Drum Set**  
Bryan Kopchak, MW

\*Seniors

## **PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS AND DIRECTORS**

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Music Collector.....Charlene Meyers (CH)

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