



JAZZ ME NEWS

SUNCOAST JAZZ SOCIETY



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THE TERRIER BROTHERS 3/12/17

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Sandwiches will be served

2PM TO 5PM

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THE DO'S & DON'TS OF DIXIE 4/23/17

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In Concert

September 17, 2017

The Dave Bennett
Quartet

A multi-instrument phenomenon, Dave Bennett is a clarinet virtuoso who plays electric guitar, piano, drums and vocalizes. He is the only artist anywhere saluting The Roots of Pop: covering music from the Swing Era to early Rockabilly and Country, to Elvis Presley, the Beatles and more.

Entirely self-taught, Dave began at age 10 on clarinet listening to and quickly playing along with Benny Goodman records. At 12 he was invited by legendary jazz trumpeter Doc Cheatham to the bandstand of New York's famous Sweet Basil jazz club. By 14 he was out frequently touring around the

USA with Michigan's New Reformation Dixieland Band. Later self-taught instruments were the electric guitar and "boogie-woogie" style piano.

Dave is a blazing clarinet sensation playing the "swing style" of Benny Goodman. Leading his Tribute to Benny Goodman, Dave has been a featured soloist at Carnegie Hall with The New York Pops (2013) and has played the program with 50 other US and Canadian orchestras including Nashville, Detroit, Rochester, Omaha, Toronto, Vancouver, Orlando, San Antonio, Jacksonville, Houston, Portland, OR and Portland, ME. Seventy-five performing arts centers across the USA have featured Dave's performances.



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The Prez Say'z

I would like to thank the Jazz Society and especially all of our members for allowing me the honor of retaining the office of president for another year. I enjoy being able to hire bands and guest artists for our monthly concerts. If it has to do with music I'm all over it. You have entrusted me with the privilege of providing you monthly concerts with great bands and working with local High Schools to promote Dixieland and Classic jazz to our younger audiences. This is no easy task, as many of the high school and middle school aged students are exposed to Be-Bop and Contemporary styles of jazz. Dixieland and Classic jazz is not really presented to them. In my opinion, "If it were not for Louis Armstrong all other styles of jazz would not be played today."

Starting today I will encourage each and every one of you, who belong to our organization, to help me promote our style of jazz to all whom we come in contact. Talk about it when you go to church; when you go to a meeting you may have; when your at the beauty salon, or barber, or even when you stand in a line at the grocery store. Tell them, this is what we do several months out of the year and how much fun you would have when you go. It's up to us to keep the music alive and I intend to keep this train on the right track.

Bobby Tess & the Dixie Chaps Concert a Huge Success

On January 9th, Bobby Tess and his Dixie Chaps took to the stage at Banquet Masters for what turned out to be a wonderful afternoon of Dixieland Jazz. When these seven musicians get together you can plan on hearing some great music. It has been a while since the band has performed for our society and we were quite happy to have them back for another afternoon concert. The event was very well attended and the guests all seemed to enjoy the great music.

We all look forward to seeing Bobby again at one of our outreach functions. Please drop by the webpage for the most current and up-to-date info on what's happening with the Suncoast Jazz Society.

THE TERRIER BROTHERS

March 12th, 2017 @ Banquet Masters 2pm—5pm

We are pleased to announce that the Suncoast Jazz Society will host one of the hottest bands on the Jazz circuit today. I am speaking of none other than the “Terrier Brothers”. This three man group is responsible for creating some of the best Cajun and Creole where. The band consists on piano; Bobby Durham, Ed Metz, Jr. on drums. As of these musicians have the world famous “Black lando, Florida? They were



for creating some of the style arrangements any-of the amazing Tom Hook, on bass; and the fantastic you may recall, each one performed regularly with Dog Jazz Band” from Or- a staple at the Suncoast Jazz Classic and many other festivals all over the world. We welcome this group of talented musicians to our jazz society for” *a rip roaring good time*” See you there.....

Joint Session with Dick Maley's WYSIWYG Jazz Band and Seminole High School Jazz Ensemble a Success. By Dave Fanning.

The Seminole High School Jazz Ensemble performed an outstanding concert for the Suncoast Jazz Society on January 22nd. The Dick Maley Jazz Band (WYSIWYG) started the afternoon with their interpretation of swing standards and traditional jazz. The Maley band worked thru a program of familiar tunes and a couple of more obscure renditions.

The Pasta Dinner was enjoyed at break time and the Banquet Masters fine assortment of salad items and the pasta entree. Of course the desert table was a hit as Banquet Masters always has the top of the line sweets.

The second session was performed by the Seminole High School Jazz Ensemble and two of our past scholarship winners after a complex changing of the stage.

The Seminole High School Jazz Ensemble made up of 25 members, quite large for an ensemble but as the director stated when the opportunity was offered at the high school the students gravitated to the ensemble. The ensemble broke up into smaller groups and presented specialty tunes that pleased the crowd of jazz fans. The young musicians did a masterful job and showed their expertise in spite of their young ages.

The afternoon concluded with a combined session with Maley's band and the Seminole High School Ensemble members. A great afternoon and appreciated by the members of the society and friends of the Seminole High School Jazz Ensemble.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

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Your Suncoast Jazz Society is pleased to announce that on
Sunday, September 17th, 2017

2PM to 5PM

THE DAVE BENNET QUARTET

will perform for our society at the Kapok Special Events Pavilion,
located at 923 McMullen Booth Rd., Clearwater, Florida

Ticket prices for this event will be \$25 member and \$30 non member. We
are sure this concert will be a sellout.



Hi Family.

Here is a letter from Steve Harris, jazz band director from Seminole High School. They put on a fantastic concert for our jazz society and we are encouraged by the talents of each member of their jazz band knowing that they will continue to play the music that we all enjoy.

Hi Dick,

I just wanted to thank you and the Suncoast Jazz Society for a wonderful day of music yesterday. I believe my students were genuinely inspired and energized by the experience. In addition, the funding will be a great boost to our jazz music program as we continue to learn, perform, and love music!

I hope we can do it again some time soon.

Gratefully,

Steve Harris

SPECIAL THANKS

I would like to thank the 2016 "Volunteer of the Year", Shyrle Pollak for her tireless donation of service to the "Suncoast Jazz Society".

We are truly blessed to have Shyrle in our society and even more blessed with her help and support in making our Sunday concerts go off without a hitch.

Thank you Shyrle for all that you do for our society and for me.

Sincerely,

Dick Maley

NEW MEMBERS

Mr & Mrs James Kaufman

Weston Kaufman

We welcome all new members to the society and look forward to seeing you at our concerts.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS**ELECTED OFFICERS**

President	Dick Maley	863-838-9001
Vice President	Dave Fanning	727-343-8028
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 Outreach reservations: 727-522-6877 (Mary Anderson)
 General: Maxine Kelly
 Newsletter: ejm213@earthlink.net
 Society Website: www.sdjs.org
 Classic Website: www.jazzclassic.net

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT IN CAPITAL LETTERS

NEW _____ RENEWAL _____ DATE _____

NAME(S): _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY _____ STATE _____

ZIP _____ TELEPHONE (____) _____

Email address: _____

Check One Patron Individual Family

Corresponding (Newsletter Only)

Would you like to be a volunteer and if so, in what capacity? _____

Referred by (if applicable) _____

Complete the application form and make check payable to the
 SUNCOAST DIXIELAND JAZZ SOCIETY, INC. Mail check with
 application to:

SUNCOAST JAZZ SOCIETY, INC.

P.O.Box 1014

Largo, Florida 33779-1014

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY— ANNUAL DUES

Patron (Couple or Individual) \$125.00

Family (Couple) \$ 40.00

Individuals \$ 30.00

Corresponding (Newsletter Only) \$ 25.00

Student (Full Time) with student card **No Charge**

New members joining January through April pay full amount of dues. New members joining May through September pay 50 percent of dues. New members joining October through December pay full amount of dues but membership is valid through December of following year. Renewing members pay full amount of dues on January 1.

Family and individual members receive the newsletter and special rates when attending society-sponsored events. Dues are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

Patron membership includes individual or family (couple) membership and reserved seating as well special rates for up to four persons at society events (not transferable)

**Suncoast Jazz Society
Webpage**

Just a reminder that you can visit the SDJS on line at our webpage by entering this URL.
www.sdjs.org

If you would like to see what's happening with your organization please drop by the website a get the most current and up-to-date information and stay informed.

PLEASE SEND ME YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS SO WE CAN SEND YOU UPDATES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS.

maleydick@gmail.com

Please use the words "new email address" in the subject line.

UPCOMING EVENTS

All Upcoming Events below for March & April will be from 2-5 pm on Sundays at Banquet Masters, address: 13355 49th Street N., Clearwater. (\$15 member,\$20 non-member)

MARCH 12,, 2017 The Terrier Brothers

APRIL 16, 2017 Do's & Don'ts of Dixie

SEPTEMBER 17, 2017 ****Dave Bennett Quartet****

****This is a special event / \$25 mem / \$30 non mem****

"Kapok Special Events"

OCTOBER 15, 2017 TBD

NOVEMBER 17- 19 Suncoast Jazz Classic

DECEMBER 17, 2017 TBD

Unless otherwise noted, sandwiches will be served at these functions.

Patron & Guest Reservations for special events:

727-596-7142

Please send your payment to:

Shyrle Pollak. 14170 88th Ave

Seminole, Fl. 33776-2029

VOLUNTEER

Please take a moment and ask yourself. "What can I do to help my jazz society become even better". The answer is simple. Volunteer for one of many helpful areas of need. Here are just a few.

Communication, Hospitality, Membership, Outreach, and Publicity

Contact one of the Board Members and let them know you are interested.

**VENUE
LOCATIONS**

KAPOK SPECIAL EVENTS

923 McMULLEN BOOTH RD.
CLEARWATER, FL 33759

BANQUET MASTERS

13355 49TH STREET N.
CLEARWATER, FL.

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March—April 2017



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Venues

(Note: It is wise to call ahead and verify these Appearances..)

Suncoast Dixieland Jazz Band—Bilmar beach Resort, treasure Island, every Wednesday 6:30—9:00 pm. Call 727-360-5531

General Announcement

All events for the Suncoast Dixieland Jazz Society will be from 2PM to 5PM on Sunday (see inside for dates).

We are still in need of email addresses from our members. We want to make sure you are kept up-to-date on all of our functions. Please send your email to me at:
www.dickmaley.com

Suncoast Dixieland Jazz Society Brings You The Best In Classic & Dixieland Jazz

Bobby Tess
& Dixie Chaps

Thursday

March 23, 2017

Kapok Special Events

7PM to 9:30PM

\$10

Doors Open @ 6:30

Call Mary Anderson

727-522-6877