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# JMU Jazz High School Combo Day

Saturday, September 6, 2025 3 pm Recital Hall



There is no intermission.

# Today's program will be announced from the stage.

### Greg Thomas combo

Katherine Karolyi, alto sax Ian Rawls, alto sax Mateo Starling, tenor sax Amelia Karolyi, trumpet Temperance Noyce, trombone Jasmin Colato Garcia, voice Ryan Leith, piano Daniel Inal, bass Levi Phillips, drums Hidden Valley High School Clover Hill High School Harrisonburg High School Hidden Valley High School Rockbridge County High School Kettle Run High School James Madison University James Madison University Broadway High School

### Masayoshi Ishikawa combo

Audrey Chen, flute
Avery Johnson, alto sax
Emil Hierman, tenor sax
Jason Hawbaker, bari sax
Zachary Belford, trombone
Patrick McCall, bass
Sebastian Grinberg, piano
Ariel-David Toribio Santana, drums

Albemarle High School Fort Defiance High School Rockbridge County High School Clover Hill High School Albemarle High School Turner Ashby High School Turner Ashby High School King William High School

#### Andy Connell combo

William Hayes, alto sax Appia Yates, alto sax Kyle Bowman, trumpet Anna Camden, trombone Noah Potter, vibes Taylor Treece, piano Grey Sheridan, bass Braden Watts, drums

Staunton High School King George High School Millbrook High School Albemarle High School Wilson High School James Madison University James Madison University James Madison University

### David Pope combo

Reid Hazlehurst, alto sax Greg Kulp, alto sax Evelyn Smith, alto sax Nate Paul, tenor sax Daschel Lurie, trumpet Samuel Aponte, piano Samir Jarufe Lopez, bass Fischer Prickett, drums Kettle Run High School Turner Ashby High School Poquoson High School Albemarle High School Albemarle High School Eastern Mennonite High School Albemarle High School Charlottesville High School

# Toby Whitaker combo

Ethan King, tenor sax Alex Mayhood, tenor sax Jaden Spivey, tenor sax Julia Pearce, trumpet Alex Dowling, trombone Luke Jacobson, piano Jacob Minks, bass Isaac Jennings, drums Riverside High School Albemarle High School Wilson High School Hidden Valley High School Albemarle High School James Madison University James Madison University Albemarle High School

# **Participating High Schools**

Albemarle High School Andrew LaPrade Broadway High School Daniel Holland Charlottesville High School Jason Hackworth Clover Hill High School Brianna Gatch Eastern Mennonite High School Greg Conway Fort Defiance High School Shannon Madia Brian Incheck Harrisonburg High School Hidden Valley High School Thomas Galyen Kettle Run High School Katie Newmiller Joshua Morrison King George High School King William High School Levi Langolf Millbrook High School David Zaccari Andrew Smith Poquoson High School Riverside High School Bram Smith Rockbridge County High School Miranda Fitzgerald Staunton High School Jonathon Wilson Turner Ashby High School Allison Satterwhite Wilson High School Matt Baraclough

# Participating JMU Jazz Studies faculty, alumni

Andrew Connell, Professor of Ethnomusicology
Chuck Dotas, Director of Jazz Studies
Masayoshi Ishikawa, Professor of Jazz Piano
Joseph Nichols, JMU Jazz Studies alumnus, Jazz Bass clinician
David Pope, Professor of Saxophone
Greg Thomas, Jazz Studies faculty
Ethan Walker, JMU Jazz Studies alumnus, Drum Set clinician
Toby Whitaker, Jazz Studies faculty

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