

33rd Annual

JAZZFEST

UW-Eau Claire 2000



featuring

Guest Artists

Jon Faddis

Bill Reichenbach



and

UWEC Jazz Ensemble I

Robert Baca, Director



Friday & Saturday, March 31 & April 1, 2000
Eau Claire Memorial High School Auditorium

Friday, March 31, 2000

7:00 pm

PRECONCERT

"Voyage"

Quartet from the Navy Band of the Great Lakes

7:30 pm

CONCERT

UW-Eau Claire Jazz Ensemble I

African Skies Michael Brecker/arr. Rob Lussier
Mel Jim McNeely
Prelude, Fugue and Riffs Leonard Bernstein

Honors College Jazz Combo

**UW-Eau Claire Jazz Ensemble I
with Bill Reichenbach, Trombone**

Lucky So and So Duke Ellington/arr. Bill Reichenbach
I'm Getting Sentimental Over You Ned Washington &
George Bassman/
arr. Tom Matta
Nobody Else But You Jerome Kern/arr. Tom Matta
Donna Lee Charlie Parker/arr. Bill Reichenbach

Honors College Big Band

**UW-Eau Claire Jazz Ensemble I
with Jon Faddis, Trumpet**

A Night in Tunisia Dizzy Gillespie
Quincy's Tune Quincy Jones
Round Midnight Miles Davis/arr. Dizzy Gillespie
Things to Come Dizzy Gillespie
Manteca Dizzy Gillespie/Chono

UW-Eau Claire Jazz Ensemble I

with Jon Faddis, Trumpet and Bill Reichenbach, Trombone

Cherokee Ray Noble/arr. Roger Fletcher

10:00 pm

Open Jam Session

with hosts "Voyage"

**Cameos Restaurant, Holiday Inn Convention Center
205 S. Barstow Street**

Saturday, April 1, 2000

6:30 pm

PRECONCERT

The University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire All Stars

7:00 pm

CONCERT

UW-Eau Claire Jazz Ensemble I

African Skies Michael Brecker/arr. Rob Lussier
Mel Jim McNeely
Prelude, Fugue and Riffs Leonard Bernstein

Honors Junior High School Big Band

Honors High School Combo

Honors Class C High School Big Band

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arr. Tom Matta
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Donna Lee Charlie Parker/arr. Bill Reichenbach

Honors Class B High School Big Band

Honors Class A High School Big Band

Honors Class AA Big Band

Presentation of Awards

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UW-Eau Claire Jazz Ensemble I

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Saxophone

Matt Pivec, alto
 Bill Olson, alto
 Andy Frisinger, tenor
 John Timmers, tenor
 Eric Christiansen, baritone

Trombone

Ben Covi
 Keith Hilson
 Tom Johnstone
 Matt Hall

Bass

Ethan Sobotta

Drums

Jason Price
 Adrian Suarez

Trumpet

Jeff Walk
 Aric Brian
 Andy Neesley
 Kevin Carlton
 Dylan Kruziki

Piano

Jesse Stacken
 Zach Halmstad

Guitar

Vincent Rose

UW-Eau Claire Jazz Ensemble I

The University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire Jazz Ensemble I, directed by Robert Baca, has been recognized as one of the premiere jazz ensembles in the United States. In 1998 and 1996 the ensemble received the honor of "Best Big Band" in the Down Beat Award produced by Down Beat magazine. In 1997 the group received a Grammy nomination for the CD entitled *Jazz In Clear Water-Harpoon*. The ensemble has released seven CD's—*Jazz In Clear Water*, *Jazz In Clear Water-In Transit*, *Jazz In Clear Water-Brilliant Corners*, *Jazz On Clear Water-Harpoon*, *Jazz In Clear Water-Hoe Down* and *Jazz In Clear Water-A Timeless Vision*—all which have come under critical acclaim. Our newest release, *Jazz In Clear Water-Rhapsody* will provide some of the widest variety of music to date including the 1924 Aeolian Hall rendition of George Gershwin's *Rhapsody In Blue*. All recordings can be found under the Seabreeze label. The ensemble has toured throughout Europe and the Pacific rim. In 1991 they performed in China, being recognized as the first jazz ensemble to tour this country since opening to the western world.

Jazz Ensembles I's touring schedule in the last three years has included performances at the Midwest Band Directors Conference in Chicago, IL, the Minnesota Music Educators Conference, the New York Brass Conference in New York City, and the MENC national conference.

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