

2023 DETROIT JAZZ FESTIVAL SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, SEPT. 1

JPMORGAN CHASE MAIN STAGE

(Campus Martius)

- 1:30–2:30 p.m. Trunino Lowe Quartet ●
- 3:15–4:20 p.m. Melissa Aldana Quartet
- 5:05–6:15 p.m. Danilo Pérez, John Patitucci, Brian Blade “Children of the Light”
- 7:00–8:10 p.m. Kenny Garrett
- 8:55–10:10 p.m. Regina Carter: Gone in a Phrase of Air

CARHARTT AMPHITHEATER STAGE

(Hart Plaza)

- 6:00–6:40 p.m. Dr. Valade’s Brass Band featuring Shannon Powell
- 7:00–8:15 p.m. Gretchen C. Valade: Our Angel of Jazz
- 9:00–10:15 p.m. 2023 Rocket Mortgage Artist-In-Residence Karriem Riggins “Interplay” Special Guests: Madlib, J.Rocc, w/Sasha Kashperko

ABSOPURE WATERFRONT STAGE

(Hart Plaza)

- 11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m. MSBOA Showcase – Northview HS Jazz Ensemble, Greg Wells, 11:30 a.m. Monroe HS Jazz Ensemble, Joseph Swinkey, 12:00 p.m. Rockford HS Jazz Ensemble, Cullen McCarthy, 12:30 p.m.
- 1:45–2:50 p.m. The Curling League of Belle Isle ●
- 3:35–4:35 p.m. Joan Belgrave The Oooo Boy Tour ●
- 5:10–6:15 p.m. Balance ●
- 7:00–8:10 p.m. Isaiah Collier & The Chosen Few
- 8:55–10:10 p.m. The Detroit Piano Legacy Continues ●

SATURDAY, SEPT. 2

- 1:30–2:30 p.m. Trunino Lowe Quartet ●
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- 1:30–2:30 p.m. Wayne State University Jazz Ensemble under the direction of Professor Russ Miller ●
- 2:30–2:40 p.m. Youth Jazz Vocal Competition Winner presented by Bingham Legal
- 3:15–4:30 p.m. Miho Hazama and m_unit
- 5:15–6:30 p.m. Stefon Harris & Blackout
- 7:15–8:30 p.m. Dafnis Prieto “Cantar” featuring Luciana Souza
- 9:15–10:30 p.m. John Scofield Trio featuring Vicente Archer and Bill Stewart

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SUNDAY, SEPT. 3

- 12:00–1:00 p.m. Michigan State University Jazz Orchestra 1 “The Bebop Spartans” under the direction of Professor Rodney Whitaker ●
- 1:45–2:55 p.m. Alexa Tarantino Quartet
- 3:40–4:45 p.m. Joel Ross’ Good Vibes
- 5:30–6:40 p.m. Johnny O’Neal & Sullivan Fortner “Tribute to Detroit Piano Masters”
- 7:25–8:30 p.m. Lizz Wright
- 9:15–10:30 p.m. 2023 Rocket Mortgage Artist-In-Residence Karriem Riggins “J Dilla Lives Forever” Special Guests: Jessica Care Moore, Beej, T3, Common, PJ (@justpeej), DJ Dummy, J.Rocc, Ma Dukes – w/Band: Smurf, Boom Bishop, and Sasha Kashperko

- 12:00–1:00 p.m. Downbeat Blindfold
- 1:30–2:30 p.m. Kenji Lee’s Fortune Teller Trio: Kyūdō ●
- 3:15–4:30 p.m. Veronica Swift
- 5:15–6:30 p.m. DJF Global – Connect International All-Stars; The Hurricane Trio (Italy) with Chris Collins in collaboration with the Italian Cultural Institute of Chicago
- 7:15–8:30 p.m. Dee Dee Bridgewater and the DDB Quartet
- 8:30 p.m. Presentation of awards
- 9:15–10:30 p.m. Jason Moran presents James Reese Europe and the Harlem Hellfighters: From the Dancehall to the Battlefield

- 11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m. MSBOA Showcase – Meridian HS Jazz Ensemble, Matthew Shephard, 11:30 a.m. Northville HS Jazz Ensemble, Mike Rumbell, 12:20 p.m.
- 1:45–2:45p.m. Collegiate Combo Competition Winner presented by Central Michigan University
- 3:30–4:30 p.m. Caleb Robinson & Reaching ●
- 5:15–6:20 p.m. Khamsin, Japan Exchange with the Takatsuki Jazz Festival
- 6:55–8:00 p.m. Nduduzo Makhathini Quartet
- 8:45–10:00 p.m. Rodney Whitaker Group: Spirituals of John Coltrane ●

MONDAY, SEPT. 4

- 12:30–1:30 p.m. University of Michigan Jazz Ensemble 1 under the direction of Professor Ellen Rowe ●
- 2:15–3:20 p.m. Dafnis Prieto with the Collegiate Jazz Festival Orchestra ●
- 4:00–5:00 p.m. Jesse Palter Quartet ●
- 5:45–6:55 p.m. Allison Miller presents “Rivers in our Veins”
- 7:40–8:55 p.m. 2023 Rocket Mortgage Artist-In-Residence Karriem Riggins “Karriem and the Erratic Specialist” Special Guests: BJ The Chicago Kid, PJ (@justpeej), Nick Grant, DJ Dummy – w/Band: Smurf, Boom Bishop, and Sasha Kashperko

- 12:15–1:15 p.m. J.C. Heard JazzWeek All-Stars
- 2:00–3:15 p.m. Russ Miller: Beatitudes ●
- 4:00–5:15 p.m. Louis Hayes Quintet
- 6:15–7:30 p.m. Samara Joy

- 11:45 a.m.–1:15 p.m. Detroit Public Schools Showcase – Duke Ellington Conservatory of Music and Art @ Beckham, Sean Patton, 11:45 a.m. Renaissance High School, Dr. Christopher Gray, 12:10 p.m. Cass Tech High School, Andrea Holley, 12:45 p.m.
- 2:00–3:00 p.m. Evening Star ●
- 3:45–4:55 p.m. Linda May Han Oh – The Glass Hours
- 5:40–6:50 p.m. Papo Vázquez Mighty Pirates Troubadours
- 7:30–8:40 p.m. To Barry With Love: The Michael Weiss Trio with Peter Washington and Lewis Nash celebrates Barry Harris

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