

TRAD JASS News

Traditional Ragtime And Dixieland Jazz Appreciation & Strutters Society

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DON NEELEY'S RHYTHM ACES - FEB 2nd 2020

Live Music & Dancing

Santa Rosa Moose Lodge

3559 Airway Drive 95403

Available for purchase:

Beer, Wine, & Soft Drinks

Cheeseburger, Fish'N' Fries, Chicken Strips,

Chili Dog, Country Fried Steak

(Bartender is volunteer, please tip)

Admission Prices

\$15 General Public

\$12 Our Members (all ages)

\$12 Guests of Members

\$12 Members of any Jazz Club

\$12 Moose Lodge Members

\$ 8 Group of 3 or more from Senior Home

\$5 Jammer - Non Member of a Jazz Club

\$0 Jammer - Member of a Jazz Club

Yearly Membership

\$30 Single / \$50 Couple

Life Membership

\$1000 Single / \$1500 Couple

T.R.A.D. J.A.S.S. is a non-profit corporation founded to preserve Traditional Dixieland Jazz & Ragtime Music through public performance & education.

Directors & Officers

Dave Graves - President

Dave Stare - Vice President

Louise Graves - Sec./Adv./Newsletter

Gerry Turner - Treasurer & Budget

Clay Wilson

Phil Cartwright

Sharon Griffith

John Z. Ray

Melissa Stoufer

Beverly Muir

Linda Green

Other Positions

Band Liaison

Tom Clark

Promotion

Ray Walker

Education

Ray Walker

Advertising Rates

Full Page 8 1/2 x 11

Single Month \$25

Per month rate \$20

Yearly \$100

Bus. Card \$10 per mo. / \$60 per year

Deadline for adv. is 3rd Monday of the mo. prior to the next publication. Contact Louise Graves: lovetradjass@pacbell.net

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Don Neely has been involved in the Trad Jazz scene for over 40 years. In 1973, he could regularly be seen watching and dancing to the Euphoria Jazz Band and the Turk Murphy Jazz Band which inspired him to start his own band in 1975, RSJO. In the late 70's, Don was asked many times to sub in Turk's band and he also played with the Churchill St. Jazz Band led by Bill Armstrong. In 2011 he started his own "Trad" band, Neely's Rhythm Aces that has played at various jazz clubs around the bay area. The Rhythm Aces have also been featured at the prestigious Fillmore Jazz Festival in San Francisco as the "trad jazz" participant.

Percussion: Steve Apple

Banjo: Dix Bruce

Helicon: Marty Eggers

Trumpet: Jason Au

Trombone: Brandon Au

Piano/Vocals: Frederick Hodges

Leader and Reeds: Don Neeley

JAM SETS

email Dave Stare davestare@hotmail.com or call 707-480-6145

We have **Seven** jam sets. See pg. 3 for jam set schedule. **Please call by Friday prior to our Sunday performance.** If no answer, leave your **NAME, PHONE NUMBER, INSTRUMENT(S) YOU PLAY, AND ANY TIME RESTRAINTS you may have.** Placement in a set may be limited if you do not call. All jammers welcome. Jam sets are also considered a training session for new jammers. **\$5 admission for jammers who are not a current member of a jazz club.**

BANDS IN 2020

MAR 1ST - THE FOG CITY STOMPERS

APR 5TH - TOM BARNEBEY'S BEYOND SALVATION JB

MAY 3RD - THE FLYING EAGLES JB

JUNE 7TH - GOLD COAST JB

JULY 5TH - DARK

AUG 2ND - TBD

SEPT 6th - TRAD JASS JAMMERS

OCT 4TH - TBD

NOV 1ST - CELL BLOCK 7

DEC 6 - TBD

SPECIAL EVENTS

Feb 6 - 9 2020
The Sounds of Mardi Gras
Fresno 209-534-1924
www.fresnodixie.com

Feb 7 - 8 2020
Teagarden Jazz Festival
Sacramento 916-571-5533
pjones@sacjef.org

Feb 21 - 23 2020
San Diego Jazz Party
Del Mar, Ca 619-787-8792
dreid17@outlook.com

March 6 - 8
Jazz Bash By The Bay
Monterey, Ca 831-754-8786
jazzbashmonterey.com

LOCAL BANDS & GIGS

Beyond Salvation JB & Barnebey's Hot Four
Booking Info: Tom Barnebey
707-246-2263

Fourth St. New Orleans JB
Booking Info: Ron Dubin 707-528-2379

Eldorado Syncopators
Booking Info: Robert Young
707-792-2433

Gold Coast JB
Booking Info: Bill Badstubner
707-526-1772

Russian River Ramblers
Booking Info: Call Dave Stare 707-480-6145

Gold Coast Jazz Band

Classic Hot Jazz from New Orleans to Swing

Info/Booking: Bill Badstubner 707-526-1772
badstubner@aol.com

Facebook: The Gold Coast Jazz Band

REGULAR JAZZ EVENTS - 2020

(Dates & Times may change so always check Band's Web Page for confirmation)

1st SUNDAY:

SAN JOAQUIN DIXIELAND SOCIETY Elks lodge, 8900 Thornton Rd. Stockton. 12-5pm. info: Art Bregante, 209-465-7074 or Billie Ricker, 209-763-2820, or: ricker@goldrush.com

2nd SUNDAY:

NAPA VALLEY DIXIELAND JAZZ SOCIETY: CalVet Yountville 60 Calif. Dr. 1-4pm (Take Hwy 29, exit at Calif. Dr. & proceed toward the hills. Grant Hall is on the 2nd floor of the Activities Building, the large white building at the end of Calif Dr.). At this time there are no jam sets. Call: Linda Stevens at 707-939-9018 for info.

www.napatradjazz.org **(DARK FEBRUARY & APRIL)**

NATURAL GAS JAZZ BAND: Ghiringhelli's Pizzeria, 1535 S. Novato Blvd. Novato, 94945. 1:00-3:00 pm. Info: Call NGJB at 415-453-7014 or view at www.ngjb.com or email Phil Crumley at: pcrums@gmail.com

3rd SUNDAY:

GOLD COAST JAZZ BAND: 5-8pm Redwood Cafe, 8240 Old Redwood Highway, Cotati, Call: 707-526-1772
www.goldcoastjazzband.com

NEW ORLEANS JAZZ CLUB of NORTHERN CALIF. Richmond Elk's Lodge, 3931 San Pablo Dam Rd. ElSobrante. 1:30-5:00pm Info: Tom Belmessieri 925-432-6532 or Paul Hilton 415-431-3390 for Jam set sign-ups Rod Roberts 415-499-1190 www.nojcnc.org.

4th SUNDAY:

SOUTH BAY TRADITIONAL JAZZ SOCIETY: Elks Lodge, 375 N. Pastoria Ave. Sunnyvale 94085 1:00-5:00pm. Call 650-838-9039. Email southbayjazz@att.net Website: www.sbtjs.org or www.southbayjazz.org.

LAST SUNDAY:

SACRAMENTO RAGTIME SOCIETY: Straw Hat Pizza 2929 Mather Field Road Rancho Cordova. 1-4pm info: Deborah Gale 530-758-6697, New Members, Merv Graham 530-273-0487. Website: www.SacramentoRagtime.com

3rd SATURDAY:

DEVIL MOUNTAIN JAZZ BAND: Friends of Jazz Dance Party 2-5pm Danville Grange Hall 743 Diablo Rd. Danville. Info: 510-655-6728 or 925-625-2707. Website www.jazznut.com/skads/dmsced

LAST SATURDAY:

GOLD COAST FIVE: 3-6pm Redwood Cafe, 8240 Old Redwood Highway, Cotati. Call 707-526-1772
www.goldcoastjazzband.com

JAM SET SCHEDULE MAIN ROOM

1:00 - 1:25 Jam Set
 1:30 - 2:20 **Featured Band**
 2:20 - 2:45 Jam Set
 2:50 - 3:40 **Featured Band**
 3:40 - 4:05 Jam Set
 4:10 - 5:00 **Featured Band**

4:00 Raffle Number Posted

Jam Room in the Bar March through August

Jam Set 1:40 - 2:10
 Jam Set 2:20 - 2:50
 Jam Set 3:00 - 3:30
 Jam Set 3:40 - 4:10

Who Were Those Musicians in Jan?

Trumpet/Cornet: Mark Lightner, Steve Schaffer
Trombone: Bill Badstubner, John Z. Ray
Reeds: Batja Cates, Ed Foster, Glen Herschberger, Ray Walker
Drums: Jim Cunningham
Piano: Windy Dewitt, Peter Martin
Banjo/Guitar: Phil Cartwright, Linda Green, Dave Stare, Clay Wilson
Tuba/Bass: Gerry Turner
Vocal: Phil Cartwright, John Z. Ray

Continuing opportunities to keep Traditional Jazz Alive:

- Consider making a tax deductible contribution to Santa Rosa TRAD JASS. We are a 501(c)(3) tax exempt organization. Please use the lower half of this notice to make a contribution.
- Consider partially or wholly sponsoring your favorite approved band.
- Consider Bequest via will or trust.
- Consider an Endowment

TRAD JASS is incorporated in the State of California as a Domestic Non-profit Corporation, number C1530764.

The Internal Revenue Service has determined that the *Traditional Ragtime and Dixieland Jazz Appreciation & Strutters Society* (TRAD JASS) is a public charity under Section 509(a)(1) and Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) of the Internal Revenue Code, and is exempt from Federal Income Tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

Donors may deduct contributions to TRAD JASS as provided under Section 170 of the Code. Bequests, legacies, devises, transfers of gifts to TRAD JASS for its use are deductible for federal estate and gift tax purposes if they meet the applicable provisions of Sections 2055, 2106, 2422 of the Code. Check with your tax preparer, as individual circumstances may vary. *No goods or services were exchanged*

Our Employer Identification Number is 94-3030032.

Yes, I want to help TRAD JASS stay alive and keep live, danceable, and the truly indigenous American music in Sonoma County

Name _____

Address _____

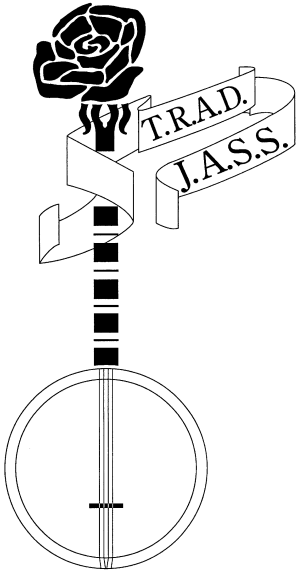
Amount \$ _____

You wish your gift to be used for:

- Club Expenses _____ or
- Sponsor your favorite approved band (Name of Band needed) _____

Mail to: TRAD JASS

P.O. Box 2861
Santa Rosa CA 94905



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**DATED MATERIAL.....
PLEASE DO NOT DELAY**

MEMBERSHIPS AVAILABLE! MAIL THIS COUPON

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

EMAIL: _____

Telephone: _____ Date _____

Enclosed is a check for the following: (Underline your choice)

Standard Membership	Single	\$30/Year
(\$12.00 Member Admission)	Couple	\$50/Year

Life Membership	Single	\$1000 Once
(Free admission for each Member and One Guest)	Couple	\$1500 Once

Newspaper Subscription Only (by mail) \$10/Year (No Charge if emailed)

Prices effective January 2017

Membership cards will be mailed upon receipt of dues and completed coupon. Mail this coupon and check to:

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