

60th Jazz Festival Results



Henrietta Lacks High School was one of the bands who participated in the festival. *Clark College/Jenny Shadley*

Thanks to the student musicians, band directors, chaperons, family, and community members who attended the 60th Annual Clark College Jazz Festival from January 25-27. Nearly 60 middle school and high school jazz bands performed and delighted the appreciative audience—from toddlers to seniors. I'm pleased to announce the 2024 Jazz Festival results.



Yamaha Performing Artist Allen Vizzutti hosted a clinic on January 26. *Photo: Justin Cushner*

The top award of the competition is the Dale Beacock Memorial Sweepstakes trophy, named after the Clark College band instructor who brought the jazz festival to our campus so many years ago.



Top award: 2024 Dale Beacock Memorial Sweepstakes trophy:
Bothell High School Jazz 1, Bothell

View the Results

Middle School Silver Division Jazz Ensemble:

- 1st place: Beaumont Middle School, Portland
- 2nd place: Chief Umtuch Middle School, Battle Ground
- 3rd place: Eckstein Middle School, Seattle

Outstanding Middle School Jazz Musicians:

Aspire Middle School, Lacey

- Dylan Her
- Nate Richardson

Beaumont Middle School, Portland

- Marilyn Ruthruff
- Iris Ruthruff
- Nate Lyon

Chehalis Middle School, Chehalis

- Ben Mittge
- Maxton Hill

Chief Umtuch Middle School, Battle Ground

- Gavin DeMoss
- Eli Lennick

Eckstein Middle School, Seattle

- Emily Chen
- Ellie Bailey
- Margo Cox
- Oren Sternberg

Hockinson Middle School, Brush Prairie

- Oliver Armstrong

Laurin Middle School, Battle Ground

- Cody Halley
- London Coy

Liberty Middle School, Camas

- Rowan Armintrout
- Charlotte Summers
- Katie Evert

Skyridge Middle School, Camas

- Elliot Foster
- Daniel Liu
- Jacob Weinstock

South Whidbey Middle School, Langley

- Lhamo Doryang
- Judah Macarro
- Dante Churchill

Vancouver School of Arts and Academics, Vancouver

- Danica Jahr
- Zach Pan

View Ridge Middle School, Ridgefield

- Lizzy Bloom

Wy'east Middle School, Vancouver

- Tyson Ruark
- Henry Ormson



This year featured a concert by the One O'Clock Lab Band® on the Wednesday before the festival. Photo: Justin Cushner

A Division—Outstanding Jazz Ensemble:

- 1st place: South Whidbey High School, Langley
- 2nd place: Seton Catholic High School, Vancouver
- 3rd place: Tukes Valley Middle School, Battle Ground

A Division—Outstanding High School Musicians:

Adna Middle/High School, Adna

- Jordan Stout
- Myra Medina

Columbia High School, White Salmon

- Anna Zendt – Columbia High School, White Salmon
- August Peterson – Columbia High School, White Salmon

Concordia Christian Academy, Tacoma

- Danny McCarthy
- Jason Nguyen

Henrietta Lacks High School, Vancouver

- Jeremy Solis
- Graham Rank

La Center High School, La Center

- Kristin Dunlap
- Dominic Stub
- Aleks Chygasov

Seton Catholic High School, Vancouver

- Joseph DiPrima
- Parker Zaemann
- Kyler Dixon
- Stephen Samwel

South Whidbey High School, Langley

- Olin Nelson
- Corbyn Orchard

Tukes Valley Middle School, Battle Ground

- Lincoln Toland
- Jackson Pierce
- Basil Middlemas

Woodland Middle/High School, Woodland

- Stacti Dore
- Emma McCaullough
- Sam Purcell
- Harland Wakefield

AA Division–High School Jazz Ensemble:

- 1st place: Hockinson High School, Brush Prairie
- 2nd place (tie): Richland High School Freshman, Richland
- 2nd place (tie): Lakewood High School, Lakewood

AA Division–Outstanding Middle School and High School Musicians:

Battle Ground High School, Battle Ground

- Hayden McCarty
- Chloe Kalson

Bishop Blanchet High School, Seattle

- Zandy Owens

Columbia River High School, Vancouver

- Preston White

Heritage High School, Vancouver

- Naomi Halbrook
- Cynthia Reyes-Mendoza
- Jocelyn Cole

Hockinson High School, Brush Prairie

- Thilo Kluth
- Jack Smith
- Levi Brown
- Adam Haunreiter
- Blake Bruning

Lakewood High School, North Lakewood

- Leo Sandoval
- Isaias Fuentes-Palominos

Richland High School, Richland

- Henry Van Mason
- Victor Zinchuk

Ridgefield High School, Ridgefield

- Michael Grove

W.F. West High School, Chehalis

- Amanda Linwood
- Parker Morrison



The Jazz Festival also features performances by the Clark College Jazz Band. *Photo: Justin Cushner*

AAA Division—High School Jazz Ensemble:

- 1st place: Heritage High School Jazz I, Vancouver
- 2nd place: Bothell High School Jazz II, Bothell
- 3rd place: Battle Ground High School Intermediate Jazz I,

Battle Ground

AAA Division—Outstanding High School Musicians:

Battle Ground High School, Battle Ground

- Logan Gillespie
- Janae Clark

Bothell High School, Bothell

- Christian Oversvee-Choi
- Nathan Bardsley
- Sachita Kadievelu
- Aliah Bragg

Grant High School, Portland

- Nathan Lauruhn

Heritage High School, Vancouver

- Gavin Williamson

Kamiak High School, Mukilteo

- Heidi Anderson
- Ryan Jackson

Ingraham High School, Seattle

- Maggie Roth
- Felix Lewis

Lake Stevens High School, Lake Stevens

- Allison Llubit
- Mark Rodeheaver

Prairie High School, Battle Ground

- Kyle Davenport
- Judah Bollock

Richland High School, Richland

- Cannon West
- Tyler Hornell

Skyview High School, Vancouver

- Liam Purcell
- Cadence Sempk

Union High School, Camas

- Cooper Givens
- Kieran Iyer

Vancouver School of Arts and Academics, Vancouver

- Sam Arslanian
- McKelvey Brewer

AAAA Division—High School Jazz Ensemble:

- 1st place: Bothell High School Jazz I, Seattle

- 2nd place: Lake Stevens High School Jazz I, Lake Stevens
- 3rd place: Grant High School Jazz I, Portland

AAAA Division—Outstanding High School Musicians:

Battle Ground High School, Battle Ground

- Andie Townsend
- Carter Stafford

Bothell High School, Bothell

- Dylan Reed
- Thomas Holmes
- Aaron Mamula
- Nicholas Ang

Buchanan High School, Clovis, Calif.

- Kono Tiyaamornwong
- Will Damrose
- Trevor Nix

Edmonds-Woodway High School, Edmonds

- Gavin Bunbury
- Addisyn Johnson

Grant High School, Portland

- Sasha Burns
- Xander Buck
- Oli Rangle

Ingraham High School, Seattle

- Henry Goss
- Nathan Doyle

Kamiak High School, Mukilteo

- Ethan Park
- Ian Park

Lake Stevens High School, Lake Stevens

- Phineas Ruji
- Jack Santos

Richland High School, Richland

- James Brady
- Henry Rice

Skyview High School, Vancouver

- Alejandro Santana
- Sean Malcom

Union High School, Camas

- Izzy Cryan
- Evelyn Lo