7th ANNUAL

TRADITIONAL JAZZ Youth Band FESTIVAL

SACRAMENTO, CA

Sat., Feb. 11, 2012

Sac. State University

CAPISTRANO HALL

Presented by the

Sacramento Trad. Jazz Society (STJS)

and the

Jazz Studies Program at Sac. State Univ.

in cooperation with
Traditional Jazz Educators Network (TJEN)

***TJYBF** is believed to be the only scholastic festival for Dixieland or traditional jazz music and is open to **school** bands as well as **jazz club** and **private instructor**-sponsored youth bands.*

QUALIFICATIONS:

■ All band members younger than 22 *(or enrolled in a minimum of 6 college credits).*

■ The band performs in one or more of the styles described in the "Style Guide" *(on the Traditional Jazz Educators Network Web site).*

■ No more than 9 musicians perform at a time *(in order to weave meaningful, improvised, ensemble counterpoint).*

NON-COMPETITIVE FESTIVAL:

The four divisions include: middle school, high school, college, and jazz club/private bands. Over $4,000 in festival scholarships and awards.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Dec. 15, 2011.

FESTIVAL and CONCERT TICKETS:

$10 for all-events and evening concert ($12 at door).

E-MAIL and WEBSITE:

For applications and additional festival information, contact **youthbandfest@sacjazz.org** or follow the link from the youth festival Web site: **http://sacjazz.org/youthfestival/**

REGISTRATION:

The **$100 registration fee** for the TJYBF includes:

■ All-events festival access for directors and individual band members.

■ Complimentary lunch for band directors.

■ Use of warm-up room prior to performance. *(No piano, amps or drums/cymbals provided.)*

■ Adjudicated performances include digital audio feedback. *(Piano, bass/guitar amps and drums/cymbals provided.)*

■ Feedback clinic based on performance. *(Piano, amps and drums provided.)*

■ Ensemble Clinics and Jazz Workshops.

■ Friday evening, clinican-led jam session.

■ Awards and command performances.

■ Evening showcase featuring 2012 Guest Artist **John Allred**, *tbn*, and the Clinicians All-Star Band.

■ Complimentary admission for each band director, band student, and one parent to the next-day **STJS "Jazz Sunday"** at the nearby Dante Club, with **Bob Draga** and **John Allred** as guest artists.

■ Group band photos available for purchase.

■ Complimentary CD of traditional jazz lead sheets for each band director.