

Sunday, January 6, at 2:00pm

New Jersey Jazz Society to Present "Generations of Jazz" at Springfield Library "Please Bring a Child"

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WHEN: Sunday, January 6, 2019, 2 p.m. (In the event of hazardous travel conditions due to weather, it will be rescheduled for Sunday, January 13.)

WHERE: Donald B. Palmer Museum at the Springfield Free Public Library, 66 Mountain Ave, Springfield

ADMISSION: free

The presentation will be a musical introduction to jazz and jazz history featuring a live performance by a jazz quintet.



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Orchestra. Lanier, Jr. Wayne and has Cornelia Café in

The program will sample jazz styles and modern jazz; are used.

The participants will be Carrie Jackson (left), vocalist/narrator; Radam Schwartz (below, left), keyboardist; Gene Ghee, saxophonist; Takashi Otsuka, bassist; and Errold Lanier, Jr., drummer. Jackson has performed at such venues as the New Jersey Performing Arts Center (NJPAC), New York City's Iridium jazz club and Shanghai Jazz and Trumpets in New Jersey. *Cadence Magazine* called her "a rich-voiced blues, ballads, and jazz standards singer who knows how to put a song across." Schwartz has appeared with such jazz legends as tenor saxophonists Eddie "Lockjaw" Davis and David "Fathead" Newman. He was director of the Jazz Institute of New Jersey for 15 years and is currently on the teaching staff of Jazz House Kids in Montclair.



Ghee, once a member of Art Blakey and the Jazz Messengers, has also worked as a sideman for Stevie Wonder. Otsuka studied under vibraphonist Gary Burton at the Berklee College of Music and has performed with the Boston Symphony Orchestra, the Boys Choir of Harlem, and the Latin Jazz studied jazz performance at William Paterson University in performed at such venues as Trumpets and Downstairs at the Greenwich Village.

trace jazz history, both chronologically and stylistically; will from its early origins through the big band era, bebop, Latin and will review the various instruments, explaining how they

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