Dear IMEA District 7 Jazz Directors,

We hope this finds you well as the school year comes to an end. All required audition music for the 2018 ILMEA junior Jazz Festival is included in this packet. Auditions are on **Saturday**, **September 22**, **2018** at **Round Lake High School (800 N. High School Drive, Round Lake, IL)**. The Jr.



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Concert Band auditions will be held at the same location. The Jazz Festival will take place on **Saturday**, **November 17**, **2018** at **Waukegan High School (2325 Brookside Ave, Waukegan, IL 60085)**. Below is a description of the audition requirements for all instruments. If you have any questions regarding the music feel free to contact me. **Please note that VIBES should be listed as a separate audition not dependent on drum set.**

NEW THIS YEAR: We will not be using the "Tootsie" melody nor the Jim Snidero Easy Jazz Conception etude. In lieu of this, we will use the Real Easy Book melody of "Sonnymoon for Two."

1) Real Easy Book - 3-horn edition "Sonnymoon for Two"

(see chart for what each student will play for each chorus during their audition)

	Brass/Reeds	Drums	Guitar, Vibes, Piano	Bass
First Chorus	Melody	Time	Melody	Melody
Second Chorus	Improvise	Trade 4s with recording	Сотр	Walk Bass Line
Third Chorus			Improvise	Improvise

2) Excerpts from the selected pieces for the Jazz Festival

(links to the respective JWPepper pages included for ordering information)

Jazz I Program, directed by Dr. Roosevelt Griffin

* Manteca by Dizzy Gillespie / arr. Steve Owen

* Bringin' Down the House by Larry Neeck

Perfect Storm by Larry Barton

Jazz II Program, directed by George Andrikokus

* Watermelon Man by Herbie Hancock / arr. Mike Kamuf

Fat Cat by Doug Beach

Orinoco Cocoa by Vince Gassi

*Selections for auditions

Students are expected to play any included solos

Good luck to you and your students and enjoy your summer!

Sincerely,

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NEW THIS YEAR!

Please consider joining us at one of our District 7 Junior Jazz Summer Workshops!

More details will be available soon, but please check the ILMEA website for more details.

Sonnymoon for Two (Part 1 - melody)



Useful Scales



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BRINGIN' DOWN THE HOUSE COMPOSED AND ARRANGED BY LARRY NEEDLY

1ST TROMBONE





(TROMBONE 1)

(MANTECA)

(COMPOSED BY DIZZY GILLESPIE AND WALTER FULLER, (ARRANGED BY STEVE OWEN,



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WATERMELON MAN

1ST TROMBONE

By HERBIE HANCOCK

Arranged by MIKE KAMUF



