



## ATTN: MIDDLE TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS **CJC 2023 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

The Community Jazz Center of Greater Des Moines (CJC) will be awarding two \$500.00 scholarships in October 2023 — The Vic Anderson Scholarship and the Stu & Nadine Calhoon Scholarship. We encourage all middle school to high school jazz students to submit your application for these scholarships. The deadline for the application/essay is September 11, 2023, and the winners will be announced as part of CJC's annual Jazz Hall of Fame event in late October.

### **SCHOLARSHIP QUALIFICATIONS:**

Students applying for these scholarships must meet the following qualifications:

- Be enrolled in middle school or high school in a 60-mile radius of Des Moines, IA (at the time of the application due date).
- Must have attended a minimum of two CJC First Sunday of the Month Jam Sessions\*
- Submit the application form and essay (details below).
- Use the funds received for jazz education or musical equipment (Iowa institutions, teachers and retailers preferred.)

### **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION:**

Please complete the following form and submit with your essay no later than September 11, 2023. Materials can be mailed to CJC, c/o Abe Goldstien, 4011 Plainview Drive, Des Moines, IA 50311 or sent via email to abegold1951@gmail.com.

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/STATE/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

AGE \_\_\_\_\_ YEAR IN SCHOOL (AS OF SEPTEMBER 2023): \_\_\_\_\_

INSTRUMENT(S): \_\_\_\_\_

HOW LONG HAVE YOU BEEN PLAYING JAZZ? \_\_\_\_\_

MONTH YOU ATTENDED JAM SESSION\*:

☐ JUNE ☐ JULY ☐ AUGUST ☐ SEPTEMBER

### **SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY REQUIREMENT**

Your application **MUST** be submitted with an essay (no more than 1,000 words that answers the following question:

*Tell us about your experience at the CJC jam session and how that experience has helped you grow as a musician and person.*

\* CJC Student Jam Sessions are held the first Sunday of every month (with the exception of April), 2 to 4 PM at Franklin Junior High (Room 148), 48th & Franklin in Des Moines. Please send your email to abegold1951@gmail.com to get on the jam session mailing list.