

Inaugural North Fresno Rotary Jazz Festival

May 11, 2013, 1-5 p.m.

www.rotaryjazz.org

Thanks again for participating in this event! North Fresno Rotary is enthusiastically pursuing the promotion of outstanding music education in our area; especially jazz. Their desire is that this event will bring to the attention of the community the fine programs showcased at the festival and their importance to our local culture. We hope to provide your students with a rewarding and memorable experience.

It is our hope that your students and parents will be able to stay and enjoy performances by other groups. Please consider arriving early and staying late. Also, concessions will be available in the lobby throughout the afternoon.

Location

Paul Shaghoian Concert Hall is located on the campus of Clovis North High School at 2770 E International Ave, Fresno, CA (see map on last page).

Schedule

Each band will have a 40 minute slot, on and off.

- 1 p.m. - Clovis North**
- 1:40 p.m. - Kingsburg**
- 2:20 p.m. - Bullard**
- 3:00 p.m. - Roosevelt**
- 3:40 p.m. - Buchanan**
- 4:20 p.m. - Clovis High**

The reason for the longer slot is to give more of an opportunity to stretch out. You may use the time however you wish; longer solos, longer intros, more solos, a combo tune, etc.

This is a noncompetitive festival focused on performance opportunity. No clinic or sight-reading will occur.

The FMCMEA Honor Jazz Bands will perform in the evening starting at 7 p.m. Please consider supporting these great bands.

Warm Up – Clovis North Band Room

You will have access to the warm up room 40 minutes before your performance time. Warm up room equipment will include piano, chairs and stands. You will be escorted to the stage five minutes before show time.

Stage Equipment

Provided:

Grand Piano

Bass Amp

Vibes

Drums (Courtesy of Bentley's Drum Shop):

4-piece drum set:

snare drum

snare drum stand

bass drum pedal (you may bring and use your own)

throne

Drummers are REQUIRED TO BRING:

cymbals, cymbal stands, hi-hat stand w/ clutch, sticks & brushes

Each school is responsible for any other miscellaneous percussion (congas, timbales, shakers, etc.)

Guitar players should bring an amp, picks and cables.

Food

The following menu will be available throughout the festival. Please encourage your students to eat hearty. Directors will receive a food voucher for a meal.

Tri-Tip Sandwich	\$6.00
Hot Dogs	\$2.50
Nachos	\$3.00
Pizza Slice	\$2.50
Chips	\$.50
BEVERAGES	
Soft Drinks	\$1.25
Bottled Water	\$1.00
Coffee	\$1.00
TREATS (SWEETS)	
Haagen-Das Ice Cream	\$2.00
Bars	
Candy	\$1.00
Muffins	\$1.00

Recordings

A CD and/or DVD of your performance will be available for purchase shortly after you play. CDs will be \$15, DVDs \$20 and \$30 will cover both.

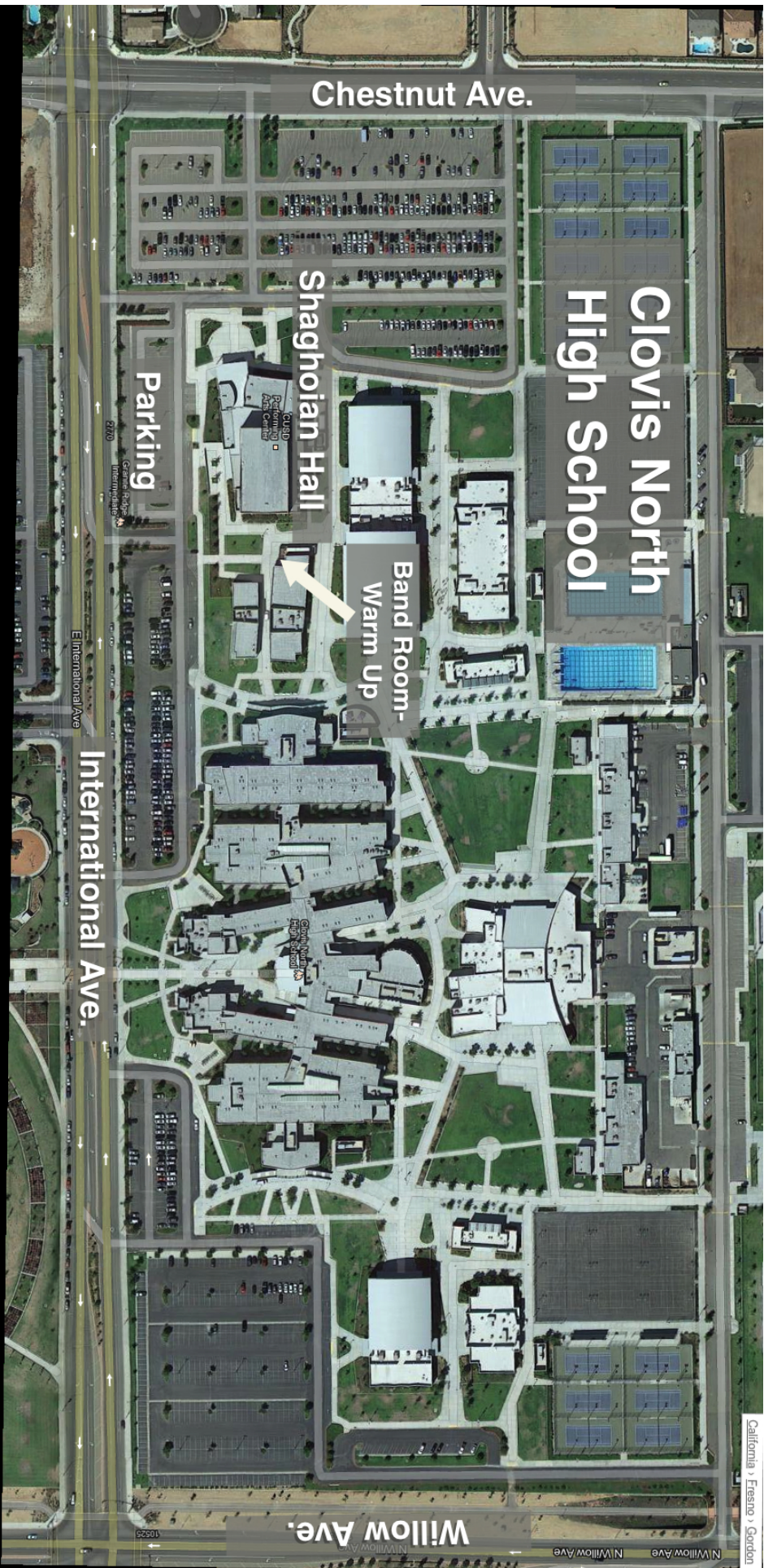
Our goal is to expose the broader community to excellent jazz education, not just “Jazz Festival” regulars. North Fresno Rotary is pushing all other local Rotary Clubs to promote and sell tickets to the event. If you, or any of your parents are in a position to contribute to the effort, please let us know.

Thanks again,
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Chestnut Ave.

Clovis North High School

Shaghoian Hall

Band Room - Warm Up

Parking

International Ave.

Willow Ave.