# **AUTUMN NEWSLETTER** (2018)



Welcome to our Autumn Newsletter! We hope you'll enjoy it and share with your friends.

#### **JAZZ AT THE LEGION**



With The Mississauga Big Band Jazz Ensemble

The last Sunday of every month

2 - 4 PM

Port Credit Legion (Branch 82) 35 Front Street North Mississauga

"Pay What You Can"

For info, call Rob at 905-270-4757

# **JAZZ AT THE LEGION**

Looks like the band has finally found a home for **Big Band Jazz in Mississauga**. We started in March with an audience of around 100 and things have been going great ever since. We're trying to mix up our program with jazz and swing numbers as well as featuring various guest singers...... AND dancing is available and encouraged.

#### **STILL WANTED: TROMBONE PLAYER**

If anyone knows of a trombone player that would be interested in joining the band, please let me know. Practices are Tuesday nights from 7:30 – 10:00 PM at Cooksville United Church in Mississauga. Contact Rob at rboniface@rogers.com / 905-270-4757.

### **BAND BLOG**

We started a BLOG section on our website last year. Band members are sharing their thoughts about a wide variety of topics. Please check it out and feel free to make comments. Here's the link:

https://www.mbbje.com/index.php/blog.

If anyone would like to contribute to our blog page, please send me your thoughts in a Word document and I'll try to post it. Anything pertaining to big band jazz is acceptable.

#### **HELP WANTED!**

If anyone has any ideas about venues for the band to perform at, please let me know. We need a bit of room but love to entertain.

We'd also perform for dances. Our library is quite extensive and we have all of the big band classics of the swing era. Please feel free to contact me if you have any ideas at <a href="mailto:rboniface@rogers.com">rboniface@rogers.com</a> / 905-270-4757.

We also have a sub list for musicians interested in filling in occasionally when a regular player can't make it. Send me your name, instrument & phone number and I'll add you to the list.

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## **TWITTER, FACEBOOK & YOUTUBE**

Please don't forget our Twitter page (#MississaugaJazz). Please check it out and follow us.

Facebook has our band (<a href="https://www.facebook.com/mbbje/">https://www.facebook.com/groups/176498672972/</a>) pages. Please like one or both.

We also have a YouTube channel that has several band performance videos. Here's the link: (https://www.youtube.com/results?search\_query=mississauga+big+band)

## **UPCOMING GIGS**

Jazz At The Legion Sunday, October 28

2 - 4 PM

**Port Credit Legion (Branch 82)** 

Sunset Concert Sunday, November 25

6:30 - 8:30 PM

Memorial Park (Port Credit)

Christmas Concert Sunday, December 16

2 – 4 PM

**Cooksville United Church** 

Jazz At The Legion Sunday, December 30

2 - 4 PM

**Port Credit Legion (Branch 82)** 

That's all the news for now.

Thanks! Rob

P.S. And remember..... If music isn't live..... it's DEAD!