

# **THE 2<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL HIGHLAND JAZZ FESTIVAL**

**MARCH 31-APRIL 2, 2011  
HIGHLAND HIGH SCHOOL  
GILBERT, ARIZONA  
WWW.HIGHLANDJAZZ.COM**

**Jazz Enthusiasts,**

**We would like to welcome you to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Highland Jazz Festival. It promises to be a highly educational and rewarding experience. This year's featured guest artists are:**

## **Jeff Coffin Mu'tet**



**Mu'tet includes:  
Jeff Coffin, Jeff Sipe,  
Felix Pastorius, Koti Burbridge,  
& Bill Fanning**

## **Bobby Shew**



**These musicians will also be joined by some of our clinicians in an all-star combo performance and the Arizona State University Concert Jazz Band led by Michael Kocour. In addition the High School Jazz Band that receives the Judge's Most Outstanding Award from Friday and Saturday's clinic performances, will open Saturday's concert!**

**Our clinicians include:**

- \* Don Owens - Retired Northwestern University Director of Jazz Studies**
- \* Lance Boyd - Low Brass Professor and Director of Jazz Studies at University of Montana**
- \* Clipper Anderson - Professor of Jazz Bass Studies at Pacific Lutheran University**
- \* Tim Ishii - Director of Jazz Studies and Saxophone at UT Arlington**
- \* Ken Edwards - Assistant Director of Jazz Studies and Trumpet at UT Arlington**

## MISSION STATEMENT

The Highland Jazz Festival is dedicated to educate and inspire students, educators, and audiences; and to enhance the appreciation and importance of jazz education.

This festival will provide:

- ✓ Unbiased clinics, ratings and/or rankings by professional clinicians from around the country.
- ✓ An organized performing and clinic environment.
- ✓ Performances will be professionally recorded.
- ✓ High quality performances from top musicians in the Jazz Industry!
- ✓ AN INCREDIBLE LEARNING ATMOSPHERE!

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Festival Registration: \$275.00 per Big Band or Combo - \$250.00 for AAJE Members

Due Date: March 11, 2011

All Junior High, High School, & College Big Band and Combos are all welcome!!!

Concert Ticket Prices:

Festival Participants	Friday - Jeff Coffin Mu'tet	\$20.00
	Saturday - Bobby Shew	\$20.00
	Both Concerts	\$30.00
General Admission	Friday - Jeff Coffin Mu'tet	\$30.00
	Saturday - Bobby Shew	\$30.00
	Both Concerts	\$50.00

Registration materials will be mailed and available on the Highland Band Website in August 2010.

[www.highlandjazz.com](http://www.highlandjazz.com)

## FESTIVAL SCHEDULE

Thursday, March 31, 2011

3:00 PM - 10:00 PM      Festival Performances/Clinics

Friday & Saturday, April 1-2, 2011

7:30 AM - 11:00 AM	Festival Performances/Clinics
11:30 AM - 12:15 PM	Guest Artist Rehearsal w/ASU's Big Band
12:15 PM - 1:00 PM	Guest Artist Rehearsal w/All Star Combo
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Guest Artist Festival Clinic
3:00 PM - 7:00 PM	Festival Performances/Clinics
7:30 PM	Festival Guest Artist Concert

On Saturday, the Judges Most Outstanding High School Jazz Band will open for the Guest Artist Concert.