Contemporary concepts

A 4-DAY JAZZ FESTIVAL
CELEBRATING THE WEST COAST BIG BAND SOUND

MAY 22-25 2003
Four Points Sheraton
Los Angeles International Airport
Los Angeles, California
The Los Angeles Jazz Institute is pleased to announce Contemporary Concepts-A Celebration of the West Coast Big Band Sound taking place May 22-25, 2003 at the Four Points Sheraton at LAX.

Contemporary Concepts is designed to feature a wide variety of big bands and mid-size ensembles that have defined the west coast big band sound from the 1950s to the present. In addition to the 13 world class ensembles that will be performing over the four day period, we are also presenting 4 of the top University Jazz ensembles in Southern California. Each day a different University band will perform a special pool side lunch concert. In all that adds up to 17 bands featuring close to 300 musicians. As always, each day will be filled with concerts, films, panel discussions and a memorabilia trading area.

If that’s not enough we have also created a very special bonus event for early registrants. On May 21 we will once again make our annual pilgrimage to the legendary Lighthouse Cafe in Hermosa Beach for dinner and a performance by THE TERRY GIBBS DREAM BAND. This will be a once in a lifetime opportunity to see one of the great bands of all time in a very intimate setting. Because of the size of the ensemble we will only be able to seat 100 people. This special bonus event includes dinner and is included in your registration. Also as an early registrant you will have reserved seating for all concerts at the hotel. Seats assigned on a first come first served basis.

The Full Registration package, which includes the Terry Gibbs Dream Band at the Lighthouse, is $300 in advance. Tickets for each individual event are also available on a limited basis.

You can make your reservations over the telephone by calling: (562)985-7065 or send a check or money order to:

The Los Angeles Jazz Institute
P.O. Box 8038
Long Beach, CA 90808-0038

This looks to be another memorable event and I hope to see you there.

Sincerely,

Ken Poston
Los Angeles Jazz Institute
As a bonus to early registrants, we have created an exclusive dinner/concert at the legendary Lighthouse Cafe 30 Pier Ave. in Hermosa Beach on Wednesday May 21.

Available to the first 100 full registrants — includes dinner.

Don’t miss out on this rare opportunity to see one of the legendary bands of all time in the intimate setting of the Lighthouse.

No tickets will be sold to this event. Available only to full registrants.
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<td>CSU FULLERTON JAZZ ENSEMBLE I DIRECTED BY CHUCK TUMLINSON</td>
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<td>MODERN SOUNDS - THE WEST COAST BIG BAND SCENE TODAY</td>
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<td>CONTOURS - THE SHORTY ROGERS STORY</td>
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<td>A multi-media presentation of Shorty Rogers immense impact on the west coast scene with special guests Jack Montrose and Bill Perkins.</td>
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<td>CONCERT 7</td>
<td>THE MIKE BARONE BIG BAND</td>
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<td>LISTEN TO THE MUSIC OF RUSS GARCIA- RUSS GARCIA WITH BUDDY CHILDERS BIG BAND PLUS BUDDY CHILDERS AND STRINGS</td>
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10:00-11:00
PANEL 4
COLLEGE
GOES TO JAZZ–
THE WESTLAKE
SCHOOL OF MUSIC
Panelists:
Bill Holman
Russ Garcia
Bill Perkins

11:30-12:30
CONCERT 9
JAZZ FOR
MODERNS–
THE DUANE
TATRO
ENSEMBLE

1:00-2:00
CONCERT 10
CSU NORTHRIDGE
JAZZ “A” BAND
DIRECTED BY
MATT HARRIS

2:30-3:30
CONCERT 11
THE LENNIE
NIEHAUS OCTET

4:00-5:00
PANEL 5
A DANDY LINE
Panelists:
Lennie Niehaus
Duane Tatro
Jack Montrose

5:30-6:30
CONCERT 12
THE MUSIC OF
MARTY PAICH–
THE PICASSO OF
BIG BAND JAZZ
DIRECTED BY
ALLYN FERGUSON

9:00
CONCERT 13
THE BILL
HOLMAN BAND