

## Registration Form

<b>School Name</b>	
Teacher Name	
Position Title	
<b>Contact on Day</b>	
Email	
Phone	

- Fri 2 Mar** – *Celebrating the Greats*  
Attending: Teachers \_\_\_\_\_ Students \_\_\_\_\_
  - Fri 6 Apr** – *Ladies Sing the Blues*  
Attending: Teachers \_\_\_\_\_ Students \_\_\_\_\_
  - Fri 4 May** – *Ellen Kirkwood (Sydney)*  
Attending: Teachers \_\_\_\_\_ Students \_\_\_\_\_
  - Fri 1 Jun** – *Alex Silver (Sydney)*  
Attending: Teachers \_\_\_\_\_ Students \_\_\_\_\_
  - Fri 3 Aug** – *Julian Arguelles (Graz University)*  
Attending: Teachers \_\_\_\_\_ Students \_\_\_\_\_
  - Fri 7 Sep** – *Atomic Basie*  
Attending: Teachers \_\_\_\_\_ Students \_\_\_\_\_
  - Fri 5 Oct** – *Migiwa Miyajima (Japan/New York)*  
Attending: Teachers \_\_\_\_\_ Students \_\_\_\_\_
  - Fri 9 Nov** – *Artemis Orchestra*  
Attending: Teachers \_\_\_\_\_ Students \_\_\_\_\_
- I understand that WA Youth Jazz Orchestra will invoice my school at \$12 per student/teacher attending for the first event and \$10 per student/teacher for every event thereafter.
- I would like to receive future information about WA Youth Jazz Orchestra events, audition notices and workshops.
- I would like to receive information about WA Youth Jazz Orchestra's Young Women in Jazz program.
- I am interested in engaging WA Youth Jazz Orchestra for other educational events or in-house workshops throughout the year.

Return your registration form to by **Wed 7 Feb** to:  
**WA Youth Jazz Orchestra**  
PO Box 134  
Maylands WA 6051  
or email requested details to [admin@wayjo.com](mailto:admin@wayjo.com)

**W**AYJO is proud to present an exciting line-up of concerts and workshops for schools in 2018.

We know that it can be difficult for schools and teachers to organise dates and times for extra-curricular activities. So in 2018 WAYJO are offering a number of events throughout the year for schools to book and experience some of the best young musicians in Perth, and offer a variety of dates and guest artists to work with your students to inspire them.

From March to November, on the first Friday of the month, WAYJO concerts and workshops for students will take place Downstairs at the Maj from 3pm. Our Musical Directors and guest artists will provide a 30-minute workshop followed by a 30-minute performance highlighting the aspects covered in the workshop.

Our focus for these events is largely on great female jazz artists, with female guest artists from Sydney, Melbourne, and New York via Japan, as well as some of Perth's leading musicians. We will also recreate a truly great jazz album and be joined by a visiting faculty member from KUG Institute of Jazz, Graz, Austria.

Places at each workshop and concert are limited, so please book early to avoid disappointment.

Tickets for staff and students are \$12 each for the first concert/workshop, and \$10 for every other concert/workshop booked.

Please return your completed form by **Wed 7 Feb**.

### For More Information

Call the WA Youth Jazz Orchestra on 08 9471 1950  
or email [admin@wayjo.com](mailto:admin@wayjo.com)

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## 2018

# School Concerts & Workshops

Act-Belong-Commit Education Program presents



### Friday 2 March - Celebrating the Greats

WAYJO Artistic Director, Mace Francis, will present a workshop on great compositions in the jazz genre, celebrating female composers. The Wednesday Night Orchestra will then perform a selection of these works so students can hear the works live.



### Friday 6 April - Ladies Sing the Blues

WAYJO's vocalists will take to the stage to explain in depth what it means to sing jazz, working with a big band and interpreting the classic arrangements. The Tuesday Night Orchestra will provide the sound for an all swingin' toe-tappin' concert of big band repertoire.



### Friday 4 May - Ellen Kirkwood (Sydney)

Ellen Kirkwood is a trumpeter, composer, bandleader and teacher from Newtown, Sydney. As part of the Sirens Big Band, Fat Yahoozah and other groups, Ellen is a leader at the forefront of jazz in Australia, and has worked with WAYJO as a guest tutor in our Young Women in Jazz workshop program. Ellen will be joined by the Wednesday Night Orchestra.



### Friday 1 June - Alex Silver (Sydney)

A seasoned trombonist, Alex has performed at jazz festivals worldwide both as part of ensembles and as trombone soloist. She's also performed with James Morrison, Don Burrows, The Whitlams, Tex Perkins, and Renee Geyer. She has also been course Director for the SIMA Improvisation Workshops for Young Women since 2010.

### Friday 3 August - Julian Argüelles (Graz University)

UK composer, saxophonist, bandleader and educator Julian Argüelles has always spoken with a unique voice and is hugely influential to a new generation of British and European jazz musicians. As an educator, Julian is respected and in demand. He is currently professor of Jazz Saxophone at the KUG Institute of Jazz in Graz, Austria where he now lives. The Wednesday Night Orchestra will join Julian for the workshop and concert.



### Friday 7 September - Atomic Basie

Celebrating the 60th anniversary of this seminal jazz album by Count Basie, WAYJO Artistic Director will lead a "listening lesson" focusing on the intricacies of this modern masterpiece. WAYJO's Tuesday Night Orchestra will then play select pieces from the album.



### Friday 5 October - Migiwa Miyajima (Japan/New York)

Fresh from the jazz clubs of New York City, Japanese pianist and composer Migiwa Miyajima will provide students with a unique perspective on creating music across cultures. Migiwa will be joined by the Wednesday Night Orchestra to perform some of her compositions live.



### Friday 9 November - Artemis Orchestra

Perth's first all-female Big Band featuring WAYJO alumni and Young Women in Jazz program tutors appear to workshop improvisational technique with students. The group will combine with WAYJO's female members to perform a special set of big band music designed to inspire young women with the same passion this group has for jazz.

## WAYJO Concerts and Workshops Educational and Fun



*"Thank you for bringing your group to Bunbury Cathedral Grammar School. There was no question that your group was highly entertaining and motivational. Many parents and students have relayed to me how awesome the performance was and inspirational for our young players since the workshop. A high proportion of our music students attend university in Perth when they finish School and so many students indicated how exciting it was to see what music could be beyond school."*

*Members of WAYJO were outstanding in mentoring and directing our players throughout the sessions and also demonstrated how to have fun and enjoy the show and music."*

**Mr Shaun Molewyk** - Acting HOLA The Arts/Director of Music, Bunbury Cathedral Grammar School

*"The workshop was brilliant and very well received by our students, the combining of the groups and performing at the concert was a highlight. We are isolated but this was very motivating for our students. Please thank everyone involved as you have all made a lasting impression."*

**Graham Green** - Director of Music, John Paul College, Kalgorlie

*"The work that WAYJO is doing is of enormous importance to the future of improvised music in Australia."*

**Paul Grabowsky** - Australian Art Orchestra