

## ***Charlotte County Jazz Society***

### **Bud Wagner – Donatella and Ken Neumann Memorial Scholarship**

### **2023 Music Scholarship Application**

Each year, the Charlotte County Jazz Society provides financial assistance to several qualifying members of the Senior Class in the areas High Schools who wish to pursue careers in music or music education. Applicants must be permanent resident in Southwest Florida and graduate in the year 2023. Scholarships will be awarded to students judged to deserve a scholarship from the Society.

Criteria for selection:

1. A letter of recommendation must accompany this application (letter from a teacher is acceptable). Application deadline: postmarked on or before: SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 2023.  
**A copy of your selection must be presented to the judges at the audition.**
2. Applicant **must appear and perform an audition**, Location and Time TBD
3. Demonstrated interest and ability in music.

COMPLETE & SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING (PLEASE PRINT)

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADUATING YEAR: \_\_\_\_\_

INSTRUMENT(S): \_\_\_\_\_

MUSICAL ACTIVITIES (Band, private lessons, music classes, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

ON THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS APPLICATION, PLEASE LIST YOUR GOALS AND REASONS FOR APPLYING FOR THIS SCHOLARSHIP, AND (if known) THE COLLEGE YOU PLAN TO ATTEND.

**MAIL THIS APPLICATION ALONG WITH YOUR LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION TO:**

**James Mashburn, 1550 Dorchester St-Port Charlotte, FL 33952**

**Deadline for application is March 18, 2023 (must be postmarked by this date).** Proper attire is required for audition. Instrumentalists and vocalists will be expected to perform a selection of scales (major and minor), sight read a selection w/ improv, and perform a selection of their choice. Applicants must present at least one copy of their selection to the judges at the audition. Percussionists will be expected to sight read a selection, perform a selection of their choice and demonstrate a knowledge of the fundamental rudiments. The scholarships will be awarded at the Jazz Society's last monthly concert of the season, date TBD.

QUESTIONS? Contact James Mashburn at 941-626-0318 – or email at: james.d.mashburn@gmail.com