INVITATION TO JOIN

THE STONNINGTON YOUTH JAZZ INITIATIVE PROJECT

DO YOU GO TO SCHOOL IN STONNINGTON? Or DO YOU LIVE IN STONNINGTON?

Do you want to play jazz and be part of an exciting jazz experience? If so keep on reading...

In 2006 Australian jazz luminaries Bob Sedergreen and Allan Brown formed and performed with the Stonnington Youth Jazz Initiative (SYJI). This group is now an on going project, which continues to go from strength to strength. There are several exciting young groups playing around Melbourne including the Megahorns whose members honed their playing skills in this group.

We have had students from Melbourne High, King David, Korowa, Loreto Mandeville, Malvern Central, St Kevin's, Wesley College, Lauriston, Malvern Central, Sacre Coeur as well as students who live in Stonnington but go to school elsewhere.

Over the past eight years this group has performed at Wangaratta International Jazz Festival, Stonnington Jazz Festival with Don Burrows, John Morrison, Jacki Cooper & George Golla ...guested with The Stonnington Show band in Central Park and other Stonnington events, Melbourne International Jazz Festival, Eltham Blues and Jazz Festival, Melbourne Women's International jazz Festival to name just a few.

All school students who attend schools in Stonnington or live in Stonnington are welcome to participate in this exciting project. The Stonnington Council wishes to expand and encourage more students with an interest in Jazz to join in 2013.

Both Bob and Allan are recognised as great performers and educators. Bob and has published his book about his experiences as a jazzman in Australia: 'Hear Me Talking to Ya'

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