

Denver Jazz Club Youth All-Stars

Arvada West, Chatfield, East, Golden and Legacy High Schools

Director: Dr. Ed Cannava

The Denver Jazz Club Youth All-Stars has been in existence since 2009. Denver Percussion and the Denver Jazz Club sponsors the band. The All-Stars perform during breaks of the professional bands at each Denver Jazz Club monthly session. The band has been featured with many professional bands including the Preservation Hall Jazz Band and Queen City Jazz Band. The Denver Jazz Club Youth All-Stars have performed at the Evergreen Jazz Festival, the Denver Vintage Jazz Festival, the Sacramento Jazz Festival, the Sacramento Hot Jazz Jubilee, the Montreux, Switzerland Jazz Festival, the Assisi, Italy Music Festival, the Umbria, Italy Jazz Festival, the Expo in Citta Festival (Milan, Italy), and the Kongsberg, Norway Jazz Festival. The All-Stars have also performed on concert tours to New Orleans and New York City. The band has been featured in Seton Hall University's Concert Series (New Jersey). The Denver Jazz Club Youth All-Stars performed on a concert tour to New Orleans this past July, and will be going on a European performance tour during July of 2022.

Personnel:

Clarinet: Joanna Toy

Tenor Sax: Nolan Musson

Trombone: Dylan Hays

Banjo: Joey Crooks

Piano: Jonny Anders

Tuba: Ryan Kilgroe

Drums: Bennett Miller