2014 High School Jazz Festival Competition Results

High School: Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts

Director: Chris Beaudry

Ensemble Name: Greater Hartford Academy of the Arts Ensemble 3
Class: S3 Performance Time: 2:55 PM Adjudicator:
Room: 303 TOTAL SCORE: 272 Ed Lucie

Criterea	Subcriteria		Points
SOLOS	Quality	above expectations	37 of 40
	Number of Solos	good	
	Appropriate Style	above expectations	
	Time Feel	above expectations	
	Tone and Intonation	good	
TIME	Steadiness of Beat	good	14 of 15
	Feeling/Groove	above expectations	
	Energy	above expectations	
	Rhythm Section	above expectations	
	Horns	good	
INTONATION	Brass	good	9 of 10
	Saxophones/Woodwinds	good	
	Rhythm Section	good	
	Vocalist (if applicable)	n/a	
ARTICULATION	Brass	good	8 of 10
	Saxophones/Woodwinds	good	
	Rhythm Section	above expectations	
	Vocalist (if applicable)	n/a	
	Overall Ensemble	above expectations	
BALANCE / BLEND / DYNAMICS	Horn Section	good	8 of 10
	Rhythm Section	good	
	Vocalist (if applicable)	n/a	
	Overall Ensemble	good	
STYLE / INTERPRETATION	Rhythmic	above expectations	9 of 10
	Melodic	good	
	Overall Musicality	above expectations	
PRESENTATION / PROGRAMMING	Suitable Choice of Material	above expectations	5 of 5
	Well-balanced Program	good	
	Preparation	above expectations	
		TOTAL POINTS	s: 90

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Comments (Ed Lucie)

1st Selection

Chick's Tune excellent choice nice blend in melody with gtr, flute and trb bass could be louder-she's working too hard

3d Selection

Opus Four the best of the bunch strong playing all around the bass needs to be louder

2nd Selection

Afro-Centric the 'open feel' in the rhythm section during solos is tricky, if the players heard it more they would get it. bass needs to be louder during her solo

General Comments

great job so good to see them enjoying the music and each other