

U OF A JAZZ ORCHESTRA

Dr. Rick Salonen, director

Wednesday, November 11, 2026
Faulkner Performing Arts Center
7:30 p.m.

PROGRAM

The Queen Bee — Sammy Nestico

soloist: Kaede Nishita/Garland Watson

Let's Stay Together — Al Green
arr. Rick Salonen

soloist: Oliver Ramey

West Coast Blues — Wes Montgomery
arr. Jim Greeson

soloist: Hayden Harp/Braeden Morris

Tombstone of Couperin — Maurice Ravel
arr. Rick Salonen

soloist: Kaede Nishita/Daniel Ryan/Will Russell

Lush Life — Billy Strayhorn
arr. U of A Jazz Orchestra

soloist: Caulder Toland

Quarter Master — Snarky Puppy
arr. Rick Salonen

soloist: Caulder Toland/David Luker/Hayden Harp

INTERMISSION

Come Fly With Me — Jimmy Van Heusen & Sammy Cahn, arr. Bill Byers

soloist: Oliver Ramey

Fly With The Wind — McCoy Tyner, arr. Rick Salonen

soloist: Kaede Nishita/Will Russell

Basically Blues — Phil Wilson

soloist: Kaede Nishita/Logan Hoeft/Oliver Ramey

I Can't Help It — Susaye Greene and Stevie Wonder, arr. Rick Salonen

soloist: Libby Thompson/Will Russell/Hayden Harp

Claudia Suite — Rick Salonen

soloist: Kaede Nishita

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PERSONNEL

Will Russell, alto sax
Braeden Morris, alto sax
Oliver Ramey, tenor sax
Garland Watson, tenor sax
Libby Thompson, bari sax

Asher Lairmore, trumpet
Daniel Ryan, trumpet
David Luker, trumpet
Isaac Saclolo, trumpet

Caulder Toland, trombone
Logan Hoeft, trombone
Gage Johnson, trombone
Sam Gassaway, trombone

Kaede Nishita, piano
Hayden Harp, keyboard
Dakoda Tanksley, bass
Nick Budimlija, drums