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New Web Site Launched for Information  
On 2009 Eau Claire Jazz Festival

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EAU CLAIRE — The Eau Claire Jazz Festival's new Web site, [www.eauclairejazz.com](http://www.eauclairejazz.com), provides detailed information on the entire Eau Claire Jazz Festival and its 2009 guest artists, according to University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire organizers.

The site will provide current information on the festival and all jazz-related activities throughout the month of March.

Jazz fans can learn about the free activities planned for the festival, including educational clinics and master classes held on the UW-Eau Claire campus, by checking the events calendar on the Web site.

Schools and the general public can purchase tickets for concerts and other events by clicking "Get Tickets" on the main page.

As the site continues to evolve, it will include a jazz shop selling festival T-shirts and other jazz items. Jazz enthusiasts also can sign up for a monthly newsletter on the site.

Those interested in volunteering, or local artists or musicians who would like to participate in the festival, can click on "Get Involved." Festival organizers are looking for artists who would like to display jazz-inspired art or musicians interested in playing at a variety of venues.

This Web site was made possible in part through the generous support of Sitepro.com. One of the most positive outcomes of this festival, according to executive director Patty Horecki, has been the development of many partnerships with local businesses and organizations. She believes their interest in supporting these activities and events will promote a strong and vital community.

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