

JiA Catch a Rising Star

Catch A Rising Star series:

Wednesdays in June at 7:30 p.m.

ASU Kerr Cultural Center, 6110 N. Scottsdale Road, Scottsdale

Tickets: \$13 for adults, \$8 for students and seniors.

- June 3 - Jeff Libman Trio with Mike Kocour, Paul Eirik Quartet;
- June 10 - Prize Fighting Kangaroos Sax Quartet with Mary Petrich, Paul Brewer, Bryon Ruth and Scott Zimmer, youth band TBA;
- June 17 - Adam Clark Quartet with Andy Gross, youth band TBA;
- June 24 - The Mike Vax Quintet with Vax on trumpet, Tony Vacca-sax, Jack Petersen-guitar, Joel Robin-piano, Ted Sistrunk-bass and Cleve Huff-drums, youth band TBA. The Note: Mike Vax Sextet concert will double as a preview to the Prescott Jazz Summit, which takes place in late August.

Sponsored by John Dawson and The Dawson Companies Ltd. -- The Scottsdale Plaza Resort and Remington's.

Tickets are available at the Kerr box office, by phone at 480-596-2660, Ticketmaster and at the door.

This summer's "Catch A Rising Star" concerts at ASU's Kerr Cultural Center again will pair exciting young "next-generation" jazz musicians with established Valley jazz artists and mentors. Audiences have loved these energy-charged performances because they bring out the best in emerging artists and challenge their veteran counterparts for listener response. The "Catch a Rising Star" series is a great opportunity to become acquainted with some of our finest local jazz artists and to support young up-and-coming players. Make it a cool Wednesday evening family affair.