THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AT TYLER COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES SCHOOL OF PERFORMING ARTS



presents

Swingin' Into Christmas

featuring
UT Tyler Jazz Ensembles

directed by
Dr. Sarah Roberts & Mr. D.J. Rice

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2025
7:30 PM
UC THEATER

PROGRAM

Jazz Ensemble 2

Switch in Time Sammy Nestico

This Christmas Donny Hathaway & Nadine McKinnor

Arr. John Berry

Frosty the Snowman Walter "Jack" Rollins & Steve Nelson

arr. DJ Rice

Christmas Time is Here Vince Guaraldi & Lee Mendelson

arr. David Pugh

Winter Wonderland Dick Smith & Felix Bernard

arr. David Wolpe

arr. Billy Strayhorn

Peter Ilyich & Tchaikovsky

Jazz Ensemble 1

Comfort and Joy arr. Rick Hirsch

The Nutcracker Suite

I. Overature

II. Toot Tootie Toot

IV. Sugar Rum Cherry

V. Entr'acte

III. Peanut Brittle Brigade

VIII. Dance of the Floreadores

Silent Night Franz Gruber & Joseph Mohr arr. by Victor Goines

PERSONNEL

Jazz Ensemble 1

Alto Sax 1: Samuel Antonio

Alto Sax 2: Harvey Nguyen

Tenor Sax 1: Perry Perez

Tenor Sax 2: Jasper Scharp

Baritone Sax: Jovanny Morales

Trumpet 1: Mitchell Gilbert

Trumpet 2: Nicholas Nard

Trumpet 3: Dominic Theriot

Trumpet 4: Zachary Paul

Trumpet 5: Sebastian Hernandez

Trombone 1: Logan Kendrick

Trombone 2: Isaac Sanders

Trombone 3: Caitlynn Vanzandt

Trombone 4: Taylor See

Guitar: Connor Wilcoxson

Piano: Sam Hooker

Bass: Daniel Holms

Drums: Manases Nieto and Connor Wilcoxson

Jazz Ensemble 2

Alto Sax: Gracie Sexton

Tenor Sax: Bradley Guitierrez

Tenor Sax: Mia Tamez

Bari Sax: Keelyn McCary

Trumpet: Timothy Davis

Trumpet: Sebastian Hernandez

Trombone: Logan Kendrick

Percussion: Zackary Gee

Piano: Diana Childress

Fall 2025 School of Performing Arts Events				
DAY	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	EVENT
Fri	Dec 5	7 pm	UC Theater	Swingin' Into Christmas with UT Tyler Jazz
Sat	Dec 6	7:30 pm	St. Mary Magdalene Catholic Church	Choral Christmas Concert
Tue	Jan 16	12:30pm	BRH	The Hunchback of Notre Dame
Thu	Jan 22	7 pm	BRH	Fortepiano Recital

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