



**Downtowners Optimist Band Festival**  
**Jazz Bands**  
March 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> 2016  
**Adjudicators**

Donny Kennedy

Scott Prebys

Bill Kristjanson

**Tone Production/ Sound**

(Posture, Hand Position, Breath)

**Musical Line**

(Dynamics, Tone, Balance, Blend, Articulations, Style)

**Technical Considerations**

(Articulations, Pulse/Time, Rhythms)

**Improvisation**

(Ideas, Development, etc.)

**Rhythm Section**

i) **Piano / Guitar / Vibes**  
(Voicings, Comping, Style, Time)

ii) **Drums**  
(Time, Fills, Set Ups, Balance)

iii) **Bass**  
(Time, Sound, Lines)

**Grade:**  Gold  Silver  Bronze  Comments only

Adjudicator's signature: