

PRESS RELEASE – March 30, 2012

York Region's Aurora jazz+ Festival makes Top 100 list in 3 short years!

The fledgling Aurora jazz+ Festival has been officially recognized as one of the **Top 100 Festivals & Events of 2012 in Ontario** by Festival & Events Ontario!

“Festival & Events Ontario: Top 100 Ontario Festivals Program

“Each year, Festivals and Events Ontario recognizes and celebrates the many top-notch festivals and events our province currently enjoys through the annual Top 100 Ontario Festivals program. The Top 100 Ontario Festivals program acknowledges excellence in the province's festivals and events industry and the Top 100 designation carries the highest visibility of all of FEO's awards programs.

There is significant market value in being named in the Top 100, including specialized promotion in the annual Festivals and Events In Ontario Guide which boasts a readership of 750,000. Top 100 Ontario Festivals recipients are also encouraged to incorporate the Top 100 logo into their promotional materials and websites.” FEO web

Organizers of the Aurora jazz+ Festival are pleased the work of so many community volunteers during 2009, 2010 and 2011 brought this prestigious acknowledgment of excellence to our music/arts festival in York Region. Congratulations to all our dedicated Volunteers!

AjF is proud to be among the Top 100 Festivals/Events in Ontario!

It is the only Festival with such recognition in York Region

We thank our Sponsors, Board of Directors, dedicated Volunteers, Vendors and local Musical/Visual Artists who made this possible.

2012 Sponsors, Vendors and Volunteers Wanted!

Please mark your calendars for 2012 Aurora jazz+ Festival

Friday August 3rd-Sunday August 5th - Town Park Aurora

Friday 6-10pm :: Saturday 2-10pm :: Sunday 1-10pm

*Two Stages provide non-stop musical entertainment featuring 85% local talent

Several Bands, Trios, Orchestras & Solo musical acts

* Visual Artists –live painting on site; Silent Art Auction

* Food Vendors - Vegan, Asian, Caribbean, Salads, Big Grill, Chip Wagon;

* Artisan Vendors * A Beer & Wine Garden * Kids Craft Blast Zone

* Complete information available on-line or call

www.aurorajazzfest.com Sher St. Kitts - 905 841 6893

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Aurora-Jazz-Festival/>

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