

# JAZZ



*LeRoy Neiman '03*

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To increase awareness of this original American art form, the Smithsonian's National Museum of American History in 2002 launched Jazz Appreciation Month, or JAM. Since then, a distinguished roster of partners and jazz greats have pitched in to promote this international celebration of jazz.

What can you do to promote JAM? Participate, appreciate, and educate. Share your passion. As a musician, donate a performance or lecture to your local school. As a fan, take someone to a jazz concert. Share your favorite jazz CD or book with a friend. Everyone can bring the uninitiated into the music, history, and joy of jazz.

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