



Capital One City Parks Foundation SummerStage Announces 2025 Season

**Opening Night on Wednesday, June 4
Featuring Free Performances from
Marcus Miller, Tank and the Bangas, and The Soul Rebels
in association with Blue Note Jazz Festival**

**2025 Season Highlights Include The Roots, Soccer Mommy,
Femi Kuti & The Positive Force, Rakim,
Celia Cruz Centennial Celebration, Big Freedia, Camilo,
Jessica Pratt, Bob Sinclair, IZA, Hurray for the Riff Raff, Awich,
Frankie Negrón, La Sonora Poceña,
Morgan Freeman's Symphonic Blues and more**

**Benefit Concerts Featuring James Blunt, Patrice Roberts, Rilo Kiley,
Alan Walker, Astropical, Kes, The Saw Doctors,
The Head & The Heart, Jacob Collier and others**

**Season Will Celebrate NYC's Cultural Communities and
Feature Artists as Guest Curators, including
MIKE, Rhiannon Giddens, King Britt, NEMS, DJ Rekha, and Funk Flex**

**Charlie Parker Jazz Festival Returns with
Ron Carter's Great Big Band,
Dee Dee Bridgewater & Bill Charlap, Bertha Hope Quintet
and many others**

April 23, 2025 -- New York, NY -- **City Parks Foundation is thrilled to announce the 2025 season of Capital One City Parks Foundation SummerStage, New York City's iconic outdoor performing arts festival, bringing more than 70 free and benefit shows to Central Park and 13 neighborhood parks across the five boroughs.** Returning for its 39th year, the festival will once again showcase established and emerging artists, highlighting an expansive array of talent, from diverse performances from across the globe to artists serving



as curators to iconic DJs showcasing cultural sonic journeys. The robust lineup will feature a multitude of genres including jazz, hip-hop, indie-rock, salsa, reggae, Afrobeat, soul, pop, global, contemporary dance, and more. **View the official SummerStage 2025 season announcement video [here](#) and the full season brochure [here](#).**

Neighborhood parks hosting SummerStage this season include Marcus Garvey Park in Harlem, Tompkins Square Park in the East Village, Herbert Von King Park and The Coney Island Amphitheater in Brooklyn, Flushing Meadows-Corona Park in Queens, St. Mary's Park and Crotona Park in the Bronx, Stapleton Waterfront Park on Staten Island, and SummerStage's flagship venue Rumsey Playfield in Central Park. Performances will be free and open to the public, with the exception of ticketed benefit concerts in Central Park. More information is available at www.SummerStage.org.

*"I am thrilled to announce our 2025 SummerStage lineup, a stellar reflection of what makes our festival so unique and beloved," said **Heather Lubov, Executive Director of City Parks Foundation**. "The huge variety of artists we're presenting and the parks where we're located reflect our city's demographic and cultural diversity, but they also serve to unite us as neighbors and as lovers of music, regardless of our differences."*

This year's festival will continue to champion our city's diversity, uplift women performers, and bring artists from across the globe to New York City. **Opening the 2025 season on Wednesday, June 4 in Central Park** will be an exuberant free show bringing the genre-blending rhythms of New Orleans to NYC. The show will be headlined by illustrious two time GRAMMY-winning jazz bassist, multi-instrumentalist and composer **Marcus Miller**, and will also include performances by the dynamic GRAMMY-winning New Orleans R&B soul/funk group **Tank and the Bangas**, and New Orleans' high-energy eight-piece brass ensemble fusing funk, jazz and hip-hop, **The Soul Rebels**.

The season's free shows in Central Park will spotlight an incredible array of artists from around the world. **THE AUSSIE BBQ** will return on June 14 featuring the latest sounds from down under including father and son hip-hop duo **Flewnt and Inkabee**, hypnotic indie-pop artist **Gordi**, compelling singer-songwriter **Grace Cummings**, electronic music duo **PINES**, garage rock trio **The Grogans**, and a special appearance from the iconic children's music group **The Wiggles**; on June 15, we will welcome our first Nordic sounds showcase **Nordic Next** treating fans to a sampling of sounds including soulful Norwegian indie-pop singer-songwriter **Jakob**, Swedish indie-folk singer **Sarah Klång** and Danish art-pop violist and singer-songwriter **Astrid Sonne**. **New York Sings Yiddish** will return on June 30 showcasing Yiddish music and folklore with performances by leading Yiddish musician/multi-instrumentalist **Zalmen Mlotek** and world-renowned klezmer/jazz fusion group **Frank London's Klezmer All Stars**; while GRAMMY-nominated Toronto R&B singer-songwriter **Charlotte Day Wilson** and acclaimed Canadian folk-rock band **The Weather Station** will provide a taste of Canada's music scene on July 2.

The annual **Latin Alternative Music Conference (LAMC)** will return to Central Park for two



performances: on July 9 with Colombian Latin pop band **Morat** alongside punk-reggaeton band **Planta Industrial**, and on July 12 with acclaimed Colombian singer-songwriter and six-time Latin GRAMMY winner **Camilo** and Colombian pop singer and Latin GRAMMY 2024 Best New Artist winner **Ela Taubert**. The sounds of France will take center stage on July 13 celebrating **Bastille Day**, showcasing performances by veteran French house DJ **Bob Sinclar**, hip-hop brother duo **Big Flo & Oli**, popular singer-songwriter and actor **Patrick Bruel**, and pianist and singer-songwriter **ESTL**.

One of the season's standout shows will be on July 27, when groundbreaking Nigerian global music superstar **Femi Kuti** - eldest son of Afrobeat pioneer Fela Kuti - will take the stage with his celebrated group **The Positive Force** for an electrifying performance. Joining the show are hip-hop legends **dead prez**, in celebration of their 30th anniversary, and poet **Maryam Bukar Hassan**.

On August 3, **Taiwanese Waves** will present a mix of music and dance celebrating indigenous Taiwan culture including contemporary dance company **Bulareyaung Dance Company**, top indigenous Paiwan pop star **ABAO**, and ethereal singer-songwriter **Enno Cheng**. Additional highlights this season include esteemed dance company **Ballet Hispánico** on August 7; Academy Award-winning actor and icon **Morgan Freeman** presenting **Morgan Freeman's Symphonic Blues**, showcasing classic Delta Blues hits backed by a symphony orchestra on August 2; internationally acclaimed Brazilian singer **IZA** on August 31; Japanese hip-hop star **Awich** on September 14; and two tour de force indie-rockers, **Soccer Mommy** and **Hurray for the Riff Raff**, on September 16.

SummerStage shows in neighborhood parks will include performances at Herbert Von King Park in Brooklyn's Bedford-Stuyvesant neighborhood with New Orleans bounce queen **Big Freedia** performing her dynamic new gospel/rap/bounce project, paired with Black trans femme choreographer - and legend in the ballroom community - **Courtney "Balenciaga" Washington's MasterZ at Work** on July 10. Trailblazing Philadelphia hip-hop band (and beloved house band of "The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon") **The Roots** will perform at Flushing Meadows-Corona Park in Queens on July 20, and in the Bronx's Crotona Park, tropical/salsa star **Frankie Negrón** will perform on July 31. New York's legendary and highly influential hip-hop MC **Rakim** will hit the stage at Stapleton Waterfront Park on Staten Island on August 9, and the legendary and influential salsa band from Puerto Rico, **La Sonora Ponceña**, will bring their classic rhythms to Stapleton Waterfront Park on August 10.

*"It's a joy to program a festival that authentically celebrates New York City and the diverse communities we serve. We strive each summer to collaborate with artists and curate shows to honor cultural movements, artistic communities, and the current sounds and styles that resonate with New Yorkers." said **Erika Elliott, Executive Artistic Director of SummerStage**. "We are extremely proud of the 2025 season, with this year's programming giving a platform to artists and communities to celebrate the vibrant tapestry and cultural landscape of our city. From jazz to hip-hop and everything in between, we're thrilled to bring these performances to the heart of each borough, celebrating the distinctly artistic expression that*



makes our city so unique."

SummerStage is giving artists and DJs expanded opportunities to collaborate as curating partners, putting their stamp on SummerStage showcases. **MIKE'S Young World V** will feature two leading underground hip-hop impresarios and collaborators **ROC Marciano & The Alchemist** (with other guests to be announced on July 12) in Brooklyn's Herbert Von King Park; **DJ Rekha will return** to Flushing Meadows-Corona Park in Queens to create her iconic **Basement Bhangra Beyond** dance show with London-based Punjabi singer-songwriter **Tara Lily** and more on July 19; Coney Island local **NEMS** will present the second iteration of his hip-hop festival **GORILLAFEST** on July 26; **Funk Flex** will celebrate the sounds of hip-hop and R&B across the boroughs with several shows (the Bronx on August 1, Coney Island on August 16, and Central Park on August 17); and renowned DJ, producer, and visionary artist **King Britt** will bring his innovative **Blacktronika Festival** with back-to-back, stacked performances in Central Park on August 16 and Marcus Garvey Park on August 17.

SummerStage will continue to amplify women in music, with the 2025 season showcasing new female artists igniting the scene and veterans who continue to pave the way. In Central Park, Bluegrass and Americana powerhouse **Rhiannon Giddens** will bring a rockin' show to Central Park on June 25; celebrated Indian-American singer-songwriter **Asha Puthli** will play on July 23; and folk singer **Jessica Pratt** will bring her distinct style on July 24. The **Celia Cruz Celebration** will pay tribute to the legendary Queen of Salsa's centennial on August 9 with performances by Latin GRAMMY and GRAMMY-winning Cuban singer, pianist and actress **Aymée Nuviola**, who also portrayed Celia Cruz in the Colombian telenovela "Celia," and noted Afro-Cuban singer and multi-instrumentalist **Brenda Navarrete**. To close out the free season in Central Park, **Soccer Mommy** will bring her indie-pop sound for a show alongside **Hurray for the Riff Raff** and **Dummy**.

SummerStage will return to **The Coney Island Amphitheater** in Brooklyn this summer for six free shows. In addition to NEMS Presents: GORILLAFEST and the Funk Flex Birthday Day Party, the lineup will also include veteran funk/jazz band **Lettuce** with **Styles P** on June 14, salsa singer **Tony Vega** on August 8, and the annual **Chol Hamoed Spectacular: The Yeshiva Boys Choir** on October 9.

The **Charlie Parker Jazz Festival**, New York City's annual salute to the eponymous late saxophonist, will return for its 33rd year as a three-day celebration of live jazz in the neighborhoods near where Parker worked and lived, Harlem's historic **Marcus Garvey Park** and **Tompkins Square Park** in the East Village. Running August 22 - 24, the festival will feature a blend of renowned artists alongside an emerging wave of jazz performers, including the prolific jazz bassist **Ron Carter's Great Big Band**, trumpet player and multi-instrumentalist **Nicholas Payton**, accomplished jazz pianist **Bertha Hope Quintet**, rising jazz vocalist **Georgia Heers**, legendary TONY and GRAMMY-winning jazz vocalist **Dee Dee Bridgewater** with celebrated jazz pianist **Bill Charlap**, brilliant jazz saxophonist and his influential jazz group **Gary Bartz: NTU Troop**, and the noted NYC jazz ensemble **The Jazz Gallery All-Stars**, among others. Additional jazz events will be held across the city, with



more performers to be announced in the coming months.

The 2025 SummerStage season will also feature **ticketed benefit shows in Central Park** to help underwrite the festival's free performances. Live Nation, the official producer of SummerStage benefit concerts, will present Trinidadian soca singer **Patrice Roberts** on May 17; Norwegian DJ and record producer **Alan Walker** on May 31; South American supergroup **Astropical** (Bomba Estereo and Rawayana) on June 1; reggaeton singer **Yandel** performing with a live orchestra on June 7; musical duo **The Driver Era** on June 9; English singer-songwriter **James Blunt** and Canadian singer and songwriter **Forest Blakk** on June 17; rapper **Noname** and R&B singer **Ravyn Lenae** honoring Juneteenth on June 18; Trinidadian soca group **KES** on July 5 and July 6 (both are sold out); Christian singer-songwriter **Chris Tomlin** on July 11; Irish rock band **The Saw Doctors** on July 26; Indie-folk band **The Head & The Heart** on July 30; English singer-songwriter **Jacob Collier** on August 1; Indie-rock band **Rilo Kiley** on September 8 (sold out), and others to be announced.

As a women-run festival with a mission to reflect the diversity of our city and its residents, SummerStage has helped to transform the future of the music industry by participating in the PRS Foundation's international Keychange pledge since 2019, presenting an annual lineup that features at minimum a 50:50 gender balance. SummerStage is one of the few local festivals that has achieved this goal through their commitment to diversity in its programming and a consistent, year-over-year minimum of 50% BIPOC and non-male identifying artists.

*"Capital One is thrilled to return as the title sponsor for City Parks Foundation's SummerStage concert series. This incredible partnership allows us to demonstrate our commitment to the vibrant New York City community by supporting free and accessible entertainment in parks all over the city." said **Katie Swegle, Managing Vice President at Capital One.** "The Capital One City Parks Foundation SummerStage series also unlocks exclusive benefits for our cardholders, enhancing their experience of the arts festival throughout the summer."*

Capital One is the festival's title sponsor (**Capital One City Parks Foundation SummerStage**) and its official bank and credit card. A presenting sponsor since 2015, **Capital One** has helped SummerStage bring hundreds of artists to nearly a million audience members in parks all around New York City. This Summer, eligible Capital One cardholders will have presale access to the season's ticketed Benefit Shows 24-hours before the general public, along with exclusive ticket access to select shows on [Capital One Entertainment](#). Additionally, for the first hour of each performance, from when the doors open, cardholders can use the dedicated 'Capital One Cardholder Expedited Line' at the SummerStage VIP entrance for express entry when they present their eligible Capital One card.

Capital One is also continuing two special promotions at SummerStage for concert goers. The **Capital One Best Seats On Us** campaign will invite select fans to experience a handful of shows in Central Park from a VIP viewing area. Attendees will also be encouraged to tag SummerStage on their shared Instagram concert photos for the chance to be the festival's



weekly **SummerStage #1 Fan**

Subaru will present the **2025 Subaru Music Series at SummerStage** in Central Park. This four show series will kick off on opening night with **Marcus Miller** on June 4 and continue on July 26 with **The Saw Doctors**, on July 27 with **Femi Kuti & The Positive Force**, and culminate on July 30 with **The Head & The Heart**.

The artwork for this season was designed by Jose Berrio, a NYC-based artist originally from Bogotá, Colombia. His work often features colorful, concept-driven illustrations in which typography plays an important role. To see more of his work, visit www.joseberrio.com.

The complete SummerStage schedule follows below. For the most up-to-date scheduling and lineup for all SummerStage programming, follow SummerStage via the social media handles below and visit www.SummerStage.org for all festival information.

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At City Parks Foundation, we are dedicated to invigorating and transforming parks into dynamic, vibrant centers of urban life through sports, arts, community building and education programs for all New Yorkers. Our programs -- located in more than 350 parks, recreation centers and public schools across New York City -- reach over 285,000 people each year. Our ethos is simple: thriving parks mean thriving communities.

About SummerStage

Capital One City Parks Foundation SummerStage is one of New York's most beloved, broadly accessible, free outdoor performing arts festivals. SummerStage annually presents more than 80 free and benefit performances in Central Park and neighborhood parks throughout the five boroughs reaching more than 220,000 fans. With diverse artists and performances in genres that represent the cultural fabric of New York City ranging from jazz, hip-hop, Latin, and global to indie and contemporary dance, SummerStage fills a vital niche in our City's summer arts festival landscape. Since its inception nearly 40 years ago, more than seven million people from New York City and around the world have enjoyed SummerStage.

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SummerStage 2025 Schedule

Date	Door Time	Artists	Park	Type of Show
Sat, May 17	6:00 PM	Patrice Roberts: I Am Woman	Central Park	Benefit
Sat, May 31	6:00 PM	Alan Walker	Central Park	Benefit
Sun, Jun 1	6:00 PM	Astropical (Bomba Estéreo x Rawayana)	Central Park	Benefit
Wed, Jun 4	5:00 PM	OPENING Night: Marcus Miller / Tank and the Bangas / The Soul Rebels in association with Blue Note Jazz Festival	Central Park	Free
Sat, Jun 7	6:00 PM	Yandel Sinfónico	Central Park	Benefit
Mon, Jun 9	6:30 PM	The Driver Era: Obsession Tour	Central Park	Benefit
Mon, Jun 9	7:00 PM	The Metropolitan Opera Summer Recital featuring Tessa McQueen / Hannah Jones / Sunghoon Han with pianist Mariam Bombrun	Jackie Robinson Park	Free
Wed, Jun 11	7:00 PM	The Metropolitan Opera Summer Recital featuring Tessa McQueen / Hannah Jones / Sunghoon Han with pianist Mariam Bombrun	Williamsbridge Oval	Free
Fri, Jun 13	7:00 PM	The Metropolitan Opera Summer Recital featuring Tessa McQueen / Hannah Jones / Sunghoon Han with pianist Mariam Bombrun	Stapleton Waterfront Park	Free
Fri, Jun 13	5:00 PM	Gil Scott Heron Festival in association with NYC Parks Dept & Jazz Foundation	St. Mary's Park	Free
Sat, Jun 14	2:30 PM	THE AUSSIE BBQ: Flewnt and Inkabee / Gordi / Grace Cummings / PINES / The Grogans / The Wiggles in association with Sounds Australia	Central Park	Free
Sat, Jun 14	6:00 PM	Lettuce / Styles P	Coney Island Amphitheater	Free
Sat, Jun 14	7:00 PM	The Metropolitan Opera Summer Recital featuring Janai Brugger / Jack Swanson / Benjamin Taylor with pianist Howard Watkins	Brooklyn Bridge Park	Free



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Sun, Jun 15	5:00 PM	Nordic Next: Jakob / Sarah Klang / Astrid Sonne /Joalin in partnership with the Nordic Council of Ministers	Central Park	Free
Sun, Jun 15	7:00 PM	The Metropolitan Opera Summer Recital featuring Tessa McQueen / Hannah Jones / Sunghoon Han with pianist Mariam Bombrun	Socrates Sculpture Park	Free
Mon, Jun 16	7:00 PM	The Metropolitan Opera Summer Recital featuring Janai Brugger / Jack Swanson / Benjamin Taylor with pianist Howard Watkins	Central Park	Free
Tue, Jun 17	6:00 PM	James Blunt: Back to Bedlam 20th Anniversary Tour with Forest Blakk	Central Park	Benefit
Wed, Jun 18	5:00 PM	Juneteenth with Noname / Ravyn Lenar / Fana Hues	Central Park	Benefit
Wed, Jun 25	5:00 PM	Rhiannon Giddens / Lido Pimienta	Central Park	Free
Sun, Jun 29	6:00 PM	Dreamland Pride: Headlining DJ TBA / Anne Louise / HAYLA	Central Park	Benefit
Mon, Jun 30	6:00 PM	New York Sings Yiddish: Zalmen Mlotek / Frank London's Klezmer All Stars & Celebrated Yiddish Vocalists in association with the National Yiddish Theatre Folksbiene	Central Park	Free
Wed, Jul 2	5:00 PM	Charlotte Day Wilson / The Weather Station in association with Consulate General of Canada	Central Park	Free
Sat, Jul 5	6:00 PM	Kes	Central Park	Sold Out
Sun, Jul 6	6:00 PM	Kes	Central Park	Sold Out
Wed, Jul 9	6:00 PM	LAMC: Morat / Planta Industrial	Central Park	Free
Thu, Jul 10	5:00 PM	Big Freedia / Courtney "Balenciaga" Washington's MasterZ at Work / DJ Golden at Work in association with Works & Process	Herbert Von King Park	Free
Fri, Jul 11	6:00 PM	Chris Tomlin: Worship Under the Stars	Central Park	Benefit
Thu, Jul 11	5:00 PM	Laila! / Sasha Keable / Talia Goddess in association with COLORS x STUDIOS	Herbert Von King Park	Free



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Sat, Jul 12	4:00 PM	MIKE's Young World V: ROC Marciano & The Alchemist and more	Herbert Von King Park	Free
Sat, Jul 12	5:00 PM	LAMC: Camilo / Ela Taubert / Guitarricadelafuente	Central Park	Free
Sun, Jul 13	5:00 PM	Bastille Day: Bob Sinclar / Big Flo & Oli / Patrick Bruel / ESTL in association with the Consulate General of France	Central Park	Free
Sun, Jul 13	4:00 PM	Palmwine Festival NYC: Show Dem Camp & Friends	Herbert Von King Park	Free
Sat, Jul 19	6:00 PM	DJ Rekha's Basement Bhangra Beyond: Tara Lily / Sonny Singh + Guests	Flushing Meadows-Corona Park	Free
Sun, Jul 20	7:00 PM	The Roots	Flushing Meadows-Corona Park	Free
Wed, Jul 23	5:00 PM	Cymande / Asha Puthli / Zacchae'us Paul presents Jazz Money / K.Tea in association with Giantstep	Central Park	Free
Thu, Jul 24	5:00 PM	Jessica Pratt / Cameron Winter / Daryl Johns	Central Park	Free
Sat, Jul 26	6:00 PM	The Saw Doctors	Central Park	Benefit
Sat, Jul 26	4:00 PM	NEMS Presents: GORILLAFEST	Coney Island Amphitheater	Free
Sun, Jul 27	5:00 PM	Femi Kuti & The Positive Force / dead prez / Rich Medina / Maryam Bukar Hassan	Central Park	Free
Wed, Jul 30	6:00 PM	The Head & The Heart: Aperture Tour	Central Park	Benefit
Thu, Jul 31	5:00 PM	Frankie Negrón / Christian Alicea / Funk Salsa Urban	Crotona Park	Free
Fri, Aug 1	6:00 PM	Hip-Hop Appreciation Park Jam & Barbecue Curated by Doug E. Fresh & Funk Flex	Crotona Park	Free
Fri, Aug 1	6:00 PM	Jacob Collier: Djesse World Tour	Central Park	Benefit
Sat, Aug 2	6:00 PM	KiDi / Skrewfaze / DJ Chvmeleon in association with GhanaFest-NY	Crotona Park	Free
Sun, Aug 3	5:00 PM	Taiwanese Waves: Bulareyaung Dance Company / ABAO + Nanguaq Girls / Enno Cheng	Central Park	Free



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Thu, Aug 7	7:00 PM	Ballet Hispánico	Central Park	Free
Fri, Aug 8	6:00 PM	Tony Vega / La Excelencia / Ariacne Trujilo	Coney Island Amphitheater	Free
Sat, Aug 9	6:00 PM	Rakim / Positive K / Joe Ski Love / Nice & Smooth / DJ Chubby Chub / Hosted by Video Music Box Ralph McDaniels in association with Uncle Chase Entertainment	Stapleton Waterfront Park	Free
Sat, Aug 9	6:00 PM	Celia Cruz Celebration: Isaac Delgado / Aymee Nuviola / Brenda Navarrete & guests	Central Park	Free
Sun, Aug 10	5:00 PM	La Sonora Ponceña / Judy Torres / Linda EPO / DJ Millo in association with Maker Park Radio	Stapleton Waterfront Park	Free
Sun, Aug 10	5:00 PM	The Originals featuring Rich Medina, Stretch Armstrong and Tony Touch	Central Park	Free
Fri, Aug 15	7:00 PM	Artist TBA - in partnership with Jazzmobile SUMMERFEST	Marcus Garvey Park	Free
Sat, Aug 16	4:00 PM	Blacktronika Festival: Phuture / Waajeed / Rimarkable / Joe Claussell / Charlie Dark / King Britt	Central Park	Free
Sat, Aug 16	6:00 PM	Funk Flex Birthday Party: Carl Thomas / Christopher Williams / Soul for Real / Gina Thompson / Allure / Music by Funk Flex	Coney Island Amphitheater	Free
Sat, Aug 16	6:00 PM	The Soapbox Presents: Run It Back: An Ode to the Art of the Sample	Marcus Garvey Park	Free
Sun, Aug 17	5:00 PM	Blacktronika Festival: Black Quantum Futurism featuring Moor Mother & Rasheedah Phillips / Vijay Iyer, Shana Redmond & LaFrae Sci / Joy Guidry & Niecy Blues / Sonic Messengers / King Britt	Marcus Garvey Park	Free
Sun, Aug 17	6:00 PM	Funk Flex R&B Birthday Picnic	Central Park	Free
Fri, Aug 22	7:00 PM	Charlie Parker Jazz Festival: Ron Carter's Great Big Band / April May Webb in partnership with Jazzmobile	Marcus Garvey Park	Free
Sat, Aug 23	3:00 PM	Charlie Parker Jazz Festival: Nicholas Payton / Bertha Hope Quintet / Georgia Heers	Marcus Garvey Park	Free
Sun, Aug 24	3:00 PM	Charlie Park Jazz Festival: Dee Dee	Marcus Garvey	Free



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		Bridgewater & Bill Charlap / Gary Bartz: Ntu Troop / The Jazz Gallery All-Stars Feat. Miguel Zenon, Joel Ross, Kendrick Scott, Renee Neufville / Lucia	Park	
Wed, Aug 27	7:00 PM	Morgan Freeman's Symphonic Blues in partnership with Park Avenue Artists	Central Park	Free
Sun, Aug 31	5:00 PM	IZA / Ilê Aiyê / Evandro Fióti in association with 29th Inffinito Brazilian Film Festival	Central Park	Free
Mon, Sep 8	6:00 PM	Rilo Kiley	Central Park	Sold Out
Sun, Sep 14	5:00 PM	Awich & Friends	Central Park	Free
Tue, Sep 16	5:00 PM	Soccer Mommy / Hurray for the Ruff Raff / Dummy	Central Park	Free
Thu, Oct 9	1:00 PM	The Chol Hamoed Spectacular: The Yeshiva Boys Choir	Coney Island Amphitheater	Free

*All show times and artists are subject to change