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Who we are . . .

CASSWA is a community of clarinet and saxophone enthusiasts that supports projects that will benefit clarinet and saxophone performance, provides opportunities for the exchange of ideas, materials and information amongst its members, and encourages and promotes the learning, teaching and performance of a wide variety of repertoire and skills for the clarinet and saxophone community in Western Australia.

What we offer . . .

2015 events include:

- 3 May: Ensemble Day for clarinet students in their 2nd or 3rd year of learning.
- 14 June: ClariSaxFeast 2015.
- 30 August: Year 11 and 12 Performance Rehearsal Day.

CASSWA members also receive special ticket prices to selected WASO concerts, and discounts at supporting music retailers (Theo's Music: 10% discount; Tempest Music: 10% discount; Concept Music: 15% off accessories; Sound Centre: 15% discount. All discounts exclude sale items).

The Clarinet and Saxophone Society of WA Presents

ClariSaxFeast 2015

Sunday 14th June 2015, 9am—3pm
University of WA School of Music

Join fellow clarinet and saxophone enthusiasts at CASSWA's seventh annual ClariSaxFeast, featuring the music of British composer and saxophonist Andy Scott. In 2015 welcome back Ashley Smith as guest clarinettist, Allan Meyer (clarinet), Dr Matt Styles (saxophone), the WA Clarinet Quartet and the Perth Saxophone Collective.

Join us for a day full of workshops, ensemble playing, and performances by fantastic musicians. See product displays from our musical sponsors and mingle with fellow musicians of all ages. There will be opportunities to play (in a friendly and non-threatening group environment!) so make sure to bring your instrument

**Large displays of instruments,
accessories & music for sale!**
Bring your clarinets and saxophones!

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Ashley Smith



Described as “Incandescent... a masterly display of skill and insight... as an apologist for contemporary music-making, you would search hard to find this young clarinettist's equal” (The Age), clarinettist Ashley William Smith has emerged as one of Australia's most internationally demanded young musicians. The current Churchill Fellow, Ashley is a laureate of two of Australia's most prestigious prizes for classical musicians, the 2012 Music Council of Australia Freedman Fellowship and the ABC Symphony International Young Performer Award (other instrument category). Ashley is an Assistant Professor at the University of Western Australia where he is the Head of Woodwind and Contemporary Performance.

Internationally, Ashley has performed throughout the USA and Asia including performances with Bang on a Can, the Chamber Music Society of the Lincoln Center, the Kennedy Center and the Beijing Modern Music Festival. Ashley's recent international engagements include performances in the USA with Chamber Music Northwest. Domestically, Ashley has performed as a soloist with several of Australia's major orchestras, including a recent appearance with the West Australian Symphony Orchestra in a new concerto by Lachlan Skipworth. In 2015 he performs as an Associate Artist with the Southern Cross Soloists.

Ashley is a Fellow of the Australian National Academy of Music and a graduate of the University of Western Australia and Yale University. At each institution Ashley received prizes as the most outstanding performance graduate.

2015 program

- 9am: Registration.
9:30am: Welcome.
Sax ensembles with Dr Matt Styles;
Clarinet ensembles with Wayne G'Froerer
10:30am: Morning tea break.
Sponsor displays open.
11:15am: Workshops. Saxes with Matt Styles and a surprise special guest: Back to Basics; Tips for Ensemble Playing. Clarinets with Ashley Smith, Allan Meyer, Sue King & Wayne G'Froerer: Back to Basics; First time with an Accompanist; Clarinet Masterclass.
12:45pm: Lunch break.
Sponsors displays open.
1:30pm: Grand Concert featuring our surprise special guest playing the music of Andy Scott, Ashley Smith, Matt Styles, Perth Saxophone Collective, the WA Clarinet Quartet and the ClariSaxFeast Wind Ensemble.

A light morning tea will be provided; please bring your own lunch or money for the on-site coffee and snack van.

Registration 2015

This year CASSWA is pleased to offer registration online! **Register online by 10 June** to go into the draw to win a prize!

Go to www.casswa.com to register.

Fees

Adult: \$65 Concession: \$35

Membership

Entry to ClariSaxFeast automatically includes CASSWA membership until June 2016.

Payment methods

Credit card (at time of online registration only).

EFT: please identify payment with your name. Deposit details: BSB: 306-050 Account: 061 5000.

Cash and cheque payments only are available at the door. Please make cheques payable to *Clarinet and Saxophone Society of Western Australia Inc.*

Cancellations

Please note that CASSWA incurs non-recoverable costs per registration; All cancellations will therefore incur a \$5 cancellation fee. Cancellations made on or after 10 June are fully non-refundable.

