



## OLIVER JONES TRIO

**Launches the 6<sup>th</sup> season of the Segal Centre's *Power Jazz* Series**  
**Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2013 at 8:00 p.m.**

**Montreal, September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2013** – Back for a sixth season of inspiring jazz in the intimacy of the Segal Studio, the *Power Jazz* Series launches with an interactive concert featuring none other than one of Canada's greatest jazz pianists, **Oliver Jones** on **Sunday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> at 8:00 p.m.**

Accompanied by the other members of the acclaimed Oliver Jones Trio, bassist **Éric Lagacé** and drummer **Jim Doxas**, the grandmaster of hard swing will perform a one of a kind two-part concert. Part one will be dedicated to songs from the greats of the American Songbook: Gershwin, Ellington and Mr. Jones' mentor Oscar Peterson. Lucky audience members will have the chance to request their favourite songs and hear them performed by the Trio during part two of the concert.

Officer of the Order of Canada, winner of five Juno Awards, and mentor to countless aspiring musicians, Oliver Jones is a Canadian musical institution and the definition of Montreal jazz.

### Did you know?

- Oliver Jones officially retired in 2000, but still exercises his jazz chops on stages across the country.
- Jones has over 20 albums to his credit, the most recent *Just for My Lady* was released this Spring.
- In recognition of his contribution to Canadian Jazz, Jones was honoured with his own Canada Post Stamp in February 2013.
- The legendary jazzman will turn 80 in September 2014.

For a full artist biography, please click [here](#).

**Tickets from \$39 to \$49**

### 2013-2014 *Power Jazz* Series: From John Coltrane to Ben Charest and Steve Swallow

The 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of John Coltrane's monumental album *A Love Supreme* is in the spotlight when Montreal big band **Altsys Jazz Orchestra** perform on Sunday, October 20<sup>th</sup>. The *Power Jazz* Series then continues with virtuoso saxophonist **Cameron Wallis** on December 1<sup>st</sup>, pianist **Julie Lamontagne** on February 9<sup>th</sup>, and *Triplettes de Belleville* composer **Ben Charest** on March 2<sup>nd</sup>, as part of Festival Montréal en lumière. A highlight of the season, illustrious American bassist and composer **Steve Swallow** will accompany Montreal's own **Doxas Brothers** and **Andre White** for the *Power Jazz* closing concert on April 27<sup>th</sup>. This is a rare opportunity to see such a legendary, international jazz artist up close and personal.

Tickets for the whole season are now on sale! *Power Jazz* Subscriptions also available, call the box office for more details.

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