



The Duke Ellington Society (TDES, Inc.)

Celebrating the music of Duke Ellington

Wednesday, June 18, 2008 at 7:30PM

Saint Peter's Church; Lexington Avenue at 54 Street

Please note: Because of the construction now under way at the Church, you cannot enter on 54th Street. Please use the Church's entrance on Lexington Avenue, which will be open once again.

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING and FILM PROGRAM

Part 1: ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

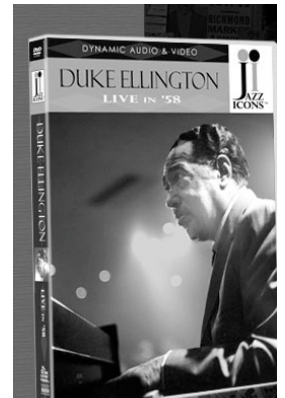
The by-laws of TDES, Inc. require that a quorum of ten percent of dues-paying members (453) as of March 1, attend an officially announced business meeting in order to conduct the business of our not-for-profit corporation. We cannot start the business meeting unless 50 paid members or their proxies are identified. Participation in the business meeting is restricted to dues-paying members. Guests and friends may observe the proceedings and enjoy the program that follows.

1. Minutes of the June 2007 Business meeting (Eden Eskin, Recording Secretary)
2. President's Report (Ray Carman)
3. Treasurer's Report (Marlene Carman)
4. Corresponding Secretary's Report (Morris Hodara)
5. Music Committee's Report (Judy Maxwell)
6. Election of Officers (Frank McGarry, Chairperson of Nominating Committee)
7. Proposed Student Dues

Part 2: ELLINGTON VIDEO DELIGHTS

Once again, we are in for a treat watching DVDs featuring Duke Ellington. Richard Ehrenzeller, who has in past years regaled us with outstanding videos, will play selections from the following DVDs:

1. *Duke, The Last Jam Session* (much of this material wound up on the Pablo album *Duke's Big 4*). The film on this DVD was released for the first time ever in March 2008.
2. *Duke Ellington—Live in '58* (recently released). We'll be selling it in the future. This is the first known full-length film of an Ellington concert.
3. *Norman Granz Presents Improvisation*.



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