

Greetings Current Jam Alumni!

With Current Jam 2023 less than three months off, work is getting underway to prepare for a fantastic week of performances, culminating in the official 50th Anniversary celebration on Saturday, May 20 before, during, and after the 1:00pm matinee. We're looking forward to welcoming back many of you that day, along with former directors, choreographers, and other individuals who have played important roles in reaching this milestone!

We are beginning to gather photos and other Current Jam memorabilia from throughout the decades. This is where we need your immediate help! Do you have an album or box of photos from your Current Jam years? Maybe you saved a ticket or newspaper clipping. Whatever C.J. still image or document you want to share, we want to see it! (We already have every program except for 1974; anybody out there have that one?)

At this time, we are only gathering digitized images, and we have set up a photo sharing account to gather everything you have to offer. It is divided into the five decades, as this is how we hope to organize the displays. Here are the

directions to submit images:

1973 - 1982 images: visit https://dropevent.com/edinaCJ73thru82

- 1983 1992 images: visit https://dropevent.com/edinaCJ83thru92
- 1993 2002 images: visit https://dropevent.com/edinaCJ93thru02
- 2003 2012 images: visit https://dropevent.com/edinaCJ03thru12

2013 - present images: visit <u>https://dropevent.com/edinaCJ13thru22</u>

- Click "Add Photos" at the top (on a phone/tablet, it's in the three horizontal lines in the upper right corner)
- Enter your email •
- Select the photos you wish to submit (they must already be on your device) and click "Add" •
- You should receive a "Success!" alert when the upload is complete giving you buttons to either "Upload • More" or "View Album." We encourage you to click the X in the upper right corner because you can then scroll down and add captions to each photo.
- When possible, please caption each image with the year, as well as names of any participants that can be easily seen. Large-group shots obviously do not need identification of individuals.
- After you finish submitting images, you can view the gallery to check out what others have contributed.

Finally, an alternate way to submit your images is to email them! Simply attach one image per email message, write the photo caption as the email subject, and send them to the proper decade using the email addresses below:

1973 - 1982: edinaCJ73thru82@dropevent.com

1983 - 1992: edinaCJ83thru92@dropevent.com

1993 - 2002: edinaCJ93thru02@dropevent.com

2003 - 2012: edinaCJ03thru12@dropevent.com

2013 - present: edinaCJ13thru22@dropevent.com

Thank you for sharing your Current Jam memories and making this anniversary extra special! Stay tuned for more details about the May 20th celebration to be announced soon and be sure to save that date!

Sincerely,

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