



JUPITER Canada
Performing Artist



Tony Carlucci

Perhaps one of the busiest musicians in the Canadian music scene, Tony Carlucci has done it all. From contractor to band leader to sideman, Tony's career has literally taken him around the world. It is difficult to find Tony at rest during a typical week, if he's not out running to stay in shape then most likely he is out performing somewhere.



Tony began playing trumpet at 9 years of age and by 11 he was playing around Toronto on the weekends and studying with Canada's premiere brass instructor Don Johnson. At 15 years old Tony was already performing in Toronto's musical scene playing *West Side Story* and other Broadway Musicals. After leaving Humber College at age 22, Tony toured the

Pacific islands with Frankie Stevens acting as musical director and arranger for several years.

Tony's career went into a new direction when he formed his own award winning group Synthetic Earth that went on to win many international Jazz awards. Tony also pursued a journalistic side to his career writing many articles for Canadian Musician magazine and The Jazz Report.

Recently Tony has realized one of his life long ambitions in starting the group ***Brass Transit***. Like most horn players, Tony has always loved the sounds of the early 1970's horn bands like Tower of Power, Blood, Sweat & Tears, and Chicago. Brass Transit is more than a tribute band to the music of Chicago, Tony's newest group has actually been asked to perform at venues where Chicago could not perform due to scheduling difficulties. The acceptance from Chicago's management has given Brass Transit a gateway to once again perform around the world.

Tony and Brass Transit have recently signed a US management deal with 6 time Grammy award winning producer Joe Donofrio that is sure to see Brass Transit at even more venues across North America. With many more events planned over the next year here are just a few of Brass Transit's upcoming gigs;

Aug 28th - Los Angeles - VCC in Woodlands - Free Concert
<http://valleycultural.org/concerts-movies/>

Sept. 3rd - Lexington Michigan, the Lexington Music Theatre
<http://www.lexmtc.com/>

Sept 10-11 Suncoast Casino in Las Vegas
<http://www.suncoastcasino.com/whats-new/events/brass-transit-sept10-11>

Oct. 22, 2011
Allentown Symphony Hall

April 25, 2012
Brock University, Centre for the Arts.



Back row: Neil Donell, Jay Speziale, Doug Gibson, Phil Poppa
Front row: Bob McAlpine, Paul Delong, Tony Carlucci, Don Breithaupt

Take the time to visit www.brasstransit.com and view the band's videos, you will be knocked out by the groups dedication not only to the Chicago sound but also to the incredible polish of the band's performances. If you get an opportunity to see Brass Transit live, don't miss it.

JUPITER Canada is proud and excited to have Tony as a JUPITER performing artist. Tony currently plays on a JUPITER 1602S-SRB3 XO trumpet and 1246L flugel horn. You can see Tony's complete bio on his Artist page at www.jupitercanada.com.