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JAMES MOODY AND JOE NEWMAN QUINTET KICK OFF JAZZ SEGMENT OF MUSEUM OF MODERN ART JAZZ IN THE GARDEN CONCERT SERIES, THURSDAY, JULY 3, 8:30 P.M.

James Moody and Joe Newman Quintet kicks off the jazz segment of the "Jazz in the Garden" concert series at The Museum of Modern Art on Thursday, July 3, at 8:30 p.m.

A long-time-featured player with Dizzy Gillespie, Moody is joined by popular trumpeter Joe Newman in a five-member group including Mike Longo, Candy Finch and Jimmy Merritt.

Heading up the jazz half of the ten-concert series will be Jimmy McGriff and His Organ Trio (July 17); Muddy Waters (July 24); The Bob Patterson Gospel Singers and the Isaac Douglas Gospel Singers (August 14); and Kwame Nkrumah and his Ghanaian Drummers (August 21). Scheduled on this season's bill are five rock groups including Pacific Gas and Electric (August 7); and Chicago Transit Authority (July 10).

Admission to each concert is 75 cents in addition to the regular Museum on entrance fee. Tickets are/sale in the Museum lobby and may be purchased up to concert time.

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