



**Major 7** is an exciting jazz ensemble from Cape Town, South Africa. Managed and mentored by Greg Truter, these young men and women are highly committed to excellence in their musical performance.

They all hail from the Cape flats, South Africa that is characterized by alcohol and drug abuse and extreme levels of gangsterism. These youngsters consciously decided to use their music to commit to a clean and positive life style and to encourage young and old into making the same decisions.

The members of this ensemble are all enrolled at university studying in various directions which include amongst others, music and law and science.

Major 7 performed at many festivals which include the Cape Town Jazz festival, Jazz on the Rocks, Jazz on the Lawn and at the Grand West Theatre with Matt Bianco. Some members of Major 7 were also selected repeatedly to perform at the prestigious Grahamstown Jazz Festival. These youngsters also performed annually at the Jazz on the Vlei in Cape Town.

These musically skilled youngsters started playing as a school jazz band and decided to continue after they left school as Major 7. Their performances include some of the well-known Jazz standards and selections of South African Gospel and Jazz music.

All members of Major 7 is categorized in South Africa as “born-free” and their music and presentation bears testimony to their families and personal experience in South Africa.

Major 7 performs at concerts, corporate events and music festivals.

Some of our performance clips can be viewed at the links below: -

- <https://www.facebook.com/493302857534449/videos/712392775625455/>
- <https://www.facebook.com/493302857534449/videos/675680402630026/>
- <https://www.facebook.com/493302857534449/videos/684089448455788/>

