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Noteworthy

International Jazz Day 2021 Celebrates 10th Anniversary: April 30 marks the 10th Anniversary of International Jazz Day, the world’s largest annual celebration of jazz. It will feature a program of performances, educational workshops, community service projects, virtual gatherings and more in all 50 U.S. states and more than 190 countries. The day will culminate in an All-
Star Global Concert. “Our International Jazz Day community has displayed incredible resilience, creativity, ingenuity and compassion throughout the immense challenges of the past year,” said Institute of Jazz Chairman Herbie Hancock. “While the global pandemic continues to make life difficult for so many around the world, the example of organizers from Nepal to Mexico to Cameroon inspires us to greet this historic 10th Anniversary milestone with joy, courage and hope for the future of jazz.”