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Sen. Carper to Receive Lifetime Achievement Award for Mentoring

Wilmington, Del. – Connecting Generations will host its 2008 Jazz in January, Saturday, January 19, from 6:00 to 11:00 p.m. at the DuPont Country Club. **Senator Carper will participate in the awards ceremony and offer remarks between 8:00 and 9:30 pm.**

Connecting Generations will be honoring Senator Thomas Carper with Connecting Generations' 9th Annual Lifetime Achievement Award sponsored by AstraZeneca, as well as honor long-term, exemplary mentors from throughout Delaware for their outstanding commitment.

The Honorary Chairman for Jazz in January is University of Delaware's President, Patrick Harker.

Jazz in January will include an exciting silent auction, heavy hors d'oeuvres, an inspirational "Call to Action," and dancing to the Tim Laushey Jazz and Swing Band

Jazz in January celebrates both Jazz Education Month and National Mentoring Month. The event is designed around a Jazz theme and supports Connecting Generations' education and mentoring programs. Connecting Generations is a 501 (c) (3) nonprofit organization, offering the programs Creative Mentoring, Seasons of Respect, and Creative Transitions. Their mission is to provide creative

approaches to services which help Delaware's children and adults lead purposeful, fulfilling and self-directed lives.

Event information is available on the web at www.jazzinjanuary.org.

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