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days and Thursdays) playing in the background. The Birch Street Bistro is a nice room, with good food

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and great ambience. The jazz is a nice touch.

More Jazz can be heard at "Jazz in the Square" on the first Friday of every month at the Roslindale Congregational Church on Cummins Highway. This increasingly popular venue has an eclectic array of marvelous jazz musicians that

gives the audience a big club feel but with non-profit prices. The cost for attending the concert is \$10 and even more of a bargain when you consider that you don't have to commute.

The concert on Nov. 4 will feature the renowned John Payne Quartet and Saxophone Choir, under the direction of Duncan Martin. John Payne (formerly with Van Morrison and Bonnie Raitt) founded the Saxophone Choir in 1980. The choir has played in the area's top jazz clubs: Ryles, Scullers and the Regattabar, as well as on Boston TV channels 2, 4, 5 and 7. This is its first Roslindale appearance.

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