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The sensational saxophonist @boneyjames01(Instagram)/@boneyjames (Facebook/Twitter/X) is bringing his buttery, sweet tone and soul-tinged sound to Philly, presented by @EnsembleArtsPhilly (Facebook/Instagram)/@EnsembleArtsPHL on 11/9! For more info, visit www.ensembleartsphilly.org

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**ENSEMBLE ARTS PHILLY PRESENTS
GRAMMY NOMINEE AND SOUL TRAIN
AWARD-WINNING SAXOPHONIST & COMPOSER,
BONEY JAMES,
CELEBRATING HIS NEWEST ALBUM,
SLOW BURN,
NOVEMBER 9, 2024**

"A must-see for any fan of smooth jazz." – *The New York Times*

**"James is a master of his craft, and his *Slow Burn Tour* is
a testament to his talent." – *All About Jazz***

**"James' *Slow Burn Tour* is a celebration of smooth jazz that will leave you
wanting more." – *San Francisco Chronicle***

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE (October 3, 2024) – Ensemble Arts Philly is thrilled to present Grammy nominee and Soul Train Award winner, **Boney James**, and his highly anticipated ***Slow Burn Tour*** in the Miller Theater on November 9, 2024, at 7:30 p.m. An evening filled with sultry and heart-stirring rhythms awaits Philadelphia's lively and passionate jazz lovers.

James, a maestro of contemporary jazz, will be performing in Philly on this leg of his nationwide *Slow Burn Tour*, which has received rave reviews from critics and fans alike. Known for his powerhouse performances and mesmerizing saxophone skills, James will deliver a memorable and captivating performance.

“Boney James has said his new album’s title, *Slow Burn*, is indicative of the trajectory of his career, and what a career he’s had so far,” said Frances Egler, Vice President of Theatrical Programming and Presentations. “A veteran musician, this one-night-only performance brings the new work of a living legend to Philadelphia’s jazz community.”

James is a four-time Grammy nominee and a Soul Train Award winner, reigning in the jazz community for over three decades. He has sold over three million albums and accumulated four RIAA Gold-certified albums, becoming one of the most successful instrumental artists of our time. His repertoire blends contemporary smooth jazz with R&B influences, creating a unique sound that resonates with fans across the globe.

James’ 19th studio album, *Slow Burn*, will be released in October 2024. *Slow Burn* follows two of the most successful albums of James’ career, 2020’s *Solid* and 2022’s *Detour*, which debuted in the Top 10 on the *Billboard* Pop Albums Chart.

Boney James: *Slow Burn* is a part of Ensemble Arts Philly’s 2024-25 Jazz Series. Other featured upcoming performances include **Afro-Cuban All Stars** (October 19, 2024, Miller Theater); **Pink Martini featuring China Forbes** (November 2, 2024, Marian Anderson Hall); **Django Festival Allstars** (November 16, 2024, Perelman Theater); **Orrin Evans and the Captain Black Big Band** (November 29, 2024, Perelman Theater); **Samara Joy: *Joyful Holiday* featuring the McLendon Family** (December 23, 2024, Marian Anderson Hall); **Somi** (May 9, 2025, Perelman Theater), and **Jazz at Lincoln Center Orchestra with Wynton Marsalis** (June 15, 2025, Marian Anderson Hall).

Tickets

Tickets can be purchased by calling 215-893-1999 or online at www.ensembleartsphilly.org. In-person ticket sales can be conducted daily from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. at the Academy of Music Box Office, located at 240 S. Broad Street. See www.ensembleartsphilly.org for more information.

Boney James: *Slow Burn*

Miller Theater

Saturday, November 9, 2024, at 7:30 p.m.

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