

**CHICAGO AUDIO SOCIETY MEETING-JEFF KENTON'S PLACE-SUNDAY,
AUGUST 22, 12:30PM-5:00PM**



**It's great to have an opportunity to meet again in person at Jeff Kenton's place.
Jeff has made more system improvements detailed below.**

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**MEETING NOTICE -
Sunday, AUGUST
22, 12:30 PM - 5 PM
(Please note earlier start
time)**

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Feel free to bring any of your favorite music on just about any media.

Here is Jeff's current set-up:

Jeff Kenton Stereo 2020

Infinity Ref 4.5 speakers heavily modified with reverse mirror imaging:

BEL internal wiring-Woofers ported-two passive crossovers for both midrange tweeters and ribbons-woofers -front baffle partially removed-loaded with 50 pounds of bagged lead shot- TeknaSonic vibration dampeners, Stephen Merriweather outriggers with IsoAcoustic Gaia I isolation footers.

2 BEL 1001 stereo amps for bi-amping bass & mid/tweeters using BEL

interconnects and speaker wire - Tice power cords

Marchand Electronic Crossover 2 way: control for Infinity tweeter/

midrange and dual woofers

2 REL T9i Stereo and .1 subwoofers

Sonic Euphoria autoformer passive preamp

PS Audio Phono Converter for phono playback and digitizing vinyl >

Sugarcube SC-1 pop and click remover

Technics SL1200 MK5 modified:

new bearings, aluminum/Delrin platter, Cardas tonearm rewire, KAB

outboard speed controller, strobe disabled, tonearm damper with silicone

bath, rewired with BEL interconnect, steel cones, Sumiko headshell,
AudioTechnica 150 MLX cartridge (alignment by Brian Walsh)

Oppo SE-83 Special Edition: CD, Blu-ray, and SACD disc playback

Oppo 103: extracting ISO and creating Dsf. files from SACD for computer playback

2012 I7 MacMini modified:

UpTone Audio MMK fan speed controller, 240Gb solid state HD, 16gb ram, powered by:

Uptone Audio: JS-2 Linear Power Supply

Streaming files, Qobuz, radio into UpTone Audio EtherRegen > Ifi

Audio Zen Streamer > Singxer SU-6 USB Bridge with UpTone ground shunt power supply > Gregg Straley Reality ribbon I2S or

Cardas SPDIF > Denafrips Terminator DAC

Files stored on 2 DROBO 5 bay devices

Preferred music players: Amarra and Roon (sometimes with HQPlayer)

Multi-channel file playback with MiniDSP USB to SPDIF converter >

3 stereo SMSL Sanskrit 6th DACs

Power conditioning for front end with isolation transformer,
Richard
Gray Power 400 Pro, ISOBar

Room treatments-all DIFFUSION! 5 MGA RoomTunes PZC's, 2D
and
3D of other brands.