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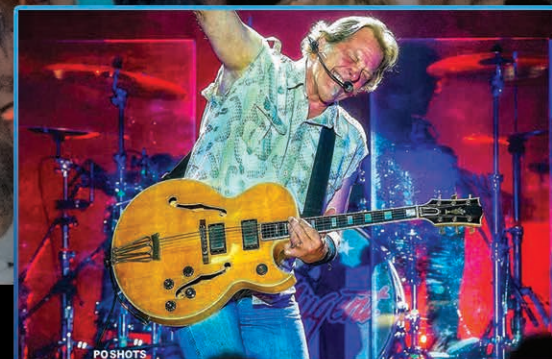
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# More Mainstream

By Michele DeVinney

Having seen Pride celebrations throughout the month of June, which is officially Pride month, it's easy to see that the marches and festivals are no longer attracting only members of the LGBT community and a small handful of supporters. Today's Pride celebrations are growing and increasingly mainstream. The very fact that Fort Wayne's Pride Fest falls in July is because the larger space needed was only available in the latter part of July, making the final weekend of the month the time when all can gather at Headwaters Park for an event which continues to grow and evolve. In fact, Pride Fest will inhabit even more of Headwaters than in years past.

"There will be some new additions this year," said Nikki Fultz, director of Fort Wayne Pride. "We're expanding our space so we can have more vendors and a larger kids' area. We'll be fencing in some of the area near the fountain, and we'll have our workshop tent over there. We're hoping that will help people to hear what's going on in the workshops because in years past the music made it hard. And this year we have a lot of topics which are important to the community."

Those topics include Queer Religion with Rev. Misty-Dawn Shelly at noon, Queer Healthy Relationships and the Science with Dr. Jenny Seiss at 1 p.m., Advocacy 101 with Dana Black at 2 p.m., PrEP 101 with Timothy Price at 3 p.m., Non-Binary Town Hall with GenderNexus at 4 p.m., and Meditation with Insight Meditation Fort Wayne at 5 p.m. There will also be plenty of fun for kids of all ages, promises Fultz.

"Everything in our KidSpace is still free, and this year we'll have three more inflatables than we've had in the past," she said. "We'll also have several character meet-and-greet opportunities with Elsa from *Frozen*, Spiderman, Wonder Woman, and Black Panther as well as a magic show. We're also going to have more vendors this year, and the corn hole tournament will return this year along with a volleyball area."

Expanding programming is an example of how much Pride Fest has grown in recent years.

"We saw a big spike about 10 years ago, in part because of the growth of social media and Facebook around that time," Fultz said. "More and more people started to hear about it, and as it reached more people,

there's been more acceptance for the LGBT community. We saw a large increase in attendance with steady growth ever since. The march particularly has grown a lot, and we've seen a broader attendance not only among the LGBT community but also a big increase in straight allies attending."

The one issue that does sometimes affect attendance — one that comes from being held on July 27-28 — is the weather, but Fultz said that has just been a fact of life.

"It's pretty certain that the weather is going to be hot, but we have a devoted audience. Whether it's pouring down rain or we're dealing with heat, we're lucky to have people who will come regardless of that."

In fact, that growth was the reason for the change of venue and date in 2005. But Fultz thinks that Fort Wayne's Pride Fest has benefited from that shift and points out that national and international Pride events take place all year round.

"The nice thing for us is that people who attend Pride in Chicago or Indianapolis can still come to our event without having any conflict. So I think it's really helped overall."

To understand the growth of the event, last year's overall attendance reached 13,000 while involvement in the march, which begins at 11:15 a.m. on Saturday, July 28, drew 3,000 participants in its sixth year.

Always popular is the array of top-end musical acts. One of the featured acts this year is Doug Strahm, backed by some of the top musicians in the country. He'll be performing songs from his newly released album, *Souvenirs*, a work of art recorded locally at Sweetwater Studios and internationally at Abbey Road.

This year, area favorites like Goodnight Gracie and Jess Thrower will perform as well as someone who has been a favorite at the event since the beginning.

"Having played Pride Fest since the very first event — many, many years ago — it's been an honor for me to continue to be a part of this wonderful festival," said Jen Fisher, formerly of Sugar Shot. "It continues to be one of my favorite events to perform at, and I am looking forward to introducing my new band, Jen & the Foggy Creek Band, this year."

The performances culminate in the highlight of each Pride Fest, the drag show from 9:30 p.m. until midnight.

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On one side, we shine a spotlight on the upcoming Fort Wayne Pride Fest coming to Headwaters Park. The annual event draws thousands for the music, vendors, and workshops. Check the story on page 2.

On the other side, we let Ted Nugent speak for himself, and although he's never shy about sharing his thoughts, his show at the Foellinger Theatre looks to concentrate on the music. Catch up with Nugent on page 6.

We also spend some time with Black Label Society, which is bringing hard rock to the Clyde Theatre on July 25, and with Blues Traveler, who are jamming at the Clyde the next night. Read the stories on pages 4 and 5.

And then flip over to page 9 and keep flipping through our extensive calendar of music and comedy acts ready to make your evenings better. Add in some album reviews, local band news, our whatzup Picks, and movie news, and you've got everything you need to have a great time in Indiana

Whether you come in from the left or from the right, let them know that whatzup sent you.

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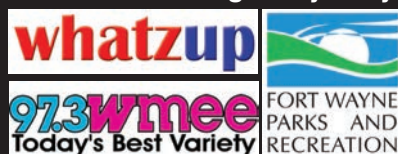
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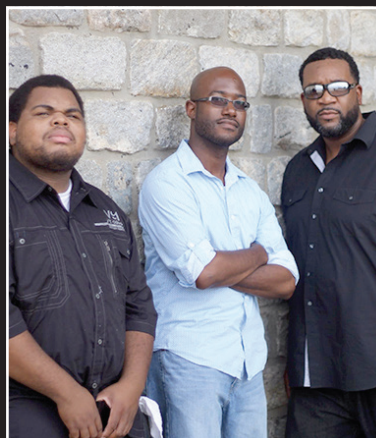
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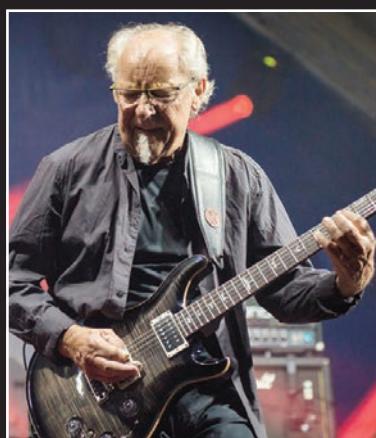


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# Living the Metal Dream

By Deborah Kennedy

A phrase repeats several times in the FAQ section of the Black Label Society website. The phrase is simple, direct, and perhaps a little on the scolding side, albeit in a loving way: "Black Label Society is just a band." Meaning, Zakk Wylde and company, regardless of the burning desires of their loyal fans, do not constitute a movement, a lifestyle, or a sea change. They're not your family or your therapist. They make music. End of story.

But is that the end of the story or just the beginning?

Wylde, born Jeffrey Phillip Wielandt, formed Black Label Society in 1998 after his time as Ozzy Osbourne's lead guitarist had come to an end. BLS wasn't Wylde's first stab at starting his own band. He tried first with Pride and Glory, but that group broke up after putting out only one album. He hoped BLS would be more long-lasting.

He was not disappointed. So far, BLS have released 10 studio albums, two live albums, one EP, and two compilations. And they're not finished. Their latest full-length studio effort, *Grimmest Hits*, dropped just this year and is getting a lot of love from head bangers all over the globe.

According to Joe Divita of *Loudwire*, *Grimmest Hits* is a worthy addition to Wylde's already impressive oeuvre: "Black Label Society takes cues from their idols, unabashedly riding mammoth Iomnian, metal/blues riffs across 12 dense songs that make up one of the strongest albums in the collective's 20-year discography." Divita goes on to write, "If you're after riffs you can milk for days, then *Grimmest Hits* is a Wisconsin purebred prize dairy cow."

Black Label Society began as a duo. Wylde and drummer Phil Ondich recorded the band's debut, *Sonic Brew*. Wylde liked the mixture so much he decided to recruit guitarist Nick Cantanese (who'd played alongside Wylde in his first forays as a solo artist) and bassist John DeServio to join him and Ondich on the road. In 2000, the band put out fan favorite *Stronger than Death*. Some lineup changes followed, as did a live album, *Alcohol Fueled Brewtality Live + 5*, and *1919 Eternal*, dedicated to Wylde's father, a World War II veteran who saw action at Omaha Beach and Normandy.

"My father meant more than the world to me," Wylde said in a statement at the time, "and his passing will no doubt influence my direction in life and career as this new year continues to unfold."

The immediate direction BLS took was to perform at 2001's Ozzfest. Later, the band released *Blessed Hellride* and *Hangover Music Vol. VI*.

Wylde might be described as a renaissance man. On the band's first four albums, he played guitar, bass, and piano and recorded the vocals. By *Hangover Music*, he was willing to give up a little creative control. Wylde, however, remains the face and voice



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of BLS and, with the exception of DeServio, its only stable member.

That said, the tightness of the Black Label Society community is something to behold. In an interview with WikiMetal, Wylde described the BLS phenomenon as "Grateful Dead on steroids."

"It's one gigantic family," he said. "We really support each other, and everybody just likes each other on the spot... You could be rolling with some guy you run into, next thing you know, years later he's the best man at your wedding. You know what I mean? Because he's your buddy. So, yeah, it's definitely bigger than a band, you know what I mean?"

But what about that phrase one sees so often on the BLS website? That it is, indeed, just a band? Wylde elaborated: "It's a mentality, it's like 'SDMF:' Strength, Determination, Merciless Forever. Life's tough; eat nails and listen to Black Label."

"SDMF" is the band's motto, and it has another meaning not suitable for a family paper. What Wylde is getting at in describing Black Label Society as a mentality is the instant bond fans make with each other when they meet, and they often meet on the road – in a concert hall, yes, but also on the back of bikes.

The reason Wylde feels the need to remind fans that BLS is just a band is due, in large part, to trouble diehards have encountered when wearing BLS patches on their motorcycle vests and jackets, especially in Europe. Controversy, and even the threat of violence, greets riders and fans who dare to wear BLS patches in the presence of members of the UK's Satan's Slaves Motorcycle Club.

But Wylde himself, a devoted and hard-

working artist, likes to keep things light. In an interview with Steve Monaghan of *The Rockpit*, Wylde explained the inspiration behind the video for new song "Room of Nightmares," in which the mother of a spoiled boy asks BLS to play a song "children can dance to." Wylde agrees, and, having tapped the effects pedal labeled "Doom," proceeds to blow the doors off the place. The birthday party quickly descends into chaos. A food fight ensues, ninjas invade, and the mother, surrounded by out-of-control, feral kids, obviously regrets inviting a man who sometimes calls himself "Zakk Sabbath," to celebrate her son's natal day.

"It wasn't anyone's idea," Wylde said when asked about the inspiration behind the video. "It was just us playing at an 11 year old's birthday party. If you get a gig, you take it. It doesn't matter if it's a bar mitzvah or a circumcision, 100 bucks is 100 bucks. You take the gig, you don't complain, and you just be grateful that you're actually working and that's about it so that's where we are right about now."

Of course, where the dudes from BLS are right now is living the dream. They're rock stars, they're beloved figures in the world of heavy metal, and they're making new music and breaking the sound barrier, one riff at a time.

In that same interview with *The Rockpit*, Wylde emphasized how happy he is, entertaining audiences with doom, more doom, and even more doom.

"I've been with the same girl for 33 years and we have four kids, life's good. I love touring, I love making the records, I love the whole process so for me there is no bad."

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# Jam Band Journey

By Steve Penhollow

Blues Traveler have gone through three distinct phases since the band formed in Princeton, New Jersey, in 1987: underground jam band, international rock success, and better-known jam band with a few hit songs that it has to play in concert.

Well, it doesn't *have* to play them. It *wants* to play them, according to the band's guitarist Chan Kinchla. "We never wanted to be the band that people come to and the band is too cool to play their hit songs," Kinchla told *The Tulsa World*. "So there are three or four songs we will play every night and, other than that, we really do like to switch it up as much as we can."

Kinchla said there is not now, nor has there ever been, an ironclad set list.

"For us, if we had to play the same set every night, we would go completely bananas," he said.

Blues Traveler performs at the Clyde Theatre on July 26.

Perhaps more than any band, Blues Traveler sparked and spearheaded the jam band renaissance that was a major component of American popular music in the 1990s. The band created the H.O.R.D.E. Festival and invited other improvisational rock acts like the Spin Doctors, Widespread Panic, and Phish to participate in it.

Blues Traveler's biggest hits, "Run-Around" and "Hook," came off its fourth album, which was unambiguously titled "four."

No more big hits followed, but the band has remained an enormously popular touring act.

Blues Traveler has suffered a few setbacks since its inception: lead singer and masterful harmonica player John Popper has contended with numerous health issues over the years and bassist Bobby Sheehan died of an accidental overdose in 1999.

Sheehan was replaced with Tad Kinchla, younger brother of the aforementioned Chan.

Tad Kinchla said he wasn't sure at first that it was going to be a good fit.

"I told (Popper), 'If you're trying to replicate Bobby's style, I'm a different dude,'" Kinchla told the *Canton Repository*. "But it was different than just being hired by some guys. This was family. We grew up together. I said, 'If you think there's a place for me to fit in, I'd love to do it.'"

Kinchla said he actually interviewed fans in an effort to better understand the band.

"Everyone was really cool," he said. "People really covet their bands just the way they are, but I was really welcomed with open arms. It all went really well."

Creatively, Blues Traveler is a wearer of two hats, Kinchla said. Sometimes the band is about concise songwriting and sometimes it is about expansive jamming.

"John has said this before," he said. "We have like two kind of entities. We have the recording band where we're crafting songs, and we have the live band. Obviously, our living is done by playing live shows. And the majority of the year, that's our entity. We play live the way we play live, and extemporaneous jams and segues have always been part of the band and what we do."



The jam band phenomenon would never have occurred were it not for the existence of the Grateful Dead, Kinchla said.

"You'd be 45 minutes in before they stopped," he said, referring to how the band (now called Dead & Company) renders a song in concert.

When writing new material, however, jamming is far from the band's collective consciousness, Kinchla said.

"When we write, we do songs that are compact and concise," he said. "We don't have long jams in the middle, and we don't focus on that in the writing."

The songs are what they are. We don't really have a game plan for what we write being more poppy or less poppy, or more of a jam or more of a ballad. We just kind of come up with what we have at the time."

Blues Traveler has never fit comfortably into any niche, Kinchla said, and this has given the band a chance to experience a number of musical settings.

"At any given time, we find ourselves at various niches in the music scene," he said. "We'll find ourselves at a blues festival, and we'll be like, 'I think they put us here because our name is Blues Traveler.' We have a few bluesy songs, and everyone there is gonna be impressed with the harmonica playing, so we can pull it off. But then we'll be at a big jam festival and other times with a lot of pop bands. We try to understand where we're at with what we're playing..."

At the time Kinchla joined, the band also added Ben Wilson on keyboards.

Wilson said it's a privilege to play with Popper every night.

"...(Y)ou sometimes get a bit immune to how ridiculously good he is," he told the *Chicago Tribune*. "(In 2017, we started doing) these acoustic shows in Las Vegas. It's a quiet setting. It's in a situation where you're just blown away by how he plays the harmonica. The guy's a top-flight singer. It's just really amazing, particularly when you're in a stripped-down setting."



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# All About the Music

By Chris Hupe

Political activist. NRA proponent. Hunter. Business entrepreneur. Former reality TV show star. Whatever label you give him, when Ted Nugent speaks, he makes news. But Nugent is at his best when he lets his guitar speak for him.

Over a 50-plus-year career, Nugent has carved out a permanent place in rock n' roll history. He's sold more than thirty million albums, performed nearly seven thousand shows, set concert attendance records all over the world, and is often placed high on lists of all-time great guitar players. But we can't ignore the fact that Nugent has become known for his political views as much as for the music he plays.

That he gets so much attention for his conservative views is something Nugent doesn't seem to spend a lot of time worrying about. Though he often seems to be speaking off the cuff, his views are usually well thought out and researched thoroughly.

"The bottom line is not speaking one's mind," he told *Jambase*. "Before the mouth opens, the brain feels a duty to sponge information, evidence, and facts, and always put them through the logic meter, based on good will and decency. So, when I do speak my mind it's not just a knee-jerk reaction but a well-executed delivery of genuine, sincere research so that I know what the hell I'm talking about."

While politics is clearly always on his radar, at nearly 70 years old, Nugent spends most of his time hunting. Music pays the bills but the pursuit of animals is his other true love. Of course, Nugent has some very definite opinions on hunting as well, opinions that can rub some people the wrong way. Though he hunts and kills beasts all across the world, Nugent's love of animals and their place in nature seems to be genuine, whether you agree with his take or not.

"Let it be known to all people that hunting is perfect," he said in an interview promoting his television show *Ted Nugent Spirit of the Wild*. "Hunting is the last perfect environmentalism available to mankind. What we celebrate when we hunt is that the miracle of God's creation is renewable annual sustainability that is absolutely perfect. That habitat that we share with the creatures that sustain us, physically and spiritually, is the very habitat that determines our quality of life because what hunters, fishers, and trappers have always known is that the quality of productivity and the condition of that wildlife habitat literally determines the condition of our air, soil and water quality."

A frequent visitor to Fort Wayne and other area stages over the years, Nugent is a familiar face and voice to classic rock fans here. Songs like "Cat Scratch Fever," "Stranglehold," and "Fred Bear" are staples in the



playlists of classic rock stations across the country, including our own WXKE.

On July 25, Nugent once again brings his no-holds-barred, no bull rock n' roll show to the Foellinger Theatre to the delight of many and the chagrin of some. With this show, fans can expect the expected. There won't

be a lot of surprises and you know Nugent won't be apologetic about it because, as usual, he does what he wants and knows what the fans demand. There will be the requisite loud guitars, a lot of stage banter, some extreme jamming, audience interaction, and most of all, great songs. The other stuff is just white noise. Putting all

other things aside, the songs are the reason to go to the show. The songs are the reason Ted Nugent is Ted Nugent.

When Nugent hits the stage, he shines in all his glory. All those years of performing has allowed the Motor City Madman to perfect his craft. The result is pure poetry in motion.

And while Nugent knows that his political views aren't the same as the views of every member of his audience, he wants us to know that it's OK to disagree because, in the end, it's all about the music.

"I don't really have many opinions, but I understand self-evident truth and I understand logic and I understand common sense and I find it very common and sensible across the land," he told radio.com in a recent interview. "I don't really care what you believe in. I mean, I do care because I'd like you to believe in the right things and the positive things and the good things, but I'm a public performer, so I can't frisk the spirit of everybody that comes to my concerts. We don't have to agree on anything except the music. I have friends that are liberals and I am slowly but surely fixing that, because I do have the remedy, but in the meantime we can shut up and jam and have a good musical get down. And we do. Every night."

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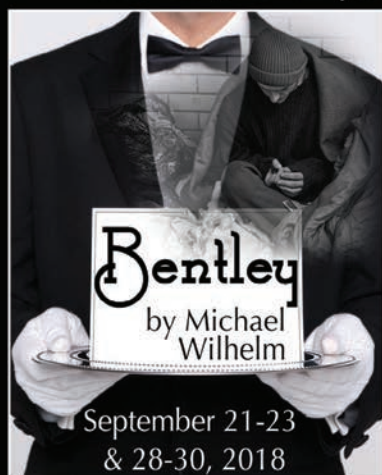
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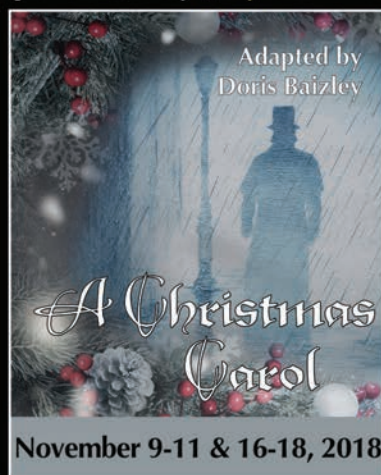
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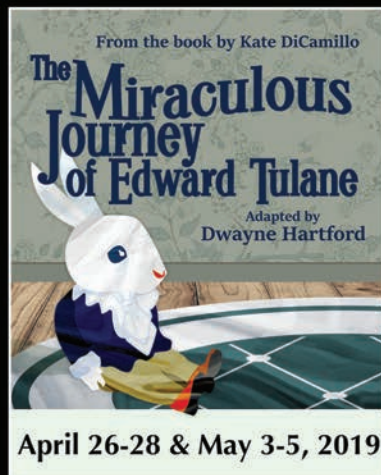
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## Kanye West

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There is a recent trend among rap and pop artists who release bloated albums that run 20+ tracks and 80-100 minutes in the hopes of inflating their streaming numbers. Kanye West has noticed this too, and wished that many of these redundant non-opuses could just get to the point and eliminate fluff altogether. Kanye, having Kanye-sized ambitions, decided to release an abundance of music of his own, but with a more original spin: five "hand-produced" seven-track mini albums with different artists a week apart in early summer.

It's a shrewd move befitting an artist who strives to make the album release cycle more eventful and noteworthy, but it's also a wonderful idea overshadowed by Kanye himself. Without getting deep into such incidents as Kanye's hospitalization in late 2016 for psychological evaluation after the brief and ill-fated Saint Pablo Tour, his opioid addiction following liposuction surgery, and his admiration for President Donald Trump, his self-proclaimed "shaky ass year" has only added to the hype of whether or not his next album would be worth the trouble of defending him. Kanye has always operated on a mad genius pedestal, but it's a lofty pedestal to fall from when Kanye finally slips and tumbles from the public's good graces, whether by his media controversies or by a subpar album.

West created the ye album art en route to the album's listening party in the mountains of Jackson Hole, Wyoming, where each of the five mini albums were produced at his studio ranch. West's scrawl reads, "I hate being Bi-Polar its awesome (sic)." In many ways, Kanye's own "Bi-Polar" behavior is the crux of this album's significance in his discography, primarily for how Kanye scrapped whatever album he initially intended to release and started over again mere weeks before his self-imposed release date of June 1.

The resulting 23-minute album is among West's most brutally honest personal statements as well as his most rushed and rough sounding production work, more so than his previous masterpiece, *The Life of Pablo*. Whereas *Pablo* had its bounty of highs and merely mediocre lows, the production values of ye remain consistent almost to a fault as its unusually brief gestation period seems more like an impulsive do-over for public relations' sake than it is proof of his immense songwriting and production abilities.

In his own strange way, Kanye has made a family album with most of the focus on his wife, Kim Kardashian West. The album's emotional centerpiece, "Wouldn't Leave," is a heartwarming mea culpa and dedication to the women who stick by their broken men. Sentiment is also paid to West's daughter, Nori, on "Violent Crimes," the album's closer. The song's most telling bars, "Father, forgive me, I'm scared of the karma / 'Cause now I see women as something to nurture / Not something to conquer," underscores Kanye's vulnerability as a father bargaining with God to protect his child.

Kanye worries about himself on the lead single, "Yikes," where his addictions to opioids and psychedelics also make him consider the deaths of his idols, Michael Jackson and Prince. The penultimate track, "Ghost Town," is the best constructed song complete with an anthemic coda sung by recent G.O.O.D. Music signee 070 Shake—her contribution to ye being recorded mere hours before its release.

Though bipolarism is too complex a topic to cover in a mere 23 minutes, Kanye does his best to personify the illness in the form of an uneven, hectically assembled project. It is apt that his most personal statement would be named after himself, but it seems unlike Kanye to be OK with turning in what sounds like a rough draft. Even so, ye earned West his eighth consecutive No. 1 album. It is a sign to the industry that small projects like this can have special commercial viability without the crutch of a bloated tracklist, but ye's artistic impact is unfortunately caught between Kanye's good intentions as an artist and his notoriously impulsive behavior. (Colin McCallister)

## Oneohtrix Point Never

Age Of

After last year's excellent *Good Time* soundtrack, along with the recent MYRIAD multimedia show in Brooklyn, I was pleasantly surprised to hear a couple months ago that Oneohtrix Point Never had a new record coming out. *Age Of* is yet another confounding and brilliant album and is OPN's most accessible and alien work yet.

OPN is the recording alias of Daniel Lopatin, and his "Age Of" opens the album with harpsichord. A baroque, melancholy instru-



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## BACKTRACKS

### Ani DiFranco

*Little Plastic Castle* (1998)

Angela Maria "Ani" DiFranco was born in Buffalo, New York, and began performing in her early teens. By 19, she had her own record label and began a career that continues to explore (and transcend) many genres of music. This was her eighth album, and was the first one I discovered as I sat in a local coffee shop here in Fort Wayne. It's gritty, angry, and empathetic, but was original to me; I think it's a tremendous collection of songs.

It opens with the title track, a folksy number with reference to her own identity. The horns sell it, but lyrically it cast cynicism on her image based on media.

"Fuel" struts around with more angst toward media and popular music and the marketing of societal ideals. It's still a great song, and has a place. It's pure Ani without any regrets. "As Is" has a softer jazzy feel about it, and although Alanis Morissette came to the party after DeFranco, it is similar to Morissette's early stuff.

"Two Little Girls" is a guitar-driven tragedy about a relationship and inevitable struggles with drug use. Its vein is a broken heart that leads to tragedy, and may be better understood by those that have suffered. "Deep Dish" has a more pop feel to it and has some ska-driven horns behind lyrics about either a boring first date or the dull routines of daily life. "Glass House" is a powerful track that deals with depression and isolation. Again, her songs all have a purpose and meaning, even when they tackle some serious issues. The record closes with the fourteen-minute "Pulse," a song that blends Radiohead with heavy folk rock.

DiFranco has twenty albums to her credit since 1990 and will be playing festivals in the fall. (Dennis Donahue)



ment, it feels right at home on an OPN album. You get the feeling of being trapped in a bubble, floating in space as time melts in front of you like a Dali painting. Soon enough the melody pitch shifts and sways as if it's being pulled apart at the seams. It's exquisite, gorgeous, and mildly frightening all at once. "Babylon" has Lopatin's autotuned vocals singing with an almost country sway. This is probably the most pop-centric Oneohtrix has ever sounded. Of course, the song ends abruptly as if the alien overlords pulled the plug.

Regardless of how accessible Lopatin wants to take OPNs sound, he will always carry with him the early sounds of Oneohtrix, the ambient landscapes of *Betrayed In The Octagon*, *Drawn and Quartered*, and *Returnal*. As much as I love seeing artists I admire progress and evolve, I don't want the weirdest of them to stop being weird. And there isn't a more fitting OPN song title than "Last Known Image of a Song." I can almost see a tattered Polaroid lying on a console in some space station. A mix of Eric Dolphy, David Cronenberg, and Philip Glass, it's an exquisite track to end this odyssey.

Elsewhere, "Toys 2" is a "proof of concept" for Lopatin's agent showing how he would score a Pixar film, using this as an imagined score for a sequel to the Robin Williams' movie *Toys*. "Black Snow" was the lead single, another pop-leaning track with Lopatin singing, along with backing vocals by Anohni. Its bizarre video set the stage for what we had in store with *Age Of*.

This is the most collaborative OPN album to date, with guest musicians like the aforementioned Anohni, along with James Blake helping out on production and mixing. There is a bit more of a sheen here. It's less busy than previous albums, which gives the songs room to breathe. I think Daniel Lopatin producing and writing on various projects gave him a view of what collaboration can be. The results here are telling.

*Age Of* sees Oneohtrix Point Never evolving without losing the eccentric qualities and vast musical soundscapes that separated Lopatin from the rest of the electronic music world. This is a sparse and tight record that encapsulates all the greatness of OPN while continuing the forward motion Lopatin began with 2010's *Returnal*. *Age Of* is an exquisite oddity that shines bizarre and beautiful. (John Hubner)



## Wooden Nickel CD of the Week



### THE NUDE PARTY

Their name is strange, but there's no denying that it implies a certain amount of fun. The debut album from North Carolina's The Nude Party cranks up the '60s vibe, laying on honky-tonk piano and twangy guitars to make Southern rock that's been filtered through British bands like Faces and the Stones and back again. The neo-Americana is spiced up with occasional doses of psychedelia, too, proving that these Millennial kids have done their homework. Get *The Nude Party* for \$11.99 this week at all Wooden Nickel Music stores.

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| 2  | 2  | DEVILDRIVER<br><i>Outlaws 'til the End</i>               |
| 3  | -  | DEAFHEAVEN<br><i>Ordinary Corrupt Human Love</i>         |
| 4  | 3  | THE CARTERS<br><i>Everything Is Love</i>                 |
| 5  | -  | THE JAYHAWKS<br><i>Back Roads &amp; Abandoned Motels</i> |
| 6  | 1  | GORILLAZ<br><i>The Now Now</i>                           |
| 7  | -  | JASON ISBELL<br><i>Sirens of the Ditch</i>               |
| 8  | -  | SLIGHTLY STOOPID<br><i>Everyday Life Everyday People</i> |
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**ERIC SUNDBERG** — Acoustic variety at Rack & Helen's Social House, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., no cover, 203-3154

**FORT WAYNE KARAOKE** — Variety at Latch String Bar & Grill, Fort Wayne, 10 p.m., no cover, 483-5526

**FORT WAYNE KARAOKE w/TJ** — Variety at Rack & Helen's, New Haven, 10 p.m., no cover, 749-5396

**GABE BAILEY & ROCK STEADY** — Variety at Madison Street, Decatur, 6 p.m.-9 p.m., free, 724-2604

**THE HOOTEN HALLERS /BOAT SHOW** — Blues/rock at Brass Rail, Fort Wayne, 8:30 p.m., \$6, 267-5303

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**JEFF McDONALD** — Oldies at Don Hall's Guesthouse, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., no cover, 489-2524

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**OPEN STAGE JAM** — Hosted by Pop 'n' Fresh at Office Tavern, Fort Wayne, 8:30 p.m.-12:30 p.m., no cover, 478-5827

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**TRONIC** — EDM at O'Sullivan's Irish Pub, Fort Wayne, 10 p.m., no cover, 422-5896

### Friday, July 20

**ACME BAND** — Blues/variety at Hang Out Bar & Grill, Fremont, 7 p.m.-9 p.m., no cover, 8833-2582

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**THE DISTRACTIONS** — Variety at Deer Park Irish Pub, Fort Wayne, 8 p.m.-11 p.m., no cover, 432-8966

**FORT WAYNE KARAOKE w/ERIC** — Karaoke at Rack & Helen's, New Haven, 10 p.m.-2 a.m., no cover, 749-5396

**FORT WAYNE KARAOKE w/JAY** — Variety at Coconutz @ Crazy Pinz, Fort Wayne, 9 p.m., no cover, 490-2695

**HUBIE ASHCRAFT BAND** — Country at Steuben County Fairgrounds, Angola, 8:30 p.m.-10:30 p.m., no cover, 668-1000

**THE ILLEGALS** — Original at Latch String Bar & Grill, Fort Wayne, 10 p.m.-2 a.m., no cover, 483-5526

**JAMES BAKER TRIO** — Jazz at Ruth's Chris Steak House, Fort Wayne, 6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m., no cover, 444-5898

**JOE JUSTICE** — Variety at Byler Lane Winery, Auburn, 5 p.m.-8 p.m., no cover, 920-4377

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**JOEL YOUNG BAND** — Country/Classic Rock at Hughes Dental Group, Leo, 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m., free, 627-5345

**JON DURNELL BAND** — Variety at Mitchell's Sports Bar & Neighborhood Grill, Fort Wayne, 9 p.m., \$5, 387-5063

**JUST GREG** — Oldies/variety at The Venice Restaurant, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., no cover, 482-1618

**KARAOKE** — Variety at Hamilton House, Hamilton, 9 p.m., no cover, 488-3344

**KOOL KEITH w/ALIEN NATURE, THIRD FRAME, PLANET BOOM BAP, COLAZONE, DOOMSDAY CULT** — Hip-hop at Club Fuze, Fort Wayne, 8 p.m.-3 a.m., \$20-\$25, 486-1979

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## DUPONT BAR & GRILL

**Sports Bar • 10336 Leo Rd., Fort Wayne • 260-483-1311**

**EXPECT:** Great daily drink specials, 3 pool tables, your Nascar headquarters, 16'x10' Megatron, three 6'x4' Minitrans, 15 flat screen TVs; \$8.99 daily lunch specials; 60¢ wings Wednesdays; Three Rivers Karaoke 9 p.m. Wednesdays. **GETTING THERE:** North of Fort Wayne at Leo Crossing (Dupont & Clinton). **HOURS:** 11 a.m.-3 a.m. daily. **ALCOHOL:** Full Service; **PMT:** MC, Visa, Amex

## FLASHBACK LIVE

**Dancing/Music • Behind Evans Toyota, Fort Wayne • 260-483-1979**

**EXPECT:** The city's only retro dance club with 80s, 90s and today's music. Live entertainment every Friday & Saturday evening starting at 7:30 p.m. as well as the city's hottest DJ between sets and into the late night! Family friendly from 4 p.m.-9 p.m. with full menu of appetizers, wings, pizzas and sandwiches. Outdoor patio with a full service bar and dance area! **GETTING THERE:** Behind Evans Toyota at Coliseum Blvd. and Lima Rd. **HOURS:** Open 4 p.m. Thurs.-Sat. **ALCOHOL:** Full Service; **PMT:** MC, Visa, Disc, Amex, ATM on site

## HAMILTON HOUSE

**Neighborhood Bar • 3950 E. Bellefontaine, Hamilton • 260-488-3344**

**EXPECT:** Great atmosphere with a beautiful view of lake; 20 beers on tap, 6 large HDTVs w/DirecTV (NFL Package during season), internet juke, pool table, karaoke every Friday (9 p.m.), live bands every Saturday (8 p.m.) Memorial Day thru Labor Day. **GETTING THERE:** Corner of roads 1 and 427. **HOURS:** 10 a.m.-1 a.m. Mon.-Wed.; 10 a.m.-3 a.m. Thurs.-Sat.; 10 a.m.-12 midnight Sun. **ALCOHOL:** Full Service; **PMT:** MC, Visa

## JD LOUNGE

**Pubs & Taverns • 10366 Dupont Rd., Fort Wayne • 260-483-1311**

**EXPECT:** Upscale non-smoking atmosphere, craft beers and local wines, NFL Ticket, acoustic music on Thursdays, carryout, lottery, drink and food specials. **GETTING THERE:** North of Fort Wayne at Leo Crossing (Dupont and Clinton), next to Dupont Bar & Grill. **HOURS:** Open 5 p.m. Mon.-Sat., 12 noon Sun. **ALCOHOL:** Full Service; **PMT:** MC, Visa, Disc, Amex

## LATCH STRING BAR & GRILL

**Pubs & Taverns • 3221 N. Clinton St., Fort Wayne • 260-483-5526**

**EXPECT:** Fun, friendly, rustic atmosphere. Daily drink specials. Mondays, \$2.75 imports; Tuesdays, \$3 margaritas & \$1 tacos; Wednesdays, \$2.50 well drinks and 59¢ bone-in wings; Sundays, \$2.50 bloody Marys. Live bands Friday, Sunday, & Tuesday; open mic Wednesday; karaoke Monday, Thursday & Saturday. No cover. **GETTING THERE:** Where Clinton and Lima roads meet. **HOURS:** 11 a.m.-3 a.m. Mon.-Sat., 12 noon-12:30 a.m. Sun. **ALCOHOL:** Full Service; **PMT:** MC, Visa

## MAD ANTHONY BREWING COMPANY

**Brew Pub/Micro Brewery • 2002 S. Broadway, Fort Wayne • 260-426-2537**

**EXPECT:** 20-plus beers freshly hand-crafted on premises with a full bar featuring craft cocktails and more. Expanded menu full of old favorites and exciting new entrees, "One of the best pizzas in America," large vegetarian menu. Sunday Carry-out available. **GETTING THERE:** Just southwest of downtown Fort Wayne at Taylor & Broadway. **HOURS:** 11 a.m.-11 p.m. Mon-Thurs; 11 a.m.-12 a.m. Fri-Sat; 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Sun. **ALCOHOL:** Full Service; **PMT:** MC, Visa, Disc

## MAD ANTHONY LAKE CITY TAP HOUSE

**Music/Rock • 113 E. Center St., Warsaw • 574-268-2537**

**EXPECT:** The eclectic madness of the original combined with hand-crafted Mad Anthony ales and lagers. Carry-out handcrafted brews available. Live music on Saturdays. Expanded menu, including one of the best pizzas in America and a large vegetarian menu. **GETTING THERE:** From U.S. 30, turn southwest on E. Center St.; go 2 miles. **HOURS:** 11 a.m.-11 p.m. Mon.-Thurs.; 11 a.m.-12 a.m. Fri.-Sat.; 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Sun. **ALCOHOL:** Full Service; **PMT:** MC, Visa, Disc

## MAD ANTHONY'S LAKEVIEW ALE HOUSE

**Eclectic • 4080 N 300 W, Angola • 260-833-2537**

**EXPECT:** Twelve handcrafted beers on tap; also featuring Indiana craft beers and local wines. Patio with seating for 100; seven dock slips; 150-seat banquet facility. Expanded menu, including famous gourmet pizza, unique eats and vegetarian fare. **GETTING THERE:** Located on beautiful Lake James above Bledsoe's Beach. **HOURS:** 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Sun.-Thurs.; 11 a.m.-11 p.m. Fri.-Sat. **ALCOHOL:** Full Service; **PMT:** MC, Visa, Disc

## MAD ANTHONY TAP ROOM

**Music/Rock • 114 N. Main St., Auburn • 260-927-0500**

**EXPECT:** The eclectic madness of the original combined with hand-crafted Mad Anthony ales and lagers. Expanded menu, including one of the best pizzas in America and a large vegetarian menu. **GETTING THERE:** Take I-69 to State Rd. 8 (Auburn exit); downtown, just north of courthouse. **HOURS:** 11 a.m.-11 a.m. Mon.-Thurs.; 11 a.m.-12 a.m. Fri.-Sat.; 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Sun. **ALCOHOL:** Full Service; **PMT:** MC, Visa, Disc

**MOTORFOLKERS** — Variety at Tippy Creek Winery, Leesburg, 5 p.m.-8 p.m., no cover, (574) 457-9003

**NIGHT IS ELECTRIC** — Original electro pop/rock at Two EE's Winery, Huntington, 7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m., no cover, 672-2000

**PARTY BOAT BAND** — Trop rock at Eagles Post 3512, Fort Wayne, 7:30 p.m.-11:30 p.m., no cover, 436-3512

**REMEMBER WHEN** — Variety at American Legion Post 241, Waynedale, 8:30 p.m.-11:30 p.m., no cover, 747-7851

**SAILING STONE** — Variety at Mad Anthony Brewing Co., Fort Wayne, 8 p.m.-11 p.m., no cover, 426-2537

**SHELLY DIXON & JEFF MCRAE** — Variety at Don Hall's Guesthouse, Fort Wayne, 9 p.m.-12 a.m., no cover, 489-2524

**SIDECAR GARY'S KARAOKE & DJ w/ BOB (SOUND MAN)** — Karaoke at 4 Crowns, Auburn, 10 p.m.-2 a.m., no cover, 925-9805

**STRING THEORY** — Acoustic variety at Friendly Fox, Fort Wayne, 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m., no cover, 745-3369

**TIGER EYE SOUND KARAOKE w/LARRY SCHMITT** — Karaoke at Curly's Village Inn, Fort Wayne, 9 p.m.-1 a.m., no cover, 747-9964

**TODD HARROLD & NICK BOBAY** — R&B/blues at O'Sullivan's Italian Irish Pub, Fort Wayne, 10 p.m., no cover, 422-5896

**TY CAUSEY** — R&B/soul at Jefferson Pointe, Fort Wayne, 6:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m., no cover, 459-1160

## Saturday, July 21

**A.F.U.** — Rock at Flashback Live, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m., \$5, 422-5292

**ACME BAND** — Blues/variety at American Legion Post 381, Rome City, 7 p.m.-11 p.m., no cover, 854-2477

**CALDER THE BAND, ANNA FAYE, OLC** — Rock/variety at Trubble Brewing Company, Fort Wayne, 5 p.m., no cover, 267-6082

**CLASSIC PARTS** — Classic rock at Dicky's 21 Taps, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., no cover, 486-0590

**COLD CALL** — Classic & Southern rock/blues at Hamilton House, Hamilton, 9 p.m.-1 a.m., no cover, 488-3344

## whatzup PICKS

### JEFFERY BROUSSARD AND THE CREOLE COWBOYS

#### w/THE LEGENDARY TRAINHOPPERS

8:30 p.m. Friday, July 27

Foellinger-Freimann Botanical Conservatory

1100 S. Calhoun St., Fort Wayne

\$6 (under 12 w/adult, free) 260-427-6440

A love and mastery of zydeco is often passed down in families from generation to generation, and Louisiana native Jeffery Broussard is no exception. He grew up surrounded by a rich stew of creole music and started playing drums in his father's band, Delton Broussard & the Lawtell Playboys, at the tender age of eight. At 13, he moved on to the accordion and it was with that instrument that Broussard truly found his voice.

A seminal member of the Zydeco Force, he eventually started his own band, the Creole Cowboys,



and is now recognized as one of the country's best accordionists and one of zydeco's most exciting fiddle players, as well. Broussard and his mates will take the Foellinger-Freimann Botanical Conservatory stage Friday, July 27, at 8:30 p.m. as part of the venue's Botanical Roots concert series.

Fort Wayne's the Legendary Trainhoppers will open the show. (Deborah Kennedy)

### NEIL HAMBURGER

7 p.m. Monday, July 23

Calhoun Street Soups, Salads & Spirits

1915 S. Calhoun St., Fort Wayne

\$20, 260-456-7005

Neil Hamburger is the most famous anti-comedian since Andy Kaufmann.

In stand-up comedy, the aim of anti-comedy or anti-humor is to get the audience to question the whole joke-delivering endeavor: What it means to bomb, what it means to be entertained, what the relationship between joke teller and patron should be.

Hamburger is not a likeable fellow. He delivers



poor jokes poorly. He's boorish. He's out of touch. He makes audiences uncomfortable.

Neil Hamburger is the alter ego of Gregg Turkington, who plays a more conventional (but no less masterful) comic character on the web series, *On Cinema at the Cinema*.

If you are in on the joke, a Neil Hamburger performance can be a thrilling experience. Luckily, Fort Wayne will soon get a chance to sample just

such an experience. On July 23, Hamburger will take the Tiger Room stage in all his tuxedoed, phlegmy, greasy-haired glory. (Steve Penhollow)

### THE LETTERMEN

8 p.m. Saturday, July 28

Foellinger Theatre

3411 Sherman Blvd., Fort Wayne

\$30 thru Wooden Nickel Music and fortwayneparks.org

You'd be hard pressed to find a group with more hits than The Lettermen. The all-American crooning trio came together in Las Vegas in 1960 and sang their way into the hearts and souls of lovebirds everywhere with "The Way You Look Tonight" and "When I Fall in Love," both of which climbed the Billboard Hot 100 in 1961.

The original lineup – Jim Pike, Bob Engemann, and Tony Butala – continued to chart through the early and mid-sixties with the ballads "Goin' Out of My Head/Can't Take My Eyes Off of You," "Put Your Head on My Shoulder," and "Hurt so Bad." Fans responded to the men's soulful melodies and warm harmonies, and that hasn't changed in nearly six



decades of touring and recording.

Speaking of recording, The Lettermen have put out more than seventy studio albums. Do the math and that's more than one a year. And they've received five Grammy nominations and a world's worth of love from fans and loyal followers. The current lineup consists of Tony Butala, Donavan Tea, and Bobby Poynton. They'll be at Foellinger Theatre Saturday, July 28, at 8 p.m. (Deborah Kennedy)



**ERIC CLANCY TRIO, WEST CENTRAL QUARTET** — Jazz at Foellinger-Freimann Botanical Conservatory, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., adults: \$66, children under 13: free, 427-6440

**FORT WAYNE KARAOKE** — Karaoke at Latch String Bar & Grill, Fort Wayne, 10:30 p.m., no cover, 483-5526

**HELICON'S PEAK** — Country & Rock at Eagles Post 985, Kendallville, 7 p.m.-11 p.m., no cover, 343-9030

**HERE COME THE MUMMIES! w/SWEETWATER ALL-STARS, LOVE HUSTLER** — Variety at Headwaters Park/Three Rivers Festival, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m., \$10 adv., \$14 d.o.s., 426-5556

**HUBIE ASHCRAFT BAND** — Country at Noble County Fairgrounds, Kendallville, 8:30 p.m.-10:30 p.m., no cover, 347-0666

**JAMES BAKER QUARTET** — Jazz at Ruth's Chis Steak Hosue, Fort Wayne, 6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m., no cover, 444-5898

**JFX** — Rock at Mitchell's Sports Bar & Neighborhood Grill, Fort Wayne, 9 p.m., \$5, 387-5063

**JOE JUSTICE** — Variety at Main Street, Roanoke, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., no cover, 341-3326

**JOE STABELLI** — Jazz at Don Hall's Gas House, Fort Wayne, 5:45 p.m.-9 p.m., no cover, 426-3411

**JORDAN APPLEGATE QUARTET** — Variety at Club Soda, Fort Wayne, 9 p.m.-12 a.m., no cover, 426-3442

**LUMPS, BIKE COPS, WOLFBEARHAWK, BURIAL PARTY** — Punk/rock at Brass Rail, Fort Wayne, 9 p.m., cover, 267-5303

**MIKE DOUGHTERY, WHISKEY HIGHWAY** — Country/variety at Buck Lake Ranch, Angola, 1 p.m.-7 p.m., \$5, 665-6699

**MOTORFOLKERS** — Variety at Byler Lane Winery, Auburn, 5 p.m.-8 p.m., no cover, 920-4377

**PAUL NEW STEWART & CHARLES RHEN** — The Vegas Years at The Venice Restaurant, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., \$1, 482-1618

**REMEMBER WHEN** — Variety at Don Hall's Guesthouse, Fort Wayne, 8:30 p.m.-11:30 p.m., no cover, 489-2524

**ROCK THE PLAZA FEAT. APQ HARMONIC, DAVE TODORAN & THE MOBILE HOMEWRECKERS, SUNNY TAYLOR BAND, EXTERMINATE ALL RATIONAL THOUGHT** — Variety at Allen County Public Library Plaza, Fort Wayne, 6 p.m.-10 p.m., free, 436-8080

**SHELLY DIXON & JEFF McRAE** — Variety at Mad Anthony Lakeview Ale House, Angola, 8 p.m.-11:30 p.m., no cover, 833-2537

**SIDECAR GARY'S KARAOKE & DJ** — Karaoke at Fremont Bar & Grill, Fremont, 10 p.m.-2 a.m., no cover, 527-6223

**STAR 69** — 90s Alternative Rock at Market Street, Huntington, 9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m., no cover, 356-9997

**STAYIN ALIVE** — Bee Gees tribute at Foellinger Outdoor Theatre, Fort Wayne, 8 p.m., \$24, 427-6715

**TODD HARROLD & NICK BOBAY** — R&B/blues at Mad Anthony Brewing Co., Fort Wayne, 8 p.m.-11 p.m., no cover, 426-2537

**WALKIN' PAPERS** — Rock / blues at Dupont Bar & Grill, Fort Wayne, 9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m., cover, 483-1311

**WILDER MAKER w/ADAM BAKER AND THE HEARTACHE** — Indie Rock at Neat Neat Neat Records, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., \$5, 755-5559

**Y'S MAN TRIO** — Variety at Corner Pocket Pub, Fort Wayne, 9 p.m.-1 a.m., no cover, 492-7665

## Sunday, July 22

**HUBIE ASHCRAFT TRIO** — Country at Lake James Sandbar, Angola, 2 p.m.-5 p.m., no cover, 602-4051

**LEGENDARY TRAINHOPPERS, U.R.B., THE LEMERT, BEELER, KLEE TRIO, JAKE MILLER** — Rock at Sweetwater Performance Pavilion, Fort Wayne, 2 p.m.-6 p.m., \$15, (800) 222-4700

**SIDECAR GARY'S KARAOKE & DJ w/BOB (THE SOUND MAN)** — Karaoke at Gutbusterz Comedy & Grill, Fort Wayne, 6 p.m.-10 p.m., no cover, 486-0216

**WHISTLE PIGS** — R&B/jazz at Kehoe Park, Bluffton, 7 p.m.-8:30 p.m., free, 824-6069

## Monday, July 23

**BUCKCHERRY w/SEE THIS THROUGH, MECCABONE, BIG CADDY DADDY** — Rock at The Eclectic Room, Angola, 7 p.m., \$30-\$295, 668-3830

**FORT WAYNE KARAOKE** — Karaoke at Latch String Bar & Grill, Fort Wayne, 10 p.m., no cover, 483-5526

**HOT MIC MONDAYS** — Comedy open mic at Club Royal, Fort Wayne, 9 p.m., no cover, 222-8525

**JESSICA BRITA SEGUYE** — Variety at Deer Park Irish Pub, Fort Wayne, 6:30 p.m.-8 p.m., no cover, 432-8966

**JOE JUSTICE** — Variety at Park Place Senior Living, Fort Wayne, 2 p.m.-3 p.m., no cover, 480-2500

**NEIL HAMBURGER** — Comedy at Calhoun Street Soups, Salads & Spirits, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m., \$20, 456-7005

**OPEN MIC HOSTED BY SHELLY DIXON & JEFF McRAE** — Variety at Curly's Village Inn, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., no cover, 747-9964

## Tuesday, July 24

**CHILLY'S TALENT & TACOS** — Open mic at Latch String Bar & Grill, Fort Wayne, 9 p.m.-12 a.m., no cover, 483-5526

**CHRIS WORTH** — Variety at Club Paradise, Angola, 6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m., no cover, 833-7082

**FORT WAYNE KARAOKE** — Variety at Rack & Helen's, New Haven, 9 p.m., no cover, 749-5396

**JOE JUSTICE** — Variety at Smith Farms Manor, Auburn, 3 p.m.-4 p.m., no cover, 925-4800

## Wednesday, July 25

**BLACK LABEL SOCIETY, CORROSION OF CONFORMITY, EYE HATE GOD** — Metal/rock at Clyde Theatre, Fort Wayne, 7:30 p.m., \$35-\$39.50, 747-0989

**CADILLAC RANCH** — Classic rock at Schnelker Park, New Haven, 5 p.m.-8 p.m., free, 749-2212

**CAROLYN MARTIN** — Variety at Don Hall's Guesthouse, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., no cover, 489-2524

**FATIMA WASHINGTON** — R&B/soul at Embassy Theatre rooftop, Fort Wayne, 5 p.m., \$5, 424-5665

**HUBIE ASHCRAFT & MISSY BURGESS** — Country at Nine Mile, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-9 p.m., no cover, 639-8112

**J TAYLORS** — Variety at Indian Trails Park, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-9 p.m., no cover, 427-6000

**JOE JUSTICE COPY** — Variety at Arbor Glen Retirement Village, Fort Wayne, 4 p.m.-5 p.m., free, 492-2202

**MARK GARR** — Acoustic variety at Eagles Post 3512, Fort Wayne, 6 p.m.-9 p.m., no cover, 436-3512

**OPEN MIC** — Hosted by Adam Baker at Pedal City, Fort Wayne, 9 p.m.-12 a.m., no cover, 415-6167

**PAUL NEW STEWART & CHARLES RHEN** — The Vegas Years at The Venice Restaurant, Fort Wayne, 6 p.m.-9 p.m., \$1, (260) 482-1618

**SHUT UP AND SING** — Karaoke at Duesy's Sports Bar and Grille, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-11 p.m., no cover, 483-5681

**TED NUGENT** — Rock at Foellinger Outdoor Theatre, Fort Wayne, 8 p.m., \$39-\$79, 427-6715

**THREE RIVERS KARAOKE** — at Dupont Bar & Grill, Fort Wayne, 9 p.m.-1 a.m., no cover, 483-1311

**TIGER EYE SOUND KARAOKE w/LARRY SCHMITT** — Karaoke at Curly's Village Inn, Fort Wayne, 8 p.m.-11 p.m., no cover, 747-9964

## Thursday, July 26

**BLUES TRAVELER** — Rock at Clyde Theatre, Fort Wayne, 7:30 p.m., \$25-\$30, 747-0989

**BUCCA KARAOKE w/BUCCA** — Variety at Deer Park Irish Pub, Fort Wayne, 9 p.m., no cover, 432-8966

**CHRIS WORTH** — Variety at Trolley Steaks & Seafood, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., no cover, 490-4322

**ERIC MISHLER** — Variety at JD Lounge, Fort Wayne, 8 p.m.-10:30 p.m., no cover, 483-1311

**FORT WAYNE KARAOKE** — Variety at Latch String Bar & Grill, Fort Wayne, 10 p.m., no cover, 483-5526

**FORT WAYNE KARAOKE w/TJ** — Variety at Rack & Helen's, New Haven, 10 p.m., no cover, 749-5396

**HUBIE ASHCRAFT** — Acoustic at Coppertop Tavern, Wolcottville, 6 p.m.-9 p.m., no cover, 854-3000

**JAMES BAKER DUO** — Jazz at Ruth's Chris Steakhouse, Fort Wayne, 6 p.m.-9 p.m., no cover, 444-5898

**JAZZ JAM** — Jazz at Crescendo Club, Sweetwater, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-8:30 p.m., free, (800) 222-4700

**JEFF McDONALD** — Oldies at Don Hall's Guesthouse, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., no cover, 489-2524

**MICHAEL PATTERSON** — Variety at Club Soda, Fort Wayne, 6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m., no cover, 426-3442

**MOTORFOLKERS** — Variety at Adams Lake Pub, Wolcottville, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., no cover, 854-3463

**OPEN MIC** — Hosted by Mike Conley at Mad Anthony Brewing Co., Fort Wayne, 8 p.m.-11 p.m., no cover, 426-2537

**OPEN MIC HOSTED BY CHILLY ADDAMS** — Variety at Phoenix, Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.-10 p.m., no cover, all ages, 387-6571

**OPEN STAGE JAM** — Hosted by Pop 'n' Fresh at Office Tavern, Fort Wayne, 8:30 p.m.-12:30 p.m., no cover, 478-5827

**REMEMBER WHEN** — Variety at Rack & Helen's Social House, Fort Wayne, 6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m., no cover, 203-3154

**SIDECAR GARY'S KARAOKE & DJ** — Karaoke at Club Paradise, Angola, 7:30 p.m.-11:30 p.m., no cover, 833-7082

**SMOOTH EDGE 2** — A Cappella at Lunch on the Square, Freimann Square, Fort Wayne, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., no cover, www.downtownfortwayne.com

**TRONIC** — EDM at O'Sullivan's Italian Irish Pub, Fort Wayne, 10 p.m., no cover, 422-5896

## NIGHTLIFE

### MITCHELL'S SPORTS & NEIGHBORHOOD GRILL

**Sports & Music • 6179 W. Jefferson Blvd., Fort Wayne • 260-387-5063**  
**EXPECT:** Family-friendly atmosphere, great food, all sports packages on over 40 TVs, craft beers and more. Great food from wings and pizza to gourmet sandwiches and entrees; breakfast and blood Mary bar Saturdays & Sundays, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. **GETTING THERE:** On the corner of Getz and Jefferson Blvd., southwest Fort Wayne. **HOURS:** 4 p.m.-close Monday-Thursday; 11 a.m.-close Friday-Saturday. **ALCOHOL:** Full Service; **PMT:** MC, Visa, Disc, Amex

### STATE GRILL

**Pub/Tavern • 1210 E. State Blvd., Fort Wayne • 260-483-5618**

**EXPECT:** 1st Tavern to pour beer after Prohibition; located in a fun and friendly neighborhood; home of the XKE Cranials & most dangerous juke-box. Daily drink specials include \$2 Tall Boy PBR all day, everyday, great craft beer selection. Golden Tee. Free WIFI. Fort Wayne's Sammy Hagar bar & Beach Bar Rum, Riverbend Pizza. **GETTING THERE:** Corner of State and Crescent. **HOURS:** 4 p.m.-3 a.m. Mon., 1 p.m.-3 a.m. Tues.-Fri., noon-3 a.m. Sat., noon-1 a.m. Sun. **ALCOHOL:** Full Service; **PMT.:** Cash only; ATM on site

### TEDS BEER HALL & WINE BAR

**Pub/Tavern • 12628 Coldwater Rd., Fort Wayne • 888-260-0357**

**EXPECT:** Lively atmosphere, eclectic tap list, knowledgeable bartenders and the kind of backtalk you usually reserve for family reunions, Thanksgiving and 90s sitcoms set in high school. Kitchen features pizzas, sandwiches, burgers, coffee, ice cream and a kids menu. **GETTING THERE:** Located at the intersection of Coldwater and Union Chapel roads. **HOURS:** 11 a.m.-11 p.m. Tues.-Sat. **ALCOHOL:** Beer/Wine; **PMT:** MC, Visa, Disc, Amex

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# FORT WAYNE PRIDE

**JULY 27 & 28**

## HEADWATERS PARK

**Vendors, Food, Beer Tent, Workshops, Tournaments, KidSpace, March, & Performances by: Good Night Gracie, Blu Janes, Will Certain, DJ Scoob, Doug Strahm, New Fame & More!**

**fwpride.org**

**Friday- 7p-12a; Saturday- 12p-12a  
 \$5/ day; 12 & under free  
 Pride March- 7/28 at 11:15a**

FRIDAY, JULY 20 • 9PM • \$5  
**MIKE ADAMS & HIS HONEST WEIGHT**  
**w/METAVARI, LUX DRIVE**  
 FREE w/MIDDLE WAVES TICKET

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| 3 Doors Down, Collective Soul w/Soul Asylum  | Aug. 7          | Freedom Hill Amphitheatre              | Sterling Heights, MI  |
| 311, The Offspring w/Gym Class Heroes  | Aug. 14         | Freedom Hill Amphitheatre              | Sterling Heights, MI  |
| 5 Seconds of Summer  | Sept. 8         | Aragon Ballroom                        | Chicago               |
| 5 Seconds of Summer  | Sept. 11        | Meadow Brook Amphitheatre              | Rochester, MI         |
| 85 South   | Nov. 18         | Vic Theatre                            | Chicago               |
| 98 Degrees   | Nov. 25         | Murat Theatre                          | Indianapolis          |
| 98 Degrees   | Dec. 5          | Sound Board                            | Detroit               |
| A Killer's Confession w/Impending Lies, Brothers at Arms, Sykosis, The Killing of June, The Party, Fallen Empire, Alone & Waiting, Psycho Plantation, Age of Echidna | Aug. 18         | House of Blues                         | Cleveland             |
| Aaron Lewis  | Sept. 2         | Hoosier Park Casino                    | Anderson              |
| Aaron Lewis  | Dec. 2          | Sound Board                            | Detroit               |
| <b>Acoustic Ash, Will Certain, Jen &amp; the Foggy Creek Band, Jess Thrower, New Fame, Blu James, Doug Strahm, DJ Sarah Akawa, DJ Boyfrriend</b>                     | <b>July 28</b>  | <b>Pride Fest, Headwaters Park</b>     | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| After 7, Tony Toni Tone  | July 26         | Sound Board                            | Detroit               |
| Against Me! w/Speedy Ortiz, Lowercase Roses  | July 31         | Civic Music Hall                       | Toledo                |
| Agent Orange   | Aug. 10         | Grog Shop                              | Cleveland Heights, OH |
| <b>Alabama w/Restless Heart</b>  | <b>July 27</b>  | <b>Allen Co. War Memorial Coliseum</b> | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Alison Krauss  | Sept. 15        | Clowes Memorial Hall                   | Indianapolis          |
| Alkaline Trio w/Together Pangea  | Aug. 8          | Royal Oak Music Theatre                | Royal Oak, MI         |
| Alkaline Trio w/Together Pangea  | Aug. 9          | Agora Theatre                          | Cleveland             |
| <b>Amerakin Overdose</b>   | <b>July 20</b>  | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b>    | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| <b>America</b>   | <b>July 20</b>  | <b>Honeywell Center</b>                | <b>Wabash</b>         |
| <b>Amorphis, Dark Tranquillity, Moonspell, Omnium Gatherum</b>   | <b>Sept. 11</b> | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b>    | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Amy Grant  | Nov. 9          | Niswonger P.A.C.                       | Van Wert              |
| Anderson East  | Sept. 11        | Bluebird Nightclub                     | Bloomington, IN       |
| <b>Anderson East</b>   | <b>Sept. 15</b> | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                   | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Andre Rieu   | Sept. 16        | Allstate Arena                         | Rosemont, IL          |
| Andrew Bird w/Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra  | Sept. 26        | Hilbert Circle Theatre                 | Indianapolis          |
| <b>Angra w/Scarlet Aura</b>  | <b>Oct. 13</b>  | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b>    | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| <b>Apama Nancherla</b>   | <b>Aug. 23</b>  | <b>CS3</b>                             | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Apama Nancherla  | Oct. 24         | White Rabbit Cabaret                   | Indianapolis          |
| Apama Nancherla  | Oct. 25         | Planet Ant Hall                        | Detroit               |
| Apama Nancherla  | Oct. 26         | Thalia Hall                            | Chicago               |
| Aquabats   | Sept. 12        | House of Blues                         | Cleveland             |
| <b>Arch Enemy w/Goatwhore, Uncured</b>   | <b>Oct. 16</b>  | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b>    | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Arch Enemy   | Oct. 20         | Agora Theatre                          | Cleveland             |
| Arló Guthrie   | July 22         | Cain Park                              | Cleveland Heights, OH |
| Arthur Buck  | Sept. 23        | Lincoln Hall                           | Chicago               |
| Atlanta Rhythm Section   | July 26         | Hoover Auditorium                      | Lakeside, OH          |
| Averged Sevenfold, Three Days Grace, Prophets of Rage  | Aug. 4          | Riverbend Music Center                 | Cincinnati            |
| Averged Sevenfold, Three Days Grace, Prophets of Rage  | Aug. 6          | Blossom Music Center                   | Cuyahoga Falls, OH    |
| Averged Sevenfold, Three Days Grace, Prophets of Rage  | Aug. 7          | DTE Energy Music Theatre               | Clarkston, MI         |
| Averged Sevenfold, Three Days Grace, Prophets of Rage  | Aug. 11         | Hollywood Casino Amphitheatre          | Tinley Park, IL       |
| Averged Sevenfold, Three Days Grace, Prophets of Rage  | Aug. 12         | Ruoff Music Center                     | Noblesville           |
| <b>Average White Band</b>  | <b>Aug. 23</b>  | <b>Sweetwater Pavilion</b>             | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Avett Brothers   | Aug. 14         | Fraze Pavilion                         | Kettering, OH         |
| The Avett Brothers & Gov't Mule w/The Magpie Salute  | Aug. 23         | Ruoff Music Center                     | Noblesville           |
| The B-52's, Culture Club, Tom Bailey   | Aug. 30         | DTE Energy Music Theatre               | Clarkston, MI         |
| Barry Manilow  | July 29         | Allstate Arena                         | Rosemont, IL          |
| <b>BB King's Blues Band feat. Tito Jackson</b>   | <b>Aug. 17</b>  | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                   | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Beach Boys   | July 19         | Freedom Hill Amphitheatre              | Sterling Heights, MI  |
| Beach House  | Aug. 19         | Royal Oak Music Theatre                | Royal Oak, MI         |
| Bebel Gilberto   | July 25         | The Ark                                | Ann Arbor             |
| Belinda Carlisle w/ABC, Modern English, Tony Lewis, Limahl, Annabella  | Aug. 3          | Hard Rock Rocksino                     | Northfield Park, OH   |
| Ben Folds & Cake w/Tall Heights  | Aug. 25         | White River State Park                 | Indianapolis          |
| Beth Hart  | Sept. 19        | Park West                              | Chicago               |
| Big Boss Band, Renegade  | Aug. 25         | Buck Lake Ranch                        | Angola                |
| Billy Joel   | Sept. 7         | Wrigley Field                          | Chicago               |
| <b>Black Label Society, Corrosion of Conformity, EyeHateGod</b>  | <b>July 25</b>  | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                   | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Blackberry Smoke, J.J. Grey & Mofo   | Aug. 12         | White River State Park                 | Indianapolis          |
| <b>Blackberry Smoke</b>  | <b>Aug. 24</b>  | <b>Sweetwater Pavilion</b>             | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| <b>Blacktop Mojo</b>   | <b>Aug. 11</b>  | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b>    | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Blessid Union of Souls   | Sept. 8         | Odeon Concert Club                     | Cleveland             |
| Blue October   | Oct. 14         | Egyptian Room                          | Indianapolis          |
| <b>Blues Traveler</b>  | <b>July 26</b>  | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                   | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Boney James  | Oct. 20         | Niswonger P.A.C.                       | Van Wert              |
| Borns w/Twin Shadow  | Oct. 1          | Royal Oak Music Theatre                | Royal Oak, MI         |
| Brandy   | July 19         | Hard Rock Rocksino                     | Northfield Park, OH   |
| Breaking Benjamin & Five Finger Death Punch w/Bad Wolves, Nothing More   | Aug. 27         | Blossom Music Center                   | Cuyahoga Falls, OH    |
| Breaking Benjamin & Five Finger Death Punch w/Bad Wolves, Nothing More   | Aug. 28         | Riverbend Music Center                 | Cincinnati            |
| Breaking Benjamin & Five Finger Death Punch w/Bad Wolves, Nothing More   | Aug. 29         | Hollywood Casino Amphitheatre          | Tinley Park, IL       |
| Breaking Benjamin & Five Finger Death Punch w/Bad Wolves, Nothing More   | Aug. 31         | Ruoff Music Center                     | Noblesville           |
| Breaking Benjamin & Five Finger Death Punch w/Bad Wolves, Nothing More   | Sept. 1         | DTE Energy Music Theatre               | Clarkston, MI         |
| Breaking Benjamin & Five Finger Death Punch w/Bad Wolves, Nothing More   | Sept. 9         | Blossom Music Center                   | Cuyahoga Falls, OH    |
| Brian Fallon w/Craig Finn  | Oct. 11         | Park West                              | Chicago               |
| Bruce Cockburn   | Oct. 23         | Music Box                              | Cleveland             |
| Bruno Mars w/Cardi B   | Sept. 15-16     | Little Caesars Arena                   | Detroit               |
| <b>Buckcherry w/See This Through, Meccabone, Big Caddy Daddy</b>   | <b>July 23</b>  | <b>The Eclectic Room</b>               | <b>Angola</b>         |
| <b>Buddy Guy</b>   | <b>Oct. 6</b>   | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                   | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Buffalo Tom  | Sept. 8         | Metro                                  | Chicago               |
| Bun B  | Sept. 1         | The Vogue                              | Indianapolis          |
| Car Seat Headrest w/Naked Giants   | Sept. 7         | Riviera Theatre                        | Chicago               |
| Carly Rae Jepsen & Morgxn  | Aug. 3          | Park West                              | Chicago               |
| Castle Comer   | Aug. 11         | Schubas Tavern                         | Chicago               |
| Cedric the Entertainer   | Dec. 28         | Sound Board                            | Detroit               |
| Charlie Daniels Band, Travis Tritt, Marshall Tucker Band   | July 28         | Fraze Pavilion                         | Kettering, OH         |
| <b>Charlie Daniels Band</b>  | <b>Oct. 6</b>   | <b>Sweetwater Pavilion</b>             | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Charlie Puth w/Hailee Steinfeld  | Aug. 2          | DTE Energy Music Theatre               | Clarkston, MI         |
| Charlie Puth w/Hailee Steinfeld  | Aug. 3          | Riverbend Music Center                 | Cincinnati            |

With a brand-new album, *Trench*, dropping on October 5, **Twenty One Pilots** are preparing to head out on a lengthy U.S. tour. The tour, likely to be one of the year's biggest, stops by the United Center in Chicago on October 17, Quicken Loans Arena in Cleveland on October 23, and Little Caesars Arena in Detroit on October 24. The bands 2015 album, *Blurryface*, sold 6.5 million copies. It will be interesting to see if the duo can continue their momentum.



## Road Notez

### CHRIS HUPE

The goal of the Generation Axe Tour is not only to present five guitar greats on one stage in one night, but to present a seamless show in which each musician uses the same backing band and the musicians take the stage in varying configurations. The tour looks to be one that true guitar aficionados should not miss with **Zakk Wylde**, **Nuno Bettencourt** of **Extreme**, **Steve Vai**, **Yngwie Malmsteen**, and **Tosi Abasi** of **Animals as Leaders** signed up for the trek. Check out what may be a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity when the tour stops in Cincinnati on November 19, Grand Rapids on November 20, and Detroit on November 21. VIP tickets with meet-and-greet opportunities start at \$175.

WIOT in Toledo was the only rock station I could get on the radio when I was growing up. It helped me discover all of the greats: **Led Zeppelin**, **Pink Floyd**, **Bob Seger**, **Kiss**, and many, many others. The station just announced its 2018 Birthday Bash featuring **Godsmack** and **Shinedown** at the Huntington Center in downtown Toledo on September 28. If you haven't been there, it's a 5,000-seat arena that is perfect for this type of show. It should be a crazy night with these bands on stage.

It seems there isn't a whole lot to do in Mississippi. If there were, then maybe they'd be spending time at Mississippi State University doing something other than studying the effects rock music has on environmental systems. The Department of Biological Sciences at MSU exposed ecosystems to **AC/DC's Back In Black** on repeat for two consecutive weeks and found that the ecosystems began to deteriorate during that time. Beetles became less effective predators while listening to Angus Young and company, resulting in the aphid population growing and harming the soybeans in the area. But wait, there's more. The study also tested country music on the ecosystem and found that, despite being played at the same volume as AC/DC, the country music caused less of an effect. Young, when reached for comment, maintained that "Rock 'n Roll Ain't Noise Pollution."

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| Charlie Puth w/Hailee Steinfeld   | Aug. 5          | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| <b>Chase Rice (rescheduled from June 16)</b>                                      | <b>Oct. 12</b>  | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Cherub  | Sept. 28        | The Intersection                    | Grand Rapids          |
| <b>Cherub</b>   | <b>Sept. 30</b> | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Chris Brown w/H.E.R., Rich the Kid, Black   | July 27         | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| Chris Knight  | Aug. 2          | Bluebird Nightclub                  | Bloomington, IN       |
| Chris Robinson Brotherhood  | Aug. 7          | Deluxe                              | Indianapolis          |
| Chris Stapleton w/Marty Stuart, Brent Cobb  | Oct. 5          | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| Christina Aguilera  | Oct. 13         | Fox Theatre                         | Detroit               |
| Chuck Prophet w/Eilen Jewell  | July 21         | Beachland Ballroom                  | Cleveland             |
| The Church  | Oct. 17         | Lincoln Hall                        | Chicago               |
| <b>Cody Jinks w/Whitey Morgan</b>   | <b>July 20</b>  | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Coheed and Cambria w/Taking Back Sunday, The Story So Far                         | July 27         | Freedom Hill Amphitheatre           | Sterling Heights, MI  |
| Coheed and Cambria w/Taking Back Sunday, The Story So Far                         | July 29         | Jacobs Pavilion                     | Cleveland             |
| Counting Crows w/Live   | Aug. 26         | Blossom Music Center                | Cuyahoga Falls, OH    |
| Counting Crows w/Live   | Sept. 1         | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati            |
| Counting Crows w/Live   | Sept. 2         | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI         |
| Counting Crows w/Live   | Sept. 6         | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| <b>Craig Campbell</b>   | <b>July 25</b>  | <b>Noble Co. Fairgrounds</b>        | <b>Kendallville</b>   |
| <b>Craig Ferguson</b>   | <b>Nov. 20</b>  | <b>Honeywell Center</b>             | <b>Wabash</b>         |
| Culture Club w/Tom Bailey   | Sept. 5         | Fraze Pavilion                      | Kettering, OH         |
| Dailey & Vincent  | Oct. 27         | Niswonger P.A.C.                    | Van Wert              |
| Darius Rucker, Lady Antebellum, Russell Dickerson                                 | Sept. 6         | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati            |
| Darius Rucker, Lady Antebellum, Russell Dickerson                                 | Sept. 7         | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI         |
| <b>Dark Star Orchestra</b>  | <b>Oct. 10</b>  | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Dashboard Confessional w/All Time Low   | Aug. 5          | Egyptian Room                       | Indianapolis          |
| Dashboard Confessional w/All Time Low   | Aug. 10         | Jacobs Pavilion                     | Cleveland             |
| Dave Koz w/Gerald Albright, Rick Braun, Richard Elliot, Aubrey Logan, Adam Hawley | July 20         | Fraze Pavilion                      | Kettering, OH         |
| Dave Koz w/Gerald Albright, Rick Braun, Richard Elliot, Aubrey Logan, Adam Hawley | July 21         | Evans Amphitheatre                  | Cleveland Heights, OH |
| Dave Koz w/Gerald Albright, Rick Braun, Richard Elliot, Aubrey Logan, Adam Hawley | July 22         | The Scotio Mile                     | Columbus, OH          |
| The David Bromberg Quintet  | Aug. 8          | The Ark                             | Ann Arbor             |
| David Byrne w/Benjamin Clementine   | Aug. 7          | Jacobs Pavilion                     | Cleveland             |
| David Byrne   | Aug. 8          | DeVos Performance Hall              | Grand Rapids          |
| David Byrne   | Aug. 10         | Fox Theatre                         | Detroit               |
| David Byrne   | Aug. 11         | Rose Music Center                   | Huber Heights, OH     |
| David Byrne w/Benjamin Clementine   | Aug. 12         | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati            |
| David Cross   | July 29         | Agora Theatre                       | Cleveland             |
| Dawes   | Sept. 11        | The Vogue                           | Indianapolis          |
| <b>Dead Daisies w/Dizzie Reed's Hookers and Blow</b>                              | <b>Aug. 16</b>  | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b> | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Deep Purple, Judas Priest w/The Temperance Movement                               | Aug. 24         | Freedom Hill Amphitheatre           | Sterling Heights, MI  |
| Descendents w/Smoking Popes, A Wilhelm Scream                                     | Aug. 26         | Egyptian Room                       | Indianapolis          |
| Dick Dale   | Aug. 14         | Grog Shop                           | Cleveland Heights, OH |
| Dierks Bentley w/Brothers Osborne, Lanco  | July 21         | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| The Diplomats, Cam'ron, Freekey Zekey, Jim Jones, Juelz Santana                   | July 26         | The Vogue                           | Indianapolis          |
| Dispatch w/Raye Zaragoza, Nahko and Medicine for the People                       | July 24         | Murat Theatre                       | Indianapolis          |
| Dispatch, Nahko and Medicine for the People, Scatter Their Own                    | Sept. 16        | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati            |
| <b>Dokken w/Jack Russell's Great White</b>  | <b>Sept. 8</b>  | <b>Honeywell Center</b>             | <b>Wabash</b>         |
| Don Felder  | Nov. 9          | Clowes Memorial Hall                | Indianapolis          |
| <b>Dorothy</b>  | <b>Aug. 3</b>   | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b> | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |



| Calendar • On the Road -----  |                 |                                     |                     |
|---|-----------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Drake w/Migos   | Aug. 14         | Little Caesars Arena                | Detroit             |
| Drive-By Truckers, Tedeschi Trucks Band, Marcus King Band                           | July 22         | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati          |
| Dumpstaphunk  | Sept. 8         | The Vogue                           | Indianapolis        |
| Dustbowl Revival  | Nov. 1          | Wharton Center                      | East Lansing        |
| <b>Dweezil Zappa</b>  | <b>Nov. 15</b>  | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| Eagles  | Oct. 14         | Little Caesars Arena                | Detroit             |
| Eagles  | Oct. 15         | United Center                       | Chicago             |
| Eagles  | Oct. 20         | Quicken Loans Arena                 | Cleveland           |
| Earth, Wind & Fire  | Aug. 23         | Fraze Pavilion                      | Kettering, OH       |
| Eden  | Oct. 20         | Riviera Theatre                     | Chicago             |
| Eden  | Oct. 23         | Deluxe                              | Indianapolis        |
| Eilen Jewell  | Aug. 22         | The Ark                             | Ann Arbor           |
| Elton John  | Oct. 12-13      | Little Caesars Arena                | Detroit             |
| Elton John  | Nov. 3          | Quicken Loans Arena                 | Cleveland           |
| Emancipator Ensemble  | Oct. 4          | The Intersection                    | Grand Rapids        |
| Erasure   | July 31         | Murat Theatre                       | Indianapolis        |
| <b>Eric Johnson</b>   | <b>Oct. 27</b>  | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| <b>Ernie Haase &amp; Signature Sound</b>  | <b>Sept. 15</b> | <b>Wagon Wheel Theatre</b>          | <b>Warsaw</b>       |
| Fall Out Boy w/Machine Gun Kelly  | Oct. 7          | Bankers Life Fieldhouse             | Indianapolis        |
| <b>Flaming Lips</b>   | <b>Aug. 16</b>  | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| Flaming Lips  | Aug. 17         | Agora Theatre                       | Cleveland           |
| <b>Flatfoot 56 w/Balrog</b>   | <b>Aug. 31</b>  | <b>Botanical Conservatory</b>       | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| Fleet Foxes, Nilufer Yanya  | July 23         | Agora Theatre                       | Cleveland           |
| Fleetwood Mac   | Oct. 16         | Bankers Life Fieldhouse             | Indianapolis        |
| Fleetwood Mac   | Oct. 30         | Little Caesars Arena                | Detroit             |
| Floozies w/SoDown   | Nov. 10         | The Intersection                    | Grand Rapids        |
| Foo Fighters  | July 25         | Blossom Music Center                | Cuyahoga Falls, OH  |
| Foo Fighters  | July 26         | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville         |
| Foo Fighters  | July 29         | Wrigley Field                       | Chicago             |
| Foo Fighters  | Oct. 15         | Little Caesars Arena                | Detroit             |
| <b>Fozzy</b>  | <b>Sept. 14</b> | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b> | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| Fozzy w/Adelitas Way, The Stir, Stone Broken  | Sept. 13        | The Vogue                           | Indianapolis        |
| Franz Ferdinand   | Aug. 1          | Park West                           | Chicago             |
| Franz Ferdinand   | Aug. 3          | The Vogue                           | Indianapolis        |
| <b>Full Moon Fever (Tom Petty tribute)</b>  | <b>Aug. 17</b>  | <b>Foellinger Theatre</b>           | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| G-Eazy, Ty Dolla \$ign, Lil Uzi Vert, P-Lo, YBN Nahmir, Murda Beatz                 | Aug. 16         | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI       |
| G-Eazy, Ty Dolla \$ign, Lil Uzi Vert, P-Lo, YBN Nahmir, Murda Beatz                 | Aug. 18         | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati          |
| Gabe Gurnsey  | Oct. 25         | Aragon Ballroom                     | Chicago             |
| Galactic  | Aug. 25         | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati          |
| <b>Gangstagrass w/Auld Mongrels</b>   | <b>Aug. 10</b>  | <b>Botanical Conservatory</b>       | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| Garbage   | Oct. 17         | Riviera Theatre                     | Chicago             |
| Gary Numan, Nightmare Air   | Sept. 24        | House of Blues                      | Cleveland           |
| George Thorogood and the Destroyers w/Foghat  | Aug. 3          | Hoosier Park Casino                 | Anderson            |
| Gladys Knight, The O'Jays   | Aug. 26         | Fox Theatre                         | Detroit             |
| Godflesh  | Aug. 24         | Metro                               | Chicago             |
| Godsmack, Shinedown, Like A Storm   | July 22         | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI       |
| Godsmack, Shinedown   | July 27         | Hollywood Casino Amphitheatre       | Tinley Park, IL     |
| Goo Goo Dolls   | Oct. 6          | Old National Centre                 | Indianapolis        |
| Goo Goo Dolls   | Oct. 23         | The Fillmore                        | Detroit             |
| Good Charlotte  | Nov. 4          | Riviera Theatre                     | Chicago             |
| Gordon Lightfoot  | Sept. 15        | Hard Rock Rocksino                  | Northfield Park, OH |
| <b>Governor Davis w/Swick &amp; Jones</b>   | <b>Aug. 3</b>   | <b>Botanical Conservatory</b>       | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| Great Lake Swimmers   | Aug. 23         | Ignition Music Garage               | Goshen              |
| <b>Greensky Bluegrass w/Lil Smokies</b>   | <b>Oct. 2</b>   | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| Greg Brown  | July 27         | The Ark                             | Ann Arbor           |
| Gregory Alan Isakov   | Nov. 7          | Vic Theatre                         | Chicago             |
| Greta Van Fleet   | July 31         | Agora Theatre                       | Cleveland           |
| The Growlers  | Oct. 4          | Riviera Theatre                     | Chicago             |
| <b>The Guess Who</b>  | <b>Aug. 24</b>  | <b>Foellinger Theatre</b>           | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| Happy Together Tour feat. The Cowsills, Gary Puckett & The Union Gap, Mark Lindsay, |                 |                                     |                     |
| The Association, Chuck Negron, The Turtles feat. Flo                                | Aug. 9          | Fraze Pavilion                      | Kettering, OH       |
| Happy Together Tour   | Aug. 13         | Indiana State Fairgrounds           | Indianapolis        |
| <b>Happy Together Tour</b>  | <b>Aug. 18</b>  | <b>Foellinger Theatre</b>           | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| He Is We  | July 23         | Schubas Tavern                      | Chicago             |
| Hed PE  | Sept. 24        | Piere's Entertainment Center        | Fort Wayne          |
| <b>Here Come the Mummies! w/Sweetwater All-Stars, Love Hustler</b>                  | <b>July 21</b>  | <b>Three Rivers Festival</b>        | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| <b>Herman's Hermits feat. Peter Noone</b>   | <b>Aug. 11</b>  | <b>Foellinger Theatre</b>           | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| Herman's Hermits feat. Peter Noone  | Aug. 18         | Hoover Auditorium                   | Lakeside, OH        |
| Highly Suspect  | July 27         | Agora Theatre                       | Cleveland           |
| <b>The Hooten Hallers /Boat Show</b>  | <b>July 19</b>  | <b>Brass Rail</b>                   | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| Hot Tuna  | Dec. 5          | Clyde Theatre                       | Fort Wayne          |
| <b>Hotel California</b>   | <b>Sept. 3</b>  | <b>Foellinger Theatre</b>           | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| <b>Howl at the Moon</b>   | <b>July 27</b>  | <b>Honeywell Center</b>             | <b>Wabash</b>       |
| The Hunna   | Oct. 10         | Metro                               | Chicago             |
| The Illusionists  | Oct. 11         | Niswonger P.A.C.                    | Van Wert            |
| <b>Indika w/U.R.B.</b>  | <b>Aug. 24</b>  | <b>Botanical Conservatory</b>       | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| Iration, Common Kings, Katastro   | Sept. 28        | Aragon Ballroom                     | Chicago             |
| J Balvin  | Oct. 12         | Allstate Arena                      | Rosemont, IL        |
| J. Cole w/Young Thug  | Sept. 21        | Little Caesars Arena                | Detroit             |
| J.J. Grey & Mofro w/Blackberry Smoke  | Aug. 11         | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati          |
| <b>Jack Russell's Great White w/Bullet Boys, E'Nuff Z'Nuff</b>                      | <b>Oct. 21</b>  | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>   |
| Jacob Sartorius   | Aug. 28         | Deluxe                              | Indianapolis        |
| Jake Owen   | Aug. 11         | Great American Ballpark             | Cincinnati          |
| Jason Aldean w/Lauren Alaina, Luke Combs  | Aug. 23         | Blossom Music Center                | Cuyahoga Falls, OH  |
| Jason Aldean w/Lauren Alaina, Luke Combs  | Sept. 13        | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati          |
| Jason Aldean w/Lauren Alaina, Luke Combs  | Sept. 14        | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI       |
| Jason Isbell and the 400 Unit   | July 25         | Jacobs Pavilion                     | Cleveland           |
| Jason Isbell  | Sept. 14        | Auditorium Theatre                  | Chicago             |
| Jason Isbell  | Sept. 15        | White River State Park              | Indianapolis        |

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| Jason Mraz w/Brett Dennen   | July 27           | Jacobs Pavilion                     | Cleveland             |
| Jason Mraz w/Brett Dennen   | July 28           | Meadow Brook Amphitheatre           | Rochester, MI         |
| Jason Mraz w/Brett Dennen   | Aug. 24           | White River State Park              | Indianapolis          |
| <b>Jay Leno</b>   | <b>Aug. 4</b>     | <b>Foellinger Theatre</b>           | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| <b>Jeff Dye</b>   | <b>Nov. 17</b>    | <b>Wagon Wheel Theatre</b>          | <b>Warsaw</b>         |
| Jeff Lynne's ELO  | Aug. 15           | Allstate Arena                      | Rosemont, IL          |
| Jeff Lynne's ELO  | Aug. 16           | Little Caesars Arena                | Detroit               |
| <b>Jeffery Broussard and the Creole Cowboys w/The Legendary Trainhoppers</b>            | <b>July 27</b>    | <b>Botanical Conservatory</b>       | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Jeremih w/Teyana Taylor, DaniLeigh  | Aug. 19           | Riviera Theatre                     | Chicago               |
| Jill Barber   | Sept. 22          | Schubas Tavern                      | Chicago               |
| Jim Gaffigan  | July 27           | Fraze Pavilion                      | Kettering, OH         |
| Jim Gaffigan  | July 28           | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI         |
| Jim Gaffigan  | Oct. 26-27        | Murat Theatre                       | Indianapolis          |
| Jim James w/Alynda Segarra  | Nov. 9            | Vic Theatre                         | Chicago               |
| Jimmie Dale Gilmore, Dave Alvin   | Sept. 8           | Old Town School                     | Chicago               |
| Joan Baez   | Oct. 2            | Michigan Theater                    | Ann Arbor             |
| <b>Joe Bonamassa</b>  | <b>Nov. 6</b>     | <b>Embassy Theatre</b>              | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Joe Bonamassa   | Nov. 9            | Murat Theatre                       | Indianapolis          |
| <b>Jonny Lang</b>   | <b>Aug. 11</b>    | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Josh Groban w/Irina Menzel  | Nov. 7            | Little Caesars Arena                | Detroit               |
| Joy Formidable  | Nov. 3            | Lincoln Hall                        | Chicago               |
| Judas Priest, Deep Purple   | Aug. 21           | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati            |
| Justin Timberlake   | Oct. 2            | Quicken Loans Arena                 | Cleveland             |
| Justin Timberlake   | Dec. 14           | Bankers Life Fieldhouse             | Indianapolis          |
| Kamasi Washington   | Nov. 3            | Riviera Theatre                     | Chicago               |
| <b>Kansas</b>   | <b>July 29</b>    | <b>Honeywell Center</b>             | <b>Wabash</b>         |
| Kansas  | Oct. 27           | Fox Theatre                         | Detroit               |
| Kansas  | Nov. 10           | Murat Theatre                       | Indianapolis          |
| Kathy Bresnahan   | Oct. 7            | Niswonger P.A.C.                    | Van Wert              |
| Keith Urban, Kelsea Ballerini   | Aug. 10           | Blossom Music Center                | Cuyahoga Falls, OH    |
| Keith Urban, Kelsea Ballerini   | Aug. 19           | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati            |
| Kesha, Macklemore   | July 19           | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| Kevin Hart  | Oct. 4            | Quicken Loans Arena                 | Cleveland             |
| Kevin Hart  | Oct. 5            | Little Caesars Arena                | Detroit               |
| Kid Rock w/Brantley Gilbert, Wheeler Walker Jr.   | Sept. 21          | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| <b>Kill Tony</b>  | <b>Aug. 4</b>     | <b>CS3</b>                          | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Kina Grannis  | July 26           | Lincoln Hall                        | Chicago               |
| King Tuff, Father John Misty  | Sept. 22          | Agora Theatre                       | Cleveland             |
| Kool & The Gang   | Aug. 9            | Indiana State Fairgrounds           | Indianapolis          |
| <b>Kool Keith w/Alien Nature, Third Frame, Planet Boom Bap, Colazone, Doomzday Cult</b> | <b>July 20</b>    | <b>Club Fuze</b>                    | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Kurt Vile and the Violators w/Jessica Pratt   | Dec. 22           | Riviera Theatre                     | Chicago               |
| Lady Antebellum & Darius Rucker w/Russell Dickerson                                     | July 20           | Blossom Music Center                | Cuyahoga Falls, OH    |
| Lady Antebellum & Darius Rucker w/Russell Dickerson                                     | Sept. 14          | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| Lake Street Dive  | Oct. 27           | Riviera Theatre                     | Chicago               |
| Lake Street Dive  | Oct. 29           | The Vogue                           | Indianapolis          |
| Lane 8  | Sept. 6           | The Intersection                    | Grand Rapids          |
| Lauren Daigle   | Oct. 5            | Rosemont Theatre                    | Rosemont, IL          |
| <b>Lauren Sanderson</b>   | <b>July 27</b>    | <b>CS3</b>                          | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Laurn Hill  | July 20           | Freedom Hill Amphitheatre           | Sterling Heights, MI  |
| <b>Leann Rimes</b>  | <b>Oct. 12</b>    | <b>Honeywell Center</b>             | <b>Wabash</b>         |
| Lecrae w/Andy Mineo   | Oct. 22           | Vic Theatre                         | Chicago               |
| Lecrae w/Andy Mineo   | Nov. 11           | The Intersection                    | Grand Rapids          |
| Leftover Salmon w/Rumpke Mountain Boys  | Oct. 5            | The Vogue                           | Indianapolis          |
| Leftover Salmon   | Oct. 6            | Park West                           | Chicago               |
| Leon Bridges w/Khruangbin   | Sept. 24          | Aragon Ballroom                     | Chicago               |
| Leon Bridges w/Khruangbin   | Sept. 25          | Fox Theatre                         | Detroit               |
| <b>Leslie Odum Jr. w/Fort Wayne Philharmonic</b>  | <b>Mar. 2 '19</b> | <b>Embassy Theatre</b>              | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| <b>The Lettermen</b>  | <b>July 28</b>    | <b>Foellinger Theatre</b>           | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Lewis Black   | Oct. 5            | Murat Theatre                       | Indianapolis          |
| <b>Life of Agony</b>  | <b>Sept. 19</b>   | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b> | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Lil Uzi Vert & G-Eazy w/Ty Dolla \$ign, P-Lo, YBN Nahmir, Murda Beatz                   | Aug. 17           | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| Lindsey Stirling  | Aug. 4            | Jacobs Pavilion                     | Cleveland             |
| <b>Lipstick Jodi w/Good Night Gracie, DJ Scoob</b>                                      | <b>July 27</b>    | <b>Pride Fest, Headwaters Park</b>  | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Little River Band   | Nov. 3            | Lerner Theatre                      | Elkhart               |
| Livingston Taylor   | Aug. 5            | Cain Park                           | Cleveland Heights, OH |
| Liz Phair   | Sept. 11          | Beachland Ballroom                  | Cleveland             |
| <b>Lonestar</b>   | <b>Sept. 15</b>   | <b>Honeywell Center</b>             | <b>Wabash</b>         |
| Lord Huron  | July 27           | House of Blues                      | Cleveland             |
| Lori McKenna  | Aug. 3            | The Ark                             | Ann Arbor             |
| Lucero, Brent Cowles  | Sept. 28          | Metro                               | Chicago               |
| Lucinda Williams, Steve Earl, Dwight Yoakam   | Aug. 17           | Meadow Brook Amphitheatre           | Rochester, MI         |
| Lucinda Williams, Dwight Yoakam, Steve Earl & The Dukes w/King Leg                      | Aug. 18           | White River State Park              | Indianapolis          |
| Luke Bryan, DJ Rock, Carly Pearce, Jon Pardi, Sam Hunt, Morgan Wallen                   | Sept. 1           | Wrigley Field                       | Chicago               |
| Luke Bryan w/Jon Pardi, Morgan Wallen   | Aug. 24           | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| <b>Lumps, Bike Cops, Wolfbearhawk, Burial Party</b>                                     | <b>July 21</b>    | <b>Brass Rail</b>                   | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Lydia w/Jared & The Mill, Cherry Pools  | Aug. 17           | Lincoln Hall                        | Chicago               |
| Lyfe Jennings   | Aug. 11           | House of Blues                      | Cleveland             |
| Lynyrd Skynyrd  | July 27           | Blossom Music Center                | Cuyahoga Falls, OH    |
| Lynyrd Skynyrd  | Aug. 4            | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| Lynyrd Skynyrd w/The Charlie Daniels Band   | Aug. 10           | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI         |
| Lynyrd Skynyrd  | Aug. 17           | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati            |
| Machine Head  | Oct. 23           | The Intersection                    | Grand Rapids          |
| <b>Machine Head</b>   | <b>Oct. 26</b>    | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Maggie Koerner  | July 24           | Schubas Tavern                      | Chicago               |
| <b>Mannheim Steamroller</b>   | <b>Dec. 1</b>     | <b>Embassy Theatre</b>              | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Mannheim Steamroller  | Dec. 16           | Fox Theatre                         | Detroit               |
| Mannheim Steamroller  | Dec. 21           | Wharton Center                      | East Lansing          |
| Mark Famer's American Band  | July 20           | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI         |
| Mark Lowry w/Brian Free & Assurance   | Oct. 14           | Niswonger P.A.C.                    | Van Wert              |
| Maroon 5 w/Julia Michaels   | Sept. 20          | Bankers Life Fieldhouse             | Indianapolis          |
| Maroon 5 w/Julia Michaels   | Sept. 30          | Little Caesars Arena                | Detroit               |



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| <b>Marshall Tucker Band</b>  | <b>Aug. 11</b>  | <b>Sweetwater Pavilion</b>             | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| <b>Martin Barre</b>  | <b>Oct. 26</b>  | <b>C2G Music Hall</b>                  | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Martina McBride  | July 27         | Hoosier Park Casino                    | Anderson              |
| Marty Stuart, Brent Cobb, Chris Stapleton                              | Oct. 4          | Riverbend Music Center                 | Cincinnati            |
| Mastodon w/Dinosaur Jr., The Netherlands                               | Sept. 12        | Agora Theatre                          | Cleveland             |
| <b>Mastodon w/Dinosaur Jr.</b>   | <b>Sept. 14</b> | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                   | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Matt Alber   | Aug. 15         | Schubas Tavern                         | Chicago               |
| <b>Matt Maher, Zach Williams</b>                                       | <b>Oct. 28</b>  | <b>Allen Co. War Memorial Coliseum</b> | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Matt Mays, The Gaslight Anthem, Joe Sib                                | Aug. 11         | Riviera Theatre                        | Chicago               |
| Maze feat. Frankie Beverly w/Brandy                                    | July 21         | Bankers Life Fieldhouse                | Indianapolis          |
| MC50   | Sept. 23        | House of Blues                         | Cleveland             |
| MC50   | Oct. 24         | Metro                                  | Chicago               |
| Meatball Band  | Aug. 18         | The Vogue                              | Indianapolis          |
| The Melvins  | July 31         | Park West                              | Chicago               |
| Melvins w/Jon Spencer Blues Explosion                                  | Aug. 5          | The Vogue                              | Indianapolis          |
| MercyMe w/Tenth Avenue North   | Oct. 4          | Bankers Life Fieldhouse                | Indianapolis          |
| <b>Mersey Beatles</b>  | <b>Oct. 20</b>  | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                   | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Michael McDonald   | Aug. 15         | Sound Board                            | Detroit               |
| Michael Stanley and the Resonators w/Marti Jones, Don Dixon            | Sept. 15        | Canton Palace Theatre                  | Canton, OH            |
| Mighty Mighty Bosstones  | Aug. 21         | The Vogue                              | Indianapolis          |
| Mighty Mighty Bosstones  | Aug. 23         | House of Blues                         | Cleveland             |
| <b>Mike Adams at His Honest Weight w/Metavari, Lux Drive</b>           | <b>July 20</b>  | <b>CS3</b>                             | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| <b>Mike Dougherty, Whiskey Highway</b>                                 | <b>July 21</b>  | <b>Buck Lake Ranch</b>                 | <b>Angola</b>         |
| Mike Robbins   | Oct. 4          | Niswonger P.A.C.                       | Van Wert              |
| Mik Carton Kids w/The Barr Brothers                                    | Oct. 22         | Royal Oak Music Theatre                | Royal Oak, MI         |
| Miranda Lambert, Little Big Town, Turnpike Troubadours, Tenille Townes | Aug. 24         | DTE Energy Music Theatre               | Clarkston, MI         |
| Miranda Sings  | July 31         | Egyptian Room                          | Indianapolis          |
| Miranda Sings  | Aug. 3          | Rosemont Theatre                       | Rosemont, IL          |
| MJ Live  | Nov. 17         | Lerner Theatre                         | Elkhart               |
| Mobile Deathcamp   | Aug. 11         | Ignition Music Garage                  | Goshen                |
| Mod Sun  | Oct. 5          | House of Blues                         | Cleveland             |
| <b>Modest Mouse</b>  | <b>Sept. 21</b> | <b>Foellinger Theatre</b>              | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Modest Mouse   | Sept. 22        | Genesee Theater                        | Waukegan, IL          |
| Modest Mouse   | Sept. 24        | Morris P.A.C.                          | South Bend            |
| Modest Mouse   | Sept. 25        | Wings Event Center                     | Kalamazoo             |
| Modest Mouse   | Sept. 26        | Stranahan Theater                      | Toledo                |
| Modest Mouse   | Sept. 28        | Taft Theatre                           | Cincinnati            |
| Modest Mouse   | Sept. 29        | Akron Civic Theater                    | Akron, OH             |
| Modest Mouse   | Oct. 19         | IU Auditorium                          | Bloomington, IN       |
| Monsta X   | July 20         | Rosemont Theatre                       | Rosemont, IL          |
| <b>Morris Day and the Time w/The Funk Thang, Music Lovers Lounge</b>   | <b>July 20</b>  | <b>Three Rivers Festival</b>           | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Morris Day and The Time  | July 28         | Cain Park                              | Cleveland Heights, OH |
| The Motet w/Mungion  | Oct. 4          | The Intersection                       | Grand Rapids          |
| Motion Device  | Aug. 12         | The Vogue                              | Indianapolis          |
| The Mountain Goats   | Sept. 7         | Royal Oak Music Theatre                | Royal Oak, MI         |
| Murder By Death  | Oct. 6          | Metro                                  | Chicago               |
| My Bloody Valentine  | July 27-28      | Riviera Theatre                        | Chicago               |
| The National   | Aug. 2          | Metro                                  | Chicago               |
| Neck Deep w/Trophy Eyes, Gardenside, WSTR, Stand Atlantic              | Sept. 28        | Royal Oak Music Theatre                | Royal Oak, MI         |
| Neck Deep w/Trophy Eyes, Gardenside, WSTR, Stand Atlantic              | Sept. 29        | Agora Theatre                          | Cleveland             |
| Neck Deep w/Trophy Eyes, Gardenside, WSTR, Stand Atlantic              | Oct. 2          | Bogart's                               | Cincinnati            |
| <b>Neck Deep w/Trophy Eyes, Gardenside, WSTR, Stand Atlantic</b>       | <b>Oct. 3</b>   | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                   | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Needtobreathe, Johnnyswim, Billy Raffoul                               | Aug. 14         | Meadow Brook Amphitheatre              | Rochester, MI         |
| Needtobreathe, Johnnyswim, Billy Raffoul                               | Aug. 26         | White River State Park                 | Indianapolis          |
| Needtobreathe, Johnnyswim, Forest Blakk                                | Sept. 4         | Riverbend Music Center                 | Cincinnati            |
| Needtobreathe, Johnnyswim, Forest Blakk                                | Sept. 5         | Jacobs Pavilion                        | Cleveland             |
| <b>Neil Hamburger</b>  | <b>July 23</b>  | <b>CS3</b>                             | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Neon Indian  | Dec. 30         | Royal Oak Music Theatre                | Royal Oak, MI         |
| Niall Horan w/Maren Morris   | July 25         | Riverbend Music Center                 | Cincinnati            |
| Niall Horan w/Maren Morris   | Aug. 26         | Ruoff Music Center                     | Noblesville           |
| Niall Horan w/Maren Morris   | Aug. 28         | DTE Energy Music Theatre               | Clarkston, MI         |
| Niall Horan w/Maren Morris   | Aug. 29         | Blossom Music Center                   | Cuyahoga Falls, OH    |
| Nick Cannon  | Aug. 17         | Allstate Arena                         | Rosemont, IL          |
| Nicole Atkins w/Ruby Boots   | Aug. 9          | The Hi Fi                              | Indianapolis          |
| <b>Night Ranger w/The Easthills</b>                                    | <b>Aug. 25</b>  | <b>Sweetwater Pavilion</b>             | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Niki & Gabi  | Aug. 7          | Beat Kitchen                           | Chicago               |
| Nine Inch Nails w/The Jesus and Mary Chain                             | Oct. 22-23      | Fox Theatre                            | Detroit               |

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| Nine Inch Nails w/The Jesus and Mary Chain                                | Oct. 25-26         | Aragon Ballroom                     | Chicago               |
| Nothing But Thieves, Demob Happy, Grandson                                | Sept. 13           | Metro                               | Chicago               |
| The O'Jays  | July 27            | Cain Park                           | Cleveland Heights, OH |
| O.A.R. w/Matt Nathanson   | July 24            | Fraze Pavilion                      | Kettering, OH         |
| O.A.R. w/Matt Nathanson   | Aug. 23            | Jacobs Pavilion                     | Cleveland             |
| O.A.R. w/Matt Nathanson   | Aug. 28            | White River State Park              | Indianapolis          |
| <b>The Ohio Players, The Gap Experience</b>                               | <b>Aug. 4</b>      | <b>McMillen Park</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Old Dominion, Kenny Chesney   | July 26            | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati            |
| Otep w/Kore Rozzik, Dropout Kings   | July 27            | Odeon Concert Club                  | Cleveland             |
| Ozuna   | Oct. 5             | Allstate Arena                      | Rosemont, IL          |
| Ozzy Osbourne w/Stone Sour  | Sept. 16           | Blossom Music Center                | Cuyahoga Falls, OH    |
| Ozzy Osbourne w/Stone Sour  | Sept. 23           | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| <b>Paul Cebal Tomorrow Sound w/Calder the Band</b>                        | <b>Aug. 17</b>     | <b>Botanical Conservatory</b>       | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Paul Rodgers, Jeff Beck, Ann Wilson                                       | July 31            | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI         |
| Paul Rodgers, Jeff Beck, Ann Wilson                                       | Aug. 8             | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati            |
| Paul Rodgers, Jeff Beck, Ann Wilson                                       | Aug. 10            | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| Paula Abdul   | Oct. 26            | Hard Rock Rocksino                  | Northfield Park, OH   |
| Pearl Jam   | Aug. 18, 20        | Wrigley Field                       | Chicago               |
| Pedro the Lion w/H.C. McEntire  | Aug. 9             | The Hi Fi                           | Indianapolis          |
| Pedro the Lion w/H.C. McEntire  | Aug. 17            | Grog Shop                           | Cleveland Heights, OH |
| Pentatonix  | Sept. 5            | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati            |
| Pentatonix  | Sept. 8            | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| Pentatonix  | Sept. 13           | Blossom Music Center                | Cuyahoga Falls, OH    |
| Pentatonix  | Sept. 15           | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI         |
| Pepe Aguilar  | Aug. 19            | Allstate Arena                      | Rosemont, IL          |
| Peter Bradley Adams   | Aug. 26            | The Ark                             | Ann Arbor             |
| Phil Collins  | Oct. 18            | Quicken Loans Arena                 | Cleveland             |
| Phil Collins  | Oct. 19            | Nationwide Arena                    | Columbus, OH          |
| Phil Collins  | Oct. 22            | United Center                       | Chicago               |
| Phillip Phillips  | Aug. 2             | The Vogue                           | Indianapolis          |
| Phish   | Oct. 26-28         | Allstate Arena                      | Rosemont, IL          |
| The Piano Guys  | Dec. 7             | Fox Theatre                         | Detroit               |
| Polaris, Parkway Drive, August Burns Red, The Devil Wears Prada           | Sept. 5            | Riviera Theatre                     | Chicago               |
| Polaris, Parkway Drive, August Burns Red, The Devil Wears Prada           | Sept. 6            | Agora Theatre                       | Cleveland             |
| Porter Robinson w/Virtual Self  | Sept. 7            | Aragon Ballroom                     | Chicago               |
| Portugal.The Man  | July 28            | White River State Park              | Indianapolis          |
| <b>Puddle of Mudd</b>   | <b>Oct. 19</b>     | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b> | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Punch Brothers  | Aug. 9             | Cain Park                           | Cleveland Heights, OH |
| Punch Brothers  | Aug. 10            | Royal Oak Music Theatre             | Royal Oak, MI         |
| Pusha T   | Aug. 10            | House of Blues                      | Cleveland             |
| Radiohead   | July 22            | Little Caesars Arena                | Detroit               |
| Radiohead   | July 23            | Schottenstein Center                | Columbus, OH          |
| Radiohead   | July 25            | U.S. Bank Arena                     | Cincinnati            |
| Rainbow Kitten Surprise   | Oct. 9             | House of Blues                      | Cleveland             |
| Rainbow Kitten Surprise w/Caroline Rose                                   | Oct. 13            | Egyptian Room                       | Indianapolis          |
| Rainbow Kitten Surprise   | Oct. 15            | The Intersection                    | Grand Rapids          |
| Rascal Flatts, Carly Pearce, Dan + Shay                                   | Aug. 5             | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati            |
| Rascal Flatts, Carly Pearce, Dan + Shay                                   | Aug. 9             | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| Rascal Flatts, Carly Pearce, Dan + Shay                                   | Aug. 17            | Blossom Music Center                | Cuyahoga Falls, OH    |
| Rascal Flatts, Miranda Lambert, Keith Urban, Kenny Chesney, Jason Aldean, |                    |                                     |                       |
| Dierks Bentley, Lady Antebellum   | Dec. 31            | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati            |
| Reba McEntire   | Aug. 4             | Fraze Pavilion                      | Kettering, OH         |
| The Record Company w/Madisen Ward and the Mama Bear                       | Sept. 29           | Riviera Theatre                     | Chicago               |
| <b>Renee Fleming w/Fort Wayne Philharmonic</b>                            | <b>Oct. 6</b>      | <b>Embassy Theatre</b>              | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| REO Speedwagon, Chicago   | Aug. 10            | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati            |
| REO Speedwagon, Chicago   | Aug. 11            | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| REO Speedwagon, Chicago   | Aug. 12            | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI         |
| <b>REO Speedwagon</b>   | <b>Sept. 26</b>    | <b>Foellinger Theatre</b>           | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| REO Speedwagon  | Nov. 11            | Sound Board                         | Detroit               |
| Reverend Horton Heat  | Nov. 30            | Metro                               | Chicago               |
| Reverend Payton's Big Damn Band   | Nov. 23            | The Vogue                           | Indianapolis          |
| The Revolution  | Oct. 5             | Park West                           | Chicago               |
| <b>Rick Braun &amp; Peter White</b>                                       | <b>Sept. 22</b>    | <b>Sweetwater Pavilion</b>          | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| <b>Ricky Skaggs &amp; Kentucky Thunder</b>                                | <b>Nov. 9</b>      | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Ringo Starr & His All Starr Band  | Sept. 9            | Morris P.A.C.                       | South Bend            |
| Ringo Starr & His All Starr Band  | Sept. 11           | Fraze Pavilion                      | Kettering, OH         |
| Ringo Starr & His All Starr Band  | Sept. 21           | Hard Rock Rocksino                  | Northfield Park, OH   |
| Rise Against, Machine Gun Kelly, Fall Out Boy                             | Sept. 8            | Wrigley Field                       | Chicago               |
| Robben Ford   | Aug. 15            | The Ark                             | Ann Arbor             |
| Rod Stewart w/Cyndi Lauper  | Aug. 18            | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| Rod Tuficuris & The Bench Press   | Sept. 22           | The Vogue                           | Indianapolis          |
| Romeo Santos  | Oct. 16            | Allstate Arena                      | Rosemont, IL          |
| The Roosevelts  | Aug. 24            | Schubas Tavern                      | Chicago               |
| Rufus Du Sol  | Nov. 14            | Aragon Ballroom                     | Chicago               |
| Saint Etienne   | Sept. 13           | Park West                           | Chicago               |
| Sammy Kershaw w/Collin Raye, Aaron Tippin                                 | Aug. 10            | Fraze Pavilion                      | Kettering, OH         |
| <b>Sandi Patty w/Fort Wayne Philharmonic</b>                              | <b>Mar. 30 '19</b> | <b>Embassy Theatre</b>              | <b>Fort Wayne</b>     |
| Sara Groves, Andrew Peterson, Over the Rhine                              | Aug. 11            | Grace College                       | Warsaw                |
| Sarah McQuaid   | Sept. 9            | ACPL, Downtown                      | Fort Wayne            |
| Saved by the 90s  | July 27            | The Vogue                           | Indianapolis          |
| Scott Slapp   | Aug. 25            | Four Winds Casino                   | New Buffalo, MI       |
| Shakira   | Aug. 4             | Little Caesars Arena                | Detroit               |
| Shinedown & Godsmack w/Like a Storm                                       | July 28            | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| Shinedown, Rob Zombie, Marilyn Manson, Godsmack, Breaking Benjamin,       |                    |                                     |                       |
| Avenge Sevenfold, Five Finger Death Punch, Prophets of Rage               | Sept. 30           | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI         |
| Shinedown, Rob Zombie, Marilyn Manson, Godsmack, Breaking Benjamin,       |                    |                                     |                       |
| Avenge Sevenfold, Five Finger Death Punch, Prophets of Rage               | Oct. 31            | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville           |
| Shooter Jennings  | Sept. 13           | The Hi Fi                           | Indianapolis          |

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| Simple Minds   | Oct. 14        | The Fillmore                           | Detroit              |
| Sixteen Candles  | Oct. 6         | The Vogue                              | Indianapolis         |
| Sleep, Dylan Carlson                                       | Aug. 1         | Riviera Theatre                        | Chicago              |
| Sleigh Bells   | Aug. 17        | Metro                                  | Chicago              |
| Slightly Stoopid   | Aug. 11        | Meadow Brook Amphitheatre              | Rochester, MI        |
| The Smashing Pumpkins w/Metric                             | Aug. 5         | Little Caesars Arena                   | Detroit              |
| The Smashing Pumpkins w/Metric                             | Aug. 17        | Bankers Life Fieldhouse                | Indianapolis         |
| <b>Soil w/The Outfit, Second Season</b>                    | <b>Oct. 11</b> | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b>    | <b>Fort Wayne</b>    |
| Solstafir, Paradise Lost, Atlas Moth                       | Oct. 9         | Agora Theatre                          | Cleveland            |
| <b>Soul Asylum</b>   | <b>July 28</b> | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b>    | <b>Fort Wayne</b>    |
| Soweto Gospel Choir  | Nov. 18        | Wharton Center                         | East Lansing         |
| <b>Stayin' Alive</b>                                       | <b>July 21</b> | <b>Foellinger Theatre</b>              | <b>Fort Wayne</b>    |
| <b>Steely Dan</b>  | <b>Oct. 4</b>  | <b>Embassy Theatre</b>                 | <b>Fort Wayne</b>    |
| Steve Augeri   | Aug. 11        | Hoover Auditorium                      | Lakeside, OH         |
| Steve Martin and Martin Short                              | Nov. 4         | Wharton Center                         | East Lansing         |
| Steven Curtis Chapman                                      | Nov. 3         | Egyptian Room                          | Indianapolis         |
| Sting, Shaggy  | Oct. 2         | Aragon Ballroom                        | Chicago              |
| Stone Temple Pilots, The Cult, Bush                        | July 20        | Ruoff Music Center                     | Noblesville          |
| Stone Temple Pilots, The Cult, Bush w/Julien-K             | July 24        | Freedom Hill Amphitheatre              | Sterling Heights, MI |
| <b>Straight No Chaser</b>                                  | <b>Nov. 29</b> | <b>Embassy Theatre</b>                 | <b>Fort Wayne</b>    |
| Straight No Chaser   | Dec. 19        | Fox Theatre                            | Detroit              |
| Straight No Chaser   | Dec. 21-23     | Old National Centre                    | Indianapolis         |
| Stu Larsen & Natsuki Kurai                                 | Aug. 13        | Schubas Tavern                         | Chicago              |
| Sylvan Esso  | July 23        | Riviera Theatre                        | Chicago              |
| SYML   | Sept. 29       | Lincoln Hall                           | Chicago              |
| <b>Take Me To The River- New Orleans Live!</b>             | <b>Oct. 17</b> | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                   | <b>Fort Wayne</b>    |
| Taking Back Sunday, The Story So Far, Coheed and Cambria   | July 29        | Jacobs Pavilion                        | Cleveland            |
| Tatum Parker Project w/Yacht Rock Revue                    | Aug. 12        | The Vogue                              | Indianapolis         |
| Ted Nugent, Mark Farmer's American Band, Blue Oyster Cult  | July 20        | DTE Energy Music Theatre               | Clarkston, MI        |
| <b>Ted Nugent</b>  | <b>July 25</b> | <b>Foellinger Theatre</b>              | <b>Fort Wayne</b>    |
| Tedeschi Trucks Band w/Drive By Truckers, Marcus King Band | July 21        | Freedom Hill Amphitheatre              | Sterling Heights, MI |
| Tedeschi Trucks Band                                       | Nov. 10        | Akron Civic Theatre                    | Arkrn, OH            |
| Tenacious D  | Nov. 12        | The Fillmore                           | Detroit              |
| Tenacious D  | Nov. 13-14     | Riviera Theatre                        | Chicago              |
| <b>The Tenderloins</b>                                     | <b>Nov. 16</b> | <b>Allen Co. War Memorial Coliseum</b> | <b>Fort Wayne</b>    |
| The The  | Sept. 22       | Riviera Theatre                        | Chicago              |
| Thee Oh Sees   | Oct. 13        | Beachland Ballroom                     | Cleveland            |
| Theresa Caputo   | Sept. 1-2      | Four Winds Casino                      | New Buffalo, MI      |
| <b>Thomas Rhett, w/Brett Young, Midland</b>                | <b>Oct. 5</b>  | <b>Allen Co. War Memorial Coliseum</b> | <b>Fort Wayne</b>    |
| Toad the Wet Sprocket                                      | Aug. 17        | Royal Oak Music Theatre                | Royal Oak, MI        |
| Toad the Wet Sprocket                                      | Aug. 18        | Park West                              | Chicago              |
| <b>Tony Hinchcliffe</b>                                    | <b>Aug. 4</b>  | <b>CS3</b>                             | <b>Fort Wayne</b>    |
| Tory Lanez   | July 19        | House of Blues                         | Cleveland            |
| Toto   | Aug. 25        | Hard Rock Rocksino                     | Northfield Park, OH  |
| Trace Adkins   | Sept. 9        | Niswonger P.A.C.                       | Van Wert             |
| Tracy Morgan   | Sept. 21       | Sound Board                            | Detroit              |
| Travis Tritt   | July 28        | Fraze Pavilion                         | Kettering, OH        |
| Trivium  | Oct. 17        | Royal Oak Music Theatre                | Royal Oak, MI        |
| Trombone Shorty & Orleans Avenue                           | Aug. 21        | Sound Board                            | Detroit              |
| Twenty One Pilots  | Oct. 23        | Quicken Loans Arena                    | Cleveland            |
| Twin Shadow w/Borns  | Sept. 30       | Aragon Ballroom                        | Chicago              |
| TWRP   | Aug. 18        | Lincoln Hall                           | Chicago              |
| Tyler Childers   | Nov. 15        | The Vogue                              | Indianapolis         |

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| UB40  | Oct. 4             | The Vogue                           | Indianapolis       |
| Umphrey's McGee w/Spafford  | Aug. 11            | White River State Park              | Indianapolis       |
| Under the Streetlamp  | Sept. 29           | Niswonger P.A.C.                    | Van Wert           |
| <b>Upchurch the Redneck</b>   | <b>Sept. 15</b>    | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b> | <b>Fort Wayne</b>  |
| Vans Warped Tour  | July 19            | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati         |
| Vans Warped Tour  | July 21            | Hollywood Casino Amphitheatre       | Tinley Park, IL    |
| Vans Warped Tour  | July 24            | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville        |
| <b>Vicki Lawrence</b>   | <b>Sept. 8</b>     | <b>Wagon Wheel Theatre</b>          | <b>Warsaw</b>      |
| Walter Washington, Trombone Shorty & Orleans Avenue, Preservation Hall Jazz Band, | Aug. 25            | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati         |
| Kermit Ruffins, Galactic, Cyril Neville, New Breed Brass Band                     | Oct. 18            | House of Blues                      | Cleveland          |
| Ween  | July 24            | Agora Theatre                       | Cleveland          |
| Welshly Arms w/The Whiskey Hollow   | Nov. 24            | House of Blues                      | Cleveland          |
| <b>Whiskey Myers w/Faren Rachels</b>  | <b>Sept. 13</b>    | <b>Clyde Theatre</b>                | <b>Fort Wayne</b>  |
| White Denim   | Sept. 15           | The Hi Fi                           | Indianapolis       |
| <b>Wilder Maker w/Adam Baker and the Heartache</b>                                | <b>July 21</b>     | <b>Neat Neat Neat Records</b>       | <b>Fort Wayne</b>  |
| Wiz Khalifa, Rae Sremmurd, Lil Skies  | July 21            | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI      |
| Wiz Khalifa, Rae Sremmurd, Lil Skies  | July 28            | Riverbend Music Center              | Cincinnati         |
| Wiz Khalifa, Rae Sremmurd, Lil Skies  | July 31            | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville        |
| Wolf Parade   | Aug. 26            | The Hi Fi                           | Indianapolis       |
| <b>Wynonna w/Fort Wayne Philharmonic</b>  | <b>Jan. 26 '19</b> | <b>Embassy Theatre</b>              | <b>Fort Wayne</b>  |
| <b>Yelowolf w/Jelly Roll</b>  | <b>Aug. 2</b>      | <b>Piere's Entertainment Center</b> | <b>Fort Wayne</b>  |
| Yo La Tengo   | Sept. 15           | Beachland Ballroom                  | Cleveland          |
| The Young Dubliners   | Aug. 6             | The Ark                             | Ann Arbor          |
| Young MC, Tone Loc, Rob Base, Montell Jordan, Salt-N-Pepa, Kid N Play             | Aug. 17            | DTE Energy Music Theatre            | Clarkston, MI      |
| Zac Brown Band  | Aug. 2             | Blossom Music Center                | Cuyahoga Falls, OH |
| Zac Brown Band  | Aug. 3             | Ruoff Music Center                  | Noblesville        |
| Zeds Dead   | Oct. 19-20         | Aragon Ballroom                     | Chicago            |

## Road Tripz

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| <b>Bulldogs</b>  | Nov 17                                  | Eagles Post 2233, Bryan, OH          |
| July 28  | Hickory Acres Campground, Edgerton, OH  |                                      |
| July 29  | Friends of Arts, Fort Recovery, OH      |                                      |
| Aug. 4   | State Line Festival, Union City         |                                      |
| Aug. 10  | Bethel Pointe Health & Rehab, Muncie    |                                      |
| Aug. 14  | Mercer Co. Fair, Celina, OH             |                                      |
| Aug. 24  | Quincy Daze, Quincy, MI                 |                                      |
| Sep. 1   | Fish Lake Family Resort, Fremont        |                                      |
| Sep. 3   | Blueberry Festival, Plymouth            |                                      |
| Sep. 6   | Covered Bridge Festival, Roann          |                                      |
| Sep. 9   | Covered Bridge Festival, Matthews       |                                      |
| Sep. 15  | Apple Fest, Nappanee                    |                                      |
| Sep. 28  | Ducktail Run, Gas City                  |                                      |
| Oct. 20  | Bicentennial Fundraiser, Rockford, OH   |                                      |
| Oct. 27  | Eagles Post 1771, Alexandria, IN        |                                      |
| <b>Cadillac Ranch</b>                                      | Aug. 4                                  | Timberwoods Campground, Van Wert, OH |
| Aug. 11  | Duckfoots, Celina, OH                   |                                      |
| Aug. 26  | Moose Lodge Post 1473, Celina, OH       |                                      |
| <b>Dan Dickerson's Harp Condition</b>                      | July 28                                 | Steele Farm, Heltonville, IN         |
| <b>Gypsy Bandit</b>  | Sept. 29                                | Eagles Post 2233, Bryan, OH          |
| <b>Helicon's Peak, Dining Room Diversity, Liberty Rain</b> | Aug. 17                                 | Farmer Twp. Fire Dept., Hicksville   |
| <b>Helicon's Peak</b>                                      | Sep. 8                                  | Clubhouse Pizza, Ney, OH             |
| Nov. 10  | Clubhouse Pizza, Ney, OH                |                                      |
| <b>Hubie Ashcraft Band</b>                                 | Aug. 24-26                              | TJ's Smokehouse, Put-In-Bay, OH      |
| Oct. 20  | Rull's Bella Luna Lounge, Middlebury    |                                      |
| Nov. 2   | Cowboy Up, Mendon, MI                   |                                      |
| Nov. 3   | Cowboy Up, Mendon, MI                   |                                      |
| Nov. 24  | Eagles Post 1291, Celina                |                                      |
| Dec. 8   | The Distillery, Toledo                  |                                      |
| Dec. 14  | Rull's Bella Luna Lounge, Middlebury    |                                      |
| Dec. 15  | Nikki's, Sturgis                        |                                      |
| <b>Left Lane Cruiser</b>                                   | Aug. 16                                 | Brauerhouse, Lombard, IL             |
| Aug. 26  | Grey Eagle, Ashville, NC                |                                      |
| Sept. 2  | Muddy Roots Music Fest., Cookeville, TN |                                      |
| <b>Mountain Dewe Boys</b>                                  | Aug. 31                                 | Jamboree, Montpelier                 |

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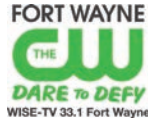
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# Ant-Man Sequel Flies High

Ant-Man doesn't have a super power, technically speaking. He has a super suit that lets him grow and shrink as suits the occasion, which is pretty cool. What Ant-Man does have is a power that is in short supply for most super heroes: a personality! And in *Ant-Man and the Wasp*, a bouncy and buoyant sequel, he has a worthy co-crime fighter/sparring partner, also with personality — the Wasp.

Not knowing the ins and outs of Marvel world does not get in the way of the fun of *Ant-Man and the Wasp*. You don't even need to have seen the original *Ant-Man* to giggle through the sequel. It is a fine, funny, standalone chapter.

Paul Rudd returns as Ant-Man who, in the regular world, is Scott Lang, an electronics engineer working with a small security company. X-Con is the name of the firm, and ex-cons make up the work force. Each of his colleagues has a personality. Their group dynamic is highly amusing.

Scott is serving the end of a two-year house arrest for his technically illegal work in "Captain America: Civil War." The FBI shows up at his home regularly, convinced he is sneaking out and causing trouble.

During his incarceration, he has developed many kid-friendly skills to keep his daughter, Cassie (Abby Ryder Fortson), entertained inside the house. The movie begins with the coolest indoor cardboard fort adventure I've ever seen. Cassie is not a typical bland kiddie. She's got a personality! Do you see a trend?

Scott has sworn to the authorities that after his pre-



**Flix**

**CATHERINE LEE**

vious misadventures, he destroyed the powerful suit. Of course, he didn't. And when trouble comes calling, he slips into it and is Ant-Man again.

This draws the attention of Dr. Hank Pym (Michael Douglas), creator of the suit, and his daughter Hope (Evangeline Lilly). The good doctor has been busy. He's designed a new suit for his daughter. She is the Wasp. She has personality with a healthy dose of irritation towards Ant-Man, for good reason. Scott *did* steal the original suit. Scott and Hope are also attracted to each other, and the chemistry sparks.

*Ant-Man and the Wasp* is directed by Peyton Reed, director of *Ant-Man*. He and the writers don't skimp on action and fun effects. They make the growing and shrinking of objects a big part of the fun. One particularly appealing bit of trickery is the Hot Wheels case that holds miniaturized vehicles, allowing the players a selection of vehicles to pop into full size as the situation demands.

Any movie that features The Partridge Family's "C'mon Get Happy!" better live up to that silly cheeriness. *Ant-Man and the Wasp* is a summer romp through and through.

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# Transylvania Is Box Office Mania

**Tops at the Box:** *Hotel Transylvania 3: Summer Vacation* exceeded expectations by taking the No. 1 spot at the U.S. box office over its first three days of release, beating out both the second *Ant-Man* film and The Rock vehicle, *Skyscraper*, with \$44 million in sales. Add in \$54 million in abroad sales and this \$80 million picture is already making Sony some decent bread. The film is a light animated flick voiced by Adam Sandler, Andy Samberg, David Spade, Fran Drescher, Jim Gaffigan, Kevin James, Mel Brooks, Molly Shannon, Selena Gomez, and ScreenTime Hall-of-Famer Steve Buscemi.

**Also at the Box:** The latest addition to the Marvel Universe, *Ant-Man and the Wasp*, continued to roll over its second weekend of release, selling another \$29 million, bringing the film's 10-day U.S. sales total to a whopping \$132 million. Add in abroad sales and *Ant-Man 2* has now brought in \$283 million. I'd predict that we get one more of these films. I don't see Paul Rudd wanting this stage of his career to continue too much longer. He has better movies to make.

*Skyscraper*, directed by Rawson Marshall Thurber and starring Dwayne Johnson (and, of course, most notable to ScreenTime readers, shot by Robert Elswit, best known for his work with PT Anderson), underperformed over its first weekend of release, selling just \$25 million in the U.S., despite a whopping production budget of \$125 million. Sorry, Dwayne.

*Incredibles 2* kept on rolling, taking the No. 4 spot last weekend with another \$16 million in sales, bringing the blockbuster hit's five-week sales total to \$535 million in the U.S. and \$857 million worldwide, making it not just the No. 1 animated film of all-time, but the No. 9 grossing domestic movie ever. But for context, it's only the No. 4 grossing film of the last year.

*Jurassic World: Fallen Kingdom* rounded out last weekend's Top 5 with another \$15 million in sales,



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bringing the film's four-week worldwide total to \$1.134 billion. Also: Boots Riley's critical hit, *Sorry to Bother You*, expanded from 16 to 805 screens (though zero in Fort Wayne), selling a decent \$4.3 million over the weekend.

**New This Week:** This weekend sees a dip in the summer blockbuster season, with no real mega-production to speak of coming out. Instead, we get three wide releases that will probably all do decent business, starting with the new Antoine Fuqua film, *The Equalizer 2*, starring Denzel Washington. Also out everywhere is musical sequel *Mama Mia: Here We Go Again!*, starring Pierce Brosnan, Dominic Cooper, Colin Firth, Cher, Julie Walters, Stellan Skarsgard, Amanda Seyfried, Andy Garcia, and someone named Meryl Streep. And, finally, we have a new thriller called *Unfriended Dark Web*, which was written and directed by Notre Dame graduate Stephen Susco, who is best known for writing *The Grudge* films and *Red*.

**ScreenRant:** The 2018 Emmy nominations were announced last week, with *Atlanta* and *The Marvelous Mrs. Maisel* dominating. Challenging *Atlanta* in the Best Comedy category are *Barry*, *black-ish*, *Curb Your Enthusiasm*, *Glow*, *Silicon Valley*, *The Unbreakable Kimmy Schmidt*, and *The Marvelous Mrs. Maisel*. *The Americans*, *The Crown*, *Game of Thrones*, *The Handmaid's Tale*, *Stranger Things*, *This Is Us*, and *Westworld* will all compete for Best Drama. Stay tuned for more Emmy coverage in the weeks leading up to the September 17 awards show.

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# Fun and Thoughtful

Starting off the 2018-2019 season at First Presbyterian Theater in downtown Fort Wayne is *My Dead Clown*, an original play written by



## Curtain Call STEVE LIVELY

David Rousculp, a licensed funeral director from New Haven. The story follows Bill, a funeral director whose most recent project is preparing the body of Dingy the Clown. However, Bill's reputation is in jeopardy because he's shown a decline in job performance since the passing of someone close to him. Once he inadvertently brings the clown back to life, his life becomes even more complex.

This premise offers a multitude of options for audiences to explore in their own lives, which is what quality theater should do. Of all the people in the world, funeral directors should be among the most seasoned individuals who have a firm grasp of the effects of our eventual death. However, Rousculp's script is evidence that even those who would presumably be the most accepting of our ultimate fate are susceptible to death's ramifications on the soul.

Director and Stage Designer Rae Surface succeeds in creating the multi-level environment this play demands. Surface's chosen details found in Bill's apartment exhibit the depth of character required to portray a troubled protagonist.

Duke Roth performs as the overworked and increasingly cynical Bill, the protagonist who is rapidly drowning in work and sorrow. Roth exhibits a strong handling of balancing the stressors of Bill's professional responsibilities and a longing for his past, while dealing with the consequences of the clown's arrival

— and unintentional re-spawning — in his workspace.

Dingy the Clown is played by Reuben Albaugh. Albaugh's energy and cheeriness are suitable for any successful clown. Additionally, Albaugh succeeds throughout the play with his undying (ha!) desire to bring laughter to replace sadness and smiles to erase frowns.

Among the other "living" characters are Chuck, Bill's boss; Nancy, his assistant; and Eric, his brother. Tom Corron's humorous role as Chuck serves as the embodiment of Bill's professional demands. Jennifer Netting's performance as Nancy shines with an exuberant portrayal of youthful spirit, innocence, and loyalty. Eric, Bill's younger sibling who has yet to find any firm path in his own life, is played by Nathan Driscoll. Driscoll's comical presence counters Bill's apparent stress while showing how inspiration can come from unexpected places and events.

This play also features a number of "deceased" characters. Leonard, played by acting and theater veteran Scott K. Strode, humorously excels as a potential aspect of Bill's consciousness. Deborah Kerr's small but impressive performance as Mrs. Sticklebush is suggestive of Bill's devotion to his responsibilities as a funeral director. Jennifer Poiry Prough excels as Bill's deceased wife, Mary, and appears in flashbacks where she exposes those gorgeous moments that offer and explain the depth of despair Bill is experiencing in the painful time since her sudden departure.

Among the remaining secondary characters are strong performances by real-life married couple Robyn and Rod Pasko. Robyn, who is performing in Fort Wayne for the first time after establishing herself on stage and screen in Chicago, turns in an animated and vivid performance as Lucy, a.k.a. The Devil. Rod Pasko offers an unanticipated yet charming down-to-earth version of Death.

Jeanette Walsh's costume design is poignant and effective, especially in the gimmicks and shenanigans of the title character. Theater Manager Thom Hofrichter's production and lighting succeed in creating the obvious balance of humor and despair when grouping a boisterous clown, a funeral home, and hell on a single stage.

Bill's anguish is a direct result of a past tragedy. However, that tragedy has impacted Bill's faith and perception of humanity's significance. During the few glimpses from the past with his spouse, we see a jovial couple who epitomize the human desire for love and devotion. Once that was stripped away, Bill became the universal version of humanity who is forced to question that faith. From the moment the first corpse rises up and interacts with the protagonist, any audience member who sees *My Dead Clown* during its first-ever run will recognize that he or she is in for an amusing and introspective experience.

**MY DEAD CLOWN**  
7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday,  
July 20-21  
2 p.m. Sunday, July 22  
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## Now Playing

**ALL SHOOK UP** — A rock n' roll musical about a guitar-playing rebel in the 1950s Midwest, 2 p.m. & 8 p.m. Thursday, July 19; 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 20-21, Wagon Wheel Theatre, Warsaw, \$17-\$38, 574-267-8041

**DOGFIGHT** — Three Rivers Music Theatre musical adapted from the 1991 film of the same name, 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, July 19-21, July 26-28, Wunderkammer Company, Fort Wayne, \$15-\$25, 498-2270

**THE HUNCHBACK OF NOTRE DAME** — Fort Wayne Summer Music Theatre's presentation of Disney's adaptation of the Victor Hugo classic, 7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 20-21; 2 p.m. Sunday, July 22, South Side High School Auditorium, Fort Wayne, \$12-\$15, fwsmt.com

**MY DEAD CLOWN** — World premier of a macabre, but heartwarming comedy from local playwright David Rousculp, 7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 20-21; 2 p.m. Sunday, July 22, First Presbyterian Theater, Fort Wayne, \$12-\$20, 426-7421 ext. 121

**ONE MAN TWO GUVNORS** — Richard Bean's adaptation of the 1743 Commedia dell'arte style comedy play by the Italian playwright Carlo Goldoni, 8 p.m. Wednesday, July 25; 7 p.m. Thursday, July 26; 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 27-28; 2 p.m. Sunday, July 29;

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## Upcoming Productions

**DISNEY'S NEWSIES** — Fort Wayne Civic Theatre production of Disney musical about newsboys in turn of the century New York City, 8 p.m. Saturday, July 28; 2 p.m. Sunday, July 29; 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 3-4; 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 5; 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 10-11; 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 12, Arts United Center, Fort Wayne, \$17-\$30, 422-4226

**THE STAR SPANGLED GIRL** — A romantic comedy by Neil Simon with political overtones, 7 p.m. dinner, 8 p.m. curtain, Friday-Saturday, Aug. 3-4, Aug. 10-11 and Aug. 17-18, Arena Dinner Theatre, Fort Wayne, \$40 (includes dinner & show), 424-5622

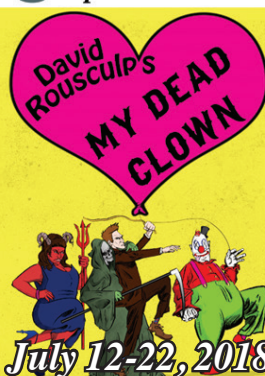
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**ALAN LARKIN** — New oil paintings, **10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday thru July 31**, Crestwoods Frame Shop & Gallery, Roanoke, 672-2080

**ART OF THE GARDEN: DANIEL DIENELT AT THE CONSERVATORY** — Contemporary art works including mural paintings, sculpture and more, **10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and noon-4 p.m. Sunday thru Nov. 11**, Foellinger-Freimann Botanical Conservatory, Fort Wayne, \$3-\$5 (2 and under, free), 427-6440

**ART OF SUMMER** — Works from regional and national artists including Penny French Deal and Forrest Formsma and more, **11 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday thru Sept. 1**, Castle Gallery Fine Art, Fort Wayne, 426-6568

**CAR ART AND MORE** — Works by Kelly Bremer, **10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday thru Aug. 4** (artist reception 2-5 p.m. Saturday, July 21), Crestwoods Frame Shop & Gallery, Roanoke, 672-2080

**FAME EXHIBITION** — Children's paintings from the 2017 FAME Festival, **9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday and 9:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Sunday thru Aug. 31**, First Presbyterian Art Gallery, First Presbyterian Church, Fort Wayne, 426-7421

**FORT WAYNE ARTISTS GUILD'S EXHIBITIONS** — Carolyn Stachera at Active Day of Fort Wayne, Judi Renkenberger at Aldersgate United Methodist Church, Nancy Longmate at Allen County Retinal Surgeons, Robb Owen at Citizens Square (2nd floor), Deborah Miller at Citizens Square (3rd floor), Darlene Selzer-Miller at Heritage Pointe of Fort Wayne, Karen Bixler at Ophthalmology Consultants (Southwest), Carey Collie at Ophthalmology Consultants (North), Nancy Longmate at Pat Bryan Insurance Agency, Lynne Padgett at Rehabilitation Hospital of Fort Wayne, Linda Galloway at Towne House Retirement, Stevie Ross at Visiting Nurse Hospice and Dick Heffelfinger and Patricia Weiss at Will Jewelers **thru Aug. 31**, fortwayneartistguild.org.

**GARDENS OF EUROPE** — Photographs of public gardens by Ramon F. Miller of Gera, Germany, **10 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and noon-4 p.m. Sunday thru Aug. 31** (artist meet-and-greet 6-7:30 p.m., Thursday, July 19), Foellinger-Freimann Botanical Conservatory, Fort Wayne, \$3-\$5 (2 and under, free), 427-6440

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**IN THE DARK** — Hands-on and whole-body interactives, walk-through dioramas and specimens of life forms that inhabit the dark, **10 a.m.-4 p.m. Wednesday-Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday and noon-5 p.m. Sunday thru Sept. 9**, Science Central, Fort Wayne, \$6-\$8 (2 and under, free), 424-2400 ext. 423

### MYTHS, GLYPHS, AND ARCHETYPES

Selected works by Fort Wayne artist Don Kruse, **10 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and noon-5 p.m. Sunday thru Sept. 9**, Fort Wayne Museum of Art, \$6-\$8 (members, free), 422-6467

**SUZIE EMLEY** — Gemstone jewelry and realistic, abstract and impressionistic works in oil, **10 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday and 10 a.m.-7p.m. Tuesday and Thursday thru July 31**, Orchard Gallery of Fine Art, Fort Wayne, 436-0927

**THEMED ART COMPETITION** — City of Wabash-sponsored artist competition involving works based on the theme Night and Day, **daily, 7 a.m.-7 p.m., July 21-Aug 20** (public reception 7 p.m. Monday, Aug. 20), Clark Gallery, Honeywell Center, Wabash, 563-1102

**VENTURES IN CREATIVITY** — 41st annual Fort Wayne Artists Guild exhibition, **9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday, 1-5 p.m. Saturday thru Aug. 17**, Rolland Gallery, Pope John Paul II Center, University of Saint Francis, Fort Wayne, 399-7700 ext. 8001

**WONDERLAND: PHOTOGRAPHS BY KIRSTY MITCHELL** — Large-scale artworks accompanied by videos documenting the artist's creative process, **10 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and noon-5 p.m. Sunday thru Aug. 12**, Fort Wayne Museum of Art, \$6-\$8 (members, free), 422-6467

## Artifacts

### CALL FOR ENTRIES

**OPEN CALL FOR 2019 CONSERVATORY ART DISPLAYS** — Submit CD of digital samples of family-friendly, ready-to-hang work to Program Dept., Foellinger-Freimann Botanical Conservatory, Fort Wayne, **July 18-29**, 427-6446

### EVENTS

**TRUBBLE BEERIVERSARY ARTIST & ARTISAN FAIR** — Outdoor art fair surrounding the fountain on Broadway Plaza, with local artisans acrylics to pottery, **11 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, July 21**, Trubble Brewing, Fort Wayne, 267-6082

**ART THIS WAY ART CRAWL** — Gallery shows, live music, artist demonstrations, free appetizers and cash bar at five downtown locations (to be announced) to raise funds for public art in downtown alleyways, **5-9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 21**, downtown Fort Wayne, \$20-\$25, artthiswayfw.com (on sale August 2018)

**ART AT THE RIVERSIDE** — Juried art show to showcase area artists and provide scholarships to local art students with food trucks and live music, **10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22**, Riverside Gardens Park, Leo, 479-0416

## Upcoming Exhibits

### JULY

**WINSLOW HOMER: FROM POETRY TO FICTION, THE ENGRAVED WORKS** — One of the largest and most comprehensive collections of Winslow Homer wood engravings ever to tour American museums, **10 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and noon-5 p.m. Sunday, July 28-Sept. 23**, Fort Wayne Museum of Art, \$6-\$8 (members, free), 422-6467

### AUGUST

**KRISTY Jo BEBER** — Stoneware pottery with whimsical surface design, **10 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday and 10 a.m.-7p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, Aug. 2-30**, Orchard Gallery of Fine Art, Fort Wayne, 436-0927

## Current

**FORD MUSTANG SHOW** — Old Fort Mustangers' Mustang show with cars ranging from the 1964 1/2 Ford Mustang to new models, **8 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, July 21**, Ivy Tech, Fort Wayne, free, 481-2270

**NEIGHBORHOOD NIGHTS** — Family fun evening with live music, food trucks, kids activities, face painting and more, **6:30 p.m. Friday, June 20**, Hughes Dental Group, Leo, free, 627-5354

**ROAR 'N SNORE FAMILY OVERNIGHT CAMP** — Overnight tent camping among wildcats, wolves, birds, monkeys and other animals, taco bar, sanctuary tours and movie, **5:30 p.m. Saturday, July 21-9 a.m. Sunday, July 22**, Black Pine Animal Sanctuary, Albion, \$75 spot, \$8 per person, 636-7383

**ST. JOE PICKLE FESTIVAL** — Food and craft vendors, pickle derby, kids activities, live music, tractor pull, art fair and more, **4-9 p.m. Thursday, July 19; noon-10 p.m. Friday, July 20 and 6:30 a.m.-10 p.m. Saturday, July 21**, event locations vary, St. Joe, free, activity fees may apply, 337-5581

**THREE RIVERS FESTIVAL** — Fort Wayne's biggest summer festival celebrates its 50th anniversary, **times vary Thursday-Saturday, July 19-21**, Headwaters Park and various Fort Wayne locations, prices vary, three-riversfestival.org

## Lectures, Discussions,

## Authors, Readings &

## Films

**DESPICABLE ME 3** — Gru meets his twin brother Dru who wants to team up for one last criminal heist, **8 p.m. Thursday, July 19**, Foellinger Outdoor Theatre, Fort Wayne, free, 427-6715

**AVOID SITTING DISEASE** — Dr. Rudy Kachmann discusses ways to avoid negative health effects of sedentary lifestyle, **3:30 p.m. Sunday, July 24**, Kachmann Auditorium, Lutheran Hospital, Fort Wayne, free, 417-6588

**MINIONS** — Stuart, Kevin and Bob are recruited by a villain who has hatched a plot to take over the world, **8 p.m. Thursday, July 26**, Foellinger Outdoor Theatre, Fort Wayne, free, 427-6715

**FINDING NEMO** — A clown fish searches for his missing son in this Oscar award winning film, **8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 2**, Foellinger Outdoor Theatre, Fort Wayne, free, 427-6715

**FINDING DORY** — A Blue Tang fish searches for her long-lost parents with the help of her pals Nemo and Marlin, **8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 9**, Foellinger Outdoor Theatre, Fort Wayne, free, 427-6715

**PIRATES OF THE CARIBBEAN** — Screening of first *Pirates* film with pre-show Grande Page organ performance, **7:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 24**, Embassy Theatre, Fort Wayne, \$10, 424-5665

**RON ELVING** — Senior Editor and Correspondant on the Washington Desk for NPR discusses the state of politics and the political discourse in the US; Q&A session to follow, **7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 30**, Sweetwater Performance Theatre, Fort Wayne, \$30, 452-1189

**THE SOUND OF MUSIC** — Screening of 1965 classic starring Julie Andrews with pre-show Grande Page organ performance, **7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 21**, Embassy Theatre, Fort Wayne, \$10, 424-5665

## Storytimes

STORYTIMES, ACTIVITIES AND CRAFTS AT ALLEN COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY:

**ABOITE BRANCH** — Born to Read Storytime, **10:30 a.m. Mondays**, Smart Start Storytime, **10:30 a.m. Tuesdays & Thursdays**, Baby Steps, **10:30 a.m. Wednesdays**, 421-1320

**DUPONT BRANCH** — Born to Read Storytime, **10:15 a.m. Mondays**, Baby Steps Storytime, **10:15 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. Tuesdays**, Ants in Your Pants Storytime, **10:30 & 11:30 a.m. Wednesday & Thursdays**, PAWS to Read, **4 p.m. Wednesdays**, Bookworms Storytime, **11:15 a.m. Thursdays** Smart Start Storytime for ages 3-5, **1:30 p.m. Tuesdays and 10:30 a.m. Thursdays**, 421-1315

**GEORGETOWN BRANCH** — Born to Read Storytime, **10:15 a.m. and 11 a.m. Mondays**, Baby Steps Storytime, **10:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Tuesdays**; Family Storytime, **10:15 & 11 a.m. Thursdays**, 421-1320

**GRABILL BRANCH** — Born to Read, **10:30 a.m. Tuesdays**; Smart Start Storytime **10:30 a.m. Wednesdays**, 421-1325

**LITTLE TURTLE BRANCH** — Storytime for toddlers & preschoolers, **10:30 a.m. Mondays and Tuesdays**; Babies and Books, **10:30 a.m. Wednesdays**, 421-1335

**MAIN LIBRARY** — Babies and Books, **10 a.m. Fridays**; Family Story Time, **10:30 a.m. Wednesdays**; Storytime for preschoolers, daycares and other groups, **9:30 a.m. Wednesdays**; Toddler Time, **10:30 & 11 a.m. Fridays**; 421-1220

**NEW HAVEN BRANCH** — Babies and books for kids birth to age 2, **10:30 a.m. Thursdays**, 421-1345

**PONTIAC BRANCH** — Smart Start Storytime for preschoolers, **10:30 a.m. Fridays**, PAWS to Read, **5 p.m. Thursdays** 421-1350

**TECUMSEH BRANCH** — Smart Start Storytime, **10:30 a.m. Tuesdays**, YA Day for teens **5 p.m. Wednesdays**, Wondertots reading for ages 1-3, **10:30 a.m. Thursdays**, 421-1360

**SHAWNEE BRANCH** — Born to Read Storytime, **10:30 a.m. Thursdays**, Teen Thursdays, **3:30 p.m. Thursdays**, 421-1355

**WAYNEDEALE BRANCH** — Smart Start Storytime, **10:30 a.m. Mondays & Tuesdays**, Born to Read Storytime for babies and toddlers, **10:15 a.m. Tuesdays**, 421-1365

**WOODBURN BRANCH** — Smart Start Storytime, **10:30 a.m. Fridays**, 421-1370

## Instruction

**FORT WAYNE DANCE COLLECTIVE WORKSHOPS** — Workshops and classes for movement, dance, yoga and more offered by Fort Wayne Dance Collective, **dates and times vary**, Fort Wayne Dance Collective, Fort Wayne, fees vary, 424-6574

**FORT WAYNE BALLET** — Dance classes for ages 3 and up with live accompaniment and personalized training, **dates and times vary**, Arts United Center, Fort Wayne, fees vary, 484-9646

**IPFW COMMUNITY ARTS ACADEMY** — Art, dance, music and theater classes for grades pre-K through 12 offered by IPFW, Fort Wayne, fees vary, scholarships available, 481-6059

**RHAPSODY ART GALLERY & STUDIO** — Workshops in a variety of artistic mediums, screen printing classes, music classes and lessons and more, **hours and workshop times vary**, Rhapsody Art Gallery & Studio, Fort Wayne, call for pricing, 483-6712

### SWEETWATER ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Private lessons for a variety of instruments available from professional instructors, ongoing weekly lessons, Sweetwater Sound, Fort Wayne, call for pricing, 432-8176

## Trivia

**LIVE TRIVIA** — Trivia night with live host, **7-9 p.m. Tuesdays**, Duesy's Sports Bar & Grill, Fort Wayne, free, 484-0411

**TEAM TRIVIA** — Trivia for teams of up to 6 players, **7 p.m. Tuesdays**, Rack & Helen's, New Haven, free, 749-5396

**TEAM TRIVIA** — Trivia for teams of up to 6 players, **8 p.m. Thursdays**, Crazy Pinz/Coconutz, Fort Wayne, free, 969-9336

**TINCTURE TRIVIA** — Trivia night for teams of 4 or 6 people, **7-9 p.m. Tuesdays**, Nick's Martini & Wine Bar, Fort Wayne, free, 482-6425

## Sports and Recreation

**PUPPIES & YOGA** — Perfect Paws Rescue Group fundraiser with yoga class instructed by Kristin Gandolf followed by puppy play time, **11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m. Saturday, July 21**, Simply Yoga, Fort Wayne, \$20 minimum donation, 451-9642

**K9 KLASIC 5K WALK/RUN** — ASPCA fundraiser 5K walk/run, pets welcome, **10 a.m. (9 a.m. check in) Saturday, July 28**, University of Saint Francis, Fort Wayne, \$20, www.k9klassic.com

**BIKE FOR THE BROOK** — 5th anniversary celebration of Kerith Brook with 5 or 15 mile bike course along the Fort Wayne Trails system, **5 p.m. and 7 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 14**, Indian Trails Park, Fort Wayne, \$10-\$35, 479-0002

## Spectator Sports

### BASEBALL

**TIN CAPS** — Upcoming home games at Parkview Field, Fort Wayne **THURSDAY, July 19** vs. Burlington, 7:05 p.m.

**FRIDAY, July 20** vs. Burlington, 7:05 p.m.

**SATURDAY, July 21** vs. Clinton, 6:05 p.m.

**SUNDAY, July 22** vs. Clinton, 1:05 p.m.

**MONDAY, July 23** vs. Clinton, 7:05 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, Aug. 1** vs. Dayton, 7:05 p.m.

**THURSDAY, Aug. 2** vs. Dayton, 7:05 p.m.

**FRIDAY, Aug. 3** vs. Dayton, 7:05 p.m.

## Dance

**EMBODY DANCE** — Guided dancing for adults of all ages and abilities to exercise the mind, body and spirits, **1:23 p.m. every Sunday**, Fort Wayne Dance Collective, Fort Wayne, \$10 suggested donation, 244-1905

**SUNDAY SINGLES** — Variety DJ music, cash bar, and potluck carry-in dinner, **6 p.m. Sunday, July 22**, American Legion Post 47, Fort Wayne, \$7, 704-3669

## July

**CRUISE IN TO DOWNTOWN AUBURN** — Car show, door prizes, 50/50 raffle, entertainment and more, **6-8 p.m. Thursday, July 26**, Courthouse Square, downtown Auburn, free, 925-3113



**JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT WINE & BEER FESTIVAL** — Wine and craft beer sampling, vendors, live music from Adam Strack, silent auction and more, **6 p.m. Friday, July 27**, Parkview Field, Fort Wayne, \$35-\$75, 484-2543

**FORT WAYNE PRIDE** — Vendors, beer tent, workshops, tournaments, KidSpace, pride march (**11:15 a.m. Saturday, July 28**), live music and more, **7 p.m.-midnight Friday, July 27 and noon-midnight Saturday, July 28**, Headwaters Park, Fort Wayne, \$5, www.fwpride.org

**SUMMER FEST** — Family friendly activities, animal enrichment activities, featured speaker, keeper talks, food trucks and more, **10 a.m. Saturday, July 28**, Black Pine Animal Sanctuary, Albion, \$7-\$10, 636-7383

**FOR PITTISS SAKE** — Fort Wayne Pitbull Coalition fundraiser bike ride with food, drinks, live music and more, **11 a.m. ride begins, 1 p.m. music, Saturday, July 28**, Harley-Davidson of Fort Wayne, Fort Wayne, \$20 to ride, donation to attend, www.fwpbc.com

**COLONIAL AMERICA ON THE FRONTIER** — Historical reenactment of the American Revolution, **10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday, July 28 and 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday, July 29**, Historic Old Fort, Fort Wayne, free, 627-3000

## August

**MIAMI INDIAN HERITAGE DAYS** — The Miami artist with Cathy Mowry, **1-4 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 4**, Chief Richardville House, Fort Wayne, \$5-\$7, 426-2882

**NEIGHBORHOOD NIGHTS** — Family fun evening with live music, food trucks, kids activities, face painting and more, **6:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 10**, Hughes Dental Group, Leo, free, 627-5354

**WING FEST** — Wing sampling, cooking and eating competitions, beer tent, entertainment, kids activities and more, **11 a.m.-8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 11**, Lincoln Pavilion, Headwaters Park, Fort Wayne, \$5-\$20, 435-9126

**MIHSHIKINAAHAWA Pow Wow** — Miami pow wow featuring musical performances, dances, demonstrations, vendors, auctions and Soarin' Hawk Raptor Rehabilitation, **5-7 p.m. Friday, Aug. 11; 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 12 and 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 13**, Morsches Park, Columbia City, donation, www.miamipowwow.org



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