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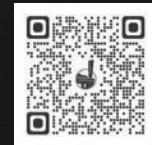
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# Sylvan Cellars welcomes Brothers Osborne

## Summer Concert Series comes to a close July 20 with country music duo

BY ANTHONY GADSON

WHATZUP EDITOR

Sylvan Cellars' Summer Concert Series comes to a close Saturday, July 20, with a country music bang.

The third concert of the series, which included Drake White on June 15 and Barenaked Ladies on July 13, will be the Grammy-winning Brothers Osborne with support from Caitlyn Smith and local acts Northport Road and The Hubie Ashcraft Band.

**GROWING UP AROUND MUSIC**

Growing up in a musical family in the small fishing town of Deale, Maryland, John Osborne and his younger brother TJ got their start by playing for family and friends in their father's shed. Eventually, John made the move every aspiring country artists makes: He moved Nashville, Tennessee, albeit to attend Belmont University.

Two years later, TJ was right there with him.

Despite being together in Nashville, the two got into separate bands before getting together. The duo began turning heads, and they signed with a EMI Records Nashville in 2012.

In 2016, the two released their debut full-length album, *Pawn Shop*, which reached No. 3 on Billboard's country albums chart.

Along with hits "21 Summer" and "It Ain't My Fault," the album featured the hit single "Stay a Little Longer," which was nominated for a Grammy. Though the song lost out to Little Big Town in the Best Country Duo/Group Performance, the brothers did take home the Vocal Duo of the Year at the 2016 Country Music Awards. They also won that category a year later, as well as the CMA award for Music Video of the Year for "It Ain't My Fault."

In total, Brothers Osborne have won seven CMAs, seven Academy of Country Music Awards, and a Grammy.

**KEEPING MOMENTUM**

Following their debut album, Brothers Osborne reached even higher levels with 2018's *Port Saint Joe*, which hit No. 2 on the Billboard chart off the strength of singles "Shoot Me Straight" and "I Don't Remember Me (Before You)." The album also earned a Best Country Album Grammy nomination.

Along with their own success, 2018 was also a good year for Brothers Osborne as their song with Dierks Bentley, "Burning Man," won an ACM award for Music Event of the Year.

Critical acclaimed continued with 2020's *Skeletons*, which was again nominated for a Grammy for Country Album of the Year off the strength of singles "All Night" and "Younger Me."

Although they did not win the Grammy in



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The sibling country duo Brothers Osborne will close out the Summer Concert Series at Sylvan Cellars in Rome City on Saturday, July 20.

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that category in 2020, "Younger Me" did win the duo their first Grammy in seven attempts at the 2022 ceremony for Best Country Duo/Group Performance.

"Younger Me" saw the Brothers Osborne get personal as the song chronicled TJ Osborne's journey to coming out as gay.

**GETTING PERSONAL**

The personal songs continue on their latest full-length album, *Brothers Osborne*, in 2023.

"We've always had a lot of mystery intentionally around the things we have done," TJ Osborne said on the band's website. "But with this album, we decided to be all in. And doing that reminded me of what it was like when I first started playing music, when it was an outlet for my angst or just a way to have fun."

"Since our last record, we've been very forthcoming with who we are," John Osborne said. "By acknowledging TJ's personal life and my mental-health struggles, we are more ourselves creatively and publicly than we've ever been. So,

it's time to lean into who we are."

Brothers Osborne also released an EP, *Break Mine*, in March.

On their latest venture, the brothers opted to break from producer Jay Joyce, who had worked on their previous three albums. Instead, they opted to bring in Mike Elizondo, who has worked with the likes of Keith Urban, Turnstile, and Fiona Apple.

"We made a conscious decision very early on to make a hard turn into territories where we've never been before," John Osborne said. "Mike Elizondo is an avid instrument collector, specifically of guitar pedals and synthesizers, and we wanted to incorporate that. The song that bridges the gap between this album and our last is 'Younger Me,' which was very synth heavy. That's the tie that binds *Skeletons* and the new album."

"Nobody's Nobody" has a rocking feel off the latest record, while the brothers got a helping hand with the song "We Ain't Good at Breaking Up," which was co-written by Miranda Lambert, and even includes the vocals she attached to the demo.

"We wanted this album to be just John and me — which is why we're self-titling it — but Miranda's voice is like an instrument," TJ Osborne said. "You don't hear a lot of female vocals on our songs, and it helped create a tone and a texture."

Regardless of your favorite Brothers Osborne song — or sound — you're sure to get something you like when the guys stop by Rome City.

# Destina covers all genres on debut, *My Own Heart*

Will perform album at Wrigley Field Bar with slew of friends, family

Local favorite **Dusty Brown** is probably best known for her work in the bands **Plumdingo** and **Alt Dizzy** in addition to being a part of the Brown family bloodline of talented musicians.

Recently, she has stepped into the bright lights with the release of *My Own Heart*, the debut album under her **Destina** moniker.

Having played most of the instruments, the album took some time for her to complete, about a year to be exact. It was recorded here in town by **Tom Kerosec** of Kerosec Productions.

"It was a joy to work on this project with Destina," Kerosec said. "It is a down-to-earth album with its own unique, quirky vibe. It projects innocence as well as growth."

"We wanted the album to have a realistic feel to it that contrasts a lot of music out there with gridlocked instruments and perfectly tuned vocals, and I think we did that well. I am honored to have produced and played an instrument or two on this album and am proud of how it turned out."

One of the songs he contributed slide and lead guitar on is "We Ain't Rich." It's a country number with good energy and seems to be favorite among that folks that have heard the album thus far, according to Brown.

Another song gaining attention is the title track which kicks the album off.

"It's a fun little cha-cha about self-soothing after heartbreak," Brown said. "I chose to also

use it as the title of the album because this being my first solo project. It really is fully my own heart."

In all, the album consists of nine tracks that dabble in a number of genres including country, alt, and hip-hop.

Destina will be holding an album release party on Sunday, July 21, from 4-7 p.m. at Wrigley Field Bar & Grill, 6527 E. State Blvd.

The evening will include performances by her family's band **Pop N' Fresh** and **Moshov** (**Maurice Turner**). In addition, she will be joined on stage throughout the evening by her sisters **Crystal "C-Note" Clouse** and **Sarah Brown**; daughter **River**; niece **Aurah**; and friend **Tom Toby**.

Be sure and check out *My Own Heart* on all streaming platforms and get yourself a copy of the CD at the show.

## Downstait reach Spotify milestone

"Sleep" is the new single by local heavyweights **Downstait**.

The four-minute number can be found on your favorite streaming platform, while the accompanying video can be enjoyed on YouTube.

In other Downstait news, the band recently surpassed 50 million streams on Spotify for their monster hit "Kingdom," the entrance song for WWE superstar Cody Rhodes.

Fifty freakin million! That's wild!

## Local acts join Indianapolis festival

**Necromoon** and **Metavari** will be traveling to Indianapolis this month to perform at the Post Festival from July 25-27 at the Hi-Fi Annex.

The annual festival showcases post-rock and adjacent bands from the U.S. and abroad.

If you're thinking about making the trip, the good news is both Fort Wayne acts will perform Thursday, July 25 — **Necromoon** at 6:30 p.m. and **Metavari** at 11 p.m. So, you will



COURTESY PHOTO

Destina, a.k.a. **Dusty Brown**, has released her album, *My Own Heart*, and will play a show to celebrate it Sunday, July 21, at Wrigley Field Bar & Grill.

be good purchasing a single-day pass if you so choose.

For tickets, go to [thepostfestival.com](http://thepostfestival.com).

## Catch Lips Speak Louder at Pride fest

If you missed when **Lips Speak Louder** were in town in April, there is good news.

The Nashville, Tennessee-based duo, featuring Leo-Cedarville native and drummer **Angela Lese**, will return to town for a performance at Fort Wayne Pride on at 5:30 p.m. on Friday, July 26, at Headwaters Park.

The festival runs July 26-27 and also includes performances by **Night to Remember**, **Shelly Dixon**, **Bobcat Opossum**, and more. You can find out more information at [fwpride.org](http://fwpride.org).

In addition, **Lips Speak Louder** did some recording at Sweetwater Studios during their last visit with hopes of releasing an album next spring. Before that though, there will be a single released, possibly as early as August.

## Post-hardcore outfit release single

Local emo-post-hardcore act **The Part You Left Out** have released a single to the

streaming world titled, "Sleeping Pills."

You can catch the band Saturday, July 13, at The Brass Rail alongside **Rusted Hearts** out of Cleveland and our very own **I Think Too Much**.

## Seventh Cloud release 4-song EP

**Seventh Cloud** have released the four-song EP *Heirloom/Locket*, the follow-up to last year's *Close to Comfort* EP.

The shoegaze band consists of **Alejandro Saurez** on vocals/guitar, **Kerisa Daenens** on vocals/guitar, **Jacob Martin** on guitar, **Jason Piatt** on bass, and **Evyn Michele** on drums.

Together, they recorded half of the EP at PFW's Sweetwater Music Center and half at Shaq Studio in Muncie with mixing and mastering by **Max Pesavento**.

The EP is streaming on all platforms and will be available on CD and cassette. You can pre-order now at [pleasuretapes.myshopify.com](http://pleasuretapes.myshopify.com).

As for shows, **Seventh Cloud** will perform at The Cauldron Art & Tattoo Studio, 1804 Main St., on Friday, July 26, with **Sleep Keeper**, **Linus**, and **Mold**.

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# Henry VIII's six wives get their say in *Six: Teen Edition*

Fort Wayne premiere shows queens turn stories into pop songs

BY ANTHONY GADSON

WHATZUP EDITOR

Three Rivers Music Theatre are giving a voice to the voiceless in the first show of their 2024-25 season.

In their latest production, *Six: Teen Edition*, the cast of ... you guessed it ... six are all teenage females that portray the six wives of Henry VIII.

"Musical theater is so often written for so many men, but guess who communities often don't have? A lot of talented men in musical theater," Three Rivers Music Theatre Executive Director Andy Plank said. "We're always looking for material that features female-identifying artists. So, that excited me — that we could focus on young, female-identifying artists and give them a platform."

Described as "From Tudor Queens to Pop Icons, the six wives of Henry VIII take the mic to remix five hundred years of historical heartbreak into a Euphoric Celebration of 21st-century girl power!" there will be eight showings of the production with opening night Friday, July 19, at the company's studios off Wells Street at 416 W. Fourth St.



COURTESY PHOTO

Cast members rehearse for Three Rivers Music Theatre's upcoming production of *Six: Teen Edition*. The show opens Friday, July 19, at the theater company's studios at 416 W. Fourth St., just off Wells Street.

## JUMPING AT OPPORTUNITY

Shining a spotlight on young female artists, such a youth production might become a summer staple of Three Rivers Music Theatre.

The theater company already hosts a Summer Musical Theatre Intensive, which will be July 29-Aug. 3 this year with guest clinicians Kayla Davion, Bill Jenkins, and Jodi Cotton-Street, who will also be directing *Six: Teen Edition*.

"This is a first," Cotton-Street said of the company's all-teen case. "(Planck) found that this show, which is iconic — everyone loves it — was available, and he was like, 'We have to do it.'"

Written by Toby Marlow and Lucy Moss, *Six* is relatively new, having premiered in 2017. However, popularity for the Tony-winning musical is clear. And when a teen edition was made available for schools and theater companies with performers 19 and younger, Planck did not waste time.

"Jumped on it, literally, the second I saw it was available," Planck said.

"I didn't think the rights for it would be available for a while because it's playing on Broadway. Licensing companies have decided to release some of these titles sporadically to give kids access to material that challenges them, that's educationally beneficial. So it's only licensed as a teen version. You couldn't do it with adults."

## GETTING THE FACTS

Despite the absence of adults in the show, the talent on stage will be undeniable.

"I think people will forget that these are teenagers when they see the show," Cotton-Street said. "They're working beyond their years."

Among those on stage will be 18-year-old Jordyn Reed, who recently graduated from Carroll High School and will be pursuing a musical theater degree at Western Michigan University this fall.

Reed, who starred in Three Rivers Music Theatre's *Miscast* and Holiday Concert Fundraiser, will play Jane Seymour, who was Henry VIII's third wife following a divorce from Catherine of Aragon and the beheading of Anne Boleyn.

"Jane Seymour, weirdly enough, was one of the characters that I kind of did not connect to," Reed said. "Having the opportunity to play her and get to know her, and get to know her background and see things from her perspective, it's brought a new love for me to have for her."

Cotton-Street actually assigned her young actors with learning a little bit about their characters. While Reed was learning up on Jane Seymour, Catherine Russell did the same for Catherine of Aragon, Tegan Dostal

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researched Anne Boleyn, Gabrielle Denham researched Anna of Cleves, Katie Blessinger researched Katherine Howard, and Aujenae Starks researched Catherine Parr. Along the main cast, Sydney Hyatt, Jazmin Jimenez, Leah Lusk, and Abby Romulus are understudies and ensemble.

## GETTING IN STEP

On top of learning historical aspects of the show, the teens have also been rehearsing pop numbers and dance steps.

Each queen will have her own personality that is showcased through the type of music she performs.

"All six highlight a pop icon in different ways," Reed said. "So, Anne Boleyn, who Tegan Dostal portrays, she is more of your Avril

Lavigne — your poppy girl. Then you have Katherine Howard, who is played by Katie Blessinger, and she has more of an Ariana Grande or a Britney Spears kind of vibe."

For Reed, Jane Seymour's character is more of an Adele- or Sia-type performer.

On top of the vocals, Reed has been excited about incorporating dance into the show, with Fort Wayne Dance Collective Artistic Director Mandie Kolkman handling choreography.

"Usually with a show, there's first act, intermission, second act, and there's a lot of time when you're not on stage and you can breathe a little bit," Reed said. "That's not the case with this show. There is no intermission. You're on stage the entire time. It's a new challenge that I was really looking forward to when I got cast."

Reed's, and the rest of the cast's, talent is why they got cast. And it's that young, diverse talent that has Planck excited.

"I knew we had so much talent in our community," he said. "We have our pre-freshman musical theater training program, and we have all these kids with explosive talent that often don't get a chance to have shows that really expose the wideness of the skill sets."

Now they have that show.

Only time will tell if the youth production becomes an annual Three Rivers Music Theatre show.

# Take class with Bon Jovi guitarist Phil X

Sweetwater Sound will host a guitar masterclass on Friday, Aug. 9, from 7-9 p.m. featuring Bon Jovi guitarist **Phil X**. The masterclass will cover road-tested skills and career-building recommendations drawn from his experience on the big stages with the likes of Bon Jovi and Triumph.

The Greek-Canadian musician and songwriter has played with Bon Jovi since 2013, replacing founding member Richie Sambora. He also provided lead guitar on the band's 13th studio album, 2018's *This House Is Not for Sale*.

In any event, this is a great opportunity to learn from one of the best in the industry.

Even more exciting, the following day, Aug. 10, **GuitarFest** will ensue on the Sweetwater campus from 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

The one-day festival is for guitar players and music-lovers of all ages, levels, interests, and tastes.

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If you attended their DrumFest in May, you know how darn cool this is going to be.

## Sweet Breeze brings live music into the fold

Have you taken a cruise on the Sweet Breeze canal boat yet? It's a great way to kick back and relax and learn a bit about the history of Fort Wayne's rivers.

A perfect opportunity to do so will come on Saturday, July 27, when **Addison Agen** performs on the boat while you set sail for an evening of live music, light refreshments, and riverscape views.

Future Sweet Breeze concerts include Ohio singer-songwriter **Sam Dell** on Aug. 16, **Dan Dickerson** of **Harp Condition** and flautist **Amber Fiechter** on Sept. 14, and **The Ragtag Bunch** on Oct. 12.

Tickets for these events can be purchased online at [ridesweetbreeze.com](http://ridesweetbreeze.com) or by calling (260) 427-6000.

## Comedian Gary Owen stopping by Embassy

Comedian **Gary Owen** will make his way to Embassy Theatre on Sunday, Aug. 4.

Owen has been entertaining audiences more than a decade with his side-splitting comedy.

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## Los Electro, Sun.Dyle join 2Toms luau

2Toms Brewing Company, 3676 N. Wells St., will celebrate their sixth anniversary with their annual luau on Saturday, July 20, from 2-8 p.m.

Their outdoor Tiki bar will be rockin' with several 2Toms one-off, barrel-aged, and annual beer releases.

There will be special food items by Two Sixty BBQ, which will celebrate their grand opening on July 13, and live music by everyone's favorite **Sun.Dyle** and **Los Electro**.

It will be free admission, but if you want to step up your game, there is a \$35 VIP ticket package that includes an anniversary glass, anniversary mixed barrel-aged six-pack, and VIP drink hour.

To find out more, go to their Facebook page.

In any event, plan on throwing on a Hawaiian shirt and get ready to celebrate.

## Piere's hosts Goth Prom on July 24

Dress shopping for a Goth prom is probably something you never thought you would be doing in your lifetime. However, that might be the case come Wednesday, July 24, when Piere's hosts Goth Prom featuring live performances by **Lovesong: The Cure Tribute**, **First Wave: The Sounds of Depeche Mode**, and **Five Middle Fingers: Marilyn Manson Tribute**.

Unlike your high school prom, this \$10 event that begins at 7 p.m. is for all ages and promises to be a night of dark and enchanting music, bringing together fans of goth, new wave, and industrial rock.

Dress to impress in your best goth style and immerse yourself in the atmosphere.

## Mexico City skate rockers visiting Rail

The Mexico City skate rock/fuzz punk duo **Cardiel** will perform at The Brass Rail on Monday, Aug. 12.

Formed in 2010, Samantha Ambrosia (drums/vocals) and Miguel Fraino (guitar/vocals) wanted to make music for skateboarding videos. They even named themselves after the influential skateboarder John Cardiel. The next thing you know, they're playing events for Vans and Thrasher, and SXSW in Austin, Texas.

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# Open Streets takes over Calhoun on Aug. 18

The city of Fort Wayne recently unveiled the date of the seventh annual downtown festival Open Streets Fort Wayne: noon-4 p.m. on Sunday, Aug. 18.

This free community event is “people powered” and provides a safe space to bike, walk, and play along more than 20 blocks on Calhoun Street. There will be activities for people of all ages and cultures to enjoy together with games, music, food, and much more planned.

“Open Streets provides residents and visitors with an opportunity to explore the unique quality of life amenities our community has to offer,” said Mayor Sharon Tucker.

Each year, Public Works hosts Open Streets to highlight their commitment to active transportation and to showcase the safe accessibility of Fort Wayne’s sidewalks and trails along with pedestrian and bicycle safety improvements.

## News and Venues

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“We are thrilled that Open Streets is returning for the seventh year to downtown Fort Wayne and the historic Calhoun Street corridor,” Greenways Program Manager Rick Zolman said. “Open Streets is one of Fort Wayne’s most memorable events with more than 20 blocks of activities. It is such a cool opportunity to invite individuals, families, neighbors, and the community together to play in the streets, if only for four hours. We look forward to connecting, by wheel, by heel, by roll, or by stroll, on Sunday, Aug. 18.”

## Frida for All festival returns July 13

Frida for All/Frida para Todas is back for a free, family-friendly and accessible celebration open to the public from 1-5 p.m. on Friday, July 13, in the downtown F&M Bank parking lot at 128 W. Wayne St.

The collaboration between Mexica Arts and Creative Women of the World will have Spanish and deaf translators available.

The event celebrates artist Frida Kahlo’s July 6 birthday and Latin culture, arts, and local community; women in the arts; and artists with physical disabilities. The event includes storytelling about Kahlo, her physical disability and art practice, traditional Mexican paper flower making, collaborative painting, Latina artist and business vendors, local community organization booths, live entertainment, and demonstrations.

## Donate art supplies for Artlink fundraiser

Artlink is accepting donations of art supplies through Saturday, July 13, to sell at their third annual Art Supply

Resale from July 20-21.

They are accepting brushes, paints, markers, pens, pencils, canvases, clay, paper, frames, mats, crayons, art books, and anything else creatives might find useful — including used supplies.

Donations can be dropped off during regular business hours on Thursday from 10 a.m.-8 p.m., and Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. If those times don’t work, you can schedule a drop off time by calling the gallery at (260) 424-7195 or emailing ellen@artlinkfw.org.

## Enter your work to be shown at Honeywell

Honeywell Arts & Entertainment are accepting entries for their 2024 Themed Art Competition: Life on the Farm at the Clark Gallery in Honeywell Center from July 24-Aug. 25.

This competition is open to participants of all ages and will not be judged by category. All media can be entered, including photography, digital art, and sculpture.

Artwork can be dropped off from 11 a.m.-noon and 5-7 p.m. on Monday, July 22.

Detailed guidelines and the entry form can be found at honeywellarts.org.

## Civic Theatre hires education director

Fort Wayne Civic Theatre has named Gavin Thomas Drew their director of education and administration, while he continues to serve as artistic director for Summit City Music Theatre.

Drew is a nationally recognized director, actor, and playwright.

He attended Oklahoma City University for musical theater and directing, which led him to a regional theater career as a performer and director.

As a profoundly deaf theater artist with a cochlear implant, Drew takes pride in mentoring disabled and differently abled casts and holding seminars on inclusion and accommodation for all talents.

He has guest lectured on disability in theatre at the University of Central Oklahoma and Oklahoma State University.

## Powers Hamburgers hosts family fun

A fire is not slowing down Powers Hamburgers, 1402 S. Harrison St., as they plan to hold a Family Fun Day on Saturday, July 13, from 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

The event closes out their grand re-opening week, and will include face-painting, a petting zoo, special prizes for kids and raffles.

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## Nightlife

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## Quick Hit LOCAL EVENT

### FORT WAYNE FC VS. KINGS HAMMER FC

7 P.M. SATURDAY, JULY 13 • BISHOP D’ARCY STADIUM

Fort Wayne FC, the Summit City’s hometown soccer team, will take on Cincinnati’s Kings Hammer FC in the final game of the regular season for both clubs.

The action takes place at 7 p.m. on Saturday, July 13, at Bishop D’Arcy Stadium on the campus of the University of Saint Francis.

Take an opportunity to witness soccer at its finest as these division rivals fight for playoff position during this

epic battle, showcasing skills, speed, and strategy in the world’s most popular sport.

The teams compete in the USL2 League, a pre-professional soccer league that provides a solid platform for those pursuing professional careers in soccer both domestically and internationally.

Tickets are just \$5 for youths and \$10 for adults online at fortwaynafc.com/tickets. — Chris Hupe



# Kuehnert plans to deliver milk to your door

The folks at Kuehnert Dairy Farm are looking to restore an old-time service. The local dairy farm and retail outlet at 6532 Cook Road are finalizing plans to offer home delivery. The milk even comes in glass bottles, like the milkman used to offer.



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Kuehnert says they'll make milk, flavored milk, cheese curds, and butter available.

They expect to bring the service online within the next few months.

## Pixie Pies opens in Avilla

The first **Pixie Pies** store has opened at 201 E. Albion St. in Avilla.

For nearly a year, David and Ashley Sturdivant have been selling cheesecakes in more than a dozen restaurants in northeast Indiana. After collaborations at the Breakfast House in Kendallville and The Willows in Hometown, they found them selling, um, like hotcakes.

Soon, the treats will be available in 30 flavors, such as butterscotch, peach, strawberry crunch, and pineapple upside down, in 4-inch mini and 9-inch sizes.

The store is open 4-8 p.m. Friday and 11 a.m.-3 p.m. on Saturday.

Watch for other flavors to rotate on the menu.

## Wine & Beer Festival returns July 26

The popular Junior Achievement Wine and Beer Festival returns Friday, July 26, at Parkview Field.

The festival is a showcase of Indiana-produced wine, beer, and spirits, with proceeds going to programs that teach business, finance, and other life skills.

The event includes live music, a silent auction, and a raffle of a bourbon collection of Pappy Van Winkle, Crown Royal Blackberry Limited Edition, Sazerac Straight Rye Whiskey, and Benchmark Single Barrel.

Admission is \$45-\$100, with perks at each level. Go to [wineandbeerfestival.com](http://wineandbeerfestival.com) for more information.

## Head to Honeywell House for Taste of Terrace

In Wabash, the Taste of Terrace at historic Honeywell House continues through September.

Taking place every Wednesday with reservations at 5 p.m., 5:30 p.m., and 6 p.m., the event is part of the Honeywell Foundation's arts and entertainment activities.

The menu includes a shrimp cocktail, pasta salad, watermelon salad, chicken salad sandwich, lobster salad, pork street tacos, spinach, and artichoke flatbread pizza.

For reservations, go to [honeywellarts.org](http://honeywellarts.org).

## Quick Hit LOCAL EVENT

### MAC & CHEESE FEST

5 P.M. SATURDAY, JULY 13 · PARKVIEW FIELD

One of America's favorite foods will have its day in Fort Wayne when the Mac & Cheese Fest comes to Parkview Field on Saturday, July 13.

Previously held in Michigan, Ohio, and Wisconsin, this will be the Indiana debut for the event featuring chefs from around the nation with macaroni and cheese recipes designed to make your mouth water.

Attendees can expect more than 50 unique mac and

## Legacy Village cuts back operations

**Legacy Village West African Cuisine** is scaling back meals in Fort Wayne.

In a Facebook post, owner and chef Sasha Donati said the response has been slower than projected. They'll still serve Fort Wayne, but just once a month after being every Sunday evening.

The focus of the restaurateurs is now on their restaurant in Muncie.

"It's not easy for us to drive over an hour and 23 minutes," Donati said. "This will allow us to better manage our resources and provide our authentic West African cuisine to the community."

For about a month from their kitchen at 1025 W. Rudisill Blvd., Legacy Village cooked Liberian dishes such as goat curry, beef stew, peanut butter soup, sweet potato greens, vegan meatball curry, Liberian chicken wings, and jollof rice.

You can still pre-order at (765) 444-7013 or online at [legacy-village-west-africa-cuisine.square.site](http://legacy-village-west-africa-cuisine.square.site).

## Bravas host Spanish BBQ night

We all know **Bravas** has some killer burgers and hot dogs, but their Spanish menu is just as popular for those on the more adventurous side.

From 5-9 p.m. on Tuesday, July 16, the spot at 3416 Fairfield Ave. will host Bravas Barbacoa.

In a Facebook post, they promise to bust out "charcoal grills to make some killer Spanish-inspired barbecue."

Along with the food, there will also be live music by Atticus Sorrell from 6-9 p.m.

## Hot Head Burritos rolling into town

Fort Wayne will soon have its first **Hot Head Burritos**.

According to the company's website, a spot at 3120 St. Joe Center Road is slated for a restaurant. That's in the Marketplace at Canterbury, near Dairy Queen and Cap 'N Cork.

Work is under way, but there has been no opening date announced.

The fast-food chain features nachos and quesadillas. They also offer customizable burritos and bowls with up to 30 ingredients, with keto and Paleo options.

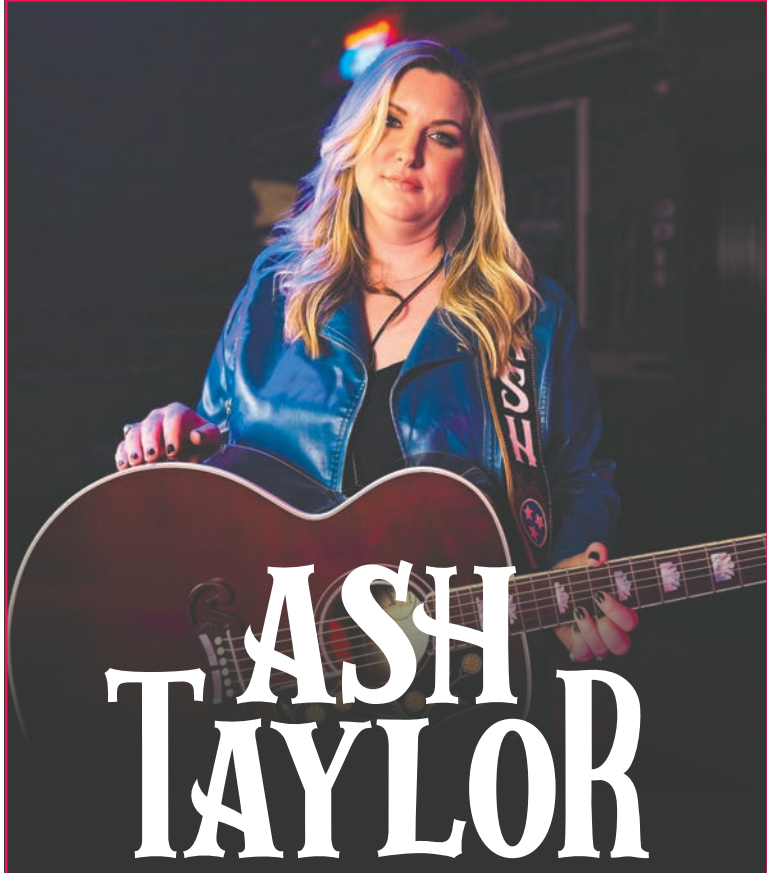
They bring the heat and boast 12 sauces from "mild to wild."

Hot Head Burritos got its start in 2007 in Dayton, Ohio. It has nearly 90 stores in seven states, including locally in North Webster and Van Wert.

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cheese offerings, more than 150 craft beers (ciders, seltzers, and spirits), a variety of entertainment options including Fleetwood Mac tribute band Fleetwood 2 the Max, a DJ, fireworks, glitter tattoos, and balloon twisters and other offerings from TAG Art.

VIP tickets have sold out, but general admission tickets remain available on the website. But you better act fast, as they will likely sell out, too. — *Chris Hupe*



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## Live Music LOCAL CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, JULY 11

**Andy Pauquette** — Variety, 6:30 p.m., Club Soda, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 426-3442

**Angel Reload** — Rock, 6 p.m., Paige's Crossing, Columbia City, Free, (260) 244-5757

**Duke Tumatoe** — Blues, 7 p.m., Eagles Theatre, Wabash, \$15-\$20, (260) 563-1102

**Emo Kids** — Emo tribute, 8 p.m., Piere's, Fort Wayne, \$15, (260) 492-6064

**Hair Bangers Ball** — 80s rock, 7 p.m., Madison Street Plaza, Decatur, Free

**John Potts** — Variety, 5:30 p.m., Vinland Reserve Winery, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 619-3424

**The Cold Hearts** — Country, 7 p.m., The Club Room at The Clyde, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 747-0989

**Neo Nea** — Variety, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Lunch on the Square, Freimann Square, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 422-6000

**Piques** — Rock, 6:30 p.m., teds beerhall, Fort Wayne, no cover, (888) 260-0351

**Todd Harrold Band** — Variety, 6 p.m., Tom & Jane Dustin Nature Preserve, Huntertown, Free, (260) 637-2273

**Tronic Thursdays** — Electronic, 10 p.m., O'Sullivan's, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 422-5896

### FRIDAY, JULY 12

**Atticus Sorrell** — Rock, 7 p.m., teds beerhall, Fort Wayne, no cover, (888) 260-0351

**CBR Trio** — Variety, noon, Sweetwater Sound, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 432-8176

**Decade Divide** — 6 p.m., Country Heritage Winery, LaOtto, no cover, (260) 637-2980

**Ty Causey** — R&B, 8 p.m., The Club Room at The Clyde, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 747-0989

**Hotel California** — Eagles tribute, 8 p.m., Kehoe Park, Bluffton, Free, (260) 824-1520

**Hustle 54** — Disco, 7 p.m., Hop River Brewing Co., Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 739-3931

**ReGeneration X** — Rock, 8 p.m., Mitchell's, Fort Wayne, \$5, (260) 387-5063

**James Baker Trio** — Jazz, 5 p.m., Ruth's Chris Steak House, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 444-5898

**JJ and McRae** — Acoustic, 6:30 p.m., Spikes Beach Grill, Warsaw, no cover, (574) 372-3224

**Kennedy's Kitchen** — Irish, 7 p.m., Lucerne Park, Warsaw, Free

**Killer Queen** — Queen tribute, 7:30 p.m., Honeywell Center, Wabash, \$30-\$115, (260) 563-1102

**Man of the Flood** — Alternative, 6 p.m., Downtown Live!, PNC Plaza, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 461-7179

**Necromoon w/Coffin Problem, Joyhouse** — Alternative, 9 p.m., The Brass Rail, Fort Wayne, (260) 267-5303

**Ryne & Jess** — Variety, 8:30 p.m., Deer Park Irish Pub, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 432-8966

**Shane & Eric** — Variety, 6:30 p.m., Vinland Reserve Winery, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 619-3424

**Sugarhill Gang w/U.R.B., Fort Wayne Funk Orchestra** — Hip-Hop/Funk, 7 p.m., Three Rivers Festival, Headwaters Park, Fort Wayne, \$20, (260) 427-6000

**The Side Cars** — The Cars tribute, 7:30 p.m., Feel Good Fridays, Fountain Park, Van Wert, Free, (419) 238-6722

**Whoa, Man!** — Women of rock tribute, 7 p.m., Markle Fish & Game Club Park, Markle, Free

### SATURDAY, JULY 13

**Banned from Utopia w/Paul Green Rock Academy** — Frank Zappa tribute, 7 p.m., Sweetwater Sound, Fort Wayne, \$25, (260) 432-8176

**Barenaked Ladies w/Sunny Taylor & Paul Kobylensky and Yacht Party** — Rock, 4 p.m., Sylvan Cellars, Rome City, \$75, (260) 854-9463

**Big Dick & The Penetrators** — Classic rock, 7 p.m., American Legion Post 223, Syracuse, no cover, (574) 457-3261

**BigMeow** — 80s, 8 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Whitley County Farmers Market, Downtown Columbia City, Free

**BigMeow** — 80s, 8 p.m., The Press Room, South Whitley, Free, (260) 609-8883

**Dave & Carolyn Martin** — Western swing, 6:30 p.m., Club Soda, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 426-3442

**Dead Reckoning w/Fight From Within, Sacrificial Betrayal, ExitWounds, Autumn Lies Buried, Morning in May** — Rock, 3 p.m., Piere's, Fort Wayne, \$25-\$45, (260) 492-6064

**Grateful Groove w/Todd Harrold Band, Brian Lemert, Sahara** — Variety, 6 p.m., Rock the Plaza, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 421-1200

**He Said She Said** — Variety, 6 p.m., Country Heritage Winery, LaOtto, no cover, (260) 637-2980

**Hinder w/Octopussy, Dirty Vandals** — Rock, 7 p.m., Three Rivers Festival, Headwaters Park, Fort Wayne, \$20, (260) 427-6000

**Humans Among Us w/Stevie Luebbert** — Space Rock, 10 p.m., O'Sullivan's, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 422-5896

**Fort Wayne Funk Orchestra** — Funk, 8 p.m., The Club Room at The Clyde, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 747-0989

**James Baker Trio** — Jazz, 5 p.m., Ruth's Chris Steak House, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 444-5898

**Moon Cats** — Variety, 7 p.m., Downtown Huntington, Huntington, Free

**School of Rock Fest** — Classic rock, noon, Buck Lake Ranch, Angola, Free

**Sun.Dyle** — Neo-soul, 9 p.m., Wrigley Field Bar & Grill, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 485-1038

**The DeeBees** — Variety, 6 p.m., Byler Lane Winery, Auburn, no cover, (260) 920-4377

**The Last Chiefs** — Classic rock, 8:30 p.m., Deer Park Irish Pub, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 432-8966

**The Part You Left Out w/Rusted Hearts, I Think Too Much** — Pop punk, 9:45 p.m., The Brass Rail, Fort Wayne, (260) 267-5303

**Thunderstruck** — AC/DC tribute, 8 p.m., The Clyde Theatre, Fort Wayne, \$15, (260) 747-0989

**TriFecta** — Variety, 6:30 p.m., Vinland Reserve Winery, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 619-3424

**We're In This Together w/O.B. Won, Hannah Jade, Mr. Dom, Jay Val Leo, Costella, Costella B2B Lozar, Lozar, Ray Beammm, ZeroChill** — EDM, 3-11 p.m., 816 Pint & Slice, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 423-6600

### SUNDAY, JULY 14

**Jailbreak** — Classic rock, 7 p.m., Zesto: St. Joe, Fort Wayne, no cover

**Joe Justice** — Variety, 2 p.m., Art in the Park, Freimann Square, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 427-6000

**Sanctus Real w/Outpour Worship & City Movement** — Christian, 7 p.m., Three Rivers Festival, Headwaters Park, Fort Wayne, \$10, (260) 427-6000

**The Reveal w/The Radiation, Overlook** — Alternative, 8 p.m., The Brass Rail, Fort Wayne, \$10, (260) 267-5303

**The Revival Years** — Singer-songwriter, 4 p.m., Vinland Reserve Winery, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 619-3424

### MONDAY, JULY 15

**G-Money & Special Guests** — Blues, 7 p.m., The Club Room at The Clyde, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 747-0989

**Lita Ford w/Whoa, Man!, Eiliza Toth** — Rock, 7 p.m., Three Rivers Festival, Headwaters Park, Fort Wayne, \$25, (260) 427-6000

**Open Mic Night** — 6:30 p.m., Sweetwater Sound, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 432-8176

**The Rebels MF w/Wilo D, BSG TLO** — Hip-Hop, 7:30 p.m., Piere's, Fort Wayne, \$15, (260) 492-6064

### TUESDAY, JULY 16

**Bob Thompson** — Roots, 5:30 p.m., Vinland Reserve Winery, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 619-3424

**Joe Justice** — Variety, 3 p.m., StoryPoint Senior Living, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 483-5590

**Open Mic w/JJ and McRae** — 7-10 p.m., Curly's Village Inn, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 747-9964

**Primetime** — Variety, 6 p.m., The Club Room at The Clyde, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 747-0989

**Songwriter Open Mic Night** — 6:30-8:30 p.m., Sweetwater Sound, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 432-8176

**The DeeBees** — Variety, 4:30 p.m., Redwood Inn, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 426-7543

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 17

**56Daze** — Variety, 5 p.m., Union 12, Columbia City, Free, (260) 203-0239

**Alfie Jean & Fella Jack** — Ukulele/bass, 6 p.m., Proof, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 744-0333

**Basketcase** — Acoustic, 5:30 p.m., Vinland Reserve Winery, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 619-3424

**Jon Durnell Band** — Classic hits, 5 p.m., Schnelker Park, New Haven, Free, (260) 749-2212

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## Live Music LOCAL CALENDAR

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**New Millennium Jazz Orchestra: 25th Anniversary Show** — Jazz, 7:30 p.m., Foellinger Theatre, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 427-6000

**Open Mic w/Jack Welty** — 6-10 p.m., Four D's Bar & Grill, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 490-6488

**Slushii w/E-Clyps, Joesorf** — EDM, 7 p.m., Headwaters Park, Fort Wayne, \$20, (260) 427-6000

**Todd Harold Band** — Variety, 5:30 p.m., Embassy Theatre, Fort Wayne, (260) 424-5665

**Q & The Cold Fusion** — Jazz, 7 p.m., The Club Room at The Clyde, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 747-0989

### THURSDAY, JULY 18

**Alicia Pyle w/Brad Kuhns** — Variety, 4 p.m., StoryPoint Senior Living, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 483-5590

**Bill Werling Square Dancing** — Country, 6 p.m., Madison Street Plaza, Decatur, Free

**Devour the Day** — Rock, 8 p.m., Piere's, Fort Wayne, \$15, (260) 492-6064

**Jaina Berry & Tailor Grant** — Singer-songwriter, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Lunch on the Square, Freimann Square, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 427-6000

**Jazz Jam** — 7 p.m., Sweetwater Sound, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 432-8176

**Jeff McDonald** — Classic hits, 5:30 p.m., Chapman's Brewing: Electric Works, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 250-4371

**JJ & McRae** — Variety, 6:30 p.m., teds beerhall, Fort Wayne, no cover, (888) 260-0351

**Last Call w/Sweetwater All Stars, Music Lovers Lounge** — Variety, 7 p.m., Three Rivers Festival, Headwaters Park, Fort Wayne, \$15, (260) 427-6000

**StraitJack** — Alan Jackson/George Strait tribute, 7 p.m., The Club Room at The Clyde, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 747-0989

**Susan Mae & The New Yesterday** — Variety, 6 p.m., Paige's Crossing, Columbia City, Free, (260) 244-5757

**The Adam Strack Band** — Variety, 5:30 p.m., Vinland Reserve Winery, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 619-3424

**The DeeBees** — Variety, 7:30 p.m., Lakelife Bar & Grill, Warsaw, no cover, (574) 244-2100

**The Wingmen** — Classic rock, 6 p.m., Sylvan Cellars, Rome City, no cover, (260) 854-9463

**Tronic Thursdays** — Electronic, 10 p.m., O'Sullivan's, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 422-5896

**Twitty & Lynn** — Conway Twitty/Loretta Lynn tribute, 7 p.m., Eagles Theatre, Wabash, \$25-\$55, (260) 563-1102

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## Live Comedy LOCAL CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, JULY 11

**Gabriel Rutledge** — 7 p.m., Summit City Comedy Club, Fort Wayne, \$20-\$28, (260) 844-8444

### FRIDAY, JULY 12

**Gabriel Rutledge** — 7 p.m. and 9:45 p.m., Summit City Comedy Club, Fort Wayne, \$20-\$28, (260) 844-8444

### SATURDAY, JULY 13

**Cody Smith** — 4 p.m., Summit City Comedy Club, Fort Wayne, \$25-\$35, (260) 844-8444

**Gabriel Rutledge** — 7 p.m. and 9:45 p.m., Summit City Comedy Club, Fort Wayne, \$20-\$28, (260) 844-8444

**Improv with Friends Comedy Show** — 8 p.m., Broken Pencil Improv, Cinema Center, Fort Wayne, \$10, (260) 426-3456

**John Armstrong & Elijah Nevels** — 8 p.m., Fort Wayne Comedy Club @ 469, New Haven, \$25-\$30, (260) 426-6339

### SUNDAY, JULY 14

**Luke Severeid w/Jakob Kendall** — 7 p.m., Summit City Comedy Club, Fort Wayne, \$15-\$22, (260) 844-8444

### TUESDAY, JULY 16

**Kam "Snacks" Coleman w/Aaron Montgomery, Big Kess** — 7 p.m., Three Rivers Festival, Headwaters Park, Fort Wayne, \$10, (260) 427-6000

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 17

**Open Mic Night** — 7 p.m., Summit City Comedy Club, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 844-8444

### THURSDAY, JULY 18

**Alex Hooper** — 7 p.m., Summit City Comedy Club, Fort Wayne, \$15, (260) 844-8444

### FRIDAY, JULY 19

**Josh Wolf** — 7 p.m. and 9:45 p.m., Summit City Comedy Club, Fort Wayne, \$30-\$60, (260) 844-8444

### SATURDAY, JULY 20

**Aisha 'The Comedian' Brown w/Josh Springer** — 8 p.m., Fort Wayne Comedy Club @ 469, New Haven, \$25-\$30, (260) 426-6339

**Josh Wolf** — 7 p.m. and 9:45 p.m., Summit City Comedy Club, Fort Wayne, \$30-\$60, (260) 844-8444

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 24

**Open Mic Night** — 7 p.m., Summit City Comedy Club, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 844-8444

### THURSDAY, JULY 25

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**Dustin Nickerson** — 6 p.m. and 8:45 p.m., Summit City Comedy Club, Fort Wayne, \$25-\$35, (260) 844-8444

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The award-winning 1924 comedy follows Keaton as he uses his amateur detective skills to solve a robbery in which he was framed as the culprit.

As a bonus, The Embassy will also show *Balloonatic*, a Keaton short film where a hapless amusement park

attendant finds his runaway balloon ride has left him in a strange predicament.

Finally, the day marks the return of Grandparents Day, where children age 12 and under and attendees 65 and over get in free, offering a great chance to take in the sounds and music of the Grande Page Pipe Organ alongside a comical silent film, learn about how the organ saved the Embassy from the wrecking ball, and enjoy free popcorn and fun activities before the show. — *Chris Hupe*

## Live Music LOCAL CALENDAR

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### FRIDAY, JULY 19

**8420 Band** — Classic rock, 10 p.m., Rack & Helen's, New Haven, no cover, (260) 749-5396

**Chris Worth** — Vocalist, 7 p.m., Redwood Inn, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 426-7543

**Crush w/Sunglasses at Night, Unlikely Alibi** — 80s, 7 p.m., Three Rivers Festival, Headwaters Park, Fort Wayne, \$15, (260) 427-6000

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**Earth to Mars** — Funk, 7:30 p.m., Feel Good Fridays, Fountain Park, Van Wert, Free, (419) 238-6722

**Ethan William Bowers & The Painted Strangers** — Americana, 7 p.m., teds beerhall, Fort Wayne, no cover, (888) 260-0351

**Sweetwater All Stars** — R&B/soul/funk, 8 p.m., The Club Room at The Clyde, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 747-0989

**Gregg Bender Trio** — Classic rock, 8:30 p.m., Deer Park Irish Pub, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 432-8966

**Humans Among Us w/Thrill Taker** — Space rock, 7:30 p.m., Proof, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 744-0333

**James Baker Trio** — Jazz, 5 p.m., Ruth's Chris Steak House, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 444-5898

**Kimberly Perry** — Country, 6:30 p.m., Central Park, Warsaw, Free, (574) 372-9554

**Loud Division** — Alternative, 6 p.m., Downtown Live!, PNC Plaza, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 461-7179

**P.S. Dump Your Boyfriend** — Variety, 5:30 p.m., Union Street Market, Fort Wayne, Free

**Rylie Lynn Band** — Country/Americana, 7-10 p.m., Parlor City Plaza, Bluffton, (260) 820-1671

**The DeeBees** — Variety, 6:30 p.m., Vinland Reserve Winery, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 619-3424

**The Steel Woods** — Country, 8 p.m., Piere's, Fort Wayne, \$25-\$49.50, (260) 492-6064

**We Are Checkmark** — Funk/R&B, 6 p.m., Country Heritage Winery, LaOtto, no cover, (260) 637-2980

### SATURDAY, JULY 20

**Austin Marsh** — Folk rock, 5 p.m., Downtown Kendallville, Kendallville, Free

**Brothers Osborne** — Country, 4 p.m., Sylvan Cellars, Rome City, \$85, (260) 854-9463

**CosmicKid** — Variety, 7 p.m., teds beerhall, Fort Wayne, no cover, (888) 260-0351

**Ethan William Bowers** — Americana, 6 p.m., E Brewing Company, South Whitley, no cover, (574) 377-6098

**Yacht Party** — Yacht rock, 8 p.m., The Club Room at The Clyde, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 747-0989

**Intrepid Cat w/Rock Steady, StraitJack, The keystones, Wizards in Texas** — Variety, 6 p.m., Rock the Plaza, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 421-1200

**IYKYK** — Power Pop, 9 p.m., Wrigley Field Bar & Grill, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 485-1038

**Jailbreak** — Classic rock, 7 p.m., Cricket's 7th St. Bar & Grille, Auburn, no cover, (260) 925-9980

**James Baker Trio** — Jazz, 5 p.m., Ruth's Chris Steak House, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 444-5898

**Jazzworks! w/Phil Schurger, Ty Causey** — Jazz, 6 p.m., Foellinger-Freimann Botanical Conservatory, Fort Wayne, \$10, (260) 427-6440

**Jeff McDonald** — Classic hits, 6:30 p.m., Chapman's Brewing, Columbia City, Columbia City, no cover, (260) 244-6252

**McKenna Parks** — Singer-songwriter, 8:30 p.m., Deer Park Irish Pub, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 432-8966

**Rodney Atkins w/Rylie Lynn** — Country, 7 p.m., Three Rivers Festival, Headwaters Park, Fort Wayne, \$25, (260) 427-6000

**Sankofa** — Hip-hop, 9:45 p.m., The Brass Rail, Fort Wayne, \$7, (260) 267-5303

**Smokestack Jack** — Classic rock, 9 p.m., What's Up Pub & Grub, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 489-3488

**Wade's World** — 90s, 6:30 p.m., Vinland Reserve Winery, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 619-3424

**Whoa, Man!** — Women of rock tribute, 6 p.m., Country Heritage Winery, LaOtto, \$10, (260) 637-2980

### SUNDAY, JULY 21

**Adrienne Frailey** — Indie folk, 11 a.m., Vinland Reserve Winery, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 619-3424

**Danny Worsnop w/Jericho Rose** — Rock, 8 p.m., Piere's, Fort Wayne, \$25, (260) 492-6064

**Destina** — Pop, 4 p.m., Wrigley Field Bar & Grill, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 485-1038

**Music Lovers Lounge** — DJ Barrage and DJ P host 21-and-over Luxe Life Day Party in Embassy ballroom and rooftop with meal from ObiCai, 1-5 p.m., Embassy Theatre, Fort Wayne, \$50, (260) 424-5665

**Ron Rumbaugh** — Jazz, 4 p.m., Vinland Reserve Winery, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 619-3424

### MONDAY, JULY 22

**G-Money & Special Guests** — Blues, 7 p.m., The Club Room at The Clyde, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 747-0989

**Veil of Maya w/Brand of Sacrifice, Gideon, Left to Suffer, ten56, Tallah, Cabal** — Metalcore, 3:30 p.m., Piere's, Fort Wayne, \$39.50-\$80, (260) 492-6064

### TUESDAY, JULY 23

**Debutants** — Newgrass, 6 p.m., Junk Ditch Brewing, Fort Wayne, free, (260) 203-4045

**Joe Justice** — Variety, 2 p.m., Smith Farms Manor, Auburn, Free, (260) 925-4800

**Lee Cook** — Variety, 6 p.m., The Club Room at The Clyde, Fort Wayne, no cover, (260) 747-0989

**ta'korei** — Pop/R&B, 5:30 p.m., Vinland Reserve Winery, Fort Wayne, Free, (260) 619-3424

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 24

**Chris Worth** — Variety, 5:30 p.m., Embassy Theatre, Fort Wayne, (260) 424-5665

**Hubie Ashcraft Band** — Country, 5 p.m., Schnelker Park, New Haven, Free, (260) 749-2212

**Mean 38** — Classic rock, 5 p.m., Union 12, Columbia City, Free, (260) 203-0239

**Warren Haynes Band** — Southern rock, 8 p.m., The Clyde Theatre, Fort Wayne, \$35-\$104.50, (260) 747-0989

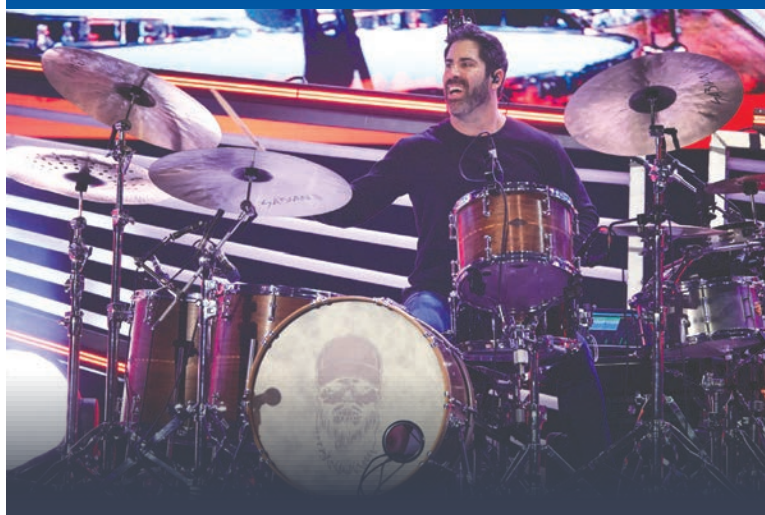
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# Pickle Festival a pretty big dill around St. Joe

*Home of Sechler's Factory  
celebrates brined favorites  
with 28th annual festival*

BY ANDREW McNAIR  
WHATZUP FEATURES WRITER

Here we are deep in the heart of summer festival season in Fort Wayne, and maybe you're thinking it's time to leave the traffic and big tent behind and find something more homespun and rural.

Lots of little towns have festivals that celebrate their local heritage. St. Joe's involves a lot of pickles.

Those briny little concoctions will be front and center July 18-20 for the 28th annual Pickle Festival. St. Joe is easy to find on a lovely scenic drive up State Road 1.

## FOLLOWING THE THEME

Sechler's Pickles has been a mainstay of St. Joe more than 100 years, and you know this is a town that knows its pickles.

The festival features all the charming hallmarks of a small-town Indiana festival: A parade through town at 1 p.m. July 20, a car show from 4-8 p.m. July 20, food vendors, kids' play area, live music each night (Keegan Ferrell on July 18, The Avalons on July 19, and Mason Dixon Line on July 20), a pancake breakfast at 7 a.m. July 20, and fireworks at 10 p.m. July 20.

While there are the usual festival festivities, it's the state of pickle-themed competitions that set this event apart.

Along with tours of Sechler's Pickle Factory each day, on Thursday there will be pickle decorating, a Royal Pickle Court, and a pickle derby at 7 p.m. The following day, you can check out the pickle spoon race at 1 p.m. and a youth pickle juice contest at 4 p.m. Saturday features the adult pickle juice contest at 11 a.m. and the pickle-eating contest at 1:30 p.m. for those 18 and older.

The pickle-eating contest will have participants racing to see who can consume 20 pickles first with prizes for first and second. These won't be professional eaters, and there's no dunking the pickles before consuming, so this will be a challenge and a sight to behold.

## TESTING FORTITUDE

You're probably wondering if I'll get through this story without using any pickle puns. I am doing my best, but I must dutifully report that the organizers have dubbed the volleyball contest "The Big Dill Volleyball Tournament," because of course they did — and you would, too.

Breaking with the pickle theme, there will be pizza-eating contest at 2 p.m. on Friday, July 19.

If the pickle-eating contest was a sprint, this is a marathon. Ten minutes for power-eaters to get down as many slices of cheese pizza as they can. Each will start



COURTESY PHOTO

The pickle-eating contest returns to the St. Joe Pickle Festival on Saturday, July 20.

## ST. JOE PICKLE FESTIVAL

9 a.m.-9 p.m. Thursday, July 18  
9 a.m.-10 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 19-20  
Pickle Festival Grounds  
6127 State Road 1, St. Joe  
Free · stjoepicklefestival@gmail.com

with one 16-inch pizza, and they'll go up from there.

Okay, but I hear you thinking, "Anybody can eat pickles, and I eat pizza all the time." Well, you're right. But what about the part that's left in the jar? How much pickle juice do you think you could drink in a short period of time? How much do you think you could drink through a straw?

If you said, "32 ounces," you should maybe consider the pickle juice-drinking contest, because that's the challenge contestants will face.

## TAKE THE TOUR

Sechler's maintains a major operation in St. Joe, and factory tours used to be a staple of roadside attraction lists and kids' field trips.

These days they open the factory to visitors only for a few days a year, and those days are the Pickle Festival days. It's a rare chance to get behind the scenes of a major food operation and well worth the visit.

The factory tour is at 5686 State Road 1. It's available 9-11 a.m. and 12:30-3 p.m. on July 18-19 and 9 a.m.-noon on July 20. Closed-toe shoes and long sleeves are strictly required. There's a free shuttle from the festival grounds on Saturday morning.

There you have it: an entire story about a pickle festival with only one pickle pun, and it wasn't my fault. I did this for you, dear reader, and it wasn't easy.

If I'm assigned to a chicken festival this fall, you might not be so ... clucky.

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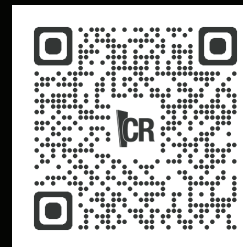
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# Three Rivers Fest spreads family fun across city

*Headwaters is focus, but activities also at PFW, Lawton Park*

BY ANTHONY GADSON

WHATZUP EDITOR

We've had the cultural and culinary festivals. Now it's time for the big dog. The one with rides, junk food, live music, art, competitions, and much more. It's time for the 55th annual Three Rivers Festival.

Kicking off Friday, July 12, and running every day through Saturday, July 20, the festival is centered around Headwaters Park. We at *Whatzup* are gonna do our best to let you know when, what, and where you'll want to be to make the most of the festival.

One item not included below is the ever-popular parade, set for 10 a.m. on Saturday, July 13. The parade route begins at West Wayne and Rockhill streets, making its way east on Wayne to Fairfield Avenue, where it heads north to Berry Street. From there, it makes its way east to Calhoun Street, where it proceeds north to Superior Street.

Oh yeah, the fireworks finale, fired from atop the downtown I&M Plaza, also closes the festival out at 10 p.m. on July 20.

As for the rest of the events ... here we go!

## HEADWATERS PARK

Of course, Headwaters will be where you want to be for live music and comedy.

Those concerts begin Friday, July 12, with U.R.B. opening at 7 p.m., followed by Fort Wayne Funk Orchestra and national headliner Sugarhill Gang.

Rock Night is Saturday, July 13, with Dirty Vandals at 7 p.m., followed by Octopussy, and national headliner Hinder.

The following night is Christian Night with Outdoor Worship opening things at 7 p.m., followed by City Movement and Sanctus Real.

The rest of the live music will be Ladies Night at July 15 with Eliza Toth, Whoa Man!, and Lita Ford; EDM Night on July 17 with Joe Sorf, E-Clyps, and Slushii; Heart & Soul Affair on July 18 with Music Lovers Lounge, The Sweetwater All Stars, and Last Call; '80s Night on July 19 with Unlikely Alibi, Sunglasses at



PHOTO BY KEVIN MULLETT

The amount of activities at the Three Rivers Festival can be dizzying.

Night, and Crush: A Bon Jovi Experience; and Country Night on July 20 with Rylie Lynn, DJ Dan Sherman, and Rodney Atkins.

The festival will also bring the funny on July 16 for Comedy Night, featuring Big Kess, Aaron Montgomery, and Kam "Snacks" Coleman.

Headwaters will also be your spot for Junk Food Alley, although it will be situated on the north side of the pavilion following years on the south side. The spot for your favorite fried food will be open 11 a.m.-11 p.m. each day.

Near Junk Food Alley will be the Emporium, where you can find unique food, jewelry, soaps, clothing, and more from local artisans. The Emporium is open daily.

Across Clinton Street at Headwaters Park East will be River Excursions. Each day between July 12-14, you can get a 20-minute guided tour of our rivers aboard a pontoon.

## LAWTON PARK

So, after listing many of the activities for Headwaters Park, you may be asking, "What about the midway?"

Well, there's a reason I did not include it in the Headwaters Park listings. That's because it won't be there this year.

For those brightly covered rides and the screams that come with them, you'll have to head over the river to Lawton Park this year.

Those rides will be going every day of the festival, lasting until 11 p.m. each day

## PROMENADE PARK

One of the top scenic destinations of the city will play host to Young at Heart from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. on Tuesday, July 16.

This event is catered to those over 60 years old and will have bingo, card games, and lunch.

Also at Promenade will be Northeast Indiana Water Trails' Pedal, Paddle, Play from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. on Saturday, July 20.

On this scavenger hunt, you walk, bike, or kayak to collect information on our local history with a party at Promenade afterwards.

## FREIMANN SQUARE

A short walk south of Headwaters Park is Freimann Square, with its fountains that draw the attention of every child within sight.

Among the plants, fountains, and shade, you'll enjoy Art in the Park from 10 a.m.-7 p.m. on July 13 and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. on July 14 along Main Street.

This juried fine art show draws more than 100 artists from near and far. And if something catches your eye, you can shell out some cash and take it home.

Also on Main Street on Friday-Saturday, July 12-14, will be the Chalk Walk, where chalk artists of all skill levels create beautiful pictures over the course of the weekend, with winners announced the July 14.

In another change this year, the Waiter & Waitress Contest that was held in the pavilion at Headwaters is now at Freimann Square at 6 p.m. on Monday, July 15.

This competition pits the best servers in the city against each other as they take part in an obstacle course, with the best time taking home the prize.

It's also here that you'll celebrate Family Fun Day from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. on Wednesday, July 17. The event will have plenty of games, activities, and community programming to keep the family engaged.

## PURDUE UNIVERSITY FORT WAYNE

And then there are a couple of activities that will take place a few miles from the rest of the downtown action.

It's at PFW that you will find Children's Fest from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. on Friday-Saturday, July 19-20, and International Village from 5-9 p.m. on Friday, July 19, and 11 a.m.-9 p.m. on Saturday, July 20.

Both are pretty much what they sound like: Children's Fest is a free event that offers activities, face-painting, storytelling, and a magic show to those 3-9 years old, while International Village showcases cultures from across the globe with food, art, and dance.

## THREE RIVERS FESTIVAL ART IN THE PARK

10 a.m.-7 p.m. Saturday, July 13

10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday, July 14

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Noon-11 p.m. Saturday, July 13

2-11 p.m. Sunday, July 14

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5-11 p.m. Thursday-Friday, July 18-19

1-11 p.m. Saturday, July 20

Lawton Park

1900 N. Clinton St., Fort Wayne

## EMPORIUM

4-10 p.m. Friday, July 12

11 a.m.-10 p.m. Saturday, July 13

11 a.m.-9 p.m. Sunday, July 14

4-9 p.m. Monday-Thursday, July 15-18

11 a.m.-10 p.m. Friday, July 19

11 a.m.-9 p.m. Saturday, July 19

Headwaters Park

333 N. Clinton St., Fort Wayne

## FAMILY FUN DAY

11 a.m.-2 p.m. Wednesday, July 17

Freimann Square

201 E. Main St., Fort Wayne

## INTERNATIONAL VILLAGE

5-9 p.m. Friday, July 19

11 a.m.-9 p.m. Saturday, July 20

Purdue University Fort Wayne

2101 Coliseum Blvd. E., Fort Wayne

## JUNK FOOD ALLEY

11 a.m.-11 p.m.

Friday-Saturday, July 12-20

Headwaters Park

333 N. Clinton St., Fort Wayne

## LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

**7 p.m. Friday, July 12:** The Sugarhill Gang w/ Fort Wayne Funk Orchestra, U.R.B. — \$20

**7 p.m. Saturday, July 13:** Hinder w/ Octopussy, Dirty Vandals — \$20

**7 p.m. Sunday, July 14:** Sanctus Real w/ Outpour Worship, City Movement — \$10

**7 p.m. Monday, July 15:** Lita Ford w/Whoa, Man!, Eliza Toth — \$25

**7 p.m. Tuesday, July 16:** Kam "Snacks" Coleman w/Aaron Montgomery, Big Kess — \$10

**7 p.m. Wednesday, July 17:** Slushii w/E-Clyps, JoeSorf — \$20

**7 p.m. Thursday, July 18:** Last Call w/ Sweetwater All Stars, Music Lovers Lounge — \$15

**7 p.m. Friday, July 19:** Crush w/ Sunglasses at Night, Unlikely Alibi — \$15

**7 p.m. Saturday, July 20:** Rodney Atkins w/ Rylie Lynn, DJ Dan Sherman — \$30

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There's nothing quite like a brand-new Left Lane Cruiser album dropping: the premier purveyors of gnarly, dirty, Southern-fried juke joint blues with a whiskey chaser or two.

A Fort Wayne legacy that has spread the gospel of dirty blues far and wide nearly 20 years, Left Lane Cruiser's Freddy J. IV and Brenn Beck have defined their sound as "voodoo hillbilly punk-blues," and that fits the bill perfectly.

On their latest release, *Bayport BBQ Blues*, there's no major changes — no acoustic ballads, synthesizers, chant, or Euro pop references pop up. It's the same damn menu with the same tasty musical cuts. But when it's this good, no need to change things up. If you're expecting blistering slide work, bombastic trash can percussion, and howling-at-the-moon vocals, then pour yourself a drink and get ready.

"Motown Mash" sets the stage. Guttural blues guitar opens things up on the right note, with a seriously chugging drum groove. If you don't start bobbing your head to this one, you might as well have someone call the coroner for ya. "Big Momma Shake" is an all-out war on the senses. Pummeling riffage for days while Freddy J. IV delivers a vocal part for the ages. Reminiscent of early ZZ Top before "Lagrange" made 'em famous. "Black Forest Blues" sounds like what I'd imagine Matt Pike and Sleep sounding like if they indulged their RL Burnside love.

Elsewhere, "River Picker" opens on a groovin' drum line and some great Delta blues vibes. "Get Down" sounds as close as LLC has come to Southern soul, but their patented blues spices give it the LLC kick. "Ophelia" closes things out with some Mississippi honky tonk and a nod to the great Robbie Robertson and The Band.

There's few certainties in the world, but one thing that's certain is Left Lane Cruiser will blow the roof off the joint every time out. *Bayport BBQ Blues* is here to soundtrack your summer or Southern-fried exorcism. — *J. Hubner*

**Islands**

*What Occurs*



Well, that didn't take long.

Ten months after releasing *And That's Why Dolphins Lost Their Legs*, Nick Thorburn and his musical project Islands are back with *What Occurs*.

Since getting my first taste of Islands via headphones stationed around a Borders in the long, long time ago, Thorburn has been a favorite of mine. Whether it is with Islands or the one-off project with Jim Guthrie, Human Highway, Thorburn's pop music has been a calming stream

flowing through an overgrown valley.

Opening with the title track, Thorburn's fun, melodic keyboard comes in and eventually overlaps in a quintessential Islands way. The track is fun and of course melancholic: "Why aren't you crying/Man, everybody's dying; Is this how it ends?/Surrounded by your friends?" Yeesh.

"What Occurs" is a standout on an album that I could listen to all day. While it is an enjoyable listen, I can hear the record executives screaming, "Where is the single?!"

Well, "Drown a Fish" could fall into that category, and "Tangerine" takes you back to the early 1960s with its head-bopping sound.

The pop takes a backseat on "Move Some More," but that doesn't mean it's lacking for melody. And "Boll Weevil" is a bit foreboding.

Among my favorites is "David Geffen's Jackson Pollock." The story of finding a painting while everyone else is trying to get their hands on it is another fun one. With its far-out story and understated instrumentation, it's a different kind of song, but it works with its slow burn. And the following 19-second "Hang" is a perfect complement: "Which way does the painting hang now?/ Is it upside down or the wrong way 'round?"

I thought I was listening to Johnny Cash's familiar chugging guitar on "On the Internet," and things get slowed way down on "Sally Doesn't Work Here Anymore."

Closer "The End" gives off those '70s rock vibes where storytelling is coupled with a fun rhythm, sending the album off on a fun note. — *Anthony Gadson*

**Steve Moore**  
*Eye of Horus*



Steve Moore is what I'd call a Renaissance musician. He changes musical lanes like a master curator of sound, keeping in the electronic music fold, but within that realm, morphs and shapes it to fit what mood strikes him.

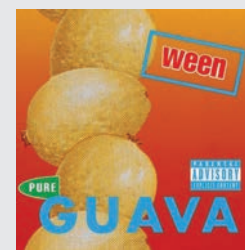
Power-synth prog with his band Zombi to vast soundscapes with his film score work to Krautrock broad strokes on solo albums like *Pangaea Ultima* and *Positronic Neural Pathways*. Even synth pop in his project Mirage and Giallo Disco in Lovelock.

On his latest, Moore collaborates with L.I.E.S. Records to give us the six-track *Eye of Horus*. The album lands on the dance floor but with a twist of cosmic vibes for good measure. It's an album that is rhythmic, propulsive, and ethereal.

The music is very much of the dance floor persuasion, but it's not without cosmic touches. "Point Dune" wavers in the air with Berlin School intention, a hint of techno rhythm in the arpeggiated synth line. It's subtle, mysterious, and a perfect opener for this stunning LP. "The Blue Stone" kicks in with four-on-the-floor glee while a sense of foreboding comes over the proceedings in Moore's synth melody. "Valerie 23" hangs in hazy intentions and woozy light, giving us a

**Backtracks** CLASSIC ALBUMS

**Ween**  
*Pure Guava*  
(1992)



The first time I heard Ween was when they released this third LP in their weird yet wonderful catalog. If you can get through the lyrical challenges and the bizarre, original arrangements and compositions, they are a surprisingly good live band with a devoted fan base.

It opens with "Little Birdy," a trippy indie-folk number that hits all the elements of experimental lo-fi. "Tender Situation" doesn't pick up the tempo and floats around less than four minutes. "Big Jilm" has some Frank Zappa influences and was said to be written about a local car dealer who worked for one of the Ween "brother's" father.

"Push th' Little Daisies" was at the time their biggest hit and included a music video to help sell the silliness that Ween produced. Thirty years ago, this worked as grunge and new wave were still relevant, and this was almost invited since pop music was all over the place.

Another abstract track, "Reggaejunkiejew," reminds me of the techno stuff that Beck was producing at the time. It's one of the longer tracks on the album at almost five minutes.

"Sarah" is a nice lo-fi ballad that, although it is roughly produced (you can hear the hiss from the tapes), it still has a sweet overtone in it and is a nice break on the release.

"Springthem" takes some of the voice modulation that you get with Ween (which is a little grating at times), but still has a decently trimmed out guitar.

Some of the other tracks have titles such as "Flies on My D\*\*k," "Touch My Tooter," and "Poop Ship Destroyer," but when you get past the sophomoric lyrics, the music is quite enjoyable. — *Dennis Donahue*

slinky and alluring headspace to get lost in.

"Eye of Horus" has an almost sinister feel, like heading into the eye of the storm with a disco beat propelling you. "Elberon Place" is a straight-up dance floor banger. It's like coming across a club at the end of the universe with the last groove you move to before the great cosmic extinction. And "Three Sisters" is ominous and disorienting in all the right ways.

Moore never stops. He's an artist that is in constant creative motion and is always onto the next project. *Eye of Horus* is an engaging, stunning, slinky slab of cosmic techno of the highest order. — *J. Hubner*

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# Moon landing plays second fiddle

Lifting off in time for the 55th anniversary of the Apollo 11 mission, the crowd-pleaser *Fly Me to the Moon* deliberately fudges the facts of the Space Race to spin an alternate history yarn that plays like a cheeky counterpart to *For All Mankind*.

That Apple TV+ series, in addition to recent films *First Man* and *Apollo 11*, have approached the subject of the moon landing under more understandably serious terms. However, in his latest feature, director Greg Berlanti seems more concerned with the central romance than the outcome of the momentous spaceflight. Even if the sparks between the two leads can't quite compete with the fire from space shuttle ignitors, the playful story has just enough gas in the boosters to get things off the ground.



## Reel Views

BRENT LEUTHOLD

It's 1969 and NASA launch director Cole Davis (Channing Tatum) is running out of money and time to make good on JFK's promise to the nation at the beginning of the decade to land

man on the moon. Enter Kelly Jones (Scarlett Johansson), a Don Draper-styled ad exec who is brought in to pitch Congress and the American people on why the underfunded space agency deserves their attention. Though Davis and Jones routinely butt heads after an enkindled meet-cute — the former as straight-laced as they come, with the latter having no compunction about stretching the truth — a mutual admiration between the two emerges. A third party enters their orbit in the form of Moe Berkus (Woody Harrelson), a Nixon-backed government official in charge of overseeing a “backup” production of the moon landing to save face for the Russians, should the cameras on the spacecraft malfunction.

While part of *Fly Me to the Moon* does invoke a faked version of the lunar landing, Berlanti and his screenwriter Rose Gilroy don't delve deep into the decades-old conspiracy theory. Instead, they treat the subplot with a waggish “what if?” curiosity.

Tasked with creating a realistic set that could pass for the moon, Jones recruits a perpetually flustered director — the self-proclaimed “Kubrick of commercials,” a nod to Kubrick's purported role in the “staging” of the moon landing — played by Jim Rash. A little of his “I can't work like this!” schtick goes a long way, but the mechanics behind how the production crew attempts to disguise a sound stage as the moon are right in line with the film's chipper energy. Think *Argo* by way of *Green Book* (with even fewer gravitas-bludgeoned pit stops) and you'd be on track with the kind of peppy timbre Berlanti is working to cook up.

Johansson and Tatum certainly lay on the charm as thick as they can, but their characters tend to work better on their own terms as opposed to when they're meant to come together.

Jones is a fun gender-swapped take on a *Mad Men* Manhattanite, maneuvering the misogynistic marketing world of the era with wiles and wit to spare. Davis is a beleaguered straight-arrow whose earnestness and traditional work ethic aren't treated as punchlines but rather as obstacles for a mission with a dwindling deadline.

Thematically, they're believable as foils and flirts for each other, but the actors don't quite have the



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Scarlett Johansson and Channing Tatum lack chemistry in the new film *Fly Me to the Moon*.

## FLY ME TO THE MOON

Rated PG-13 for some strong language and smoking.

2 hours, 12 minutes · In theaters July 12



out-of-this-world chemistry you'd hope for. Originally Chris Evans was slated to take up the Tatum role. Based on his previous work with Johansson, that pair would have played excellently off one another.

Similarly, Berlanti was a substitute in the director's chair for Jason Bateman, who left the project a few months in, reportedly due to creative differences. Based on Bateman's recent directorial output for series like *Ozark* and *The Outsider*, it's not hard to imagine he'd want to take this story in a darker and more caustic direction.

Instead, we get a much more lighthearted tale that opens with a montage catching us up with Space Race headlines, concludes with a shot of a pesky feline that endlessly eludes escape and countless Motown needle drops in between.

There have been so many accounts of the Apollo 11 mission which treat it with befitting reverence that it doesn't hurt to have it as a backdrop for a more mushy iteration. Those who prefer their movies to have more minimal stakes may even prefer *Fly Me to the Moon*.

## More new movies coming this weekend

- Playing only in theaters is *Longlegs*, a horror thriller starring Maika Monroe and Nicolas Cage following an FBI agent as she uncovers a series of occult clues that she must solve to end the terrifying murder spree of a serial killer.

- Streaming on Amazon Prime is *Divorce in the Black*, a romantic thriller starring Meagan Good and Cory Hardrict about a young woman who is left devastated when her husband abandons their marriage and concerned about his actions when she tries to move on.

- Premiering on Disney+ is *Descendants: The Rise of Red*, a fantasy musical starring Kylie Cantrall and Malia Baker about the daughters of the Queen of Hearts and Cinderella as they team up to stop an event that would cause grave consequences.



# Lemonheads performing two albums in entirety

The Lemonheads have announced the It's a Shame About/Come On Feel tour, a 24-date trek across the U.S. that will see the band will play their respective 1992 and 1993 albums, *It's a Shame About Ray* and *Come On Feel The Lemonheads*, in full.

The tour comes almost a full year after The Lemonheads celebrated the 30-year anniversary of those albums. To celebrate, the alternative rockers reissued the albums on special-edition vinyl and performed them in full during a three-date stay in Chicago in December.

The tour opens Aug. 28 in Nashville, Tennessee, before making its way to The Grog Shop in Columbus, Ohio, on Sept. 18. Other venues within driving distance include The Vogue in Indianapolis on Sept. 19, The House of Blues in Chicago on Sept. 20, and The Majestic in Detroit on Sept. 21. The final show of the brief run takes place at Skully's in Columbus, Ohio, on Sept. 28.

## Frampton comes alive

Guitar hero Peter Frampton is getting his band back together for the Positively Thankful Tour.

The nine-date outing takes place before his induction into the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame in October.

Sadly, the tour has only one stop in our region: MGM Northfield Park near Cleveland on Sept. 23.

Consider it a bonus chance to catch the legend who had called it quits in 2019 after being diagnosed with Inclusion Body Myositis, a degenerative muscle disease.

Frampton returned to the stage last year with his Never Say Never Tour, and told fans that he was still "feeling strong" after his diagnosis.



## Road Notes

CHRIS HUPE

## On the Road NATIONAL TOURS WITHIN DRIVING DISTANCE

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311	July 21	The Salt Shed	Chicago
311	July 23	Everwise Amphitheater	Indianapolis
311	July 24	Rose Music Center	Huber Heights, OH
311	July 27	Michigan Lottery Amp.	Sterling Heights, MI
311	July 28	Jacobs Pavilion	Cleveland
A Day To Remember	July 25	Huntington Bank Pavilion	Chicago
AJR	July 23	Heritage Bank Center	Cincinnati
Alan Jackson	Aug. 24	Van Andel Arena	Grand Rapids
Alanis Morissette	July 16	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI
Alanis Morissette	July 17	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
Alanis Morissette	July 24	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Alanis Morissette	July 27	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Alex Hooper	July 18	Summit City Comedy Club	Fort Wayne
Alexandra Kay	July 28	Piere's	Fort Wayne
Ali Siddiq	Aug. 23-25	Summit City Comedy Club	Fort Wayne
All Time Low	July 26	The Salt Shed	Chicago
Andra Day	Aug. 19	Saint Andrew's Hall	Detroit
Andra Day	Aug. 20	Thalia Hall	Chicago
As I Lay Dying	July 19	The Intersection	Grand Rapids
As I Lay Dying	July 21	House of Blues	Chicago
Ateez	Aug. 10	Allstate Arena	Chicago
Avatar	Aug. 8	The Clyde Theatre	Fort Wayne
The Avett Brothers	Aug. 20	Kemba Live!	Columbus, OH
The Avett Brothers	Aug. 21	Masonic Temple Theatre	Detroit
The Avett Brothers	Aug. 23	Jacobs Pavilion	Cleveland
The Band Camino	July 23	Bogart's	Cincinnati
The Band Camino w/Knox	July 26	The Clyde Theatre	Fort Wayne
Banned from Utopia w/Paul Green Rock Academy	July 13	Sweetwater Sound	Fort Wayne
Barenaked Ladies w/Sunny Taylor & Paul Kobylensky, Yacht Party	July 13	Sylvan Cellars	Rome City
Barry Manilow	July 26	Gainbridge Fieldhouse	Indianapolis
Barry Manilow	July 27	Allstate Arena	Chicago
Ben Folds	July 16	Brown County Music Center	Nashville, IN
The Beths	Aug. 27	Columbus Athenaeum	Columbus, OH
The Beths	Aug. 28	Saint Andrew's Hall	Detroit
Bikini Kill	Aug. 30	The Salt Shed	Chicago
Bikini Kill	Aug. 31	Royal Oak Music Theatre	Royal Oak, MI
Blackberry Smoke	July 26	Sweetwater Pavilion	Fort Wayne
Blink-182	Aug. 2	Gainbridge Fieldhouse	Indianapolis
Blink-182	Aug. 12	Little Caesars Arena	Detroit
Blink-182	Aug. 13	Schottenstein Center	Columbus, OH
Blues Traveler & Big Head Todd and The Monsters	Aug. 13	Foellinger Theatre	Fort Wayne
Blues Traveler & Big Head Todd and The Monsters	Aug. 14	Frederik Meijer Gardens	Grand Rapids
Boney James	Aug. 23	The Clyde Theatre	Fort Wayne
Bowling For Soup	July 26	The Vic Theatre	Chicago
Bowling For Soup	July 27	Saint Andrew's Hall	Detroit
Bowling For Soup	July 30	House of Blues	Cleveland
Bowling For Soup	July 31	Bogart's	Cincinnati
Bowling For Soup	Aug. 1	The Intersection	Grand Rapids
Bowling For Soup	Aug. 2	The Bluestone	Columbus, OH
Bret Michaels' Parti-Gras 2.0	July 12	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Bret Michaels' Parti-Gras 2.0	Aug. 23	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI
Brothers Osborne	July 20	Sylvan Cellars	Rome City
Buckwheat Zydeco Jr. & The Legendardy IIs Sont Paris Band w/Zion Lion, Unlikely Alibi, Sankofa	Aug. 2	Botanical Conservatory	Fort Wayne
Bush	Aug. 4	Everwise Amphitheater	Indianapolis
Bush	Aug. 7	Huntington Bank Pavilion	Chicago
Bush	Aug. 13	Jacobs Pavilion	Cleveland
Bush	Aug. 14	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Bush	Aug. 16	Michigan Lottery Amp.	Sterling Heights, MI
Cage the Elephant	Aug. 7	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Cage the Elephant	Aug. 14	Credit Union 1 Arena	Chicago
Cage the Elephant	Aug. 16	Van Andel Arena	Grand Rapids

Cage the Elephant	Aug. 30	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Cassadee Pope	July 20	Turntable	Indianapolis
Childish Gambino	Aug. 15	Schottenstein Center	Columbus, OH
Childish Gambino	Aug. 17	Little Caesars Arena	Detroit
Chris Stapleton	July 18	Huntington Center	Toledo
Chris Stapleton	July 19	Schottenstein Center	Columbus, OH
Chris Stapleton & George Strait	July 13	Ford Field	Detroit
Chris Stapleton & George Strait	July 20	Soldier Field	Chicago
Cody Smith	July 13	Summit City Comedy Club	Fort Wayne
Creed	July 31	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI
Creed	Aug. 2	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Creed	Aug. 10	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Creed	Aug. 16	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL
Crown the Empire	Aug. 11	House of Blues	Chicago
Crown the Empire	Aug. 13	Saint Andrew's Hall	Detroit
Cults	Aug. 2	The Pyramid Scheme	Grand Rapids
Dan + Shay	July 18	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Dan + Shay	July 19	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Dan + Shay	Aug. 1	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI
Dan + Shay	Aug. 9	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
Danny Worsnop w/Jericho Rose	July 21	Piere's	Fort Wayne
Deep Purple	Aug. 21	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Deep Purple	Aug. 22	Michigan Lottery Amp.	Sterling Heights, MI
Deep Purple	Aug. 23	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL
Def Leppard & Journey	July 15	Wrigley Field	Chicago
Def Leppard & Journey	July 18	Comerica Park	Detroit
Def Leppard & Journey	July 30	Progressive Field	Cleveland
Devour the Day	July 18	Piere's	Fort Wayne
Dirty Heads & Slightly Stoopid	July 11	Jacobs Pavilion	Cleveland
The Doobie Brothers	Aug. 15	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI
The Doobie Brothers	Aug. 17	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
The Doobie Brothers	Aug. 18	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
The Doobie Brothers	Aug. 22	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
The Doobie Brothers	Aug. 25	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL
Duke Dumateo	July 11	Eagles Theatre	Wabash
Dustin Nickerson	July 26-27	Summit City Comedy Club	Fort Wayne
Dweezil Zappa	Aug. 15	Riviera Theatre	Chicago
Dweezil Zappa	Aug. 17	Agora Theatre	Cleveland
Earth, Wind & Fire	July 12	Allstate Arena	Chicago
Earth, Wind & Fire	July 16	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
Earth, Wind & Fire	July 17	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI
Earth, Wind & Fire	July 19	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Earth, Wind & Fire	July 20	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Elle King	July 11	Holiday Park	Indianapolis
Elle King	July 20	Rose Music Center	Huber Heights, OH
Eric Eaton	Aug. 1	Summit City Comedy Club	Fort Wayne
Faye Webster	July 30	Royal Oak Music Theatre	Royal Oak, MI
Five Finger Death Punch	Aug. 7	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI
Five Finger Death Punch	Aug. 8	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Five Finger Death Punch	Aug. 16	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Foo Fighters	July 25	Great American Ballpark	Cincinnati
For King & Country	July 23	Elkhart County Fairgrounds	Goshen
Foreigner & Styx	July 26	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Foreigner & Styx	Aug. 23	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Foreigner & Styx	Aug. 24	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL
French Montana	Aug. 10	Radius	Chicago
Fruit Bats	July 21	Hi-Fi	Indianapolis
Fuerza Regida	Aug. 17	Gainbridge Fieldhouse	Indianapolis
Future & Metro Boomin	Aug. 4	Little Caesars Arena	Detroit
Future & Metro Boomin	Aug. 10	Schottenstein Center	Columbus, OH
Gabby Barrett	Aug. 23	Honeywell Center	Wabash
Gabriel Rutledge	July 11-13	Summit City Comedy Club	Fort Wayne
Garbage Greek w/Aaron Plain & Tall	Aug. 3	The Brass Rail	Fort Wayne
Gary Owen	Aug. 4	Embassy Theatre	Fort Wayne
The Gaslight Anthem	Aug. 27	Andrew J. Brady Music Center	Cincinnati
The Gaslight Anthem	Aug. 29	The Salt Shed	Chicago
Gin Blossoms & Toad the Wet Sprocket	Aug. 7	Cain Park	Cleveland
Gin Blossoms & Toad the Wet Sprocket	Aug. 18	Rose Music Center	Huber Heights, OH

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Glass Animals	Aug. 23	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville	
Glass Animals	Aug. 24	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI	
Glass Animals	Aug. 25	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati	
Glass Animals	Aug. 28	Huntington Bank Pavilion	Chicago	
Glen Hansard	Aug. 28	The Salt Shed	Chicago	
Graham Nash	Aug. 20	State Theatre	Kalamazoo	
Graham Nash	Aug. 21	Royal Oak Music Theatre	Royal Oak, MI	
<b>Great White w/Slaughter, Vixen</b>	<b>Aug. 2</b>	<b>Foellinger Theatre</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>	
Green Day & The Smashing Pumpkins	Aug. 13	Wrigley Field	Chicago	
Green Day & The Smashing Pumpkins	Aug. 22	Great American Ballpark	Cincinnati	
Grupo Firme	July 19	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL	
Guided By Voices	July 19	Hi-Fi	Indianapolis	
Halestorm & I Prevail	July 11	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville	
Halestorm & I Prevail	July 13	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI	
Halestorm & I Prevail	July 21	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL	
Hardy	July 25	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati	
Hardy	July 27	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL	
Hardy	Aug. 22	Put-In-Bay Airport	Put-in-Bay, OH	
<b>Hawthorne Heights</b>	<b>w/Thursday, Anberlin, Armor for Sleep, Stick To Your Guns, This Wild Life</b>	<b>July 25</b>	<b>The Clyde Theatre</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Heart	Aug. 13	Heritage Bank Center	Cincinnati	
Heart	Aug. 21	Van Andel Arena	Grand Rapids	
<b>The High Kings &amp; Gaelic Storm</b>	<b>Aug. 21</b>	<b>Foellinger Theatre</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>	
<b>Hillbilly Casino w/Loveseat!</b>	<b>July 25</b>	<b>The Brass Rail</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>	
<b>Hinder w/Octopussy, Dirty Vandals</b>	<b>July 13</b>	<b>Headwaters Park</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>	
Hobo Johnson & The Lovemakers	July 16	Royal Oak Music Theatre	Royal Oak, MI	
Hobo Johnson & The Lovemakers	July 17	The Vic Theatre	Chicago	
Hobo Johnson & The Lovemakers	July 19	Bogart's	Cincinnati	
Hobo Johnson & The Lovemakers	July 27	Newport Music Hall	Columbus, OH	
Hobo Johnson & The Lovemakers	July 28	House of Blues	Cleveland	
Hobo Johnson & The Lovemakers	July 30	Old National Centre	Indianapolis	
Hootie & The Blowfish	Aug. 9	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL	
Hootie & The Blowfish	Aug. 15	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH	
Hozier	Aug. 6	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH	
Hozier	Aug. 7	Schottenstein Center	Columbus, OH	
<b>Ian Bagg</b>	<b>Aug. 16-17</b>	<b>Summit City Comedy Club</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>	
Idina Menzel	Aug. 9	Chicago Theatre	Chicago	
Idina Menzel	Aug. 11	Masonic Temple Theatre	Detroit	
Il Divo	July 24	Blue Gate PAC	Shipshevana	
Il Divo	July 26	Music Hall Center	Detroit	
Imagine Dragons	Aug. 12	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI	
Imagine Dragons	Aug. 18	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL	
Imagine Dragons	Aug. 20	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville	
In This Moment	Aug. 3	GLC Live at 20 Monroe	Grand Rapids	
<b>In This Moment w/We Came As Romans, TX2</b>	<b>Aug. 1</b>	<b>The Clyde Theatre</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>	
Incubus & Coheed and Cambria	Aug. 23	Little Caesars Arena	Detroit	
Incubus & Coheed and Cambria	Aug. 24	Allstate Arena	Chicago	
Iration & Pepper	Aug. 9	Kemba Live!	Columbus, OH	
Iration & Pepper	Aug. 10	Jacobs Pavilion	Cleveland	
Iration & Pepper	Aug. 11	The Salt Shed	Chicago	
Iron & Wine	Aug. 18	Masonic Temple Theatre	Detroit	
Iron & Wine	Aug. 20	Agora Theatre	Cleveland	
Iron & Wine	Aug. 22	Old National Centre	Indianapolis	
Jamey Johnson	July 18	Michigan Lottery Amp.	Sterling Heights, MI	
Jamey Johnson	July 20	Everwise Amphitheater	Indianapolis	
Jamey Johnson	July 26	Rosemont Theatre	Chicago	
Jamey Johnson	Aug. 3	Ohio Expo Center	Columbus	
<b>Jason Ellis</b>	<b>July 25</b>	<b>Summit City Comedy Club</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>	
Jason Mraz	July 19	Hard Rock Live Northern Indiana	Gary	
<b>Jeff Allen</b>	<b>July 31</b>	<b>Summit City Comedy Club</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>	
Jelly Roll	Aug. 21	Put-In-Bay Airport	Put-in-Bay, OH	
Jennifer Lopez	July 26	Allstate Arena	Chicago	
Jennifer Lopez	July 27	Gainbridge Fieldhouse	Indianapolis	
Jennifer Lopez	July 31	Little Caesars Arena	Detroit	
Jennifer Lopez	Aug. 20	Rocket Mortgage FieldHouse	Cleveland	

Jewel & Melissa Etheridge	Aug. 3	Rose Music Center	Huber Heights, OH
Jhene Aiko	Aug. 22	Nationwide Arena	Columbus, OH
Joe Bonamassa	Aug. 17	Old National Centre	Indianapolis
Joe Bonamassa	Aug. 20	Fraze Pavilion	Kettering, OH
<b>John Primer &amp; The Real Deal Blues Band w/Aliah Sheffield, Sungate, Swell Time</b>	<b>Aug. 3</b>	<b>Botanical Conservatory</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Jordan Davis	July 31	Everwise Amphitheater	Indianapolis
Jordan Davis	Aug. 1	Van Andel Arena	Grand Rapids
Jordan Davis	Aug. 2	Huntington Center	Toledo
<b>Josh Wolf</b>	<b>July 19-20</b>	<b>Summit City Comedy Club</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Justin Moore	Aug. 3	Blue Gate PAC	Shipshevana
<b>Kansas</b>	<b>Aug. 10</b>	<b>Honeywell Center</b>	<b>Wabash</b>
Kenny Chesney	Aug. 10	Ford Field	Detroit
Kid Cudi	July 27	Little Caesars Arena	Detroit
Kid Cudi	July 28	Allstate Arena	Chicago
Kid Cudi	July 31	Rocket Mortgage FieldHouse	Cleveland
Kid Cudi	Aug. 2	Heritage Bank Center	Cincinnati
Kidz Bop	July 24	Ohio Expo Center	Columbus
Kidz Bop	Aug. 11	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
Kidz Bop	Aug. 17	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL
Kimberly Perry	July 19	Central Park	Warsaw
King Gizzard & The Lizard Wizard	Aug. 23	Aretha Franklin Amphitheatre	Detroit
King Gizzard & The Lizard Wizard	Aug. 24	Jacobs Pavilion	Cleveland
Koe Wetzel	Aug. 21	Jacobs Pavilion	Cleveland
Koe Wetzel	Aug. 22	Kemba Live!	Columbus, OH
Lake Street Dive	July 12	Everwise Amphitheater	Indianapolis
Lake Street Dive	July 14	Andrew J. Brady Music Center	Cincinnati
Lamb of God & Mastodon	Aug. 9	Jacobs Pavilion	Cleveland
Lamb of God & Mastodon	Aug. 10	Michigan Lottery Amp.	Sterling Heights, MI
<b>Larry the Cable Guy</b>	<b>Aug. 17</b>	<b>Honeywell Center</b>	<b>Wabash</b>
Lauryn Hill & The Fugees	Aug. 28	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Lauryn Hill & The Fugees	Aug. 31	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL
<b>Leah &amp; Andrew Rudick</b>	<b>Aug. 28</b>	<b>Summit City Comedy Club</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
<b>Lee Brice</b>	<b>Aug. 8</b>	<b>Foellinger Theatre</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Limp Bizkit	July 20	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL
Limp Bizkit	July 21	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Limp Bizkit	July 23	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI
Lindsey Stirling	Aug. 19	Rose Music Center	Huber Heights, OH
Lindsey Stirling	Aug. 20	Michigan Lottery Amp.	Sterling Heights, MI
Lindsey Stirling	Aug. 23	Rosemont Theatre	Chicago
Lisa Loeb	July 29	Hendricks Live	Plainfield
Lisa Loeb	July 30	Rose Music Center	Huber Heights, OH
<b>Lita Ford w/Whoa, Man!, Eliza Toth</b>	<b>July 15</b>	<b>Headwaters Park</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
<b>Living Colour</b>	<b>Aug. 15</b>	<b>Sweetwater Pavilion</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Lizzy McAlpine	Aug. 6	Masonic Temple Theatre	Detroit
<b>Lollygagger</b>	<b>Aug. 22</b>	<b>The Brass Rail</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Lucky Daye	July 24	Old National Centre	Indianapolis
Lucky Daye	July 26	Aragon Ballroom	Chicago
Lucky Daye	July 27	The Fillmore	Detroit
Lucky Daye	July 28	Bogart's	Cincinnati
Lucky Daye	July 30	Agora Theatre	Cleveland
Luke Bryan	July 12	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
Luke Bryan	July 13	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Luke Bryan	Aug. 25	Wrigley Field	Chicago
Luke Combs	Aug. 2-3	Paycor Stadium	Cincinnati
<b>Luke Severeid w/Jakob Kendall</b>	<b>July 14</b>	<b>Summit City Comedy Club</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
<b>Lynch Mob</b>	<b>Aug. 22</b>	<b>Eagles Theatre</b>	<b>Wabash</b>
<b>Malik B</b>	<b>Aug. 14</b>	<b>Summit City Comedy Club</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Marcus King	July 16	Old National Centre	Indianapolis
Marcus King	July 20	The Fillmore	Detroit
The Marias	Aug. 13	The Salt Shed	Chicago
<b>Matthew West w/Riley Clemmons</b>	<b>Aug. 22</b>	<b>Foellinger Theatre</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Metallica	Aug. 9	Soldier Field	Chicago
Metallica	Aug. 11	Soldier Field	Chicago
<b>Mick Blankenship w/The Dirty Royals, Bosstel</b>	<b>July 27</b>	<b>Piere's</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Missy Elliott	Aug. 15	Little Caesars Arena	Detroit
Missy Elliott	Aug. 22	Allstate Arena	Chicago
Mitski	Aug. 27-28	Masonic Temple Theatre	Detroit

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## Road Notes

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### Lauryn Hill, Fugees reunite

**Lauryn Hill** has announced she's heading back out on the road for a co-headlining tour with the reunited **Fugees** starting in August.

Celebrating the recent 25th anniversary of *The Miseducation of Lauryn Hill*, the 21-date trek will also feature Hill's son **YG Marley** as a special guest.

The Celebration Continues tour is essentially a do-over from last year's The Miseducation of Lauryn Hill 25th Anniversary Tour, which Hill was forced to cancel after just a few dates due to "serious vocal strain."

Catch the excitement when Hill and The Fugees visit Riverbend Music Center in Cincinnati on Aug. 28 and Credit Union 1 Amphitheatre outside Chicago on Aug. 31.

### Big names stop at 4-H fair

The Elkhart County 4-H Fair in Goshen will host nine nights of summer fun with their annual grandstand series situated front and center.

In addition to a rodeo, demolition derby, tractor pulls, and monster trucks, the fair will host comedian **Trey Kennedy** on July 19, Grammy-nominated multi-platinum band **Needtobreathe** on July 21, country superstar **Brantley Gilbert** on July 22, and contemporary Christian band **For King + Country** on July 23.

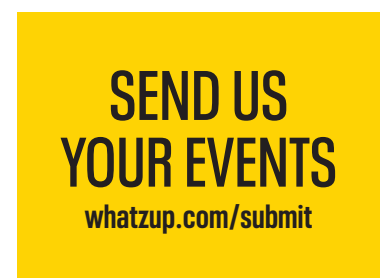
### André 3000 brings his flute

**André 3000** has announced a full U.S. tour for in support of his debut jazz album, *New Blue Sun*.

Cleverly dubbed New Blue Sun: Live In Concert, the tour will see the one-half of the hip-hop duo Outkast perform Oct. 21 at The Salt Shed in Chicago, Oct. 22 at Masonic Cathedral Theatre in Detroit, and Nov. 2 at Akron Civic Theatre in Ohio.

*New Blue Sun* was released in November, marking the end of a 17-year drought of new music from the musician.

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New Found Glory	Aug. 27	The Fillmore	Detroit
New Found Glory	Aug. 28	Kemba Live!	Columbus, OH
New Found Glory	Aug. 29	Agora Theatre	Cleveland
New Kids on the Block	Aug. 23	Nationwide Arena	Columbus, OH
New Kids on the Block	Aug. 25	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Niall Horan	July 13	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
O.A.R.	Aug. 24	Michigan Lottery Amp.	Sterling Heights, MI
O.A.R.	Aug. 25	Jacobs Pavilion	Cleveland
O.A.R.	Aug. 29	Kemba Live!	Columbus, OH
Old Crow Medicine Show	July 12	Andrew J. Brady Music Center	Cincinnati
Old Crow Medicine Show	July 13	Everwise Amphitheater	Indianapolis
Oliver Anthony	Aug. 23	Everwise Amphitheater	Indianapolis
Omar Apollo	Aug. 20	Everwise Amphitheater	Indianapolis
Omar Apollo	Aug. 21	Michigan Lottery Amp.	Sterling Heights, MI
Omar Apollo	Aug. 23	Huntington Bank Pavilion	Chicago
<b>Orleans, Peter Beckett, &amp; Walter Egan</b>	<b>July 26</b>	<b>Embassy Theatre</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
P.O.D.	July 20	The Intersection	Grand Rapids
PJ Morton	July 30	Cincinnati Memorial Hall	Cincinnati
PJ Morton	Aug. 23	Old National Centre	Indianapolis
PJ Morton	Aug. 24	Chicago Theatre	Chicago
PartyNextDoor	Aug. 15-16	The Salt Shed	Chicago
Passenger	Aug. 29	Riviera Theatre	Chicago
Pat Benatar & Neil Giraldo	July 16	Meadow Brook Amphitheatre	Rochester, MI
Pat Benatar & Neil Giraldo	July 27	Everwise Amphitheater	Indianapolis
Pearl Jam	Aug. 26	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Pearl Jam	Aug. 29	Wrigley Field	Chicago
Pearl Jam	Aug. 31	Wrigley Field	Chicago
Phil Wickham & Brandon Lake	Aug. 1	Little Caesars Arena	Detroit
Phil Wickham & Brandon Lake	Aug. 2	Schottenstein Center	Columbus, OH
Phish	Aug. 2-4	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Phish	Aug. 6-7	Van Andel Arena	Grand Rapids
Pink	Aug. 24	Soldier Field	Chicago
Pitbull	Aug. 29	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
Pitbull	Aug. 30	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL
<b>Plush</b>	<b>Aug. 9</b>	<b>Piere's</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
The Pretenders	July 26	Chicago Theatre	Chicago
Primus & Coheed and Cambria	July 30	Andrew J. Brady Music Center	Cincinnati
Primus & Coheed and Cambria	Aug. 1	Everwise Amphitheater	Indianapolis
Primus & Coheed and Cambria	Aug. 5	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
Primus & Coheed and Cambria	Aug. 6	Kemba Live!	Columbus, OH
<b>The Rebels MF w/Wilo D, BSG TLO</b>	<b>July 15</b>	<b>Piere's</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Red Hot Chili Peppers	July 22	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
Red Hot Chili Peppers	July 25	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Rob Zombie & Alice Cooper	Aug. 28	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
Rob Zombie & Alice Cooper	Aug. 30	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI
<b>Rodney Atkins w/Rylie Lynn</b>	<b>July 20</b>	<b>Headwaters Park</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
S.E.R.P.E.N.T. Festival	July 22	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
S.E.R.P.E.N.T. Festival	July 25	Rose Music Center	Huber Heights, OH
Sad Summer Festival	July 20	The Salt Shed	Chicago
Sad Summer Festival	July 24	Kemba Live!	Columbus, OH
Sad Summer Festival	July 29	Jacobs Pavilion	Cleveland
Sam Hunt	July 19	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
<b>Samantha Fish</b>	<b>Aug. 18</b>	<b>The Clyde Theatre</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Sammy Hagar	July 29	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
Sammy Hagar	Aug. 2	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI
Sammy Hagar	Aug. 27	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Sammy Hagar	Aug. 30	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Santigold	Aug. 17	Concord Music Hall	Chicago
The Saw Doctors	July 20	Aragon Ballroom	Chicago
<b>Sawyer Brown</b>	<b>Aug. 1</b>	<b>Honeywell Center</b>	<b>Wabash</b>
Ski Mask the Slump God	July 31	House of Blues	Cleveland
Ski Mask the Slump God	Aug. 1	The Fillmore	Detroit
Sleater-Kinney	July 26	Majestic Theatre	Detroit
Sleater-Kinney	July 27	Rock And Roll Hall of Fame	Cleveland
Slipknot	Aug. 6	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
<b>Slushii w/E-Clyps, Joesorf</b>	<b>July 17</b>	<b>Headwaters Park</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>

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### Big Daddy Dupree's Broke & Hungry Blues Band

Aug. 10 Island Park, Elkhart  
Aug. 21 Goshen Brewing Co., Goshen  
Sept. 14 Island Park, Elkhart

### Bulldogs

July 13 Webster Depot Park, Dunkirk  
July 20 Downtown Hartford City, Hartford City  
July 22 Madison County Fair, Alexandria  
July 27 Hickory Acres Campground, Edgerton, OH

Aug. 3 State Line Heritage Days, Union City  
Aug. 9 Bethel Pointe, Muncie  
Aug. 16 Elkhart County Fairgrounds, Goshen  
Aug. 23 Quincy Daze Festival, Quincy, MI  
Aug. 31 Grissom Air Force Base, Peru  
Sept. 5 Roann Covered Bridge Festival, Roann  
Sept. 7 Matthews Covered Bridge Festival  
Sept. 13 Back to the Fifties Festival, Lebanon  
Sept. 20 Flatrock Creek Festival, Paulding, OH  
Sept. 21 Nappanee Apple Festival, Nappanee  
Sept. 27 Ducktail Run, Gas City  
Oct. 26 Eagles Aerie 1771, Alexandria  
Dec. 31 Moose Lodge 2387, Fremont

### Debutants

Aug. 31 Hi-Fi, Indianapolis

### Hubie Ashcraft Band

July 12 Homecoming Festival, Bristol  
July 17 James Dean Festival, Fairmount  
July 18 Huggy Bear Campground, Middle Point, OH  
July 19 Moose Lodge 2094, Defiance, OH  
July 30 Concert in the Park, Gas City  
Aug. 2 Little Nashville Festival, Ottawa, OH  
Aug. 8 Kick'n Kountry, Coldwater, MI  
Aug. 9 Edon Days, Edon, OH  
Aug. 18 Kasota Island, Fremont  
Oct. 3 Bent Prop Pub, Coldwater, MI  
Nov. 15 Country Heritage Winery, Nashville, IN  
Nov. 23 Moose Lodge 1473, Celina, OH  
Nov. 29 The Distillery, Toledo  
Nov. 30 VFW Post 5713, Celina, OH  
Dec. 6 Five Star Dive Bar, Elkhart  
Dec. 21 Eagles Grand Lake Aerie 1291, Celina, OH

### Ross Kinsey

Aug. 1 Bent Prop Pub, Coldwater, MI  
Oct. 24 Bent Prop Pub, Coldwater, MI  
Dec. 5 Bent Prop Pub, Coldwater, MI

### Spirit Bomb

Aug. 3 Hi-Fi, Indianapolis

### Sun.Dyle

July 12 Woodlands Tavern, Columbus, OH  
July 26 Al's Bar, Lexington, KY  
July 27 Cave Valley Kava, Louisville  
Aug. 3 The Pyramid Scheme, Grand Rapids  
Aug. 16 Chapel of Philip Neri, Louisville, KY

### Sunglasses at Night

Aug. 2 Boardwalk Grill, Celina, OH  
Aug. 24 Moose Lodge 1473, Celina, OH

### Tom Koenig

July 11 Kick'n Kountry, Coldwater, MI  
July 28 Bayview Pub & Grill, Celina, OH

## On the Road

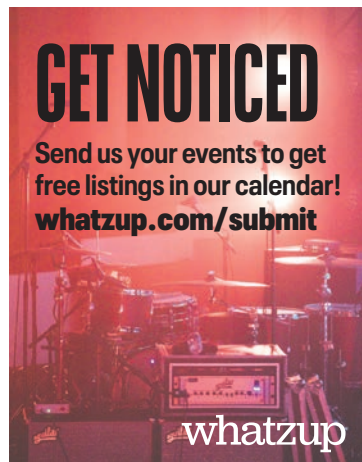
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<b>Snooper w/Youths in Asia, Skull Cult</b>	<b>July 24</b>	<b>The Brass Rail</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Soja	July 31	Old National Centre	Indianapolis
<b>The Steel Woods</b>	<b>July 19</b>	<b>Piere's</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
<b>Steve Hofstetter</b>	<b>Aug. 13</b>	<b>Summit City Comedy Club</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Straight No Chaser	July 30	Rose Music Center	Huber Heights, OH
Straight No Chaser	July 31	Blue Gate PAC	Shipshewana
Stray Cats	Aug. 10	Hard Rock Live Northern Indiana	Gary
Stray Cats	Aug. 12	Rose Music Center	Huber Heights, OH
Sublime with Rome	Aug. 17	Hard Rock Live Northern Indiana	Gary
<b>Sugarhill Gang w/U.R.B., Fort Wayne Funk Orchestra</b>	<b>July 12</b>	<b>Headwaters Park</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Switchfoot, Blue October, & Matt Nathanson	Aug. 15	Holiday Park	Indianapolis
Switchfoot, Blue October, & Matt Nathanson	Aug. 17	Horseshoe Casino	Cincinnati
Switchfoot, Blue October, & Matt Nathanson	Aug. 18	Kemba Live!	Columbus, OH
<b>T. Murph</b>	<b>Aug. 4</b>	<b>Summit City Comedy Club</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Taking Back Sunday	July 25	Kemba Live!	Columbus, OH
Taking Back Sunday	July 26	Royal Oak Music Theatre	Royal Oak, MI
Tate McRae	July 24	Andrew J. Brady Music Center	Cincinnati
Tate McRae	July 28	Michigan Lottery Amp.	Sterling Heights, MI
Tate McRae	Aug. 7	Everwise Amphitheater	Indianapolis
Tedeschi Trucks Band	July 31	Huntington Bank Pavilion	Chicago
Tedeschi Trucks Band	Aug. 7	Toledo Zoo Amphitheatre	Toledo
Tedeschi Trucks Band	Aug. 10	Wings Event Center	Kalamazoo
Tedeschi Trucks Band	Aug. 11	Michigan Lottery Amp.	Sterling Heights, MI
Tedeschi Trucks Band	Aug. 13	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
<b>Terrence Simien &amp; The Zydeco Experience</b>	<b>Aug. 24</b>	<b>Baker Street Centre</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
<b>That One Mailman &amp; Friends</b>	<b>Aug. 11</b>	<b>Summit City Comedy Club</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Thirty Seconds to Mars	Aug. 6	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI
Thirty Seconds to Mars	Aug. 7	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
Thirty Seconds to Mars	Aug. 9	Ruoff Music Center	Noblesville
Thirty Seconds to Mars	Aug. 10	Huntington Bank Pavilion	Chicago
<b>Thompson Square w/Walker County</b>	<b>Aug. 16</b>	<b>Sweetwater Pavilion</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
TobyMac	Aug. 9	Plymouth Motor Speedway	Plymouth
Totally Tubular Festival	July 26	Meadow Brook Amphitheatre	Rochester, MI
Totally Tubular Festival	July 27	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Tracy Lawrence	July 19	Blue Gate PAC	Shipshewana
<b>Trae Crowder</b>	<b>Aug. 2-3</b>	<b>Summit City Comedy Club</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Train & REO Speedwagon	July 12	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Train & REO Speedwagon	July 13	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL
Train & REO Speedwagon	July 15	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
Train & REO Speedwagon	July 21	Pine Knob Music Theatre	Clarkston, MI
<b>Troy Bond</b>	<b>Aug. 8-10</b>	<b>Summit City Comedy Club</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
<b>The Turtles w/Jay &amp; The Americans, Badfinger</b>	<b>Aug. 18</b>	<b>Honeywell Center</b>	<b>Wabash</b>
<b>The Association, The Vogues, The Cowsills</b>	<b>July 26-27</b>	Huntington Bank Pavilion	Chicago
<b>Veil of Maya w/Brand of Sacrifice, Gideon, Left to Suffer, ten56, Tallah, Cabal</b>	<b>July 22</b>	<b>Piere's</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Walker Hayes	July 12	FireKeepers Casino	Battle Creek
Wallows	Aug. 31	Michigan Lottery Amp.	Sterling Heights, MI
<b>War Hippies</b>	<b>Aug. 23</b>	<b>Eagles Theatre</b>	<b>Wabash</b>
Warren Haynes Band	July 19	Everwise Amphitheater	Indianapolis
Warren Haynes Band	July 20	Meadow Brook Amphitheatre	Rochester, MI
<b>Warren Haynes Band</b>	<b>July 24</b>	<b>The Clyde Theatre</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Warren Haynes Band	July 26	Jacobs Pavilion	Cleveland
Warren Haynes Band	July 27	Rose Music Center	Huber Heights, OH
Warren Haynes Band	July 28	Riverbend Music Center	Cincinnati
Washed Out	Aug. 9	Metro	Chicago
Washed Out	Aug. 11	Kemba Live!	Columbus, OH
Washed Out	Aug. 13	Majestic Theatre	Detroit
Waxahatchee	Aug. 25	Bell's Eccentric Cafe	Kalamazoo
Wheat	Aug. 11	Hi-Fi	Indianapolis
<b>William Montgomery</b>	<b>Aug. 29-31</b>	<b>Summit City Comedy Club</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>
Xscape & SWV	Aug. 9	Little Caesars Arena	Detroit
Xscape & SWV	Aug. 10	Blossom Music Center	Cuyahoga Falls, OH
Xscape & SWV	Aug. 11	Credit Union 1 Amp.	Tinley Park, IL
YG	July 20	House of Blues	Chicago
Young Miko	Aug. 24-25	Rosemont Theatre	Chicago
<b>Zach Williams</b>	<b>Aug. 1</b>	<b>Sweetwater Pavilion</b>	<b>Fort Wayne</b>

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# Art & Exhibits

LOCAL CALENDAR

## CURRENT EXHIBITS

**46th Members Showcase** — Celebration of artists that support Artlink, **10 a.m.-8 p.m. Thursday; 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Friday-Saturday; noon-5 p.m. Sunday; through July 21**, Artlink, Fort Wayne, free admission, (260) 424-7195

**American Photography** — Exhibit features 51 photographs on loan from Evansville Museum that are part of philanthropic endeavor by international and national photographers to express gratitude to institutions that support their art form, **5-8 p.m. Friday; 4-7 p.m. Saturday; 1-4 p.m. Sunday (closed on Sundays in July), through July 27**, Garrett Museum of Art, Garrett, free admission, (260) 704-5400

**Bill Smith: Jewelry's Maverick** — More than 100 pieces from late Hoosier include rare pearl vest that caused scandal, complete set of his Zodiac collection, and jewelry from Broadway production of *Coco*, **10 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday; 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Thursday; 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Friday-Saturday; noon-5 p.m. Sunday, through Aug. 4**, Fort Wayne Museum of Art, Fort Wayne, \$8-\$10, (260) 422-6467

**PFW Summer Selections Exhibition** — Selected works of all art majors, **8 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Friday; 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, through Aug. 5**, PFW Visual Arts Gallery, Fort Wayne, free admission, (260) 481-6709

**The Paintings of Gabriela Gonzalez Dellosso: A Retrospective** — Artist's narrative realism tells fascinating stories through her command of human figure, **10 a.m.-8 p.m. Thursday; 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Friday-Saturday; noon-5 p.m. Sunday, through July 14**, Fort Wayne Museum of Art, Fort Wayne, \$8-\$10, (260) 422-6467

**Premier Pastel Society of Indiana Regional Show** — Inaugural event with 80 works by 26 artists created in pastel, a pure pigment, **9 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Friday-Saturday; noon-5 p.m. Sunday, through Aug. 3**, ACPL Jeffrey R. Krull Gallery, Fort Wayne, free admission, (260) 421-1215

**Rowland Ricketts: Invisible Forces** — Blooming-ton-based artist utilizes natural dyes and historical processes to create contemporary textiles that bridge art and design, **10 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday; 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Thursday; 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Friday-Saturday; noon-5 p.m. Sunday,**

**through Sept. 1**, Fort Wayne Museum of Art, Fort Wayne, \$8-\$10, (260) 422-6467

**Six Woman Show** — Artists featured in juried Indiana Artisan exhibit include Carrie Wright (framed silk collage), Rai Peterson (journals), Nancy Keating (mosaic), Dawn Michaelis (mixed-media relief art), Wendy Simon ("cartoon taxidermy"), and Carol Burt (pottery), **10 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday-Friday; 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday through July 31**, The Orchard Gallery of Fine Art, Fort Wayne, free admission, (260) 436-0927

**The Spring Show** — Latest exhibit features works from Jody Hemphill Smith, Doreen St. John, Fred Doloresco, Eric Rhoads, and more, **11 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturdays**, Castle Gallery Fine Art, Fort Wayne, free admission, (260) 426-6568

**Wabash & Beyond** — Terry Pulley exhibit showcases his ability to breath life into landscapes, immortalize moments in stillness, and explore depths of abstraction, **8 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday through July 21**, Clark Gallery at Honeywell Center, Wabash, free admission, (260) 563-1102

# Stage & Dance

LOCAL CALENDAR

## NOW PLAYING

**The Wedding Singer** — Wagon Wheel Professional Theatre presents musical comedy based on Adam Sandler film about wedding singer who gives up on love after being stood up at altar, **2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Thursday, July 11; 8 p.m. Friday, July 12; 7 p.m. Saturday, July 13**, Wagon Wheel Theatre, Warsaw, \$21-\$51, (574) 267-8041

**Legally Blonde: The Musical** — Fort Wayne Summer Music Theatre production is Tony-winning musical about Elle Woods smashing stereotypes at Harvard Law School, **7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 12-13; 2 p.m. Sunday, July 14; 7:30 p.m. Thursday-Friday, July 18-19; 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Saturday, July 20; 2 p.m. Sunday, July 21**, North Side High School, Fort Wayne, \$18-\$22, (260) 225-8828

**The Drowsy Chaperone** — Wagon Wheel Conservatory presents five-time Tony-winning musical, **1 p.m. Saturday, July 13**, Wagon Wheel Theatre, Warsaw, \$12, (574) 267-8041

## CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

**Fort Wayne Ballet Summer Camps** — One-week introduction to ballet camps for 3-6 and 7-10 year olds, **9:30-11:30 a.m. Monday-Friday, July 22-26**, Fort Wayne Ballet Studios, Fort Wayne, \$125, (260) 484-9646

**all for One Acting Basics (Grades 7-12)** — Mary Beth Frank will instruct on stage presence, building character, and making acting choices based on basic theory over course of five-day class, **2-4 p.m. Monday-Friday, July 29-Aug. 2**, all for One offices, Fort Wayne, \$100, (260) 745-4364

**all for One Acting II (College & Above)** — Learn to take character work into elements of movement and beat cycles over course of five-day class, **6:30-8:30 p.m. Monday-Tuesday, July 29-30; 6:30-9 p.m. Wednesday-Friday, July 31-Aug. 2**, all for One offices, Fort Wayne, \$100, (260) 745-4364

## UPCOMING PRODUCTIONS

### JULY

**Murder on the Orient Express** — Wagon Wheel Professional Theatre presents murder mystery play based on Agatha Christie novel as Detective Hercule Poirot tries to find a killer, **7 p.m. Thursday, July 18; 8 p.m. Friday, July 19; 7 p.m. Saturday, July 20; 2 p.m. Sunday, July 21; 7 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday, July 23-24; 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Thursday, July 25; 8 p.m. Friday, July 26; 7 p.m. Saturday, July 27**, Wagon Wheel Theatre, Warsaw, \$21-\$51, (574) 267-8041

**Color Me Seductive: A Technicolor Tease** — Performers with Specialtease Burlesque personify each color of the spectrum in a array of tease with music by DJSheCutlt, **8 p.m. Thursday, July 18**, Mambo Room, Fort Wayne, \$20-\$50, (260) 449-9761

**Seussical the Musical** — Huntington Theatre Guild Act II present show with Dr. Seuss' best-loved characters colliding and cavorting, **7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 29-20; 2 p.m. Sunday, July 21**, Huntington North High School, Huntington, \$10, (260) 355-5103

**Six: Teen Edition** — From Tudor queens to pop icons, the six wives of Henry VIII to microphone to remix 500 years of historic heartbreak into celebration of 21st Century girl power, **8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 19-20; 6 p.m. Sunday, July 21; 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 26-27; 6 p.m. Sunday, July 28; 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 2-3**, Three Rivers Music Theatre, Fort Wayne, \$21.60-\$32.15, info@threeriversmusictheatre.com

**The Pink Unicorn** — One-woman play is about Christian woman who is raising genderqueer granddaughter and creating a chapter of Gay and Straight Alliance at her small East Texas high school, **7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, July 19-20**, First Presbyterian Theater, Fort Wayne, \$20, (260) 426-7421

**Guys and Dolls** — Summit City Music Theatre puts on iconic production of everyone ending up where they belong as part of their Classics in Concert series, **7:30 p.m. Saturday, July 20; 2 p.m. Sunday, July 21; 7:30 p.m. Saturday, July 27; 2 p.m. Sunday, July 28**, PFW Music Center, Fort Wayne, (260) 437-6825

**No Exit** — Local talent takes stage in Fire Line Productions show centers on three strangers who find themselves in a mysterious room, **2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Saturday, July 27; 2 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday, July 28**, Honeywell Center, Wabash, (260) 563-1102

### AUGUST

**Beautiful: The Carole King Musical** — Wagon Wheel Professional Theatre presents jukebox musical that celebrates life and music of legendary singer-songwriter, **7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 1; 8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 2; 7 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 3; 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 4; 7 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday, Aug. 6-7; 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 8; 8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 9; 7 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 10**, Wagon Wheel Theatre, Warsaw, \$21-\$51, (574) 267-8041

## SEPTEMBER

**Terry Fator** — *America's Got Talent* winner and his puppets bring their Las Vegas show on the road, **7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 7**, Honeywell Center, Wabash, \$49, (260) 563-1102

**Batboy: The Musical** — Musical comedy/horror show about half boy/half bat that is taught to act like a "normal" boy, but the townspeople make life difficult for him, **8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 13-14; 6 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 15; 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 20-21; 6 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 22; 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 27-28; 6 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 29**, Three Rivers Music Theatre, Fort Wayne, \$21.60-\$32.15, info@threeriversmusictheatre.com

**Chicago: The Musical** — Indiana Musical Theatre Foundation presents Tony-winning play about aspiring chorus girl and fading vaudeville star facing murder charges, **7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 14-15; 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 16; 7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 21-22; 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 23; 7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 28-29; 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 29**, Arena Dinner Theatre, Fort Wayne, (260) 225-8828

**The Rocky Horror Picture Show** — Fort Wayne Civic Theatre opens season with cult classic shown back to back at outdoor theater with array of audience participation props and kitschy rock n' roll, **8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 13; 12 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 14**, Foellinger Theatre, Fort Wayne, (260) 424-5220

**Bluey's Big Play** — Theatrical adaptation of the Emmy-winning children's television series, with an original story by *Bluey* creator Joe Brumm and new music by *Bluey* composer Joff Bush, **6 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 17**, Niswonger PAC, Van Wert, \$26-\$124, (419) 238-6722

**Father Brown** — Scotland Yard detectives team with an unassuming priest to track down a notorious thief in show by all for One productions, **7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 20-21; 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 22; 7:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 27-28; 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 29**, PPG ArtsLab, Fort Wayne, \$15-\$22, (260) 422-4226

## OCTOBER

**Most Wanted: A True Crime Musical** — Written by local playwright Tyler Hanford, R-rated show follows four prison guards and 10 of the most notorious killers of the last 150 years, parodying songs of the '70s and '80s, **8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Oct. 4-5; 6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 6; 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Oct. 11-12; 6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 13**, Three Rivers Music Theatre, Fort Wayne, \$21.60-\$32.15, info@threeriversmusictheatre.com

## ART EVENTS

**Art in the Park** — Two-day juried fine art show during Three Rivers Festival features more than 90 artists, **10 a.m.-7 p.m. Saturday, July 13; 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday, July 14**, Freimann Square, Fort Wayne, free, (260) 426-5556

**Frida for All/Frida para Todas** — Celebration of famed artist Frida Kahlo will feature Latin culture and arts with dancing, music, vendors, flower paper making, and living painting, **1-5 p.m. Saturday, July 13**, F&M Bank, Fort Wayne, free, (260) 267-9048

## CALL FOR ENTRIES

**Premier Pastel Society of Indiana** — Nonprofit art association of regional artists is seeking artists 18 and older for exhibit opportunities, painting excursions and education. For more information, contact hilariecouture@gmail.com

**Fort Wayne Artists Guild** — The local guild is seeking members looking to further their artistic knowledge, share work, and take part in local exhibits. All skill levels are accepted, you just must be 18 years old to join. For more information, go to [www.fortwayneartistsguild.org](http://www.fortwayneartistsguild.org)

## NOVEMBER

**Wheel of Fortune Live!** — Iconic game show goes on tour with contestants chosen from audience, **7:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 2**, Honeywell Center, Wabash, \$25, (260) 563-1102

**Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus: The Musical** — Honeywell Arts in Education matinee features mix of songs that will leave you aflutter, **10 a.m. and noon Monday, Nov. 4**, Honeywell Center, Wabash, \$10, (260) 563-1102

**Menopause the Musical 2** — Five years after their chance encounter in a department store, we set sail with our ladies for more high jinks on the high seas, **7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 7**, Honeywell Center, Wabash, \$29, (260) 563-1102

**Doubt** — Set in Catholic school in the Bronx, principal Sister Aloysius recruits young and idealistic Sister James to look into new progressive young parish priest Father Flynn, **8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Nov. 8-9; 6 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 10; 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Nov. 15-16; 6 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 17; 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Nov. 22-23; 6 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 24**, Three Rivers Music Theatre, Fort Wayne, \$21.60-\$32.15, info@threeriversmusictheatre.com

**The Illusionists** — Magic of the Holidays production features thrilling, sophisticated illusions, **7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 14**, Honeywell Center, Wabash, \$39, (260) 563-1102

**Theresa Caputo Live: The Experience** — "Long Island Medium" presents show about her sensing spirits, **7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 22**, Honeywell Center, Wabash, \$52.75, (260) 563-1102

**White Christmas** — Fort Wayne Civic Theatre presents musical adaptation that centers on pair of veterans who take their song-and-dance show on the road in search of love, **7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 22; 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 23**, Embassy Theatre, Fort Wayne, \$33-\$45, (260) 424-5220

**A Magical Cirque Christmas** — Variety show of nostalgia, charms, and awe-inspiring performances from world-class performers, **7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 29**, Honeywell Center, Wabash, \$49-\$79, (260) 563-1102

## Things To Do LOCAL CALENDAR

### CURRENT

**teds Food Truck Thursday** — Weekly event with food trucks with live music from Piques, **5-9 p.m. Thursday, July 11**, teds beerhall, Fort Wayne, free, (888) 260-0351

**Wild Walkers: Black Swamp Nature Center** — Adult hiking group meets on second and fourth Friday of the month, visiting different locations, **8:45 a.m. Friday, July 12**, Black Swamp Nature Center, Paulding, OH, free, (260) 427-5023

**Three Rivers Festival** — City's largest festival returns for 55th year with midway, junk food alley, river excursions, and live entertainment each night, **10 a.m.-11 p.m. Friday, July 12-Saturday, July 20**, Headwaters Park, Fort Wayne, free, (260) 426-5556

**Fly-In/Drive-In Lunch** — Variety of aircraft and classic and collectible cars will be at Smith Field as you enjoy lunch with donations going to Youth Aviation Training Scholarship Fund, **11 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday, July 13**, Smith Field Airport, Fort Wayne, free, (260) 416-1991

**Famous Hoosiers: John Wooden** — Dr. Gunderman, author of Hoosier Beacons, shares tales about Indiana's own John Wooden, the legendary UCLA men's basketball coach that played at Purdue and coached at South Bend Central High School, **4:30 p.m. Saturday, July 13**, Wawasee High School, Syracuse, free, (574) 377-7543

**Mac & Cheese Festival** — More than 50 samples, drinks, entertainment, fireworks, and live music from Fleetwood Mac tribute band, **5-10 p.m. Saturday, July 13**, Parkview Field, Fort Wayne, \$39-\$65, (269) 492-9966

**Kickboxing with 9Round** — Monthly exercise class aimed at burning calories through kicking and punching, **9-10 a.m. Sunday, July 14**, Promenade Park Pavilion, Fort Wayne, free, (260) 427-6000

**Yoga on the Riverfront** — Relaxing, one-hour flow for all skill levels with instructor Chelsea Vona, owner of Discover Yoga, **10:30-11:30 a.m. Sunday, July 14**, Promenade Park Pavilion, Fort Wayne, free, (260) 427-6000

**Embassy Black & White Film Series: Sherlock Jr. w/Organist Dennis Scott** — First in annual summer series is 1924 Buster Keaton film accompanied by official organist of Buster Keaton Society, **3 p.m. Sunday, July 14**, Embassy Theatre, Fort Wayne, \$10, (260) 424-6287

**Rock Camp** — Meet fellow musicians between 12 and 18 years old during five-day camp, write and produce original song, record in professional studio, and perform at Sweetwater Pavilion, **10 a.m.-4 p.m. July 15-19; July 22-26; July 29-Aug. 2**, Sweetwater Sound, Fort Wayne, \$449, (260) 432-8176

**Union 12 Food Truck Nights: Sports Night** — Weekly themed event has food trucks, vendors, and live music by 56Daze, **5-9 p.m. Wednesday, July 17**, Union 12, Columbia City, free, (260) 203-0239

**The Garden Night Market** — Monthly market has art exhibition opening, live music, local artisan vendors, and food trucks, **6-9 p.m. Wednesday, July 17**, The Garden, Fort Wayne, free, (260) 639-6557

### FARMERS MARKETS

**Allen County Marketplace** — Monthly open air market with vendors, food trucks and live music, **Saturday, July 13; Saturday, Aug. 10; Saturday, Sept. 14**, Pathway Community Church, Fort Wayne, free, allencountymarketplace@gmail.com

**Ft. Wayne's Farmers Market** — Farm foods, baked goods, homemade natural items, and unique works from regional artisans, **9 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturdays**, Electric Works, Fort Wayne, contact@ftwaynesfarmersmarket.com

**Leo-Cedarville Farmers Market** — Local produce, flowers, and handcrafted items with focus on local farmers and artisans, **4-7 p.m. Thursdays through Sept. 26**, Leo-Cedarville Downtown Plaza, free, leocedarvillefarmersmarket@gmail.com

**Roanoke Farmers Market** — Main Street closes for outdoors market with local producers selling produce, flowers, plants, baked goods, and handmade items, **5-8 p.m. Fridays through Aug. 30**, Downtown Roanoke, free, discoverroanoke@gmail.com

**Salomon Farmers Market** — Mid-week market celebrates 20th season of fresh produce, baked goods, honey, and artisan crafts, **4-7 p.m. Wednesdays through Sept. 4**, Salomon Farm Park, Fort Wayne, free, (260) 427-6000

**South Side Farmers Market** — Fort Wayne's oldest farmers market has produce, meat, baked goods, plants, and artwork, **8 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturdays**, South Side Farmers Market, Fort Wayne, free, (260) 310-9499

**The Farmers Market at Winona** — Weekly market with fresh flowers and plants, coffee, cheese, meats, eggs, microgreens, produce, and baked goods, **8 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturdays through Oct. 26**, Miller Sunset Pavilion, Winona Lake, free

**YLNI Farmers Market** — Produce, baked goods, jewelry, honey, **9 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturdays**, Barr and Berry streets, Fort Wayne, free, market@ylni.org

**YLNI Wednesday Farmers Market** — Offers fresh and unique produce, meat, baked goods, and homemade crafts, **4-7 p.m. Wednesdays through July 31**, The History Center, Fort Wayne, free, market@ylni.org

### SPECTATOR SPORTS

#### BASEBALL

**TinCaps** — Upcoming home games at Parkview Field, Fort Wayne

**Friday, July 19** — Lake County, **7:05 p.m.**  
**Saturday, July 20** — Lake County, **6:05 p.m.**  
**Sunday, July 21** — Lake County, **1:05 p.m.**  
**Tuesday, July 30** — West Michigan, **7:05 p.m.**  
**Wednesday, July 31** — West Michigan, **7:05 p.m.**  
**Thursday, Aug. 1** — West Michigan, **7:05 p.m.**  
**Friday, Aug. 2** — West Michigan, **7:05 p.m.**  
**Saturday, Aug. 3** — West Michigan, **6:35 p.m.**  
**Sunday, Aug. 4** — West Michigan, **1:05 p.m.**  
**Tuesday, Aug. 13** — Dayton, **6:35 p.m.**  
**Wednesday, Aug. 14** — Dayton, **6:35 p.m.**  
**Thursday, Aug. 15** — Dayton, **7:05 p.m.**  
**Friday, Aug. 16** — Dayton, **7:05 p.m.**  
**Saturday, Aug. 17** — Dayton, **6:35 p.m.**  
**Sunday, Aug. 18** — Dayton, **1:05 p.m.**  
**Tuesday, Sept. 3** — South Bend, **6:35 p.m.**  
**Wednesday, Sept. 4** — South Bend, **6:35 p.m.**  
**Thursday, Sept. 5** — South Bend, **7:05 p.m.**  
**Friday, Sept. 6** — South Bend, **7:05 p.m.**  
**Saturday, Sept. 7** — South Bend, **6:35 p.m.**  
**Sunday, Sept. 8** — South Bend, **1:05 p.m.**

### SOCCER

**Fort Wayne Football Club** — Upcoming home games at University of Saint Francis' Bishop D'Arcy Stadium, Fort Wayne **Saturday, July 13** — Kings Hammer, **7 p.m.**

### UPCOMING EVENTS

**St. Joe Pickle Festival** — Three days of pickled-themed activities, including pickle derby, pickle-eating contest, pickle court, and pickle ice cream, **4-10 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, July 18-20**, Riverdale Elementary School, St. Joe, free, stjoepicklefestival@gmail.com

**teds Food Truck Thursday** — Weekly event with food trucks with live music from JJ & McRae, **5-9 p.m. Thursday, July 18**, teds beerhall, Fort Wayne, free, (888) 260-0351

**Columbia City Taste of the City** — Explore new menus at local eateries or receive special discounts on familiar items throughout week, **July 20-26**, various locations, Columbia City, free, info.cconnect@gmail.com

**Pedal, Paddle, Play** — Take part in scavenger hunt in downtown Fort Wayne by bike or boat, followed by after-party with live music from JJ and McRae, engage with environmental and recreation vendors, **10 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Saturday, July 20**, Promenade Park, Fort Wayne, \$30, newwatertrails@gmail.com

**Indiana Vintage Market** — More than 50 vendors selling clothing, vinyl records, and more, **noon-5 p.m. Saturday, July 20**, Grand Wayne Center, Fort Wayne, \$5-\$10, (317) 732-1939

**Walk Down Memory Lane** — Three historic short films, from 1937-1957, will be shown highlighting what life was like in Syracuse and on Lake Wawasee, **4:30 p.m. Saturday, July 20**, Oakwood Resort, Syracuse, free, (574) 377-7543

**Rocket Launch** — Observe or bring your own rockets to launch into the sky, as motors and supplies and launch with equipment from Summit City Aerospace Modelers, **1:30-4 p.m. Sunday, July 21**, Concordia Lutheran Seminary, Fort Wayne, free, (260) 710-6976

**Debs at The Ditch** — Monthly event with live music by newgrass band Debutants, as well as variety of food trucks, **5-9 p.m. Tuesday, July 23**, Junk Ditch Brewing Company, Fort Wayne, free, (260) 203-4045

**Union 12 Food Truck Nights: Ladies Night** — Weekly themed event has food trucks, vendors, and live music by Mean 38, **5-9 p.m. Wednesday, July 24**, Union 12, Columbia City, free, (260) 203-0239

**Swiss Days** — Annual celebration is three days of vendors, live music, sports tournaments, parade, **10 a.m.-10 p.m. Thursday, July 25; 9 a.m.-10 p.m. Friday, July 26; 5:30 a.m.-10 p.m. Saturday, July 27**, Downtown Berne, free, (260) 589-8080

**teds Food Truck Thursday** — Weekly event with food trucks with live music from Pete Dio, **5-9 p.m. Thursday, July 25**, teds beerhall, Fort Wayne, free, (888) 260-0351

**Wild Walkers: Maplewood Nature Center** — Adult hiking group meets on second and fourth Friday of the month, visiting different locations, **8:45 a.m. Friday, July 26**, Maplewood Nature Center, LaGrange, free, (260) 427-5023



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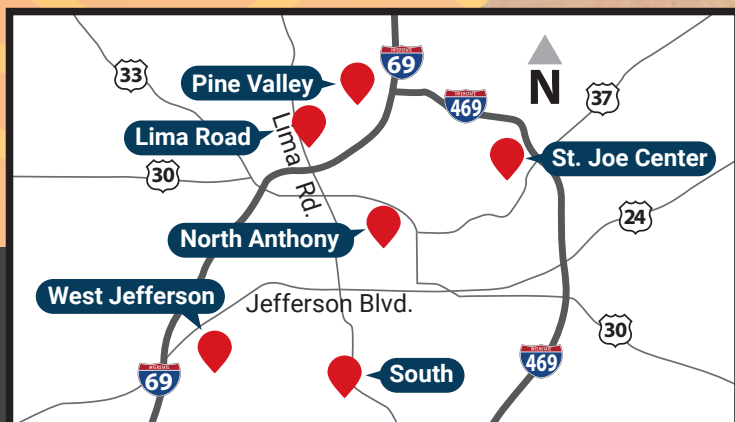
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