



Troy resident Joseph LoDuca and his quartet play at 8 p.m. Friday at Historic St. Andrews Hall in Detroit.

upcoming things to do

• OSCAR SONGS

"An Evening with Oscar" begins Saturday at the Historic Holly Hotel in Holly. The new show is a compilation of all the Oscar-winning music, beginning with the first Oscar winner, "The Continental," in 1934 and including this year's "Up Where We Belong." Starring in TAP's production are Mary Frankfurth of Highland, Ron Carter of Pontiac and Rebecca of West Bloomfield. Reservations at \$10 per person include wine, cheese and crackers during the performance. For reservations call 855-4293 in Detroit or 624-5210 in Holly.

• MUSIC WEEK

A musical celebration is being presented during National Music Week, May 1-7, in cooperation with Tel-Twelve Mall in Southfield and Twelve Oaks Mall in Novi. Events at Tel-Twelve Mall are sponsored jointly by the Birmingham, Farmington and Royal Oak muscians. Events at Twelve Oaks are sponsored jointly by the Farmington and Milford muscians. Among performing groups are the Cranbrook Chamber Singers at 1 today at Tel-Twelve and the Farmington Community Chorus at 1 p.m. Sunday at Twelve Oaks.

• WAGON WHEEL

Tom Powers performs through Saturday and May 12-14 at the Wagon Wheel Saloon, Rochester at Big Beaver roads, Troy. He offers originals and light pop rock. Stuart Mitchell mixes comedy and music, again light folk rock, May 10 at 21 and 22.

• MUSICAL OASIS

Cliff Gracy on guitar plays contemporary acoustic music mixed with some original songs, at the Sunday Afternoon Thing II at 3 p.m. Sunday at the Musical Oasis, 1810 S. Woodward, Birmingham. Admission is \$3.

• SILVER MOON

Country western singers Jack Mollette and the Borderline Express play from 9 p.m. until closing Thursdays-Saturdays at the Silver Moon Lounge at Rochester and 14th Mile roads, Troy. Cover charge is \$2 Fridays-Saturday. Reduced bar prices and no cover charge are in effect Thursdays. Mollette, a Westland resident, owns Borderline Records/Chart a Song Publishing and plans to produce locally recorded products. He has played stints with Loretta Lynn, Ernest Tubbs and Barbara Mandrell.

• DANCE FEVER

A "Dance Fever" audition will be held as a Cystic Fibrosis Benefit on

Wednesday at the Main Act, 17580 Frazer, 10th Mile Road and Gratiot in Roseville. WNIC, along with radio personalities Jim Harper and Steve Gannon, will take part in the benefit. Doors open at 8 p.m. Admission to the finals is \$6. For further information call 838-7231 or 649-6745.

• PINE KNOB

Tickets for the Pine Knob summer concerts in Clarkston are on sale this week at the Pine Knob box office and all CTC ticket outlets. Tickets went on sale Monday for the Beach Boys, May 27-29; Arrowsmith, May 30; Rockets, June 2-4; Flock of Sea Gulls and the Fixa, June 5, and Chicago, June 17-18. Tickets went on sale Tuesday for Kool and the Gang, June 19; Charlie Daniels Band, June 22; Al Dimeola, John McLaughlin and Paco de Lucia, June 24; and Joni Mitchell, July 4. For performance times and general information call the Pine Knob Hotline at 647-7790.

• IN CONCERT

Joseph LoDuca and his quartet, with special guest Kamau Kenyatta, will perform at 8 p.m. Friday at Historic St. Andrews Hall, 431 E. Congress, in downtown Detroit. The concert will include original compositions of both musicians. This music is featured in each of their debut albums — LoDuca's "Glisten" and Kenyatta's "Strong Men." Tickets at \$4.50 are available at Maximus & Company Bookstore in Birmingham and Village Records in Grosse Pointe Woods. Tickets at \$5 will be available at the door.

• FOURTH STREET

Improvational comedy with the Detroit Times Theatre Company continues at 8:30 p.m. Mondays through May 23 at the Fourth Street Playhouse, 351 W. Fourth, Royal Oak. Tickets, available at the door, are \$3 for adults, \$2 for students with I.D. and seniors. The playhouse is again offering an improvisational theater workshop, beginning Saturday, conducted by Detroit Times Theatre Company director Jonathan Round. To register for the 10-week workshop, which costs \$120, call the theater at 543-3666.

• MOTOR BAR

The Four Freshmen vocal group is appearing through Saturday at the newly remodeled Motor Bar in the Book Cadillac Hotel, 1114 Washington Blvd., Detroit. Two shows nightly are at 8 and 10. Cover charge is \$6. For reservations call 258-8000.

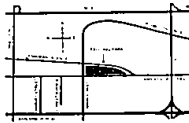
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Downtown Hoedown features country stars

A free celebration of country and bluegrass music, with a full schedule of associated events, will take over Hart Plaza in downtown Detroit this weekend.

The first Budweiser Downtown Hoedown will feature Hank Williams Jr. heading the show Friday night and Tanya Tucker starring Saturday night. Sunday's stars are Mel Tillis, Brenda Lee and the Kendalls.

These attractions will be on a special stage created to provide viewing for everyone in the audience, over the 11 acres of Hart Plaza.

Supplementing name entertainers will be local and regional bands and groups playing and dancing each afternoon and evening, also at no charge.

THERE WILL BE presentations, including contests, of bluegrass, clogging, fiddling, banjo-picking and yodeling.

is staged by the city of Detroit through the Civic Center Commission and the Department of Recreation.

WCXI and WDET are handling all supporting acts, while Brass Ring Productions is booking the stars.

Plans are for continuous activity all over Hart Plaza, with focus on two amphitheater stages. Like Detroit's ethnic festivals, which attract hundreds of thousands of people every summer weekend, there will be booths offering souvenirs, crafts, displays, food and sponsor's products.

This event starts at noon Friday, with preliminary entertainment for downtown office workers and other Hart Plaza visitors. Over the weekend, there will be mimes and clowns and children's entertainment.

Audience participation will be encouraged, and flowers will be presented to all mothers attending Sunday, from WCXI. Disc jockey Deano Day will be master of ceremonies all weekend.