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A guide to entertainment in the Metro Detroit area

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GALLERIES

• **FIRST THURSDAY**
Today is the "First Thursday" of the month. The North Woodward and Townsend Street art galleries in Birmingham will have extended hours tonight. Call the individual galleries for more information.

• **ARIANA GALLERY**
"Steeped in Tradition: The Contemporary Teapot," an exhibit of works by more than 100 potters from the United States, Canada and England, will continue to Oct. 14 at 119 S. Main, Royal Oak, curated by gallery owner Ann Hurffer and Dusty Sweder, formerly of the Sweder Gallery. Opening reception 6-9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 7, with "7 p.m. gallery talk" The Artist and the Teapot" by architect/potter Sidney Sweder. Mad Hatter Tea Party, at which participants are asked to wear an unusual hat, 2-5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9. (810) 546-6810

• **ELIZABETH STONE GALLERY**
Balkony and Special Guests will perform blues and jazz piano 6:30-9:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 7, for gallery patrons across the street from the Salvatore Scallopini restaurant, 505 N. Woodward, Birmingham. (810) 647-7040

• **HILL GALLERY**
Works from 1948-94 by celebrated urban artist Ralph Fasanella, who recently marked his 80th birthday, will be exhibited to Oct. 9 at 407 W. Brown, Birmingham. Fasanella will be present at a special reception Thursday, Sept. 7, and will be on the gallery 2-4:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9. In his works he chronicles the 20th century through panorama and complex graphic explosions painted with exuberance and passion. (810) 540-9268

• **INSTALLMENTS II**
An exhibit of temporary outdoor sculpture will continue to Sept. 16 in Municipal Park, north of Walton University and betweenLudlow and Main in downtown Rochester. Opening reception 6-8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 7, at the Lions Pavilion in the park. Call the Paint Creek Center for the Arts for more information. (810) 651-4110

• **LEWBERG GALLERY**
Curb Mania," recent works on paper by Doug Lee Duke that revel in drama and mystery, continues through Sept. 30 at 539 N. Woodward, Birmingham. Opening reception for the artist 6-8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 7. (810) 642-5623

• **SANDRA COLLINS**
Gallery Nikki, a division of Sandra Collins, opens 11 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 7, at 470 N. Woodward, Birmingham, offering a selection of contemporary crafts, including wheelcast pottery and jewelry. Selected items discounted 10 to 40 percent. (810) 642-4795

• **THE WOODS GALLERY**
A father and daughter exhibit combining the works of James and Constance Weitz continues to Sept. 30 on the lower level of the Huntington Woods Library, 25410 Scotia, south of 11 Mile and west of Woodward. Reception to meet the artist 7-9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 7. (810) 543-9720

• **THE ANDERSON GALLERY**
An exhibit of Middle and Middle Eastern, 19th and 20th century textiles from Indonesia, Thailand, India and Persia will continue through Nov. 10 at 71 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Opening reception 7-10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8. (810) 335-4611

• **ARTODWNTOWN**
A weekend of fine art in downtown Rochester begins Friday, Sept. 8, with activities that include sidewalk chalk art, horse-drawn carriage rides and a gallery crawl. Call the Downtown Rochester Promotions and Marketing Partnership for information. (810) 656-0060

• **THE BELL GALLERY**
Pastels and paintings of impressionistic landscapes by John Sobieski, and engraved marble and bronze sculpture by Craig Schaffer, will be exhibited to Oct. 6 at 163 N. Woodward, Birmingham. Opening reception 6-8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8. (810) 647-4664

• **CARY GALLERY**
"Four Countries — Four Cultures," an exhibit of works painted with hot wax and watercolor by Mukoki Ikeji, artist Marylyn Dervenakis, continues to Sept. 30 at 226 Walnut Blvd., Rochester. Reception for the artist 5-8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8. The artist painted the pieces in the show in a variety of ways using formula suggested by each culture of Brazil, Italy, Japan and the United States. (810) 651-3658

• **CURRENT STUDIO-GALLERY**
"Mystical and Philosophical Incinerations in Art," an exhibit by David Hermen, will continue through Oct. 3 at 115 S. Broadway, Lake Orion. Receptions for the artist 6-10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, and 2-6 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10. (810) 693-3632

• **HARATAT GALLERIES**
New works by William Carlson and Barry Saunter will be exhibited through Sept. 29 at 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Opening reception to meet the artists 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8. Carlson is known for his use of granite and glass and his sculptures are strong in their geometric forms. Saunter uses painstaking sandblasting techniques to create astonishingly detailed sculptures. (810) 333-2060

• **HARATAT/SHAW GALLERY**
An exhibit featuring the work of John Mason, an important and influential leader in the ceramic art movement, will continue through Sept. 30 at 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Opening reception 7-10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8. (810) 333-1070

• **ART LECTURE**
Ray Frost Fleming, artist, director and co-owner of the Robert Kidd Gallery in Birmingham, will speak to the Market Group of Temple Beth El Saturday, Sept. 9. The topic will be "Informal Reflections: Will I Still Love You Tomorrow? Spotting the Good and Bad in Contemporary Art." Call the gallery for more information. (810) 642-3600

• **CRANBROOK ART MUSEUM**
The Detroit Swedish Council presents "Carl Milles at Cranbrook" Sunday, Sept. 10, at the Cellalle Auditorium at the Cranbrook Art Museum, 1221 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills. The event features a lecture with slides by David D.J. Rau, curator of education, 4 p.m.; a walking tour of Cranbrook to view Milles sculpture, led by Rau, 4:45 p.m.; reception with Swedish treats in the Forum Gallery of the art museum, 5:30-6 p.m. Admission is $12.50, $7.50 for under age 18. Call for reservations. (313) 881-2800

• **PONTIAC GLASS COMPANY**
A display of glass sculptures by Blair Reed will continue through Oct. 7 at 23 W. Lawrence, Pontiac. Opening reception 6-9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8. Enter from front entrance on Lawrence Street. (810) 332-6519

• **PARK WEST GALLERY**
A special exhibit by landscape impressionist Harold Altman will run through September at 29469 Northwestern Highway, Southfield. The artist will be at a private reception Friday night and public openings 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 9-10. (810) 354-2343

• **ART & APPLES**
The 30th annual festival featuring works by 300 artists, entertainment and music, children's attractions and refreshments takes place 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10, at Municipal Park, north of Walton University and between Ludlow and Main in Rochester. Gate donation $2 per person. Sponsored by the Oakland Press, the Chrysler Corporation Fund, Ford Motor Co., Outback Steakhouse, Target Stores, WXZ-TV, the Detroit Edison Foundation and WLTI-FM. Call the Paint Creek Center for the Arts for information. (810) 651-4110

• **ART IN THE PARK**
The 21st annual event, with works by 156 artists from across the country, food and activities, takes place 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9, and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10, on Shain Park, south of Maple at Bates and Martin, Birmingham. Admission is free.

• **THE ART GALLERY**
The local artists cooperative at Great Oaks Mall, Walton and Livernois, Rochester Hills, will present a special show, "Scenes of Oakland County," Sept. 8-17; opening reception for the public 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9. This is an annual presentation of artists' views of county locations, events and people. Also, Henryka Dilont is the featured artist for September. Dilont works in watercolor and oil paint, favoring abstract themes and contemplary treatment of fruit and other subjects. (810) 651-1579

• **AUTUMNFEST**
The Cultural Arts Division of the city of Southfield presents the eighth annual festival with a variety of activities for all ages 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10, at the historic Mary Thompson Farm, just south of the Southfield Civic Center at 25630 Evergreen. (810) 354-4717

• **REVOLUTIONS: A GALLERY PROJECT**
"A Song for My Mother," a show of recent paintings along with selected works from and about them 1972-75 by New York painter Brenda Goodman, will continue through Oct. 14 at 5200 Woodward, Ferndale. Reception for the artist 5-30 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9. (810) 541-3444

• **PRESTON BURKE GALLERY**
A 40-year retrospective of paintings by Mountain Snyder of Franklin will continue through Oct. 7 at 124 and Hopkins in the Hazeled Village Center in Farmington Hills. Charlotsville reception to meet the artist and preview the show Wednesday, Sept. 13. (810) 468-0200

• **DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS**
Gregory Wittkopp, a director of the Cranbrook Museum of Art, will give a slide-illustrated lecture on the restoration of the 1930 Saarinen House at Cranbrook 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10, in Lecture Hall at 5200 Woodward. Wittkopp will be joined by his book, "Saarinen House and Garden: A Total Work of Art," after the lecture. (313) 833-7900

• **ANN ARBOR ART ASSOCIATION ART CENTER**
"Symbols, Rituals, Icons," featuring painting by Barbara Dorsten, mixed media installation by Ted Ramsay and mixed media by Richard Washington, continues at 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Reception 5-8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8.

• **ART FOR SALE**
The third annual auction sponsored by the College of Fine, Performing and Communication Arts at Wayne State University will begin with a wine and hors d'oeuvres reception 6:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, at the Detroit Boat Club on Belle Isle. A silent auction will be 7 p.m. a live auction 8 p.m. Admission is $40 individual, $75 per couple. Proceeds help the college's public outreach activities. Call the college office for more information. (313) 577-5342

• **ARTISTS' COOPERATIVE, THE**
"Interscapes," an exhibit of landscape paintings, drawings and sculptures by artists Carolyn Anne Fracassa and Claudia Shepard, will continue through Oct. 13 at 26 E. Grand River, Detroit. Opening reception 6-9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8. (313) 961-4336

• **BOOK BEAT**
"Zhou Brothers in the Studio: A Photographic Essay by Steven Gross" and other works will continue to Oct. 28 at 2020 Greenfield, Oak Park. Opening and book signing 7-9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9. (810) 968-1190

• **DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS**
"Leaving Home/Home: Illustrating African-American Children's Books" continues through Oct. 29 at 5200 Woodward. Guest story reading by Mayor Dennis Archer 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9, in Lecture Hall, a tour of the exhibit follows. A selection of books from the display is available in museum shops at the DIA, the Somerset Collection in Troy and 12 Oaks Mall in Novi. Also, drop-in workshops for children to make their own story illustrations or bookmarks noon to 4 p.m. Saturday; call for information. (313) 833-7900

• **MICHIGAN GALLERY**
"Carousel," an exhibit of black and white charcoal drawings by 48 artists, curated by Sandra Dickasa, will continue to Sept. 30 at 2661 Michigan Avenue, Detroit. Opening reception 5-10 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9. (313) 961-7667

• **PEWABIC POTTERY**
"Collaboration," ceramics show by Diane Rosenstein and Liz Quackenbush, will continue to Oct. 11 at 10125 E. Jefferson, Detroit. One-day workshop with the artists 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9. Also, teapots and ewers by Karen Costa will be exhibited in the Stratton Gallery to Oct. 22; reception 5-7 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9. (313) 822-0954

• **UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN BUSINESS OF ART**
The New Art League Second Saturday Morning presents a music/image presentation and discussion of authors books and adventures for artists by research fellow John Dunn and U-M faculty member Jerry Sverdlan 11 a.m. to noon Saturday, Sept. 9, in the Museum of Art Apse, 525 S. State, Ann Arbor. (313) 764-0395

• **STAGECRAFTERS**
"Into the Woods," with music and lyrics by Stephen Sondheim, opens 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8 through Oct. 1, Baldwin Theatre, 415 S. Lafayette Ave., Royal Oak. Tickets $14 Friday-Sunday performances, $12 Thursdays. Senior citizen, student discounts available. (810) 541-6430

• **PLYMOUTH THEATRE GUILD**
"Suessical" opens 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15 at the Water Town Theatre, on the campus of Northville Regional Hospital, 41001 W. Seven Mile Road, Northville. Shows 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays to Sept. 24. Tickets $10 at the door, $9 in advance. (810) 349-7110

• **TRINITY HOUSE THEATRE**
Adult acting classes for students of all levels of experience, 7-9 p.m. Tuesdays, Sept. 19 to Nov. 7, 38840 W. Six Mile, Livonia. Cost $70. (313) 533-8649

YOUTH THEATER

• **CRANBROOK**
"Charlotte's Web," 3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10 outdoor Greek Theatre. Tickets $8 per person, $5 for members of Cranbrook Institute of Science. (810) 645-3230

• **MARQUIS THEATRE**
Musical version of the classic Brothers Grimm tale, "The Shoemaker and the Elves," at the Marquis Theatre, 135 E. Main Street, Northville, weekends to Sept. 24. Tickets $5. Children under the age of 3 's will not be admitted. (810) 349-8110

PROFESSIONAL THEATER

• **THE GEM**
Comedy "Sheer Madness" opens Sept. 13 and runs through Dec. 31. Half price preview shows Sept. 13-24. (313) 963-9800

• **THE GENERIC VARIETY SHOW**
Fourth collection of monologues, songs and sketches, 9 p.m. Tuesdays, Sept. 12, 19 & 26, Cadieux Cafe, Detroit. (313) 882-8500

• **ANN ARBOR PERFORMANCE NETWORK**
"The Fox" a drama about women's changing roles and the inevitable painful period of reassessment and conflict after World War I ended, 8 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturdays, 7 p.m. Sundays through Sept. 16, 408 W. Washington, Ann Arbor. Tickets $12 adults, $9 students and senior citizens. (313) 663-0681

• **FISHER THEATRE**
"West Side Story," at the Fisher Theatre in Detroit through Sept. 24. Cast includes Joshua Bergasa of West Bloomfield. Tickets range from $25 to $60. Call (313) 871-1132 for information. (313) 645-6666

• **JEWISH ENSEMBLE THEATRE**
"a comedy by Norman Lessing, opens for previews 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 7, 8:45 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9, 2 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10. Opening night 7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10. Continues 8 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday, 8:45 p.m. Saturdays, 2 & 7 p.m. Sundays to Oct. 1. Tickets $11-$22, senior citizen, student, group discounts. (810) 768-2900 or (810) 645-6666

AUDITIONS

• **PLYMOUTH-CANTON BALLET COMPANY**
Adult dancers for "The Nutcracker," 3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10, Joanne's Dance Extension, 9282 General Drive, Suite 180-190, Plymouth. (313) 397-8828

• **MIDWEST DANCE THEATRE**
"Nutcracker Ballet" Sunday, Sept. 10 at the Dance Academy, 1160 Walsh Road, Walled Lake. Ages 7-12 audition 2-3 p.m.; intermediate and advanced dancers 2-4:30 p.m.; adult actors 4:30-5 p.m. (810) 669-3444, (810) 437-6786, (810) 437-5434

• **ST. DUNSTAN'S GUILD**
Auditions for Stephen Sondheim's musical, "Merrily We Roll Along," Sept. 11-12, at St. Dunstan's, Lone Pine Road between Clarkstown and Lahser, Bloomfield Hills. (810) 683-2530

• **AVON PLAYERS**
"Bitter Spirit," Noel Coward comedy, 7 p.m. Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 11-12, Avon Playhouse, Tienken Road, 1½ miles east of Rochester Road, Rochester Hills. Scripts available at the Rochester Hills Public Library, second floor reference desk. (810) 651-9831

• **TEDD E. BEAR PRODUCTIONS**
"The Velveteen Rabbit," 1:30-5:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 10, Jewish Community Center, corner of Maple and Drake, West Bloomfield. Actors, singers, dancers, ages 8-16. There is a $5 processing fee. (810) 354-0545

• **MARQUIS THEATRE**
Children ages 6-15 for "Wizard of Oz," 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9 and 4:30-8:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10. Adults 7-10 p.m. Monday, Sept. 11. Children's Halloween show, "The Pied Piper of Dingen," 6:30-9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15. Theatre is at 135 E. Main St., Northville. (810) 349-8110

• **MICHIGAN PLAYWRIGHTS**
Staged reading of new scripts. Plays $35, Sept. 11, 7072 Farmington Dr., West Bloomfield, room 1 in Mize, east of Northwestern, west of Middlebelt, south of Orchard Lake). Performance Oct. 23. Scripts distributed Oct. 16. (810) 626-1693

• **LIVONIA CIVIC CHORUS**
At First Moslem School on Stark Road, north of Arthur Express, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 19. All voice parts. (313) 454-8177

• **SWEET ADELINES**
Great Lakes Chorus offering five free vocal lessons beginning 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 12 at Henry Ford High School on Clinton River Road, Sterling Heights. (810) 737-3745

• **PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY CHORUS**
At First United Method ist Church, 45201 N. Territorial Road, west of Sheldon, by appointment 7 p.m. Tuesdays, Sept. 12, 19, at the same location. Greatest need is for tenors. (313) 455-4090

• **SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE COMMUNITY CHOIR**
St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Five Mile Road west of Inkster Road, 7:30-10 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 12. (810) 349-8175 or (313) 462-4448

• **FARMINGTON COMMUNITY CHORUS**
Farmington Hills Activities Center, 11 Mile Road between Middlebelt and Inkster Roads, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 12. Fee is $30. Musical experience not necessary, but helpful. (810) 471-4516

• **MICHIGAN OPERA THEATRE**
Chorus for spring season, Wednesdays, Sept. 13 & 20. By appointment only. (313) 874-7813

• **DEARBORN COMMUNITY CHORALE**
Open registration 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 12 & 19, choice room, Dearborn High, 19501 W. Outer Dr. Weekly rehearsals 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, open to anyone who enjoys singing. (313) 943-2359

• **LIVONIA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**
For new orchestra members noon to 4 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8; 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9 in Knapp Hall, Madonna University, 1-96 at Levan Road, Livonia. 313 464-2741

• **PLYMOUTH SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**
Plymouth Canton High School Theatre in Band Room, 7:30 p.m. Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 11-12. Openings for all strings, principal bassoon and second clarinet. (313) 453-6309

• **OCC SYMPHONY BAND**
Consists of OCC students at the Highland Lakes campus in Waterford and other musicians. Must have some prior playing experience, but those who haven't played for a while are welcome. (810) 360-6218

• **OCC YOUTH BAND**
High School students from 22 local communities. Openings available in all sections. Rehearse at OCC Highland Lakes Student Center in Waterford. (810) 360-6218

• **LIVONIA YOUTH PHILHARMONIC**
Rehearsals start 9 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 9 at Churchill High School, 8000 Newburgh Road, Livonia. (313) 422-5603

COMMUNITY THEATER

• **RIVERDALE PLAYERS**
Open house for prospective members 1-4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10, 209 W. Long Lake Road, Troy (between Livernois and Crooks Road.) Season opens Sept. 21 with "Dracula, The Musical."
(810) 268-2725

• **AVON PLAYERS**
"The Will Rogers Follies," a life in revue, Ziegfeld-style show for the family, opens 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, Avon Playhouse, Tienken Road, 1½ miles east of Rochester Road, Rochester Hills. Shows 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, 2 p.m. Sundays, through Sept. 30. Tickets $12 adults, student, senior citizen discounts. (810) 375-1390

• **GREENFIELD VILLAGE THEATER**
"Sherlock Holmes" opens 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, Henry Ford Museum Theatre, Henry Ford Museum Dearborn. Performances 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, through Oct. 14, one matinee 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 8. Tickets $10. Combination dinner/theater package available for $29.50 per person. (313) 271-1630, Ext. 363

DINNER THEATER

• **KINGSLEY INN DINNER THEATRE**
IUD Productions presents "Mass Appeal by Bill C. Davis, Saturdays through Jan. 27, at the inn 1475 Woodward (south of Long Lake) Bloomfield Hills. Dinner 7:30 p.m. followed by show. Cost $29.95 per person. Includes full course dinner, show, one drink per person. Entree selections: chicken breast in cherry sauce, roast pork tenderloin, broiled salmon. (810) 642-0100

• **ALLEN PARK MOTOR LODGE**
"Love Letters" by A.R. Gurney opens 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, 14587 Southfield. Shows Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays through Oct. 1. Dinner and show $20.95. Sunday brunch $18.50. Show only tickets $10. (313) 277-1582

• **FIORELLI'S RESTAURANT**
"Who Shot the Sheriff," audience participation murder mystery, 20129 E. Lower Huron Dr., Flat Rock, Sept. 9 to Nov. 11. Cost $29 includes dinner, show, tax and tip. (313) 782-1431

DANCE

• **EW DANCING**
Country line dance lessons, 7-10 p.m. Tuesdays, partner dance lessons 7-9 p.m. Fridays, Botsford Inn, Farmington. Fee $5 to $7. (810) 442-8057

• **WESTERN DINNER DANCE**
Music by Frank and Melody, Friday, Sept. 8, at the Farmington Elks, 23666 Orchard Lake Road. Doors open 7 p.m., dance instruction 8-9 p.m. Cost $19.50 per person includes buffet, soft beer, wine and cover charge. Reservations required. Open to the public. (810) 476-1940

• **ENCOUNTERS**
"A Journey Through Space and Time," multimedia dance production choreographed by Barbara Salinger and performed with the Detroit Dance Collective, 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, 8 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17, Michigan Gallery, 2051 Michigan Avenue, Detroit. Tickets $10. (810) 544-5550

CLASSICAL

• **CHAMBER MUSIC SOCIETY**
Emerson String Quartet, 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9, Macomb Center for Performing Arts. (810) 286-2222

• **AFTERNOON OF OPERA**
Presented by the Verdi Opera Theatre of Michigan and Italian American Club of Livonia, 4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17, Italian American Club of Livonia, 30200 Five Mile Road. Featuring Plymouth Symphony Orchestra. Tickets $15 includes afterglow, $25 patron. (810) 471-7297 or (810) 477-0192

• **MARCH PARK METRODIST CHURCH**
Music Series begins with "Rhythm & Blues," a Texas based organ duo with international reputation, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 17 at the church, 29887 W. 11 Mile Road (east of Middlebelt) Farmington Hills. Tickets $12. (810) 476-8860

• **JULIUS CHAIFS CONCERT SERIES**
Detroit Chamber Winds 4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10, Jewish Community Center, West Bloomfield. Admission $10 (members), $12 (nonmembers). (810) 661-7634

FOLK

• **BRENDAN'S PUB**
Entertainment 9:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, 33219 W. 14 Mile Road, (northeast corner Farmington Road), West Bloomfield. (810) 655-5220

• **COWLEYS' OLD VILLAGE INN**
Irish folk band, Pat's People, 9:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Sept. 8-9, 15-16, 22-23 and 29-30, 33338 Grand River, Farmington. Dinners served before show. (810) 474-5941

• **DUSTY RHODES**
Dusty Rhodes, 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Botsford Inn, 28000 Grand River, Farmington Hills. (810) 474-4800

JAZZ

• **SOUTHFIELD MILLENNIUM THEATRE CENTER**
Montel Joseph E. Sealgrove & Sons Inc. presents night of keyboards and love songs, 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, featuring acoustic jazz pianist Kim Pertoyl with contemporary keyboardist Kevin Toney. (810) 552-7000 or (810) 645-6666

• **DEPALMA'S BISTORANTE**
Variety of entertainment, 31735 Plymouth Road, Livonia, 8 p.m. to midnight, Mondays, Larry Nozero & Friends play jazz; 6:30-10:30 p.m. Tuesday, Friday and Saturday, Ron DePalmo, piano; Enrico Caruso Opera Society, 7-10 p.m. Wednesdays; 6:30-10:30 p.m. Thursdays, the Strollers — David & Francesco. (313) 261-2430

• **JACK BROKENSHA QUARTET**
8 p.m. Thursdays, Botsford Inn, 28000 Grand River, Farmington Hills. (810) 474-4800

• **JAZZ DUO**
Marvin Kahn on alto clarinet and Keith Vreeland, piano, Thursday nights at Le Metro, 29855 Northwestern, Southfield. (810) 353-2577

• **SYNERGY**
Acoustic-electric band performing classical, jazz and pop 8-11 p.m. Thursdays, Lonestar Coffee Co., 207 S. Woodward, Birmingham. (810) 642-2233

• **LINDA BLANCHE TRIO**
Performs 6:30 p.m. Thursdays, 7:30 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays at Dunleavy's River Place, 207 Joe Campau, Detroit. (313) 259-0906

• **WIZZ JAZZ THURSDAYS**
In the lobby of the Second City building, 5-7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 7, Reyes Biggs and Friends, Sept. 14, Pita Boy Elroy. No charge. (313) 965-2222

• **NORMAN'S ETON ST. STATION**
Coleman & Rhoades, Wednesday & Thursdays in September, Kaleidoscope, Fridays and Saturdays, 245 S. Eton St., Birmingham. (810) 647-7774

• **ENVOY CAFE**
Tim Flannery with Nancy K., 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday and Saturday, Sept. 8-10, 33210 W. 14 Mile, West Bloomfield. (810) 855-6220

• **MURDOCK'S**
Norma Jean Bell and the Allstars, 8-11 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Sept. 8-9, 2065 Crooks Road, Rochester Hills. Call for reservations. (810) 852-0550

• **SHEILA LANDIS**
Coffee house, 307 Main St., Rochester, 6-9:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10; 8:30-11:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 16, Corner Beanery, 152 N. Woodward, Birmingham.

• **MOTOR CITY PRAISEFEST**
Gospel Music Festival features the Winans, Donald Lawrence & The Tri City Singers, and The Williams Brothers, 5-11 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8; 1:30-11 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9; 2-9 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 9, Hart Plaza on Jefferson, Downtown Detroit. No charge. (313) 450-6969

BENEFITS

• **LAKEPOINTE YACHT CLUB**
Fourth annual Festivaleri & Bar Softball Tournament to benefit the University of Michigan Trauma Burn Center for Children, noon, Sunday, Sept. 10. Edward Hines Dr. & Merriman Road, Diamond 13-14. Participants include Lakepoint Yacht Club, Malarkey's Bar & Grill, Beaver Creek & Good Chow's Sports Bar. Complimentary hot dogs, t-shirts $12. All proceeds to benefit burn center.

• **RAVEN'S CHOICE CONCERTS**
A benefit concert for Julie Chardonnay, 7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10, Botsford Inn, 28000 Grand River, Farmington Hills. Also opening act Woodward and Bay Down. Tickets $10. (313) 532-0448

CHILDREN'S EVENTS

• **SPIDERS**
Cranbrook Institute of Science presents a spider exhibit through Oct. 29. Weave webs, capture prey and see live specimens of some of the 34,000 species of spiders. Museum admission required. (810) 645-3230.

• **MAINSTREET COMEDY SHOWCASE**
Mark Morsel, Sept. 7-9. Tickets $10. Shows 8:30 p.m. Thursday, 8:30 & 10:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, 314 E. Liberty. (313) 996-9080

• **GINO'S COMEDY ROOM**
Gino's Punch, 8 p.m. dinner, 9:30 p.m. show, Fridays, 1999 Cass Lake Road, Keego Harbor. (810) 682-6540

• **SECOND CITY**
New show "Whatever Rating" opens Sept. 14. Reduced tickets available during previews, now through Sept. 13. (313) 965-2222

• **MARK RIDLEY'S COMEDY CASTLE**
Dawn Knows with The Lily Allen Band and Mark Mendoza, 8:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 11, show will be taped for HBO/Showtime, 269 E. Fourth St., Royal Oak. (810) 542-9900

• **PAISANO'S**
Mike Lukas 9 p.m. Fridays, 8 & 10:30 p.m. Saturdays, through Sept. 30, 5070 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. (313) 561-6885

FESTIVALS

• **RENAISSANCE FESTIVAL**
Continues 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. weekends to Sept. 24, one mile north of Mount Holly, Inc. on Dixie Highway between Pontiac and Flint. Admission, adults $11.95 at the gate, children 5-12 $5.95 at the gate. Highlights: Sept. 9-10, Country Wine Affair; Sept. 16-17 — Music and Dance; Sept. 23-24 — Sweet Endings 1-800-601-4848

• **FALL FEST**
Holy Redeemer Church, noon to 6 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10, Inkster between Ford, crafts & baked goods, 30075 W. Seven Mile Road, Livonia. (810) 476-3432

• **AUTUMNFEST**
Mary Thompson Farm, 25630 Evergreen (south of the Southfield Civic Center), 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 10, arts and crafts, entertainment, produce displays. (810) 354-4717

• **IN WINOUN COMMUNITY FALL FESTIVAL**
Sept. 8-10 downtown Plymouth.

• **GREENFIELD VILLAGE**
Old Car Festival, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 9-10. (313) 271-1976 or 1-800-TELL-A-FRIEND

• **DETROIT FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS**
Sept. 15-18, University Cultural Center, along Woodward, Cass and John R. (313) 577-5068

POPULAR MUSIC

• **2XL**
8 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 12, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Cover charge, 21 and older. (variety) (810) 543-0317

• **4 DEGREES**
9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. $5, 21 and older. (rock) (810) 334-9292

• **"ANN ARBOR BLUES AND JAZZ FESTIVAL"**
With Dr. John and John Mooney, 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, Michigan Theatre, 603 Liberty, Ann Arbor. $20 and $35. (313) 668-8397

• **BARNSTORMER**
8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 7-Sunday, Sept. 10, and Thursday, Sept. 14-Saturday, Sept. 16, Dimondhead Saloon, 49345 S. I-94 Service Dr., Belleville. Cover charge. 21 and older. (country) (313) 699-7890

• **BEALE STREET BAND**
9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9, The Tap Room, 201 W. Michigan Ave., Ypsilanti. $3. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 482-5320

• **GEORGE BEDARD AND THE KINGPINS**
8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, Old Woodward Grill, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 642-9400

• **BIG DADDY AND KINSEY REPORT**
9 p.m. and 11 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9, Magic Bag Theatre Cafe, 22918 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. $12 in advance. 18 and older. (blues) (810) 544-3030

• **BLACK MARKET**
8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Cover charge. 21 and older. (reggae) (810) 543-0317

• **BLUE COLLAR BLUES BAND**
8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9, Molly Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 581-3650

• **BLUE-EYED SOUL**
With Lemonjuice and Next Big Nothing, 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 7, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. $5. 18 and older. (rock) (313) 832-2355

• **BLUES ACTION COUNCIL**
8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, Stan's Dugout, 3350 Auburn Road, Auburn Hills. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 852-6433

• **BLUES LIFE**
8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, Molly Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 581-3650

• **BOTFLY**
With Dazed Potato, 9:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14, Bind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (funky rock) (313) 996-8555

• **BREECH**
With Moskow and Gone Daddy Finch, 9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, Lili's, 2930 Jacob, Hamtramck. $5. 21 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 875-6555

• **BRIGHT BLACK**
8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, Lili's, 2930 Jacob, Hamtramck. $5. 21 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 875-6555

• **THE CHUGARS**
8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14, The Lodge, 2442 Orchard Lake Road, Sylvan Lake. Cover charge. 21 and older. 10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, Studio Lounge, 6591 Orchard Lake Road, Westland. Cover charge. 21 and older. (rock) (810) 683-5458/(313) 729-2540

• **"DOOTSY CRUISIN PRESENTS"**
Shag and The Bucket, 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 18 and older. (funk) (313) 832-2355

• **EDWIN COLLINS**
With Ivy, 8 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 13, Industry, 15 S. Saginaw, Pontiac. $6.50 in advance. 18 and older. (alternative pop) (810) 334-1999

• **"DALLY IN THE ALLEY"**
With Social Circus, Trains Can't Stop, Motion Control, Kamar, Fathers of the Id, Red September, The Luddites, Twitch and Wake Jawaka on the east stage; Breech, the Hoosiepoopers, INGUNO, the Process, The Providers, Red Tree, Salad Circus, Skinnerbox and the Motor City Free Arts Group on the west stage; and Emie Douglas, Mark Christopher, Passenger to nowhere, The Impaler, Christine Tindall and Shawn Smith singing on the park stage, from 11 a.m.-11 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9, at the Daily in the Alley, on the alley between Forest and Hancock streets and Second and Third streets on the campus of Wayne State University, Detroit. (variety) (313) 577-5342

• **DEFDEMON**
9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 14, Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. $5. 21 and older. (rock) (810) 334-9292

• **DRIVEN SOUL**
8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9, Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. $5. 21 and older. (rock) (810) 334-9292

• **ENOOSTH HOOKAH**
9:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, Bind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. 19 and older. Cover charge. (Deadhead rock) (313) 996-8555

• **FLAVORED WITH MEAT**
9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. $5. 21 and older. (rock) (810) 334-9292

• **STEVE FORBERT**
With Peter Mulvey, 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. $13.50 in advance. 18 and older. (folk) (810) 335-8100

• **BLIND DOG FULTON**
8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15, Stan's Dugout, 3350 Auburn Road, Auburn Hills. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810