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Garden City. Free. 21 and older.
(734) 423-2434 (Irish folk)

IMMUNITY
10 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River Ave., Novi. Free. 21 and older. (248) 349-9110; 10 p.m. to 2 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Union Lake Grill and Bar, 2280 Union Lake Road, Commerce Township. Free. 21 and older. (248) 360-7450 (reggae)

FOLK/BLUEGRASS

DAVID BARRETT AND DAVID MOSHER

7:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 29, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$11. 10 members, students, seniors. All ages. (734) 761-1451 or <http://www.a2ark.org>

JOHN HARTFORD
8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$15. All ages. (734) 761-1451 or <http://www.a2ark.org>

PINO MARELLI
7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 26 and 8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, at Luciano's, 30031 Garfield, Clinton Township. (610) 263-6540. (Italian/Torinese)

POETRY/ SPOKEN WORD

JIM BERTIN & GEORGE GARCIA
8:30-10:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, open mic 8:30 p.m. in the Off-Hi-Wai Acoustic Coffee House at St. William Parish Hall, downtown Walled Lake. \$7.50, \$15 family, \$5 student. (248) 624-1421.

POETRY IN MOTION
Featuring urban poet and author Felix, author of "The Running Dream," 7-10 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 29, at the Grand Cafe, 33316 Grand River, east of Farmington Road, Farmington. Free. (248) 615-9161/(248) 821-1919/(313) 299-9909

DANCE

"COUNTRY CLASS"
Country/Western Dance, 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Plymouth Elks, 41700 East Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth. \$6.50. (734) 425-2207

DETROIT FOLKDAANCE CLUB
35th anniversary party 8 p.m. to midnight Friday, Nov. 27, live music by Balkan Quartet, international folk dancing at all levels, no partner required, all ages, at the First Congregational Church of Royal Oak, corner of Webster and Crooks. \$10. (248) 338-2339

FOURTH FRIDAY FLING
Advanced contact dancing with callers Peter Baker and music by Debbie Jackson, 7-11:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Pittsfield Garage, 3337 Ann Arbor-Saline Road (1/2 mile south of I-94), Ann Arbor. \$8. (734) 665-8863

"THE HARLEM NUTCRACKER"
Friday-Sunday, Nov. 27-29, 6, Detroit Opera House, 1550 Broadway, Detroit. \$15-\$50 for Friday-Sunday performances. \$12-\$45 for Wednesday-Thursday performances. (734) 764-2538/(800) 221-1229 or <http://www.ums.org>

OKLAHOMA COUNTY TRADITIONAL DANCE SOCIETY
Contra and square dances with Don Theykney and Don's Choice Band, 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, First Baptist Church, 309 N. Main St., Royal Oak. \$7. No partner or experience is required. (248) 542-2053

OKLAHOMA DANCE THEATRE
"Leaving Ground," a concert featuring works Oklahoma University students, faculty and guest artists, directed by Laurie Eisenhove, 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, Dec. 3-5, and 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 6, in the Varner Studio Theatre on the Oklahoma University campus, Rochester. \$10, \$8 seniors, \$5 students. (248) 370-3013

RADIO CITY CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR
Featuring the Rockettes, 70 performances from Friday, Nov. 27, Wednesday, Dec. 30, Fox Theatre, 2211 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$10-\$52.50. (248) 645-6666

SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE
Lessons offered 7:30 p.m. Wednesday evenings, no partner needed, beginners welcome, at Madison Heights United Methodist Church, 248 E. 11 Mile Road, east of John R. \$3, first visit free. (248) 546-5037/(248) 547-9823

COMEDY

JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB
Leo DuFour, Chris Zito from radio station WFLP (8 p.m. Saturday only), Tim Rolands and Rich Higginbottom, Wednesday, Nov. 27 (8:12), and Friday-Saturday, Nov. 27-28 (8:12). Paul O'Angelo, Robert Muck and Rich Higginbottom, Thursday-Saturday, Dec. 3-5 (8:12), at the club above Kiche's All American Grill, 36071 Plymouth Road, Livonia. 8

p.m. Wednesday-Thursday, 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays. Third Level Improv and new talent nights, 8 p.m. Sundays (55). (734) 261-0555

JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB AT PAISANO'S

Mike Green, 8:15 p.m. and 10:45 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Nov. 27-28 (\$10, \$22.95 dinner show package), and 7 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 29 (\$9); Randy Lubas, 8:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 3 (\$8, \$20.95 dinner show package), 8:15 p.m. and 10:45 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Dec. 4-5 (\$10 and \$22.95), and 7 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 6 (\$8, \$20.95 dinner show package), at the club, 5070 Schofield Road, Dearborn. (313) 584-8865

MAINSTREET COMEDY SHOWCASE
Darwin Hines, 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Nov. 27-28 (\$10), at the club, 314 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. (734) 996-0080

MARK RIDLEY'S COMEDY CASTLE
John Bazzire and Tim Lilly, Thursday-Saturday, Nov. 26-28, Jack Mayberry and Jeff Margrett, Wednesday-Saturday, Dec. 2-6, at the club, 269 E. Fourth St., Royal Oak. 8:30 p.m. Tuesdays (\$5), 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays-Thursdays (\$6), 8:15 p.m. and 10:45 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays (\$12), and 7:30 p.m. Sundays (\$6). Prices subject to change. (248) 542-9900 or <http://www.comedycastle.com>

SECOND CITY
"Daimlers are a Girl's Best Friend," a fifth anniversary celebration show retrospective, 8 p.m. Wednesday-Sundays with additional shows at 10:30 p.m. on Friday-Saturdays through Feb. 7, at the club, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$10

WEDNESDAYS, THURSDAYS, SUNDAYS, \$17.50 on Fridays, and \$19.50 on Saturdays (313) 955-2222

JOHN VALDY
7 p.m. Friday, Dec. 4, State Theatre, 2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$15. 18 and older. (313) 961-5451

MUSEUMS AND TOURS

DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM
Showing of Disney film "Pocahontas" followed by a Native American Workshop 1-3 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28. "The Fantasy World of Doll Houses," through Jan. 31.

"Remembering Downtown Hudson's" exhibit, a nostalgic look at what made Hudson's downtown Detroit store an icon of the city's prosperous era, runs through December, at the museum, 5401 Woodward Ave. (at Kirby), Detroit. Museum hours are 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Wednesday-Friday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday-Sunday. Free admission

Wednesdays; \$3 for adults, \$1.50 seniors and children ages 12-18, and free for children ages 4 and younger Thursdays-Sundays. (313) 833-1805 or <http://www.detroithistorical.org>

DETROIT SCIENCE CENTER
IMAX movies include "Tropical Rainforest" at 10 a.m. Mondays-Fridays, "Special Effects" at 1:40 p.m. Mondays-Fridays, and "Everest" multiple showings seven days a week at the center, 5020 John R. (at Warren), Detroit. Admission to Exhibit Hall is \$3 for adults, \$2 for children ages 3-15 and adults ages 60 and older, free for children ages 2 and younger. IMAX film free additional \$4. (313) 577-8040

DOSSIN GREAT LAKES MUSEUM/BELLE ISLE AQUARIUM
10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday-Sunday, Nov. 27-29 pay regular admission at either facility and the other will honor your entrance fee, see the "Racing on the Water: Sailing on the Great Lakes" exhibit on the history of competitive and recreational sailing and the "Yachts of the Auto Barons" exhibit at the museum, on Strand drive on Belle Isle. \$2 adults, \$1 seniors/children ages 12-18. (313) 852-4051

HISTORIC CHURCH TOURS
Featuring St. Peter-St. Paul Jesuit, Christ Episcopal, Second Baptist, St. Dominic Roman and St. Paul Cathedral Episcopal churches, Monday, Dec. 7, leaves from the Detroit Historical Museum's parking lot at 10 a.m. \$11 Detroit Historical Society members, \$16 non-members, includes bus, tour and luncheon. (313) 833-1405 or <http://www.detroithistorical.org>

MEADOW BROOK HALL
"1998 Holiday Walk," a Picture Perfect Holiday, Friday, Nov. 27-Sunday, Dec. 6, at the mansion, Oakland University, Walton Boulevard and Adams Road, Rochester. (248) 370-3140

CHARLES H. WRIGHT MUSEUM
"The Buffalo Soldier," a historical documentary on the African American soldier in the U.S. Army during the years 1866-1912, through Jan. 3, at The Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History, 315 E. Warren Ave., Detroit. \$5, \$3 children ages 17 and

younger, free for members and children younger than 5. (313) 494-5800

POPULAR MUSIC

ANTHRAX
8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Harpo's, 14238 Harper Road, Detroit. Tickets at Ticketmaster. All ages. (313) 824-1700 (rock)

BACK DOOR BLUES BAND
9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Nov. 27-28, Bad Frog Tavern, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (248) 624-9400 (blues)

BUGS BEDDOW BAND
9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday-Saturday, Dec. 4-5, Bad Frog Tavern, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (248) 642-9400 or <http://www.bugsbeddow.com> (blues)

JASON BONHAM BAND
Featuring "The Zep Set." 8 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 29, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$10 in advance, 18 and older. (248) 544-3030 or <http://www.themagicbag.com> (rock)

THE BOOGIEMEN
9 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Duggan's Irish Pub, 6722 Dixie Highway, Clarkston. Free. 21 and older. (248) 625-3900 (blues)

CALVIN MARVIN
10 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Mount Chalet, 32955 Woodward Ave., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (248) 549-2929 (rock)

CENTRIFUGE
With Superfusion, 9 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Giff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge, 21 and older. (248) 334-9292 (rock)

CHEAP TRICK
6:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, and 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28-29, St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$20 in advance, \$23 at the door. All ages. (313) 961-MELT or <http://www.961melt.com> (rock)

JAMES CLOYD GROUP
Hosts electric blues jam, 9 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 3, Sisko's, 5855 Monroe Boulevard, Taylor. Cover charge, 21 and older. (313) 524-0 or <http://www.siskos.com> (blues)

JOANNA CONNOR
9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Nov. 27-28, Sisko's, 5855 Monroe Boulevard, Taylor. Cover charge, 21 and older. (313) 528-5340 or <http://www.themagicbag.com> (rock)

DETROIT BLUES BAND
9 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Duggan's Irish Pub, 6722 Dixie Highway, Clarkston. Free. 21 and older. (248) 625-3900 (blues)

RONNIE EARL AND THE BROADCASTERS
8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Dec. 4-5, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$17 in advance (each night), 18 and older. (248) 544-3030 or <http://www.themagicbag.com> (blues)

GLEN EDDIE
9 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 3, Bobby J's Music Cafe, 29 Front St., Lake Orion. Cover charge, 21 and older. (248) 614-8550 (blues)

EDDY'S JOURNALS
With Pharmacy and Seven Down, 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, JD's Macomb Theatre, 31 N. Walnut St., Mount Clemens. Cover charge, 18 and older. (810) 913-1921 (rock)

88 FINGERS LOUIS LOVET
9 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$6 in advance, \$7 at the door. All ages. (248) 335-8100 or <http://www.961melt.com> (ska)

ELIZA
10 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Jimmy's, 1123 Kenebec, Grosse Pointe Farms. Free. 21 and older. (313) 886-8101 (pop)

THE REV. MARC FALCONBERRY
Hosts acoustic blues jam, 9 p.m. Wednesdays, Sisko's, 5855 Monroe Boulevard (at Van Born), Taylor. Cover charge, 21 and older. (313) 778-5340 or <http://www.siskos.com> (blues)

PETE "BIG DOP" FETTERS
8:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Nov. 27-28, Smitty's, 222 Main St., Rochester. Free. All ages. (248) 652-1600; 9 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 2, Fox and Hounds, 1560 Woodward

Ave., Bloomfield Hills. Free. All ages. (248) 644-4800 (blues)

FORCE OF HABIT
With Klank, 9 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, JD's Macomb Theatre, 31 N. Walnut St., Mount Clemens. Cover charge, 18 and older. (810) 913-1921 (rock)

FOUR GUYS DRINKING BEER
9 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Middlefree Irish Pub and Grill, 6327 Middlefree Road, Garden City. Free. 21 and older. (734) 425-2434 (blues)

THE GHETTOBOLLIES
With Quasar Wut-Wut and Gravity Well, 9:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$5, 19 and older. (734) 996-8555 (rock)

STEVE GORNALL
9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Dec. 4-5, Sisko's, 5855 Monroe Boulevard, Taylor. Tickets at Ticketmaster. 21 and older. (313) 228-5340 or <http://www.siskos.com> (blues)

"AMY GRANT CHRISTMAS"
With Grant, Michael W. Smith, CeCe Winans and the Nashville Symphony Orchestra, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, The Palace of Auburn Hills, 2 Championship Dr., Auburn Hills. \$24.50, \$27.50, \$34.50, and \$39.50. All ages. Groups of 10 or more receive \$3 off the ticket price. (248) 377-0100 or <http://www.palacenet.com> (Christian)

G.R.R.
9:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Second City's 5 Hole, 2211 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (313) 965-2222 (rock)

HARBINGER'S MILE
With Give and Medicine Ball, 9 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Giff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge, 21 and older. (248) 334-9292 (rock)

AL HILL
8 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 1, Fox and Hounds, 1560 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. Free. All ages. (248) 644-4800 (blues)

LISA HUNTER
2 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Borders Books and Music, 43075 Crescent Boulevard, Novi. Free. All ages. (248) 347-0780 (pop)

J. TRAIN
9:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Local Color Brewery, 42705 Grand River Ave., Novi. Free. 21 and older. (248) 349-2000 (R&B)

JIMMIE JACKSON AND THE BLUES CONNECTION
9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Nov. 27-28, Fox and Hounds, 1560 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. Free. All ages. (248) 644-4800 (blues)

MIKE KING
9:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Second City's 5 Hole, 2211 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (313) 965-2222 (rock)

ALDO PEREIRA
With Nineteen Wheels and Dovelait Joint, 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$6, 18 and older. (248) 544-3030 or <http://www.themagicbag.com> (funk/rock)

KOTOMI MOUTH KINGS
9 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 2, The Shelter below St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$8. All ages. (313) 961-MELT or <http://www.961melt.com> (rock)

KUNG FU DIESEL
10 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 19, The Lodge, 2442 Orchard Lake Road, Sylvan Lake. Free. 21 and older. (248) 683-5458 (rock)

LITTLE RED AND THE BIG BLUE
10 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River Ave., Novi. Free. 21 and older. (248) 349-9110 (R&B)

STONEY MAZAR AND THE WESTSIDERS
8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Dec. 4-5, Fox and Hounds, 1560 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. Free. All ages. (248) 644-4800 (blues)

PAT MCGEE BAND
9:30 p.m. Monday, Nov. 23, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$6 in advance, \$8 day of show, 19 and older. (734) 996-8555 (rock)

MR. B. TRIO
Celebrates release of CD "Joy Box" with party and performance, 8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$12.50. All ages. (734) 761-1451 or <http://www.a2ark.org> (boogie-woogie)

MOD EV
With Taproot, 9 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. \$5, 18 and older. (313) 832-2355 or <http://www.alvins.tcom.com> (rock)

EDDIE MONEY
8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, The Palace of Auburn Hills, 2 Championship Dr. (I-75 and Lapeer Road), Auburn Hills. \$10. All ages. (248) 377-0100 or <http://www.palacenet.com> (rock)

KNEE DEEP SHAG
With Nineteen Wheels and Dovelait Joint, 8 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$6, 18 and older. (248) 544-3030 or <http://www.themagicbag.com>

(funk/rock)

MERGE
With Bliss, 9 p.m. Friday, Dec. 4, JD's Macomb Theatre, 31 N. Walnut St., Mount Clemens. Cover charge, 18 and older. (810) 913-1921 (rock)

MOD EV
With Taproot, 9 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. \$5, 18 and older. (313) 832-2355 or <http://www.alvins.tcom.com> (rock)

MYSTERY TRAIN WITH JIM MCCARTHY
9 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Ford Road Bar and Grill, 35505 Ford Road, Westland. Free. 21 and older. (734) 721-8609 (blues)

THE OFFSPRING
7 p.m. Friday, Dec. 4, St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. Sold out. All ages. (313) 961-MELT or <http://www.961melt.com> (rock)

ONE'S DREAM
With Shout, 8 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 3, JD's Macomb Theatre, 31 N. Walnut St., Mount Clemens. Cover charge, 18 and older. (810) 913-1921 (rock)

PEACE DEAMON
9:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Bo's Blues, 51 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Free. 21 and older. (248) 332-6800 (jam rock)

ROBERT PENN
9 p.m. Friday, Dec. 4, 24 Karat Club, 28949 Joy Road (two blocks east of Middlebelt Road), Westland. Cover charge, 18 and older. (734) 513-5030 (blues)

"POP O.D." CD RELEASE PARTY
Featuring Princess Dragon-Mon, Marooned, The Process, Tars Tarkas, Cyber Trybe, Franklin Sane, The Impaler and Cindi St. Germain, the Lovemasters, Spall and Agent 09, playing Iggy Pop songs, 9 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Gold Dollar, 3129 Cass Ave., Detroit. \$5, 21 and older. (313) 833-6873 or <http://www.detroitmusic.com/stat/cv> (variety)

PUMMEL
With Swag and Broadzilla, 9 p.m. Friday, Dec. 4, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. \$5, 18 and older. (313) 832-2355 or <http://www.alvins.tcom.com> (rock)

THE RAT PACK
Featuring Bob Pussman, 10:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Rochester Mills Beer Co., 400 Water St., Rochester. Free. 21 and older. (248) 650-5080 (R&B)

KRISTIN SAYER BAND
10 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Library Pub, 35230 Central City Parkway, Westland. Free. 21 and older. (734) 212-2250 (R&B)

SECOND COMING
8 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 1, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$5, 18 and older. (248) 335-8100 or <http://www.961melt.com> (rock)

SOUTIE
9:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Copper Canyon Brewery, 27522 Northwestern Highway, Southfield. Free. 21 and older. (248) 223-1700 (funk covers)

JERRY SPRAGUE
10 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Tuesdays, Michigan Place, 1301 S. University, Ann Arbor. Free. 21 and older. (734) 665-2650 (acoustic pop covers)

CURTIS SUMPTER PROJECT
9 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, 24 Karat Club, 28949 Joy Road (two blocks east of Middlebelt Road), Westland. Cover charge, 18 and older. (734) 513-5030 (blues)

SUN MESSENGERS
9 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Karl's, 9779 Grotfend Road, Plymouth. Free. 21 and older. (734) 455-8450 (R&B)

THE DEREK TRUCKS BAND
9:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 3, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$8 in advance, 19 and older. (734) 996-8555 (rock)

VAL VENTRO
9:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Local Color Brewery, 42705 Grand River Ave., Novi. Free. 21 and older. (248) 349-2000 (R&B)

VISION TOWN
With Chamberlain, 9 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 3, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. \$5, 18 and older. (313) 832-2355 or <http://www.alvins.tcom.com> (rock)

VUDU HIPPIES
8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Tickets at Ticketmaster. All ages. (248) 335-8100 or <http://www.961melt.com> (rock)

WORKHORSE
With El Topo, 9 p.m. Friday, Nov. 27, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. \$5, 18 and older. (313) 832-2355 or <http://www.alvins.tcom.com> (rock)

XSCAPE
With Jay Z and Montell Jordan, 7 p.m. Friday, Dec. 4, Cobo Arena, Detroit. Tickets at Ticketmaster. All ages. (248) 645-6666 (R&B)

YOROKA
9:30 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 28, Copper Canyon Brewery, 27522 Northwestern Highway, Southfield. Free. 21 and older. (248) 223-1700