

# 8 days a week

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**PAUL FINNBEINER'S JAM SESSION:** 9 p.m. Sunday, at the Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. \$2 cover. (734) 662-8310

**FIVE GUYS NAMED MOE:** Present an evening of swing and jazz will be presented 7 p.m. Sunday, May 8 at First Presbyterian Church of Northville. Advance ticket prices are \$12, \$10 seniors/children age 12 and under, or \$15 at the door. (248) 349-0911

**TIM FLAHRTY TRIO:** With vocalist Nancy K 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday, May 12, at Woodruff's Supper Club, Royal Oak. (248) 586-1519

**DALE ANDERSON:** Reads from his CD "Artists, Poets and Philosophers" 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 8, at Barnes & Noble, Northville. (248) 348-0696

## DANCE

**CONTRA DANCE:** 8 p.m. Saturday, May 5, at the Pittsfield Grange, Ann Arbor. (734) 769-1052. \$8, \$7 members. (734) 769-1052

**COUNTRY/WESTERN CINCO DE MAYO DANCE:** Free line dance lesson offered at 7:30 p.m., dancing 7:11-30 p.m. Saturday, May 5, at the Novl Civic Center. \$7 Novl residents and seniors age 55 plus, \$8 non-residents. (248) 348-9116

**ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCING:** 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 15, at the Chapel Hill Clubhouse, Ann Arbor. \$5. (734) 442-1170

**MORGAN'S CONTEMPORARY DANCE COMPANY:** 2 p.m. Sunday, May 6, in the Maggie Almes Studio Theater at Wayne State University, Detroit. \$15, \$10 seniors/children. (248) 828-4080

**M OON-DUSTERS:** Spring dinner dance 8:30 p.m. (doors open at 6 p.m.) Saturday, May 5, at the Livonia Civic Center, 15218 Farmington Road, Livonia. \$15, \$5 dance only. Ballroom dancing every Saturday 8:30-11:30 p.m. \$5. (248) 967-1428/(734) 425-6381

**PRCUSA'S SYRENA DANCE ENSEMBLE:** Celebrate 25 years of polish dance 8 p.m. Saturday, May 12, in Adrey Auditorium, 5101 Evergreen, Dearborn. (734) 953-3330

**U-M BALLROOM DANCE CLUB:** Ballroom dance lesson and open dancing 4-10 p.m. Sunday, at the Union Ballroom, Ann Arbor. \$2. (734) 763-6984

**ELVIN JONES:** The drummer performs with his band Jazz Machine 8 p.m. Friday, May 11, at Orchestra Hall, Detroit. \$16-547. (313) 576-5111

**MIKE KAROUB'S DIXIE SYNCOBATERS:** 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Friday, May 11 and Saturday, May 19, at Fishbones, St. Clair Shores. (810) 498-3000

**MATT MICHAELS TRIO:** Vocalist Barbara Ware 8:11-30 p.m. Tuesday, May 9; Steve Wood, saxophone/flute 8:11-30 p.m. Wednesday, May 16, at Ron's Fireside Inn, 28937 Warren Road (east of Middlebelt), Garden City. (734) 762-7756

**JEANNIE MILLER:** 9:30 p.m. (first of 3 sets) Friday-Saturday, May 4-5; Julie Kelly 9:30 p.m. (first of 3 sets) Friday-Saturday, May 11-12, at the Bird of Paradise. \$10. (734) 662-8310

**LARRY NOZERO JAZZ QUINTET:** Perform 8 p.m. to midnight Mondays, at Mitch Housley's Food & Spirits, Livonia. (734) 425-5520 or visit the Web site at www.larrynozero.com

**ROBERT PENN:** 9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, May 4-5, at Edison's, Birmingham. No cover. (248) 645-2150

## FOLK BLUES/RASS

**DON CONOCENTINO/SERRAPERRE:** 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 16 CD Release 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 16, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$12.50. (734) 763-TKTS

**CHRISTINE LAVIN:** 8 p.m. Friday, May 5, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$12.50. (734) 763-TKTS

**BUDDY & JULIE MILLER:** 8 p.m. Thursday, May 10, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$13.50. (734) 763-TKTS

**NICKEL CREEK:** 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 9, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$13.50. (734) 763-TKTS

**TIM O'BRIEN/DARRELL SCOTT:** 8 p.m. Thursday, May 3, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$17.50. (734) 763-TKTS

**JOHN ROBERTS/TONY BARRAND:** 8 p.m. Friday, May 11, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$15. (734) 763-TKTS

**MIKE SEEGER/PEGGY SEEGER:** 7:30 p.m. Sunday, May 6, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$17.50. (734) 763-TKTS

**MARTIN SEXTON:** 7:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Saturday, May 12, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$17.50. (734) 763-TKTS

**RICKY SKAGGS & KENTUCKY THUNDER:** 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. Sunday, May 13, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$25. (734) 763-TKTS

**JAR WILLIAMS:** 8 p.m. Monday, May 14, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$25. (734) 763-TKTS

## WORLD MUSIC

**NIAGARA REGIONAL POLICE PIPES & DRUMS:** Perform with North Coast Pipe band, the Jar (Celtic music and song), and the Highland Dancers 7 p.m. Saturday, May 5, at the Monaghan K of C, Livonia. \$12 advance, \$14 at door. (248) 477-7542 or ThePipersCrot@prodigy.net (Scottish)

**SHAMROCK SHROU:** 9:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, May 4-5 and 11-12, at Cowley's Old Village Inn, Farmington. (248) 474-5941 (Irish folk)

**TROUBLESOME LASSES:** 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 8, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$10. (734) 763-TKTS

**KELLER WILLIAMS:** 9 p.m. Monday, May 7, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$10, \$12. (734) 763-TKTS

## POETRY/POKEN WORD

**BABY AMBASSADOR:** With The Jinx, 9 p.m. Saturday, May 12, Gold Dollar, Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (313) 833-6873 or www.golddollar.com

**BANTAM ROOSTER & THE BELLAYS:** 9 p.m. Saturday, May 5, Magic Stick, Detroit. (313) 833-9700

**BLAKE BABIES:** 6:30 p.m. Friday, June 8, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$12. (313) 833-9700

**THE BLACK CROWES AND OASIS:** "Tour of Brotherly Love" with Superhog, 6:30 p.m. Saturday, June 2, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$21.50-97.00. (248) 645-6666

**THE BLUES AIRMEN:** Biker night party, Thursday, May 3, Charles Too, Garden City. (734) 421-6540; Friday, May 4, Charles Too, Wayne. (734) 721-3860

**BOBBY LEWIS AND THE CRACKERJACK BAND:** Thursday-Saturday, May 4-6, 10-12, 17-19, Major Today's, Northville.

**BON JOVI:** 7:30 p.m. Sunday-Monday, July 15-16, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$29-668. (248) 645-6666

**THE BROTHERS GROOVE:** 10 p.m. Mondays, Fifth Avenue Billiards, Royal Oak. (248) 542-9922; 30 p.m. Thursdays, Music Men's, 9 p.m. Thursday, (313) 964-MENU; With Kush, Whiskey Rebellion, Saturday, May 5, Lili's 21, Hamtramck. (313) 875-6555

**BILL BRUFORD'S EARTHWORKS:** 8 p.m. Friday, June 1, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$22. (248) 544-3030

**THE BLUE RATS:** With Trash Beats, 9 p.m. Thursday, May 10, Gold Dollar, Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (313) 833-6873 or www.golddollar.com

**BROADZILLA:** 9 p.m. Saturday, June 2, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$7. (313) 833-9700

**DAVID BYRNE:** 8 p.m. Monday, May 21, Andy's Hall, Detroit. 18 and older. \$22. (313) 961-MELT

**AL CARMICHAEL:** 7 p.m. Monday, May 7, 14, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 644-4800

**CHAIN REACTION:** opening for Centrifuge, Friday, May 18, Club Bart, Ferndale. (248) 548-8746

**THE CLARKS:** 8 p.m. Thursday, May 18, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$8. (248) 544-3030

**CHRIS CODISH TRIO:** 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 16, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 644-4800

**COLDPLAY:** With Granddaddy, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, June 7, State Theatre, Detroit. All ages. \$21.75. (248) 645-6666

**COUCH:** With Black Rebel Motorcycle Club, PAIK, 9 p.m. Wednesday, May 9, Gold Dollar, Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (313) 833-6873 or www.golddollar.com

**DELTA 88:** With Chris Buhals, 8 p.m. Friday, June 8, Yippee Hippie Theatre, Livonia. \$10 or 8 theater members. (734) 464-8302

**DETROIT BLUES SOCIETY HERITAGE SERIES:** Featuring Alberta Adams, Betty Lovette, RJ's Blues Crew, Bobby Murray, The Blue Sui Band and guests, 5-9 p.m. Saturday, May 12, Monica Arts Cafe, Detroit. \$7 donation. (248) 262-6890

**DICK DALE:** With the Twistin' Tarantulas, 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 16, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$15. (248) 645-6666

**THE DIRTBOMBS:** With The Come Ons, DJ's Lemmy Caution and Alpha Sokante, 9 p.m. Friday, May 18, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$8. (313) 833-9700

**DOCUMENT:** With Crypt Kicker 5, Mock Heroes, 9 p.m. Saturday, May 5, Gold Dollar, Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (313) 833-6873 or www.golddollar.com

**ECBOR:** With Wolf Eyes, Bunytrains, 9 p.m. Wednesday, May 16, Gold Dollar, Detroit. Cover charge. (313) 833-6873

**FATBOY SLIM:** With Darren Emerson, DJ Scanty Sandwich, 9 p.m. Thursday, May 3, Clutch Cargo, Pontiac. All ages. \$23. (313) 961-MELT

**FEW AND FAR BETWEEN:** With The Stryder, Remainder, Junction 18, 7 p.m. Monday, May 21, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$7. All ages. (313) 833-9700

**FINGER ELEVEN:** With Boy Hits Car, 5:30 p.m. Friday, June 1, St. Andrews Hall, Detroit. \$10. All ages. (313) 961-MELT

**GASOLINE:** With MHZ, Mistreaters, 9 p.m. Friday, May 4, Gold Dollar, Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (313) 833-6873 or www.golddollar.com

**G LOVE AND SPECIAL SAUCE:** With Princes of Babylon, 9 p.m. Friday, May 4, The Majestic, Detroit. \$20. (313) 833-9700

**THE GREAT CRUSADES:** With Bogue, The Drugs, 9 p.m. Friday, May 11, Gold Dollar, Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (313) 833-6873 or www.golddollar.com

**GREEN DAY:** 4 p.m. Monday, July 2, Phoenix Plaza Amphitheatre, Pontiac. All ages. \$25. (248) 645-6666

**ROBERT GORDON:** With Sleepy LaBeaf, 8 p.m. Saturday, May 19, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. (248) 544-3030

**GORE GORE GIRLS:** With Them Wranch, The Chicken Hawks, 9 p.m. Saturday, May 26, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$7. (313) 833-9700

**GUIDED BY VOICES:** With Creeper, Lagooon, 8 p.m. Friday, May 11, Majestic Theatre, Detroit. 18 and older. \$14. (248) 645-6666

**AL HILL:** 9 p.m. Friday, May 4, 336 Main, Plymouth. (734) 454-6500; 10 p.m. Saturday, May 5, Cavern Club, Ann Arbor. (734) 332-9900;

**AL HILL TALE WITH KEVIN MURPHY ON DRUMS AND PAT PROULY ON BASS:** 9 p.m. Thursday, May 3, The Habitat, Inside Weber's Hotel, Ann Arbor. (734) 665-3636; 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 8, Thursday, May 17, Zydeco Louisiana Restaurant, Ann Arbor. (734) 995-3600

**JANET JACKSON:** With 112, 7:30 p.m. Monday, July 23, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$34.75-\$77.75, with 25 cents from each ticket donated to the Boys and Girls Club of America. (248) 645-6666

**JIMMIE JACKSON & THE BLUES CONNECTION:** 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, May 4-5, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 644-4800

**JOURNEY:** With Peter Frampton, John Walter, 6:30 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday, July 10-11, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$20-\$42.50. (248) 645-6666

**JULIANA THEORY:** With Squad 5-6, 8 p.m. Sunday, May 6, The Shelter, Detroit. \$8. (313) 961-MELT

**JACATHY KOSINS:** 7 p.m. Thursday, May 3, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 644-4800

**KOTTONMOUTH KINGS:** 8 p.m. Sunday, May 6, Clutch Cargo, Pontiac. All ages. \$15. (313) 961-MELT

**DI JAY LANGA AND IVAN PASKAL:** "Stretch" Sundays at the Groove Room beginning this month, Royal Oak. Cover charge after 10 p.m. (248) 589-3344

**LAZY CRAZIES:** With Nuke & The Toxic Offenders, DJ El Jefe, 9 p.m. Thursday, May 10, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$5. (313) 833-9700

**ADRIAN LECHE:** 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 15, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. (248) 544-3030

**LIL BOW WOW:** 7 p.m. Friday, May 11, Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$25-\$30. (248) 645-6666

**STONEY MAZZAR & THE WESTSIDERS:** 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, May 11-12, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 644-4800

**METAPHYSICAL JONES:** 10 p.m. Thursdays, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. \$5. 18 and over. (313) 962-7067

**EDDIE MONEY:** With Burning Candles, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, May 27, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$12.50-\$20.50. (248) 645-6666

**JOHN MICHAEL MONTGOMERY:** 7:30 p.m. Saturday, June 3, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$15.50-\$27.50. (248) 645-6666

**MIXX:** With Good Charlotte, Ultimate Fakebook, 7:30 p.m. Monday, May 21, State Theatre, Detroit. All ages. \$14.75. (248) 645-6666

**MY STUPID MACHINE:** Formerly Treblehead, will perform with Perpetual Hyde Engine, Robb Roy, Throtlebody, 8 p.m. Friday, May 4, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. All ages. \$8. (248) 544-7938

**STEVE NARDELLA:** 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, May 18-19, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 644-4800

**'N SYNC:** 2001 Pop Odyssey Tour, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, June 30, Comerica Park, Detroit. \$49.50, (248) 645-6666

**ORIGINAL HITS:** 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 8, 15 Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 644-4800

**DONNY OSBOND:** 8 p.m. Saturday, May 12, Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$37-\$52. (313) 471-3099

**OVERDOSE:** 9 p.m. every Sunday, hosted by DJ Thomas Barnett, Sky Bar, upstairs from Sangria, Royal Oak. 21 and older. \$5 cover. (248) 543-1964 (techno)

**OZZFEST:** Featuring Black Sabbath, Ozzy Osborne, Tony Iommi, Geezer Butler, Warren, joined with Marilyn Manson, Slipknot, Papa Roach, Linkin Park, Crazy Town and more, hosted by Rev. B. Dangerous. 6 p.m. main stage opens, Monday, July 30, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$58-\$78. (248) 645-6666

**PANTERA:** "Extreme Steel Tour", with Slayer, Static-X, Skrape and Morbid Angel, 6 p.m. Saturday, June 30, Cobo Arena, Detroit. \$40. (248) 645-6666

**PARADIME:** With Beats at Will Crew and DJ Mark E.P., guests Total Disregard, Black Magic Crossing, DJ Pay Per Kutt, 9:30 p.m. Saturday, May 5, Blind Pig, Ann Arbor. Come out for the live recording of the show, for the new album, Vices, 19 and older. \$6. (734) 996-8555

**THE PAYBACKS:** With With Shepwerth, Gore Gore Girls, 9 p.m. Friday, May 4, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. (248) 544-3030; With Stroker Ace, The Unfriendlys, Bomb Pops, 9 p.m. Friday, May 25, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$7. (313) 833-9700

**ROBERT PENN:** 10 p.m. Friday, May 11, Memphis Smoke, Royal Oak. (248) 543-4300

**ROCK PIAZZA & THE MIGHTY FLYERS:** 8 p.m. Wednesday, June 12, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. (248) 544-3030.

**PLATINUM PLAYS BALL 2:** Ja Rule, Memphis Bleek, Eightball and MJG, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 24, Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$65, \$47.50, \$37.50, \$32.50. (248) 645-6666

**POISON'S GLAM METAL SUNDAY:** With Warrent, Quiet Riot, Enuff Z'Nuff, 6 p.m. Wednesday, July 4, DTE Energy Theatre, Independence Township. \$18-\$32.50. (248) 645-6666

**IGGY POP:** With Buckcherry, 7:30 p.m. showtime, Sunday, May 20, State Theatre, Detroit. All ages. \$26.75. (248) 645-6666

**PROJECT OBJECT:** 8 p.m. Sunday, May 20, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. (248) 544-3030

**POWDERFINGER:** With Ours, 7 p.m. Monday, June 4, The Shelter, Detroit. \$10. All ages. (248) 645-6666

**PUNK-O-RAMA:** Featuring Fenix TX, Guttermouth, U.S. Bombs, Deviates, 6 p.m. Tuesday, May 29, St. Andrews Hall, Detroit. \$12. (313) 961-MELT

**REVENED HORTON HEAT:** With the Go To Hells, Death on Wednesday, 9 p.m. Friday, June 8, Majestic Theatre, Detroit. 18 and older. \$15. (248) 645-6666

**ROXY MUSIC REUNION:** 7:30 p.m. Sunday, July 29, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$27.50 lawn/ \$52.50-\$72.50 pavilion. Eight ticket limit per person. (248) 645-6666

**LEON RUSSELL:** 8 p.m. Friday, June 29, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$20. (248) 544-3030

**SADE:** Lover's Rock Tour, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 19, The Palace of Auburn Hills. Tickets \$35.25-\$65.25 on sale 10 a.m. May 5. (248) 645-6666

**THE SALTEENS:** With DJ Aaron Warshaw, 9 p.m. Wednesday, May 30, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$5. (313) 833-9700

**SAVATAGE & FATES WARNING:** With Tiles, 7 p.m. Thursday, May 3, Emerald Theatre Complex, Mt. Clemens. (810) 913-1920

**SHINE:** With Whitehouse, Houston, April in Athens, 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 8, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$7. All ages. (313) 833-9700

**DJ SHORTROUND:** Spins house along with hosts El George and Kegger from Motor Detroit, for Sunday Night Rehab, 10 p.m. Sundays, Town Park Tavern, Detroit. (313) 961-1929

**SHOWOFF:** With Lucky Boys Confusion, 7 p.m. Thursday, May 17, The Shelter, Detroit. All ages. \$6. (248) 645-6666

**SHOWSHANE:** With Detachment XII, 9 p.m. Thursday, May 24, Gold Dollar, Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (313) 833-6873

**SIZZLA:** 9 p.m. Thursday, May 3, The Majestic, Detroit. \$20. (248) 645-6666

**SMALL CRAFT SIGHTING:** With Radio Holiday, Capture the Flag, Leland, 9 p.m. Friday, May 4, Magic Stick, Detroit. All ages. (313) 833-9700

**RJ SPANGLER TRIO:** Featuring Odessa Harris, 7 p.m. Thursday, May 17, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 644-4800

**ROD STEWART:** 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 25, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$27.75-\$82.75. (248) 645-6666

**STING:** With Jill Scott, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, May 19, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$39.50-\$89.50. (248) 645-6666

**STYX AND BAD COMPANY:** With Billy Squier and Joe Stark, 6 p.m. Friday, July 6, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Detroit. \$20-\$39.50. Price includes donation to Rock and Roll Hall of Fame Museum. (248) 645-6666

**STUNNING AMAZON:** With Judah Johnson, Blair, 9 p.m. Saturday, May 19, Gold Dollar, Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (313) 833-6873 or www.golddollar.com

**SUPERDOT:** With The Skrapes, Aks Maslow, DJ El Jefe, 9 p.m. Thursday, May 17, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$5. (313) 833-9700

**THE SWINGIN' NECKBREAKERS:** With Greenhorns, Stomp Rockers, 9 p.m. Thursday, May 3, Gold Dollar, Detroit. 21 and older. \$8. (313) 961-MELT

**JAMES TAYLOR:** 7:30 p.m. Monday, July 23, Yippee Hippie Theatre, Independence Township. \$27.50-\$54. (248) 645-6666

**MICK TAYLOR:** Former Rolling Stone, 8 p.m. Tuesday, June 5, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$18. (248) 544-3030

**THIRD EYE BLIND:** With Leanne Womack & Soul Decision, 8 p.m. Saturday, May 5, Magic Bag, Ferndale. Tickets available through 95.5 FM.

**THE TODDIES:** With Elliot, 8 p.m. Saturday, May 5, The Majestic, Detroit. \$12.50. All ages. (313) 833-9700

**TOOL:** 7:30 p.m. Friday, May 18, State Theatre, Detroit. All ages. Tickets \$31.25 on sale Friday, May 4, (248) 645-6666

**PETER TORQUE:** 11 p.m. Thursday, May 17, Garden Bowl, Detroit. (313) 833-9700

**TRAIN:** With Pat McGee Band, 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 15, Clutch Cargo, Pontiac. \$15. (248) 645-6666

**RANDY TRAVIS:** With Phil Vassarville, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, July 22, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. \$18.50-\$32.50. (248) 645-6666