

8 days a week

A Guide to entertainment in the Metro Detroit area

POPULAR MUSIC

SAL D'AGNILLO
9 p.m.-1 a.m. Friday, Sept. 27, Fat Willy's, 19170 Farmington Road, Livonia. Free. 21 and older. (acoustic rock) (810) 615-1330

THE ALLIGATORS
9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 543-0917

TORI AMOS
With Josh Clayton-Felt, 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, Hill Auditorium, 530 S. State St., Ann Arbor. \$23.50 and \$20. All ages. (pop) (313) 764-8350

BETTY
9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$10 in advance. 18 and older. (pop) (810) 335-8100

BLUE ROSE
9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27-Saturday, Sept. 28, Buster's Lounge, 50935 Van Dyke, Shelby Township. (blues) (810) 731-5755

ROBERT BRADLEY'S BLACKWATER SURPRISE
Celebrates release of self-titled debut album, 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$7 in advance. 18 and older. (blues) (313) 963-8621

JONATHAN BRODIE
Formerly of The Story, 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$12.50. (pop singer/songwriter) (313) 761-1451

BROTHER RABBIT
9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 26, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 18 and older. (funk) (313) 996-2748

BUGS BEDDOW BAND
9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 26, Union Lake Grill and Bar, 2280 Union Lake Road, Commerce Township. 9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, Tap Room, 201 W. Michigan Ave., Ypsilanti. 9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, Beale Street Blues Barbecue, 8 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (810) 360-7450/(313) 482-5320/(810) 334-7900

BULLSEYE BLUES 5TH ANNIVERSARY TOUR
With Smokin' Joe Kubek Band, Smokey Wilson, and Pat Boyack and The Proctors, 9 p.m. Friday, Oct. 3, Fifth Avenue, 215 W. Fifth Avenue, Royal Oak. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 542-9922

SCOTT CAMPBELL GROUP
10 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 29, Cadieux Cafe, 4300 Cadieux, Detroit. Free. All ages. (alternative rock) (313) 882-8569

CHISEL BROS. WITH THORNETTA DAVIS
9 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 3, Fox and Hounds, 1530 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. (R&B) (810) 644-4800

DOROTHY
9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 996-2748

CLIFF ERICKSON
9 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 29, Old Woodward Grill, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (810) 642-9400

PETE "BIG DOG" FETTERS
9 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 3, and Thursday, Oct. 10, The Attic, 11667 Joseph Campau, Hamtramck. (percussion blues) (313) 365-4194

THE FLAMETHROWERS
Featuring Kris Peterson, 9 p.m. Friday, Oct. 4, Moby Dick's, -3452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 581-3650

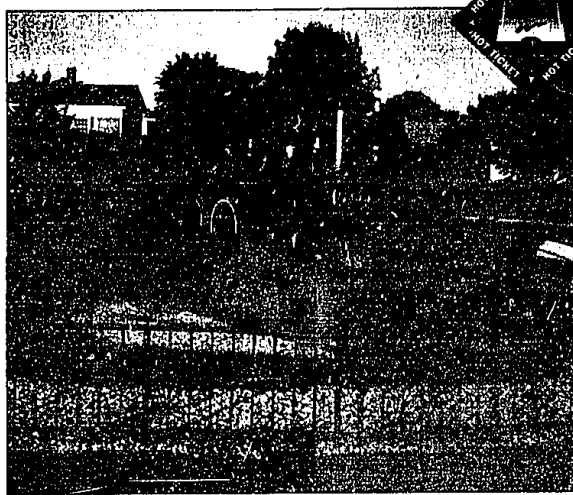
FLETCHER PRATT
With The Impossibles, 9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 18 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 832-2355

STEWART FRANKIE
8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$7 in advance. 18 and older. (singer/songwriter) (810) 335-8100

TOM FREDRICKS
9 p.m.-1 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, Fat Willy's, 19170 Farmington Road, Livonia. Free. 21 and older. (acoustic rock) (810) 615-1330

WARRIOR'S SNAKE
9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, Moby Dick's, -3452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 581-3650

WARRIOR'S WOLF
With Reid Flemming and Scapogato, 9:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, Blind Pig, 206-208 S.



Railroad days: Rarely seen engines and rail cars from the collection of Henry Ford Museum & Greenfield Village will be on display, with exhibits of modern rail cars and equipment from commercial rail companies during Railroad Days at Greenfield Village Sept. 28-29.

First St., Ann Arbor. \$5. 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 996-8555

AL HILL AND THE LOVE BUTLERS
9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, Tuesday, Oct. 1-Wednesday, Oct. 2, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. 9 p.m. Friday, Oct. 4, Old Woodward Grill, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 543-0917/(810) 642-9400

HOWLING DIABLOS
9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 26, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. 9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, Jupiter Room, 40 W. Pike St., Pontiac. 9 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 29, Bear's Den, 2972 Coolidge Highway, Berkeley. (blues) (810) 543-0917/(810) 253-1300/(810) 545-2246

HOWLIN' MERCY
9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 581-3650

ISABELLA STARBUCK
9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 26, Magic Bag, 22918 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$2. 18 and older. (alternative rock) (810) 544-3030

SLEEPY LAUREL
8 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 29, Magic Bag, 22918 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$7 in advance. 18 and older. (rockabilly) (810) 544-3030

JOHN D. LAMB
As part of Tuesday Night Music Club, 9:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 1, Rock on Third, 112 E. Third St., Royal Oak. 21 and older. (acoustic rock) (810) 615-1330

SHAG
9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 26, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$7 in advance. 18 and older. (funk) (810) 335-8100

LISA ST. ANN
8-4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$10. 19 and older. (Deadhead) (313) 996-8555

MISS BLISS
With The Naming Mary and Ten Second Dynasty, 9:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 26, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$4. 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 996-8555

THE MISSION
9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27-Saturday, Sept. 28, Sisko's on the Boulevard, 5855 Monroe (at Van Born), Taylor. Cover charge. (blues) (313) 278-5340

MOONPIE FONTANA
9 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 29, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (alternative rock) (810) 543-0917

MOTOR DOLLS
Celebrate release of CD with party and performance. With special guest Betty, during their annual "Junk 'n' Jam," 9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, Magic Bag, 22918 Woodward Ave., Ferndale.

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MUDDPUDDY
9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27-Saturday, Sept. 28, Old Woodward Grill, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 642-9400

NEXT BIG NOTHING
9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 26, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 18 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 832-2355

PLYMOUTH MUSIC CELEBRATION
With Onisc Bros., with Thornetta Davis, Robert Noll, Baked Potato, Mimi Harris and the Snakes, Muddpuddy, 5-9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27 (blues); With Debi Samuels, the Forbes Brothers, Hot Walker and Storm Rider, 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28 (country); and Lemon James (rock), JNO/JNO (jazz), Black Market (reggae), 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, at Kellogg Park, downtown Plymouth. Free. (313) 459-6969

THE POCKET BAND
9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, Soup Kitchen Saloon, 1585 Franklin, Detroit. \$5. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 259-1374

RESTROOM POETS
With Spank and Barb Payton Band, 9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, Lil's, 2930 Jacob, Hamtramck. Cover charge. 21 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 875-6555

SHAWN RILEY
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11 p.m.-midnight Friday, Sept. 27, Sardine Bar, 1548 Franklin, Detroit. Free. 21 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 587-4955

SPEEDBALL
10:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 18 and older. (rock) (313) 485-5050

BRUCE SPRINGSTEEN
8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 26, Hill Auditorium, 530 S. State St., Ann Arbor. Tickets at Hudson's. Ticketmaster outlets only. All ages. (solo acoustic) (313) 764-8300

SUGARSPUN
8 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 1, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. Cover charge. 18 and older. (alternative rock) (810) 544-3030

SUPERFLY JONES
With Masters of None, and Fiends from Wonderland, 9 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 26, 3-0, 1815 N. Main St., Royal Oak. Cover charge. 21 and older. (funk) (810) 589-3344

THRILL
Featuring Mike Hand and former members of Hard Over Head and Inside Out, 10:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 18 and older. (hard alternative rock) (9313) 485-5050

TOMMY D BAND
9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27-Saturday, Sept. 28, Pepples, 3270 W. Huron, Waterford. (rock/blues) (810) 652-6200

TOP KAT
9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (313) 996-2748

"THE ULTIMATE DANCE PARTY"
With The BaySide Boys, Quad City DJs, Neil, and Q95 DJ Lisa Lisa, 9 p.m.-2 a.m. Friday, Oct. 4, State Theatre, 2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Tickets at Ticketmaster. 18 and older. (dance) (313) 963-5451

RANDY VOLIN AND SONIC BLUES
9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27-Saturday, Sept. 28, Fox and Hounds, 1530 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. (blues) (810) 644-4800

"WORLD OF ELDE GUITAR"
With bluesman Bob Brozman, India's Debashish Bhattacharya, and British guitarist/singer/songwriter Martin Simpson, 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$12.50. (313) 761-1451

ZENI GEVA
With Princess Dragon-Mom, and Gravitar, 9 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 29, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 18 and older. (alternative rock/noise) (313) 832-2355

ZUBA
With Omnibus Seapods, 9:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 3, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$6 in advance. 18 and older.

(funk) (313) 996-8555

CLUB NIGHTS

ALVIN'S
Techno dance night, 9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, at the club, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 18 and older. (313) 832-2355

CROSS STREET STATION
Ska and world beat, 9 p.m. Sundays. Cover charge. 18 and older. Retro dance party, 9 p.m. Tuesdays. \$3. 21 and older. Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. (313) 485-5050

FAMILY FUNKTION
"Uptown Remix," acid jazz, hip-hop, funk and soul dance mix with local and national guest DJs, 9 p.m. Fridays, Magic Bag, 22918 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$5. 18 and older. "Family Funktion" night, 9 p.m. Wednesdays. Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 18 and older. (313) 832-2355/(810) 544-3030 (acid jazz/funk)

ST. ANDREW'S HALL/THE SHELTER
10 p.m. Wednesdays "The Incinerator," alternative rock in the Shelter, \$6, 18 and older; 10 p.m. Fridays "Three Floors of Fun" with hip-hop and alternative rock, \$3 before 11 p.m., \$5 after, 18 and older; 10 p.m. Saturdays "Old School Night" in the Shelter, \$3. 18 and older. 431 E. Congress, Detroit. (313) 961-MELT

3-D
"Prophecy," techno/alternative dance night, 9 p.m. Fridays; "Liquido," funk/techno/house music dance night with DJ Mike Huckaby, 9 p.m. Wednesdays, at the club, 1815 N. Main St., Royal Oak. Cover charge. 21 and older. (810) 589-3344

THEATER
DETROIT OPERA HOUSE
"Carmina" - The first Broadway musical to be presented on the stage at the house, through Sunday, Oct. 13, 1526 Broadway, Detroit. Tickets at Ticketmaster. (313) 872-1000/(810) 645-6666

FOX THEATRE
"Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat," through Saturday, Oct. 12, 2211 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$10-\$57.50; group discounts available. (810) 433-1615

GEM THEATRE
"The All Night Strut" Wednesdays through Sundays through Friday, Nov. 29, at the theater, 58 E. Columbia (across the street from the State and Fox theaters), (313) 963-9800

Meadow Brook Theatre
"Beau Jest," through Sunday, Oct. 27, at the theater, Wilson Hall, Oakland University, Walton and Squirrel boulevards, Rochester. Tickets available at the box office and Ticketmaster. (810) 377-3310

COLLEGE
HILBERRY THEATRE
"The Dining Room," Friday, Oct. 4-Saturday, Nov. 23, at the theater, Wayne State University campus, Detroit. 8 p.m. Thursdays-Fridays, 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturdays, and 2 p.m. Wednesdays. \$9.50-\$16.50. Group discounts available. (313) 577-2972

UNIVERSITY OF DETROIT MERCY THEATRE COMPANY
"Sy Fox," Friday, Oct. 4-Sunday, Oct. 20, McAuley Theatre, UOM campus, Six Mile and Livernois roads, Detroit. (313) 993-1130

ANN ARBOR CIVIC THEATRE
"Six Degrees of Separation," Wednesday, Oct. 2-Saturday, Oct. 5, Lydia Mendelsohn Theatre, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. (313) 971-2228

R.A.T. COMPANY
"Civilization Is Like a Jettliner and the Black Box Baby," 9 p.m. Thursdays-Sundays, through Sunday, Oct. 6, Third Street Theatre, Third and Forest streets, Wayne State University, Detroit. \$5. (313) 831-3434/(313) 831-0665

ROSELAND PLAYERS
"Little Shop of Horrors," Thursday, Sept. 26-Sunday, Sept. 29, at the playhouse, 205 W. Long Lake Road, Troy. \$10 Thursdays; \$12 other nights. 7:30 p.m. Thursdays, 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, and 3

p.m. Sundays. (810) 888-7049
STAGECRAFTERS
"Seven Brides for Seven Brothers," weekends through Sunday, Oct. 6, Baldwin Theatre, 415 S. Lafayette, Royal Oak. (810) 541-4832

YOUTH

MARQUIS THEATRE
"Rapuzel," Tuesdays through Fridays and Sundays through Sept. 29, Marcus Theatre, 135 E. Main St., Northville. Show is recommended for children older than 3 1/2 years old. (810) 349-8110

PAPER BAG PRODUCTIONS
"Alice in Wonderland," Saturdays and Sundays Sept. 28-Oct. 22, Players Club, 3321 E. Jefferson, Detroit. Saturdays, lunch begins at noon with the show at 1 p.m.; Sundays, lunch at 1 p.m. and show at 2 p.m. \$7 includes lunch.50 cent discount for anyone who brings in a new or in-good-condition children's book for Focus Hope. (810) 682-8118

WILD SWAN THEATER
"Owl's Winter," as part of the theater's "Young Theater Goes Series" for kids ages 3-8, 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Thursday, Sept. 26, Twilsey Auditorium, Washtenaw Community College, Morris Lawrence Building, 4800 E. Huron River Dr., Ann Arbor. (313) 763-7115

SPECIAL EVENTS

"A CONVERSATION WITH GREGORY PECK"
One-man two-hour show features a question and answer session with Peck, and a video montage of memorable moments from his 50-year career. 8 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 1, Music Hall Center for the Performing Arts, 350 Madison, Detroit. \$28.50-\$43.50. \$125 ticket includes cocktail reception prior to the performance. (313) 963-7822

"LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION"
Benefit for Variety - The Children's Charity, that features strolling supper, cocktails, supper silent and silent auction and a sneak preview of a major feature film, 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 2, Snowscape Auburn Hills, 100 Opdyke Road between University and Walton boulevards, Auburn Hills. \$35; \$100 patron tickets. All proceeds benefit the area children's charities. (810) 258-5511

CATHERINE ROLLIN
Composer-theater speaks about "Teaching Expressive Playing Through Imagery" during the meeting of the Metropolitan Detroit Musicians League, 10 a.m. Monday, Sept. 30, at Evola Music, 2184 S. Telegraph Road, Bloomfield Hills. (810) 689-3459

WORLD WRESTLING FEDERATION
"Big Bang Boom" four 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, Joe Louis Arena, Detroit. \$15-20. Groups of 20 or more receive \$3 off each ticket. (313) 983-6606

FAMILY EVENTS

HOLLAND FURS FESTIVAL
Featuring planting demonstrations, free cider and donuts, a "guess the number of bulbs" contest, kid's bulb planting, pony rides, continuous music by a 1920 European "fairgrounds" organ, and a performance by the Holland Michigan Tulip Time Dutch Dancers, Saturday, Sept. 28-Sunday, Sept. 29, at Brickscaple Gardens, Old Novi Road and east of Novi Road. (810) 348-2500

"AN INTERNATIONAL TASTE-FEST"
"An International Taste-Fest," with restaurants and food vendors, live entertainment, health care screenings, children's activities, arts and crafts vendors, vintage car display, and cooking demonstrations, 12:30 p.m.-5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 29, Hope United Methodist Church, 26275 Northwestern Highway, Southfield. (810) 356-1020

LINCOLN-MERCURY AUTOZ
MAIZE
A 3-mile, three-dimensional, life-size maze featuring theatrical devices, symphonic music, 100-foot towers and navigational clues, 9 a.m.-dusk, Fridays through Sundays through the end of September. \$8.50 for those aged 5-11; and free for those younger than 5. (810) 855-6777

COMMUNITY THEATRE

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