

8 days a week

A Guide to entertainment in the Metro Detroit area.

THEATER

ALLEY THEATRE
"Sylvia" comedy by A.R. Gurney, through Sunday, July 27, Trappers Alley third level, 608 Monroe St., Detroit. 8 p.m. Thursdays-Saturdays, 4 p.m. Sundays. \$12-\$20. (313) 963-9339/(248) 645-6666

MACOMB CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS
Comedy, "Butterflies are Free" 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, July 18-19; 26-26. Tickets \$10 adults, \$8 students and senior citizens. at Macomb Community College, (at Hall (M-59) and Garfield roads, Clinton Township (248) 286-2222.

PURPLE ROSE
"Off the Map," by Joan Ackerman through Sunday, Aug. 10, at the Purple Rose Theatre Company's Garage Theatre, 137 Park St., Chelsea. 8 p.m. Wednesdays-Saturdays, matinees 3 p.m. Saturdays and 2 p.m. Sundays. \$15-\$20. (313) 475-7902

THE STAGE PRESENCE, LTD.
Presents "Smoke on the Mountain" a musical comedy, which features a gospel/blues/singing family holding a revival at a Southern Baptist Church, 8 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 17-19; 24-26; Riverside Arts Center, 76 N. Huron, Ypsilanti. Tickets \$10 adults, \$8 students, \$8 children/senior citizens. Proceeds help benefit Hope Clinic of Ypsilanti. (313) 995-1797.

COMMUNITY THEATRE

ANN ARBOR CIVIC THEATRE
"The Taming of the Shrew" through Saturday, July 26, Civic Center Playhouse, 2275 Platt Road, Ann Arbor. 8 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, matinee 2 p.m. Saturday. \$16 general admission, \$15 senior citizens and students. (313) 974-0605.

PLAYERS GUILD OF DEARBORN
"Lovers, Liars and Loonies: Romance on Broadway," 8 p.m. Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, July 18-July 27, Madison (near Intersection of Monroe and Outer Dr.) Dearborn. Performances Tickets \$10. (313) 561-7KTS.

RIDGEPALE PLAYERS
"Coffeehouse Confessions," 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, July 18-19, 205 W. Long Lake Road, Troy. \$10, includes coffee and desserts, (248) 988-7049.

YOUTH

STAGECRAFTERS YOUTH THEATRE
"Aladdin and His Wonderful Magical Lamp," 7 p.m. Thursday, July 17-Friday, July 18, 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Saturday, July 19, and 1 p.m. Sunday, July 20, Baldwin Theatre, 415 S. Lafayette Ave., Royal Oak. \$5. (248) 541-6430

SPECIAL EVENTS

"CORVETTE FEVER '97"
All Corvette show and swap meet, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Sunday, July 20, Century Bowl, 7345 Highland Road (M-59, east of Williams Lake Road), Waterford. \$2. All ages. (313) 266-4289/(248) 650-0114

CZECH AND SLOVAK AMERICAN FESTIVAL
Czech and Slovak food, pastries, imported beers, photographic display, 2:30-11:30 p.m. Saturday, July 19, and 11:30 a.m.-8:30 p.m. Sunday, July 20, Yock Arena, 3131 Third (at Eureka, four miles east of I-75), Wyandotte. \$5 adults, free for children 14 and younger accompanied by adult.

MICHIGAN '90S FESTIVAL
Wednesday, July 23-Sunday, July 27, throughout Novi. Featuring "Science Alive" petting zoo at the Novi Expo Center, 43700 Expo Center Dr., noon-6 p.m. Thursday, July 24-Sunday, July 27; Wine tasting at Vic's Alcove in Vic's World Class Market, 42875 Grand River, 6-9 p.m. Thursday, July 24. \$15, all proceeds benefit the Novi Lion's Club; ice cream social, noon-3 p.m. Friday, July 25, at Novi City Hall, 45175 10 Mile Road; Local band performances, 7 p.m.-midnight Friday, July 25-Saturday, July 26, and 4-6 p.m. Sunday, July 27, at the big tent at Vic's market; Classic car show at 10 a.m. with \$10,000 in cash prizes, and "The Grand River Cruise" at 5:30 p.m. Sunday, July 27. (248) 349-1950 for general information/(248) 305-7333, ext. 169, for wine tasting tickets.

SOUTHWEST GOLD CUP POLO COMPETITION
On the grounds of World of Faith

International Christian Center, Nine Mile at Evergreen, 2 p.m. Saturday, July 19. Grandstand seating \$5 in advance, \$6 at the gate, \$1 for children 12 and under. Park in the Southfield Civic north parking lot and take shuttle to field beginning 12:30 p.m. Rain date is Sunday, July 20. Call (248) 354-4854 for ticket information.

AUDITIONS

LIVONIA/REDFORD THEATRE GUILD
Agatha Christie's "The Mousetrap," 2 p.m. Sunday, July 20, and 7 p.m. Monday, July 21, 15138 Beech Daly Road, Redford. (313) 531-0554. Show opens Sept. 19.

PLYMOUTH THEATRE GUILD
Neil Simon's "Plaza Suite," directed by Sandy Rosenberger, 5-8 p.m. Sunday, July 27; 7:10 p.m. Monday, July 28, Water Tower Theatre, campus of Northville Psychiatric Hospital, 41001 W. Seven Mile Road, Northville (1 mile W. of I-275). Roles for seven men, five women in their 20s to late 50s. Show opens Sept. 19. (248) 349-7110.

RIDGEPALE PLAYERS
Neil Simon's "Rumors," 7:30 p.m. Monday, July 28, 205 W. Long Lake Road, Troy. Show opens Sept. 19. Directors Gene Ewald and Sue Masters, call Gene (248) 879-7402 for information and scripts prior to casting.

STAGECRAFTERS
"Gigi," Monday, July 21-Tuesday, July 22, Baldwin Theatre, 415 S. Lafayette, Royal Oak. Registration for chorus 6:30 p.m. Monday and Tuesday with auditions beginning at 7 p.m. Registration for leading roles 7:30 p.m. Monday and Tuesday, with auditions beginning at 8 p.m. Although chorus will not sing during ensemble numbers, all auditionees will participate in full dance audition. This could include the waltz, can-can, ballet and jazz. Appropriate attire required. Bring a non-returnable photograph of yourself. Infants and toddlers are not permitted at auditions. (248) 541-4832.

TRINITY HOUSE THEATRE
Arts conference 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, July 26 features British theologian and philosopher John Peck to explore issues of integration of faith and art with the Christian community. Works by local artists will be shown. Cost of the conference is \$25 in advance, \$30 at the door, northeast corner of I-75 and Six Mile Road, Livonia. (313) 464-6302.

POPS/SWING

IMPERIAL SWING ORCHESTRA
9 p.m. Friday, July 25, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge, 19 and older. (swing) (313) 254-5020

WARREN COMMISSION BIG BAND SWING
9 p.m. Friday, July 18-Saturday, July 19, D.L. Harrington's Chop House, 2086 Crooks Road (at M-59), Rochester Hills. Cover charge, 21 and older. (swing) (248) 852-0550

MUSIC CITY BRASS BAND
7:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 22, on the pavilion on the front lawn of Oakland Community College's Highland Lakes campus, 7350 Cooley Lake Road, Waterford. Free. All ages. (248) 360-3188

JAZZ

DWIGHT ADAMS TRIO
8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m. Friday, July 18, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (248) 645-2150

FRANKIE BEVERLY
With Maza, 8 p.m. Saturday, July 19, Chene Park Riverside Entertainment Center, 2600 E. Atwater, Detroit. \$15-\$42.50. All ages. (313) 393-0292

SANDRA BOMAR TRIO
9 p.m.-1 a.m. Saturday, July 19, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (248) 645-2150

GEORGE DUKE
With Rachelle Ferrell and Gerald Albright, 8 p.m. Friday, July 18, Chene Park Riverside Entertainment Center, 2600 E. Atwater, Detroit. \$15-\$42.50. All ages. (313) 393-0292

KIMMIE HORNE
9 p.m. Friday, July 18-Saturday, July 19, Fox and Hounds, 1560 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. Cover charge, 21 and older. (Jazz/R&B) (248) 644-4800

KATHY KOJINS TRIO
8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m. Friday, July 25, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older.



All that jazz: Look for saxophonist Larry Nozero 7:45-8:45 p.m. Sunday at the Michigan Jazz Festival at Botsford Inn. Nozero will also be performing at Midtown Cafe Thursday, July 24 during the Birmingham Jazzfest.

Michigan Jazz Festival

The third annual Michigan Jazz Festival noon to 10:30 p.m. Sunday, July 20 at Botsford Inn, 28000 Grand River, Farmington Hills offers continuous entertainment on four stages, three indoors, by 150 musicians, 33 more than last year, including five big bands. Admission is free, call (248) 474-2720 or (248) 437-9468 for more information.

Here's the schedule:
Moro/Cohen Stage (Coach House)
Noon to 1:30 p.m. - Hamid Dana & the Detroit Jazz Winds
2:15-3:45 p.m. - Emil Moro Orchestra
4:30-6 p.m. - Brookside Jazz
6:45-8:15 p.m. - Eddie Nuccelli Big Band
9-10:30 p.m. - Johnny Trudell Big Band

Innart Group Limited Stage (Founders Room)
12:15-1:15 p.m. - Buddy Budson/Ursula Walker Sextet
1:45-2:45 p.m. - Bess Bonnier Quartet
3:15-4:15 p.m. - Janet Tenaj Quintet
4:45-5:45 p.m. - Louis Smith Quartet
6:15-7:15 p.m. - Jack Brokensha Quartet
7:45-8:45 p.m. - Larry Nozero Quartet
9:15-10:15 p.m. - Dennis April Tini Quartet

Jack Daniels Stage (Ballroom)
12:30-1:30 p.m. - Paul Vornhagen Quintet
2-3 p.m. - Judge Myron Wahls Trio
3:30-4:30 p.m. - Pistol Allen

Quintet
6-6 p.m. - Alma Smith Quintet
6:30-7:30 p.m. - Keller/Kocher Quartet
8-9 p.m. - Chris Collins Quintet

UPN 50 Stage (Patio)
Noon to 1 p.m. - S-Cool Jazz (vocal jazz)
1:30-2:30 p.m. - Karen Tomalia Quintet
3-4 p.m. - Walter White Quintet
4:30-5:30 p.m. - Teddy Harris, Jr. Sextet
6-7 p.m. - Tom Saunders & the Detroit All-Stars
7:30-8:30 p.m. - Jim Wyse & Marge's Bar Band
9-10 p.m. - Russ & Jeanine Miller Quintet

(248) 645-2150
SHEILA LANDIS
With Rick Matile, 8-11:30 p.m. Friday, July 18, and Friday, July 25, Coffee Beanery, 152 N. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Free. All ages; With Matile, 8-11 p.m. Saturday, July 19, Coffee Beanery, 307 Main St. (near Third), Rochester. Free. All ages. (248) 646,6022/(248) 650-3344

PHIL LASELY TRIO
8 p.m.-midnight Thursday, July 24, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (248) 645-2150

CARL MICHEL GROUP
7 p.m. Thursday, July 17, as part of "Concerts in the Park" at Hines Park's Warrendale Area on Hines Drive east of Telegraph Road, Dearborn Heights. Free. All ages. (313) 261-1990

RANDY NAPOLEON QUARTET
8 p.m. Monday, July 21, Leonardo's in the lower level of The Alport Commons of the University of Michigan, 2101 Bonisteel Boulevard, Ann Arbor. Free. All ages. (313) 764-7544

LARRY NOZERO TRIO
8 p.m.-midnight Thursday, July 17, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older.

(248) 645-2150
THE SESSIONS
With Hansolo and Acufuncture, 9 p.m. Sunday, July 20, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge, 19 and older. (acid jazz) (313) 996-2747

"S'WONDERFUL MUSIC PART I - JAZZ"
With pianist Jodie Christlan, and trumpeter Lou Smith, featuring the music of George Gershwin, 8 p.m. Saturday, July 19, Kerrytown Concert House, 415 N. Fourth Ave., Ann Arbor. \$8 students; \$10 general admission; \$15 rows 3-5; and \$25 rows 1-2. (313) 769-2999

CHARLES AND OWEN SCALES
5-8:30 p.m. Thursday, July 17, Crowne Plaza Hotel Pontchartrain, 2 Washington Boulevard, Detroit. \$10. (313) 965-0200

PAUL VORNHAGEN QUARTET
9:30 p.m. Friday, July 18-Saturday, July 19, Bird of Paradise, 207 S. Ashley, Ann Arbor. \$5. 21 and older. (313) 662-8310

WARREN JAZZ FEST
With Lunar Cotti (12:30 p.m.), Richard Kowalewski and Kid Brother (1:30 p.m.), John Wojciechowski Quartet (4:30 p.m.), Buddy Budson, Ursula Walker, George Benson and Marcus

Belgrave (6:30 p.m.), and Alexander Zonjic and Friends (8:30 p.m.) Sunday, July 20, Helmich Park on 13 Mile Road just west of Ryan Road, Warren. Free. All ages. (810) 465-0497

SUNNY WILKINSON
9 p.m. Friday, July 25-Saturday, July 26, Bird of Paradise, 207 S. Ashley, Ann Arbor. \$5. 21 and older. (313) 662-8310

ALEXANDER ZONJIC AND FRIENDS
7:30 p.m. Friday, July 18, as part of the "Bud Light River Sight and Sound" festival at the gazebo on the Clinton River in downtown Mount Clemens. Free. All ages; 10 p.m. Saturday, July 19, Scallops, 1002 N. Main St., Rochester. \$10. 21 and older; 8 p.m. Sunday, July 20, as part of the Warren Jazz Fest at Helmich Park on 13 Mile Road between Ryan and Dequindre roads, Warren. Free. All ages. (810) 468-1402/(248) 656-2525/(810) 465-0497

WORLD MUSIC
LES SAVY FAV
With We Regazzi, 9:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 22, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. Cover

charge, 19 and older. (313) 996-8555

DADDY LONGLEGS
9 p.m. Saturday, July 19, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge, 19 and older. (reggae) (313) 485-5050

CANTOR STEPHEN DUBOV
With Neil Alexander and the Klezmer Fusion Band, 7 p.m. Sunday, July 20, Rothstein Park behind the Jimmy Prentiss Morris Jewish Community Center, 15110 W. 10 Mile Road, Oak Park. Free. All ages. In case of rain, the concerts will be held in the center. (traditional klezmer, Israel and hedic music/pops with jazz, Caribbean and rock influences) (248) 967-1112

FIRST LIGHT
9 p.m. Friday, July 18, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge, 19 and older. (reggae) (313) 996-2747

IMMIGRANT SUNS
With Los Toillitas, 9 p.m. Saturday, July 19, Magic Stick in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$8 in advance, 19 and older. (Eastern, European) (313) 833-POL

IMMUNITY
10 p.m.-2 a.m. Friday, July 18, and Friday, July 25, Woody's Diner, 208 Fifth Ave., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (reggae) (248) 543-6911

JAH KINGS
10 p.m. Saturday, July 19, The Deck atop Second City, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (reggae) (313) 965-9500

JO NAB
10 p.m. Friday, July 25, The Deck atop Second City, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (reggae) (313) 965-9500

PINO MARELLI
7 p.m. Thursday, July 17, Wednesday, July 23, and Thursday, July 24, Luciano's, 39031 Garfield Road, Clinton Township. Cover charge, 21 and older; 8 p.m. Friday, July 11, Bravo Italian Restaurant, 29027 Utica Road, Roseville. Cover charge, 21 and older; Saturday, July 19-Sunday, July 20, as part of the Italian festival at Canterbury Village, Lake Orion. Admission charge. All ages. (English, Italian, and Spanish pop songs and standards) (810) 263-6540/(810) 775-4500/(248) 391-5700

UNIVERSAL XPRESSON
10 p.m. Friday, July 18, The Deck atop Second City, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (reggae) (313) 965-9500

FOLK
BALDUC MOUNTAIN RAMBLERS
7:30-9 p.m. Monday, July 21, Berkley High School courtyard, 2325 Catalpa (east of Coolidge Highway), Berkley. Free. All ages; 6:30-8:30 p.m. Friday, July 25, as part of the "Friday Night Live" sidewalk sale on Kercheval Avenue, east of Cadieux Road. Free. All ages. (248) 546-2450/(313) 881-9726

RON CODEN
9 p.m. Friday, July 18-Saturday, July 19, and Friday, July 25-Saturday, July 26, Maza's Restaurant, 2555 W. 12 Mile Road, Berkley. Free. 21 and older; 7 p.m. Wednesday, July 23, Troy Civic Center, 500 W. Big Beaver Road, Troy. Free. All ages. (248) 399-8750/(248) 524-3484

JAN KRIST
9:30 p.m. Wednesday, July 23, Royal Oak Brewery, 215 E. Fourth St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (248) 544-1141

CHRISTINE LAVIN
8 p.m. Friday, July 25, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$15. All ages. (313) 781-1451

ROGER MCQUINN
8 p.m. Wednesday, July 23, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$17.50. All ages. (313) 781-1451

JO SERRAPERE
With John Devine, 10 p.m. Thursday, July 17, Coyote Club, 1 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge, 21 and older; 8:30 p.m. Friday, July 18, Old Woodward Grill, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Cover charge, 21 and older. (248) 332-HOWL/(248) 642-9400

BILL STAINES
8 p.m. Thursday, July 17, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$10, 99 members, students and seniors. All ages. (313) 781-1451

COMEDY
"COMEDY IN THE PARK II"

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