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Aber, 15, 21 and older. (734) 662-8310

**KATHY KOSINS**  
7:30-11:30 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Jan. 30-31, Fleetwood on Sixth, 209 W. Sixth St., between Main and Washington streets, Royal Oak, Feb. 21 and older. (248) 541-8050

**SHEILA LANDIS**  
With Rick Matto and pianist Pat Cronley, 7:11 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Feb. 21 and older. With Rick Matto and guitarist/vocalist Lou Ryan, 7-9 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, Borders Books and Music, 5601 Mercury Dr., Dearborn. Free. All ages. With Rick Matto, 9:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, and with Rick Matto and percussionist Dennis Sheidner, 9:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 6, 7, Smitty's, 222 Main St., Rochester. Free. All ages. (248) 645-2150/(313) 581-6441/(248) 652-1600

**MATT MICHAELS TRIO**  
With vibist Cary Kocher, 8-11:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29; With saxophone player George Benson, 8-11:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 5, the Botsford Inn, 20000 Grand River Ave., Farmington. 45 cover walked with dinner. (248) 474-4800

**JEANNINE MILLER AND VINCENT SHANDOR TRIO**  
9:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 6-7, Bird of Paradise, 207 S. Ashley, Ann Arbor, 15, 21 and older. (734) 662-8310

**MUTUAL ADMIRATION SOCIETY (MAS)**  
9 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, D.L. Harrington's Roadhouse, 2086 Crooks Road (at 10), Rochester Hills. Cover charge, \$1 and older. (contemporary jazz/top 40) (248) 852-0550

**RUBBERBAND TIMMY**  
Featuring James Page, formerly of Brothers From Another Planet, 9 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, Gold Dollar, 3129 Cass Ave., Detroit. Cover charge, \$1 and older. (funcky jazz trio) (313) 833-6873, gold\_dollar@mindless.com or http://members.tripod.com/~gold\_dollar

**TANA REID QUINTET**  
8 p.m. and 11 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 6-7, and 2 p.m. showtime during 1-4 p.m. Sunday Brunch Sunday, Feb. 8, Serengeti Ballroom, 2957 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Musicians workshop 1:30-3 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 7, at the ballroom. \$20 per show and for the workshop. (313) 832-3010/(248) 645-6666

**STEVE WOOD**  
7:30-11:30 p.m. Thursdays, Jan. 29, and Feb. 5, Friday, Feb. 6, Fleetwood on Sixth, 209 W. Sixth St. (between Main and Washington streets), Royal Oak, Free. All ages. (248) 541-8050

**NEW AGE**  
**YAHNI**  
8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 4, The Palace of Auburn Hills, 2 Championship Dr. (I-75 and Loper Road), Auburn Hills, 15 and older. (248) 377-0100

**WORLD MUSIC**  
**DADDY LONGLEGS**  
With Circus McGurkus and Grin, 9:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 4, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor, 15, 19 and older. (reggae) (734) 996-8555

**HAWAIIAN SLACK KEY GUITAR FESTIVAL**  
With George Kahumoku Jr., the Rev. Dennis Kamakahi, and Cyril Pahinui, 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 4, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor, 15, All ages. (734) 761-1451

**IMMUNITY**  
9:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Library Pub, 35230 Central City Parkway, Westland. Free. 21 and older. (reggae) (734) 421-2250

**FOLK/BLUEGRASS**  
**ANN ARBOR FOLK FESTIVAL**  
With Paula Cole, Doc Watson and David Gismola, Guy Clark, emcee Cheryl Wheeler, Greg Big Sue, Chris Smither, The Neils, Deo Carstensen, Willy Porter and Karen Pernick, 6 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Hill Auditorium, 628 N. University, Ann Arbor, \$25 festival tickets, \$55 patron tickets, \$110 sponsor tickets. (734) 761-1451

**AL AND EMILY CANTRELL**  
Featured in the movie "A River Runs Through It," 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 5, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor, \$11, \$10 members, students, seniors. All ages. (fiddle/vocals) (734) 761-1451

**CHESAPEAKE**  
With Staid Claves and the RFD Boys, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 6, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor, \$12.50. All ages. (bluegrass) (734) 761-1451

**DENNIS CYPORAN BAND**  
7:30-9:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, Borders Books and Music, 5601 Mercury Dr., Dearborn. \$25 cover. All ages. Birmingham. Free. All ages. (bluegrass) (248) 203-0005

**LISA HUNTER BAND**  
9 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, Xhodos Cafe, 240 W. Nine Mile Road (west of Woodward Ave.), Ferndale. Free. All

ages: 10 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Woodward Ave. Brewery, 2246 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. Free. 21 and older. (248) 399-3946/(248) 540-3090

**JOHN KRIST**  
10 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, Jimmy's, 123 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms. Cover charge, 21 and older. (213) 861-8101

**MATT WATROBA**  
Celebrates release of CD "Live at the Ark" with Rick Matto, 8-11 p.m. Friday, Feb. 6, Xhodos Cafe, 240 W. Nine Mile Road, Ferndale. (248) 399-3946

**AMERICAN BALLET THEATRE**  
"Giuseppe," 8 p.m. Thursday-Friday, Feb. 5, 6, 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 7, and 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 8, Detroit Opera House, 1526 Broadway. Detroit. \$15-62. (313) 877-5100

**DETROIT DANCE ENSEMBLE**  
"Dances for Lovers," featuring seven dances about love and relationships, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 6, Smith Theatre, Grand Community College's Orchard Ridge campus, 27055 Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills. \$18. (248) 471-7667

**ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCING**  
Workshop and dancing led by Eric American and Don Thoyken, with live music by David West and Bonnie Baird, hosted by the Ann Arbor Council for Traditional Music and Dance, 7-9:45 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 3, Chapel Hill Condominium Clubhouse, 3350 Green Road (north of Plymouth Road), Ann Arbor, \$4. (734) 663-0744 or (734) 662-5158

**CHRISTINA KAMMELLER'S ADULT INTERMEDIATE AND ADVANCED STUDENTS**  
"Moore and More Dances," west of Ann Arbor, 1. Lescu School of Ballet, 982 Dennison Court, Neenah Bloomfield. Free. All ages. (248) 960-0778

**COUNTRY MAJIC FLOOR SHOW**  
Featuring Bobby Ray and Five-Place Band, country music and music from the 50s and 60s, 3-7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 1 (dinner at 1:30 p.m.), at the American Polish Cultural Center, 2975 E. Maple Road (at Dequindre Road), Troy. \$20 includes dinner and show. (248) 359-3333

**MID-WINTER BALL CONTRA DANCE**  
With music by Silver Strings Outcutter Society, and callers Karen Messavage and Tom Allen, 8-11 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Masonic Temple, 730 Pennington St., Plymouth. Beginners welcome. \$7. (734) 332-9024/(734) 959-1336

**UM DANCE DEPARTMENT**  
"Changing Steps" by Merce Cunningham, featuring three U-M choreographers' interpretations of each point on the compass and Cunningham's work representing east, 8 p.m. Thursday-Sunday, Feb. 5-7, Power Center for the Performing Arts, 121 Fletcher St., Ann Arbor, \$14 and 18, 17 students. (734) 764-0450

**WINE AND BALLET**  
Featuring the Eric Neubauer Ensemble and a 22-piece orchestra directed by George B. Stepiella, 6 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Riverview Ballroom at the Cobo Center, Detroit. \$55. (248) 650-8889

**COMEDY**  
**HOLLY HOTEL**  
Mark Knogo and Jeff Margretto, Thursday, Jan. 29-31, at the hotel, 110 Bottle Alley, Holly, 8:30 p.m. Thursdays, and 8:30 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays. 8:30-9:00 p.m. shows non smoking. (248) 634-0000

**JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB**  
Mike Venetian, Todd McCune and Jim Hamk, Thursday-Saturday, Jan. 29-31 (10); Chas Elstner and Joey Bielaska, Thursday-Saturday, Feb. 5-7 (10); at the club above Kicker's All American Grill, 36071 Plymouth Road, Livonia, 8 p.m. Thursdays (free), 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays, 8 p.m. Sundays (new talent night/improv). (734) 261-0555

**JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB AT PAISANO'S**  
Wendy Liebman, 8:15 p.m. and 10:45 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 30-31 (12); \$25.95 dinner show package, and 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 1 (\$10, \$20.95 dinner show package); "All the Only," 8:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 5 (8), \$18.95 dinner show package, and 8:15 p.m. and 10:45 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 6-7 (\$10, \$20.95 dinner show package), at the club, 5070 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. (313) 584-8885

**ALAN KING**  
8 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Macomb Center for the Performing Arts, Macomb Community College, 44575 Garfield Road (at M-59), Clinton Township. \$25, \$28 students and seniors. All ages. (810) 285-2141

**MAINTRETTED COMEDY SHOWCASE**  
Chad Lndman, voted "Best Female Stand-Up" at the 1992 American Comedy Awards, 8:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, and 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 30-31 (12), at the club, 314 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor.

(734) 996-0880  
**SOUP & STORIES**  
With Bill Barr, 7 p.m. dinner with 8:30 p.m. show Friday-Saturday, Jan. 30-31, Polo Fields Dr. (off Zeeb Road), 1/2 mile south of I-94, Ann Arbor, 10 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 31, 10 p.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesdays, 10 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Thursdays, and 10:30 p.m. Fridays (17.50) and Saturdays (\$19.50). The cast performs a free improvisational comedy set after Sunday, Wednesday, and Thursday shows, and the late shows on Fridays and Saturdays. The show's title is reflective of current cultural trends, not necessarily the show's content. (313) 965-2222

**SECOND CITY**  
"Generation X-Files" through Sunday, Feb. 8, at the club, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit, 8 p.m. Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Sundays (\$10), and 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Fridays (\$17.50) and Saturdays (\$19.50). The cast performs a free improvisational comedy set after Sunday, Wednesday, and Thursday shows, and the late shows on Fridays and Saturdays. The show's title is reflective of current cultural trends, not necessarily the show's content. (313) 965-2222

**MUSEUMS AND TOURS**  
**DETROIT HISTORICAL SOCIETY**  
"Remembering Downtown Hudson's" exhibit, a nostalgic look at what made the 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. to 5 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday-Saturday. Free admission Wednesdays: \$3 for adults, \$1.50 seniors and children aged 12-18, free for children ages 11 and younger Thursdays-Sundays. (313) 833-1800

**DETROIT PUBLIC LIBRARY**  
African-American exploration on the web, Tuesday-Saturday, Feb. 3-7, at the library, 5201 Woodward Ave., Detroit. (313) 833-4042

**DETROIT SCIENCE CENTER**  
IMAX movies include: "Super Speedway," 10 a.m. and 11:10 a.m. Mondays-Fridays (indefinitely), and 3:15 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, and Sunday, Feb. 1: "Special Effects," 12:20 p.m. and 1:20 p.m. Mondays-Fridays (indefinitely), 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, and Sunday, Feb. 1: "Tropical Rainforest," 1:15 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, and Sunday, Feb. 1: "Sharks" 2:15 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31 and "Destiny in Space," 2:15 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 1, at the museum, 5020 John R. (at Warren Road), Detroit. Special \$4.75 admission through Sunday, Feb. 1, includes one IMAX Dome film, an interactive science demonstration, the Cyberspace Safari Animal Lab and a laser light show. \$2.50 each additional IMAX film; 18 and older, \$1, \$6.75 for adults, \$4.75 for youths 3-17, and seniors 60 and older, includes one screening of an IMAX film, a visit to the Exhibit Theater, a life science demonstration in the Discovery Theatre and a short laser presentation. \$2.50 for each additional IMAX movie. Discounts available to groups to 10 or more. Hours are 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Mondays, 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. to 5 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays. (313) 577-8400 or http://www.sciencedetroit.org

**HENRY FORD MUSEUM AND GREENFIELD VILLAGE**  
"Echoes Across the Prairies: The Vanishing Black West," film by writer and producer Ann Eskridge, shown weekends during February, Black History Month, at the museum, 20000 Woodward Blvd. (west of the Southfield Freeway, and south of Michigan Avenue), Dearborn. Museum and village hours, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. \$12.50 adults, \$11.50 seniors age 62 and older, \$6.25 for kids ages 5-12, free for children ages 5 and younger and members. Group rates available. (313) 271-1620

**MUSEUM OF AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY**  
"A Communion of the Spirits: African American Quilters, Preservers and Their Stories" exhibits featuring 175 photographs of varying sizes, a selection of the surveyed quilts, interactive panels, and a limited amount of other artwork related to the quilters, through Sunday, June 7. The exhibit features area quilters and celebrity quilters such as Maya Angelou, Rosa Parks, Bernice Johnson Reagan, Faith Ringgold, Sonia Sanchez and Alice Walker; "The Life and Times of Paul Robeson" exhibition featuring records, photographs and paintings on loan from private citizens and from the collection of the MAAH, runs Saturday-Tuesday, Jan. 31-June 30. "Walk to Freedom: Detroit Shakes a Leg," a photograph display of the 1963 civil rights march led by Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. in Detroit, through Saturday, Feb. 28; Wednesday movie night featuring African-American films 7-9 p.m. Wednesdays in February: "The Spirit of Heret Tubman: One Woman," 7 p.m. Show, 10 a.m. and noon Tuesday, Feb. 3, at the museum, 315 E. Warren Ave. (at Brush Street), Detroit. Museum hours 9:30 a.m. to 5

p.m. Tuesdays-Sundays. Open seven days a week during Black History Month, February, \$3 for adults and \$2 for children aged 12 and younger. (313) 494-5800

**POPULAR MUSIC**  
**JOHNNY BASSETT AND THE BLUES INSURGENTS**  
9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 30-31, Fox and Hounds, 1560 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 644-4800

**BEAVER SHOOT**  
9 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Gold Dollar, 3129 Cass Ave., Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (experimental) (313) 833-6873, gold\_dollar@mindless.com or http://members.tripod.com/~gold\_dollar

**BENNY AND THE JETS**  
With Unity, the Sex Monsters, and special guest "JT The Brick" from the sports radio station WELB, 10 p.m. to 2 a.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 29-31, Diesel - Sports Rock Cafe, 22509 Ecorse Road (east of Telegraph Road), Taylor, part of the filming of "Benny and the Jets Movie." Cover charge, 21 and older. (rock) (313) 730-1627

**BIZER BROTHERS**  
9:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 30-31, Pages, 23621 Farmington Road, Farmington. Free. 21 and older. (248) 477-0099

**BLUE RAIN**  
9 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, Lower Town Grill, 195 W. Liberty, Plymouth. Cover charge, 21 and older. (blues) (734) 451-1213

**BLUE SUIT WITH ONE MORGAN**  
9 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Lower Town Grill, 195 W. Liberty, Plymouth. Cover charge, 21 and older. (blues) (734) 451-1213

**BLUESAOLICS**  
9 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Carriage House's Blues Alley, 24200 Grand River Ave., Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (blues) (313) 535-3440

**BUGS BEDDOW BAND**  
6:30-8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 3, Museum of African American History, 315 E. Warren, Detroit. Cover charge. All ages. 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 6-7, Beale Street Blues, 8 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$2. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 494-5800/(248) 334-7900

**BOTFLY**  
With Fat Amy and FACE, 9 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. Canceled. (rock) (248) 544-3030 or http://www.themagicbag.com

**BR-49**  
With Gro and the Lone Valley Boys and Swingin' Demons, 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 11, rescheduled from Friday, Feb. 6, Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$12.50 in advance, 18 and older, (honky tonk country) (313) 833-9700

**BRIDGE**  
9 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, and 9 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, Feb. 5-7, Bullfrog Bar and Grill, 15414 Telegraph Road (one block north of Five Mile Road), Redford. \$3, 21 and older. (rock) (313) 533-4477

**BUSTER'S BLUES BAND**  
10 p.m. Friday, Jan. 31, Mount Chalot, 4715 Woodward Ave., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 549-2929

**THE CIVILIANS**  
10 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, Kodiak Grill, 45660 Mount Road, Utica. Cover charge, 21 and older. (rock) (810) 731-1750

**COAL CHAMBER**  
With Day in the Life, 6 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$8 in advance. All ages. (hard rock) (313) 961-MELT or http://www.961melt.com

**COOLBONE**  
8 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, The Shelter below St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$8 in advance. All ages. (brass-driven hip-hop) (313) 961-MELT or http://www.961melt.com

**KACW CROWLEY AND CHRIS STILLIS**  
3 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Borders Books and Music, 612 E. Liberty St., Ann Arbor. Free. All ages. (pop) (734) 913-1100

**DELTA 72**  
With Annarman Rooster and The Gol, 9 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 30, Magic Stick in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$6 in advance, 18 and older. (punk/soul) (313) 833-9700

**GOOD FATS**  
With Dorothy and Fat Amy, 9:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$4, 19 and older. (alternative rock) (734) 996-8555

**ROUSH MORTALS**  
10 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 30-31, Woody's, 208 W. Fifth St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (alternative rock) (248) 543-6911

**THE FOUR TOPS**  
7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 1, at the Macomb Center for the Performing Arts, 44575 Garfield Road (at M-59, Hill Road, and Garfield Road, Clinton Township. \$29, \$26 students/seniors. (Motown) (810) 286-2222/(248) 645-6666

**FREAKWATER**  
9:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 5, Blind Pig,

206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$8 in advance. 19 and older. (roots rock) (734) 996-8555

**GOVERNMENT HONEY**  
9 p.m. Sundays in February, Bullfrog Bar and Grill, 15414 Telegraph Road (one block north of Five Mile Road), Redford. Free. 21 and older. (rock) (313) 533-4477

**THE QUERSONES**  
With Sool, 9 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge, 19 and older. (rock) (734) 996-8555

**HIS NAME IS ALIVE**  
With Outrageous Cherry and Velour 100, 9:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 6, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$5 in advance, 19 and older. (ethereal rock) (734) 996-8555

**HILL JACK**  
10 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, Kodiak Grill, 45660 Mount Road, Utica. Free. 21 and older; 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Captain Tony's, 3333 Woodward Ave. (between 13 Mile Road and Coallidge Highway), Royal Oak. Cover charge, 21 and older. (roots rock) (810) 731-1750/(248) 288-6388

**JIMMIE JACKSON AND THE BLUES CONNECTION**  
9 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, Fox and Hounds, 1560 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 644-4800

**NIKKI JAMES AND THE FLAMETHROWERS**  
10 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 31, Kodiak Grill, 45660 Mount Road, Utica. Cover charge, 21 and older. (R&B) (810) 731-1750

**KNEE DEEP SHAG**  
With Jazzoditty, 10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 6, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge, 18 and older. (funk) (734) 485-5050

**THE LOOK**  
10 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older; 9 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, Union Lake Grill and Bar, 2380 Union Lake Road, Commerce Township. Free. 21 and older. (rock) (248) 349-9110/(248) 360-7450

**FREAKWATER**  
With Mike Ireland and Holler, 9:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 5, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$8 in advance, 19 and older. (roots rock) (734) 996-8555

**MACHINE HOUSE**  
9 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge, 21 and older. (rock) (313) 581-3650

**MASCHINA**  
10 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 5, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge, 18 and older. (rock) (734) 485-5050

**EDWIN MCCAIN**  
With Stewart Francke, 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$12 in advance, 18 and older. (pop rock) (248) 335-8100 or http://www.961melt.com

**JIM MCCARTY WITH MYSTERY TRAIN**  
9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 30-31, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (214) 543-4340

**MEDICINE HAT**  
9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 30-31, and Wednesdays in February, Bullfrog Bar and Grill, 15414 Telegraph Road (one block north of Five Mile Road), Redford. \$3 Friday-Saturday, free Wednesday-Sunday. 21 and older. (rock) (313) 533-4477

**MR. FREEDOM X**  
9 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge, 19 and older. (rock) (734) 485-5050

**MORSEL**  
Celebrates release of CD with party and performance, and special guests Miss Bliss and Rouchard, 9:30 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$5, 19 and older. (rock) (734) 996-8555

**MUDPUDDY**  
8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, as part of a book-signing party for "MusicHound Blues" by editor Gary Graff, and contributor/Observer & Eccentric! music reporter Christina Fuoco, at Borders Books and Music, 43075 Crescent Boulevard, Novi. Free. All ages. 10 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older; 9:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 6, Sisko's on the Boulevard, Taylor. Cover charge, 21 and older. (blues) (248) 347-0310/(248) 543-4300/(313) 833-9700

**MU30**  
With Earthmover, Guttersnips, Suburban Delinquents and Ten-Cent Can, 5 p.m. Friday, Feb. 6, Clutch Cargo's, 65 E. Huron, Pontiac. \$10 in advance. All ages. (punk) (248) 332-2362, 21 and older. (rock) http://www.961melt.com

**ROBERT NOLL BLUES MISSION**  
8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, Long Shots, 27189 Grand River Ave., Redford. Cover charge, 21 and older; 9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Jan. 30-31, Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge, 21 and older; 9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 6, Lower Town Grill, 195 W. Liberty St., Plymouth.

cover charge, 21 and older. (blues) (313) 533-9250/(313) 581-3650/(734) 451-1213

**PAKISTANI TAMBOURINE**  
8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Mondays in February, Bullfrog Bar and Grill, 15414 Telegraph Road (one block north of Five Mile Road), Redford. Free. 21 and older. (rock) (313) 533-4477

**ROBERT PENN**  
9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 5, Fox and Hounds, 1560 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 644-4800

**PULL**  
10 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older. (rock/alternative) (248) 349-9110

**LAURA RAIN**  
9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 5, Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge, 21 and older. (blues) (313) 581-3650

**TEDDY RICHARDS**  
With Stewart Francke and Sue Calloway, 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$8, 18 and older. (pop) (248) 644-3030 or http://www.themagicbag.com

**RIOT IN PROGRESS**  
With Fuel 357 and Harms Way, 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 29, The Palladium Music Club, 17580 Frazee Road, Roseville. \$8, 18 and older. (rock) (810) 778-6404

**KEVIN SECONDS**  
Of the punk band 7 Seconds does an acoustic performance, with special guest Chris Sillis, 8 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 3, Gargoyles, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$5 in advance. All ages. (acoustic) (248) 745-9790 or http://www.961melt.com

**SHARECROPPERS OF SOUL**  
9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 6, Fox and H