

Guays a week

A Guide to entertainment in the Metro Detroit area

THEATER

CAPITOL THEATRE
"A Chorus Line," presented by the Capitol Repertory Players, 8 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays, Aug. 13-14, 20-21 and 27-28, and 2 p.m. Sundays, Aug. 15, 22 and 29, at the theater, 121 University Ave. W., Windsor. \$18, \$16 seniors/students (AA section), \$15, \$13 seniors/students (A section). (519) 253-7729

21ST CENTURY THEATRES
"Forbidden Hollywood," the smash hit musical spoof of the movies continues through Dec. 31, 1:30 p.m. Wednesdays and Sundays, 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays-Thursdays, 8:30 p.m. Fridays, 6:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Saturdays, and 2 p.m. Sundays, at the Century Theatre, 333 Madison Avenue, Detroit. \$24.50-\$34.50. (313) 963-9800

PERFORMANCE NETWORK
RAH/KIVA Productions presents the hilarious "Strange Love and Unusual Sex," 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, Aug. 12-14, and 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 15; "Office Hours" by Mercury Theatre Co. 8 p.m. Thursdays-Saturdays and 2 p.m. Sundays, Aug. 19-29, and at the Performance Network, 408 W. Washington, west of Main St., Ann Arbor. \$12, \$9 students/seniors. (734) 663-0681

COLLEGE

HENRY FORD COMMUNITY COLLEGE
"When You Coming Back, Red Ryder?," 8 p.m. Thursdays-Saturdays, Aug. 12-14 and 19-21, and 2 p.m. Sundays, Aug. 15 and 22, in Aday Auditorium, Mackenzie Fine Arts Center, 5101 Evergreen Road, Dearborn. \$8, \$6. (313) 317-6594

COMMUNITY THEATRE

ELLIPSIS THEATRE ENSEMBLE
"The Caucasian Chalk Circle" by Bertolt Brecht, 12-29, 8 p.m. Thursdays-Saturdays, and 3 p.m. Saturdays-Sundays, gala performance 3 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 15 (refreshments served at Zanibar Restaurant 5-6:30 p.m.), at the Trueblood Theatre, Ann Arbor. \$12, \$9. (734) 975-0417

JACK-IN-THE-BOX PRODUCTIONS
Neil Simon's "Joke's Women," 8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 14 and 6 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 15 at the University of Michigan Quad Auditorium, off East University between Hill and Willard, Ann Arbor; 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 20-21, at the University of Michigan-Dearborn's School of Management Building, off Evergreen, between Ford Road and Michigan Ave., and 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 27-28, at the Livonia Civic Center Library Auditorium, 32777 Five Mile, east of Farmington. \$10, \$7 seniors/students. (734) 797-JACK

JACK MIMME
"Shadow Play," Aug. 13-29, 11 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays, and 7 p.m. Sundays, gala performance 7 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 15 (refreshments served at Zanibar Restaurant 5-6:30 p.m.), at the Trueblood Theatre, Ann Arbor. \$9. (734) 975-0417

SRO PRODUCTIONS
"Belles," through Aug. 15, 8 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays, and 2 p.m. Sundays, at the Historic Park "Theburgh," northeast corner of Civic Center Drive and Berg Road, Southfield. \$8, \$7 seniors/children, (488) 827-0701

DINNER THEATER

DAVE & BUSTER'S
Mystery Dinner Theater production of "A Friendly Game of Death," 8 p.m. Saturdays through Aug. 14, at northeast corner of M-59 and M-53, Utica. \$32.95. (810) 930-1515

YOUTH

MARQUIS THEATRE
"Rumpelstiltskin," 10:30 a.m. Tuesdays-Fridays, Aug. 10-13 and 17-20, 2:30 p.m. Saturdays, Aug. 14, 21, 28 and Sept. 11, 18 and 25, and 2:30 p.m. Sundays, Aug. 29 and Sept. 12, 19 and 26, at the theater, 135 E. Main, Northville. \$8. (248) 349-8110

SPECIAL EVENTS

ART TILE FAIR
Pewabic Pottery's Antique and Contemporary Art Tile Fair, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 15,



Opening weekend: Trumpets herald the start of the Michigan Renaissance Festival, weekends through Sunday, Sept. 26. Visit the 15-acre Renaissance village of Hollygrove off I-75, Grand Blanc exit 106, on Dixie Highway between Pontiac and Flint. Village gates open 10 a.m., close 7 p.m. Admission at the gate \$13.95 adults; \$6.95, children ages 5-12; children age four and younger admitted free; seniors age 60 and older, with ID, \$11.75 at the gate. Advance adult tickets \$12.50, children \$5, available at Farmer Jack stores. Season passes \$59.95 adults, \$24.95 children ages 5-12, available at the box office or in advance. Call (248) 634-5552 or (800) 601-4848 for more information. The festival offers entertainment, crafts, food, games and rides. This weekend, Legends & Lore — Saturday-Sunday, Aug. 14-15, features an International Strongman Competition.

at the Grosse Pointe War Memorial, 15 Lakeshore Dr., Grosse Pointe. \$5. (313) 822-0954 or <http://www.pewabic.com>

BIRD MIKE
8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 14, Maybury State Park, meet at the riding stable parking area on Beck Road, south of Eight Mile, Northville. Free with state park motor vehicle permit. (248) 349-8390

CARIBBEAN INTERNATIONAL FESTIVAL
Noon to midnight Friday-Sunday, Aug. 13-15 (parade 11 a.m. Saturday from Woodward and Mack Ave.), international performing artists, ethnic gallery, food, dance, children's activities, crafts, music, in Hart Plaza, Detroit. (313) 255-2226

DEPOT TOWN CRUISE NIGHTS
Hundreds of street rods rumble into Depot Town 6-9 p.m. Thursdays through Sept. 9, Cross Street in Ypsilanti. (734) 483-4444 or www.ypsilanti.org

REDFOOT THEATRE
Film "Funny Lady," with guest organist Jennifer M. Godea, 7:30 p.m. organ overture followed by 8 p.m. film Friday, Aug. 20, and 1:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. overtures with 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. films, Saturday, Aug. 21, Historic Redfoot Theatre, 17360 Lahser Road, Detroit. \$2.50. (313) 537-2560 or <http://theatreorgans.com/mi/redfoot/>

SUBURBAN EVENING SERIES
Nature Folklore, 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 12, and Bats of Michigan, 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 19, at Maybury Farm Demonstration Building, in Maybury State Park, on Eight Mile, west of Beck Road, Northville. Free with state park motor vehicle permit. (248) 349-8390

SWEET ADRIANES REUNION
The Great Lakes Chorus of Sweet Adelines International invites past members to a 40th anniversary and reunion party, 6:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 20, at Gino's Surf Banquet Center, 37400 East Jefferson Avenue, Harrison Twp. \$25. Great Lakes Chorus was formerly called the Macomb County Chapter, Utica-Rochester Chapter and The Charmers. (313) 790-0005/(810) 568-5965

WINDSOR INTERNATIONAL BUSKERS FESTIVAL
Features comedian Nick Nickalous, top dancing by Movin' Melvin Brown, maglo of Gazzo, glass harmonica playing, magical flying rodents, and chain saw juggler. 8-11 p.m. Wednesday-Friday, Aug. 18-20, and noon to 11 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Aug. 21-22, at the Civic Terrace on the Riverfront across the street from Casino Windsor. (519) 974-5009

BENEFITS

"REVVIN'"
Ford Motor Co. hosts a nostalgic celebration of hot rods, rock'n'

roll, 7 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 20, at the Community House, 380 S. Bates, and the rooftop of the Chester St. parking garage, Chester St. and Maple, Birmingham. \$150 for charity prowl to benefit the Children's Charities Coalition. (248) 433-8600

FAMILY EVENTS

BROWNSTOWN SUMMER FESTIVAL
Featuring the Marvelettes and Platters, Friday, Aug. 13, and Shangri-Las and The Drifters, Saturday, Aug. 14, Thorn Park, Telegraph and King roads, Brownstown Township. Free. (734) 453-9157 or <http://www.wattsplac.com>

MICHIGAN RENAISSANCE FESTIVAL
10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Aug. 14-15, off I-75, Grand Blanc exit 106, on Dixie Hwy., between Pontiac and Flint. \$13.95 (\$12.50 advance), \$11.75 seniors age 60 and up with ID, \$5.95 ages 5-12 (\$5 advance). (800) 601-4848/(248) 634-5552

MR. WIZARD'S WORKSHOP SCIENCE SHOW
1 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 12, Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer St., Plymouth. \$4. \$3 children. City residents receive \$1 off. (734) 455-6620

"WILDLIFE ENCOUNTERS - WETLANDS"
The Michigan United Conservation Club show, 7 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 18, Cohn Amphitheatre, adjacent to the Lewis E. Wint Nature Center at Independence Oaks County Park on Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. \$2.50. (248) 625-6473/(248) 858-1684 (TTY) or <http://www.co.cand.mi.us>

FREE SUMMER CONCERTS

CLOCK CONCERTS
Novel Concert Band, 7:30 Friday, Aug. 13, at the bandshell, Northville. (248) 349-7640

CONCERTS ON THE COURT
Music series featuring Tony Russo and his orchestra, 4:30 p.m. Tuesdays Aug. 17, 24 and 31, at the Wynwood and Hamilton House, Troy. Proceeds from refreshments will go to the Alzheimer's Association. (248) 952-5533

CONCERTS ON THE LAWN
At Hill and the Love Batters perform R & B, 7 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 15, Southfield Municipal Complex, 26000 Evergreen Road, at Civic Center Drive north of 10 Mile. (248) 424-9022

CONCERTS IN THE PARK
Black Beauty & Thorneita Davis, 8 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 18, at the Detroit Zoo, northwest corner of Woodward and 10 Mile, Royal Oak. Free with zoo admission. (248) 398-0903 (blues)

DEARBORN SUMMER MUSIC
Dearborn Big Band, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 12, in Crowley Park. Free. (313) 943-2360

FRIDAY NIGHT FUN
Held Hepler and Michele Ramo, 6:30-9:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 6, at the corner of Ann Arbor Trail and Main, Plymouth. (jazz)

GAZEBO CONCERTS
The Counters, 7 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 18, atburgh Historical Park, Civic Center Drive and Berg Road, east of Telegraph, Southfield. (248) 424-9022 (big band)

"IN THE PARK"
Alexander Zonjic and the Barbara Agar Student Flute Choir, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 12, Shain Park, Birmingham.

"MUSIC IN THE PARK"
Noon Wednesday, Aug. 18, Guy Louie's Chateau Express, in Kellogg Park, Main Street, between Penniman and Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth. In case of rain, concert will be held in the Gathering next to the Penn Theater. (734) 416-4ART

"MUSIC UNDER THE STARS"
Steve King & the Driftles 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 12; Eric Johnson and One Flight Up 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 19, at Civic Center Park, Farmington Road and Five Mile, Livonia. (734) 466-2540

"SUMMER IN THE CITY"
Ron Coden, 6:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 13, Birmingham City Hall, Pierce and Martin, west of S. Old Woodward. www.imaginationtheatre.com

WESTLAND CULTURAL SOCIETY
Bob Duran, 6 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 15, at the Westland Library Performance Pavilion, behind Westland Public Library, 6123 Central City Parkway, north of Ford Road, between Wayne Road and Newburgh. Free. In case of rain, concerts will be held inside Bailey Recreation Center. (734) 722-7620/(734) 522-3918 (Dixieland)

POPS/WIND

BOSTON POPS ESPANOLE ORCHESTRA
With special guests the Jivin' Lindy Hoppers, 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 12, at the Fox Theatre, 2211 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$37.50, \$50 and \$75. (248) 433-1515

JIM PARAVANTES & MERIDIAN
"Frank Sinatra Tribute," 8:30 p.m. to midnight, Fridays-Saturdays through August, at Andiamo Italia West, 6676 Telegraph Road at Maple, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 855-9300

AUDITIONS / OPPORTUNITIES

BIRMINGHAM CONCERT BAND
Looking for adult musicians (woodwind, brass, and especially percussion players) of all ages for rehearsals 7:30-9:30 p.m.

Wednesdays, at Groves High School, Birmingham. (248) 474-4997

B.W. PRODUCTIONS
Auditions for male and female for musical/comedy gospel stage play, no past experience necessary but a plus, training will be provided. (313) 865-2375

EISENHOWER DANCE ENSEMBLE
Intensive master classes in advanced ballet and pointe with Isacco Lascu 10 a.m. to noon Monday-Friday, Aug. 16-20, at the EDE Center for Dance, 1541 Hamlin Road, between Crooks and Livernois, Rochester Hills. (248) 852-5850

MARQUIS THEATRE
Auditions for boys and girls ages 8-16 for the musical comedy "Halloween Soup," 5 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 28, at the theater, 135 E. Main, Northville. For performances on weekends beginning Oct. 8 through Oct. 31. (248) 349-8110

MICHIGAN CLASSIC BALLET
The ballet company of Bloomfield Hills holds auditions for the 1999-2000 season at 11 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 28, at the Geiger Classic Ballet Academy, 782 Denison Court, Bloomfield Hills. All classically trained dancers ages 10 and older are invited to attend. Dancers are required to bring one teacher recommendation from their current dance school and a registration fee of \$15. (248) 334-3300

SHAKESPEARE-IN-THE-PARK
Volunteers needed for West Bloomfield Parks and Recreation's presentation of Midsummer Night's Dream, 8:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 15, in Drake Sports Park, Drake Road south of Maple Road, West Bloomfield. (248) 738-2500

SPRINT OF DETROIT CHORUS
Looking for new members of all ages to rehearse and become new members of the ladies group that sings four-part harmony in the luthersburg tradition, 7-10 p.m. Tuesdays, at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Five Mile west of Inkster Road, Livonia. (313) 937-2429

UNIVERSITY MUSICAL SOCIETY
Auditions for male and female dancers ages 4-14 (under five-feet) for "The Harlem Nutcracker" by Donald Byrd, 11 a.m. Saturday, Aug. 21 (registration at 10 a.m.), at 1526 Broadway, corner of Madison and John R, Detroit. For performances Wednesday, Nov. 24, Friday, Nov. 26 to Sunday, Dec. 5 at the Detroit Opera House. (734) 615-0122

U.S. COMEDY ARTS FESTIVAL
Open call for comedians to showcase their routines later in the day, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 17, at Mark Ridley's Comedy Castle, 269 E. Fourth Street, Royal Oak. Finalists perform at 8 p.m. in concert open to the public. (248) 542-9900

JAZZ
FARUQ Z. BEY
The saxophonist performs 7:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 13, in deSalle Auditorium at Cranbrook Art Museum, 1221 N. Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. \$10, \$8 art museum members/students. (248) 645-3351

TASILIMAH BEY
8:30 p.m. to midnight, Saturdays, at Fishbone's Rhythm Kitchen Cafe, 29444 Northwestern Hwy., north of 12 Mile, Southfield. (248) 351-2925 (ragtime piano)

BESS BONNIER
8 p.m. and 10 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 21, "Suite William" CD release celebration concert at the Kerrytown Concert House, 415 N. Fourth Ave., Ann Arbor. \$25, \$15, \$10. (734) 769-2999 or kchc.net

FIELDS/HOULE/ROEBKE
8 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 18, at the Kerrytown Concert House, 415 N. Fourth Ave., Ann Arbor. \$15, \$10. (734) 769-2999 or kchc.net (acoustic guitar/cleanet/double bass)

BILL HEID QUARTET
8:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 13, at Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (248) 645-2150

HEDI HEPLER AND MICHELE RAMO
With Todd Curtis, 7-11 p.m. Thursdays-Fridays, Too Cheez, 27155 Sheraton Dr., Novi. Free. All ages. (248) 348-5555 (Brazilian jazz/American standards)

AL JARREAU
With Dave Koz and Chris Botti, 8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 19, Fox

Theatre, 2211 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$37.50 and \$30. All ages. (248) 433-1515

"JAZZ ON THE RIVER"
Featuring Gordon Camp Group (2 p.m.), Jango (3:30 p.m.), Tim Bowman (5 p.m.), Eric Marienthal (6:30 p.m.), and Bob James (8 p.m.), Saturday, Aug. 7; and Paul Ventimiglia (2 p.m.), Norma Jean Bell (3:30 p.m.), Brian Hughes (5 p.m.), Alexander Zonjic and Friends (6:30 p.m.), Ramsey Lewis (8 p.m.) Sunday, Aug. 8, Elizabeth Park, Trenton (734) 261-1990

SHEILA LANDIS TRIO
Noon to 4 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 15, at the Brighton Art Fair.

MAINSTREAM
8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 13, at Borders, 1122 S. Rochester Road, Rochester Hills. Free. (248) 652-0558

FRANK MORGAN QUARTET
9:30 p.m., 11 p.m. and 12:30 a.m. Friday-Saturday, Aug. 13-14, at the Bird of Paradise, 207 S. Ashley St., Ann Arbor. \$15 for all three sets. (734) 682-8310

MARK MOULTRIP TRIO
8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 12, at Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (248) 645-2150

SHAHIDA NURULLAH TRIO
9 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 14, at Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (248) 645-2150

JANET TENAI TRIO
Featuring Sven Anderson, piano and Kurt Krashko, bass, 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sundays, at Fishbone's Restaurant, 29244 Northwestern Hwy., Southfield. (248) 351-2925; and at the Shelby Twp. Park Art fair, 2:30-4 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 14. (810) 731-0000

TYEKOWALEWSKI TRIO
8 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays, at Big Fish, 700 Town Center Dr., Dearborn. (313) 336-6350

RANDY VOLIN
9:30 p.m. Friday, Aug. 13, at Copper Canyon Brewery, 27522 Northwestern Hwy., Southfield. (248) 213-7700

URSULA WALKER AND BUDDY BUBB
With Dan Koltun, 9 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. Thursdays at Forte, 201 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (248) 594-7300

THE WARREN COMMISSION
6:30-10:30 p.m. Wednesdays, Big Rock Chop and Brew House's Stone Terrace, 245 E. Eton, Birmingham. Free. All ages. (248) 647-7774

WORLD MUSIC

"AFRICA FETE '99"
With Afro-pop stars Buba Maa, Oliver Mtshisi and Kuligula featuring Toy Mahal and Malian kora player Toumani Diabate, 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 12, Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$15-\$25 (box seats \$40) (313) 576-5111 or <http://www.detroit-symphony.com>

PAUL CEBAR AND THE MILWAUKEES
8 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 14, at The Ark, 318 S. Main Street, Ann Arbor. \$13.50, (734) 761-1800 (world-beat rhythms)

CHERISH THE LADIES
8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 13, at The Ark, 318 S. Main Street, Ann Arbor. \$15. (734) 761-1800 (traditional Irish music)

DONALD LURRY'S COOLFIN
8 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 17, at The Ark, 318 S. Main Street, Ann Arbor. \$15. (734) 761-1800 (innovative Irish music)

GRATITUDE STEEL BAND
9 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 14, The Deck at Second City, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (313) 965-2222 (reggae)

IMMUNITY
9 p.m. Fridays, Aug. 13 and 20, The Deck at Second City, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge, 21 and older. (313) 965-2222 (reggae)

FOLK/BLUEGRASS

JAMES COTTON
8 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 12, at The Ark, 318 S. Main, Ann Arbor. \$17.50. (734) 761-1800

RAY WITLY HUBBARD
8 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 18, at The Ark, 318 S. Main Street, Ann Arbor. \$12.50. (734) 761-1800

REV. BILLY WURTZ
7:30 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 15, at The Ark, 318 S. Main Street, Ann Arbor. \$12.50. (734) 761-1800

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