

Plays a week

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DANCE

DAIRAKUDAKAN: *Kalin No Uma (Sea Dappled Horse)* 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 14, at the Power Center, Ann Arbor. \$16-\$38. (734) 764-2538

DANCER DANCE ENSEMBLE: *Red, Hot and Blue* 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 8 new work by guest choreographer Shane O'Hara and Billy Siegenfeld's zany jazz dance. *Lunacy* and work by artistic director Laurie Elsenhower, at Warner Recital Hall, campus of Oakland University, Rochester. \$12, \$10 senior citizens, \$8 students. (248) 595-2095

HUBBARD STREET DANCE CHICAGO: 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 9-10, at the Power Center, Ann Arbor. \$18-\$38. (734) 764-2538

M OOH-OUSTERS: Ballroom dancing to live bands 8:30-11:30 p.m. Saturday at the Livonia Civic Center, 15218 Farmington Road, Livonia. \$5. (248) 967-1428

PETER SPARLING DANCE COMPANY: Perform 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 9, the evening begins with a 7 p.m. talk, at Summit on the Park, 4600 Summit Parkway, south of Cherry Hill, west of Canton Center Road. \$5. (734) 394-5193

Contact improvisation workshop to duet dance 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 11 at Dance Gallery Studio, Ann Arbor. \$15. (734) 747-8885

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

WOLVERINE SILVERSPUR DANCERS: 7:30-11:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 10, at the Italian American Cultural Center, Warren. \$7. (810) 774-9148 or e-mail dj@homecom.net

POETRY/ SPOKEN WORD

OPEN MIC POETRY: 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 10, at Belle's Beanery, Belleville. (734) 697-3200

COMEDY

51'S KEY CLUB: Barry Neal, Kevin Kramis, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 13; Jim McHugh, Dan Greuter, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 20, at the club, Pontiac. \$8 admission. (248) 338-7337

JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB: Comedy at the club above Kicker's All American Grill, Livonia. (734) 261-0555

MARK RIDLEY'S COMEDY CASTLE: Jimmy Dore Thursday-Saturday, Feb. 8-10, at the club, Royal Oak. (248) 542-9900

SECOND CITY: Here Comes My 19th Nervous Breakdown, 8 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, 1001 Improv Jammers 8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 20 and 27, and March 6, at the club in Detroit. \$15 and \$20. (313) 965-2222/(248) 645-6666 or www.seconcity.com

MUSEUMS AND TOURS

ANN ARBOR HANDS-ON MUSEUM: The museum offers more than 250 interactive exhibits intended to make science fun, at the museum, Ann Arbor. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. \$6, \$4 children/seniors/students. (734) 995-5439

CENTER FOR CARIBBEAN ARTS/CULTURE: Lecture series 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 4 opens a month long tribute to C.L.R. James and his fight for social revolution, other lectures 6 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 8, 4:30 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, Feb. 10-11, and 6 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 15, at the center, Detroit. (313) 871-4594; film series 6 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 7 and 28, at the Museum of African American History.

DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM: *African American Images from the Beginning of Photography to the Civil War* is a slide lecture with Jackie Wilson 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 18, at the museum. \$5 plus museum admission. Advanced registration is recommended. (313) 833-1733

DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS: T.G.I.F. offers an evening of arts, view the exhibition *A Decade of Photographs, 1990-2000:* Photographs, enjoy live music by Harmonica Shah Blues Band 8-11 p.m. Friday, Feb. 9, at the museum. \$15 Founders Junior Council and Graphic Arts Council members in advance, \$20 non-members advance, \$25 at door. (313) 833-7900

LIVE MUSIC

A PERFECT CIRCLE: With Snake River Conspiracy, Thursday, March 29, on the campus of Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti. Details to come. (rock)

ALICE: With Propaganda, J. Church and Fabulous Disaster, 5:30 p.m. Monday, March 5, St. Andrews Hall, Detroit. \$10. All ages. (313) 961-MELT.

ERIKAH BADDI: With Soutchild, Teib Kwell, 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 22, Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$40-\$75. (248) 433-1515

BAD MONKEY: CD Release party for the band's self-titled debut, Liz Larin will open. 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 10, Music Menu, Greetkown in Detroit. \$5. (313) 964-6368.

JOHNNIE BASSETT AND THE BLUES INSURGENTS: 10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 9 and 16, Center Street Pub, Detroit. (313) 965-9551.

JEFF BECK: 8 p.m. Tuesday, March 13, Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$32.50-\$50. (248) 433-1515

BETTER DAYS: 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 24, Coyote Club, Pontiac. Free. (248) 332-HOWL.

BLUE HAWAIIANS: 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 16-17, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. Free. All ages. (248) 644-4800

SARAH BRIGHTMAN: La Luna World Tour, 8 p.m. Saturday, March 17, Masonic Temple, Detroit. \$35-\$65. (248) 645-6666

BUICKER: 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 24, St. Andrews Hall, Detroit. \$15. All ages. (313) 961-8991

CHERIE VALENTINE: 8 p.m. Monday, March 12, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. Free. All ages. (248) 644-4800

AARON CARTER: 10 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 25, State Theatre, Detroit. \$23. All ages. (313) 961-5451

CHARLIE CLARK: 7 p.m. Monday, Party, including dinner, performance, and a DJ. Saturday, Feb. 10, LaRoy's Hall, LaSalle. \$25. (734) 777-2445 or www.charlieclark.com

MIKE CLARK'S PRESCRIPTION REVENUE! Featuring Cherie Hunter, DJ Logic and Robert Stator, with special guest Sugarman 3, 8 p.m. Sunday, March 11, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15 advance. (248) 544-3030

CROP CIRCLE: Thursday-Saturday, Feb. 8-10, Bullfrog Bar and Grill, Redford. (313) 533-4477

CUPID'S REVENGE: Featuring Crud, Swaby,audible, GO Secord, Crush and Forgs, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 9, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$7. (248) 544-3030

DARK STAR ORCHESTRA: 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 24, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. \$15. (248) 645-6666

THORNETTA DAVIS: 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 22-24, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. Free. All ages. (248) 644-4800

DEAD HEROES: 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 24, Magic Stick, Detroit. (313) 833-9700 (punk)

DELL AND THE ROADHOGS: 8 p.m. Saturday, March 3, Trinity House Theatre, Livonia. \$10 or \$8 theater members. (734) 464-6302

DETROIT BLUES GUITAR: Featuring Robert Penn, Bobby Murray, 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 17, Scarab Club, Detroit. Free. All ages. (248) 282-6890

DETROIT COBRAS: Friday, Feb. 16, Gold Dollar, Detroit. (313) 833-6873

AL DI MEOLA'S NEW WORLD SINFONIA: 8 p.m. Saturday, March 3, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. \$32.50. (248) 645-6666

EASY ACTION: With Shepwench, The Paybacks, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 16, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. \$6. (248) 645-6666

14TH ANNUAL EROTIC POETRY AND MUSIC FESTIVAL: Featuring performances by N2 Submission, Brailehouse, Andrea Kubat, Greebo and Deadly Mistress Donna, and poetry by Cindi St. Germain, Jimmy Down, Liberty Ro Daniels, Ann Holzhart and Jim Perkins. Hosting is Queen Bee and the Impaler. Jeff Hocking's art will be for sale, all at the festival, 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 10, Lili's 21, Hamtramck. 21 and older. \$6-\$7. (313) 875-6555 or http://members.ripod.com/eroticpoetry/

CHICKEN FEET FESTIVAL: With Jason Tur, Rattling Will Collective in Dutch, Laughing Gas, Della Waves, Persons, 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 18, room F110 fine arts building on HCCA's main campus, 5101 Evergreen Rd., Dearborn. \$10. Sponsored by WHFR 89.3FM.

BOC HEADRUSH: Thursday-Saturday, Feb. 15-17, Bullfrog Bar and Grill, Redford. (313) 533-4477

MICHAEL FRANKS: With Nejee, 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 14, Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$32-\$75. (313) 963-6611

HAPPENSTANCE: Friday-Saturday, Feb. 16-17, 23-24, Shantle Bar, Warren. (810) 755-5055; Friday-Saturday, Feb. 9-10, Stan's Dugout, Auburn Hills. (248) 852-6433

ALVIN YOUNGBLOOD HART: 8:30 p.m. and 11:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 16, Firefly Club, Ann Arbor. \$35-\$25. (734) 665-9090

AL HILL: 7 p.m. Thursday-Saturday, Feb. 8-10, Thursday, Feb. 15, Tuesday, Feb. 20, Zydeco's, Ann Arbor. (734) 995-3800; Al Hill Trio performs Thursday, Feb. 8, Weber's, Ann Arbor. (734) 685-3900

IMMUNITY: 10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 23, The Cavern Club, Ann Arbor. Cover charge. (734) 332-9900. (reggae)

ERIC JOHNSON: With Alien Love Child, Derek Trucks Band, 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 17, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. \$25. (248) 645-6666

ROBERT JONES AND MATT WATROB: *Blues and Folk Two Rivers, One Stream*, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 16, Waterford Historical Church, Waterford. \$7-\$10. (248) 623-9389

KNEE DEEP SHAG: 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 23, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$7. (248) 544-3030 (rock with a funk edge)

BOBBY LEWIS AND THE CRACKERJACK BAND: Thursday-Saturday, Feb. 8-10, 15-17, 22-24, March 1-3, 8-10, Major Tooley's Irish Pub, Northville. (248) 465-1680

LINKIN PARK: With Taproot, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 13, Clutch Cargo, Pontiac. \$13.50. All ages. (248) 645-6666

LOW: 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 10, St. Andrews Hall, Detroit. \$10. All ages. (313) 961-8991. (minimalist rock)

MAGGIE'S FARM: 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 10, 17, March 3, Coyote Club, Pontiac. Free. (248) 332-HOWL.

MATCHBOX TWENTY: With Everclear, Lifehouse, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, March 3, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$24.50-\$34.50. (248) 645-6666. (pop rock)

STONEY MAZAR & THE FESTIVISTS: 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 9-10, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 644-4800

PAT MCGEE BAND: 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 14, Magic Bag, Ferndale. Only \$2. 18 and older. (248) 544-3030

CLUB CIRCUIT

ALVIN'S: 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. 18 and older welcome. (313) 832-2355 or www.alvins.com

ARBOR BROWNING COMPANY: 114 E. Washington St., Ann Arbor. Free. 21 and older. (734) 215-1393 or www.arborbrowning.com

THE ARK: 2800 N. Millford Road, Highland. Located inside Olympic Lanes. (482) 887-1880

THE ARK: 316 S. Main, Ann Arbor. (734) 763-8587

ANDIAMO ITALIA WEST: 6676 Telegraph Road, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 685-9300

BEALE STREET BLUES: 8 N. Saginaw Street, Pontiac. (248) 334-7900.

BIRD OF PARADISE: 3121 Main Street, Ann Arbor. (734) 862-8310

BLIND PIG: 208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$3 in advance, \$5 at the door. 19 and older. (734) 996-8555 or www.blindpigmusic.com

BULLFROG BAR AND GRILL: 15414 Trifoglio, Redford. (313) 533-4477

CARBON: Joseph Campau just north of Canfield in Hamtramck. (313) 366-9278

CLUTCH CLUB: 210 S. First Street, Ann Arbor. (734) 332-9900

CLUTCH CARGO'S/MILL STREET: 65 E. Huxon, Pontiac. Free before 9 p.m. 21 and older Saturday; 18 and older Wednesdays. (248) 333-2362 or www.961mell.com

COBO ARENA: 301 Civic Center Drive, Detroit. (313) 983-6818

CONOR O'NEILL: 318 S. Main, Ann Arbor. Free live entertainment... (734) 665-2958 or www.conoronells.com

COWLEY'S: 33338 Grand River Avenue, Farmington. (248) 474-5941

THE DECK AND THE FIVE HOLE: 2301 Woodward Avenue, Detroit. (313) 965-9500

DETROIT SCIENCE: 9 p.m.-5 a.m. Thursday-Saturday, 13090 Inkster Road, Redford. Cover \$10 for 21 and over. Cover \$15 for 18-20 year olds. No cover for women on Thursdays. (313) 438-4146 or www.detroitsscience.com

DTE ENERGY MUSIC THEATRE: 175 and Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. (248) 377-0100 or http://www.dteconcert.com

EDISON: 822 Morris Street, Birmingham. (248) 642-2150

FOX CLUB: 265 Pierce Street, Detroit. (248) 647-2400

FIFTH AVENUE BILLIARDS: 215 W. Fifth Avenue, Royal Oak. (248) 542-9922

FLYING FISH TAVERN: 17600 W. 13 Mile, Beverly Hills. (248) 647-7747

FORD ROAD BAR AND GRILL: 35505 Ford Road, Westland. (734) 721-8609

FOX THEATRE: 2211 Woodward Avenue, Detroit. (313) 963-6611

GOLD DOLLAR: 1550 Woodward Avenue, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 644-4800

GOLD DOLLAR: 3122 Cass Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (313) 833-6873 or www.golddollar.com

GROOVE ROOM: 1815 N. Main St., Royal Oak. Free before 10 p.m. nightly. 21 and older. (248) 589-3344 or www.grooveroom.com

HILL AUDITORIUM: 825 N. University, Ann Arbor. (734) 764-2538

JOE LOUIS ARENA: 600 Civic Center Drive, Detroit. (313) 963-6606

JOE'S KEY CLUB: 4 North Saginaw, Pontiac. (248) 338-7937

KARL'S CABIN: 9979 N. Teritorial Road, Plymouth. (734) 458-8450

KICKS AND TEEN NIGHTS: Dance night for teens ages 15-19, 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday-Saturday, 1172 N. Pontiac Trail, Walled Lake. (248) 926-9960

LOVELY HEARTS CLUB: 211 E. Washington, Ann Arbor. (734) 913-5506

LOWERTOWN GRILL: 195 W. Liberty, Plymouth. (734) 451-1233

MAGIC BAG: 22920 Woodward Avenue, Ferndale. (248) 544-3030.

MADNETT BILLIARDS AND THE ALLEY: Main Street, Rochester. (248) 652-8441

MAJESTIC THEATRE, CAFE AND MAGIC STICK: (313) 833-9700

MEADOWROCK MUSIC FESTIVAL: On the campus of Oakland University in Rochester Hills. (248) 377-0100, or www.palacetnet.com

MIDWEST SMOKE: 200 S. Main Street, Royal Oak. (248) 543-4200

MICHAEL THEATRE: 603 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. (734) 668-8397

MOTOR LOUNGE: 3515 Canfield, Hamtramck. (313) 396-0080 or www.motorlounge.com

MR. B'S FARM: 24555 Novi Road, Novi. (248) 349-7038

MURIG MURIG: 511 Monroe, Detroit. (313) 961-9611

THE PALACE: 2 Championship Drive, Auburn Hills. (248) 377-0100 or www.palacetnet.com

PHOENIX PLAZA AMPHITHEATRE: 10 N. Water Street, Pontiac

PURE BAR ROOM: 1500 Woodward Ave., Detroit. 21 and older. Cover charge Friday-Saturday. (313) 471-PURE

ROCHESTER HILLS BEER COMPANY: 400 Water Street, Rochester. (248) 650-6920

THE ROCKIE SPORTS CAFE: 3632 Elizabeth, Wayne. (734) 729-7337

ROYAL OAK MUSIC THEATRE: 318 W. Fourth St., Royal Oak. (248) 544-7938

THE SCARAB CLUB: 217 Farnsworth, Detroit. (313) 831-1250

ST. ANDREW'S/THE SHELTER: 431 E. Congress, Detroit. (313) 961-MELT or www.961mell.com

STH HOUSE: 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. (248) 335-3540

STATE THEATRE AND STATE BAR: 2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 15 and over. (313) 961-5451 or www.statetheatre.com

24 KARAT CLUB: 2848 Joy, Westland. 21 and older. (734) 513-5030

THE KICKS: 10000 Jackson, 824 Rush, Detroit. (313) 962-7607

THE PUMP TAVERN: 100 W. Montclair, Detroit. (313) 961-1929

TRINITY HOUSE THEATRE: 38840 W. Six Mile Road, Livonia. Discount for members. (734) 464-6302.

URON STREET: 4145 Woodward Avenue, Detroit. (313) 831-3965

U.S. BAR AND GRILL/PINE BROWARD: 34824 Michigan Ave. West. Livonia. (734) 722-7639

VELVET LOUNGE: 29 S. Saginaw St., Pontiac. (248) 334-7411

VILLAGE BAR AND GRILL/BEERY'S CLUB & BREW: 35234 Michigan Ave. West, Wayne. (734) 729-2360

WADON WHEEL TAVERN: 102 S. Broadway, Lake Orion. (248) 693-6789

WINDMILL TAVERN: 33320 Seventh Mile Road, Livonia. (248) 474-7159

WOODLIFE'S SUPPER CLUB: 212 W. Six Street, Royal Oak. (248) 588-1519

XENOS CAFE: Sixta Ops performs 8-10 p.m. Sundays at the club, 240 West Nine Mile, Ferndale. All ages. (248) 399-3948

ZIM'S IRISH TAVERN: 1350 Lapeer Road, Oxford. (248) 969-9467



Willie D. Warren Benefit: Detroit's Blues Community including Alberta Adams, Johnnie Bassett, Howling Diablos and Eddie Harsh will honor legendary bluesman the late Willie D. Warren 5:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 11, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward, Ferndale. Tickets \$10, call (248) 544-3030.

KENNY MEEKS: 8 p.m. Friday, March 23, Trinity House Theatre, Livonia. \$10 or \$8 for theater members. (734) 464-6302

GRAD MCGEE: 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 21, Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. 18 and older. \$20 advance. (734) 662-8310

MBOS: 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 10, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$8. (248) 544-3030

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

MRIZ: With The Hammicks, Saturday, Feb. 10, Gold Dollar, Detroit. (313) 833-6873

MID BY MIDWEST MUSIC FESTIVAL: Featuring performances by The Buzzards, Climax Divine, Clone Defects, The Come-Ons, The Dirtbombs, Driftwood, Fletcher Pratt, Freddie Fortune & The Four Gone Conclusions, Ghost World, The Goro Goro Girls, Hemigod, The Henchmen, Judah Johnson, Ko & The Midnight Intruders, mHz, The Mood Elevator, Murder City Wrecks, New Genesis, The Numbers, The Octopus, Outrageous Cherry, The Paybacks, Piranhas, Soledad Bros., Stroker Ace, Stun Gun, Taboo, Them Wranch, They Come in Threes, The Unfriendly, Variac, Waxwings, The Wildbunch and more, Friday-Saturday, March 9-10. Details to come. Proceeds benefit Haven, a shelter for battered women in Southeast Michigan. The festival is produced by and for Detroit's music community. The Gold Dollar, The Majestic Complex, The Old Miami, Bittersweet Cafe, Octane Grande and Living Industries Productions. See www.midwest.com.

MOE: 8 p.m. Thursday, March 8, Majestic Theatre, Detroit. \$15. 18 and older. (313) 833-9700

MOJAVE: 3: With Sid Hellman Group, 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 21, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$10. 18 and older. (313) 833-9700 (talk rock)

ANNE MURRAY: 8 p.m. Friday, March 16, Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$32.50-\$50. (248) 433-1515.

NEW PORNOGRAPHERS: 9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 16, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$8. 18 and older. (313) 833-9700

1984 THE TRIBUTE: 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 16, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. (248) 544-3030. (Blues covers)

NOBODY'S BUSINESS: Hosts Rockabilly Jam Sessions, Thursdays at The New Way Bar, Ferndale. (248) 541-9870.

THE OCTOPUS: With The Librarians, Saturday, Feb. 3, Gold Dollar, Detroit. (313) 833-6873

ORIGAMI BITS: 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 13, 20, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. Free. All ages. (248) 644-4800

ORGY: With Cold, Spineshank, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 27, Clutch Cargo, Pontiac. \$16.75 advance. All ages. (248) 333-2362 (death pop)

PAKISTANI TAMBOURINE: Featuring members of Blackberry Brandy, Monday, Feb. 12, 19, Bullfrog Bar and Grill, Redford. (313) 533-4477

PANTERA: With Soulfly, Morbid Angel, rescheduled to Thursday, March 1, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$30. Tickets already purchased for the Nov. 25 date will be honored. Refunds available at point of purchase. (248) 645-6666. (rock-metal)

MACEO PARKER: Saturday, April 28, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. (248) 645-6666

PIERCE PETTIS: 8 p.m. Saturday, March 17, Trinity House Theatre, Livonia. \$10 or \$8 for theater members. (734) 464-6302

QUEERS: With The Independents, Dynamite Boy, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 13, The Shelter, Detroit. All ages. \$8. (313) 961-8961

MICHAEL GUEST: 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 10, Coyote Club, Pontiac. Free. (248) 332-HOWL.

RACHEL AND KAPP: 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 8, 22, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. Free. All ages. (248) 644-4800

THE RESIDENTS: 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 21, Michigan Theatre, Ann Arbor. \$26.75. \$33.75. All ages. (734) 668-8397

ROYAL OAK RECORD AND EXPO: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 11, Royal Oak Elk's Hall, Royal Oak. (517) 793-2899

ROOMFUL OF BLUES: 8 p.m. Thursday, March 8, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. 9248 544-3030. (blues)

LEON RUSSELL: 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 17, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. (248) 544-3030

SCAVENGER QUARTET: With Kuz, Saturday, Feb. 15, Gold Dollar, Detroit. (313) 833-6873

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

16 HORSEPOWER: With American Mars, 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 17, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$12. 18 and older. (313) 961-8961

RONI SIZEN: 8 p.m. Saturday, March 10, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. \$22.50. (248) 645-6666

***70'S SOUL JAM:** Featuring The Stylistics, Dramatics, Chi-Lites, Harold Melvin and the Blue Notes and The Deftones, 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 17, Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$30. \$37.50. \$50. (248) 645-6666. (soul)

RJ SPANGLER GROUP: 7 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday, Feb. 14-15, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. Free. All ages. (248) 644-4800

STRANGEWAYS: 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 20, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$8.50. 18 and older. (313) 833-9700 (talk-rock/jam band)

SWALLOWHOLE: With Cauffield, 10 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 17, Roadrunner's Raff, Hamtramck. Free. (313) 873-7238.

THE TEMPTATIONS: With Ashford & Simpson, Undiscovered Truth, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 23, Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$35-\$75. (313) 433-1515.

TWISTIN' TARANTULAS: Sunday, Feb. 11, 18, Bullfrog Bar and Grill, Redford. (313) 533-4477

U2: With PJ Harvey, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 30, Palace of Auburn Hills. Tickets \$45-\$130. (248) 645-6666.

TWIZTID: 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 10, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. \$15. (248) 645-6666

VIOLET SKIN: With N2 Submission, Radium, Friday, Feb. 9, Gold Dollar, Detroit. (313) 833-6873

WILLIE D. WARREN BENEFIT: With Alberta Adams, Johnnie Bassett, Howling Diablos, Eddie Harsh and more, 5:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 11, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$10. (248) 544-3030

LESLIE WEST: Sunday, Feb. 25, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. (248) 544-3030

THE WILD BUNCH: With French Kicks, The Dishes, Saturday, Feb. 17, Gold Dollar, Detroit. (313) 833-6873

BROOKS WILLIAMS: 8 p.m. Saturday, April 27, Trinity House Theatre, Livonia. \$10 or \$8 for theater members. (734) 464-6302

LESLIE WEST: 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 25, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. (248) 544-3030.