

8 days a week

A Guide to entertainment in the Metro Detroit area

THEATER

CENTURY THEATRE: *Mind Games* continues through July 29, at the theater, Detroit. \$24.50-\$34.50. (313) 963-9800

DETROIT REPERTORY THEATRE: *Eulogy: What I Would Have Said, Given the Gift of Articulation* continues to June 24, 8:30 p.m., Thursday-Saturday, 3 p.m., Saturday, and 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday, at the theater. \$15. (313) 868-1347

GEM THEATRE: *The Tropical Pickle* continues through Aug. 26, at the Gem Theatre, Detroit. \$24.50-\$36.50. (313) 963-9800

POWER CENTER: *I Love You, You're Perfect, Now Change* 8 p.m., Saturday, June 16, as part of the Ann Arbor Summer Festival, at the center, Ann Arbor. \$22-\$35. (734) 764-2538/(800) 221-1229

PURPLE ROSE THEATRE: Presents Dennis E. North's *Orphan Train: An American Melodrama*, through June 16, Chelsea. Showtimes vary. \$22.50-\$32.50. Call (734) 433-ROSE

ZEITGEIST PERFORMANCE VENUE: *The Bald Soprano* continues Friday-Saturday, through Saturday, June 16, at the performance venue, Detroit. \$10. (313) 965-9192

COLLEGE THEATER

UM-D PLAYERS CLUB: *Barfoot in the Park* 8 p.m., Friday-Saturday, June 15-16, at the University of Michigan-Dearborn's School of Management, Lecture Hall B. Free. (313) 593-5390

VSU HILBERRY THEATRE: *Trick the Devil* 8 p.m., Friday-Saturday, June 22-23 and 2 p.m., Sunday, June 24, at the theater, Detroit. (313) 577-2972

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN: Festival of New Works features *Divided* by Mel Shapiro, 8 p.m., Friday-Saturday, June 15-16, Frieze Building, corner State & Huron streets, Ann Arbor. \$8. (734) 763-TKTS.

COMMUNITY THEATER

STAGECRAFTERS: *Second Chances* 8 p.m., Friday-Saturday, June 15-16 and Thursday-Saturday, June 21-23, and 7 p.m., Sunday, June 17, and 2 p.m., Sunday, June 24, at the Baldwin Theatre, Royal Oak. \$7. (248) 541-6430

THEATER GUILD OF LIVONIA: *Redford: One Act Stravaganza*, four original plays by local writers Friday-Sunday, June 15-17 and 22-24, at the playhouse, Redford. (313) 531-0554

WAYNE ADULT COMMUNITY THEATRE: *Little Shop of Horrors* 8 p.m., Friday-Saturday, June 15-16 and 22-23, and 2 p.m., Sunday, June 17 and 24, at the State Wayne Stage IV Theatre, Wayne. \$12, \$10 seniors/students. (734) 721-7400

YOUTH PRODUCTIONS

TINDERBOX PRODUCTIONS: *Oliver* 7 p.m., Saturday-Sunday, June 16-17, at the Cathedral Theatre in Masonic Temple, Detroit. \$8 reserved seating, \$5 general admission. (313) 535-8962

TRINITY HOUSE THEATRE: Presents *The Switzer/Smith production of Puss-in-Boots* 2 p.m. and 7 p.m., Saturday, June 16, 23 and 30, at the theater, Livonia. \$8, \$7 seniors/students, \$5 age 12 and under. (810) 229-9056

FREE SUMMER CONCERTS

CANTON SUMMER CONCERT SERIES: Benny and the Jets 7:30 p.m., Sunday, June 14, in the amphitheater in Heritage Park, behind the Canton Township Administration Building. (734) 397-5460

STARS IN THE PARK: Shout! Beatles Tribute 8 p.m., Thursday, June 14, in Heritage Park, Farmington Road, south of 11 Mile, Farmington Hills. (248) 473-1856

SPECIAL EVENTS

ART IN THE SUN: Presented by the Northville Chamber of Commerce, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday-Sunday, June 16-17, downtown Northville. (248) 349-7640

CLASSIC CAR SHOW AND TASTE FEST: 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday, June 16, at Greater Grace Temple, 19190 Schaefer Highway, Detroit. Free but a portion of proceeds from the event go to the David L. Ellis Scholarship Fund. (313) 342-2300



Festival: The Great Lakes Chamber Music Festival, a series of over 20 concerts, including family concerts, presented throughout Southeast Michigan, begins 8 p.m., Saturday, June 16, with a concert featuring Ruth Laredo, (pictured) festival artistic director/pianist James Tocco, Juliette Kang, Nathaniel Rosen, Linda Hohenfeld, and the Miro String Quartet at Kirk in the Hills on Long Lake Road, one mile west of Telegraph. The festival continues through Sunday, July 1. Five concert series tickets \$110, students/seniors \$95; Seven concert series \$130, students/seniors \$115; Family concerts at the Detroit Zoo Sunday, June 24, \$7; Single concert tickets \$28, students/seniors, \$23; June 23 & June 30 concerts, \$30, student/seniors, \$25; Schoenfeld Concert 8 p.m., Monday, June 25 at Temple Beth El Chapel, \$22, students and seniors, \$17. Call (248) 559-2097, or e-mail chambermusic@juno.com to order tickets. Visit www.great-lakeschambermusic.com for more information.

COLLECTIBLE TOY SHOW: Returns 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Saturday, June 23, to the Plymouth VFW Hall. Features vendors and collectors selling new, used, antique and collectible toys. \$4 adults, kids 10 and under free. (734) 455-2110

LIVONIA'S SPREE: Carnival rides, entertainment including Chinese Acrobats, and food 4 p.m. to midnight Tuesday, June 19, 2:11 p.m., Wednesday-Friday, June 20-22, and noon to 11 p.m., Saturday-Sunday, June 23-24, at Ford Field. Free parking and shuttle service from City Hall and Court House, Five Mile and Farmington roads. (734) 427-8190

PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY SUMMER FEST: Live music, carnival rides, games, food, arts and crafts, Thursday-Sunday, June 14-17, at the Plymouth Community Arena, Beck Road, north of M14. Plymouth Township, Friday performances by Jill Jack, 5-6 p.m., Mud Puppy, 6:30-7:30 p.m., and Thometta Davis, 8-10 p.m., on Saturday, 1-1:45 p.m. Amazing Jack (magician), 2-3 p.m., Lovely the Clown, 3-4 p.m. Spirit of Country Dancers, the Forbes Brothers, 5-8 p.m., Black Market, 6:15-7:15 p.m., Sunny Girl & the UV Rays, 7:30-8:30 p.m., the Brothers Groove, 8:45-10 p.m.

REDFORD THEATRE: *Little Shop of Horrors* starring Steve Martin, Rick Moranis and Ellen Greene 8 p.m., Friday-Saturday, June 15-16 and 2 p.m., Saturday, June 16, organ overtures 30 minutes prior to film showing at the theater, Detroit. \$3. (313) 537-2560

RUSSIAN AMERICAN KIDS CIRCUIS: Family shows at 2 and 7 p.m., Wednesday, Aug. 1, at Meadow Brook Music Theatre. \$12.50 pavilion, \$8 lawn. (248) 645-6666

TASTE FEST/CAR SHOW: The Greater Grace Temple Classic Car Show and Taste Fest will take place from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Saturday, June 16, on the corner of west 7 mile and Schaefer Highway, Detroit. Free. (313) 342-2300

WINE AND FOOD FESTIVAL: Michigan Wine and Food Festival 3-9 p.m., June 22, noon-9 p.m., June 23, noon-5 p.m., June 24 at Meadow Brook, Rochester Hills. \$18 general, \$18 in advance. \$3 kids 12-17, under 12 free. (800) 600-0307

LANDIS AND COMPANY'S WORLD OF MAGIC: Family show starts at 2 p.m. and again at 7 p.m., Wednesday, Aug. 15, at Meadow Brook Music Theatre. \$12.50 pavilion, \$8 lawn. (248) 645-6666

BENEFITS

IGNATIUS INVITATIONAL: Annual golf outing July 30, at Shepherd's Hollow Golf Course, Clarkston. \$1400 foursome, \$350 individual, \$150 reception and dinner only, benefits Jesuit education at home and in the missions. (800) 445-1621

SUNSET AT THE ZOO: The annual fundraising event features a live auction, raffie, preview of the Arctic Ring of Life polar bear exhibit, and strolling supper by some of the area's finest restaurants 6-9 p.m., Tuesday, June 19, at the Detroit Zoo, 8450 West 10 Mile at I-696, Royal Oak. \$125-\$600. (248) 541-5717

CLASSICAL

DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA: Dvorak's *New World Symphony* 10:45 a.m. and 8 p.m., Friday, June 15 and 8:30 p.m., Saturday, June 16, at Orchestra Hall, Detroit. \$15-\$52. (313) 576-5111

DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA AT MEADOW BROOK: Family Fun Friday, July 13, 20 and 27, Aug. 3 and 10; Sensational Saturday Series, July 14, 21 and 28, Aug. 4 and 11, and Sunday Summer Pops, July 15, 22 and 29, Aug. 5 and 12, at Meadow Brook Music Festival. (313) 576-5111

MARION WAYNE SEPTET: Premieres new work by Hayden, "Ocean," a musical illustration of the life of 18th century slave poet Phillis Wheatley, 8 p.m., Friday, June 15, at Kerrytown Concert House, Ann Arbor. \$10-\$25. (734) 769-2999

AUDITIONS/ OPPORTUNITIES

CAMP BROADWAY: Performing summer arts summer program for ages 10-17 July 23-27 at Music Hall Center for the Performing Arts, Detroit. \$350, space is limited to 41 students. (313) 962-4304

DETROIT DANCE COLLECTIVE: Registration for Summer Camp of the Arts now being accepted, ages 7-11, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday-Friday, June 18-July 6, at the Huntington Woods Recreation Center. (313) 965-3544

LIVONIA YOUTH PHILHARMONIC OF MICHIGAN: Call (734) 591-7649 or visit www.lypm.org about the philharmonic and auditions

Drops of Jupiter: matchbox twenty returns with opener Train (pictured), who recently released the stellar "Drops of Jupiter." See both bands 7 p.m., Friday, Aug. 10, DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. Tickets \$25-\$45.50. Call (248) 645-6666.



LIVONIA YOUTHEATRE: Auditions for *The Sound of Music* 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, June 16 and 4-8 p.m., Monday, June 18, in the Community Room at the Livonia Mall. For performances Aug. 2-5. (248) 476-8635/(810) 344-7774

THE FARMINGTON PLAYERS: Auditions for *Ball, Book and Candle* will start at 7 p.m., Tuesday, June 19 in the West Bloomfield Theatre inside the Barnes & Noble Booksellers at 6800 Orchard Lake Road. (248) 553-2243

MICHIGAN OPERA THEATRE: Chorus auditions for adults and children for 2001-2002 season Monday-Tuesday, June 25-26, at Central Woodward Christian Church, Troy. Audition by appointment, call (313) 237-3405

PAPER BAG PRODUCTIONS: In conjunction with the Livonia Mall, is holding auditions for ages 8-16 for "The Sound of Music" 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday, June 16 and 4-8 p.m., Monday, June 18, in Sears Court at the mall, 29514 Seven Mile at Middlebelt. The newly reformed Livonia Youtheatre will present the musical Aug. 2-5.

Registration fee is \$30 for the first child in the family, \$10 for any other children. All who register will be cast. The audition is merely to determine level of talent. Auditioning youth are encouraged to sing whatever they think they sing best. There will also be cold readings from the script. Rehearsals begin Monday, June 25 and are scheduled 1-4 p.m., Monday and Wednesday for the Broadway cast, Tuesday and Thursday for the London cast. (248) 476-8635/(810) 344-7774

PRIME VOCAL JAZZ: Auditions for low bass singer, needed for established close harmony ensemble performing in Detroit/Ann Arbor area, requires strong music reading skills and excellent "ear," vocal jazz background a plus. (248) 682-6562

SECOND CITY IMPROV CAMP FOR KIDS: June 18-28, at the comedy theater, Detroit. \$150. (313) 471-3453

TINDERBOX PRODUCTIONS: Broadway Bound performing arts camp for children through young adult 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Monday-Friday, July 16-20 and 23-27, at Masonic Temple, Detroit. \$180 per child, family discounts available. Limited class size. (313) 535-8962

POPS/SWING

BIRD OF PARADISE ORCHESTRA: 9 p.m., Monday, at the Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. \$5 cover. (734) 662-8310 (big band, swing, pop)

HOT CLUB OF COWTOWN: 8 p.m., Friday, June 15, Western swing, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$13.50. (734) 763-TKTS

JAZZ/BLUES

DWIGHT ADAMS QUARTET: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Friday, June 22, at the Harlequin Cafe in Indian Village, Detroit. (313) 331-0922

GEORGE BENSON QUARTET: 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., Friday, June 15, at the Harlequin Cafe in Indian Village, Detroit. (313) 331-0922

RON BROOKS TRIO: 9 p.m., Tuesday and Thursday, at the Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. \$5 cover. (734) 662-8310

PAUL FINKELBERG'S JAM SESSION: 9 p.m., Sunday, at the Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. \$2 cover. (734) 662-8310

DALE GRISA TRIO: 6-8 p.m., Tuesday, at Sweet Lorraine's in the Livonia Marriott Hotel. (734) 953-7480

LOS GATOS: 9 p.m., Wednesday, at the Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. \$5 cover. (734) 662-8310

GREG HOWARD BAND: 8 p.m., Thursday, June 14, at The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$15. (734) 763-TKTS

MEMORIZE THE SKY: Aaron Siegel's group performs 8 p.m., Thursday, June 21, at the Kerrytown Concert House, Ann Arbor. \$10, \$5 students. (734) 769-2999

MATT MICHAELS TRIO: 8:11-30 p.m., Wednesday, at Ron's Fireside Inn, 28937 Warren Road (east of Middlebelt), Garden City. Reservations recommended for the Jazz Room. \$5 cover with dinner order, \$10 cover without dinner. (734) 763-7756

LARRY NOZARD JAZZ QUINTET: Perform 8 p.m. to midnight Mondays, at Mitch Housey's Food & Spirits, Livonia. (734) 425-5520 or visit the Web site at www.larrynozard.com

SONNY ROLLINS: 8 p.m., Saturday, June 23, at the Power Center, Ann Arbor. \$22-\$35. (734) 764-2538

DAVID SANBORN: 8 p.m., Tuesday, June 26 at Meadow Brook Music Theatre, Rochester Hills. \$29.50 pavilion, \$20 lawn. (248) 645-6666

SUMMER NIGHTS UNDER THE TENT: Maggie's Farm, folk blues 5 p.m., Thursday, June 14; Thometta Davis Thursday, June 21, outside the MGM Grand Detroit Casino. \$5. 21 and older. (877) 888-2121

DENNIS & APRIL TINI QUARTET: Friday-Saturday, June 15-16, at the Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. \$10. (734) 662-8310

URSULA WALKER/BUDDY BUDSON: 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., Saturday, June 16, 23 and June 30 and Friday, June 29, at the Harlequin Cafe in Indian Village, Detroit. (313) 331-0922

ALAN WASSERMAN TRIO: 7:30-11:30 p.m., Saturday, June 16 and 30, at Toscani Grill, Rochester Hills. (248) 853-7344

ED WELLS TRIO: Featuring Johnnie Bassett 9 p.m., Friday-Saturday, June 15-16, on the Century Club Patio at the Gem Theatre, Detroit. (313) 963-9800

PHIL WOODS QUINTET: 8 p.m., Thursday, June 14, at Orchestra Hall, Detroit. \$17-\$65. (313) 576-5111

FROG ISLAND MUSIC FESTIVAL: Friday-Sunday, June 22-24 in Ypsilanti. Three day festival features 17 bands including Zydeco, Blues, R&B, Cajun, Roots Rock, Latin, World and Modern Jazz, and Celtic. Tickets \$20 in advance, \$25 at the gate, three day series ticket \$50 in advance, no charge for children age 12 and younger. Call (734) 487-2229 or (248) 645-6666.

FOLK/BLUEGRASS

DAN FOELBERG: A solo, acoustic folk/pop show, 8 p.m., Monday, July 23, Meadow Brook Music Theatre, Rochester Hills. \$29.50 pavilion, \$20 lawn. (248) 645-6666

DELTA 88 WITH CHRIS BUHALIS: Perform acoustic music 8 p.m., Friday, June 15, Trinity House Theatre, 3340 W. Six Mile Road, Livonia. \$10. (734) 464-6302.

COUNTRY MUSIC

MARY CHAPIN CARPENTER: with special guest Lunasa, 8 p.m., Sunday, July 1, at Meadow Brook Music Theatre. \$22.50 pavilion, \$12.50 lawn. (248) 645-6666

TRISHA YEARWOOD: 8 p.m., Thursday, Aug. 30 at Meadow Brook Music Theatre. \$34.50 pavilion, \$15.50 lawn. (248) 645-6666

WORLD MUSIC

BUENA VISTA SOCIAL CLUB: Orquesta Ibrahim Ferrer, Ruben Gonzalez, Jesus "Aguile" Ramos, Guajira Mirebol, 8 p.m., Wednesday, July 25, at Meadow Brook Music Theatre. \$45 pavilion, \$20 lawn. (248) 645-6666

KLEZMER CONSERVATORY BAND: 8 p.m., Wednesday, June 20, at the Power Center, Ann Arbor. \$18-\$28. (734) 764-2538

DANCE

BALLET RENAISSANCE: Spring performances 7:30 p.m., Saturday, June 16 and 4 p.m., Sunday, June 17, in the Recital Hall in Wayne State University's Old Main Building. Cess and warren, Detroit. \$8, \$5 children under age 12. (313) 577-9446

COBBLESTONE FARM DANCERS: 8 p.m., Saturday, June 16, (slow Jan 3-4 p.m.), open band practice 4-6 p.m., free at the Pittsfield Grange, Ann Arbor. \$7. (734) 665-8863

MOON-DUSTERS: Ballroom dancing to live bands, featuring swing, fox trot, waltz, cha-cha and Latin, 8:30-11:30 p.m., Saturdays, at the Livonia Civic Center, 15218 Farmington Road at Five Mile. \$5. (248) 967-1428

PHILADANCO: The Philadelphia Dance Company performs 8 p.m., Friday, June 22, at the Power Center, Ann Arbor. \$18-\$28. (734) 764-2538

TRINITY IRISH DANCE COMPANY: Show starts 8 p.m., Friday-Saturday, Aug. 17 and 18 at Meadow Brook Music Theatre. \$35 and \$25 pavilion, \$15 lawn. (248) 645-6666

U-M BALLROOM DANCE CLUB: Ballroom dance lesson and open dancing 4-10 p.m., Sunday, at the Union Ballroom, Ann Arbor. \$2. (734) 763-6994