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TAMPA TED AND THE BLUE KNIGHTS: 9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham, Free. (248) 645-1450

A TWIST OF MARLEY: Scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 22, at the Fox Theatre has been canceled. Refunds at point of purchase.

URSULA WALKER/BUDDY BUDSON: 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday-Saturday, 21-22, Columbine's Champagne Cellar at the Harlequin Cafe in Indian Village, Detroit. (313) 331-0922

ED WELLS TRIO: Featuring Bill Lympers, Friday, Sept. 21; Rayse Biggs, Saturday, Sept. 22; Johnnie Bassett, Friday-Saturday, Sept. 28-29, Century Club in the Gem Theatre, 333 Madison Ave., Detroit. (313) 963-8600

SUNNY WILKINSON: 9:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 28-29, Bird of Paradise, 312 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$10. (734) 662-8310

FOLK/ACOUSTIC

NORMAN BLAKE: Featured in *O Brother Where Art Thou*, 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 20, at the Ark, Ann Arbor. \$17.50. (734) 761-1800

DAN HALL AND DAN KINGSBURY: 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, as part of Mama's Coffeehouse, Birmingham Unitarian Church, 3855 N. Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. \$10; \$8 seniors, and children ages 16 and younger. (248) 647-2380

JACK HENDERSON: Guitarist for Over the Rhine performs songs from his solo album, *Chap Teap*, 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 28, Trinity House Theatre, 38840 W. Six Mile, Livonia. \$10; \$8 theater members. (734) 464-6302

ONE FLIGHT UP: 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 29 at the Plymouth Community Arts Council, 774 North Sheldon at Junction. \$15. Call (734) 416-4278

AL PURCELL MEMORIAL CONCERT: 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 28, The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$15. (734) 761-1800

RFD BOYS: 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 21, The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$10; \$9 members, students, seniors. (734) 761-1800

LAVAY SMITH: 8 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 26, The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$16. (734) 761-1800

JERE STORMER: With Lil' Fox, North, and Fubar perform as part of a benefit for the Center for Independent Living, 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 27, The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$15. (734) 761-1800

TAKE A CHANCE TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 28, The Ark, Ann Arbor. Free. (734) 761-1800

DAVE VON RONK: 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 23, The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$15. (734) 761-1800

SUSAN WERNER AND ELLIS PAUL: 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, The Ark, Ann Arbor. \$17.50. (734) 761-1800

DENISON WITMER: 8 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 23, Trinity House Theatre, 38840 W. Six Mile, Livonia. \$7; \$6 theater members. (734) 464-6302

WORLD MUSIC

EQUATION AND BROTHER: 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 13, at the Ark, Ann Arbor. \$11. (734) 761-1800

PAT MCDONN: 8-11 p.m. Friday, at Duke Humphries, Rochester Hills. (248) 601-1100 (Irish)

AL PURCELL IRISH MUSIC GATHERING: Featuring concerts, sessions, and workshops in uilleann piping, Irish fiddle, and red making in honor of the late Al Purcell, Friday-Sunday, Sept. 28-30, The Ark, Ann Arbor and First United Methodist Church, both in Ann Arbor. (734) 420-0962, (519) 948-9149, www.alpurcell.com or ted@artizlaw.com

DANCE

BURN THE FLOOR: Featuring 44 champion Latin and ballroom dancers, Friday-Sunday, Sept. 28-30, Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$15-\$60. (313) 471-6611

CONTRA DANCING: English Country Dancing, 7:45-9:45 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 25, Chapel Hill Clubhouse, 3350 Green Road, Ann Arbor. \$6. (734) 422-1170; Fourth Friday Fling Advanced Contra Dance, 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 28, Pittsfield Grange, 3337 Ann Arbor Saline Road, Ann Arbor. (734) 665-8864

MOON-DUSTERS: Ballroom dancing to live bands, featuring waltz, cha-cha and Latin, 8:30-11:30 p.m. Saturdays, at the Livonia Civic Center, 15213 Farmington Road at Five Mile. \$5. (248) 967-1428

RHYTHM N' SHOES: Weekly ballroom/Latin dance party with DJ, 8:30-10:30 p.m. Thursdays, at the club, 2572 Franklin, Bloomfield Hills. \$7. (248) 334-0299

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

COMEDY

A LITTLE BIT BLUE: An original sketch comedy show written by local playwrights Mark Holland, Mike Davis and Remi Fennel, Friday-Saturday, through Sept. 29, at the Allen DuBois Theatre in Canton High School, (810) 403-4748 or visit the Web site at www.fourleggedproductions.com

ANN ARBOR COMEDY SHOWCASE: Jeff Brennan, 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 21-22, \$8 in advance, \$10 at the door; Soupy Sales, 7 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 28-29, \$19 in advance, \$21 at the door; at the club, 314 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. (734) 996-9080

HOLLY HARTLEY: Shella Lovely and Ken Severa, Friday-Saturday, Sept. 21-22; Shella Key and Dan Carner, Friday-Saturday, Sept. 28-29, at the hotel's comedy club, 1101 Battle Alley, Holly. (248) 634-5208

JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB AT PAISANO: Kevin Kramis, Sept. 21-22; Rob Little, Sept. 28-29, at the club, 5070 Schaefer, Dearborn. (313) 584-8885

J. CHRIS NEWBERG: 10 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 20, Club Bart, Ferndale. 18 and older. (248) 548-8746; With Motor City Improv, 8:30 p.m. The Underground, Royal Oak. All ages. (248) 546-1123; With Bobby Collins and Ross Amelucci, 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, Comedy Castle, Royal Oak. 18 and older. (248) 542-9900. www.jchrisNewberg.com

MARK RIDLEY'S COMEDY CLUB: Bobby Collins and Ross Amelucci (with J. Chris Newberg as Amelucci) 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 23, Comedy Castle, Royal Oak. 18 and older. (248) 542-9900. www.jchrisNewberg.com

ROYAL OAK THEATRE: Margaret Cho performs two shows, 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 10, at the theatre, \$25-\$35, 21 and older. (248) 645-6666

SECOND CITY: Mayor Go-Round Thursday-Sunday: Jammin' Wednesdays featuring *The Best of Second City*, at Second City Theatre, Detroit. (248) 645-6666

JERRY SEINFELD: 7 p.m. Friday and 7:10 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 5-6, at the Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$47, \$62 and \$77. (248) 433-1515

MUSEUMS AND TOURS

CRANKBOOK HOUSE: Tours continue to Oct. 25, walk-in Sunday tours at 3 p.m. for \$10, and 11 a.m. and 1:15 p.m. Thursday for \$10, \$15 for lunch (reservations needed), at 380 Lene Fine, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 645-3147. Tours also available of Saterfin House, call (877) 462-7262

DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM: Janet Anderson, author of *Island in the City: How Belle Isle Changed Detroit*, discusses the island, 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, at the museum, 5401 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$4.50. University of Detroit Mercy students admitted free with student ID; UDM alumni receive \$1 off. (313) 833-1726

DETROIT ZOO: Wild Adventure Simulator, the only motion-based zoo simulator in the nation, illustrates the importance of protecting nature to ensure the survival of animals - experience what it is like to run like a cougar, swim like a dolphin, based on NASA's flight simulator technology, Wilderness Adventure uses sight, digital surround sound and almost 2 g's of motion to create a multi-sensory experience, at the zoo, \$7.50, \$5.50 seniors/16 and older, ages 2-12. (248) 398-0900 or visit the Web site at www.detroitzoo.org

GROSSE POINTE HILL CLUB: Behind the scenes tour, 6 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 27, at the club. \$64-\$74. Reservations required. (313) 833-1405

HENRY FORD MUSEUM/GREENFIELD VILLAGE: IMAX movies 'Nyctem and Super Speedway' continue at the museum, Dearborn. (313) 271-1620

TROY MUSEUM AND HISTORIC VILLAGES: Preserving Family Photos, Doug Elfinger of Elfinger Laboratories in East Lansing discusses correct storage, why and how old photos degrade, and what can be done to save them, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 11, Poppleton School, at the museum, 500 W. Big Beaver, Troy. \$5. Reservation deadline: Oct. 3. (248) 524-3570

U-M BOTANICAL GARDENS: Science night at the gardens for ages 7-14 5-8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 21, at the botanical gardens, Ann Arbor. \$10; pre-registration is advised. (313) 438-3337 or send a self-addressed stamped envelope with \$5 per child to Anchor's Unimilad, P.O. Box 970772, Ypsilanti, MI 48196

LIVE MUSIC

AFRO CELY SOUND SYSTEM: 8 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 10, Majestic Theatre, Detroit. 18 and older. \$17. (248) 645-6666

ALBERTA ADAMS: 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Oct. 5-6, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

AMBIUS: 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, Phil's, Garden City. (734) 522-9450

TORI AMOS: With Rufus Wainright, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 18, Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$29.50-\$36.50. (248) 645-6666

ATHENAEUM: With The Push Stars, 8 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 23, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$9. (248) 644-3030

BACKSTREET BOYS: With Sisco, Krystal 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 20, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$29.50-\$49.50. Tickets for the original date will be honored or refunded. (248) 645-6666

BAND TOGETHER: Benefit for Cystic Fibrosis, featuring Southern Rock All Stars (with members of Molly Hatchet, Blackfoot, Rolling Band, Modern Vagrant, Pearl Necklace, The Endz, Blissfield, The Glory Stompers, Emerald Theatre, Mount Clemens). All ages. \$10. (810) 913-1920

BASEMENT JAXX: 9 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 10, St. Andrews Hall, Detroit. \$20. (248) 645-6666

THE BIG WU: 7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 26, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. \$15-\$16. (248) 645-6666

THE BLACK CROWES: With Beachwood Sparks, 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 11, Eastern Michigan Convocation Center, Ypsilanti. (248) 645-6666

BLACK EYED PEAS: With Will.i.Am, Mystic, 8 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 23, Majestic Theatre, Detroit. \$17. All ages. (313) 833-9700

BLINDSHOT: With Ten Nines, The Skrap, The Bomb Pop, 5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 23, The Shelter, Detroit. All ages. \$6. (248) 645-6666

THE BLUE HAWAIIANS: 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 28-29, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

THE BLUES ARIEN: Saturday, Sept. 29, Phil's Garden City. (734) 522-9450

BLUE SUIT TRIO: Featuring Doug Deming, 7 p.m. Wednesday-Thursday, Oct. 3-4, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

THE BROTHERS GROOVE: 10 p.m. Thursday, Music Menu, Detroit. (313) 964-MENU

BURNING SPEAR: 8 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 25, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$20. (248) 544-3030

AL CARMICHAEL: 7 p.m. Monday, Sept. 24, Oct. 1, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

CHARLATELUS UK: The tour including the show set for Wednesday, Sept. 28 at St. Andrews Hall, Detroit has been cancelled.

CHICK N' CATS: 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, Rookie Sports Cafe, Wayne. (734) 729-7337

ALICE COOPER: 7 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 9, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. \$38. (248) 645-6666

COMMUNITY COMING TOGETHER: In honor of the victims of the Sept. 11 tragedies, the concert will be hosted by folk musician Matt Watroba. Features performances by Josh White Jr., Jan Kist, Neil Woodward, Gary Weisenberg, 4-7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 23, Kellogg Park, Plymouth. Call the Plymouth Arts Council for more information, (734) 416-4278

CONVERGE: With Playing Enemy, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 25, The Shelter, Detroit. All ages. \$8. (248) 645-6666

COUSTEAU: 8 p.m. Monday, Sept. 24, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$10. (248) 544-3030

CROWBAR: With Tricky Woo, 8 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 2, The Shelter, Detroit. All ages. \$10. (248) 645-6666

CRY WOLF: 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, The Village Bar & Grill, Wayne. (734) 729-2360

DARK STAR ORCHESTRA: 7 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 27, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. \$16-\$19. All ages. (248) 645-6666

THE DELIVERY BOYS: 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 29, Cowley's Old Village Inn, Farmington. (247) 474-5941

DETROIT BLUES SOCIETY: Presents Detroit Blues Piano Summit V, with Mike Montgomery, Kerry Price, Kenny Cox, Bob Seely, 2-4:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 13, Scarab Club, Detroit. All ages. Free. (313) 831-1250

NEIL DIAMOND: 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Oct. 5-6, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$37.50-\$67.50. (248) 645-6666

THE DONNAS: With The Klecks, The Eyeliners, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 16, Majestic Theatre, Detroit. \$12. All ages. (313) 833-9700

DOWNTOWN BROWN: With Element, 10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 28, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. \$5. (313) 962-7067

DROPHICK MURPHY: With Sick of Tiger Army, 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 15, Clutch Cargo, Pontiac. All ages. \$13. (248) 645-6666

BOB DYLAN: 8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 9, Cobo Hall, Detroit. \$25-\$37.50. (248) 645-6666

EAGLE EYE CHERRY: With Leona Nagas, 8 p.m. Monday, Oct. 22, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$10. 18 and older. (248) 645-6666

EL VEZ: With Gore Gore Girls, 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$12-\$14. (248) 544-3030

CESARIA EVORA: 7:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 2, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. \$25-\$35. 21 and older. (248) 645-6666

FAMILY VALUES TOUR: With Stone Temple Pilots, Staind, Linkin Park, Static X, Spike 1000, Monday, Oct. 15, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$45 reserved and general admission. (248) 645-6666

FIREWATER: With AM/FM, 9:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 27, Blind Pig, Ann Arbor. 19 and older. \$8. (248) 645-6666

FIVE FOR FIGHTING: With Jude, 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 20, Clutch Cargo, Pontiac. All ages. (248) 645-6666

GOD SPEED YOU BLACK: 10 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 29, St. Andrews Hall, Detroit. All ages. \$12. (248) 645-6666

GOLDFRAPP: 9 p.m. Monday, Oct. 1, Gem Theatre, Detroit. 18 and older. \$12. (248) 645-6666

HOLLY GILGILTY: With The Hentchmen, The Rapture, 9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$10. (313) 833-9700

GOV'T MULE: 9 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 6, Majestic Theatre, Detroit. \$15. 18 and older. (313) 833-9700

HAUNTFEST: 6-10 p.m. Thursday and Friday in October, 6:10-30 p.m. Friday-Saturday in October, and 6-11 p.m. Monday-Wednesday, Oct. 28-31 only and 12-4 p.m. matinees Saturday-Sunday, Oct. 27-28 at DTE Energy Music Theatre, Independence Township. (248) 645-6666

HEMIGOD: With Face, Peter Torque, 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 29, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. \$5. 21 and older. (248) 645-6666

SCOTT HENDERSON: 8 p.m. Monday, Oct. 15, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. (248) 544-3030

THE CHARLIE HUNTER QUARTET: With Keller Williams, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 10, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. \$18.50. All ages. (248) 544-7949

THE IMPOSSIBLES: With River City High, Recover, 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 20, The Shelter, Detroit. All ages. \$8. (248) 645-6666

INCUBUS: 6:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 2, State Theatre, Detroit. All ages. General admission. \$25. (248) 645-6666

JANE'S ADDICTION: With Live, Feml Kuti, 7 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 20, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$45.50. (248) 645-6666

THE JINK: With Erola, Atlanta, 10 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. \$5. (313) 962-7067

ELTON JOHN: 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 13, Joe Louis Arena, Detroit. \$47.50-\$87.50. (248) 645-6666

FREDDY JOHNSTON: 8 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 9, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$10 advance. (248) 544-3030



Rock: See Senseful Friday, Sept. 21, at The Shelter, below St. Andrews Hall, Detroit. Call (313) 645-6666 for details. The band's latest Network release is titled "Tonight and Forever."

JOSH JOPLIN GROUP: 8 p.m. Monday, Oct. 8, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$8. (248) 544-3030

JUDAS PRIEST: With Anthrax, Iced Earth, 8 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 7, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$18.50-\$29.50. (248) 645-6666

CATY KOZINS: 7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 26, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

FEMI KUTI: 8 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 8, Majestic Theatre, Detroit. \$25-\$28. (313) 833-9700

OTTMAR LIEBERT: 7 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 24, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. \$25-\$35. 21 and older. (248) 645-6666

LOST YOUTH: CD Release Party, 8:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 21, El Dorado Country Club. Guitar giveaway and merchandise for sale. \$5 cover.

www.joshjoplinmusic@aol.com

MEDESKI MARTIN & WOOD: 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 27, Michigan Theatre, Ann Arbor. All ages. \$22. (248) 645-6666

MAGGIE, PIERCE & EJ: 10 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 27, Music Menu, Detroit. 21 and older. (313) 964-6368

MAXWELL: With Alicia Keys, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 9, Fox Theatre, Detroit. (248) 433-1515

BILLY MCLAUGHLIN: 8 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 30, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$12. (248) 544-3030

MIDNIGHT OIL: With Will Hoge, 6 p.m. Friday, Oct. 26, Clutch Cargo, Pontiac. All ages. \$20. (248) 645-6666

MIGHTY BLUE KINGS: 8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 28, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$12. (248) 544-3030

THE M-80S: 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 13, 8 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 21 and 8 p.m. Monday, Dec. 31, Royal Oak Music Theatre, Royal Oak. Tickets \$10 except New Year's Eve show. \$35 advance. 21 and older. (248) 645-6666

STEVE NARDELA: 7 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 21-22, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

NEW END ORIGINAL: With Vue, Small Craft Sighting, 8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 20, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$8. All ages. (313) 833-9700

NEW FOUND GLORY: With H2O, 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 1, State Theatre, Detroit. \$25. (248) 645-6666

ROBERT NOLL: 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 27, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. All ages. Free. (248) 644-4800

NRBQ: 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 4, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. (248) 544-3030

O.A.R.: With Ordinary Peoples, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 24, Michigan Theatre, Ann Arbor. All ages. \$15. (248) 645-6666

THE OFFICIAL OLD SCHOOL SOUL JAM: Featuring Teena Marie, Alexander O'Neal, Cherelle, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 23, Fox Theatre, Detroit. \$44.50-\$54.50. (313) 471-6611

ORIGINAL HTS: 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 25, Fox and Hounds, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 644-4800

GRAHAM PARKER & THE FIGGS: 8 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 2, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. (248) 544-3030

PARKER & LILY: With The Climax Divine, Recorder, Thursday, Sept. 27, Detroit Contemporary, Detroit. Call (313) 898-4877

PENNYWISE: With No Use For a Name, 6:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 5, State Theatre, Detroit. \$25. (248) 645-6666

PERNICE BROTHERS: With Kingsbury Manx, 8 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 14, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$9. (248) 544-3030

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TOUR: With Slipknot, Mudvayne, Rammstein, American Head Charge, System of a Down, 7 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 27, Cobo Arena, Detroit. \$37.50. (313) 471-6611

THE PROCLAIMERS: 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 6, Magic Stick, Detroit. 18 and older. (248) 645-6666

PUNK ROCK KARAOKE: Hosted by Linda Loy, 8-10 p.m. The Rock Room, Emerald Theatre, Mt. Clemens. (810) 913-1920

THE PUSH KINGS: With Flashing Lights, Moods for Moderns, 9 p.m. Friday, Sept. 21, Magic Stick, Detroit. \$8. (313) 833-9700

RIVAL SCHOOLS: With Burning Airlines, Saturday, Sept. 29, The Shelter, Detroit. (313) 961-8961

ROADRUNNER RACE TOUR: With Fear Factory, Machine Head, Chimaira, Ill Nino, Tuesday, Oct. 2, Hemo's, Detroit.

ROLLING ROCK TOWN FAIR TOUR: With Tancric, Oleander, Beautiful Creatures, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 27, Majestic Theatre, Detroit. \$12.50-\$15. All ages. (313) 833-9700

ROOMFUL OF BLUES: 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 18, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$15. (248) 544-3030

JACK SCOTT: 9 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 29, T-Bonz, Rochester Hills. \$10-\$15. (248) 293-9000

SIMPLICITY: 10 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 20, 27, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. \$5. (313) 962-7067

SOULCRACKER: With Inner Recipe, Sunday, Sept. 23, Blind Pig, Ann Arbor. 18 and older. (734) 996-8555

RICK SPRINGFIELD: 8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 16, The Palace of Auburn Hills. \$18.50-\$37.50. (248) 645-6666

STRIKE ANYWHERE: With American Nightmare, 6 p.m. Friday, Sept. 21, The Burns Room, St. Andrews Hall, Detroit. \$5. (248) 645-6666

SUN MESSENGERS: Celebrating 20 years together, 10 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 18, Apollo Lounge, Greektown Casino, Detroit.

JIM TATE BAND: 6 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 26, The Creekside Grill & Bar, Ann Arbor. (734) 827-2737

311: 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 30, State Theatre, Detroit. All ages. General admission. \$25. (248) 645-6666

2014: 10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 21, 313.JAC, upstairs from Jacoby's, Detroit. \$5. (313) 962-7067

TURNUIN BREAKS: With Mathew J., 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 27, The Shelter, Detroit. All ages. \$8-\$10. (248) 645-6666

UMPHRIES MCGEE: 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 11, Magic Bag, Ferndale. \$7. (248) 544-3030

WEEZER: With Cold The Start, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22, Cobo Arena, Detroit. \$25. (248) 645-6666

WHO CARES: 9:30 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Sept. 21-22, Cowley's Old Village Inn, Farmington. (248) 474-5941

DENISON WITMER: 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 23, Trinity House Theatre, Livonia. \$7 or \$6 for theater members. (734) 464-6302