

Let's Go!

Your Guide to Suburban Entertainment

PROFESSIONAL THEATER

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Fisher Theatre: *South Pacific*, Tuesday, Feb. 19 to March 10, 8 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 2 p.m. Saturday-Sunday, and 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Detroit. \$35-\$70. (248) 645-6666, (313) 872-1000

Gem Theatre: *Gyps on Ice* opens Feb. 7, 2 p.m. Thursday, 8 p.m. Thursday-Friday, 6 p.m. and 9 p.m. Saturday, 2 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday, \$24.50-\$37.50. (313) 963-9800

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Performance Network: *Elizabeth Rex* continues to March 3, 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday, at the theater, Ann Arbor. \$25, Friday-Saturday, \$20 Thursday and Sunday. (734) 663-0681

Power Center: The University Musical Society series presents *Children of Uganda*, an 18-member troupe performing traditional East African music and dance 7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, and 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, Power Center for the Performing Arts, 121 Fletcher Street, Ann Arbor. \$32, \$28, \$20, \$16. (734) 764-2538

Purple Rose Theatre: The romantic comedy *Months on End* 8 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, and 3 p.m. Saturday, and 2 p.m. Sunday, through March 16, at the theater, 137 Park Street, Chelsea. \$22.50 to \$32.50. (734) 433-7673

VALENTINE'S DAY
Dinner Dance: Sponsored by the Farmington Community Band, Friday, Feb. 8, Glen Oaks Country Club, 13 Mile Road, between Middlebelt and Orchard Lake Roads, Farmington Hills. Buffet dinner, dancing to the Farmington Community Dance Band. \$42 per person. (734) 261-2202 or (248) 489-3432.

Redeal Community Players: *Wait Until Dark* Friday-Saturday, Feb. 8-9, and 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 3, 21728 Grand River, Detroit. \$11. (313) 537-7716 or (313) 532-4010

SRD Productions: *Picnic*, William Inge's drama 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 22-23, March 1-2 and 8-9, and 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 24, March 3 and 10, in the Historic Church on the corner of Cive Center Drive and Berg Road, one block east of Telegraph, Southfield. \$10, \$8 seniors/students. (248) 827-0710

Trinity House Theatre: *The Queen of Bingo*, presented by Flanders Theater Company and Trinity House Theatre, opens Feb. 21 and continues to March 17, 8 p.m. Thursday (preview) Feb. 21, 8 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 22-23, March 1-2, 8-9 and 15-16, and 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 24, March 3, 10 and 17, at Trinity House Theatre, 38840 West Six Mile Road, Livonia. \$12, \$10 seniors students. (313) 538-5739

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Theatre Arts Productions: Present *Murder Madness*, a mystery 8:30 p.m. Friday, March 1, at the Historic Longacre House, 24705 Farmington Road, Farmington Hills. \$50 until Jan. 31, \$60 Feb. 1 and after. Includes dinner. (248) 477-8404

SPECIAL EVENT
Barbie Doll Fashion Show: 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at the Plymouth V.F.W. Hall, 1426 Mill. \$5, children under 10 free. (734) 455-2110

Humanities Celebration: Madonna University holds a Midwinter Celebration in the Arts & Humanities 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 12, features music department chairwoman Linette Popoff-Parks and Helene Rottenberg, adjunct associate guitar professor, selections read from Walt Whitman's *Leaves of Grass* by students and Richard Sax, professor and dean of the College of Art and Humanities. The event closes with an art lecture and tour of the gallery which features encaustic paintings by Chris McCauley, in Kresgia Hall on campus, Levan and Schoolcraft, Livonia. Admission is free and open to the public. For more information, call Sax at (734) 432-5542.

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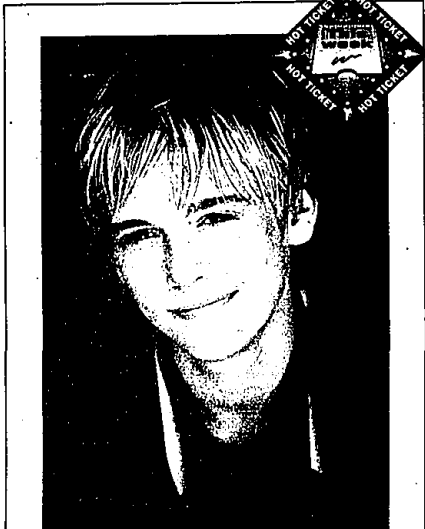
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Pop rock: Aaron Carter sings at The Palace of Auburn Hills at 7 p.m., Wednesday, Feb. 13. Dream Street and Lindsay Pagano guest star. Tickets are \$35.50. (248) 645-6666.

8450 West 10 Mile, Royal Oak. \$25 members, \$30 non-members in advance, \$75 VIP tickets. Includes champagne and desserts. Proceeds go to the zoo's conservation expedition program. (248) 541-5717

BENEFITS

Celebrating Mardi Gras: Food and wine extravaganza to benefit the Michigan Culinary Team and Scholarship Fund, some of the participating restaurants include the Golden Mushroom, Beverly Hills Grill, Big Rock Chop House, Cafe Cortina, Beans and Cornbread, Andiamo Family of Restaurants, and East Side Mario's, 8-10 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 12, at Mac & Ray's, 3065 North River Road, Harrison Township. \$125, \$75. (866) 463-9650, ext. 429

Denim and Diamonds: A fund-raiser for the Plymouth Community Arts Council, annual dinner and dance and auction Saturday, March 2, at St. John's Golf and Conference Center, Plymouth. \$75, \$65 for members. (734) 416-4278. All proceeds from the benefit support arts council programming.

Detroit Opera House: On Stage Jazz Performance by Marcus Belgrave and Friends and vocalist Ursula Walker with the Buddy Budson Band Friday, Feb. 22, 7:30-8:30 p.m. cocktails and hors d'oeuvres, performances 8:30-10:30 p.m., at the opera house, 1526 Broadway, Detroit. \$75. (313) 237-3425

First Step Fundraisers: Healing the Hearts of Children presents a gala benefit featuring Alexander Zonjic & Friends and an amateur show 6:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, at the State Theatre, 2115 Woodward, Detroit. \$50, includes concert only and dessert. (313) 567-1640

Mardi Gras: The Livonia Symphony Orchestra offers two ways of celebrating Mardi Gras with a sit-down dinner, silent auction and performances by brass and string quartets, and orchestra Friday, Feb. 8, festivities begin at 6 p.m., concert at 8 p.m., silent auction closes 9:30 p.m., at Laurel Manor, 39000 Schoolcraft, Livonia. \$50 Includes dinner/concert and silent auction; \$20, concert and silent auction. (734) 425-4855

Mardi Gras Party: To benefit Holy Ascension Eastern Catholic Church 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, at Our Lady of Providence Center, 16115 Back, Northville. (734) 453-4079 for ticket information.

MASKORIDE for COTS: A gala benefit featuring mask auction, dinner and dancing, 6:30 p.m. to midnight Saturday, March 9, Detroit Yacht Club, 1 River Bank Road, Belle Isle. \$125. Proceeds help feed and house the homeless at COTS (Coalition on Temporary Shelter). (313) 576-0219

SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE: Coloratura soprano Elizabeth Parcellis gives a free concert featuring selections from the glided age of song at the turn of the 19th century noon Wednesday, Feb. 13 in the Forum Recital Hall at Schoolcraft College, 18600 Hagerty, between Six and Seven Mile roads, Livonia. (734) 462-4403

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BRASS
Today's Brass Quintet: 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at Jefferson Avenue Presbyterian Church, Detroit. No charge. (313) 822-3456

CLASSICAL
Chamber Music Society of Detroit: Present violinist Joshua Bell 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 7 at the Seligman Performing Arts Center (Detroit Country Day School), 13 Mile and Lahser, Beverly Hills. \$18-\$67, \$15 students. (248) 737-9980

CLASSICAL
Detroit Symphony Orchestra: Russian Dreams program featuring baritone Sergei Leiforakis, Christine Clark 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 24, in Birmingham Unitarian Church on Woodward, north of Lone Pine. \$20, \$15 seniors/students, includes reception after the concert. For reservations, call (313) 438-0780

CLASSICAL
Plymouth Symphony Orchestra: American Portraits & Pieces program features the Plymouth Canton Middle School Orchestra, narration by State Rep. John Stewart, and a preconcert talk by composer Michael Daugherty 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 16, concert at Our Lady of Good Counsel Church, northwest corner of Beck Road and North Territorial, Plymouth Township. \$15, \$12.50 seniors/college, free for children in K-12. (734) 451-2112

CLASSICAL
Sphinx Finales Concert: Showcases the top young black and Latino string players in the country, also features the premiere of *Symphony of the Sphinx* by poet Nikki Giovanni and composer Colegride Taylor Perkinson, special guest artist Brandon Marsellis 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at Orchestra Hall, Detroit. \$10. (313) 576-5113

CLASSICAL
Young Artist Series: Features Jewish musical talent including vocalists Casey Ambender and Caitlin Klapper, baritone Zach Mondrow and cellist Seth Rosenfeld 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at Temple Beth El, 7400 Telegraph at 24 Mile, Bloomfield Hills. (248) 851-1100, ext. 315

AUDITIONS/ OPPORTUNITIES

Birmingham Concert Band: Looking for new musicians, 65-member adult band, all instruments welcome especially low brass and percussion. Rehearse Wednesday evening in the Groves High School band room. (248) 474-4997, (248) 647-7586 or visit www.birminghamconcert-band.com

Michigan Shakespeare Festival: Auditions for the July 18 to Aug. 4 festival will be held 7-10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 22 and 2-8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 23, for a variety of roles for adults of all ages, for major roles a prepared monologue from any Shakespeare play is required and should not exceed two minutes, at the Jackson Symphony Hall, 215 West Michigan Ave., Jackson. To schedule an interview, call (866) 705-2636 or (517) 788-5032

Orchard Ridge Theater Company: Auditions for Agatha Christie's *The Mouse Trap* 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 11, in the Smith Theater at Oakland Community College, 27055 Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills. For performances April 11-13, (248) 522-3595

Performance Network: Seeks proposals from individuals and groups for 2002 Trotwood Festival (May 29-Aug. 25), categories include theater, performance art, dance, new work and avant garde, each piece will be staged for one or two weekends with access to the Network's technical and marketing resources. Deadline for application is Feb. 14, (734) 663-0699 or send e-mail to network@bizserve.com for proposal packet. For application form visit the Web site at www.performance-network.org

POPS/SWING/ CABARET
Bird of Paradise Orchestra: 9 p.m. Monday, at the Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. (734) 662-8310 (big band, swing, pop)

JAZZ/BLUES
Ron Brooks Trio: 9 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. \$5 cover. (734) 662-8310

Thometta Davis: 9 p.m. Friday-Saturday, Feb. 8-9, at Edison's, 220 Merrill, Birmingham. No cover. (248) 645-2150

Les Gales: 9 p.m. Wednesday, Bird of Paradise, Ann Arbor. \$5 cover. (734) 662-8310

Paul Keller: And ensemble provide the music for a Pre-Mardi Gras Party 3-6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at the Monaghan Knights of Columbus Hall in Livonia. There will be room for dancing so call early to reserve tickets which are \$12. (248) 476-2874

Brett Lewis Band: 9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 7, at Edison's, 220 Merrill, Birmingham. No cover. (248) 645-2150

Kris Lynn: 5:30-8:30 p.m. Friday, at Harlequin "Jazz" Cafe, Indian Village, Detroit. No cover. (313) 331-0922

Matt Michaels Trio: 8-11:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 13 Ed Gooch (trombone); Feb. 20 trumpeter Johnny Trudell; Feb. 27 vocalist Barbara Ware; Ron's Fireside Inn, 28937 Warren Road, two blocks east of Middlebelt Road. (734) 762-7756

Larry Nozaro Jazz Quintet: Performs 8 p.m. to midnight Monday, at Mitch Houssy's Food & Spirits, Livonia. (734) 425-5520 or visit www.larrynozaro.com

Tony Pope's N'Orleans Six: 3-6 p.m. Saturday, opened Jan. 26, and continues every other weekend through June 1, at Tom's Oyster Bar, Southfield. \$6. (248) 476-2874

FOLK/ACOUSTIC
Larry Abour: 7 p.m. Wednesday-Friday, at Flying Fish Tavern, 17800 W. 13 Mile, east of Southfield Road. (248) 647-7747

Kitty Donohoe: Performs as part of the Northville Arts Commission's Winter Concert series 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at Genetti's Little Theatre, Northville. \$7. (248) 449-9945, ext. 9950

Pierce Pettis: 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, Trinity House Theatre, 38840 W. Six Mile Road, Livonia. \$10. (734) 464-6302

West Wetlands: 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, at the Orion Township Public Library, 825 Joslyn road, north of Clarkson Road. (248) 693-3001

WORLD MUSIC
Loyko: One of four leading Russian gypsy groups perform 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, at the Millennium Theater Center, 15600 Hudson Drive, Southfield. \$35, \$30, \$25 and \$20. (248) 867-2146, (248) 865-3354 or (248) 538-6700

Pat McDunn: 8-11 p.m. Friday, at Duke Humphries, Rochester Hills. No cover. (248) 601-1100 (Irish)

CLASSIC/ MODERN DANCE
Detroit Dance Collective: *Collage*, a concert of contemporary dances featuring choreography by Anh Nguyen and Kay Rediers, and works by artists directors Paula Kramer and Barbara Sallinger and guest artist Linda Cleveland Simmons 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 16 and 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10-17, on the third floor of the Old Main Building on the Wayne State University campus, Cass and Warren, Detroit. \$12, \$8 seniors/students. (313) 865-3544

Imperial Russian Ballet: 6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10, program features a dance based on a true story of the life of a ballerina from the world famous Mariinsky Theater in St. Petersburg, classical and folk dance, jazz and duets to modern dance and gymnastics, at the Millennium Theater Center, 15600 Hudson Drive, Southfield. \$20-\$45. (248) 967-2146, (248) 865-3354 or (248) 538-6700

Patterson Rhythm Pace Dance Company: Present contemporary dance 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 8, in the Varner Rectal Hall on the campus of Oakland University, Rochester. \$12, \$10 seniors, \$8 students. (248) 370-3013

SOCIAL DANCING
Moon-Dusters: Ballroom dancing to five bands, featuring swing, for trot, waltz, cha-cha and Latin, 8:30-11:30 p.m. Saturday, at the Livonia Civic Center, 15218 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. Thursday, 2172 Franklin Road, 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

Wolverine Silverspur Dancers: 7:30-11:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, at the Italian American Cultural Center, south of east of Hoover, Warren. \$7. (586) 573-0668 or (313) 526-9432

COMEDY
Ann Arbor Comedy Showcase: Jim Hamm Thursday-Saturday, Feb. 7-9; Maria Bamford Thursday-Saturday, Feb. 14-16, at the club, Ann Arbor. (734) 998-9080

Joey's Comedy Club at Palisano's: Dan Ballard Thursday-Saturday, Feb. 7-10; Vinile Favorito Thursday-Saturday, Feb. 14-17, at the club, 5070 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. (313) 584-8885

Mark Ridley's Comedy Club: Dan Grueter Thursday-Saturday, Feb. 7-9; Derrick Cameron Thursday-Saturday, Feb. 14-16, 269 East Fourth, Royal Oak. \$6 Thursday, \$12 Friday, \$14 Saturday. (248) 542-9900

Second City: New on Tuesdays, *Law & Disorder* and *Standing on the Edge* Jammin' Wednesdays features *The Best of Second City*; Mayor Go-Round showtimes on Thursday-Sunday at Second City Detroit. Ticket prices and show times vary. \$5-\$20. (313) 965-2222

MUSEUMS AND TOURS
Cranbrook Institute of Science: 39221 Woodward Avenue, Bloomfield Hills. \$7 adults; \$4 children ages 4-17, students with ID and senior citizens ages 65 and older; free for children ages 3 and younger. 1-877-462-7262 or www.cranbrook.edu

Detroit Institute of Arts: Continues its Friday night program

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