



SUMMER ENTERTAINMENT SERIES IN THE PARKS, 2021

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2021 SUMMER ENTERTAINMENT SERIES – JULY & AUGUST CALENDAR

7/7/2021

123 Andrés (Children's Songs)

Andrés and Christina are 123 Andrés – Washington, DC's beloved Latin Grammy-winning music duo with catchy songs for kids, in Spanish and English. Come see why Billboard called them a "rockstar for little language learners"! 123 Andrés brings their singable tunes, humor and engaging and interactive show – transforming the park into a full family dance party.

Frying Pan Farm Park Visitor Center Pavilion: 2739 West Ox Road, Herndon, VA 20171

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The United States Army Blues (Jazz)

This popular group began in 1942 as the U.S. Army Dance Band, created to entertain soldiers and civilians in the battle zone during WWII. Since then, it has evolved into the premier jazz ensemble of the United States Army.

Lee District Park Leonadus k. Plenty Amphitheater: 6601 Telegraph Road, Franconia, VA 22310

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Shenandoah Run (Folk)

Shenandoah Run invites you to share in the songs and sounds of American folk music, from the 1960s to today, from the esoteric to the toe-tappingly familiar, all treated to the lush six-part vocal harmony and skillful instrumental backing that define the group's instantly recognizable sound.

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Karl Stoll & The Danger Zone (Rock, Blues)

This is a high-energy, houserockin' blues band from the Washington, D.C. area. The music is a unique mix of danceable rockin' blues featuring original songs as well as the sounds of blues masters such as Muddy Waters, Jimmy Reed and The Fabulous Thunderbirds.

Rutherford Park: 4710 Guinea Road, Fairfax, VA 22032

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7/8/2021

Phil Wiggins & Rick Franklin (Piedmont Blues)

Harmonica player, songwriter and music director Phil Wiggins is regularly ranked in the Living Blues Readers and Critic's Polls as one of the top harmonica players in the traditional blues. Today Phil is the only living player of the instrument to hold the prestigious honor commonly referred to as "Living Cultural Treasure." Phil is accompanied by the Piedmont guitar picker and vocalist, Rick Franklin, a swift practitioner who carries on the D.C. acoustic blues tradition and has been a part of the D.C. blues scene for a long time.

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Project Locrea (World Music)

Join the members of global fusion ensemble Project Locrea in an evening of eclectic music making that crosses cultural and musical boundaries and fuses modern technology with western classical, jazz and traditional folk instrumentation from around the world. Project Locrea is an ensemble created by Bulgarian flutist Yana Nikol, dedicated to creating and performing original compositions and contemporary arrangements inspired by the folk music of different countries. Merging together influences from different world folk traditions with classical, jazz and contemporary music conventions, the project's focus is to celebrate artistic freedom as well as to bring a better understanding and deeper connection between cultures in current days.

Nottoway Park: 9537 Courthouse Road, Vienna, VA 22181

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7/9/2021

Thrillbillys (Roots Rock)

Meet Johnny Castle, David Kitchen, Robbie Magruder and Andy Rutherford, four performers with several Wammie nominations under their belts and a ton of singer-songwriter, guitar and bass credits to their names. See and hear why this rockabilly band won a Wammie for Best Debut Recording.

Grist Mill Park: 4710 Mt. Vernon Memorial Hwy, Alexandria, VA 22309

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Tom Paxton (Folk)

Tom Paxton has become a voice of his generation, addressing issues of injustice and inhumanity, laying bare the absurdities of modern culture and celebrating the tenderest bonds of family, friends, and community. In describing Tom Paxton's influence on his fellow musicians, Pete Seeger has said: "Tom's songs have a way of sneaking up on you. You find yourself humming them, whistling them, and singing a verse to a friend. Like the songs of Woody Guthrie, they're becoming part of America." Pete goes on: "In a small village near Calcutta, in 1998, a villager who could not speak English sang me What Did You Learn In School Today? in Bengali! Tom Paxton's songs are reaching around the world more than he is, or any of us could have realized. Keep on, Tom!"

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Paul Reisler & Three Good Reasons (Folk Jazz)

Enjoy an intimate concert of great folk-jazz sounds when world-class songwriter and instrumentalist Paul Reisler performs with his Three Good Reasons Trio. The Washington Post said Reisler's "songs climb up the Blue Ridge and down to the bayou and back up the Himalaya's. It's an impressive fusion featuring his inspiring songs and instrumentals, as well as vocalist Lea Morris and Marshall Keys' versatile saxophone playing.

Royal Lake Park: 5344 Gainsborough Drive, Fairfax, VA 22032

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The 19th Street Band (Country Rock)

Characterized by high energy and strong vocal harmonies, The 19th Street Band bridges the musical traditions of bluegrass and roots from Ireland to the Appalachia with their eclectic gypsy-rock spirit literally leaping from the stage and engaging every crowd. The charismatic vibe that Caolaidhe Davis (guitar player/vocalist) blends with fiddle/mandolin player/vocalist (and wife), Meghan Davis, creates a joy-filled chemistry that no crowd can resist. Add to the mix the talented rhythm section, Greg Hardin (bass) & Patty Dougherty (drums), and this band will have every crowd addicted. The band's newest album, *Diamond in the Rough*, was chosen as 'Album of the Month' on West Norfolk Radio, was selected as a finalist for this year's Wammie Awards and is currently receiving air play on a hundred different radio stations throughout the UK. It includes three songs that were co-written by the late, great Philip Donnelly and John Prine. Donnelly invited the band to record these songs with him in Tipperary, Ireland. The band is honored to be performing at this year's DelFest,

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Peru Cultural Heritage Night 'Centro Cultural Peru' (Dance/Music)

Celebrate Peru's cultural heritage with dance and music.



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Blue Sky Puppet Theater (Puppets)

Rufus, a shy little dog, has been lost from his owner. He's been stuck out in the rain and hasn't had anything to eat for two weeks. He meets the audience and asks for their help.

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Marc Berger (American Roots Music)

Clouds that forever stampede the endless sky, shadows gliding over canyon walls— the West is a vast expanse of magic and mystery. American artists from John Ford to Frederick Remington to A.B. Guthrie have used film, canvas and the printed page to convey the essence of its unique landscape and mythology. Inspired by Marc's lifelong love affair with the American West and produced by Marc and Mike Ricciardi, RIDE now presents ten cinematic recordings capturing the vastness and romance of the West while exploring its deep roots in the American psyche. From the haunting message and beat of "Twister" and the soul-shaking challenge of taming a wild horse in "Take it on the Chin", to the sexy, mind-blowing, middle-of-nowhere encounter of "Time Waits For No Man" and on through seven more scenic stops, RIDE takes you on a dusty tour of the Great American Frontier.

Workhouse Arts Center: 9518 Workhouse Way, Lorton, Virginia 22079

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7/11/2021

Debi Smith (Pop/Folk)

'Soaring,' 'ethereal,' 'radiant,' 'lilting,' 'majestic'- just a few of the adjectives critics use to describe the voice of Debi Smith. Drawing upon her own life experiences, observations and emotions to create her pop/folk sound and heartfelt lyrics that range from the sad to the funny, introspective to up-tempo, Smith's performances at festivals and concert halls across North America uniformly garner plaudits from audiences and reviewers alike" --The Kennedy Center. "As for Smith's genre of music...she is equally at home with country...pop...folk...opera...jazz or Irish music. She is a first-rate guitarist, accompanying a crystal-clear singing voice that has a range of at least three octaves. And she is a master of the bodhran (Irish hand drum)"--Chapel Hill News. And, from folk music legend Tom Paxton, "Debi represents great songs sung with a God-given voice like few others. She is pure music." Aside from her solo appearances, Debi also performs as a member of The Four Bitchin' Babes, and as half of the sibling duo, The Smith Sisters.

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7/14/2021

Randy Thompson Band (Americana Country, Roots Rock)

Now 6 albums into an eclectic and powerful career that has included 4 national top 40 Americana releases, 10 European tours, and a Top 40 Country single, singer/songwriter Randy Thompson continues to make his home in



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small town Clifton, Virginia. His music lovingly embraces the past even as it pulls it kicking, picking, singing, rocking – its way into the 21st Century.

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Natyabhoomi School of Dance (Indian Dance & Music)

Natyabhoomi School of Dance was founded in Maryland in 1994 by Artistic Director Deepti Mukund Navile. Her sister Shruthi Mukund joined in 2001, and the two now lead the organization together with passion and dedication. Natyabhoomi School of Dance offers dance instruction in the Mysore Style of Bharathanatyam, while also providing cultural education to its students. The school has performed at several prestigious venues in the U.S. and India, including The Barns at Wolf Trap, the Kennedy Center, The Music Center at Strathmore, GW's Lisner Auditorium, and at festivals like the Karthik Fine Arts Festival and Brahma Gana Sabha Festival.

Natyabhoomi School of Dance presents unique thematic productions and dance dramas such as Surya, Meghdhoot, Andal, Kumara Sambhavam, Geetha Govindam, Ritumala, Ishani, The Girl Child Project, and more.

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City of Falls Church Prism Ensembles (Chamber music & Dixieland)

An evenings of concert by small ensembles to include Brass Quintet, Woodwind Quintet, and Dixieland Band.

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Linwood Taylor (Blues, Rock)

Linwood Lee Taylor is tuned in to Howlin' Wolf, Jimi Hendrix, and Muddy Waters, as well as Freddy King, Albert King and Albert Collins, just to name a few. This talented bluesman also plays a bare-bones acoustic guitar and entertains at venues in Washington DC, Virginia, and Maryland.

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7/15/2021

Tribute Music of Smokey Robinson Featuring SIXX Sings Band (R&B, Classic Soul)



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SIXX is the lead vocalist of the Smokey Tribute Show and his abilities to mimic the soulful voice of Smokey is superb.

Fairfax County Government Center: 12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA 22035

FREE 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

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7/15/2021

Elena & Los Fulanos (Latin Folk/Rock)

Elena & Los Fulanos is a bilingual folkrock band based in Washington, DC. Since 2011, they have been creating music that ranges from twangy, heartbreak-themed folk Americana, to soothing, introspective, violin-infused Latin rock. Influenced by front-woman Elena Lacayo's experience growing up in two cultures (Nicaraguan and American), Elena & Los Fulanos creates a world where language and tradition meld with catchy melodies and inventive chords to enhance appreciation for diversity in an increasingly multi-cultural world. Their debut album, *Miel Venenosa*, earned a Washington Area Music Association (WAMMIE) nomination for Best Latin Recording in 2014 and their second album *Volcán*, (2017) has been hailed as "a bilingual folk album for the resistance" by the Washington City Paper.

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Voices of Classic Soul (R&B/Motown)

Joe Coleman, Joe Blunt and Theo Peoples have been around the world and back again several times each as the lead singers of four of the most legendary vocal groups of all time: the Temptations, Platters, The Four Tops and Drifters. These gentlemen have a back-story right out of a Hollywood movie; they grew up singing in church and on street corners throughout the 1960s. Joe Coleman remembers meeting Joe Blunt at church for the first time as members of the Junior Choir, which was directed by his mom Rev. Effie Coleman and Joe's Blunt's mom, Rev. Nan Brown.

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David Wilcox (Folk)

David Wilcox songs have been covered by artists such as k.d. lang and many others. In addition to his writing prowess, his skills as a performer and storyteller are unmatched. He holds audiences rapt with nothing more than a single guitar, thoroughly written songs, a fearless ability to mine the depths of human emotions of joy, sorrow and everything in between, and all tempered by a quick and wry wit. Reflecting on well over 20 years of record-making and touring extensively around the US and world, Wilcox says, "Music still stretches out before me like the head-lights of a car into the night. It's way beyond where I am, but it shows where I'm going. I used to think that my goal was to catch up, but now I'm grateful that the music is always going to be way out in front to inspire me."

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The NOVA Annandale Symphony Orchestra (Summer Ensemble Mix)



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Led by music director Christopher Johnston, the NOVA-Annandale Symphony Orchestra has been performing a wide range of music embracing different cultures and heritages since 1994. It is the "Orchestra-in-Residence" at the Richard J. Ernst Community Cultural Center on the Northern Virginia Community College's Annandale Campus. Ensembles of orchestra players perform a wide variety of both popular and rarely-heard music by diverse composers across the centuries, all the way from Mozart to Florence Price and Scott Joplin.

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Little Red & The Renegades (Zydeco)

Little Red, on the Azalea City Recordings label based in Takoma Park, Maryland, has appeared with Dr. John, Buckwheat Zydeco, Nathan Williams & the Zydeco Cha-Chas, T-Bone Burnett, Chubby Carrier, Queen Ida, Muddy Waters, John Lee Hooker, Lightnin' Hopkins, Brave Combo, Rosie Ledet, and many others. Madlib and Limp Bizkit have sampled Little Red, so you know he's got the funk bone. Little Red's music had been broadcast on WAMU (DC), WPFW (DC), WWOZ (New Orleans), WERA (Arlington), WOWD (Takoma Park), and on other stations around the world. Band members: Little Red (Tom Corradino), Accordion, Piano, Guitar - Carol Arthur, Zydecaribbean Steel Pans, Piano - Jon Danforth, Drums - Dave Petersen, Bass - Allen Rado and Harry Rado, Guitars - just about everybody sings (but mainly Little Red).

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Scythian (Irish Rock)

Washington DC-based Scythian (sith-ee-yin) began over 12 years ago as a bunch of college buddies playing Celtic music in the streets and has grown to be a headliner on the US Celtic Festival Circuit as well as a name in the Bluegrass/Americana Festival Circuit. They found that their brand of high-energy folk music found a resonance that led The Washington Post to state: "Scythian's enthusiasm is contagious, and shows seem to end with everyone dancing, jumping around or hoisting glasses." For over 12 years they have found success as an independent band and have played over 1,300 shows all over the United States, Europe, Canada and as far away as Australia.

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Mr. Gabe & the Circle Time All-Stars (Children's Songs)

Mr. Gabe is a former stay-at-home dad turned children's entertainer. He and his band, the Circle Time All-Stars, have been delighting young audiences throughout the DC area for over five years. Featuring electric guitar, bass and drums, they perform a rockin' 'n' rollin' mix of traditional favorites, family-friendly rock and pop songs, and witty originals from Mr. Gabe's two award-winning CDs.

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Irish Cultural Heritage Night 'Irish Breakfast Band' (Dance/Music)

Irish Breakfast performs music and dance in the Irish tradition featuring fiddles and flutes, piano and hammered dulcimer, cello, guitar, vocals, mandolins, banjo, bouzouki, bass, bones and bodhran (Irish drum). Band Leader Sean Doherty can usually be spotted by his distinctive floppy blue hat and blonde fiddle.

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Marsha and the Positrons (Children's Songs)

The Washington Post calls Marsha and the Positrons "...among the Washington area's most creative and distinctive" children's musicians. The band always brings positive energy to the stage! Specializing in fun songs about science & how the world works with positive social messages! Sing and dance along to original songs & familiar favorites that inspire curiosity about science and bring smiles to all ages.

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QuinTango (Tango Music)

QuinTango is a quintet of two violins, cello, bass and piano dedicated to the musical performance of tango. The group brings its own interpretations to this evocative music, universally synonymous with the eternal dance of man and woman.

Workhouse Arts Center: 9518 Workhouse Way, Lorton, Virginia 22079

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Sideline (Bluegrass)

2019 IBMA Song Of The Year Award Winner "Thunder Dan". Sideline is a pedigreed six-piece powerhouse whose style has set the pace in Bluegrass for over two decades. Combine all this with their on-stage energy and finesse as well as their powerful and affecting harmonies, and you have the embodiment of the North Carolina Bluegrass sound. Sideline has released 3 national projects and currently records for the highly awarded Mountain Home Music Company based near Asheville, NC. "Sideline has emerged as one of the best bands on the circuit...they grab every audience member and make them feel like the music is just for them." – Steve Martin. "The band's tight mix of power and dynamics combined with impressive flatpicking from start to finish" - Broadway Word

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The Skip Castro Band (Party Band)

It began a long time ago. 1978 to be exact. Four musicians, out of work at the same time got together because honestly, they liked to play music. Thus, the Skip Castro Band was born. A mutual love of rhythm 'n blues, swing, boogie woogie and rock 'n roll became the foundation. Over the next ten years, Skip Castro would become staples on the East Coast between Boston and Atlanta playing every bar, club, music hall, and college in between. All the while having a great time. Called one of the best party bands ever, Skip Castro brings the party every time they take the stage. And who haven't they played with? Muddy Waters, Big Joe Turner, Bo Diddley, James Brown, Chuck Berry, Buddy Guy, James Cotton, Albert Collins, Stevie Ray Vaughan, the Yardbirds, The Fabulous Thunderbirds, George Thorogood and the Destroyers, the Nighthawks, the Kinks, Kenny Loggins and a host of others....Fast forward 41 years and the same four guys are still playing together. Why? Because even though they stopped playing full time a while back, there's a unique groove and spirit that exists when Skip plays. They've played with other musicians but the greatest satisfaction comes when these four get together.

Burke Lake Park: 7315 Ox Road, Fairfax Station, VA 22039

FREE 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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7/21/2021

Rocknoceros (Children's Songs)

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Frying Pan Farm Park Visitor Center Pavilion: 2739 West Ox Road, Herndon, VA 20171

FREE 10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

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7/21/2021

The Nighthawks (Blues)

When Mark Stutso, master of the deep groove, joined The Nighthawks at the beginning of 2010, the 21st-century version of the legendary American roots band was complete. With Paul Bell and Johnny Castle in the band for nearly a decade, and founding father Mark Wenner the remaining original, this team outshines all previous incarnations. The Nighthawks was an idea in Mark Wenner's brain long before he was able to implement it. The



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musical product of pre-1958 radio in Washington, D.C., he did not know there were rules against mixing blues, R&B, honky-tonk country, doo-wop, gospel and rockabilly into one delicious stew. In 1972, Mark, then 23, returned to his hometown after a New York City band apprenticeship eager to start a real, work-every-night band based on American roots music. He found a receptive local scene. Washington has long been a musical melting-pot of the kind that made Memphis the source point for the evolution of American music in the second half of the 20th century. It just never had a Stax or Sun record label to tell the world. As the city exploded with an influx of people from all the surrounding states during the Great Depression and World War II, Washington became a hotbed of musical cross-fertilization. When Bill Haley first brought his wacky Pennsylvania mix of hillbilly music and rhythm and blues to D.C. in 1952, people got it. And white kids like Mark found the Howard Theater – now recently restored and part of the historic top tier of the Chitlin' Circuit that included Baltimore's Royal, Chicago's Regal and New York's Apollo – just a 25-cent bus ride away from the suburbs.

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7/21/2021

Natty Beaux (Swing)

Natty Beaux is a new fun-lovin', finger-snappin', hoppin' and boppin' combo featuring musicians from Billy Coulter Band, The Junkyard Saints, Alexandria Kleztet and Western Bop. Folks just can't sit still when they hear 'em play toe-tappin' numbers from Louis Prima, Ray Charles, Louis Jordan, Bobby Darin, Elvis, Gene Vincent, Nat King Cole, Jerry Lee Lewis and more.

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7/21/2021

Soul Crackers (Motown, Soul)

Their music encompasses Memphis & Motown soul, and features timeless songs by artists like Sam & Dave, Average White Band, Martha & The Vandellas and Wilson Pickett among others. This music brings together all ages and personalities at a dance party. The Soul Crackers grew up with this music and honor it with the legitimacy of a crackerjack soul horn band from the 60s.

Rutherford Park: 4710 Guinea Road, Fairfax, VA 22032

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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7/22/2021

Veronneau (World Jazz)

International acoustic quartet Veronneau won this year's Washington Area Music Association Wammie awards for Best Jazz Vocals, Jazz Recording and Jazz Band. The band has delighted audiences in North America, Europe and beyond with its world jazz and pop. The band's two recent albums rose to Top 10 status in the national jazz and world music charts, earning critical and international acclaim.

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7/22/2021

Nepalese Indian Cultural Nights (Music of Nepal)



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Join us to celebrate Nepal cultural heritage with music and songs.

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7/22/2021

King Soul (Southern Soul)

Born of a mutual passion for the deep, down home sounds of an earlier time, King Soul brings you real Southern Soul, featuring original songs, gritty vocals, a slamming horn section and driving rhythms.

Nottoway Park: 9537 Courthouse Road, Vienna, VA 22181

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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7/23/2021

Jumppin' Jupiter (Rockabilly, swing, surf)

The band is fronted by Jay Jenc (Washington, D.C.) who delivers some of the most sincere yet frantically kinetic vocals ever witnessed. Whether playing at a backyard bar-b-que or with some national act in a great big fancy club, these stripped-down, psychobilly cowpunks have found a home here on Earth.

Grist Mill Park: 4710 Mt. Vernon Memorial Hwy, Alexandria, VA 22309

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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7/23/2021

King Teddy (Swing)

King Teddy is an upbeat, five-piece combo featuring great vocals, saxophone, a driving beat and a song list that dares the foot not to tap. Although the band's influences are varied (Louis Prima to Sam Cooke to Gene Vincent to Brian Setzer to even the Beatles), King Teddy has a single-minded musical mission - to swing, baby, swing!

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7/23/2021

Kadencia Orchestra (Bomba, Plena, Salsa)

Kadencia is a 8 piece ensemble comprised of professional musicians that have toured with some of the best local and internationally renowned bands in Puerto Rico and the U.S. Mid-Atlantic region. Kadencia is based out of Richmond, Virginia and is ready to make your event memorable. The orchestra is directed by lead vocalist and singer/songwriter Maurice Sanabria. Kadencia's repertoire is made of original compositions written by Mr. Sanabria and arrangements from leading composers in Puerto Rico.

Royal Lake Park: 5344 Gainsborough Drive, Fairfax, VA 22032

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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7/24/2021

High Noon (Sothern Rock)

High Noon is the East Coast's premier Southern rock tribute band, performing exclusively the classic hits of Lynyrd Skynyrd, The Allman Brothers Band, Molly Hatchet, The Outlaws, and The Marshall Tucker Band. The band is dedicated to preserving the legacy of the timeless music of Lynyrd Skynyrd, The Allman Brothers Band, Molly Hatchet, The Outlaws, The Marshall Tucker Band, and .38 Special. Join us on a journey back to a golden age of live



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music, and experience again the power of all of your favorite anthems from the founding fathers of Southern Rock!

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7/24/2021

Mr. Gabe & the Circle Time All-Stars (Children's Songs)

Mr. Gabe is a former stay-at-home dad turned children's entertainer. He and his band, the Circle Time All-Stars, have been delighting young audiences throughout the DC area for over five years. Featuring electric guitar, bass and drums, they perform a rockin' 'n' rollin' mix of traditional favorites, family-friendly rock and pop songs, and witty originals from Mr. Gabe's two award-winning CDs.

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7/24/2021

Vietnam Cultural Heritage Night 'Prelude Chamber Ensemble' (Vietnamese Music)

Prelude Chamber Ensemble is a non-profit group of passionate musicians who are dedicated to promoting classical music and cultural exchange, encouraging the development of young musicians throughout the love of music.

Prelude Chamber Ensemble will encourage young musicians from all level and all ages across the Northern Virginia to join the Vietnamese American Youth String Orchestra for great performances. The Prelude Chamber Ensemble is committed to opening artistic and cultural borders by inviting diverse talented artists that may not be known to local audiences.

Ossian Hall Park: 7900 Heritage Drive, Annandale, VA 22003

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.



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7/24/2021

Ray Owen (Children's Songs)

Ray Owen, a GRAMMY Nominated Singer/Songwriter, presents 'Animal Odyssey', a tuneful animal kingdom adventure. The show is a journey through a land of rousing songs, down a river of rollicking stories, through a rolling valley of wide-eyed surprises to a sea of kids comedy. Featured highlights include a great farm animal impersonation competition – a zany Chicken Karaoke contest for kids!

Wakefield Park: 8100 Braddock Rd, Annandale, VA 22003

FREE 10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

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7/24/2021

Los Texmaniacs (Conjunto band)

Los Texmaniacs is a conjunto band created by Max Baca in 1997. Baca wanted to create a band that incorporated elements from genres such as Rock & Roll and Jazz while still honoring the roots of conjunto Tejano. In 2010 Los Texmaniacs won a Grammy Award for Tejano Album of The Year "Borders y Bailes". Members of Los Texmaniacs have changed over the years but current members include Max Baca on bajo sexto, Josh Baca on accordion, Noel Hernandez on electric bass, and Lorenzo Martínez on the drums. Los Texmaniacs have collaborated with various artists from different genres including Rick Trevino (country music), Flaco Jimenez (tejano), Los Lobos (latin rock) and rapper King Montana. King Montana a.k.a. Tecoloso is Max Baca's first cousin on his mother's side of the family. Tecoloso is a Grammy nominated songwriter/artist from Albuquerque, NM. Despite having a disability since birth that has confined him to a wheelchair. He has contributed songwriting and performed with his cousin's Grammy Award Winning group Los Texmaniacs.

Workhouse Arts Center: 9518 Workhouse Way, Lorton, Virginia 22079

FREE 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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7/25/2021

Seán Heely Celtic Trio (Irish/Schotish)

Champion fiddler and singer Seán Heely is one of the most creatively versatile and captivating young artists of his generation. He is a U.S National Scottish Fiddle Champion as well as an award-winning Irish Fiddler and singer in the folk and Gaelic traditions of Scotland and Ireland. He has performed in Scotland, Ireland, and at venues in the U.S such as the Kennedy Center in Washington D.C. Seán has performed with traditional music icons such as Liz Carroll, Bonnie Rideout, Natalie Haas, Cathy Jordan, Eamon O'Leary, Zan McLeod, Maeve Gilchrist, and Paddy Keenan. Along with his accolades in Traditional Music, Seán made his Classical solo debut with the Virginia Symphony in 2012 performing Mozart's 5th Violin Concerto. A composer and arranger, Seán has won national awards including the 2016 Scottish Fiddling Revival's Tune writing competition.. He is a musical ambassador for the British Embassy Scottish Affairs Office and the St. Andrew's Society of Washington. He also frequently travels abroad as a solo artist, has been a speaker at events such as the Scottish North American Leadership Conference, and maintains a private teaching studio in Falls Church, VA.

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7/28/2021

The Road Ducks (Southern Rock)



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The Roadducks are a five-man rock band based out of Northern Virginia. The band, formed in the spring of 1976, has played over 5,588 (1/2021) shows in every State from Texas to Maine. As one of the most enduring acts in American rock music, their audiences include venues ranging from the smallest club to the largest outdoor arenas. “The Ducks” play in a variety of styles, but it is the guitar driven ‘Southern Rock’ for which they are best known. Over the band’s career, they have toured with a virtual ‘who’s who’ of American rock, sharing stages with Lynyrd Skynyrd, The Allman Brothers, Charlie Daniels, Marshall Tucker, .38 Special, The Outlaws, Molly Hatchet, Stevie Ray Vaughan, Blackfoot, Foghat and others too numerous to mention. The Ducks learned from the best and it shows during their performances. The band’s show is a tad smaller these days but still has that big sound gleaned after so many years of not talking about it, but going out on the circuit and ‘doin it’!

Burke Lake Park: 7315 Ox Road, Fairfax Station, VA 22039

FREE 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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7/28/2021

Pablo Antonio y La Firma (Merengue/Cumbia/Salsa)

Pablo Antonio y La Firma specializes in tropical rhythms such as Merengue, Cumbia and Salsa. With performers from Europe, the Caribbean, North and Central America, Pablo Antonio y La Firma becomes unique as the musicians each incorporate their individual styles and cultural heritage into the music.

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Ruthie & the Wranglers (American, Roots)

Ruthie & the Wranglers play rockin’ American Roots music (also known as FUN!) and are based in the Washington, DC area. After 25 Years of Wrangler Twang, including recording, touring and radio airplay, the band remains a cornerstone of the DC roots music scene. From original Americana Country to rousing Surf instrumentals, their clever lyrics, high energy and spritely hillbilly harmonies set them apart from the rest. Ruthie and The Wranglers’ albums have consistently ranked high on Americana, Folk and Roots music radio charts around the world. Their clever songwriting skills were penned by Billboard Magazine as “...nothing short of brilliant.” Ruthie and the Wranglers is a 5 piece band including guitars, piano, bass and drums—showcasing their dynamic three-part harmonies and original songs.

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The Nitehawks Swing Band (Swing)

Nitehawks Swing Band members are drawn from the Vienna Community Band, Fairfax City Band, Falls Church Concert Band, National Concert Band, and independent performers. Founded in 2009, the Nitehawks Swing Band performs in the metropolitan Washington, D.C. area, though primarily in the northern Virginia area at retirement communities, church events, community performances for the Fairfax County, Town of Vienna, Manassas, and City of Fairfax Parks and Recreation.

Rutherford Park: 4710 Guinea Road, Fairfax, VA 22032

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Trio 111 (Rock)

Trio 111 was formed by three talented musicians who bring down the house with rock and acoustic covers of hits spanning the decades. Kevin (bass/vocals), Jake (guitar/vocals/keys), and Shane (drums/vocals) have individually performed at many venues in the DC metro area, including local festivals and charity events, the Fillmore, Jammin Java, and more! They met at School of Rock in Vienna and have joined forces primarily to celebrate good music, but also to honor diversity and all types of abilities, especially since one of their members is on the autism spectrum and is an embodiment of the incredible ability in the disability community

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Project Locrea (World Music)

Join the members of global fusion ensemble Project Locrea in an evening of eclectic music making that crosses cultural and musical boundaries and fuses modern technology with western classical, jazz and traditional folk instrumentation from around the world Project Locrea is an ensemble created by Bulgarian flutist Yana Nikol, dedicated to creating and performing original compositions and contemporary arrangements inspired by the folk music of different countries. Merging together influences from different world folk traditions with classical, jazz and contemporary music conventions, the project's focus is to celebrate artistic freedom as well as to bring a better understanding and deeper connection between cultures in current days. **Frying Pan Farm Park: 2709 West**

Ox Road, Herndon, VA 20171

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7/29/2021

Lox and Vodka (Klezmer Folk, Jazz)

Blending traditional Jewish and klezmer music with folk, jazz, spiritual and original flavors, Lox & Vodka takes you on a journey from the old world to the new. Come ready to sing, clap, dance and raise your spirits to their vibrant sounds.

Nottoway Park: 9537 Courthouse Road, Vienna, VA 22181

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7/30/2021

Whiskey before Breakfast (Irish Band)

Whiskey Before Breakfast Band (WBBB) is a new Irish instrumental group based in Northern Virginia who tends to keep to traditional Irish music, although they are not afraid to add a song or two or play the occasional Scottish tune. They got their start last fall in a concert in Downtown DC. Since then they have performed in various venues in the DC/NOVA area.

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7/30/2021

The Apple Core (Beatles tribute band)

For almost a decade, the Apple Core has been bringing to life the music of the Beatles in meticulous detail. Lush vocal harmonies, infectious energy, and instrumental virtuosity abound at every show, bringing smiles to the faces of Fab Four fans of all ages as they immerse themselves in the greatest songs ever written. Retooled for



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7/30/2021

Lesson Zero (Roots Rock)

Lesson Zero is an indie, adult contemporary, roots-rock band from Washington, DC with strains of country, Cajun, pop, and blues sounds thrown in to their original music for good measure. DJ Andy Och from WRYY describes their music as sounding like a mix of The Beatles, The Guess Who, Pink Floyd, The Beach Boys, Bob Dylan, and The Eagles. Tight vocal harmonies and hot guitar jams add up to way cool music.

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7/31/2021

Daryl Davis (Swing)

Born in the Electric Blues Capital of the world, Chicago Illinois, Daryl absorbed the influences of the South from musicians who traveled North from the Mississippi Delta, Texas, Louisiana, Tennessee, and Missouri to this Blues Mecca. Daryl earned his Bachelor of Music Degree from Howard University in Washington, DC where he was a member of their world famous and renowned Jazz Vocal Ensemble. In addition to being a vocalist, guitarist, and composer, Daryl is a keyboardist extraordinaire. Upon graduation, Daryl went on to work with such artists as Chuck Berry, Elvis Presley's Jordanaires, Jerry Lee Lewis, The Platters, The Drifters, The Coasters, Bo Diddley, Percy Sledge, and Sam Moore (of Sam & Dave), to name a few.

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7/31/2021

Blue Sky Puppet Theater (Puppets)

Rufus, a shy little dog, has been lost from his owner. He's been stuck out in the rain and hasn't had anything to eat for two weeks. He meets the audience and asks for their help.

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7/31/2021

German Band - Kings Park Band (Concert Band)

The Kings Park Band was formed in 1965 with nine people, donated sheet music and a basement rehearsal room. It has grown to a full concert band with more than 55 adults and a professional conductor. The dedicated volunteer members of the Kings Park Concert Band carry on the American community-band tradition in free public concerts.

Ossian Hall Park: 7900 Heritage Drive, Annandale, VA 22003

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7/31/2021

Robin and Linda Williams (Folk)

For more than four decades now, Robin & Linda Williams have made it their mission to perform the music that they love, "a robust blend of bluegrass, folk, old-time and acoustic country that combines wryly observant lyrics with a wide-ranging melodicism." Today some might call it "Americana," but these two revered music masters were living and breathing this elixir 20 years before that label was turned into a radio format.

Workhouse Arts Center: 9518 Workhouse Way, Lorton, Virginia 22079

FREE 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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8/1/2021

Moonshine Society (R&B)

Moonshine Society delivers high energy roots rock, blues, and old school R&B in a style guaranteed to keep audiences dancing, toes tapping, and the drinks flowing. An international sensation often compared to Susan Tedeschi, Sharon Jones & The Dap Kings, and Teena Marie, the band is comprised of A-List players including three inducted members of the Blues Hall of Fame and several Berklee College of Music alumni.

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8/4/2021

The Johnny Artis Band (Blues, Rock&Roll)

The Johnny Artis Band is well known in the Mid Atlantic region for their fun loving brand of Blues and Rock & Roll. They have been entertaining audiences with their current lineup for years, showing the professionalism and expertise that only comes from the experience of working together to provide the best entertainment possible. Johnny brings everything together with his engaging stage presence, establishing a comfortable rapport with any audience, and keeping them entertained without exception.

Burke Lake Park: 7315 Ox Road, Fairfax Station, VA 22039

FREE 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/4/2021

Suttle Band (Go-go/Soft Rock)

In 1994, Suttle Thoughts was formed. The beginning of 2016 the band become known as Suttle. Suttle Squad, or Squad Suttle. The individual talent and background of this band brings a very unique and modern Go-Go sound, which yields us the ability to be versatile in providing multiple variations of music, such as, but not limited to Jazz, R&B, Go-Go, and Soft Rock.

Lee District Park Leonadus k. Plenty Amphitheater: 6601 Telegraph Road, Franconia, VA 22310

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8/4/2021

Bio Ritmo (Salsa)

Based out of Richmond, VA since 1991, Bio Ritmo is recognized around the world as one of the most intriguing and influential Salsa bands of the last three decades. Their raw, original sound is rooted in the classic "salsa dura" or

"hard salsa" genre that was made popular in the dance clubs of New York City during the 1970's.

Mason District Park Amphitheater: 6621 Columbia Pike, Annandale, VA 22003

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8/4/2021

City of Fairfax Band - Alte Kameraden German Band (Music of Germany)

The Alte Kameraden is the German band of the City of Fairfax Band. The ensemble is an authentic Blaskapelle wind band that performs the music played by alpine village bands. In 1995, the Fairfax Alte Kameraden became the first American band to be selected to membership in the Musikbund von Ober-und-Niederbayern (MON)– Bavaria's association of village bands. Two years later, the Alte Kameraden was inducted into the Deutsche Gesellschaft für Militärmusik–Germany's honorary society for bands and military music. It has also been honored with the Federal Republic of Germany's German-American Friendship Award (1990) and with a special Certificate of Merit conferred by the United German-American Committee of the U.S.A. (2001).



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Rutherford Park: 4710 Guinea Road, Fairfax, VA 22032

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8/5/2021

Kiss & Ride (Blues)

Kiss & Ride is a high energy blues ensemble lead by Carly Harvey. This project is intended to extend blues to younger audiences and bridge the age gap between blues aficionados by combining current music with blues arrangements in the same set with blues standards, blues funk, soul and some original music too.

Fairfax County Government Center: 12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA 22035

FREE 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

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8/5/2021

Billy Coulter (Roots Rock, Pop)

Washington D.C. singer/songwriter Billy Coulter's distinctive style straddles the line between roots rock and power pop. Blending diverse influences from Dylan to Bowie, he's created a fresh, authentic sound with a nod to the classics that inspired him.

Frying Pan Farm Park: 2709 West Ox Road, Herndon, VA 20171

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/5/2021

The Annandale Brass Ensemble (American Popular Music)

The Annandale Brass, formed in 1997, with John Wright as its director, has made its presence and impact known in the community through performances at churches and various civic and social events in Northern Virginia, including the Fairfax County Park Authority's summer concert series. It is comprised primarily of musicians from the NOVA-Annandale Symphony Orchestra and the Reunion Music Society Jazz Orchestra. The ensemble performs a wide and diverse repertoire, covering a range of sixteenth-century music and the latest Broadway show tunes at its "Spring Fling," and holiday favorites at its annual "Winter Wonderland" concert in December.

Nottoway Park: 9537 Courthouse Road, Vienna, VA 22181

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/6/2021

Mystic Warriors (Andean)

Audiences are captivated by these haunting melodies that transcend time and space. Their Andean mixture of flutes, string and percussion instruments has to be heard to be believed.

Grist Mill Park: 4710 Mt. Vernon Memorial Hwy, Alexandria, VA 22309

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. 703-324-SHOW (7469) www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks/performances

8/6/2021

The Frog Pond Pickers (Country/Gospel)

The Frog Pond Pickers began with a few family members playing bluegrass in the living room of our home in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia, not far from the Frog Pond Road. A guitar or two and mandolin in the living room led the family in traditional songs for many years. When the Double Bass arrived, we had a band. Adding the banjo, the group began performing for the public. The group continues these traditional family gathering and performs locally.



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8/6/2021

Mark Puryear and Friends (Blues)

Mark Puryear: Mark Puryear has over thirty years of performing, producing and researching music and culture. Mark has performed at Smithsonian Folklife Festivals, Philadelphia Folk Festival, the Montpelier Cultural Arts Center, D.C. Blues Society Festivals, Port Townsend Acoustic Blues Festivals, in clubs, college campuses, and private events. **Jay Summerour:** Hohner Harmonica endorser, Jay Summerour has been involved with music for well over 60 years. Beginning his musical education on the trumpet at age 7, Summerour learned the harmonica from his grandfather, Smack Martin, an accomplished blues harmonica player. Summerour picked up bits and pieces from “folks he ran into”—folks like Sonny Terry, James Cotton and Magic Dick. Summerour has been featured on the cover of Living Blues Magazine, has recorded with Warner Williams for Smithsonian Folkways, two recordings with Michael Baytop, and is currently a Soul Stew Records recording artist. **Eric Selby:** Eric Selby is a much sought after producer/drummer/percussionist for many genres of music with concentration on the blues. Eric has performed live and recorded with many talented artists, including: Billy Thompson (Little Milton, Albert King, Art Neville), Ron Holloway (Warren Haynes, Dizzy Gillespie, The Allman Brothers, Sonny Rollins, Tedeschi/Trucks), Daryl Johnson (The Neville Brothers, Daniel Lanois, Emmylou Harris, U2, Bob Dylan), James East (Elton John, Lionel Richie, Eric Clapton), Guy Davis, Warner Williams (Piedmont blues legend, 2012 NEA National Heritage Fellowship Winner), Drink Small (Piedmont blues legend, 2015 NEA National Heritage Fellowship Winner), Bill Payne (Little Feat, J.J. Cale, The Doobie Brothers), Lenny Castro (Adele, The Rolling Stones, Steely Dan, Maroon 5, Stevie Wonder) and Mike Finnigan (Jimi Hendrix, Joe Cocker) to name a few.

Royal Lake Park: 5344 Gainsborough Drive, Fairfax, VA 22032

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8/7/2021

Black Masala (Funk/ World)

Brassy Washington DC-based multicultural outfit, Black Masala, is part of the new generation of go-anywhere brass bands. You can hear this sound all over the world now – from New Orleans (Hot 8) to Belgrade (Boban & Marko Markovic), Paris (Fanfarai) to Cotonou (Gangbe Brass Band), and right here on the east coast area as well (Red Baraat & No BS! Brass). A major party alert for this band – Black Masala puts on an amazing, high-energy live show!

Arrowbrook Centre Park: 2351 Field Point Road, Herndon, VA 20171

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

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8/7/2021

Ray Owen (Children's Songs)

Ray Owen, a GRAMMY Nominated Singer/Songwriter, presents ‘Animal Odyssey’, a tuneful animal kingdom adventure. The show is a journey through a land of rousing songs, down a river of rollicking stories, through a rolling valley of wide-eyed surprises to a sea of kids comedy. Featured highlights include a great farm animal impersonation competition – a zany Chicken Karaoke contest for kids!

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Mr. Gabe & the Circle Time All-Stars (Children's Songs)

Mr. Gabe is a former stay-at-home dad turned children's entertainer. He and his band, the Circle Time All-Stars, have been delighting young audiences throughout the DC area for over five years. Featuring electric guitar, bass and drums, they perform a rockin' 'n' rollin' mix of traditional favorites, family-friendly rock and pop songs, and witty originals from Mr. Gabe's two award-winning CDs.

E.C. Lawrence Park Amphitheater: 5040 Walney Road, Chantilly, VA 20151

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Blue Sky Puppet Theater (Puppets)

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Lua Project Mexilachian Music (Dance/Music)

Lua is a cultural pollinator, bridging together musical styles from different continents and different centuries. They write about contemporary themes, about families, and people and work and loss, but draw on the musical traditions of their own families' past. The music is inspired by Mexican Son, Appalachian song forms, Jewish and Eastern European tonalities, baroque melodic ideas, and Scotch-Irish narrative storytelling approaches. They strive to create a repertoire that constitutes new traditional music that they will be able to pass down to their children to experience, transform, and pass on.

Ossian Hall Park: 7900 Heritage Drive, Annandale, VA 22003

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8/7/2021

Trolls World Tour (Drive-in Movies)

91 minutes | Animation Kids & Family | Universal Studios | 2020 | Rated PG | . When the Queen of the Hard Rock Trolls tries to take over all the Troll kingdoms, Queen Poppy and her friends try different ways to save all the Trolls

Trinity Centre: 5860 Trinity Parkway, Centreville, VA 20210

FREE Gates open 7pm; movie at dark

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8/7/2021

Rocknoceros (Children's Songs)

Rocknoceros has entertained tens of thousands of fans around the country, performing at Lollapalooza, Austin City Limits, and the Kennedy Center. Since its inception in 2005, Rocknoceros has won nine Washington Area Music Awards and has found its way into the hearts and homes of music-lovers of all ages.

Wakefield Park: 8100 Braddock Rd, Annandale, VA 22003

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The Pietasters (Ska)

In 1990, a bunch of friends started a band with no pretensions: the idea was to make music for house parties, not to make a career out of music. These guys and a girl grew up in and around Washington, D.C. The scene was small and all the Punks, Skins, and Mods intermixed in those days. You were as likely to see a Mod at a Scream show as you were to see a Punk at a Toasters show. This varied influence is what informed the covers that the Pietasters played and the originals they wrote trying to emulate their favorite bands.

Workhouse Arts Center: 9518 Workhouse Way, Lorton, Virginia 22079

FREE 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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8/8/2021

Hogslop String Band (Bluegrass)

If you've never seen Hogslop live, you're missing out on one of the most exciting, floor-stomping musical rides you'll ever see. Based out of Nashville, Hogslop String Band creates & performs cross-genre music that pushes the boundaries of what Old Time music could/should be, blending country, psych, and astounding stamina for an energetic performance. Hogslop has shared stages with the likes of The Avett Brothers, Lukas Nelson, Del McCoury, Punch Brothers, The Infamous Stringdusters, Yonder Mountain String Band, Dom Flemons, and many more. First and foremost, Hogslop is rooted in traditional southern American old-time string band music. Each member of the band was naturally exposed to this wonderful musical heritage through family and friends--just the way traditional music has always been passed down. The band formed in 2009, and soon set about entering--and winning--every major string band contest in the South, as well as putting on epic, sweat-drenched square dances wherever space allowed.

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8/11/2021

Practically Einstein (Vintage Rock)

A staple on the DC scene for years, Practically Einstein has toured everywhere from New York to New Orleans, as well as throughout parts of Europe. PE mixes in a highly eclectic mix of covers, including MGMT, Franz Ferdinand, Hall & Oates, Wheatus, Kings of Leon, the Strokes, Green Day, the Ramones, and Nirvana. The guys rarely follow a set list, but make sure to keep the energy high, and the rock and roll authentic. They recently released the EP "Love + Hate" at the Rock & Roll Hotel in Washington, DC. Produced with Jim Ebert (Ice Cube, Butch Walker, Everclear, Cowboy Mouth) at Cue Studios, the EP is an anticipated collection of songs about the opposing forces that can come to a boil in the heart and mind. From the devil-may-care spirit of the single "Massive in Japan", to the dark passion of "When the World Explodes", the songs exhibit a range of influences, much from the alt-rock heyday of the '90's (Catherine Wheel, Buffalo Tom, Sugar, Del Amitri, Matthew Sweet, Supergrass, Soul Asylum, Pearl Jam, Guided by Voices), and spiked with doses of Britpop, Americana and soul.

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Frying Pan Farm Park Visitor Center Pavilion: 2739 West Ox Road, Herndon, VA 20171

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8/11/2021

The United States Navy - Cruisers (Pop/Rock)

The United States Navy Cruisers band features seven of the Navy's most dynamic performers under the leadership of vocalist Senior Chief Musician John L. Fisher. Cruisers are versatile, flexible, multi-missioned ships and the members of the Cruisers live up to their namesake by presenting a variety of music including classic rock, rhythm and blues, oldies from the 50s and 60s, Motown favorites, as well as today's Top 40 hits.

Lee District Park Leonadus k. Plenty Amphitheater: 6601 Telegraph Road, Franconia, VA 22310

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8/11/2021

Washington Balalaika Orchestra (Russian Folk Music)

Hear musicians devoted to the study and performance of the music of Russia, Ukraine and Eastern Europe perform on traditional instruments -- the balalaika, domra, bayan, plus folk wind and percussion.

Mason District Park Amphitheater: 6621 Columbia Pike, Annandale, VA 22003

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8/11/2021

Karen Collins & The Backroads Band (Honky Tonk Country Band)

One of the Washington area's top retro honky tonk bands, the Back Roads Band plays country music like it was played back then, and in no time they'll have you out on the dance floor doing a boot scootin' two-step or snuggling up close for a buckle-polishing slow tune.

Rutherford Park: 4710 Guinea Road, Fairfax, VA 22032

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8/12/2021

Bill and the Belles (Country, Roots)

With striking three-part harmonies and masterful instrumentation, Bill and the Belles skillfully breathe new life into the sounds of early country music. At the foothills of the Blue Ridge and the forefront of old time music, Bill and the Belles (Johnson City, Tennessee) continue to further the music traditions of their region. From sentimental Southern ballads to the popular songs of Tin Pan Alley to regional fiddle breakdowns, a Bill and the Belles show is a celebration of the diversity country music once represented. Lifelong musicians Kris Truelsen, Grace Van't Hof, Kalia Yeagle, and Karl Zerfas bring to the stage an uplifting show unlike any other, full of humor, high spirits, and all-around revelry. It's clear this group shares a rare musical connection and deep love for the music, and their excitement is contagious. Bill and the Belles are hitting the road with fervor, eager to share their music with new audiences. They continue to play alongside America's top country and roots music artists as the resident band for the historic radio program Farm and Fun Time presented by Radio Bristol and the Birthplace of Country Music.

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Speidel, Goodrich & Goggin (Rock)

Rusty Speidel, Tom Goodrich and Michael Goggin have been performing together...forever, delighting audiences wherever they go with their wit, acoustically-driven rich sound, and compelling songwriting. Each show becomes a musical journey through multiple styles, all held together by fantastic harmonies, top-notch musicianship, and a killer backing band. All the members have active solo careers as well.

Frying Pan Farm Park: 2709 West Ox Road, Herndon, VA 20171

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8/12/2021

Bumper Jacksons Band (Country)

Bumper Jacksons are hot and sweet, painting America's story from the streets of New Orleans to Appalachian hollers. Unafraid to scrap together new sounds from forgotten 78's, the Bumper Jacksons elegantly balance paying homage to the traditions while fashioning their own unique, playful style. The group began as a duo, a city-meets-country experiment between songstress Jess Eliot Myhre and banjo player Chris Ousley. They hopped on bicycles, touring the country, instruments on their backs, seeking to reimagine roots music. In five short years, Bumper Jacksons grew to a brassy six-piece, with horns and pedal steel. They've been honored multiple times as the Mid-Atlantic's "Artist of the Year" & "Best Traditional Band" at the Washington Area Music Awards. Bursting at the seams with some of the richest threads of old America, Bumper Jacksons bring you into the center of a party where everyone's invited and the dance floor never sleeps.

Nottoway Park: 9537 Courthouse Road, Vienna, VA 22181

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/13/2021

Patsy's Honky Tonk Torch & Twang (Country)

Patsy's Honky Tonk Torch & Twang, performs classic country and honky tonk music in the Baltimore/Washington area. They mix it up with some other styles thrown in for good measure...a little Western swing, some rockabilly, a few jazz standards, and plenty of Patsy Cline! "We have it all...a little torch...a little twang!"

Grist Mill Park: 4710 Mt. Vernon Memorial Hwy, Alexandria, VA 22309

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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Billy Price and his Charm City Rhythm Band (Blues)

2016 Blues Music Award (BMA) Winner and two-time 2020 BMA nominee Billy Price first attracted national attention during his three-year association with guitarist Roy Buchanan. Price is the vocalist on two of Buchanan's LPs, *That's What I'm Here For* and *Live Stock*. Since then, with the *Keystone Rhythm Band*, the *Billy Price Band*, and solo projects, Billy Price has recorded and released a total of 17 albums, CDs, and DVDs. His latest album *Dog Eat Dog* on *Gulf Coast Records* was nominated for a 2020 BMA for Best Soul Blues Album of 2019, and Price was nominated as Best Male Soul Blues Artist. The *Billy Price Charm City Rhythm Band*, based in Billy's new hometown of Baltimore, MD, consists of El Torro Gamble (drums), Greg Haughey (bass), Pete Kanaras (guitar), Tam Sullivan (keyboards), Dan Gutwein (sax), and Vince McCool (trumpet).

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The Hillbilly Gypsies (Bluegrass)

Hailing from the beautiful Mountain State of West Virginia, The Hillbilly Gypsies have been making and performing their own brand of old time bluegrass and original mountain music for well over a decade! Formed in 2001 from a chance meeting at the now infamous Wednesday night old time jam in Morgantown, WV; The Hillbilly Gypsies have been pickin' n' grinnin' and entertaining their loyal fans ever since. The band is best known for their high-energy live performances and have become a crowd favorite at major festivals, fairs and concert venues all across the mid-Atlantic region and abroad. They perform in the old fashioned style, playing around a single vintage ribbon microphone. This "Old Timey" approach adds an authentic high-energy barn party atmosphere to their show. Watching the whole band work around the mic is like taking a trip back in time. It'll sure make you want to get up and dance!

Royal Lake Park: 5344 Gainsborough Drive, Fairfax, VA 22032

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8/14/2021

Yo Mama's Big Fat Booty Band (Funk)

Yo Mama's Big Fat Booty Band is a seasoned group of musicians, who have taken their high energy, Funk filled live stage show back and forth across the country, performing in 49 of the 50 US states since they first hit the scene, back in 2002. The band was conceived in Boone, NC and quickly gained a cult following for their wildly entertaining and "over the top" stage antics. In 2006, Booty Band, as fans affectionately nicknamed the group, moved to Asheville, North Carolina, and have since become the poster child for the Asheville Music scene. The band has released 4 studio albums, 2 live albums and 1 remix album over the span of their career and recently received the honor of being featured artists on a Grammy Winning Album "Infinity Plus One" from "Kid-Hop" artist Secret Agent 23 Skidoo. These road warriors have stripped layers of varnish off many dance floors, laid down immeasurable amounts of rubber on the pavement and have left fans all over the country with memories that will last a lifetime.

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Mr. Jon & Friends (Children's Songs)

Mr. Jon & Friends is Parents' Choice Award winning music for kids and their families. This energetic family music is all about fun, movement, and laughter! Singer/Songwriter Jon Lewis had a decade of playing shows in coffee houses, recording CD's, and having opportunities like being on a TV show, being a finalist in a national song writing



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Fairfax Symphony Orchestra - Percussion Ensemble (Children's Music)

The Fairfax Symphony Orchestra's Children's Concerts are interactive experiences with the audience, especially for young, first-time concert-goers! Participation by all is encouraged. Each concert offers an introduction to each musician, their instrument, their role creating music, and a wide variety of musical selections from Classical music to the familiar music of today. We look forward to having you join us to learn about musical instruments in a fun family setting.

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FREE 10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

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8/14/2021

The United States Army Blues (Jazz)

This popular group began in 1942 as the U.S. Army Dance Band, created to entertain soldiers and civilians in the battle zone during WWII. Since then, it has evolved into the premier jazz ensemble of the United States Army.

Ossian Hall Park: 7900 Heritage Drive, Annandale, VA 22003

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/14/2021

The Croods: A New Age (Drive-in Movies)

95 min | Animation Adventure Comedy | Universal Studios | 2020 | Rated PG | . Searching for a safer habitat, the prehistoric Crood family discovers an idyllic, walled-in paradise that meets all of its needs. Unfortunately, they must also learn to live with the Bettermans -- a family that's a couple of steps above the Croods on the evolutionary ladder. As tensions between the new neighbors start to rise, a new threat soon propels both clans on an epic adventure that forces them to embrace their differences, draw strength from one another, and survive together.

Trinity Centre: 5860 Trinity Parkway, Centreville, VA 20210

FREE Gates open 7pm; movie at dark

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8/14/2021

Mr. Gabe & the Circle Time All-Stars (Children's Songs)

Mr. Gabe is a former stay-at-home dad turned children's entertainer. He and his band, the Circle Time All-Stars, have been delighting young audiences throughout the DC area for over five years. Featuring electric guitar, bass and drums, they perform a rockin' 'n' rollin' mix of traditional favorites, family-friendly rock and pop songs, and witty originals from Mr. Gabe's two award-winning CDs.

Wakefield Park: 8100 Braddock Rd, Annandale, VA 22003

FREE 10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

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Crys Matthews (Jazz, Blues, Funk)

DC's Crys Matthews is nothing if not ambitious. In August, she simultaneously released both a new full-length album, *The Imagineers* and an EP, *Battle Hymn For An Army Of Lovers*. These collections showcase two sides of Matthews' dynamic songwriting; *The Imagineers* is a selection of thoughtful songs about love and life while *Battle Hymn For An Army Of Lovers* tackles social justice themes. Songs from both projects have already won her recognition and awards. She was one of ten finalists (from a pool of 5,000) in this year's *NewSong Music Competition* and, after performing at Lincoln Center on November 30th she was named grand-prize winner. Matthews also won the *People Music Network's Social Just Songs* contest at the *Northeast Regional Folk Alliance*. Matthews blends Americana, folk, jazz, blues, bluegrass and funk into a bold, complex performance steeped in traditional melodies and punctuated by honest, original lyrics. Having been compared to everyone from Toshi Reagon to Tracy Chapman to Ruthie Foster, Matthews' eclectic infusion of genres has won her honorable mentions at the 2013 and 2014 *Mid-Atlantic Song Contest* and extensive radio play from *Woman of Substance* radio to *WTJU-Charlottesville* and *WMRA-Harrisonburg* to *KBOO-Portland*. Matthews has shared stages with *Melissa Ferrick*, *Chris Pureka* and *Liz Longley*, as well as several regional artists such as *Owen Danoff*, *Eliot Bronson*, and *Heather Mae*. Equally at home in an acoustic listening room as she is on stage at large music festivals, Matthews has quickly gathered a loyal following on the east coast playing such prestigious venues as *The Birchmere*, *The Hamilton*, and *Jammin' Java*. Matthews' festival and showcase roster has included *BMI's Island Hopper Songwriter Festival*, the *40th Michigan Womyn's Music Festival*, *Folk Alliance International*, *30A Songwriters Festival*, *Northeast Regional Folk Alliance* and many more.

Workhouse Arts Center: 9518 Workhouse Way, Lorton, Virginia 22079

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8/15/2021

Wicked Olde (Celtic/Bluegrass)

Wicked Olde formed in mid-2013 as a trio featuring *Ahnika Emery* (fiddle), *Tim Noone* (harmonica, guitar, percussions & vocals) and *Ray Sheehan* (guitar & vocals). Coming from a variety of musical backgrounds, they combined Celtic music (*Ray & Ahnika*) with bluegrass, blues, and old-timey music (*Tim*), and a fair smattering of acoustic pop and folk (*Ray & Tim*). They liked what they heard and so did listeners. In June 2014, *Heather Butler* (also a Celtic music friend of *Ray's*) joined on mandolin, fiddle, and vocals. *Heather*, in turn, introduced the group to *Brigitte DeHaven* on lead vocals, keyboard, percussions, and bass. *Wicked Olde* continued to perform as a quintet through early 2015.

Mason District Park Amphitheater: 6621 Columbia Pike, Annandale, VA 22003

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/18/2021

The Colin Thompson Band (Blues Rock)

A prolific lyricist and composer, *Matthews* has found inspiration in her surroundings, from driving through the *Blue Ridge Mountains* to the compelling and heart-breaking love story of *Richard and Mildred Loving*. Thoughtful, realistic and emotional, *Matthews'* songs speak to the voice of our generation and remind us why music indeed soothes the soul.

Burke Lake Park: 7315 Ox Road, Fairfax Station, VA 22039

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8/18/2021

Fairfax Symphony Orchestra - Percussion Ensemble (Children's Music)

The Fairfax Symphony Orchestra's Children's Concerts are interactive experiences with the audience, especially for young, first-time concert-goers! Participation by all is encouraged. Each concert offers an introduction to each musician, their instrument, their role creating music, and a wide variety of musical selections from Classical music to the familiar music of today. We look forward to having you join us to learn about musical instruments in a fun family setting.

Frying Pan Farm Park Visitor Center Pavilion: 2739 West Ox Road, Herndon, VA 20171

FREE 10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m.

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8/18/2021

Alt Washingtonia Schuhplattler Verein (Alpine Dance/Music)

Alt Washingtonia Schuhplattler Verein performs traditional Alpine dances from Germany and Austria, representing the many different aspects of the culture. Also enjoy the sounds of the long alphorns, yodeling and singing, cowbell-ringing and musical saw, accompanied by button-box accordion, zither, and mountain dulcimer.

Lee District Park Leonadus k. Plenty Amphitheater: 6601 Telegraph Road, Franconia, VA 22310

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/18/2021

Fast Eddie & The Slowpokes (Blues)

Fast Eddie & The Slowpokes are guaranteed to get you up on your feet! The Slowpokes playlist is inspired by classic blues material from Chicago to West Coast Swing, Motown to Muscle Shoals, and all the rock n' roll in between. Fast Eddie & The Slowpokes have performed throughout the DC – Maryland- Virginia region, from The Kennedy Center to festivals to roadhouses. They have shared the stage with Victor Wainwright (2016 BMA Entertainer of the Year), The Nighthawks, The Andy T Band, Jimmy Thackery, and Phil Pemberton of Roomful of Blues. They won the 2016 and 2012 DC Blues Society Battle of the Bands and represented the DC Blues Society at the 2017 and 2013 The International Blues Challenge in Memphis! In 2017, they were Semi-Finalists at the International Blues Challenge!

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FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/18/2021

Common Ground (Smooth Jazz)

Common Ground, a suburban Washington DC-based group, offers a diversity of musical styles and genres. Although Smooth and Contemporary Jazz is their forte, their flexibility is unlimited, making for smooth musical transitions. Whether it be an old Jazz standard rearranged for the contemporary listener, or a recent urban style hit remade to give it a jazzy feel, Common Ground approaches these musical challenges with taste and imagination. Formed in 2001, Common Ground has been a mainstay in the DMV (DC. Md. Va.) and have maintained a stellar reputation for excellence and reliability. While closely associated with the former "Smooth Jazz 105.9" radio station, Common Ground was selected as an opening act for national recording artists, including Brian Culbertson and Chris Botti, along with countless local musical venues. In 2019, Common Ground added stellar vocalist Kiris Powell to the band's lineup, incorporating hits from the songbooks of Anita Baker, Lalah Hathaway, Aretha Franklin, and Jill Scott. With all the pieces in place, Common Ground will undoubtedly withstand the test of time within the ever changing musical world...Enjoy!



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Rutherford Park: 4710 Guinea Road, Fairfax, VA 22032

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/19/2021

Rafael Ortiz & El Tumbao Urbano (Latin)

They say that music is the language of the soul, and nothing could be truer for this Salsa Band. Composed of a group of inspirational musicians and skillful performers, the artists behind Rafael Ortiz y El Tumbao Urbano have earned their reputation as a talented band to look out for. From live gigs to studio sessions and more, they continue to touch fans around the world with their distinct and enjoyable musical style. Explore the site and check out their music below.

Fairfax County Government Center: 12000 Government Center Parkway, Fairfax, VA 22035

FREE 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

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8/19/2021

The United States Army Swamp Romp (Jazz)

Representing The United States Army Band "Pershing's Own," The U.S. Army Blues Swamp Romp has been active for almost two decades, performing traditional jazz and folk music of Louisiana in support of recruiting and community outreach initiatives throughout our nation.

Frying Pan Farm Park: 2709 West Ox Road, Herndon, VA 20171

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/19/2021

The Seldom Scene (Bluegrass)

The Seldom Scene is an American bluegrass band formed in 1971 in Bethesda, Maryland. The Scene has been instrumental in starting the progressive bluegrass movement as their shows include bluegrass versions of country music, rock, and even pop. What does it take for a bluegrass band to remain popular for more than four decades? For The Seldom Scene, it's taken not only talented musicians, a signature sound, and a solid repertoire, but also a sheer sense of fun.

Nottoway Park: 9537 Courthouse Road, Vienna, VA 22181

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/20/2021

Empty Bottle String Band (Old-time, String Band)

The Empty Bottle String Band originally formed to play a one-time stint at a local farmers market, but have already reached new heights in popularity all over the Southeast US. They specialize in playing toe-tapping, highly danceable traditional Appalachian music and are known for their upbeat fiddle tunes and feel-good music. Their impressive stage presence is coupled with a delightfully self-effacing strength and confidence in their music. Their sound is inventive, while still staying close to the old time string band tradition of the 1930's.

Grist Mill Park: 4710 Mt. Vernon Memorial Hwy, Alexandria, VA 22309

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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The United States Navy Country Current (Country)

The United States Navy Band Country Current is the Navy's premier country-bluegrass ensemble. The group is nationally renowned for its versatility and "eye-popping" musicianship, performing a blend of modern country music and cutting-edge bluegrass. This seven member ensemble employs musicians from diverse backgrounds with extensive high-profile recording and touring experience in the music scenes of Nashville, Tenn., New York, New Orleans and more. In the tradition of country music, each member is a skilled performer on multiple instruments. The band utilizes banjo, acoustic guitar, electric guitar, mandolin, fiddle, electric bass, upright bass, dobro, pedal steel guitar and drum set.

Mason District Park Amphitheater: 6621 Columbia Pike, Annandale, VA 22003

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/20/2021

Mars Rodeo (Rock)

Mars Rodeo plays original, classic and modern rock with an extensive variety of songs that span from the 1960s to today. Over the last 7 years, the group has played many public events throughout Northern Virginia and appears at a variety of Northern Virginia establishments.

Royal Lake Park: 5344 Gainsborough Drive, Fairfax, VA 22032

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/21/2021

Richard Phillips and Friends (Folk, Appalachian Blues)

Richard Phillips and Friends have been providing music to Southwest Virginia, Northeast Tennessee and Western North Carolina for over 25 years. Their blend of various musical styles coalesces into a unique Americana sound of Appalachian Folk, blues, country, and, what Richard calls, imaginary music. Dr. Richard Phillips writes many of their songs and has recorded nine studio produced albums, most of them at Grammy winning Maggard Studio in Big Stone Gap, Virginia. He teaches intermediate and blues guitar in Mountain Empire Community College's (MECC) Mountain Music School. **Roger Bullock** has played with Richard Phillips and Friends for 15 years but has been a performing musician since high school. His early success with the group, Velvet Haze was punctuated in 2011 when Guitar World Magazine recognized their 1967 original single, "Last Day on Earth" among the songs that led to the heavy metal genre. For 14 years, starting in the late 90's Roger was the rhythm guitarist and later bassist for of Northern Virginia's premier rock and roll cover bands, The Sock Monkeys. He teaches with Richard in MECC's Mountain Music School. **Tommy Clements** began his musical career playing drums and percussion in middle school but he cut his teeth on traditional music at the same time as a stage musician playing guitar in the stage band for Virginia's Official State Play, "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine." Later Tommy played with different bands focusing on popular music but never lost his feel and love for folk, blues and traditional music. He has been playing guitar and cajon (which he also designs and builds) with Richard for 13 years. **Bill Smith** has been performing for over 50 years. He has toured nationally with the Montana Repertory Theater, and has been in the pit orchestra of a number of theaters. He also toured as a musician with Roadside Theater, an internationally known Appalachian based storytelling theater troupe. He is a lifelong musician and has worked with various bands playing Dixieland jazz, folk, rock and roll, old time string band music, and blues. He plays many instruments, including bass, fiddle, and banjo, and is also an accomplished song writer. He has played with Richard for 4 years. He teaches banjo in the JAMMS Program, which teaches old time music to school children. **Chris Rose** is one of the preeminent guitarists in Southwest Virginia. He was banned from the Tri-Cities annual guitar contest after winning three years in a row. He teaches music at University of Virginia's College at Wise and at MECC and gives private lessons. He also teaches advanced and blues guitar at MECC's Mountain Music School. Chris has played in numerous bands



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and has taken student groups on performance tours in Europe and around the world. He is a regular at Bristol Rhythm 'n Roots. He is always in demand as a musician and it is always worth the price of admission to see him perform. He has worked with Richard on a number of projects and has played with him off and on for over 20 years.

Arrowbrook Centre Park: 2351 Field Point Road, Herndon, VA 20171

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

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8/21/2021

Bolivia Cultural Heritage Night 'Fraternidad Folklorica Cultural Morenada Bolivia USA'is FFC Morenada Bolivia USA (Dance/Music)

Join us for an evening of Bolivian Dance and Music.

Ossian Hall Park: 7900 Heritage Drive, Annandale, VA 22003

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/21/2021

Onward (Drive-in Movies)

102 minutes | Animation Adventure Comedy | Disney/Pixar | 2020 | Rated PG |. Two teenage elf brothers living in a post-magical world stumble upon a spell that can bring their father back to life. They embark on an epic, heartwarming adventure to see the spell through when it initially only brings back their father's lower half (i.e. his legs).

Trinity Centre: 5860 Trinity Parkway, Centreville, VA 20210

FREE Gates open 7pm; movie at dark

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8/21/2021

Dom Flemons (Acoustic Blues)

GRAMMY Award Winner, Two-Time EMMY Nominee, 2020 United States Artists Fellow- Dom Flemons is originally from Phoenix, Arizona and currently lives in the Washington, D.C. area with his wife Vania Kinard and their daughter Cheyanne Love. He has branded the moniker "The American Songster" since his repertoire of music covers over 100 years of early American popular music. Flemons is a songwriter, multi-instrumentalist, producer, actor, music scholar, historian, and record collector. He is considered an expert player on the banjo, guitar, harmonica, jug, percussion, quills, fife and rhythm bones. Flemons was selected for the prestigious 2020 United States Artists Fellowship Award for the Traditional Arts category which was generously supported by The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation. He currently serves as a Governor on the Board of Directors for the Washington, D.C Chapter of the Recording Academy.

Workhouse Arts Center: 9518 Workhouse Way, Lorton, Virginia 22079

FREE 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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8/25/2021

Sharón Clark Quartet (Jazz)

The critics say all you need to know about the remarkable Sharon Clark: "Ms. Clarks sound evokes not [Billie] Holiday but rather a less operatic Sarah Vaughan fused with the more animated side of Shirley Horn, a singer who also liked to take her time. Ms. Clarks voice is rich, her phrasing unfussy, her jazz embellishments minimal. -- Stephen Holden, New York Times.



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8/26/2021

Frank Solivan & Dirty Kitchen (Bluegrass)

With chops so hot, Frank Solivan & Dirty Kitchen were named IBMA's 2016 Instrumental Group of the Year for the second time, with a third nomination in 2017. Their critically acclaimed album Cold Spell earned a 2015 GRAMMY nomination for Best Bluegrass Album of the Year, yet the accolades don't end there. In 2019 the band received its second GRAMMY nomination for If You Can't Stand The Heat for Best Bluegrass Album of the Year. Solivan, with banjoist Mike Munford, 2013 IBMA Banjo Player of the Year, award-winning guitarist Chris Luquette and bassist Jeremy Middleton, simmer a progressive bluegrass stew of infinite instrumental, vocal and songwriting skills soon to be featured once again on their new album If You Can't Stand the Heat slated to drop January 25th, 2019. Since leaving the cold climes of Alaska for the bluegrass hotbed of Washington, D.C., Frank Solivan has built a reputation as a monster mandolinist — and become a major festival attraction with his band, Dirty Kitchen. Their respect and deep understanding of the tradition collides, live on stage, with jazz virtuosity creating an unforgettable, compelling performance.

Frying Pan Farm Park: 2709 West Ox Road, Herndon, VA 20171

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/26/2021

Oakton High School Band (High School Band)

The Oakton High School is extremely proud of the students and teachers in the Department. The Performing Arts program includes Band, Chorus, Orchestra and Theater Arts.

Nottoway Park: 9537 Courthouse Road, Vienna, VA 22181

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/27/2021

The Rock-A-Sonics (Vintage Rock 'n' Roll)

In January 2014 an extraordinary teenaged singer hopped a time machine from the fifties and landed on the doorstep of four Washington DC area rockabilly musicians. They initially got together just to play a single show (a Buddy Holly tribute) but quickly realized the combination should become a regular thing, and the Rock-A-Sonics were born. Their deep playlist and variety of styles and tempos have made them a favorite of the DC/MD/VA/PA swing dance community. The Rock-A-Sonics are playing regularly at clubs, car shows, dances, and street festivals throughout the mid-Atlantic area.

Grist Mill Park: 4710 Mt. Vernon Memorial Hwy, Alexandria, VA 22309

FREE 7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

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8/28/2021

Eddie from Ohio (Rockabilly)

Too energetic to be labeled just "folk", and not angry enough to be pegged "alternative", Eddie from Ohio continues to defy description with its unique blend of vocals and acoustic instrumentation. A bedrock foundation of hand and stick percussion and a textural flavoring of guitar/bass/harmonica support the four-part harmonies and lyrically driven original music.



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8/28/2021

Raya and the Last Dragon (Drive-in Movies)

107 minutes | Animation Action Adventure | Disney 2021 | Rated PG |. Long ago, in the fantasy world of Kumandra, humans and dragons lived together in harmony. But when sinister monsters known as the Druun threatened the land, the dragons sacrificed themselves to save humanity. Now, 500 years later, those same monsters have returned and it's up to a lone warrior, Raya, to track down the last dragon in order to finally stop the Druun for good. However, along her journey, she'll learn that it'll take more than dragon magic to save the world--it's going to take trust as well.

Trinity Centre: 5860 Trinity Parkway, Centreville, VA 20210

FREE Gates open 7pm; movie at dark

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8/28/2021

The United States Army Field Band, Six-String Soldiers (Americana, folk, bluegrass, and Irish)

Six-String Soldiers is a four-member acoustic group performing Americana, folk, bluegrass, and Irish music in an informal setting. The group brings its signature style to the smallest, most intimate venues, the busiest public places, street festivals, and music festivals across the United States. With its focus on audience interaction and sharing its members' stories and experiences as American Soldiers, Six-String Soldiers offers one of the most personal musical experiences found in the United States Army.

Workhouse Arts Center: 9518 Workhouse Way, Lorton, Virginia 22079

FREE 7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

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9/8/2021

Practically Einstein (Vintage Rock)

A staple on the DC scene for years, Practically Einstein has toured everywhere from New York to New Orleans, as well as throughout parts of Europe. PE mixes in a highly eclectic mix of covers, including MGMT, Franz Ferdinand, Hall & Oates, Wheatus, Kings of Leon, the Strokes, Green Day, the Ramones, and Nirvana. The guys rarely follow a set list, but make sure to keep the energy high, and the rock and roll authentic. They recently released the EP

"Love + Hate" at the Rock & Roll Hotel in Washington, DC. Produced with Jim Ebert (Ice Cube, Butch Walker, Everclear, Cowboy Mouth) at Cue Studios, the EP is an anticipated collection of songs about the opposing forces that can come to a boil in the heart and mind. From the devil-may-care spirit of the single "Massive in Japan", to the dark passion of "When the World Explodes", the songs exhibit a range of influences, much from the alt-rock heyday of the '90's (Catherine Wheel, Buffalo Tom, Sugar, Del Amitri, Matthew Sweet, Supergrass, Soul Asylum, Pearl Jam, Guided by Voices), and spiked with doses of Britpop, Americana and soul.

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