

SEMJA
Southeastern Michigan
Jazz Association

Update

June / July 2018



Michigan Jazz Festival 2018

The free Michigan Jazz Festival is still going strong in its 24th year. The Michigan Jazz Festival features great music in a very comfortable and friendly environment and you have a choice of listening inside or outside. This year's festival will be held on Sunday, July 15, at Schoolcraft College in Livonia from noon until 9:00 p.m. There will be music on seven stages inside the VisTaTech Center, including a new one (the



Cabaret Stage) in the American Harvest Brewpub. There is also the Open Air Stage in a tent on the lawn, west of VisTaTech. There will be roughly 35 groups performing, including 5 big bands, for a total of around 150 musicians. The complete schedule can be found inside this newsletter and on our website.

Among this year's performers are pianist Terry Lower with vocalist Edye Evans Hyde (left) on the Kehrl Auditorium stage. As always the Johnny Trudell big band will close things down in the DiPonio Room, as they did last year (top).

Schoolcraft College features high quality food services, and plenty of opportunities for socializing. SEMJA will have a table outside the Solo Piano Stage in the Rennolds Room as usual, so please drop by and say hello. SEMJA sponsors the Future of Jazz Stage in Henry's Café, where you will find high school and college bands. When Playing with the Pros finishes at Henry's, SEMJA has organized a reception for members and guests from 5:30-6:30. Please drop by enjoy some refreshments and chat about what you have heard at the festival.

Schoolcraft College is located at 18600 Haggerty Rd. in Livonia. There is plenty of parking. For further information please call 734-462-4403 or go to michiganjazzfest.org.

SEMJA Reception at MJF

SEMJA has put together a reception for its members and their guests during the Michigan Jazz Festival. The reception will take place from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. adjacent to the Future of Jazz Stage (sponsored by SEMJA) in Henry's Café. It immediately follows the conclusion of Playing with the Pros, the open clinic led this year by Ellen Rowe and her trio.

Feel free to drop by to enjoy some refreshments, snacks and chat about what you have heard at the festival.



Emma Aboukasm performing at the 2017 Michigan Jazz Festival



Dirty Dog Jazz Cafe

is proud to announce its
Schedule of Performers for
June – July 2018:

Ralphe Armstrong

Bassist

Steve Turre

Trombonist

Walt Szymanski

Trumpeter

Gene Dunlap

Drummer

Esperanza Spalding

Detroit Jazz Festival's
resident ensemble Bassist

Charles Boles

Pianist

Randy Napoleon

Guitarist

Dwight Adams

Trumpeter

Alvin Waddles

Pianist

Four Freshmen

Ensemble

The best Jazz and Cuisine is at the Dirty Dog! Lunch menu featuring a great selection of burgers, sandwiches, and entré salads.

For more information visit:

DirtyDogJazz.com

Reservations highly recommended.

For reservations call:

313-882-5299

Dirty Dog Jazz Cafe

97 Kercheval, Grosse Pointe Farms



Tad Weed Trio at Ziggy's

BY LARS BJORN

Pianist Tad Weed made his debut at Ziggy's in Ypsilanti on April 26. Weed is a marvel as a piano player: lots of ideas and the technique to deliver them. He is also comfortable in many styles of playing including the avant garde, but this night he stayed within the confines of bop and post-bop. His repertoire ranged from classics like Ellington's "The Intimacy of the Blues" to "Beautiful Love" famously recorded by Bill Evans, Mulligan's "Five Brothers" and Clare Fischer's "Morning" (Fischer was one of Tad's teachers).

Along with Kurt Krahnke on bass and Bob Sweet on drums, Weed swung mightily, particularly on "The Intimacy of the Blues" where Krahnke treated us to a powerful bass solo.

Lunar Octet Returns to Ann Arbor

The Lunar Octet (earlier the Lunar Glee Club) has been around Ann Arbor since the mid-1980s with a unique sound blending Afro-Cuban rhythms and a frontline of three horns. They came together again in 2014 after a break of a decade or so, and on June 3 they will play the Kerrytown Concert House. The group is run as a collective and includes the well-known local saxophonist Paul VornHagen.

A younger collective with roots in the Midwest is Talking Ear, a four-piece group with vocalist Estar Cohen. They perform June 7, and are followed the next day by guitarist Charlie Ballantine's Quartet. Ballantine has released three albums and is now touring with a new album celebrating the music of Bob Dylan.

Pianist Thollem McDonas and his trio (with saxophonist Piotr Michalowski and cellist Abigail Alwin) return to the KCH stage as part of the Edge series on June 9, followed by veteran blues/jazz pianist/singer Bill Heid on June 18. Two additional musicians comfortable in blues and jazz environments will join Heid on stage: drummer RJ Spangler and boogie specialist Mr. B. Heid has spent considerable time in area clubs over the years and currently

resides in the Washington DC area. His trio will also play Cliff Bell's in Detroit June 15 and 16.

Bassist Ron Brooks and his quartet will perform in a fundraiser for Ann Arbor's African American Cultural and Historical Museum on June 24 at 7:00 p.m. The group features vocalist Edye Evans Hyde, pianist Tad Weed, and drummer Pete Siers.

The New York based Uri Gurvich Quartet will play on June 30. Gurvich is a saxophonist and his group includes the marvelous Cuban pianist Manuel Valera who has impressed Concert House audiences with various constellations over the last decade.

The remarkable saxophonist Ken Vandermark plays in many ensembles. The latest group is called Marker and features two guitars, keyboard, and drums. Vandermark has drawn inspiration from various sources including contemporary classical music, post-punk groups, Afro-Beat and funk. They will play KCH's Edge series on July 9.

All concerts are at 8:00 p.m. unless otherwise noted. You can get a reserved seat by calling 734-769-2999 or go to www.kerrytownconcerthouse.com.

Smith Fund Supports Rising Stars

BY BARBARA KRAMER

Louis Smith was one of the greats of jazz. During his illustrious career, he performed with pretty much any big name you can think of. Later in his life, he chose to settle in Ann Arbor and concentrate on teaching, passing on his knowledge and love of jazz to new generations of young musicians. When Louis passed away in 2016, his wife Lulu expressed a desire to establish a scholarship in his name to benefit students who needed financial



help to pursue their musical ambitions. She asked SEMJA to help with this project, and so the Louis Smith Scholarship Fund was created. This year, two students will be the recipients of the first of these scholarships. Both of these young men participate in programs headed by local drummer Sean Dobbins.

Dobbins was first mentored by Smith at Forsyth Middle School. Smith taught him not only music, but how to live a good life, and, of course,

how to dress. While becoming one of the most in demand drummers in this area, Dobbins also chose to become a teacher, working with several area music programs at the middle school, high school and even college levels.

On Sunday, June 17, at 6:00 p.m. at Kerrytown Concert House, Dobbins will present a performance in his “Rising Stars” series, featuring some of the young musicians he has been teaching. At this performance, Kurt Harrison (right) and Jake Lee (above), both trumpet players, will be presented with scholarships allowing them to participate in summer jazz programs.



Harrison, 17, is an 11th-grader at the Detroit School for the Arts. He will use his scholarship to attend the Community Music School — Detroit Spartan Boot Camp. Lee, 16, is a 10th-grader at Huron and Community High Schools in Ann Arbor. His scholarship will allow him to participate in the AAPS Summer Music Program.

At the concert, both students will have the rare opportunity to play a trumpet that had belonged to and was played by Louis Smith. An anonymous donor, as part of the campaign to raise funds for the scholarships, purchased the trumpet. It was then most generously gifted to Dobbins in recognition of his close relationship with Smith.

SEMJA is very proud to be part of this project and to help these two students continue on their musical path. If you want to contribute further to the Louis Smith Scholarship Fund, please contact us, or visit www.semja.org/scholarship/smith.html

WEMU 89.1

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Schedule

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
5						JAZZ24	JAZZ24
6							PIANO JAZZ
7						NEW JAZZ ARCHIVE	REVEAL
8						WEEKEND EDITION Scott Simon	WEEKEND EDITION Rachel Martin
9							
10						THIS AMERICAN LIFE	SUNDAY BEST
11						WAIT, WAIT... DON'T TELL ME!	Nik Thompson
12						ASK ME ANOTHER	
1							GROOVEYARD Daniel Long
2						FROM MEMPHIS TO MOTOWN Wendy Wright	THE IN CROWD Jessica Webster
3							BIG CITY BLUES CRUISE Joe Tiboni
4						ROOTS MUSIC PROJECT Jeremy Baldwin	
5							
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7						REVEAL	CUBAN FANTASY Marc Taras
8						ALL SONGS CONSIDERED	MOUNTAIN STAGE Larry Groce
9						JAZZ NIGHT IN AMERICA	GLOBAL VILLAGE JAZZ NIGHT IN AMERICA
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National Public Radio
Eastern Michigan University

jazz events

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ATTENTION all venue owners, musicians, and listeners
Please let us know about upcoming jazz events in the area!

- Write us at SEMJA
712 East Ann St.
Ann Arbor, MI 48104-1502
- Phone us at 734-668-7470
- Submit information online at www.semja.org/submit

We will include notices if they reach us by the 15th of the month prior to publication.

Amore Da Roma

3401 Riopelle
DETROIT 313-831-5940

ONGOING

Sun 5:00 Heidi Hepler & Michèle Ramo



Ann Arbor Distilling Co

www.annarbordistilling.com
220 Felch St.
ANN ARBOR 734-882-2169

ONGOING

Sun 5:30 Brennan Andes Trio

The Ark

www.theark.org
316 South Main St.
ANN ARBOR 248-645-6666

JUNE

2 8:00 Paul McCandless — with Charged Particles

17 8:00 The Iguanas

JULY

2 8:00 Marcia Ball

25 8:00 Bebel Gilberto

Aut Bar

www.autbar.com
315 Braun Ct.
ANN ARBOR 734-223-8385

ONGOING

Tue 9:00 Jesse Kramer Trio — with Bobby Streng, Damon Warmack



Jesse Kramer

Bacco Ristorante

www.baccoristorante.com
29410 Northwestern Hwy.
SOUTHFIELD 248-356-6600

ONGOING

Wed 6:30 Michèle Ramo

Baker's Keyboard Lounge

www.theofficialbakerskeyboardlounge.com
20510 Livernois
DETROIT 313-345-6300

ONGOING

Tue 8:00 313 The Live Experience, Isis Damil

Wed 8:00 OGD — featuring Gerard Gibbs, Perry Hughes, Gene Dunlap and Sky Covington

Bert's Market Place

www.bertsentertainment.com
2727 Russell (in the Eastern Market)
DETROIT 313-567-2030

JUNE

7 8:30 RGB — with Rene King Jackson

14 8:30 RGB — with Benny Rubin Jr

21 8:30 RGB — with Ola Hemphill

JULY

5 8:30 RGB — with Audrey Northington

ONGOING

Thu 8:30 Open Jam with RGB Trio (Ralphe Armstrong, Gayelynn McKinney, Bill Meyer)

Fri 8:30 John Douglas Jazz Quartet

Sat 8:30 Blues with Champagne and her Band

Sun 8:30 R&B with Misty Love



Bill Meyer

Black Lotus Brewing Co.

www.blacklotusbrewingco.com
1 E. 14 Mile
CLAWSON 248-577-1878

ONGOING

Mon 9:00 Open Mic — with Brando

Tue 9:00 Music Brazilian

Wed 9:30 Jam session — led by James Hughes & Jimmy Smith

Blue Goose Inn

www.bluegooseinn.net
28911 Jefferson between 11 & 12 Mile
ST. CLAIR SHORES 586-296-0950

ONGOING

Wed 8:00 Open Jam with various bands

Thu 6:00 [2nd] Riverboat Ramblers — featuring Patrick MacCarroll, Bob Ervin and the gang

The Blue Nile

www.bluenilemi.com
221 East Washington St.
ANN ARBOR 734-255-3371

ONGOING

Fri 6:00 Louis Johnson, Will Austin

Sat 6:00 Louis Johnson, Will Austin

Boogie Fever Café

22901 Woodward Ave.
FERNDALE 248-541-1600

JUNE

28 8:00 Oskar Stenmark Trio (Sweden)

Canterbury House

www.canterburyhouse.org
721 East Huron St.
ANN ARBOR 734-665-0606

ONGOING

Sun 5:00 Quartex Jazz Mass with afterglow

Cariera's Cucina Italiana Ristorante

www.carieras.com/dearborn
6565 North Telegraph
DEARBORN HEIGHTS 313-278-4060

ONGOING

Fri 7:00 Mike Gabriel

Sat 7:00 Mike Gabriel

Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History

315 East Warren
DETROIT 313-494-5800

JUNE

23 6:00 Naima Shamborguer Tribute to Sarah Vaughan — with Vincent Bowens, Benny Rubin Jr, Tad Weed, Ibrahim Jones, Louis M Jones III

30 7:00 David McMurray Quintet

JULY

13 90 Les Amazones d'Afrique

Chene Park

2600 Atwater
DETROIT 313-843-2844

JUNE

13 7:30 David Sanborn

27 7:30 Branford Marsalis

JULY

25 7:30 Kamasi Washington

Cliff Bells

www.cliffbells.com

2030 Park Ave. at West Adams

DETROIT 313-961-2543

JUNE

- 1 9:00 John Barron Quartet — with Chris Codish, Mark Kieme, Skeeto Valdez
- 2 9:30 Nick Finzer (NYC)
- 3 7:00 Tony Camilletti Quartet, Tony by Tony — with Harvey Reed, Rich Kowaleski, Eric Lundquist
- 6 8:00 Charlie Ballantine
- 7 7:00 Scott Gwinnell Jazz Orchestra — with opener by High School Jazz Ensemble
- 8 9:00 Robert McCarther
- 10 7:00 The Frost Middle School Jazz Band
- 12 8:00 Ghost Note — with Robert Sput Searight & Nate Werth
- 13 8:00 Molly Jones Trio — with Nathan Flanders, Jaribu Shahid
- 14 8:00 Allen Dennard Quartet
- 15 9:00 Bill Heid Trio (Washington DC)
- 16 9:30 Bill Heid Trio
- 17 7:00 Jason Quick Trio — with Galen Bundy, Zac Kreuz
- 20 8:00 Walter Cano and Vowels
- 21 8:00 Bobby Selvaggio Quartet — with Lucas Kadish, Jordan McBride, Zaire Darden (NYC)
- 26 8:00 Frisson — with Matt DiBiase (Oberlin)
- 27 8:00 Nolan Young Quartet
- 28 8:00 Screcha Mabecka — with Brett Lucas, Evan Mercer, James Simonson, Max Bauhod
- 29 9:00 Sean Dobbins and the Modern Jazz Messengers
- 30 9:30 Sean Dobbins and the Modern Jazz Messengers

JULY

- 1 7:00 Curtis Taylor & #Hashtagged Live
- 5 8:00 Stephen Grady Jr Quartet
- 6 9:00 Hvrccft Ft — with Brian Charette, Ari Teitel
- 7 9:30 Shawn Maxwell Quintet (Chicago)
- 12 8:00 James Russell Project
- 13 9:00 Jarrod Champion and the Royal Keys — with Eric Schabo, Merle Farmer, Rudy Varner, Loney Charles
- 14 9:30 Sam Blakeslee (NYC) — with Brandon Coleman, Michael Orenstein, Leo Sherman, Dan Pugach
- 21 9:30 Gustavo Cortinas Snapshot (Chicago)
- 26 8:00 Dave Rajewski Quartet — with Scott Gwinnell, Jeff Pedraz, David Zwolinski
- 27 9:00 Vincent Chandler Collective — with Rafael Statin, Leslie DeShazor, Ian Blunden, Alexis Lombre, Jonathon Muir-Cotton, Stuart Lyons

ONGOING

- Sun 11 am Jarrod Champion
- Tue 8:00 Alexis Lombre Quartet — with Trunino Lowe, Brian Juarez, Alex White
- Fri 5:30 Jeff Cuny Trio
- Sat 6:00 Evan Mercer Trio — with Sam Harris, Jake Matthews

Club 54

www.nightclub54.com

37722 Van Dyke

STERLING HEIGHTS 586-795-0054

ONGOING

Thu 7:00 [1st, 3rd] Gary Greenfelder Orchestra



Cobo Joe's Smokehouse BBQ and Sports Bar

cobojoes.com

422 West Congress St.

DETROIT 313-965-0840

ONGOING

Sat 8:00 Motown with Joan Belgrave — with Robert Jones, Jerome Spearman

Commonwealth Club

www.commonwealthclubmi.com

30088 Dequindre Rd.

WARREN 586-751-9560

ONGOING

Thu 7:00 [3rd] Riverboat Ramblers — with Patrick MacCarroll

Cultivate Coffee

www.cultivateypsi.com

307 North River St.

YPSILANTI 734-249-8993

ONGOING

Thu 7:00 Jim Dapogny & Plenty Rhythm

D'Amato's

www.damatoss.com

222 North Sherman Dr.

ROYAL OAK 248-584-7400

ONGOING

Sun Noon Jazz Brunch — with Steve Jarosz, Carl Cafagna, Shannon Wade

Detroit Institute of Arts

5200 Woodward Ave.

DETROIT 313-833-4005

JUNE

14 7:00 Gregory Porter: Don't Forget Your Music (film)

JULY

14 7:00 Film in Detroit Film Theatre: Sun Ra Space is the Place (1974)

Dakota Inn

www.dakota-inn.com

17324 John R

DETROIT 313-867-9722

ONGOING

Thu 7:30 [3rd] Kerry Price

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Michigan Jazz Festival 2018 Schedule

The 24th annual Michigan Jazz Festival features a full day of music on seven simultaneous stages. See page 1 for further details.

Salden Big Band Stage (DiPonio Room)

- 12:15 Schoolcraft College Jazz Band
- 2:00 Dr. Teddy Harris' New Breed Bebop Band, directed by Scott Gwinnell
- 3:45 Ron Kischuck Masters of Music
- 5:30 CSO
- 7:15 John Trudell Big Band

Bill Bolle Presentation Stage (Kehrl Auditorium)

- 12:30 6th Edition Lori Lefevre
- 2:00 Terry Lower Trio — featuring Edye Evans Hyde
- 3:30 Jerry McKenzie Just Jazz
- 5:00 Cliff Monear Trio
- 6:30 Ursula Walker and The Buddy Budson Quintet
- 8:00 Randy Napoleon Quartet

Cohen Rathskeller Stage (Lower Waterman)

- 12:15 Kate Patterson Trio
- 1:45 Phil Ogilvie Rhythm Kings
- 3:15 Sean Dobbins' Modern Jazz Messengers
- 4:45 Demetrius Nabors Quartet
- 6:15 Bill Meyer Quintet
- 7:45 The Jazz Cycle

Leven Open Air Stage (The Big Tent)

- 12:00 Dave Tatrow Dixieland All-Stars
- 1:30 Rick Roe Trio
- 3:00 Hughes/Smith Quintet
- 4:30 Dave Bennett Quartet
- 6:00 Aguanko
- 7:30 Charlie Miller Quartet

Vosgerchian Solo Piano Stage (Rennolds Room)

- 12:15 Terry Lower
- 1:30 Kerry Price
- 2:45 Jeff Kressler
- 4:00 Bob Seeley
- 5:15 Tad Weed
- 6:30 Jerry Perrine

SEMJA Future of Jazz Stage (Henry's Café)

- 12:00 MSU Spartan Youth
- 1:30 Matthew Dobbins Ensemble
- 3:00 Indigo Jazz Quartet
- 4:30 Playing with the Pros
- 6:00 Lance Gulley

Cabaret Stage

- (American Harvest Brewpub)
- 2:00 Sunny Wilkinson & Ellen Rowe
- 3:30 Camille Price
- 5:00 Sandra Bomar & Harvey Reed

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Dirty Dog Jazz Café

www.dirtydogjazz.com

97 Kercheval
GROSSE POINTE FARMS 313-882-5299

JUNE

1 – 2 Steve Turre

6 – 9 Walt Szymanski

shows at 6:00 and 8:30 p.m.

ONGOING

Tue 5:00 Charles Boles Quartet



Walt Szymanski

Eagles Aerie #3607

141 Schroeder Park Dr.

HOWELL 517-548-1630

ONGOING

Sun 3:00 [3rd] The Blue Notes,
Thomas Halm director

The Earle

www.theearle.com

121 West Washington

ANN ARBOR 734-994-0211

ONGOING

Tue 7:00 various pianists / guitarists

Wed 7:00 Jake Reichbart

Thu 7:00 various pianists / guitarists

Fri 8:00 Rick Burgess Trio

Sat 8:00 Rick Burgess Trio



Jake Reichbart

Eddie V's

2100 Big Beaver Rd.

TROY 248-649-7319

ONGOING

Sun 6:00 RJ Spangler Trio, plus Tbone Paxton



Tbone Paxton

Elks Pratt Lodge

220 West Sunset Rd.

ANN ARBOR 734-761-7172

ONGOING

Thu 6:00 Dan Bennett Ensemble

Fri 6:00 Tim Haldeman Trio

Freedom Hill Amphitheater

14900-15000 Metro Parkway

STERLING HEIGHTS 586-268-5100

JUNE

16 5:30 Lonnie Liston Smith, Ronnie Laws,
Avery Sunshine, Alexander Zonjic,
Paul Taylor, Kenny Lattimore,
Michael Lington, Roy Ayers,
Gregory Porter, Jean Carne

Fusion Liquefaction Lounge

38 St Clair St.

TOLEDO, OH 419-243-8224

ONGOING

Wed 7:00 Nicole Heitger, Ray Heitger,
Bob Miller



Ray Heitger

Gandy Dancer

www.muer.com/gandydancer.html

401 Depot St.

ANN ARBOR 734-769-0592

ONGOING

Sun 10 am Ingrid Racine Quartet



Ingrid Racine

Goodnight Gracie

www.damatos.com

222 North Sherman Dr.

ROYAL OAK 248-584-7400

ONGOING

Tue 8:00 Jimmy Smith Trio

Haab's Restaurant

www.haabsrestaurant.com

18 West Michigan Ave.

YPSILANTI 734-483-8200

ONGOING

Tue 7:30 [4th] Depot Town Big Band

Jazz Café at Music Hall

jazzcafedetroit.com

350 Madison Ave.

DETROIT 313-887-8532

JUNE

21 8:00 Bill Heid, Pat Prouty, RJ Spangler

ONGOING

Sun 6:00 Jam Session with Scott Gwinell Trio



R.J. Spangler

Jean's Lounge

12002 Joseph Campau

HAMTRAMCK 313-892-9689

ONGOING

Sun 1:00 [2nd] Attic Dweller's Jam Session

Jenuwine Cigar Factory

44791 Schoenherr Rd.

STERLING HEIGHTS 586-997-1731

ONGOING

Tue 7:00 Michele Ramo Quartet — with
Danny Patrona, plus guests

Thu 7:00 Michele Ramo

Fri 8:00 Michele Ramo Trio — with
Danny Patrona, plus guests

Sat 7:00 Michele Ramo Duo, plus guests

Joe's Top Dog Restaurant & Bar

www.joestopdog.com

13342 Michigan Ave.

DEARBORN 313-846-0888

JUNE

1 7:00 Rich Michaels Trio — with Tad Weed,
Ray Tini plus Dave Tatrow

8 7:00 Rich Michaels Trio — with Tad Weed,
Ray Tini plus Shahida Nurullah

22 7:00 Rich Michaels Trio — with Tad Weed,
Ray Tini plus Kate Patterson

29 7:00 Rich Michaels Trio — with Tad Weed,
Ray Tini plus Don Swindell

Kerrytown Concert House

www.kerrytownconcerthouse.com

415 North Fourth Ave.

ANN ARBOR 734-769-2999

JUNE

3 8:00 Lunar Octet — with Paul VornHagen, Steve Hitner, Brandon Cooper, Sam Clark, Keaton Royer, Jeff Dalton, Aron Kaufman, Jon Krosnick, Olman Piedra

7 8:00 Talking Ear — with Estar Cohen, Daniel Palmer, Benjamin Maloney, Aidan Cafferty, Travis Aukerman

8 8:00 Charlie Ballantine Quartet — with Amanda Gardier, Jesse Wittman, Chris Parker

9 8:00 Thollem McDonas Trio — with Piotr Michalowski, Abigail Alwin

17 6:00 Rising Stars Series — with Sean Dobbins and Louis Smith Scholarship winners

18 8:00 Bill Heid Trio — featuring RJ Spangler and Mr B

24 7:00 Ron Brooks Quartet — with Edye Evans Hyde, Tad Weed, Pete Siers. Fundraiser for African American Cultural and Historical Museum, Ann Arbor

30 8:00 Uri Gurvich Quartet — with Manuel Valera, Peter Slavov, Ronan Itzik

JULY

9 8:00 Marker — with Ken Vandermark, Andrew Clinkman, Steve Marquette, Marcie Stewart, Phil Sudderberg

13 8:00 Jazz Masters Series with Sean Dobbins. Rising Stars



Ron Brooks

LaMusique

www.hotelstregisdetroit.com/dining.html

St Regis Hotel, 3071 West Grand Blvd.

DETROIT 313-873-3000

ONGOING

Fri 8:15 Jam — with Karen Fox & Jerome Clark Trio

The Last Word

thelastwordbar.com

301 West Huron St.

ANN ARBOR 734-585-5691

ONGOING

Thu 9:30 The Pherotones — with Ross Huff, Giancarlo Aversa, Brennan Andes, Wes Fritzmeier

Leonardo's

U-M North Campus

ANN ARBOR 734-647-6838

ONGOING

Thu 8:30 Jazz Jam Session

Lincoln Park Public Library

1381 Southfield Rd.

LINCOLN PARK 313-381-0374

JUNE

19 6:30 RJ Spangler/Larry Smith Quartet

Marge's Bar & Grill

www.margesbar.com

15300 Mack Ave.

GROSSE POINTE PK. 313-881-8895

ONGOING

Thu 7:00 [2nd, 4th] Marge's Bar Band — Terry Kimura, Davy Lazar, John Hammer, Bill Bolle, Bob Pinterich, plus guests

Metropolitan United Methodist Church

www.metroumc.org/rush

8000 Woodward Ave.

DETROIT 313-875-7407

JUNE

26 5:30 Planet D Nonet, Buddy Johnson Workshop Ensemble

ONGOING

Tue 5:00 5 O'clock Rush Concert Series



Planet D Nonet

Michigan Theater

www.michtheater.org

603 East Liberty St.

ANN ARBOR 734-764-2538

JUNE

22 7:30 Ry Cooder

26 8:00 Al DiMeola



Al DiMeola

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Summer Solstice Jazz Festival in East Lansing

The 22nd annual Summer Solstice Jazz Festival will make its way to downtown East Lansing June 22–23, featuring the very best of local, regional and national talent. This year the headliners are vocalist Sunny Wilkinson with The Gathering Orchestra.

This free-to-all festival is centered in the heart of downtown East Lansing. The new location this year is 139 Bailey St.

The festival is presented by the City of East Lansing and the MSU College of Music, with artistic direction by Rodney Whitaker.

Visit www.eljazzfest.com for more information.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22

Founder's Stage

6:00 Sunny Wilkinson
7:30 Baldori and Migliazza
9:30 Lansing Symphony Big Band — with Benny Benack III

Education Stage

4:00 JAMM Scholarship Quartet
5:10 Chris Glassman Quartet
6:20 OC Jazz Collective
8:30 Root Doctor
9:30 Phil Denny

SATURDAY, JUNE 23

Founder's Stage

4:00 Barbara Ware
5:45 Detroit Jazz Festival Generations Band
7:30 Gathering Orchestra — with René Marie & Steve Wilson
9:30 Orquesta Ritmo

Education Stage

3:00 BBSYM Orchestra
4:30 BBSYM Orchestra
6:00 Shadakeon
7:30 Thornetta Davis
9:30 Deon Yates

Elkhart Jazz Festival 2018

The lineup for this year's Elkhart Jazz Festival is impressive, as usual as it includes some great names in swinging jazz. The list includes: Lee Ritenour, the Preservation Hall Jazz Band, and Shades of Blue (USAF). For more information, please go to www.elkhartjazzfestival.com. The festival takes place June 22–24 in downtown Elkhart, Indiana.

Detroit Music Weekend

Detroit's Music Hall has organized a weekend (June 14-17) of music culminating on Saturday June 16 from 2:00 to 11:00 p.m. on several stages around the Music Hall (350 Madison).

Performers include the Jacksons (four of them) at 9:00 p.m., Will Sessions, Craig Brown, and Mark Farner of Grand Funk Railroad.

jazz events

June/July



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Motor City Wine Bar

608 Woodward Ave., 2nd Floor
DETROIT 313-483-7283

ONGOING

- Wed 9:00 Ian Finkelstein and friends
Thu 9:30 Jesse Kramer Trio
Fri 9:00 [1st] Damon Warmack Trio
[2nd] B Williams Experiment
[3rd] Hughes-Smith Quintet



Nagomi Sushi and Noodle

www.nagomiann Arbor.com/northcampus
1754 Plymouth Rd.,
ANN ARBOR 734-635-6028

ONGOING

- Thu 8:00 [2nd, 4th] Doug Horn



Nikola's

www.nikolasbbq.com
25225 Telegraph Rd.
SOUTHFIELD 248-355-4695

JUNE

- 7 7:00 Jerry McKenzie's Just Jazz — with Ray Tini plus Lori LeFevre
21 7:00 Rich Michaels Trio — with Tad Weed, Ray Tini plus Kim Buehler
28 7:00 Rich Michaels Trio — with Tad Weed, Ray Tini plus Sarah D'Angelo

ONGOING

- Thu 7:00 [2nd] Don Swindell Quartet
Thu 7:00 [others] Jerry McKenzie Trio, plus guest



Northern Lights Lounge

northernlightslounge.com
660 West Baltimore St.
DETROIT

ONGOING

- Tue 8:00 Dennis Coffey and various vocalists
[1st] Pat Smillie [2nd] Theo Spight
[3rd] Lady Champagne
Thu 8:00 Dennis Coffey — with Phil Whitfield, Djallo Djakate

Old Town Tavern

122 West Liberty St.
ANN ARBOR 734-662-9291

JUNE

- 6 8:00 Justin Walter Quartet
13 8:00 Paul Keller Quartet
20 8:00 Bill Heid, Kurt Krahnke, RJ Spangler

Orchestra Hall

3711 Woodward
DETROIT 313-576-5100

JUNE

- 9 8:00 Ivan Lins — with Terence Blanchard

Plymouth Ann Arbor Elks Lodge #325

www.plyaa325.com
41700 Ann Arbor Rd.
PLYMOUTH 734-453-1780

JUNE

- 12 7:00 Kenny Parker Band — with Jim McCarty, Dan Devins, Mike Marshall, Dave Marcaccio
26 7:00 Tumbao Bravo — with Paul VornHagen, Brian DiBlasio, John Barron, Greco Freeman, Olman Piedra

JULY

- 31 7:00 Barbara Ware



Ravens Club

www.ravensclub.com
207 South Main St.
ANN ARBOR 734-214-0400

ONGOING

- Sun 8:00 Heather Black Project — with Heather Schwartz, Ingrid Racine, Mike Malis, Josef Deas, Jesse Kramer
Mon 9:00 Jesse Kramer Trio — with Rick Roe, Rob Bickley

Rush

www.rushann Arbor.com
314 South Main St.
ANN ARBOR 734-913-0330

ONGOING

- Thu 7:00 Los Gatos — with Pete Siers

Schoolcraft College

www.michiganjazzfestival.org
VisTaTech Center, 18600 Haggerty Rd.
LIVONIA 734-462-4403

JUNE

- 17 Noon MJF Father's Day Brunch — with Craig Strain and CSO, plus Emma Aboukasm

JULY

- 15 Noon Michigan Jazz Festival

Shield's

25101 Telegraph Rd.
SOUTHFIELD 248-476-2674

JUNE

- 2 1:00 Barbara Ware — with Cliff Monear, Dave Tatrow, Jeff Pedraz, Sean Dobbins
16 1:00 Doug Horn Quintet — with Cary Kocher, Rick Roe, Paul Keller, Jim Ryan

JULY

- 7 1:00 Paul Keller Orchestra — with Sarah D'Angelo
21 1:00 Dave Bennett Quartet



The Sodbuster

www.sodbusterbar.com
Haymarket Square, 5758 North Main St.
SYLVANIA OH 419-517-1045

ONGOING

- Wed 8:00 Ragtime Rick and the Chefs of Dixieland

Soggy Bottom Bar

613 Martin Luther King Ave.
FLINT 810-239-8058

JUNE

- 5 7:00 Pat Cronley Trio — with John Hill plus Jimmy Smith, James Hughes, Takashi Iio
12 7:00 Pat Cronley Trio — with John Hill plus John Douglas, Nick Calandro
19 7:00 Pat Cronley Trio — with John Hill plus Bobby Muncy, Nick Calandro
26 7:00 Pat Cronley Trio — with John Hill plus Meg Brennan

ONGOING

- Tue 7:00 Pat Cronley, John Hill, others

Sports Channel Bar

www.sportchannelscs.com

25419 Jefferson
ST CLAIR SHORES 586-296-0950

ONGOING

Thu 7:30 [1st] Gabby and Ron Rosolino,
Tom Ploeger, Dennis DeCello,
Jerry Neeley

Stone House Bar

thestonehousebar.tripod.com

19803 Ralston near State Fair
DETROIT 313-891-3333

ONGOING

Sat 10:00 Blues bands

Tavern and Tap

www.tavernandtap.com

101 South Washington Sq
LANSING 517-374-5555

ONGOING

Wed 7:30 Jam with Tavern House Jazz Band
— with John Patrick Peters, Duncan
Tarr, Nathan Grant, plus guests

Tipping Point Theatre

361 Cady St.

NORTHVILLE 248-347-0300

JUNE

6 7:00 Dave Bennett Quartet



Dave Bennett

Trinosophes

trinosophes.com

1464 Gratiot (at Russell)
DETROIT

JUNE

5 8:00 Wayne Horvitz, Sara Schoenbeck
8 8:00 Thollem/Fortuna record release
14 8:00 Samuel Blaser Trio — with
Marc Ducret, Peter Bruun

TV's Grand Event

www.tvsgrandevent.com

2651 2651 W. Jefferson
TRENTON 734-671-5676

ONGOING

Wed 6:30 [1st] Ron Kischuk Tartarsauce
Traditional Jazz Band

UDetroit Café

Dan Good Pizza, 1427 Randolph

DETROIT 313-962-0660

ONGOING

Thu 8:00 [last] Jump and Swing with the
MillionAires — with Steve Wood
Fri 7:00 Ralphe Armstrong Show

Union Street

unionstreetdetroit.com

4145 Woodward Ave.
DETROIT 313-831-3965

ONGOING

Tue 6:30 Dawn Giblin Trio — with James
Dapogny, Mike Karoub and guests

Weber's Habitat Lounge

www.webersinn.com

3050 Jackson Rd.
ANN ARBOR 734-665-3636

ONGOING

Sun 8:30 Jazz Collective — with Tony Viviano,
Arlene Pritchard McDaniel,
Rob Avsharian, Rob Crozier



Tony Viviano

Whisky Parlor

www.whiskyparlor.com

608 Woodward Ave., Second Floor
DETROIT 313-961-3043

ONGOING

Thu 6:00 Various jazz
Sat 8:00 Various jazz and blues

The Whitney

www.thewhitney.com

4421 Woodward Ave.
DETROIT 313-832-5700

ONGOING

Thu 4:00 Louis Johnson — with Will Austin

Zal Gaz Grotto Club

www.zalgaz.org

2070 West Stadium Blvd.
ANN ARBOR 734-663-1202

ONGOING

Sun 5:00 Phil Ogilvie's Rhythm Kings (PORK)
Mon 7:30 Paul Keller Orchestra
Tue 6:00 Paul Klinger's Easy Street Jazz Band



Community High School at the Ark

BY IRA LAX

The young musicians from Ann Arbor's Community High School jazz program under director Jack Wagner presented a program of jazz classics at The Ark on May 21. I was there for the first half of the program, featuring five well-rehearsed bands. The crowd was full of family members, CHS staff and classmates giving full support to their swinging friends on the bandstand aided by the usual skilled Ark lighting and sound mix

Wagner served as emcee as each of the three jazz lab groups did three tunes each, followed by the more experienced ensembles Trip the Light Fantastic and So Fly Zone, winner of the 2018 Downbeat Student Music Awards for Small Jazz Combo. The highlights for me were vocalist Maddie Jelic singing "Just the Way You Look Tonight" and "I Know You Know", and the intense rendition of "Fables of Faubus" by Trip the Light Fantastic. Also, the set by So Fly Zone showed how much they have worked to hone their ability to jam on "Shofukan" by Snarky Puppy, and move slowly and beautifully through Ellington's "In a Sentimental Mood."

There is no doubt that under the direction of Jack Wagner, jazz students and their families in the Ann Arbor Public Schools are benefitting greatly through the CHS jazz program, and the future for this great music looks very bright.

photograph by Barton Polot

Upcoming Jazz Events

AUGUST

3-4 Lansing Jazz Fest • Old Town, Lansing
11 River Raisin Ragtime Revue • The Ark, Ann Arbor
15 Jean Luc Ponty • Chene Park, Detroit
31 Detroit Jazz Festival • downtown

SEPTEMBER

1-3 Detroit Jazz Festival • downtown



Music & Art in the Gardens in Taylor

The Taylor Botanical Gardens has a music series with several jazz and blues acts. Concerts are held outdoors in the Gardens at 22314 Northline Road in Taylor. You are encouraged to bring chairs and blankets. A limited amount of seating is available. In case of rain, events move to the Heritage Park Sheridan Open Air Pavillion, 12111 Pardee Rd. Food and drinks will be for sale from 5:30 p.m. The music starts at 6:30 p.m.

- June 6 Big Ray and the Motor City Kings
- June 13 Lynn LePlant Seven (Latin jazz)
- July 18 Planet D Nonet
- Aug 1 Lady Sunshine and the X Band
- Aug 8 Dave Bennett and Friends (jazz to rock)

Chene Park

Chene Park in Detroit has a music series with jazz, often of the smooth/R&B variety. The lineup includes (shows at 7:30 unless noted)

- June 13 David Sanborn
- June 27 Branford Marsalis
- July 14 Patti Labelle (8:00 p.m.)
- July 25 Kamasi Washington
- Aug 15 Jean-Luc Ponty
- Aug 18 Earth Wind & Fire (8:00 p.m.)

Jazzin' Wednesdays at Rec' Bowl

The Rec' Bowl in Mt Clemens features Jazz on Wednesdays for the seventh summer in a row. It features an outdoor barbeque with covered seating, a dance floor, cash bar and great music. The location is 40 Crocker Boulevard in Mount Clemens and their phone is 586-468-7746. The music is presented by the Greater Detroit Jazz Society on this schedule:

- June 6 Johnny Trudell
- June 13 The Millionaires, Dan Devins
- June 20 Emma Aboukasm Quartet
- June 27 Dave Bennett Quartet
- July 11 Johnny Trudell
- July 18 Dave Bennett Quartet
- July 25 Planet D Nonet, Camille Price
- Aug 1 Dave Bennett Quartet
- Aug 8 Johnny Trudell
- Aug 15 The Millionaires
- Aug 29 Dave Bennett Quartet
- Sept 5 Johnny Trudell
- Sept 12 Dave Tatrow, Barbara Ware
- Sept 19 Planet D Nonet, Camille Price

All concerts start at 6:30 p.m. with the exception of those with Dave Bennett which start a half hour later.

Jazz at the Pond in Brighton

The Mill Pond Gazebo in downtown Brighton has a jazz series this summer. It is held on the second Wednesday through September.

Top of the Park 2018

The Ann Arbor Summer Festival features a few jazz and blues acts at Top of the Park on the stage in front of Rackham (RS) on the central campus of the University of Michigan and sometimes at the O & W Acoustic Stage (OWS). There are also Summer Festival concerts on June 9 with Scott Bradley's Postmodern Jukebox and on June 28 with Jazzmeia Horn at the Power Center.

Here are the acts at the Top of the Park that more closely fit the jazz and blues label, at Rackham unless otherwise noted.

June 8	6:00	OWS	Jesse Kramer Trio
June 12	7:00	RS	Royal Garden Trio
June 12	8:15	RS	Phil Ogilvie's Rhythm Kings
June 14	8:30	RS	Jerry Mack and the Terraplanes
June 15	10:15	RS	The Sun Messengers
June 21	5:00	OWS	Ann Arbor Guitar Trio
June 21	7:00	RS	Dave Sharp Worlds Quartet
June 22	6:00	OWS	Janelle Reichman Trio
June 22	10:15	RS	Thornetta Davis
June 24	6:00	OWS	Shari Kane & Dave Steele
June 24	8:15	RS	Hoodang
June 27	6:45	RS	Madcat Midnight Blues Journey
June 29	7:00	RS	Sumkali
June 30	10:15	RS	Lady Sunshine and the X Band
July 1	7:00	RS	The Boa Constrictors
July 1	8:15	RS	George Bedard & the Kingpins

Jazz In the Garden by Toledo Grows

Toledo Grows encourages community gardens and puts on a Thursday evening jazz series in July and August. Concerts take place 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.; the garden opens at 5:30. There will be a barbeque vendor on the grounds and baked goods will also be for sale. Tickets are \$10 for general admission.

The Gardens are located at 900 Oneida Street in Toledo (phone: 419-720-8714). Please park at Bancroft entrance.

- July 12 Toledo Jazz Orchestra
- July 19 Kelly Broadway Quartet
- July 26 Cakewalkin' Jass Band
- Aug 2 Ramona Collins Sextet
- Aug 9 Gene Parker Quintet
- Aug 16 Lori LeFevre Quintet
- Aug 23 Quartet Bernadette
- Aug 30 5th Element (soul)

Music on the Plaza

The Village in downtown Grosse Pointe has put together their 31st annual Music on the Plaza Series for Kercheval between Cadieux Rd. and Neff Rd. The music starts at 7:00 p.m.

The schedule of bands is as follows.

- June 14 Grosse Pointe North & Grosse Pointe South High School Jazz Bands
- June 28 Planet D Nonet
- July 5 Detroit Social Club
- July 12 Paul Carey Organ Group
- July 19 Tartarsauce Traditional Jazz Band
- July 27 The Sun Messengers
- Aug 3 Paul King Quartet

Concert of Colors

Detroit's Concert of Colors is running for the 26th year around Midtown July 11 – 15. Some of the highlights are as follows:

July 12

Third Man Records

441 West Canfield

- 6:30 Gospel Groups
- 7:30 Warren Defever (world)
- 8:30 Gospel Groups

July 14

John R Stage

sidewalk at entrance to Science Center

- 6:15 De'Sean Jones-Underground Resistance/Knomadik
- 7:00 Efe Bes (African fusion)
- 7:30 Kuumba
- 9:00 Aurora Harris
- 9:30 Griot Galaxy

July 15

Meijer Main Stage

Orchestra Hall

- 3:00 Mokoomba (Afro fusion)
- 8:00 10th Don Was Detroit All-Star Revue: Music of Rebellion

Wolverine Outdoor Stage

behind UM-Detroit Center

- 1:00 Misfit Jazz Quintet
- 2:30 Sumkali
- 7:00 Emmalee Jazz Quartet
- 8:30 Chris Canas Band (blues)

Jazz On the Riverwalk

The Riverwalk Hotel in Detroit has a Thursday night jazz series again this summer. The hotel can be found at 1000 River Place and their phone is 313-259-9500. Shows start at 7:00 p.m.

- June 14 Phil Denny
- June 21 Ralphe Armstrong
- June 28 Straight Ahead
- July 5 Walter White
- July 12 Larry Lee
- July 19 Daryl Beebe
- July 26 Sun Messengers
- Aug 2 Charles & Gwen Scales
- Aug 16 Ben's Friends Orchestra
- Aug 23 Ed Sterling Stone
- Aug 30 LL7 Latin Jazz Machine

July 16

Meijer Main Stage

- 3:00 Martha Redbone
- 5:30 Sweet Honey in the Rock
- 8:00 Big 4 Palladium

Wolverine Outdoor Stage

- 4:00 Dave Sharp Worlds Quartet
- 7:00 Sean Dobbins
- 8:30 Bill Moss, Jr. (gospel)

Scarab Club

217 Farnsworth

- 6:30 Alex Harding plays John Coltrane

DIA Film Theater

- 2:00 *Sita Sings the Blues* (film)
- 4:30 *Chasing Trane* (film)

2018 A2 Blues Festival

The second (not counting the festivals earlier incarnations starting in 1969) Ann Arbor Blues Festival has just announced its lineup for the August 17–18 event.

The artists include:

- Shemekia Copeland
- Ana Popvic
- Benny Turner
- Bob Margolin Trio
- Janiva Magness
- Carolyn Wonderland
- John Sinclair & the Blues Scholars with Don Was
- Sue Foley
- Larry McCray
- Pete Anderson
- Scott Sharrard
- Beverly "Guitar" Watkins
- Nora Jean Bruso
- Jake Kershaw

The festival will be held at the Washtenaw Farm Council Fairgrounds.



Parlour Game at Kerrytown Concert House

BY LARS BJORN

Drummer Allison Miller and violinist Jenny Scheinman's Parlour Game visited the Kerrytown Concert House on May 3. The group grew out of Miller's Boom Tic Boom and has found a comfortable and accessible spot between avant garde improvisation and mainstream jazz. The rhythmical intensity was not far from that of hard bop and the selected tunes were relatively short and melodic.

It was also obvious to everyone that the quartet was having fun on stage. On the opener, "Fake Weather," there was some great dialogue between Scheinman and Carmen Staaf's piano. Tony Scherr has an impressive tone on his bass and swung nicely with the always tasteful Miller.

A delightful concert!

Around Town

BY LARS BJORN

Piotr Michalowski's Wood played Ziggy's in Ypsilanti on April 28. This group has an unusual and interesting instrumentation: woodwinds plus three stand-up basses and one electric guitar. Michalowski played bass clarinet and various woodwinds, Kirsten Carey did the honors on the guitar and Will McEvoy (left), Ben Willis (center) and Joel Peterson (right) manned the basses. Many challenging sounds emanated from the five musicians to the delight of a small but dedicated audience.





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SEMJA Board Meeting

There will be a SEMJA Board Meeting on Tuesday, June 19, at 6:30 p.m. The location is 1306 Ardmoore Ave. in Ann Arbor. Our July meeting will be held at 17 East Clark Rd., Ypsilanti, on July 17. For more information or directions, please call 734-668-7470. All members are invited to participate.

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- New Member
- Renewal

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