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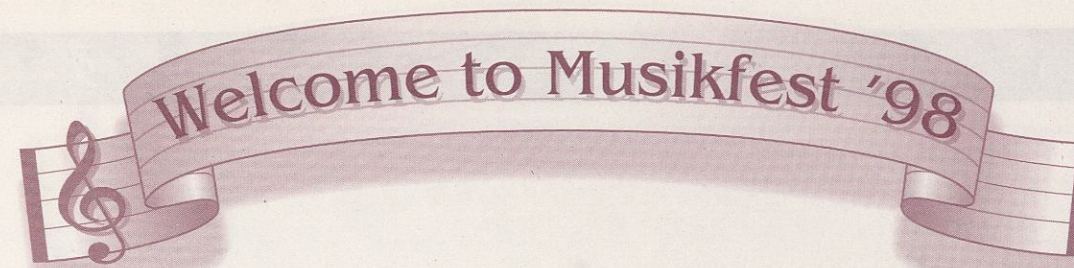
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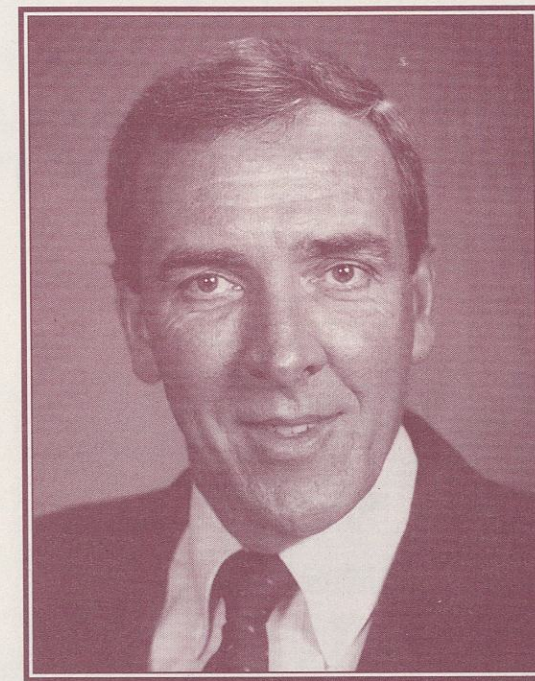
"And the Beat Goes On" is the theme for Musikfest '98, our 15th anniversary year. As we embark on activities marking this celebratory year, America's Music Festival presents outstanding live musical performances (more than 650) and features more than 300 musicians and musical groups from throughout the United States and abroad. In addition, we provide various forms of children's entertainment and an outstanding array of food and beverages to offer great fun for the entire family.

Musikfest '98 introduces new and exciting events and programs such as the redesign of our headline area, Kunstplatz, to better accommodate our audience. Throughout the festival, visitors can also find photo displays depicting images of previous festivals, as well as the murals from the last 14 years. They can also enjoy the melodious sounds of the performers we've invited back to the festival as part of this year's "Best of" series. These artists, who have performed at Musikfest over the past 14 years, have put on shows which simply seemed to capture the essence of what the festival is about.

Musikfest commemorates its 15th anniversary with candid color snapshots and a feature article inside this book that look back at its humble beginnings and the fabulous growth it has experienced for more than a decade.

The success of this year's festival and the previous 14 would not have been possible without the support of our many sponsors and the unselfish dedication of our volunteers, who this year amount to more than 1,900. These individuals have contributed countless hours not only during the festival but also throughout the year. There are more than 25 committees and subcommittees, made up of many of these same volunteers, that meet monthly to plan and organize this festival. To all of you I say THANK YOU very much!

The volunteer members of the Musikfest Council are responsible for this nine-day festival, which we have proud-



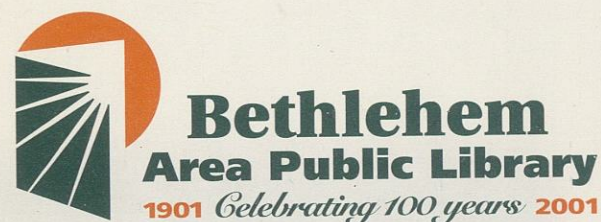
ly tagged "America's Music Festival." We are proud to present an array of music from Bach to bluegrass at various venues throughout Historic Bethlehem and the South Side. A dedicated staff of 17 year-round employees manages the day-to-day operations of this outstanding event and contributes greatly to its national acclaim.

On behalf of the Musikfest Council, I invite you to enjoy the beat of Musikfest '98 as it continues with a rhythm of change, excitement and a rush of musical energy.

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The Beat Goes On at 15

by Andrew Braham



our kids are climbing trees trying to catch a glimpse of Ray Charles... Don't worry about it, Kunstplatz is bigger than ever before. Driving rain at the Bandstand... Not a problem, we've covered the whole thing with a tent. Losing weight in the Asa Packer Memorial "Sauna"... Forget-a-bout-it, Zoellner has air-conditioning. These are just a few of the changes that the Bethlehem Musikfest Association has made for the 15th anniversary of Musikfest to ensure that Bethlehem sees the summer's best celebration to date!

In planning her second Musikfest, Kathy Krautter, director of performing arts for the Bethlehem Musikfest Association, has brought in some great acts for the festival.

"I think we have an incredible mix of entertainers for the the 15th anniversary year," said Krautter. "There is plenty of entertainment from all genres to quench people's thirst for music this August, and I know Musikfest and all of Bethlehem want to see the anniversary celebration be the very best."

The all-star line-up on the Musikfest main stage of Kunstplatz includes Las Vegas icon Wayne Newton, the Village People, returning favorite Ray Charles and the Indigo Girls.

Musikfest is also redesigning the site and has rented a professional stage to accommodate spectators and performers more comfortably. The stage is 78 feet wide, 42 feet deep and 5 feet high. The addition of two JumboTron video screens to the site ensures that there is not a bad seat in the house. The capacity for the Kunstplatz arena has increased from 2,800 to 4,900 seats, plus lawn seats, and with it comes a three-tier system where ticket holders of Diamond section seats are in the area closest to the stage. The next section of seats is the Platinum, followed by the Gold area seats. All of

this means there is room for everyone to sing and dance to the stellar line-up of great performers during Musikfest '98.

"The improvements to the Kunstplatz site allow the audience to enjoy the performances even more than before," said Krautter. "This setup offers a better environment for the performers, so they can put on even better shows for our audiences."

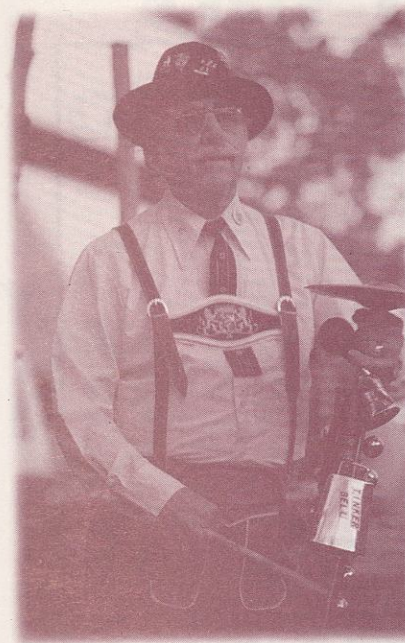
Another change for the 15th anniversary year is the integration of children's dance groups, which have traditionally performed during the day at the Musikfest Bandstand, into the Kinderplatz schedule. "There will be one or more groups teaching dance daily in the Kinder Concert tent," said Krautter.

Further, when night falls, Kinderplatz becomes the Bandstand for adults to "dance the night away" under tent cover. "This combination benefits everyone in that we will have set programming, rain or shine," said Krautter. "By bringing the two events under the same tent, we will be able to supply nonstop entertainment."

If that is not enough, Gerry Yasso, director of sponsor relations for Musikfest, recruited a wonderful addition to Kinderplatz - the PlayStation, a fully air-conditioned, mobile video arcade. The PlayStation is a 55-station multimedia heaven. Each station is equipped with a large leather chair, individual entertainment system and a vast selection of games.

"The PlayStation is an excellent addition to Musikfest," said Yasso. "It will be an entertaining option for patrons who are interested in the technological advances of virtual reality in the video games today."

Along with new partnerships forming for the gala event, Musikfest continues its relationship with Lehigh University in presenting the popular Asa Packer Series at the Zoellner Arts Center (ZAC). This year's program highlights the



renowned Bach Choir of Bethlehem at 8 p.m. on Sat., Aug. 8, the Musikfest Chorus at 8 p.m. on Sun., Aug. 9 and Nickelodeon's Gullah Gullah Island at 2 and 5 p.m. on Sat., Aug. 15.

The move from the steamy, traditional venue of Packer Memorial Church to Lehigh's \$33 million, air-conditioned Zoellner facility "brings an expansion of technology, size and comfort to the Asa Packer Series that we have never had before," said Krautter. "This move allows the series to include Nickelodeon's Gullah Gullah Island, a family program, that only ZAC could accommodate with its production advancements."

The excitement continues as Musikfest builds upon a partnership it began last year with Godfrey Daniels for programming at the Ice House at Sand Island. This year, the relationship has grown to include children's performances by Touchstone Theatre, the MockTurtle Marionettes and Pennsylvania Youth Theatre. See the schedule pages beginning on page 20 for details on specific programs at this venue.

The Lehigh Valley Artist-in-Residence program expands to three days, Aug. 13 through 15, with respected local musician Dave Fry presenting shows in the genres of folk, bluegrass, children's specials and rock-roots history.

The National Artist-in-Residence program runs from Aug. 9 through 12, with the five-piece brass quintet Paramount Brass stirring vibrant memories.

Also returning is Musikfest's Artist of the Day program, "designed to feature a different Lehigh Valley musician from various musical genres each day of the festival," said Krautter. "It's Musikfest's intention with this program, in its second year, to showcase throughout the festival the incredible talent that is right here in the Lehigh Valley."

If these changes aren't satisfying, polka lovers can delight in the reprogramming of Festplatz, which

once again becomes "polka headquarters." If you love to dance, listen, or watch polka, you are going to want to go to 'Fest to do it. Booked for the occasion are renowned stars such as Aischta Express from Bavaria, Jimmy Sturr, Grammy nominee the John Gora Band, the Seventh Avenue Band, Lenny Gomulka and Chicago Push and die Schlauberger, to name a few.

Festplatz is also the only place for polka dancing with the return of the dance contests. The first competition, Polish Polka, is scheduled for Aug. 13; the second competition, divided into Viennese Waltz and German Polka, is scheduled for Aug. 14. Since last year's competitions attracted participants from across the country, the East Coast Polka Championships will be held on Aug. 15. All competitions begin at 7 p.m. and include age brackets for those under 55 and those over 55. All interested participants may register Aug. 13-15 between 3 and 6 p.m. at the Festplatz site. Trophies will be awarded to the winners.

One final change for Musikfest '98 includes the move of the Chamber Series from the Old Chapel at Central Moravian Church to Trinity Episcopal Church on Market Street. This move is due to construction work taking place at the Old Chapel during the festival. Chamber concerts begin weekdays at 7:30 p.m. and include instrumental and recital performances by duos, trios and individual musicians. These are free performances.

For as much as Musikfest changes, the festive feeling mixed with the hometown atmosphere and the echos of great music still makes it America's Music Festival. After 15 years, things have come a long way, "and the Beat Goes On" for many years to come. ★





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Ault Carves the Story of Musikfest into a Wall of Marbled Colors

by Shawn McKnight



ringing together the two worlds of ancient relief sculpture and contemporary abstract painting, Dan Ault, artist of the Musikfest '98 poster, tells the story of the festival in a style reminiscent of the ruined walls of ancient civilizations.

"When I first spoke with Musikfest, I explained that I wanted to do a night scene in a cubist style," said Ault. "I got the idea from Picasso's 'Three Musicians.'" However, due to time constraints, he reconsidered his cubist ambitions and chose a style that was more representative of his current work.



with the wild painted surface, but I wanted to incorporate things I had worked out in sketches," he said. "Producing busy backgrounds, then painting images on top, it is hard not to have them compete with each other."

"One day," Ault continued, "I was painting Mayan ruins. I painted the reliefs and noticed the highlights and shadows and how they were making the figures pop out."

Painting highlights and shadows over his marbled collage of colors, Ault creates the illusion of a third dimension with figures appearing as if they have been carved out of the canvas.

Having painted billboards after gaining his B.A. in fine arts from the University of South Florida, Ault was able to develop his ability to create the illusion of realism.

Interested in mythology and the art of ancient civilizations and moved by the neo-expressionist movement in New York City during the mid '80s, Ault combined the three seemingly unrelated worlds of art to develop his "false relief" style of painting.

"While painting billboards, I became very interested in backgrounds with paint spilled together on a continuous basis," he said. "It creates a marbled effect and I wanted to go after that."

Pleased with the results of the marbled background, Ault struggled throughout graduate school to find a way to include figures on top of the background. "I was happy

"The images are from my interest in primitive art," he said. "Most are based on some particular story out of mythology. However, they are not illustrations; they are how I feel about that story at that moment."

Ault said, "No figure is based on a single character—the stories are really a starting point. I try to include elements of modern society to create a juxtaposition between the past and the present."

Just as Musikfest is a celebration of heritage and the modern world with music and events spanning generations and cultures, Ault created this juxtaposition of past, present and future in his poster painting for Musikfest '98.

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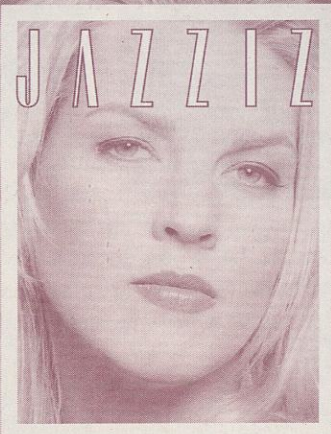
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make up the backdrop for the scene. The main subjects, which were held over from Ault's original idea, are three musicians who play for a small crowd.

Ault also depicts children drawing on the ground, an activity enjoyed by many children at Kinderplatz each year. One of the children draws the number 15, commemorating Musikfest's 15 years of bringing music, art and community to Bethlehem.

While the musicians and crowd illustrate the festive spirit of today's Musikfest, the children are also classic figures used to represent a society's future. Carved out of a wall of colors, Ault tells the legend of Musikfest in its past, present and future.

Born in Ohio, Ault met Bethlehem local Valerie Peters at the University of South Florida. They returned to the Bethlehem area together so that Ault could attend graduate school at The City College of New York and Peters could be near her family.

"Valerie had told me about Musikfest and I expected just to see bands every night," explained Ault. "When I actually experienced the festival, I was overwhelmed by how extensive it was and how unique it truly is."

He continued, "it is hard to explain it [Musikfest] to people who have never been there and it's hard to understand without experiencing it."

Ault soon became a part of the Musikfest family when he painted at Muralplatz in 1996. He was also asked to be on the initial committee that created the artist selection and studio policy for the Banana Factory.

Having seen first hand in Florida how artists can breathe life back into abandoned industrial parks, Ault explained his appreciation for what the Banana Factory stands for: "The Banana Factory can really change [south Bethlehem] and be that shot in the arm it needs. It is also really exciting to have another gallery in town."

The Banana Factory Art Gallery, donated by Binney & Smith, is showing a selection of Ault's work from July 24 to Sept. 4.

Locally, his commercial work is on display in such places as the Jack Creek Steak House, where he painted all of the murals and designs, and the Downs of the Lehigh Valley. Working out of his studio in Brooklyn, he has also been commissioned to paint for hotels and restaurants from Dallas, Texas to Tokyo, Japan.

Along with commissioned projects, Ault works with Blue Fish Clothing and teaches non-credit adult education classes in art appreciation at Northampton Community College and the East Penn School District.

After completing the painting, the designers of Dorshimer Associates at Linden Street, Bethlehem, took the work and added elements such as the Musikfest graphic script, 15th anniversary logo and graduated border. They also designed the limited edition print. Oaks Printing Company of Bethlehem sponsored the printing for the 13th consecutive year.

Five hundred limited edition prints, signed and numbered, are available for \$39.95. The general poster costs \$7.95. Both may be purchased at the merchandise booths and tents on site or from the Banana Factory Gift Shop at 211 Plymouth Street in south Bethlehem. Gift Shop hours are 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday through Friday, and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday.

Ault plans to display the original poster painting in his show at the Banana Factory Art Gallery. ♦



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THE BANANA FACTORY: Its History and Purpose for the Community

by Jessica Norris

The Banana Factory, a community cultural center, is located at 211 Plymouth Street in south Bethlehem. The name originates from the building's former use as a banana distribution center owned and operated by D. Theodoredis & Sons, Inc.

The Banana Factory resulted from years of research conducted by the Bethlehem Musikfest Association (BMA) to continue its mission of cultivating the arts in the Lehigh Valley.

"The Association's ongoing mission of cultural and economic development led us to pursue several different possibilities before selecting the Banana Factory," said Jeffrey Parks, president of BMA.

The Musikfest Association began searching for possible community projects within the City of Bethlehem in 1993 with a study of the Silk Mill on Sand Island for housing visual artists, warehouse space and offices. It received a grant from the R. K. Laros Foundation to perform an extensive survey throughout the community. The results concluded that there was a high demand for artists' studio spaces and arts and cultural services, plus the need for human service organizations geared toward youth efforts and other arts-related community groups. However, due to the expected renovation costs, the organization decided in December of 1995 to search for an alternate location.

"In January 1996, Mayor Kenneth Smith recommended that the Association look at the buildings of D. Theodoredis & Sons, Inc. on Bethlehem's south side," said Parks. "The buildings had been vacant since approximately 1981."

The Musikfest Association conducted a second study using the same information from the Silk Mill and found it would cost less than \$3 million to renovate the Theodoredis buildings. In March 1996, BMA put the buildings under an agreement of sale and settled in May 1996. Later that year, the organization began a capital campaign to raise money for the renovations, which were completed in December of 1997.

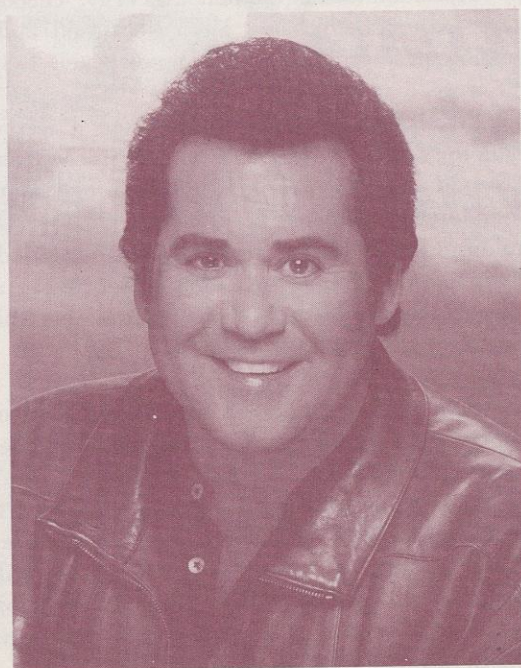
The Banana Factory houses the Musikfest Association, Pennsylvania Youth Theatre and the Bethlehem Area Vocational-Technical School's Academy for Video & Media Arts, as well as 23 artists' studios. Programs incorporated into the Banana Factory include classes taught by Factory artists, various Arts-in-Education programs and BananaWORKS, an outreach project that gives at-risk youths the chance to use their artistic talents to beautify an area.

The Pennsylvania Youth Theatre relocated from its Broad Street location to the Banana Factory, where it has two dance studios, two drama studios and one voice studio. The facility also houses offices for the organization and storage space for props and costumes.

The Pennsylvania Youth Theatre teaches performing arts to children from 3 to 18 years of age. The students perform a number of productions a year; however, these performances do not take place at the Banana Factory. "The Pennsylvania Youth Theatre provides a strong base for performing arts education and for interaction with the community," said Parks.

With help from the Musikfest Association, WLVT-39 Public Television and local businesses, the Bethlehem Area Vocational-Technical School established the Academy of Video & Media Arts in January of 1998. The Academy is open to high school juniors and seniors from the Bethlehem area and includes such courses as video production, television broadcasting, computer graphics and sound recording. "They have all the latest technology," said Susan Ellis, Banana Factory program director. "This is also the first time they have expanded outside their own school."

In addition to the 23 studios for visual artists, there is an "Artist-in-Residence" studio which will bring four different artists per year to the Banana Factory, each staying for a



Wayne Newton

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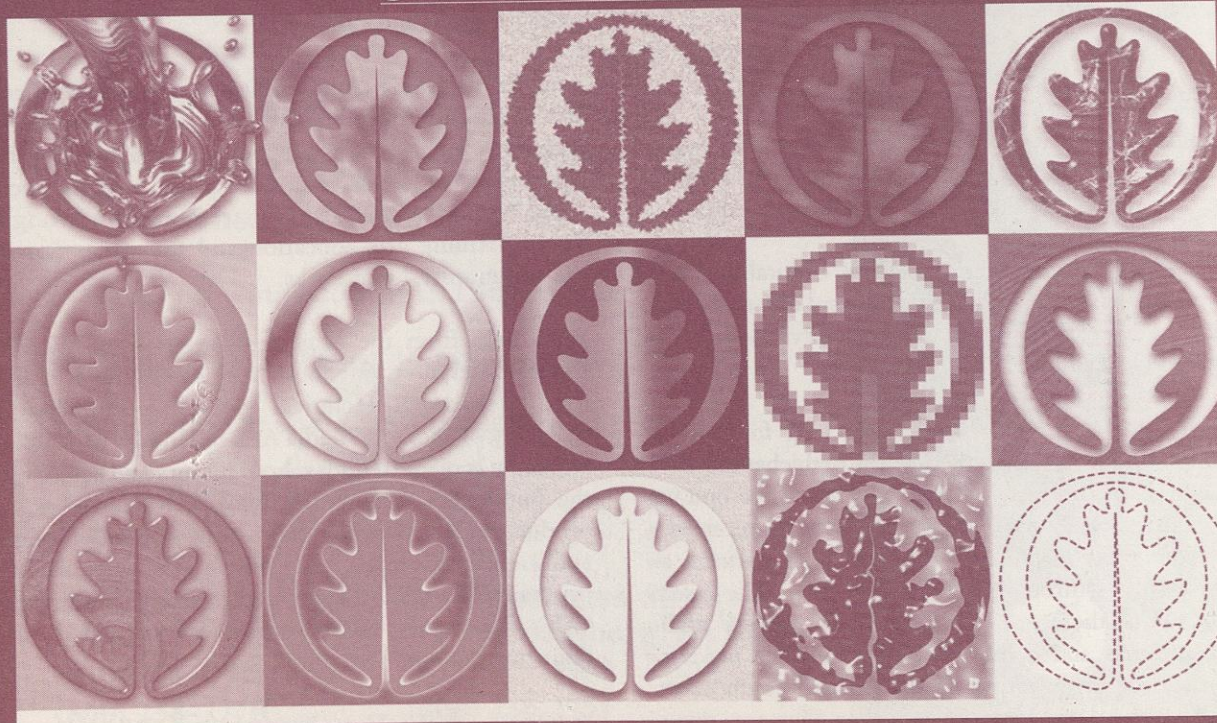
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four-week period. During that period, the artist will conduct workshops and deliver lectures for all age groups. Ellis explained the "Artist-in-Residence" program is a chance for artists to work with the community. "It is a cultural exchange as well as an artistic one," she said.

"The artists will be selected for their expertise and their wanting to be involved with the community," Ellis explained. She is hoping this will become an international program by bringing in artists from around the world.

BananaWORKS is designed after the Gallery 37 program, which started in Chicago in 1992. The program consists of one artist working with 10 students between the ages of 14 and 19 from low-income families.

The first BananaWORKS project took place during the summer of 1997 with eight students and Banana Factory ceramic artist Tomás Wolff. The project was a ceramic mural, now located on the exterior wall of the Banana Factory. Commemorative plates, cups and other items were donated by local churches, businesses, individuals and various organizations as part of the materials used to create the mural.

The BananaWORKS projects will be eight weeks in length and may include murals, sculptures, or furniture to enhance such nonprofit organizations as a human service agency, school, or local government. Not only will the projects benefit the environment but the students as well. "Banana Factory can make a difference in kids' lives through the arts," said Kerry Wrobel, volunteer chairman of the Banana Factory Council.

The Arts-in-Education programs involve artists visiting schools in the Lehigh Valley. According to Ellis, the goal is to integrate the arts into various disciplines by creating a residency type of program for the artists.

A gallery and gift shop are also housed at the Banana Factory. The Banana Factory Council approved eight shows per year to be produced in the gallery, donated by Binney & Smith. Each show will last approximately six weeks. The first show opened this past January and featured the works of Banana Factory artists. According to Ellis, future shows will feature Banana Factory artists as well as regional and national artists. The gallery is open Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

"The gift shop is designed to support the rent of the tenants at the Banana Factory," Parks explained. "It is also

designed to display and sell the works of the artists in the building." The gift shop at the Banana Factory is open Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Included within the Banana Factory is a 5,700-square foot warehouse providing storage space for items used for the Banana Factory, Musikfest and Christkindlmarkt Bethlehem. "In addition to the storage at the Banana Factory, there are six trailer-loads of goods used at Musikfest and Christkindlmarkt that are stored off-site," said Parks.

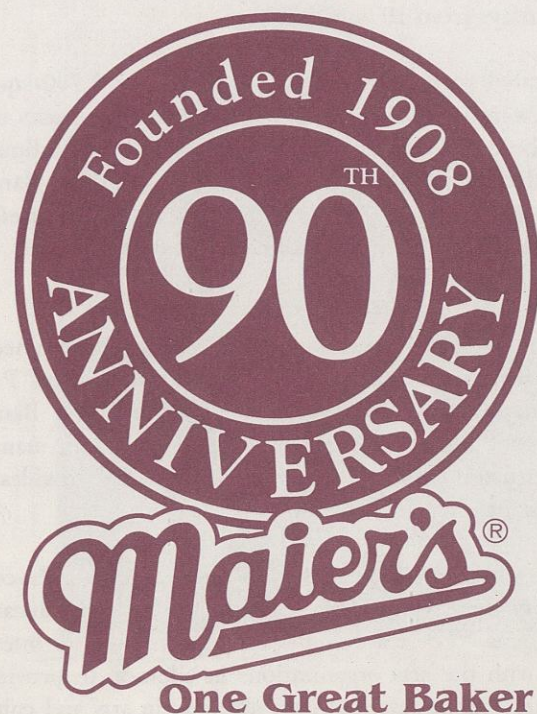
"The building is a community cultural center designed to meet a variety of cultural needs for the community," Parks explained regarding the concept behind the Banana Factory. "The visual artists provide an anchor for many of the artistic activities. Their very presence provides an atmosphere of the living arts."

Parks also believes that the artists are important to the community outreach programs and to the Arts-in-Education programs. "There are significant opportunities for interaction with the arts organizations in addition to providing valuable community services, not only in arts and culture but sports and education as well," said Parks.

According to Parks, the Banana Factory fulfills four specific needs in the arts community: a center for visual artists to collaborate; an advocacy outlet for the visual and the performing arts; a gallery for displaying the works of many talented Lehigh Valley artists, and an arts educational facility for the public.

The openings of arts-related shops and other businesses on Third Street, and the opening of the Banana Factory, are part of what could be considered an "artistic renaissance" in south Bethlehem. Parks said the Banana Factory was intended to be an anchor for the area known as the "transition zone" between the Hill-to-Hill and Fahy Bridges. "It is hoped that the presence of the Banana Factory will lead to significant private investments in this area," said Parks.

As for the future of the Banana Factory, Parks said he "hopes it will become a place where the people of Bethlehem and the Lehigh Valley feel comfortable to come and celebrate their culture and learn about the cultures of other people, either residing in the community or from afar. By celebrating art and culture, we hope to educate and help people appreciate their neighbors." ♦



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Centennial Celebration Peaks with Music

by Andrew Braham



In conjunction with the Stephen Vincent Benét Centennial Committee and Godfrey Daniels, Musikfest '98 will host the Stephen Vincent Benét Festival Fiddle Contest Finals at Familienplatz on Aug. 9 from 12 to 2 p.m. The contest honors the two-time Pulitzer Prize-winning author's 100th birthday, as well as the musicians who were inspired by his famous works.

Born in Fountain Hill on July 22, 1898, Benét was part of the structured lifestyle of a military family and was encouraged at a young age to contribute to and better society, specifically through literature and learning. By the time Benét was 30, he was one of the most inspired and accomplished writers in American history. Many of his works were rhythmic in nature and have become the basis for many folk songs.

In 1928, Benét combined his expertise in poetry and prose to write the Pulitzer Prize-winning "John Brown's Body," a compilation of military tales from the Civil War which clearly exhibited his family's value of tradition in the armed forces and the American way of life.

Benét also wrote a poem entitled "The Mountain Whippoorwill," which describes how a hillbilly wins a fiddler's prize. The poem portrays his understanding of American society and his ability to inspire through written word those that he never knew.

Stephen Vincent Benét died March 13, 1943, at the age of 44. He is survived by his son Tom, who now lives in San Francisco, as well as by his immortal words of inspiration. ♦

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Sites of Musikfest '98

The naming of the sites, "platz," and the unique spelling of the festival itself reflects Bethlehem's rich Moravian heritage, evident in the city's architecture on Main and Church Streets and within the 18th Century Moravian Industrial Quarter.

Each "platz" offers food, music and activities reflecting a different theme. Five indoor concert series offer other venues for chamber, classical, folk, jazz, sacred and children's music.

We encourage you to visit all the Musikfest sites to fully experience the festival, our hospitality and our beautiful City of Bethlehem.

AMERICAPLATZ *America Place*

At this site, visitors can listen to the great sounds of contemporary rock, Cajun/zydeco, country/bluegrass, blues, jazz and big band music. American cuisine compliments the site's theme and includes Cajun treats, a variety of seafood platters and fruit salads. Located on the beautiful City Center plaza with a breathtaking view of South Mountain, Americaplatz, Church and New Streets, is open noon to 11 p.m. on weekends and 5:30 to 11 p.m. on weekdays.

ASA PACKER SERIES AT THE ZOELLNER ARTS CENTER

The fine choral works of the renowned Bach Choir of Bethlehem and the Musikfest Chorus echo inside the series' new location at the Zoellner Arts Center on Packer Avenue. These concerts begin at 8 p.m. and cost \$12. In addition, the Asa Packer Series will present two shows of the popular children's program "Gullah Gullah Island" at 2 and 5 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 15. Advance ticket purchases are suggested. A parking garage is located next to the Zoellner Arts Center.

BLUMENPLATZ *Flower Place*

Music may be the main attraction at Musikfest, but Blumenplatz offers visitors a quiet escape to admire a gorgeous landscape of original floral sculptures. A core of Musikfest flower volunteers transform an 81-foot-by-23-foot garden into a grand floral display. Blumenplatz is located directly behind the Bethlehem Area Public Library, near Americaplatz.

CANDLELIGHT CONCERTS

The Musikfest Candlelight Concert series offers eight different concerts where regionally and nationally known performers showcase their work in a variety of musical styles. Held in Foy Concert Hall, these performances begin each evening at 6 p.m., from Aug. 8 - 15. Candlelight Concerts offer a chance for serious musical appreciation, without distraction or interruption, in an intimate, formal setting. Foy Hall is located in the Moravian College Center for Music and Art on Main Street. Tickets for each of these concerts are \$12. Candlelight Concerts are also supported in part by a grant from the Pennsylvania Council on the Arts.

CHAMBER SERIES

The Chamber Series offers instrumental and recital performances by duos, trios and individual musicians. This free concert series is held in Trinity Episcopal Church on Market Street. Concerts begin weekdays at 7:30 p.m.

FAMILIENPLATZ *Family Place*

On the Broad Street pedestrian mall is the family site called Familienplatz, which presents tribute acts, country/bluegrass, gospel, jazz, rock, folk and acoustic music. For the second consecutive year, Musikfest has partnered with local radio station WZZO to present the WZZO Showcase from Aug. 10 through 12. Site hours are noon to 11 p.m. daily.

FESTPLATZ *Festival Place*

Since 1984, visitors have been dancing to polka music and doing "The Chicken Dance" at Festplatz. Listen to favorite local and regional polka bands, and sample a variety of German culinary delights. This year's guest European band is Aischtal Express from Bavaria. In addition to the great music, Musikfest will continue with its successful dance contests which give visitors the chance to demonstrate their talents and win trophies. Musikfest is also proud to this year host the East Coast Championships for polka. Sign up is at the festival. Festplatz is located on Spring Street, under the Hill-To-Hill Bridge, and is open daily from noon to 11 p.m.

HANDWERKPLATZ *Craft Place*

Craftspeople display and sell a variety of handmade traditional craft items in Historic Bethlehem's 18th Century Moravian Industrial Quarter (across the Monocacy Creek from Festplatz). Visitors can also watch daily craft demonstrations and enjoy a delicious variety of foods from vendors who add to the ambience. Handwerkplatz site hours are noon to 11 p.m.

ICE HOUSE AT SAND ISLAND

This year, the Ice House is the showcase arena for Godfrey Daniels, Touchstone Theatre, the MockTurtle Marionettes and Pennsylvania Youth Theatre. See the daily Performance Schedules for a list of performers.

KINDERPLATZ *Children's Place*

Located on the grassy island between Spring and Lehigh Streets, Kinderplatz presents an interactive playhouse featuring a "dress-up" theatre, clowns, jugglers, magicians and a host of performers, plus a souvenir craft activities tent, to keep children enthralled. Musikfest invites you to "be a kid again" and enjoy local, regional and national children's performances including music, dance, puppet shows and more. Kinderplatz is open from noon to 7 p.m. daily.

Parents take note: Kinderplatz is for the whole family to enjoy. Please do not leave your child unattended. Thanks!

KUNSTPLATZ *Arts Place*

Kunstplatz presents nine nights of headline entertainment near the Bethlehem Community Arts Pavilion, located behind Moravian College's Church Street Campus (south of Main Street). The changes at Kunstplatz this year give visitors a new and bigger stage, plus large video screens and the chance for more seating. A two-tier ticket system premieres this year with prices ranging from \$6-\$15.

Guests can also see these shows at no cost as there is an area on site where they can bring folding chairs or blankets, or they may choose to stand and see the concert. The pavilion, situated next to the stage, was donated by Bethlehem Steel Corporation to the City of Bethlehem in 1980, commemorating the company's 75th anniversary. It symbolizes Bethlehem Steel's long-standing tradition of commitment to the Bethlehem community. Kunstplatz performances begin at 8 p.m. daily.

Sites of Musikfest '98

LIEDERPLATZ *Song Place*

Located behind the 1758 Sun Inn is Liederplatz, a lovely, brick-paved courtyard which Musikfest transforms into an outdoor cabaret. Visitors can sit at an umbrella or picnic table, relax and enjoy folk, world beat, steel drum bands, new age and a variety of eclectic musical styles. Site hours are noon to 11 p.m. daily. On Sunday, Aug. 16, the site will close at 9 p.m.

MAIN STREET MUSIKFEST

Musikfest is proud to present Main Street Musikfest, featuring two performance areas. Visitors can listen to Dixieland music, string bands, Mummies, barbershop quartets or Andean music. Main Street Musikfest creates a natural bridge between the eastern (Familienplatz) and western ends (Festplatz and Volksplatz) of the festival. It is also the place for visitors to enjoy shopping in a variety of specialty stores. The site is open 4 to 11 p.m. on weekdays and noon to 11 p.m. on weekends. On Sunday, Aug. 16, this site will close at 10 p.m.

MURALPLATZ *Mural Place*

In 1984, a creative individual began painting a mural on a vacant, boarded building on Main Street. This was the "unofficial" beginning of Muralplatz. Today, artists create original paintings on 4-foot-by-8-foot panels in the area located across from the Waterworks in the 18th Century Moravian Industrial Quarter (next to Handwerkplatz). The site features a different artist each day from Aug. 8-16 who will create work based on a specific theme. Stop and watch gifted artists creating beauty for the eye.

MUSIKFEST BANDSTAND

At 7:30 p.m., Kinderplatz becomes the Bandstand, where adults can dance to Motown, rock, reggae, '50s/'60s music and more.

STREET PERFORMERS

At Musikfest, our street performers specialize in making sure our visitors have a good time. In the best tradition of city festivals everywhere, Musikfest street performers appear at various times and different areas throughout the festival site in historic Bethlehem. Street performers include jugglers, magicians, clowns, stilt walkers and quartets. So keep your eyes open and your ears tuned for an amusing surprise!

VESPER CONCERTS

This year's series features Cuban jazz, classical, gospel and choral music. The performances, which take place at Central Moravian Church, at Main and Church Streets, are free and begin at 5 p.m., Aug. 10 to Aug. 14. This site is not easily accessible to persons with disabilities.

VOLKSPLATZ *People Place*

Volksplatz, located at Johnston Park, offers visitors a chance to appreciate delicious ethnic foods and enjoy intriguing international music. Performances are held under a large tent where visitors can sit and listen to calypso, Indian, Australian, Native American, Latin, reggae, African and Celtic music while enjoying Middle Eastern, Polish, or Italian dishes. Musikfest continues its tradition of showcasing the diverse ethnic cultures of our community. Experience the world through music at this site from noon to 11 p.m. daily.

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KUNSTPLATZ 8:00 p.m.
behind Moravian College Center for Music & Art, South Main Street
The Fabulous Greaseband
Sponsored by Service Electric Cable TV

The Fabulous Greaseband first appeared at Musikfest in 1995, playing the best of rock 'n' roll from the '50s through the '80s. The band began when a group of high school guys performed at a spring music festival. Their high-energy dance routines and tribute to the golden era of music, early rock 'n' roll, brought down the house. The Greaseband has played with the Beach Boys, Bruce Springsteen, Chubby Checker and The Four Tops.
Tickets: \$8.00 & \$6.00*



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**Musikfest
Bandstand**

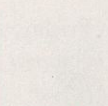
5 PM	5:00 Key-Notes Orchestra – P. 70 –		
6 PM		6:00 Runa Pacha	6:00 The Johnston Brothers Band
7 PM	6:30 Opening Ceremonies	– P. 78 –	– P. 69 –
8 PM	8:00 Aischtal Express	8:00 The George Wesley Band	8:30 Peg Boas
9 PM			
10 PM	– P. 41 –	– P. 65 –	– P. 43 –
11 PM			



SPECIAL EVENTS

Carillon Celebration, featuring Cast in Bronze, to kick-off the 15th anniversary of Musikfest, 5:15–6:00 p.m.

Saturday August 8

	 Americaplatz Sponsored by Summit Bank	 Familienplatz Sponsored by PenTeleData/Prolog	 Festplatz Sponsored by First Union Associate Sponsor Service Electric Cable TV	 Kinderplatz Sponsored by MetLife KinderConcert Tent Sponsored by Keystone Savings Bank	 Liederplatz Sponsored by Adams Outdoor Advertising	 Volksplatz Sponsored by The Pennsylvania Lottery
12 PM	12:00 Tim Janis Ensemble - P. 68 -	12:00 Carl Story's Rambling Mountaineers - P. 44 -	12:00 Jolly Joe Timmer - P. 69 -	12:00 Johnny The "K" - P. 69 -	12:00 Shafaatullah Kahn - P. 79 -	12:00 The Swing Latin Jazz Sextet - P. 82 -
1 PM			 (1:00) - P. 74 -	1:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins" - Midway Caravan - P. 74 -		
2 PM	1:30 Tim Janis Ensemble - P. 68 -	1:30 The Hollisters - P. 67 -		1:30 Jim Rule - P. 78 -	2:00 Honey Buzzards - P. 21 -	1:30 Runa Pacha - P. 78 -
3 PM	3:00 PokerFace - P. 77 -	3:00 Chris Jones & The Night Drivers - P. 45 -	2:30 Aischtal Express - P. 41 -  (3:00) - P. 74 -	3:00 Lehigh Valley Cloggers - P. 71 - (3:45) - P. 74 -	3:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins" - Midway Caravan - P. 74 -	3:30 Billy McLaughlin - P. 73 -
4 PM				4:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -		3:30 Shafaatullah Khan - P. 79 -
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5 PM	5:00 Honey Buzzards - P. 21 -	4:30 The Hollisters - P. 67 -	5:00 Jolly Joe Timmer - P. 69 -	4:30 Johnny The "K" - P. 69 -	5:00 Tim Janis Ensemble - P. 68 -	5:00 The Swing Latin Jazz Sextet - P. 82 -
6 PM			 (7:00) - P. 74 -	6:00 Barbara Piotrowski/ Miss Jeanne's School of Dance - P. 42 -		
7 PM	7:00 Falstaff - P. 48 -	6:30 Chris Jones & The Night Drivers - P. 45 -		Children can also create paper souvenirs as part of the art activities on this site. Sponsored by Binney & Smith Inc.	7:00 June Rich - P. 69 -	7:00 Brother - P. 43 -
8 PM			8:00 The Joe Fedorchak Orchestra - P. 68 -	7:30  Bandstand Clyde Barrow and the Legendary Barbusters - P. 45 -		
9 PM	9:00 Billy McLaughlin Group - P. 42 -	8:30 Cyndi Phillips-Tribute to Patsy Cline & Tanya Tucker - P. 77 -			9:00 Jae Sinnett Trio - P. 68 -	9:00 Red Elvies - P. 77 -
10 PM			 (9:45) - P. 74 -			
11 PM						



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KUNSTPLATZ 8:00 p.m.

behind Moravian College Center for Music & Art, South Main Street
Celia Cruz "The Queen of Salsa" & Jose Alberto "El Canario"
Sponsored by MOPAC and El Torero newspaper

Celia Cruz, the reigning queen of Afro-Cuban music, will turn up the heat at Musikfest with her fiery brand of Latin music. Cruz, who has been honored with over 100 awards from prestigious institutions and publications around the world, including an honorary doctorate from Yale University, a star on Hollywood Boulevard and recognition from the National Endowment for the Arts, has played an essential role in establishing salsa music. Having recorded more than 20 gold albums, she has touched the lives of people from all backgrounds and nationalities with her honest character and powerful music.
Tickets: \$10.00 & \$8.00*



CANDLELIGHT CONCERT SERIES 6:00 p.m.

Site Sponsored by Maier's Sunbeam Bread, WDIY Public Radio and The Express-Times

Tom Chapin P. 44
Admission: \$12.00



ASA PACKER SERIES AT THE ZOELLNER ARTS CENTER 8:00 p.m.

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Bach Choir P. 42
Concert Sponsored by Lehigh Portland Cement Company
Admission: \$12.00



ICE HOUSE AT SAND ISLAND

Touchstone Theatre "Stories of Steel" P. 82
1:00 p.m. Admission: \$3.00
Pennsylvania Youth Theatre "PYT Performs" P. 76
3:00 p.m. Admission: \$3.50



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Cheryl Statham - Wheat Weaving
Shirley Sachs - Needlework
John MacFarland - Timber Framing



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MAIN STREET MUSIKFEST

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Streetplatz: near The Morning Call office

1:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Comedy Magic of Joseph Keppel P. 45
2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Comedy Magic of Joseph Keppel P. 45
3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Comedy Magic of Joseph Keppel P. 45
4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Comedy Magic of Joseph Keppel P. 45
5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Harley Newman P. 66
6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Harley Newman P. 66
7:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Harley Newman P. 66
8:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Harley Newman P. 66

Mainplatz: near The Sun Inn

1:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. High Society Ragtime Band P. 67
2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. High Society Ragtime Band P. 67
3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. High Society Ragtime Band P. 67
4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Carl Story's Rambling Mountaineers P. 44
5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Carl Story's Rambling Mountaineers P. 44
6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Carl Story's Rambling Mountaineers P. 44
7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Carl Story's Rambling Mountaineers P. 44
8:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Carl Story's Rambling Mountaineers P. 44



STREET PERFORMERS

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12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. The Half Steps P. 66
12:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. KAUSAY P. 70
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Clarence The Clown P. 45
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Silver & Brass Trombone Quartet P. 79
2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Dolittle The Clown P. 47
4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Blue Valley Quartet P. 43
4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Runa Pacha P. 78
5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. MacKay Pipe Band P. 71



SPECIAL EVENTS

Moravian Trombone Choir of Bethlehem, Central Moravian Church, 11:30 a.m.-noon
Snoopy appears 1:00 to 1:30 p.m. and 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. at Kinderplatz



ARTIST OF THE DAY Honey Buzzards

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Sunday August 9

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12 PM	12:00 Paramount Brass - P. 39 -	12:00 Steven Vincent Benét Fiddle Contest	12:00 Aischtal Express	12:00 Magic Bob - P. 73 -	12:00 Swing City Central	12:00 Daisy Jug Band (XV) - P. 45 -
1 PM						
2 PM	1:30 Dion Knibb & The Agitators - P. 47 -	- P. 81 -		1:30 Ferris The Great (XV) - P. 65 -		1:30 Showcase Internationale (XV) - P. 79 -
3 PM		2:30 Kelly Murphy Band - P. 23 -		3:00 Johnny Dee Orchestra - P. 69 -	2:00 Jae Sinnett Trio - P. 68 -	3:00 Red Elvies (XV) - P. 77 -
4 PM	3:30 ShadowPlay - P. 79 -			3:00 Knucklehead The Clown - P. 70 -		
5 PM	Evening's entertainment sponsored by Nextel	4:30 Freight Hoppers - P. 65 -		4:00 Ferris The Great (XV) - P. 65 -	4:00 Paramount Brass - P. 39 -	5:00 Carreg Lafar (XV) - P. 45 -
6 PM	5:30 Kelly Murphy Band - P. 23 -		5:30 Jan Lewan & His Orchestra - P. 68 -	6:00 Cheryl Chickey's All American Performing Arts - P. 45 -		
7 PM	7:00 The Freight Hoppers	6:30 Dion Knibb & The Agitators - P. 47 -		7:30 Bandstand Baaba Seth - P. 41 -	6:30 Falstaff (XV) - P. 48 -	7:00 Continental Divide (XV) - P. 45 -
8 PM	- P. 65 -		8:00 Al Meixner Trio - P. 41 -			
9 PM	9:00 Dixie Chicks promoted by Cat Country 96.1 FM	8:30 Daisy Jug Band (XV) - P. 45 -			8:30 Carreg Lafar - P. 44 -	9:00 Brother (XV) - P. 43 -
10 PM						
11 PM	- P. 47 -					



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KUNSTPLATZ 8:00 p.m.

behind Moravian College Center for Music & Art, South Main Street

Savage Garden

Sponsored by PP&L Energy Plus, New Horizons Computer Learning Center and B-104 Radio

Savage Garden is a band that is refreshingly different. It is at the forefront of a musical movement currently surging away from guitar and angst-driven alternarock into a world that is unashamedly pop. Yet, unlike a lot of the music associated with this genre, the Australian band, by virtue of its members' hooky and provocative songwriting, offers substance within the group's irresistible pop sheen. Its song, "I Want You," was the highest-selling single in Australia in 1996, while its album *Savage Garden* and single "Truly Madly Deeply" rose to the top of the Billboard charts in the United States earlier this year.

Tickets: \$15.00 & \$13.00*



CANDLELIGHT CONCERT SERIES 6:00 p.m.

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CELLO P. 44

Admission: \$12.00



ASA PACKER SERIES AT

THE ZOELLNER ARTS CENTER 8:00 p.m.

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Musikfest Chorus P. 75 (XV) Concert sponsored by Lutron Electronics Company, Inc. Admission: \$12.00



ICE HOUSE AT SAND ISLAND

MockTurtle Marionettes

"Time Out for Puppets" P. 74 1:00 & 3:00 p.m.

Admission: \$3.00



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CRAFT DEMONSTRATIONS

Brother Johannes - Flax to Linen

Shirley Sachs - Needlework

John MacFarland - Timber Framing



MAIN STREET MUSIKFEST

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Streetplatz: near The Morning Call office

1:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. "Hoot & Annie" P. 67

2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Magic Bob P. 73

3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Magic Bob P. 73

4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. "Hoot & Annie" P. 67

5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. "Hoot & Annie" P. 67

6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. "Hoot & Annie" P. 67

7:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. "Hoot & Annie" P. 67

8:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. "Hoot & Annie" P. 67

Mainplatz: near The Sun Inn

1:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Riverboat Banjo Band P. 78 (XV)

2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Riverboat Banjo Band P. 78

3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Riverboat Banjo Band P. 78

4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Basic'ly Brass P. 42

5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Basic'ly Brass P. 42

6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Basic'ly Brass P. 42

7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Basic'ly Brass P. 42

8:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Basic'ly Brass P. 42



STREET PERFORMERS

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12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Knucklehead The Clown P. 70

12:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Runa Pacha P. 78

12:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. KAUSAY P. 70

12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Balloons The Clown P. 42

2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Give & Take Jugglers P. 65 (XV)

5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. After Hours P. 41

6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. One Too-Tall Trio P. 75



SPECIAL EVENTS

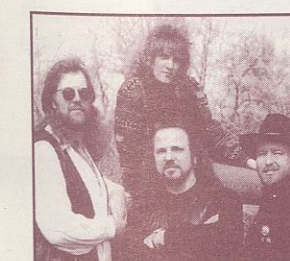
Ecumenical Christian Service, Festplatz, 10:00 a.m.

Center City Ministries Homeless Shelter

Guitar Workshop with Billy McLaughlin at Peter Hall, 1:00 p.m.

Snoopy appears 1:00 to 1:30 p.m. and 4:00 to 4:30 p.m.

at Kinderplatz



ARTIST OF THE DAY

Kelly Murphy Band

(Country). Catasauqua, PA. The Kelly Murphy Band is in the process of recording an original CD. The band performs numerous club dates in the Lehigh Valley, Poconos and New Jersey areas and frequents the country radio waves with live performances with Ken and Kitty of Cat Country, 96.1 FM. Kelly Murphy, Tracy Reppert, John Rauh, Edward DeHart.

* Two-tiered seating - Platinum & Gold (See "Where To Find" section of program book for detailed information).

Monday August 10

						
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12 PM	12:00 Tim Janis Ensemble - P. 68 -	12:00 Aischtal Express	12:00 Paramount Brass - P. 39 -	12:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	12:00 Continental Divide	12:00 Runa Pacha - P. 78 -
1 PM				1:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins"- Midway Caravan - P. 74 -	 - P. 45 -	
2 PM	1:30 Tim Janis Ensemble - P. 68 -	- P. 41 -	1:30 Gizmo Guys - P. 65 -	2:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	2:00 Lucy Kaplansky	1:30 Bakra Batá - P. 42 -
3 PM	3:00 Paramount Brass - P. 39 -	2:30 Josef Kroboth Orchestra - P. 69 -  (3:30) - P. 74 -	3:00 Barbara Piotrowski & Miss Jeanne's School of Dance - P. 42 -	3:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins"- Midway Caravan - P. 74 -	- P. 70 -	3:00 Runa Pacha
4 PM				4:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	4:00 Tim Janis Ensemble - P. 68 -	- P. 78 -
5 PM	Evening's entertainment sponsored by Glaxo Wellcome	4:30 Dominic Gaudious - P. 65 -	5:00 Aischtal Express - P. 41 -	4:30 Gizmo Guys - P. 65 -		5:00 Continental Divide
6 PM	5:30 Paramount Brass - P. 39 -	WZZO SHOWCASE 6:00 The Ball Joints - P. 42 -	 - P. 74 - 6:00 Barbara Piotrowski/ Miss Jeanne's School of Dance - P. 42 -	5:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins"- Midway Caravan - P. 74 -	5:30 Tim Janis Ensemble - P. 68 -	 - P. 45 -
7 PM	7:00 Parke Frankenfield & His Big Band featuring Melody Layne  - P. 25 -	7:30 drop thud oops - P. 48 -	 (7:00) - P. 74 -		Children can also create paper souvenirs as part of the art activities on this site. Sponsored by Binney & Smith Inc.	7:00 Bakra Batá - P. 42 -
8 PM			8:00 Eddie Blazarczyk & The Versatones - P. 48 -  (9:45) - P. 74 -	7:30  Blitz Dynette - P. 43 -	MARTIN GUITAR ACOUSTIC SHOWCASE with emcee Diane Ponzio 7:45 Christine Havrilla - P. 66 -	
9 PM	9:00 The Bill Warfield Big Band - P. 43 -	9:00 The Armadillos - P. 41 -			8:30 Dominic Gaudious - P. 65 -	9:00 Bruce Daigrepoint Cajun Band
10 PM					9:15 Lucy Kaplansky - P. 70 -	
11 PM					10:00 Continental Divide - P. 45 -	 - P. 44 -



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KUNSTPLATZ 8:00 p.m.
behind Moravian College Center for Music & Art, South Main Street
Ray Charles
Sponsored by Young's Medical Equipment and WFMZ Television

A self-taught musician, Ray Charles is known and loved by millions around the world for his varied blues and jazz singing and keyboard work. Since the beginning of his career, he has left his mark on every facet of popular music-rhythm and blues, country, jazz, rock and more. Best known for his renditions of songs such as "Georgia on My Mind" and "A Song for You," Charles has earned 15 Grammy Awards and is a member of both the International Jazz and Rock & Roll Hall of Fames. In May, he was honored with Sweden's Polar Music Award-the country's most prestigious. Even after all these years, music is still the driving force in Charles' life, and the one that keeps him performing the songs he loves so much.
Tickets: \$13.00 & \$11.00*



CANDLELIGHT CONCERT SERIES 6:00 p.m.
Site Sponsored by Maier's Sunbeam Bread, WDIY Public
Radio and The Express-Times
NY Cabaret Unlimited P. 75
Admission: \$12.00



CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERTS 7:30 p.m.
Site Sponsored by Moravian Book Shop and
Norrell Staffing Services
Floyd Schlegel, Richard Ressler, and Todd Silvius P. 65 -
Classical Organ and Trumpet
Admission: Free



VESPER CONCERTS 5:00 p.m.
Site Sponsored by Bethlehem Steel Corporation
Jubilation Ringers P. 69 - Handbell Choir
Admission: Free



ICE HOUSE AT SAND ISLAND
Site Sponsored by Martin Guitar Company
Lu Mitchell and Catch-23 P. 71 2:00 & 4:00 p.m.
Part of Godfrey Daniels Shows at the Ice House.
Admission: \$5 in advance; \$6 at the door.
Concert Sponsored by Just Born, Inc.



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Gini Illick/American Mural Class P. 87



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CRAFT DEMONSTRATIONS
Brother Johannes - Flax to Linen
Shirley Sachs - Needlework
John MacFarland - Timber Framing



MAIN STREET MUSIKFEST
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The Morning Call

Streetplatz: near The Morning Call office
4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Balloons the Clown P. 42
5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Balloons the Clown P. 42
6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Balloons the Clown P. 42
7:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Give & Take Jugglers P. 65 XV
8:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Give & Take Jugglers P. 65
Mainplatz: near The Sun Inn
4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Canal Street Jazz Band P. 44
5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Canal Street Jazz Band P. 44
6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Canal Street Jazz Band P. 44
7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Canal Street Jazz Band P. 44
8:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Canal Street Jazz Band P. 44



STREET PERFORMERS
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and Dave & Wayne Auto Centers
4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. KAUSAY P. 70
4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Alex & Duane P. 41
4:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Harley The Clown P. 66 XV
5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Runa Pacha P. 78

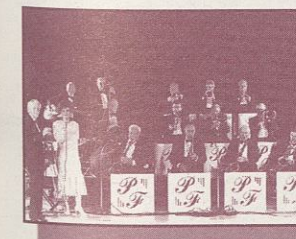


SPECIAL EVENTS
Snoopy appears 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. at Kinderplatz



ARTIST OF THE DAY
Parke Frankenfield & His Big Band featuring Melody Lane

(Big Band Swing). Vero Beach, FL. After 50 years of performances, Parke Frankenfield knows his stuff. A multi-instrumentalist and vocalist, Frankenfield is one-of-a-kind. His 15-piece big band features the exciting sounds of the '40s swing era and spotlights daughter, Melody Lane, on vocals with the Dixieland All-Stars "jazz band within a band."



Tuesday August 11

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12 PM		12:00 Dominic Gaudious	12:00 Skeeter & His Music Makers - P. 79 -	12:00 Brownstone Puppet Theatre - P. 43 -	12:00 Tommy Zito	12:00 Sonny Nevaquaya - P. 75 -
1 PM		- P. 65 -		1:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins" Midway Caravan - P. 74 -		
2 PM		2:00 Steve Ferguson & The Midwest Creole Ensemble - P. 81 -	 (1:30) - P. 74 -	1:30 dana - P. 47 -	 - P. 83 -	1:30 Bruce Daigrepoint Cajun Band  - P. 44 -
3 PM			3:00 The Polka Family Band - P. 77 -	3:00 Brownstone Puppet Theatre - P. 43 -	2:30 Mike Dugan & Friends - P. 27 -	
4 PM		4:00 Continental Divide	 (4:30) - P. 74 -	4:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	4:00 Diane Ponzio	3:30 Inner Rhythm - P. 67 -
5 PM	Evening's entertainment sponsored by ManorCare	 - P. 45 -		4:30 dana - P. 47 -		5:00 Sonny Nevaquaya
6 PM	5:30 Steve Ferguson & The Midwest Creole Ensemble - P. 81 -	WZZO SHOWCASE 6:00 Colorblind - P. 45 -	5:30 Eddie Blazonczyk & The Versatones - P. 48 -	 6:00 Cheryl Chickey's All American Performing Arts - P. 45 -	6:00 Inner Rhythm	- P. 75 -
7 PM	7:00 Mike Dugan & The Blues Mission - P. 27 -		 (7:00) - P. 74 -	Children can also create paper souvenirs as part of the art activities on this site. Sponsored by Binney & Smith Inc.		7:00 Bruce Daigrepoint Cajun Band
8 PM		7:30 Swoon - P. 82 -	8:00 The Polka Family Band - P. 77 -	 7:30 Bandstand Double Shot	8:00 Stardust Cabaret - P. 81 -	 - P. 44 -
9 PM	9:00 Tinsley Ellis	9:00 Shame - P. 79 -	 (9:30) - P. 74 -		9:30 Anthony de Mare - P. 47 -	 - P. 73 -
10 PM						
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KUNSTPLATZ 8:00 p.m.
behind Moravian College Center for Music & Art, South Main Street
Indigo Girls
Sponsored by RegionOnline (www.regiononline.com), CellularOne and B-104 Radio

For over a decade, Amy Ray and Emily Saliers have defined the folk/rock/world beat style of the Indigo Girls. Ever since the two women emerged from Atlanta in 1987 with the release of *Strange Fire* on their own record label, they have delivered music that is singularly fresh and singularly inspiring. In 1989, they won a Grammy Award in the Best Contemporary Folk Album category for their album, *Indigo Girls*. Their newest release, *Shaming of the Sun*, consists of 12 new songs including "Shame on You," "Shed Your Skin" and "Don't Give That Girl a Gun."
Tickets: \$13.00 & \$11.00*



CANDLELIGHT CONCERT SERIES 6:00 p.m.
Site Sponsored by Maier's Sunbeam Bread, WDIY Public Radio and The Express-Times
Paramount Brass & Ethos Percussion Group P. 76
Admission: \$12.00



CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERTS 7:30 p.m.
Site Sponsored by Moravian Book Shop and Norrell Staffing Services
Jason Vieaux P. 83 - Classical Guitar
Admission: Free



VESPER CONCERTS 5:00 p.m.
Site Sponsored by Bethlehem Steel Corporation
Martha Marchena P. 73 - Brazilian Piano
Admission: Free



ICE HOUSE AT SAND ISLAND
Site Sponsored by Martin Guitar Company
Lu Mitchell and Catch-23 P. 71 2:00 p.m.
Admission: \$5 in advance; \$6 at the door.
Concert Sponsored by Just Born, Inc.
Artisan P. 41 4:00 & 7:00 p.m. **Admission: \$6 in advance; \$8 at the door.** Concerts sponsored by Lafayette Bank/Ambassador Bank. Both are part of Godfrey Daniels Shows at the Ice House.



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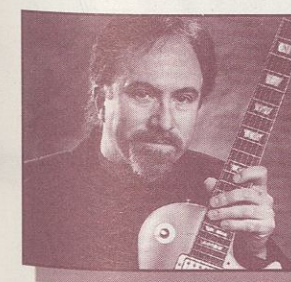
Streetplatz: near The Morning Call office
4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Give & Take Jugglers P. 65 
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7:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Give & Take Jugglers P. 65
8:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Give & Take Jugglers P. 65
Mainplatz: near The Sun Inn
4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Basic'ly Brass P. 42
5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Basic'ly Brass P. 42
6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Continental Divide P. 45 
7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Continental Divide P. 45
8:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Continental Divide P. 45



STREET PERFORMERS
Site Sponsored by B. Braun Medical, Inc. and Dave & Wayne Auto Centers
4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Runa Pacha P. 78
4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Alex & Duane P. 41
4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. KAUSAY P. 70
4:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Comedy Magic of Joseph Keppel P. 45
6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Blue Valley Quartet P. 43



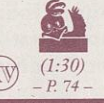
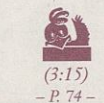
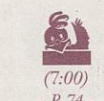
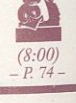
SPECIAL EVENTS
Artist-in Residence Workshop by Paramount Brass-
"What You'll Hear and Why: Book Two," Peter Hall,
1:00 p.m. Sponsored by Nextel
Snoopy appears 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. at Kinderplatz



ARTIST OF THE DAY
Mike Dugan & The Blues Mission

(Blues Rock). Lehigh Valley, PA. Longtime Musikfest veteran Mike Dugan and his band return with a new album, *Live at the Boulevard*, released in May of this year. Previously, they released the CD *All My Blues* and opened for B.B. King at the State Theatre in Easton in 1997. Mike Dugan, James Supra, Mark Tomlinson, Steve Patterson, Bill Weir.

Wednesday August 12

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12 PM		12:00 Phil Stahl	12:00 Lenny Gomulka & Chicago Push - P. 71 -	12:00 Dan Horn - P. 67 -	12:00 Paramount Brass	12:00 Inner Rhythm
1 PM		- P. 29 -	 (1:30) - P. 74 -	1:30 Michael Lane Trautman - P. 83 -	- P. 39 -	- P. 67 -
2 PM		2:00 Maelstrom Percussion Ensemble - P. 73 -	2:30 Aischtal Express - P. 41 -	2:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	2:00 Jason Vieaux & Gary Schocker (XV) - P. 83, P. 79 -	2:00 The Jumping Buddha Ensemble - P. 69 -
3 PM				3:00 Dan Horn - P. 67 -	3:30 Anne Hills - P. 41 -	3:30 BUR
4 PM		4:30 Inner Rhythm - P. 67 -	 (3:15) - P. 74 -	4:30 Michael Lane Trautman - P. 83 -	4:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	- P. 44 -
5 PM	Evening's entertainment sponsored by Viennese Pastries	5:30 Phil Stahl & The Still Fall Band - P. 29 -	WZZO SHOWCASE 6:00 Connie's Brigade - P. 45 -	5:30 The Seventh Avenue Band - P. 79 -	5:00 Michael Smith	5:30 Impacto Crea Cristiano - P. 67 -
6 PM				6:00 Barbara Piotrowski/ Miss Jeanne's School of Dance - P. 42 -	6:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	
7 PM		7:00 Anne Hills & Michael Smith	 (7:00) - P. 74 -	7:30 poppy cock babble - P. 77 -	7:00 Frank Bey & The Swing City Blues Band - P. 65 -	7:00 Aischtal Express - P. 41 -
8 PM	(XV) - P. 41, P. 79 -		8:00 Lenny Gomulka & Chicago Push - P. 71 -	 Bandstand The Pat Garrett Band (XV) - P. 76 -		 (8:00) - P. 74 -
9 PM	9:00 Eddie From Ohio	9:00 Highwater - P. 67 -			9:00 BUR - P. 44 -	9:00 punjabi by nature - P. 77 -
10 PM			 (9:30) - P. 74 -			
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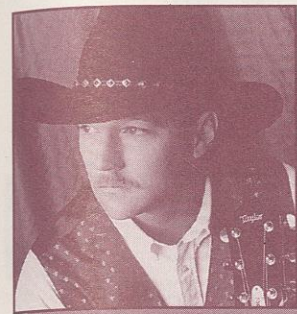
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KUNSTPLATZ 8:00 p.m.
behind Moravian College Center for Music & Art, South Main Street
Trace Adkins
Sponsored by Deiter Brothers Fuel Co., Inc. and Cat Country 96.1 FM

A onetime football player and offshore oil worker, Trace Adkins entices spectators with his new-country sounds. In 1997, Adkins was voted the Top New Male Vocalist by the Academy of Country Music. His recent hits have included his first number one single, "This Ain't No Thinkin' Thing," and "Every Light in the House Is On." His debut album, *Dreamin' Out Loud*, released in 1996, received platinum status, while his second album has already gained gold status.
Tickets: \$10.00 & \$8.00*



CANDLELIGHT CONCERT SERIES 6:00 p.m.

Site Sponsored by Maier's Sunbeam Bread, WDIY Public Radio and The Express-Times

John Gorka P. 66 (XV)
Admission: \$12.00



CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERTS 7:30 p.m.

Site Sponsored by Moravian Book Shop and Norrell Staffing Services

Kani-Schrempel Duo P. 69 (XV) - Chamber, Classical
Admission: Free



VESPER CONCERTS 5:00 p.m.

Site Sponsored by Bethlehem Steel Corporation

Gary Schocker P. 79 (XV) - Classical and Contemporary
Flute. Admission: Free



ICE HOUSE AT SAND ISLAND

Site Sponsored by Martin Guitar Company
Bill Miller P. 74 4:00 & 7:00 p.m.

Admission: \$8 in advance; \$10 at the door. Concerts sponsored by The Compact Disc Center of Bethlehem, Dave Phillips Music and Sound and Queen City Electric Supply. Part of Godfrey Daniels Shows at the Ice House.



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CRAFT DEMONSTRATIONS

Paul Andre - Seat Weaving - Caning, Rushing, Splinting
Cheryl Statham - Wheat Weaving
John MacFarland - Timber Framing



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Streetplatz: near The Morning Call office

4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Merman's Magical Mania P. 73
5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Merman's Magical Mania P. 73
6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Merman's Magical Mania P. 73
7:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Merman's Magical Mania P. 73
8:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Merman's Magical Mania P. 73

Mainplatz: near The Sun Inn

4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Riverboat Banjo Band P. 78 (XV)
5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Riverboat Banjo Band P. 78
6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Riverboat Banjo Band P. 78
7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Mountain Laurel Bluegrass Band P. 74
8:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Mountain Laurel Bluegrass Band P. 74



STREET PERFORMERS

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12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Balloons The Clown P. 42
4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Runa Pacha P. 78
4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Alex & Duane P. 41
4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. KAUSAY P. 70
4:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Harley The Clown P. 66 (XV)



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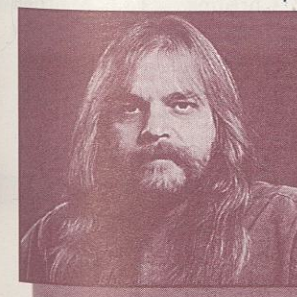
Snoopy appears 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. at Kinderplatz



ARTIST OF THE DAY

Phil Stahl & The Still Fall Band

(Folk, Rock). Lehigh Valley, PA. This year brings Phil Stahl into his 20th as a full-time musician and performer. Over the years he has performed with many of the area's finest musicians and released six albums including his latest, *So Far Gone*. Stahl is also an independent producer of weekly radio and cable television shows, which include open "mic" nights and shows dedicated to promoting the local music scene. Phil Stahl, Al Guerrero, Jake Kaligis, Ray Valentine, Linda Major, Steve Cusumano.



* Two-tiered seating - Platinum & Gold (See "Where To Find" section of program book for detailed information).

Thursday August 13

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12 PM		12:00 Dr. Florentine and The Miracle Cure  - P. 47 -	12:00 Aischtal Express - P. 41 -	12:00 Cheryl Chickey's All American Performing Arts - P. 45 -	12:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	12:00 The Jumping Buddha Ensemble - P. 69 -
1 PM			 (1:30) - P. 74 -	(12:50) - P. 74 -	1:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins" - Midway Caravan - P. 74 -	
2 PM		1:30 Brothers In Grace Quartet - P. 43 -		1:30 Rick Lyon and The Lyon Puppets - P. 78 -	1:30 Gary Rissmiller Trio - P. 31 -	
3 PM			2:30 Tommy Thomas and Company - P. 82 -	2:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -		2:00 The Jumping Buddha Ensemble - P. 69 -
4 PM		3:00 SOL - Servants Of Lord - P. 81 -	 (4:00) - P. 74 -	3:00 Dave Fry - Just Imagine! - P. 39 -	3:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins" - Midway Caravan - P. 74 -	
5 PM	Evening's entertainment sponsored by PenTeleData/Prolog	4:30 Church On The Move - P. 45 -		4:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	4:00 Inca-Sapi - P. 67 -	4:00 Madou Dembele and Super Yankadi - P. 71 -
6 PM		5:30 Gary Rissmiller Quintet - P. 31 -	5:00 Aischtal Express - P. 41 -	4:30 Rick Lyon and The Lyon Puppets - P. 78 -	5:00 The Jumping Buddha Ensemble - P. 69 -	5:30 Inca-Sapi - P. 67 -
7 PM		6:30 New Covenant Christian Community Worship Band - P. 75 -		5:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins" - Midway Caravan - P. 74 -		
8 PM		7:00 James Carney Group - P. 68 -	7:00 Dance Contest (Polish) - P. 74 - (7:00)	6:00 Cheryl Chickey's All American Performing Arts - P. 45 -	6:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	
9 PM		8:30 The Singing Aires - P. 79 -	8:00 Jimmy Sturr Band  - P. 68 -	7:30  Bandstand The Mango Men  - P. 73 -	Children can also create paper souvenirs as part of the art activities on this site. Sponsored by Binney & Smith Inc.	7:00 Pavlov's Dawgs - P. 76 -
10 PM		9:00 Charlie Hunter & Pound For Pound - P. 44 -			9:00 Christine Havrilla - P. 66 -	9:00 Lil' Malcolm & The House Rockers - P. 71 -
11 PM						



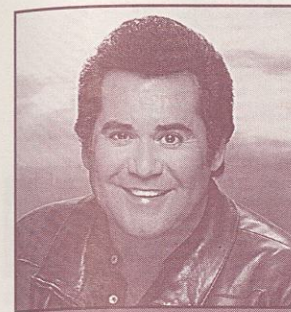
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KUNSTPLATZ 8:00 p.m.

behind Moravian College Center for Music & Art, South Main Street

Wayne Newton

Sponsored by Nazareth National Bank, Law Offices of O'Hare & Heitzman and WFMZ Television

In a business that is, at best, volatile, and success sometimes short-lived, Wayne Newton has performed live to more than 30 million. He has epitomized the talent, glamour and energy that is Las Vegas-the entertainment capital of the world-for so long that he is called "Mr. Las Vegas." Newton does it with the incredible talent and showmanship he was born with and the talent he developed as a child entertainer in Virginia. He simply works harder and digs deeper than anyone out there, sizing up audiences as he goes and tailoring shows to fit their moods until he has given them their money's worth.

Tickets: \$13.00 & \$11.00*



CANDLELIGHT CONCERT SERIES 6:00 p.m.

Site Sponsored by Maier's Sunbeam Bread, WDIY Public Radio and The Express-Times

Jim Brickman P. 43

This concert is promoted by WLEV/Sunny 100.7 FM.

Admission: \$12.00



CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERTS 7:30 p.m.

Site Sponsored by Moravian Book Shop and Norrell Staffing Services

Evelyn Stewart P. 81 - Vocal Classical and Spirituals

Admission: Free



VESPER CONCERTS 5:00 p.m.

Site Sponsored by Bethlehem Steel Corporation

Laurentian String Quartet P. 70 - Classical

Admission: Free



ICE HOUSE AT SAND ISLAND

Site Sponsored by Martin Guitar Company

The Nields P. 75 4:00 & 7:00 p.m.

Admission: \$8 in advance; \$10 at the door. Concerts sponsored by Saraceno Design and Starbuck Goldner Studio. Part of Godfrey Daniels Shows at the Ice House.



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Gini Illick/American Mural Class P. 87



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John MacFarland - Timber Framing



MAIN STREET MUSIKFEST

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Streetplatz: near The Morning Call office

4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Merman's Magical Mania P. 73

5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Merman's Magical Mania P. 73

6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Michael Lane Trautman P. 83

7:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Michael Lane Trautman P. 83

8:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Michael Lane Trautman P. 83

Mainplatz: near The Sun Inn

4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. The Canal Street Jazz Band P. 44

5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. The Canal Street Jazz Band P. 44

6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. The Canal Street Jazz Band P. 44

7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. The Canal Street Jazz Band P. 44

8:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. The Canal Street Jazz Band P. 44



STREET PERFORMERS

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4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Runa Pacha P. 78

4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Alex & Duane P. 41

4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Clarence The Clown P. 45 

8:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Inca-Sapi P. 67



SPECIAL EVENTS

Snoopy appears 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. at Kinderplatz
Polish Dance Contest, Festplatz, 7:00 p.m.



ARTIST OF THE DAY

Gary Rissmiller

(Jazz). Lehigh Valley, PA. A Bethlehem native, Gary Rissmiller has studied with Joe Morello and performed with Phil Woods, Dave Liebman, Tom Harret, Randy Brecker and many others. Rissmiller heads a trio and a quintet, both of which are performing at Musikfest '98 and have appeared at such prestigious events as the Central Pennsylvania Jazz Festival, the Delaware Water Gap Center of the Arts Festival and the Wichita Jazz Festival. He recently released a CD, *In Time*, which features his wife on vocals.

Friday August 14

	 Americaplatz Sponsored by Summit Bank	 Familienplatz Sponsored by PenTeleData/Prolog	 Festplatz Sponsored by First Union Associate Sponsor Service Electric Cable TV	 Kinderplatz Sponsored by MetLife KinderConcert Tent Sponsored by Keystone Savings Bank	 Liederplatz Sponsored by Adams Outdoor Advertising	 Volksplatz Sponsored by The Pennsylvania Lottery
12 PM		12:00 Slaid Cleaves Trio - P. 41 -	12:00 Aischtal Express - P. 41 -	12:00 Dave Fry - Just Imagine! - P. 39 -	12:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	12:00 Inca-Sapi - P. 67 -
1 PM		- P. 79 -	 (1:30) - P. 74 -	1:30 Andrea Wittchen - P. 33 -	1:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins" - Midway Caravan - P. 74 -	1:30 Balfa Toujours - P. 81 -
2 PM		2:00 Inca-Sapi - P. 67 -	2:30 Josef Kroboth Orchestra - P. 69 -	2:00 Maureen O'Grady's School of Irish Dance - P. 73 -	2:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	2:30 Murphy's Trousers - P. 74 -
3 PM		4:00 Maelstrom Percussion Ensemble - P. 73 -	 (3:15) - P. 74 -	4:30 "Aesop's Fables" - Philadelphia Theatre Caravan - P. 76 -	3:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins" - Midway Caravan - P. 74 -	4:30 Inca-Sapi - P. 67 -
4 PM	Evening's entertainment sponsored by First Commonwealth Federal Credit Union	5:30 Swampadelica - P. 81 -	5:00 Key-Notes Orchestra - P. 70 -	6:00 Maureen O'Grady's School of Irish Dance - P. 73 -	4:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	4:30 Balfa Toujours - P. 42 -
5 PM		6:00 Slaid Cleaves Trio - P. 79 -	 (6:45) - P. 74 -	7:00 Dance Contest (German) - P. 74 -	5:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins" - Midway Caravan - P. 74 -	7:00 Bailando Desnudo - P. 42 -
6 PM		7:00 Lil' Malcom & The House Rockers - P. 71 -	8:00 Deanna Bogart Band - P. 47 -	7:30 Bandstand Jay Jay - P. 68 -	6:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	8:30 Pan Masters Steel Orchestra - P. 75 -
7 PM		8:00 Terrance Simien - P. 79 -	 (9:45) - P. 74 -		Children can also create paper souvenirs as part of the art activities on this site. Sponsored by Binney & Smith Inc.	9:00 The Allstonians - P. 41 -
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10 PM						
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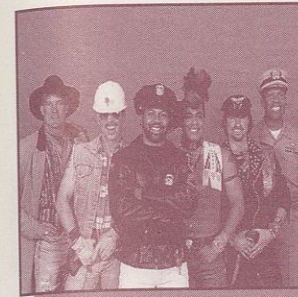
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KUNSTPLATZ 8:00 p.m.
behind Moravian College Center for Music & Art, South Main Street
Village People
Sponsored by AD Computer, CellularOne and B-104 Radio

The Village People was the brainchild of producer/composer Jacques Morall after he discovered Fellpe performing in his Native American regalia in New York's Greenwich Village. The visual image inspired Morall and partner Henri Belolo to create a vocal group based on strong American male stereotypes. The group has sold millions of records worldwide and has performed around the world with hits such as "Macho Man," "YMCA" and "In The Navy."

Tickets: \$13.00 & \$11.00*



CANDLELIGHT CONCERT SERIES 6:00 p.m.
Site Sponsored by Maier's Sunbeam Bread, WDIY Public
Radio and The Express-Times

Eddie Palmieri P. 75

This concert is promoted by WRTI Temple University Radio and La Plena del Pueblo bilingual newspaper.

Admission: \$12.00



CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERTS 7:30 p.m.
Site Sponsored by Moravian Book Shop and
Norrell Staffing Services

Andrea Wittchen & Samantha Wittchen P. 33 - Harp Duo
Admission: Free



VESPER CONCERTS 5:00 p.m.
Site Sponsored by Bethlehem Steel Corporation
Bright Hope Baptist Celestial Choir P. 43 -
Gospel Spirituals. Admission: Free



ICE HOUSE AT SAND ISLAND
MockTurtle Marionettes
"Time Out for Puppets" P. 74 1:00 & 3:00 p.m.
Admission: \$3.00



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Kirk A. Gibson P. 87



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CRAFT DEMONSTRATIONS
Paul Andre - Seat Weaving - Caning, Rushing, Splinting
Bob Wiggins - Broom Making
John MacFarland - Timber Framing



MAIN STREET MUSIKFEST
Site Sponsored by Lafayette Bank/Ambassador Bank and
The Morning Call

Streetplatz: near The Morning Call office

4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Duke that Puppet Guy P. 48
5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Duke that Puppet Guy P. 48
6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Duke that Puppet Guy P. 48
7:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Duke that Puppet Guy P. 48
8:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Duke that Puppet Guy P. 48

Mainplatz: near The Sun Inn

4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Regal Brass Quintet P. 77
5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Regal Brass Quintet P. 77
6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Regal Brass Quintet P. 77
7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Regal Brass Quintet P. 77
8:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Regal Brass Quintet P. 77



STREET PERFORMERS
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4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Runa Pacha P. 78
4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Alex & Duane P. 41
4:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Harley the Clown P. 66 (XV)
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Inca-Sapi P. 67



SPECIAL EVENTS
Snoopy appears 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. at Kinderplatz.
German Dance Contest, Festplatz, 7:00 p.m.



ARTIST OF THE DAY
Andrea Wittchen

(Classical Harpist). Bethlehem, PA. Andrea Wittchen is well known throughout eastern Pennsylvania as a solo, chamber and orchestral harpist. She performs as the principal harpist and soloist with the Lehigh Valley Chamber Orchestra and teaches at Moravian College. Her light-hearted and information-filled recitals have delighted school children and adults alike, while giving them a memorable hands-on experience.

* Two-tiered seating - Platinum & Gold (See "Where To Find" section of program book for detailed information).

Saturday August 15

	Americaplatz Sponsored by Summit Bank	Familienplatz Sponsored by PenTeleData/Prolog	Festplatz Sponsored by First Union Associate Sponsor Service Electric Cable TV	Kinderplatz Sponsored by MetLife KinderConcert Tent Sponsored by Keystone Savings Bank Interactive Playhouse Sponsored by Just Born, Inc. & Holiday Hair	Liederplatz Sponsored by Adams Outdoor Advertising	Volksplatz Sponsored by The Pennsylvania Lottery
12 PM	12:00 Sabor Tropical	12:00 Inca-Sapi	12:00 die Schlauberger - P. 47 -	12:00 Dave Rudolf - P. 78 -	12:00 Dave Fry - P. 39 -	12:00 Tamarack - P. 82 -
1 PM	- P. 35 -	- P. 67 -	(1:30) - P. 74 -	1:30 David Parker - P. 76 -		
2 PM					2:00 Carl Rosen - P. 78 -	2:00 Prekmurke & Varasanci - P. 77 -
3 PM	2:30 The SlackJaw Blues Band - P. 79 -	2:30 The Word - P. 83 -	2:30 Aischtal Express - P. 41 -	3:00 Dave Rudolf - P. 78 -		
4 PM		4:00 Tamarack	(3:15) - P. 74 -		3:30 Not By Chance - P. 75 -	3:30 Inca-Sapi - P. 67 -
5 PM	4:30 The Word - P. 83 -	(XV) - P. 82 -	5:00 die Schlauberger - P. 47 -	4:30 David Parker - P. 76 -		
6 PM	6:00 RockRoots - P. 78 -	6:00 MAXIMUM bob - P. 73 -	(5:30) - P. 74 -	6:00 Barbara Piotrowski/ Miss Jeanne's School of Dance - P. 42 -	5:30 Carl Rosen - P. 78 -	5:30 Indian American Association of the Lehigh Valley - P. 67 -
7 PM			7:00 Dance Contest: East Coast Polka Championships	Children can also create paper souvenirs as part of the art activities on this site. Sponsored by Binney & Smith Inc.		7:00 Sabor Tropical - P. 35 -
8 PM	7:30 Limpopo - P. 71 -	7:30 Jonathan Crosland's Voodoo Blues Band - P. 69 -	8:00 John Gora Band - P. 68 -	7:30 Bandstand Ivory Rose - P. 68 -	7:30 Dave Rudolf - P. 78 -	
9 PM	9:00 The SlackJaw Blues Band	9:00 Zen For Primates				9:00 Bailando Desnudo - P. 42 -
10 PM		(XV) - P. 83 -	(9:30) - P. 74 -		9:30 The Word - P. 83 -	
11 PM	- P. 79 -					



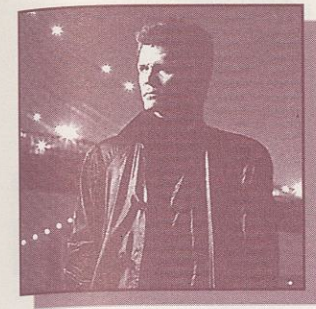
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KUNSTPLATZ 8:00 p.m.

behind Moravian College Center for Music & Art, South Main Street
David Sanborn Sponsored by WTI-Wave Technology, Inc., Lehigh Valley Cardiology Associates, Michael Dunn Company and Smooth Jazz WJJZ 106.1

Few artists have had careers as rich and lasting as David Sanborn. Critics around the globe have hailed him as one of the most consistent American musicians working today, as comfortable with a 60-piece orchestra as he is with a New Orleans jam session. A 25-year veteran saxophonist, Sanborn recently released his 14th solo album, *Songs From the Night Before*. The album has sounds of contemporary urban pop as well as rhythm and blues. Overall, the saxophonist has sold more than 6 million albums, netting one platinum and six gold recordings. In 1982, he won his first Grammy for his gold album, *Voyeur*, and he won a second in 1986 for his platinum-plus album, *Double Vision*.

Tickets: \$10.00 & \$8.00*



CANDLELIGHT CONCERT SERIES 6:00 p.m.

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Joshua Rifkin P. 78
Admission: \$12.00



ASA PACKER SERIES AT THE ZOELLNER ARTS CENTER

2:00 & 5:00 p.m.
Underwritten by Air Products and Chemicals, Inc. Site Sponsored by Alvin H. Butz, Lehigh University and WLVT Public Television

Nickelodeon's Gullah Gullah Island P. 66
Concert Sponsored by New Horizons Computer Learning Center.
Underwritten by the PA council on the Arts and the County of Lehigh.
Admission: \$12.00



ICE HOUSE AT SAND ISLAND

Touchstone Theatre "Stories of Steel" P. 82
1:00 p.m. Admission: \$3.00



MURALPLATZ

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CRAFT DEMONSTRATIONS

Paul Andre - Seat Weaving - Caning, Rushing, Splinting
Shirley Sachs - Needlework
John MacFarland - Timber Framing



MAIN STREET MUSIKFEST

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Streetplatz: near The Morning Call office

- 1:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. "Hoot & Annie" P. 67
- 2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. "Hoot & Annie" P. 67
- 3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. "Hoot & Annie" P. 67
- 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. "Hoot & Annie" P. 67
- 5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. "Hoot & Annie" P. 67
- 6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Harley Newman P. 66 (XV)
- 7:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Harley Newman P. 66
- 8:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Harley Newman P. 66

Mainplatz: near The Sun Inn

- 1:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Riverboat Banjo Band P. 78
- 2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Riverboat Banjo Band P. 78
- 3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Riverboat Banjo Band P. 78
- 4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Riverboat Banjo Band P. 78
- 5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. High Society Ragtime Band P. 67
- 6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. High Society Ragtime Band P. 67
- 7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. High Society Ragtime Band P. 67
- 8:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. High Society Ragtime Band P. 67



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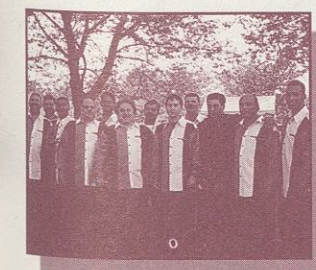
- 12:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Runa Pacha P. 78
- 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Comedy Magic Of Joseph Keppel P. 45 (XV)
- 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. MacKay Pipe Band P. 71 (XV)
- 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. The Half Steps P. 66
- 4:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Silver & Brass Trombone Quartet P. 79
- 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Inca-Sapi P. 67



SPECIAL EVENTS

Snoopy appears 1:00 to 1:30 p.m. and 4:00 to 4:30 p.m. at Kinderplatz

Lehigh Valley Artist-in-Residence Workshop by Dave Fry, Peter Hall, 3:00 p.m. Sponsored by Post & Schell
East Coast Polka Championships, Festplatz, 7:00 p.m.



ARTIST OF THE DAY

Sabor Tropical

(Salsa, Merengue, Latin Jazz). Bethlehem, PA. Sabor Tropical is a Latin music ensemble featuring the experience of 13 professional musicians from the Lehigh Valley and Puerto Rico. Together, they have created a unique group that specializes in the Latin rhythms known as salsa, merengue, cumbias, boleros and Latin jazz. The sound of this band transports you to the Caribbean. When listening to Sabor Tropical you can't avoid shaking to the rhythm.

* Two-tiered seating - Platinum & Gold (See "Where To Find" section of program book for detailed information).

Sunday August 16

	 Americaplatz Sponsored by Summit Bank	 Familienplatz Sponsored by PenTeleData/Prolog	 Festplatz Sponsored by First Union Associate Sponsor Service Electric Cable TV	 Kinderplatz Sponsored by MetLife KinderConcert Tent Sponsored by Keystone Savings Bank	 Liederplatz Sponsored by Adams Outdoor Advertising	 Volksplatz Sponsored by The Pennsylvania Lottery
12 PM	12:00 Tamarack	12:00 The Les Baer Septet featuring Milly Hay	12:00 Aischtal Express - P. 41 -	12:00 Lehigh Valley Cloggers - P. 71 - (12:45)	12:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	12:00 Hard Travelers - P. 66 -
1 PM	(XV) - P. 82 -	(XV) - P. 71 -	(1:30) - P. 74 -	1:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins" - Midway Caravan - P. 74 -	1:30 The 3 Jakes - P. 82 -	1:30 Prekmurke & Varasanci - P. 77 -
2 PM	2:00 MAXIMUM bob	2:00 Electric Farm	2:30 Walt Groller Orchestra - P. 37 -	2:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	3:00 Not By Chance	3:00 The Smyrneiki Kompania
3 PM	- P. 73 -	- P. 48 -	(3:15) - P. 74 -	3:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins" - Midway Caravan - P. 74 -	4:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	5:00 Tamarack
4 PM	4:00 Hard Travelers	4:00 Kato	5:00 Aischtal Express - P. 41 -	4:30 Jim Rule - P. 78 -	5:00 "Colleen and the Hobgoblins" - Midway Caravan - P. 74 -	5:00 Impacto Crea Cristiano
5 PM	(XV) - P. 66 -	- P. 70 -	6:00 Jay Caldwell & The Gospel Ambassadors	6:00 Cheryl Chickey's All American Performing Arts - P. 45 -	6:00 "Meistersingers of Nurnberg" - Middle-Earth Studios - P. 74 -	7:00 Patrick Tobin Tribute to Frank Sinatra Susan Zimmerman- Tribute to Barbra Streisand - P. 82, P. 83 -
6 PM	6:00 Craig Thatcher Band featuring Mary Hawkins-Bean	- P. 68 -	- P. 45 -	7:00 Children can also create paper souvenirs as part of the art activities on this site. Sponsored by Binney & Smith Inc.	7:30 Bandstand Liquid Pleasure - P. 71 -	9:00 Limpopo
7 PM	8:00 Queen Bee and The Blue Hornet Band	8:00 Lehigh Valley All-Star Band	8:00 Walt Groller Orchestra - P. 37 -	9:30 Fireworks	10:00 Queen Bee and The Blue Hornet Band (XV) - P. 77 -	
8 PM	(XV) - P. 77 -	- P. 70 -	(8:30) - P. 74 -			
9 PM						
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11 PM						



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KUNSTPLATZ 8:00 p.m.

behind Moravian College Center for Music & Art, South Main Street

Starship featuring Mickey Thomas

Sponsored by Edwards Business Machines, Inc./Ricoh, NEXTLINK and WLEV/Sunny 100.7 FM

Mickey Thomas leads Starship's performance of classic favorites such as "We Built This City," "Sara" and "Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now." Starship has enjoyed gold, platinum and multi-platinum status with every album since Thomas joined the ensemble in 1979. In 1987, Major League Baseball adopted "It's Not Over Till It's Over" as its theme song.

Tickets: \$10.00 & \$8.00*



ICE HOUSE AT SAND ISLAND

Touchstone Theatre "Stories of Steel" P. 82

1:00 p.m. Admission: \$3.00



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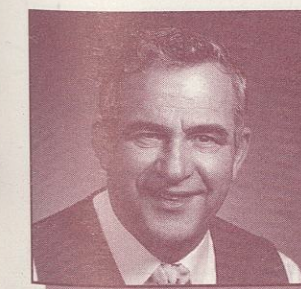
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CRAFT DEMONSTRATIONS

Brother Johannes - Flax to Linen

Shirley Sachs - Needlework

John MacFarland - Timber Framing



ARTIST OF THE DAY

The Walter Groller Orchestra

(Austrian/Bavarian Polka). Whitehall, PA. This year, The Walt Groller Orchestra marks its 53rd anniversary. Past accomplishments include a 1986 induction into the Polka Music Hall of Fame and a 1988 Grammy nomination. To date, the band has recorded 23 albums and has appeared on many television shows, including a documentary produced for Austrian TV in October of 1997. Joe Groller, Chris Fagan, Norman Stull, Tony Fasching, Walt Groller.



MAIN STREET MUSIKFEST

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Streetplatz: near The Morning Call office

1:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Al Grout P. 66 (XV)

2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. Al Grout P. 66

3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Al Grout P. 66

4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Al Grout P. 66

5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. The Comedy Magic Of Joseph Keppel P. 45 (XV)

6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. The Comedy Magic Of Joseph Keppel P. 45

7:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. The Comedy Magic Of Joseph Keppel P. 45

8:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. The Comedy Magic Of Joseph Keppel P. 45

Mainplatz: near The Sun Inn

1:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Mountain Laurel Bluegrass Band P. 74

2:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Mountain Laurel Bluegrass Band P. 74

3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Mountain Laurel Bluegrass Band P. 74

4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Mountain Laurel Bluegrass Band P. 74

5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Hegeman String Band P. 66

6:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Hegeman String Band P. 66

7:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Hegeman String Band P. 66

8:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Hegeman String Band P. 66



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12:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Runa Pacha P. 78 (XV)

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Clarence The Clown P. 45 (XV)

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Hegeman String Band P. 66

5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. After Hours P. 41

5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Dolittle the Clown P. 47

6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Al Grout P. 66 (XV)



SPECIAL EVENTS

Roman Catholic Polka Mass, Festplatz, 10:00 a.m.

proceeds benefit Catholic Charities

Snoopy appears 1:00 to 1:30 p.m. and 4:00 to 4:30 p.m.

at Kinderplatz

Fireworks Spectacular, 9:30 p.m.

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York City, the Yale Center for British Art, the Museum of Fine Arts in Boston, the Philharmonic Center in Naples, Florida, Spivey Hall in Atlanta and at Symphony Hall in Boston as part of the BSO "Salute to Symphony." The ensemble made its international debut in 1995 with performances at the Otaru Festival in Japan. In 1990, the Paramount Brass had the distinct privilege of playing for former Israeli Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir on his visit to Boston. In the fall of 1996, it participated in the 1,100th anniversary celebration of the Republic of Hungary at the Kennedy Center along with Janos Starker, the Bartok Quartet, the National Symphony and a host of international dignitaries.

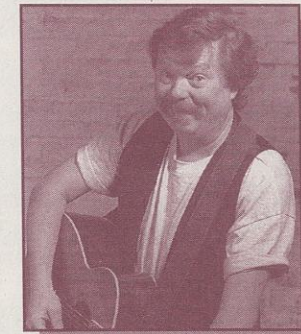
The Paramount Brass won the grand prize at the 1992 New York Brass Conference Quintet Competition and soon after released its debut recording. The first in a series of CDs, the disc featured a repertoire as diverse as the ensemble's performances—Bach and Granados, Brahms and Ellington. The Paramount Brass' second and third recordings were released in 1995 and 1997. The ensemble also gave the world premiere of Daniel Pinkham's "Morning Music" for brass and organ with acclaimed Boston Symphony organist James David Christie.

While on tour, the ensemble regularly provides clinics and programs for children. Currently, the Paramount Brass is the ensemble in residence for the Boston Conservatory and has completed a three-year residency at the historic Zeiterion Theatre in the coastal town of New Bedford, Massachusetts. ♦

Schedule:

Sunday, August 9	Tuesday, August 11
Noon - 1:00 p.m. Americaplatz	1:00 p.m. Pre-concert workshop
4:00 - 6:00 p.m. Liederplatz	"What You'll Hear and Why: Book Two"
	6:00 p.m. Candlelight Concert
Monday, August 10	(w/ Ethos Percussion Group)
Noon - 1:00 p.m. Kinderplatz	Wednesday, August 12
3:00 - 4:00 p.m. Familienplatz	Noon - 1:30 p.m. Liederplatz
5:30 - 6:30 p.m. Americaplatz	

LEHIGH VALLEY ARTIST-IN-RESIDENCE - Dave Fry



Dave Fry is perhaps best known to Lehigh Valley audiences for his kids' and family music, and his many appearances at festivals and schools throughout eastern Pennsylvania. After graduating from Lehigh in '73, with degrees in philosophy and engineering, Fry played the Lehigh Valley club scene with the jugband Graveyard Skiffle Band, the folk band Shimersville Skeiks, the country-swing band Steppin Out! and the alternative rock band Out On A Limb. Fry also performed street theater with

Bethlehem's own Touchstone Theatre for six years, introducing his musical craftsmanship and his engaging performance skills to a wider audience.

Fry has played at every Musikfest and was involved early on as a booking consultant, stage manager and cheap local act. Currently, he continues to tour solo at festivals, schools and folk clubs, and with RockRoots during the school season. RockRoots has been touring for eight years, delighting children, teachers and parents with a quick-paced, entertaining history of rock and roll. Fry also plays with two other groups, Pavlov's Dawgs and Murphy's Trousers. Pavlov's Dawgs is a Lehigh Valley bluegrass band that plays reggae, Celtic, pop, swing and Jazzgrass while maintaining a deep respect for its traditional bluegrass and folk roots. Murphy's Trousers is an extension of Fry's love and appreciation of Celtic rock and folk rock, mixing traditional tunes and songs with contemporary instruments and rock sensibilities into folk fusion.

Fry just released his newest album, *Pearls*, an adult-contemporary folk CD featuring many Lehigh Valley and Musikfest artists, as well as a CD compilation of his kids' music, *I Like Peanut Butter*. He also holds down two popular FM roots music radio shows - Hep Cats Holiday on WMUH and All Reet Street on WDIY.

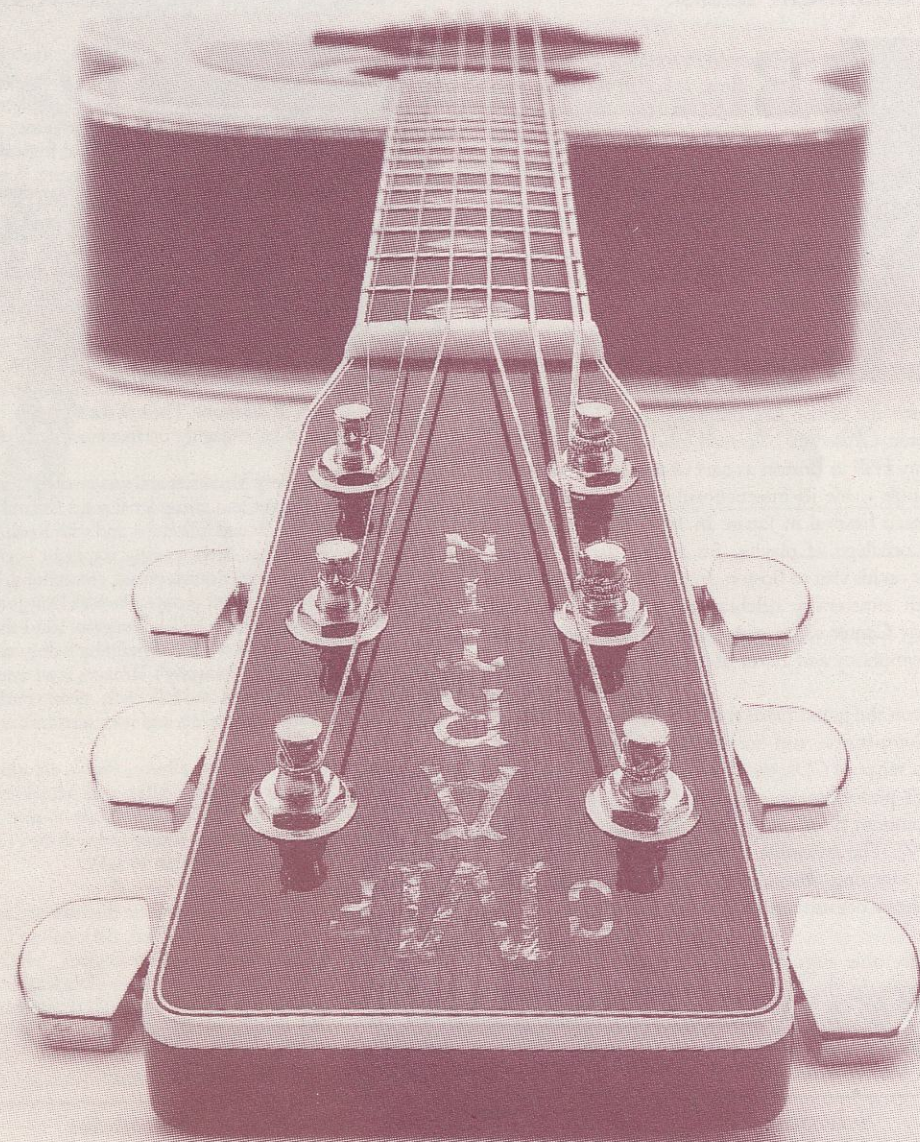
Fry is a cofounder of and the artistic director at Godfrey Daniels, a not-for-profit coffeehouse and regional, national and international stop on the folk and blues circuit. Godfrey Daniels, which features world-class music in a unique, intimate listening-club format, presents folk, bluegrass, Celtic and blues music year-round on Bethlehem's South Side.

Fry currently lives outside Emmaus with his wife, Kim Wilson, and his 8-year-old daughter Rosalie and 5-year-old son Jamie. ♦

Schedule:

Thursday, August 13
3:00 - 4:00 p.m. Kinderplatz Dave Fry - Just Imagine!
7:00 - 8:30 p.m. Liederplatz Pavlov's Dawgs
Friday, August 14
Noon - 1:00 p.m. Kinderplatz Dave Fry - Just Imagine!
2:30 - 4:00 p.m. Volksplatz Murphy's Trousers
Saturday, August 15
Noon - 1:30 p.m. Liederplatz Dave Fry
3:00 - 4:00 p.m. Peter Hall Artist lecture
6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Americaplatz RockRoots

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TRACE ADKINS (*New Country*). Please see biography on page 29. **Aug. 12**

AFTER HOURS (*Barbershop, Show Tunes*). Allentown, PA. After Hours is a Sweet Adelines barbershop quartet which creates beautiful music. It has sung at several private functions and is making its second Musikfest appearance in two years. **CONTACT: Nancy Kuhns, 610-923-9152. Aug. 9, 16**

AISCHTAL EXPRESS (*Polkas*). Hoechststadt, Bavaria. Aischtal Express, this year's guest German band at Musikfest, is a talented, six-member group playing original German-style dance music. Led by saxophonist Manfred Bachmeier, the band includes drums, accordion, electric guitar, bass and tuba. Aischtal Express has performed at hundreds of festivals and specialty events in Germany, including Munich's Oktoberfest, and is making its fifth visit to the United States. **Aug. 7-10, 12-16**

AL MEIXNER TRIO (*Polka, International Folk, Euro-Pop*). Laurys Station, PA. This Grammy-winning group performs a wide array of music spanning the globe. The trio has just completed its third national tour and is sure to keep your toes tapping and your hands clapping. Al Meixner, Alex Meixner, Brian Czach. **CONTACT: Al Meixner, 610-261-3881. Aug. 9**

ALEX & DUANE (*Jugglers*). Slatington, PA. In past years, Alex & Duane have performed at Easton's Crayola Festival, Bushkill Park and on the boardwalk in Ocean City, NJ. **CONTACT: Alex Kowalczyk, 610-760-9345. Aug. 10-14**

THE ALLSTONIANS (*Ska, Rocksteady, Reggae*). Allston, MA. The Allstonians formed to play traditional ska music and have become recognized for how well they have done just that. They are eight musicians who honor their hometown

with their name. Solid rhythm and a blaring horn attack define this ska band from New England. **CONTACT: Squad 16, 413-599-1456. Aug. 14**

ANNE HILLS & FRIENDS (*Folk, Acoustic, Original*). Bethlehem, PA. With a dozen recordings and "one of the most glorious voices in all of contemporary folk music," Anne Hills has amassed a strong following all over North America. Recently honored as "Outstanding Female Vocalist" by the Kerrsville Music Foundation, her original songs further causes of social justice, peace and unity. **CONTACT: Artists of Note, 630-557-2742. Aug. 12**

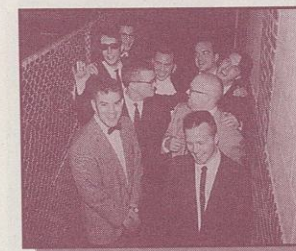
THE ARMADILLOS (*Progressive Alternative*). Allentown, PA. The Armadillos recently represented the Northeast region at "UnVailed," a nationwide search for the best unsigned band. The group performs in New York, Philadelphia and other major cities. Ted Holman, Rod Walls, Brian Koch, Mike Rauscher, Kim Ostrander. **CONTACT: Rod Walls, 610-966-5776. Aug. 10**

ARTISAN (*Folk*). Huddersfield, England. This leading British, contemporary folk, a cappella trio has had the same explosive lineup since its beginning in 1984. The members are writers and finders of astounding songs; songs with humor, fascinating complexity and gorgeous melodies. Hilary Spencer, Jacey Bedbord, Brian Bedford. **Aug. 11**

BAABA SETH (*World Beat*). Charlottesville, VA. Baaba Seth's music combines contemporary, well-crafted rock music with West African rhythms and energy. The group has played with Burning Spear, Jimmy Cliff, The Wailers and many more from around the world. Mike Chang, Hope Clayburn, Tim Lett, Dirk Lind, Mark Maynard, Derek Bond, Jim Ralston, Len Wishart. **CONTACT: East Coast Entertainment, 804-355-2178. Aug. 9**



Al Meixner Trio



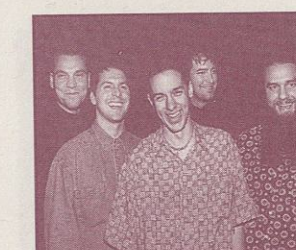
The Allstonians



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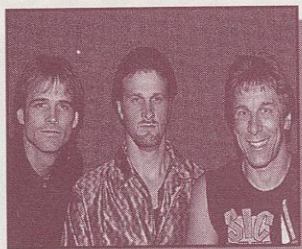


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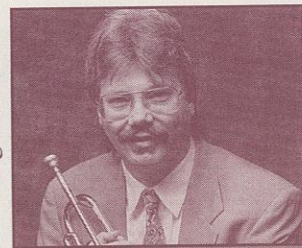
The Ball Joints



Billy McLaughlin Group



Bill Warfield Big Band



Blitz Dynette



Peg Boas



THE BACH CHOIR OF BETHLEHEM (*Classical*). Bethlehem, PA. Celebrating the world-renowned Bach Choir of Bethlehem's 100th birthday, artistic director and conductor Greg Funfgeld has planned a gala evening of some of Bach's most beloved music, including movements from the "Mass in B Minor," "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" and the festive "Third Suite for Orchestra." A highlight is the appearance of soprano Tamara Matthews, who will join principal trumpeter Lawrence Wright in a performance of Cantata 51, "Jauchzet Gott." Don't miss this glorious and profoundly spiritual array of music cherished by music lovers around the globe. **CONTACT: Greg Funfgeld, 610-866-4382. Aug. 8**

BAILANDO DESNUDO (*Afro-Caribbean*). Cincinnati, OH. Bailando Desnudo plays music from the islands of Cuba, Puerto Rico, Jamaica and Trinidad. The concept of the group is to bridge the gap musically across geographic boundaries, trying to show people there's more music than just what's on the radio. After igniting clubs in Ohio and Kentucky, the band now brings its talent to Musikfest. Nick Radina, Brian Andres, Trey Combs, Stan Ginn, Jim McCoy. **CONTACT: Intrepid Artists, Inc., 704-358-4777. Aug. 14, 15**

BAKRA BATA (*World, Folk, Trans-Atlantic*). Seattle, WA. Bakra Bata's distinctly American style has its roots in Caribbean, African, Brazilian and Native American tradition. Touring throughout the United States, the company performs on steel pans and Yoruba drums. The group adds masks, costumes and dance—featuring calypso, reggae and samba—to enhance the West Indian carnival tradition. **CONTACT: World Artists, 770-939-4343. Aug. 9, 10**

BALFA TOUJOURS (*Cajun*). St. Martinsville, LA. Balfa Toujours is a brilliant, young quartet making a name for itself on the Cajun music scene. Christine Balfa sings leads in Cajun on family songs and the band's originals. Dirk Powell's accordion melodies and Kevin Wimmer's passionate cries on the fiddle are complemented by her rhythm guitar. Ganey Arsement plays the upright bass to round out the group, which preserves the character of the music Dewey Balfa championed while replenishing the tradition

with new songs full of emotion, grace and charm. **CONTACT: Under the Hat Productions, 512-447-0544. Aug. 14**

THE BALL JOINTS (*Rock, Blues, Jazz*). Allentown, PA. The Ball Joints avidly proclaim their music as danceable, funky rock/jazz. The music is good, clean fun written with lyrics to please and involve crowds in the shows. In February, the band released its first CD, which received extensive airplay on many college radio stations. **CONTACT: James Strickland, 610-432-3784. Aug. 10**

"BALLOONS" THE CLOWN (*Comedy, Magic*). Easton, PA. "Balloons," who performs over 300 shows a year, is a graduate of the Ringling Brothers Barnum & Bailey Circus Clown College (1977) and was a featured speaker on children's entertainment at the International Fun Expo held in 1995 and '96. In 1996, "Balloons" created the audience-interactive game show, "FIASCO." **CONTACT: Neal Fehnel, 610-253-2835. Aug. 9, 10, 12**

BARBARA PIOTROWSKI & MISS JEANNE'S SCHOOL OF DANCE (*Children's Songs, Contemporary and Standard Music*). Bethlehem, PA. Miss Barbara, owner and artistic director of Miss Jeanne's School of Dance Arts, is a certified dance educator professionally recognized by the Dance Masters of America, Inc. and the Dance Educators of America, Inc. Her students have appeared in Broadway shows, television, movies and in the National Touring Company of "Cats." **CONTACT: Barbara Piotrowski, 610-867-0141. Aug. 8, 10, 12, 15**

BASIC'LY BRASS QUINTET (*Classic, Contemporary*). Reading, PA. The quintet performs a lively and well-paced assortment of classic and contemporary works. In 1990, it was among the top three winners in the New York International Brass Quintet Competition in New York City. **CONTACT: Tim Erdman, 610-670-2729. Aug. 9, 11**

BILL WARFIELD BIG BAND (*Big Band*). New York, NY. Bill Warfield is an internationally-acclaimed trumpeter, recording artist and composer. He has performed with Dave Leibman, Randy Brecker, Ornette Coleman, Mel Lewis

and Mel Torme. His most recent recordings are *The City Never Sleeps*, *New York City Jazz* and *Nomad*. Warfield currently teaches at Lehigh University and is the musical director of the Lehigh Valley Jazz Repertory Orchestra. **CONTACT: Bill Warfield, 610-758-5192. Aug. 10**

BILLY MCLAUGHLIN GROUP (*Acoustic, New Age, Jazz*). Minneapolis, MN. Spearheaded by one of the most innovative acoustic guitarists today, the Billy McLaughlin Group brings together a group of talented solo musicians in a blend of jazz, pop, world beat and soul that speaks to audiences of all ages and backgrounds. McLaughlin is a virtuoso on guitar and continues to push beyond all boundaries and labels in the music industry. For more information, see Billy McLaughlin. **CONTACT: Leslie Mock, 800-426-8316. Aug. 8, 9**

BLITZ DYNETTE (*Soul, R&B*). Carlisle, PA. Blitz Dynette is an eight-piece pop/soul band consisting of musicians with varied backgrounds and influences. This diversity has spawned a unique musical style which is evident in the band's first two releases. Its second release, *The World Walks On By*, was voted "Best Local Album of 1997" by the Harrisburg Patriot-News. AOR Basement, a British Internet magazine, writes singer "Amy Simpson's vocal are superb—damn sassy in fact." **CONTACT: Blitz Dynette, 717-249-6325. Aug. 10**

BLUE VALLEY QUARTET (*Barbershop, Gospel*). Easton, PA. This foursome of experienced singers brings together a unique combination of four-part barbershop quartet harmony and gospel music. Formally organized three years ago, it has performed throughout eastern Pennsylvania for civic groups and private audiences. Jim Hvidding, Carl Roberts, Bob Lakey, George Steward. **CONTACT: George Steward, 610-865-6404. Aug. 8, 11**

PEG BOAS (*Blues, Funk, Rock*). Philadelphia, PA. Peg Boas is an immovable force. Her eclectic blend of jazz, blues, rock and funk is meant to infect and affect. She is the queen of pop soup. Her experiences include work as backup vocalist for international artists, television and radio jingles, and bit parts in musicals, film and

television. **CONTACT: Christopher German, 610-253-5535. Aug. 7**

JIM BRICKMAN (*Adult Contemporary*). Los Angeles, CA. Pianist Jim Brickman is one of the fastest rising stars in the world of adult contemporary music. In 1997, he had two huge hits, "The Gift" with Collin Raye and Susan Ashton and "Valentine" with Martina McBride, both demonstrating that romance is back. Brickman is currently touring the United States and writing songs for his next album. **Aug. 13**

BRIGHT HOPE BAPTIST CELESTIAL CHOIR (*Sacred, Spiritual, Choral*). Philadelphia, PA. J. Donald Dumpson heads this dynamic group of 45 gospel vocalists from Philadelphia. The Celestial Choir's spirited and infectious performances invigorate the soul. Dumpson has taken the group from the church sanctuary to television and Broadway. This amazing choir has taken the stage with performers such as Patti Labelle, Boyz II Men, Pointer Sisters, Sandi Duncan and Grover Washington, Jr. It has also performed originally composed music for the likes of President Jimmy Carter and Nelson Mandela. **Aug. 14**

BROTHER (*Rock, Celtic, World*). Australia. Incorporating ethnic instruments like the didgeridoo and bagpipes into their band, frontmen Hamish and Angus have achieved a mix of world beat and mainstream rock/pop that has given Brother incredible regional strongholds across the United States. The band has notched up credits which include a song on the soundtrack for the movie "Baraka" and an appearance on the award-winning television series "ER," defining them as one of the most sought after talents in the world. Hamish, Angus, Brian Spawn, Steve Luxemburg. **CONTACT: Emily Richardson, 818-843-8752. Aug. 8, 9**

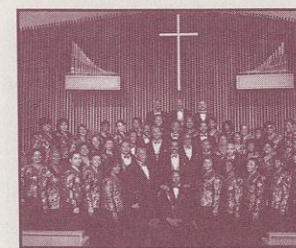
BROTHERS IN GRACE (*Southern Gospel, Traditional*). Hershey, PA. Brothers in Grace is a gospel quartet that focuses its style and influence on southern gospel. Traditional and a cappella selections round out its repertoire. The quartet just released its first album, *Just a Little Talk*. **CONTACT: John Rowe, 717-671-9413. Aug. 13**

BROWNSTONE PUPPET THEATRE (*Family*). Coopersburg, PA. With

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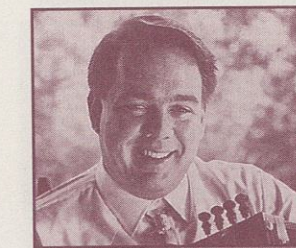
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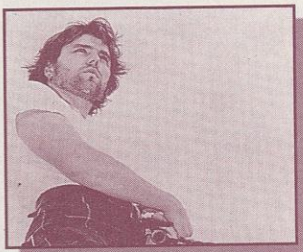
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BRUCE DAIGREPONT CAJUN BAND (*Cajun, Zydeco*). New Orleans, LA. Bruce Daigrepont is one of the most important new stylists in Cajun music today. He is writing French language songs destined to be standards and has received numerous awards from the Cajun French Music Association for his recordings "Stir Up The Roux," "Cover Des Cajuns" and "Petit Cadeau." **CONTACT:** Bruce Daigrepont, 504-835-5196. *Aug. 10, 11*

BUR (*Celtic Rock*). Kansas City, MO. Virtuoso piper and multi-instrumentalist BUR is best known as a founding member of the Celtic rock band Brother. His recent solo project offers a new take on the familiar Celtic backdrop, with a five-piece band blending bagpipes, strings, mandolin, whistle, guitar, bass and drums. **CONTACT:** Gwendolyn Goodloe, 913-385-1096. *Aug. 12*

THE CANAL STREET JAZZ BAND (*Dixieland, Jazz*). Southcentral Pennsylvania. The Canal Street Jazz Band is one the most recognized Dixieland jazz groups on the East Coast. It has performed for Pennsylvania Governor Tom Ridge multiple times and is currently preparing for the release of its first CD. **CONTACT:** Dave Wilson, 717-581-0153. *Aug. 10, 13*

CARL STORY'S RAMBLING MOUNTAINEERS (*Bluegrass, Bluegrass Gospel*). Greer, SC. Carl Story, the father of bluegrass gospel music, performed for over 60 years in the bluegrass music industry. After his passing in 1995, his wife, Helen, carried on the tradition of his music with the Rambling Mountaineers. The band has done so in fine fashion, delivering talented and high-energy performances. Danny Arms, Mike Crowder, Jerry Sanders, Joel Lowery. **CONTACT:** Helen Story, 864-877-7210. *Aug. 8*

CARREG LAFAR (*Traditional Welsh*). Wales, England. Carreg Lafar was formed in 1993 in Cardiff, Wales, and released its first album, *Ysbryd y Werin*, in 1995. The group's passionate and lively performances generate a great response from audiences and have revitalized many people's views of Welsh music. Through a mixture of traditional and traditionally-inspired original music, the group conveys a fresh and vibrant spirit while remaining firmly rooted in the language and musical heritage of its homeland. **CONTACT:** Nancy Carlin Associates, 510-372-4260. *Aug. 9*

CELIA CRUZ "THE QUEEN OF SALSA" & JOSE ALBERTO "EL CANARIO" (*Salsa, Merengue*). Please see biography on page 21. *Aug. 8*

CELLO (*Classical, Jazz*). New York, NY. Founded in 1988, this quartet of cellists performs an eclectic yet accessible repertoire, ranging from contemporary works to well-known classical and jazz arrangements, and has forged a unique place for itself in today's concert world. CELLO has performed shows at Carnegie Hall and in the Great Performer's Series at Lincoln Center. *Aug. 9*

TOM CHAPIN (*Acoustic, Folk*). Dobbs Ferry, NY. Tom Chapin is a gifted entertainer who charms audiences. Billboard Magazine calls him "one of those natural-born entertainers who, with nothing more than a guitar in hand, can totally captivate." Chapin's adult music is sparked by strong, intelligent songwriting with clear, engaging vocals that enlighten the musically-spirited. *Aug. 8*

RAY CHARLES (*Jazz, Blues, R&B*). Please see biography on page 25. *Aug. 10*

CHARLIE HUNTER & POUND FOR POUND (*Jazz*). Brooklyn, NY. Charlie Hunter, a seminal figure on the San Francisco Bay area's nu-jazz scene in the early 1990s, burst onto the national jazz circuit in 1993 with his CD, *Charlie Hunter Trio*. On his latest release, *The Return of the Candyman*, the brilliant, eight-string guitarist launches into yet another direction with a unique combination of instrumentation and a baker's dozen worth of new tunes. *Aug. 13*

CHERYL CHICKEY'S ALL AMERICAN PERFORMING ARTS CENTER (*Children's Dances*). Bethlehem, PA. Cheryl Chickey has a diversified background in baton twirling and dance. Using her choreography experience and creativity, she is enthusiastic about teaching the proper dance, baton twirling and gymnastics techniques for the best interest of children. **CONTACT:** Cheryl Chickey, 610-865-0145. *Aug. 9, 11, 13, 16*

CHRIS JONES AND THE NIGHT DRIVERS (*Bluegrass, Acoustic Country*). Nashville, TN. Chris Jones is a veteran of the bluegrass circuit and has toured with The Lynn Morris Band, Weary Hearts, The McCarters and many others. Formed in 1995, The Night Drivers emphasize original vocals and instrumentals with a subtle approach to bluegrass music. **CONTACT:** Art Menius, 919-542-3997. *Aug. 8*

CHURCH ON THE MOVE (*Contemporary Christian, Gospel*). Allentown, PA. Church on the Move's music crosses the borders of age and culture. Its exciting and free style of music is engaging. The acoustic mix of compelling ballads is refreshing, and the music audiences will hear ranges from an electric style blazing with passion to an energetic, soulful gospel sound. **CONTACT:** Maribel Landis, 610-434-3117. *Aug. 13*

CLARENCE THE CLOWN (*Magic, Clowning*). Bethlehem, PA. Clarence has been delighting audiences in the Northeast for over 15 years. His special blend of magic, clowning and balloons not only draws his audiences into his performances, but it also allows them to participate as well. **CONTACT:** Bruce J. Ward, 610-262-9772. *Aug. 8, 13, 16*

CLYDE BARROW & THE LEGENDARY BARBUSTERS (*Oldies, Rock, Party Music*). Broomall, PA. Clyde Barrow and the Legendary Barbusters are noted for long sets and inspired performances. The group is enjoying a tremendous resurgence of popularity in the '90s as its performances excite and thrill audiences of all ages. Clyde Barrow, Mike Bontempo, Dave D'Angelo, Brad Stanton. **CONTACT:** Frank Kield 610-325-4540. *Aug. 8*

COLORBLIND (*Alternative Rock*). West Chester, PA. Colorblind, which was formed in 1997, is an original band that puts life into music. Derek Smith's rough-edged guitar and powerful vocals, Tim Lang and Stu McKee's hard-driving rhythm section and Blake Wingfield's melodic guitar create the band's sound. **CONTACT:** Derek Smith, 610-935-1641. *Aug. 11*

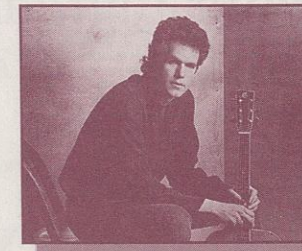
COMEDY MAGIC OF JOSEPH KEPPEL (*Comedy, Magic*). Bethlehem, PA. Joseph Keppel has performed in over 30 countries with his comedy magic. Each year, he performs his educational programs on reading at over 100 schools, and he has been the house magician at the Spring Valley Inn since 1972. **CONTACT:** Joseph Keppel, 610-866-4511. *Aug. 8, 11, 15, 16*

CONNIE'S BRIGADE (*Adult Contemporary, Rock, Top 40*). Lehigh Valley, PA. Connie's Brigade, which is appearing in its first Musikfest, has released a self-titled debut CD and is looking to take on the Lehigh Valley and the world. Connie Edinger, Michael Mindler, Dan Lacy, Rick Callahan. *Aug. 12*

CONTINENTAL DIVIDE (*Country, Bluegrass*). Nashville, TN. Continental Divide combines traditionally-based vocal and instrumental skills with years of experience to create a smooth and consistent bluegrass sound. Years of schooling and creative work have enabled the group to render musically and emotionally complex choruses to perfection. **CONTACT:** Scott Vestal, 615-824-4399. *Aug. 9-11*

CRAIG THATCHER BAND featuring MARY HAWKINS-BEAN (*Blues, Rock, Jazz*). Coopersburg, PA. Since the Craig Thatcher Band formed in 1993, Craig Thatcher has often been compared to Eric Clapton. The band, whose music ranges from a blistering, electric blues style to a light acoustic mix, recently released its first CD, *Because Of You*. Mary Hawkins-Bean, Wayne Leonard, Billy Wear, Dan McKinney, Craig Thatcher. **CONTACT:** Craig Thatcher, 610-282-3815. *Aug. 16*

DAISY JUG BAND (*Bluegrass, Country, Rock*). Bucks County, PA. This is Daisy Jug's 10th appearance at Musikfest. The band's career highlights include playing for Philadelphia Flyers home games and entertaining baseball fans on opening day

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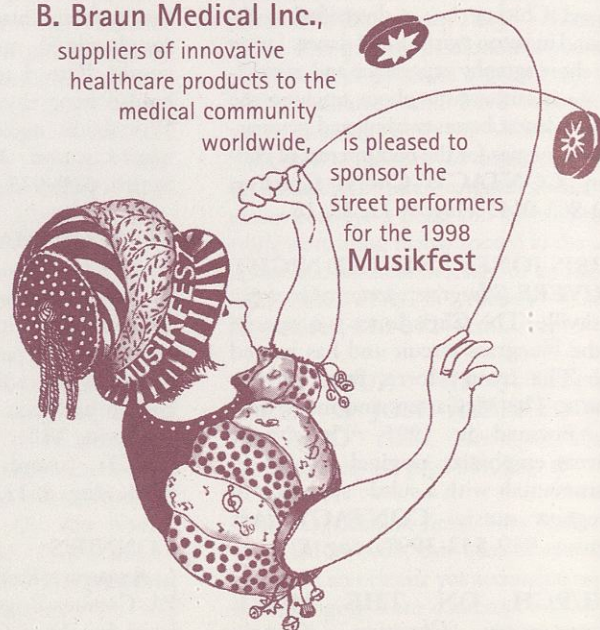
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at Camden Yards, as well as at the 1993 All-Star Game. Paul Aussicker, Greg Fickner, Richard Gerlach, Vic Paul, Ed Stoloski, Joseph Wayne. **CONTACT: Vic Paul, 888-DJB-9094. Aug. 9**

DANA (*Children's*). North Bergen, NJ. CHILD Magazine calls dana's energy and enthusiasm "contagious" and featured her latest recording, *dana's Best Sing & Swing-A-Long Tunes*, as one of the "Best of 1997." Dana's hit recordings have won numerous national awards (including four National Parenting Publications GOLD Awards), and children across America have been cheering for this upbeat and dynamic entertainer. **CONTACT: Real Music for Kidz, 201-861-6698. Aug. 11**

ANTHONY DE MARE (*Classical*). New York, NY. Pianist Anthony de Mare, who is recognized throughout the world as a leading exponent of 20th century music, has been described as "fascinating, compelling, incredibly articulate, humorous, compassionate and alive" (The Maui News). His dedication to the music of our time has led him to create programs illuminating the spectrum of musical thought in the 20th century which are noted for their unique ability to communicate to a broad range of audiences. De Mare's career has been highlighted by such honors as a first prize at the International Gaudeamus Interpreters Competition in the Netherlands and a first prize at the International Competition of Contemporary Piano Music in France. **CONTACT: Bernstein Artists, Inc. 718-638-0041. Aug. 11**

DEANNA BOGART BAND (*Blues, Jazz, Pop*). Washington, D.C. Deanna Bogart received four Wammies (Washington Area Music Awards) in 1998 for Best Blues Artist and Best Recording in both the blues and rhythm and blues categories. She has become a favorite on the West Coast Blues Festival circuit and has found a second home in the Lehigh Valley after appearing at three Musikfests. **CONTACT: Mike Marucci, 410-626-1475. Aug. 14**

DIE SCHLAUBERGER (*Traditional, Modern, Alpen Rock*). Queens, NY. Since die Schlauberger's inception in 1990, it has released two recordings-an original song for the 1994 World Cup Soccer tournament held in the United States and

its current release, *Play It Loud*. Known for its creative and modern alpine style, it has played throughout the United States at such notable events as the Hunter Mountain German Alps Festival, Steuben Day Parade and the Bavarian Manor Alps Festival. **CONTACT: Schlauberger Mmanagement, 718-821-7290. Aug. 15**

DION KNIBB & THE AGITATORS (*Ska*). Boston, MA. Dion Knibb & The Agitators have been hailed as "perhaps the most promising and exciting" new ska band in Boston, featuring one of the most impressive vocalists anywhere. You can count on a solid groove as The Agitators move easily from traditional-style ska to rock-steady rockers and modern reggae, combining them all to create their own unique sound. In addition to headlining, they have appeared with acts as diverse as Bim Skala Bim, Burning Spear, Toots & the Maytals and Skavooie & the Epitones. The Agitators have also appeared as a backing band for classic Jamaican singers, including Ken Boothe, Hopston Lewis and Phyllis Dillon. **CONTACT: Agent 0007, 781-259-0007. Aug. 9**

DIXIE CHICKS (*Country*). Dallas, TX. The Dixie Chicks features a front line of three young women singing three-part harmonies and tearing it up on the fiddle, dobro, mandolin, banjo and guitar. Natalie Maines and sisters Martie Seidel and Emily Erwin play straight-down-the-road country packed into a contemporary style, rich with spirit, emotion and enthusiasm. The band, which has been together for nine years, recently released *Wide Open Spaces*, its major-label debut under Sony's Monument Records. The Chicks have also opened for acts such as Garth Brooks and Loretta Lynn. **Aug. 9**

DOLITTLE THE CLOWN (*Stiltwalker*). Maplewood, NJ. David Lind, a former Ringling Brothers clown, has been entertaining professionally since 1986. A performer at Disneyland, Knott's Camp Snoopy, festivals and corporate events, Lind's stiltwalking skills, quick-wit and "high-level" antics make him a must-see act. **CONTACT: Antics, Balloons & Clowns! 973-762-4404. Aug. 8, 16**

DR. FLORENTINE AND THE MIRACLE CURE (*Folk, Bluegrass, Gospel*). Wescosville, PA. This local trio



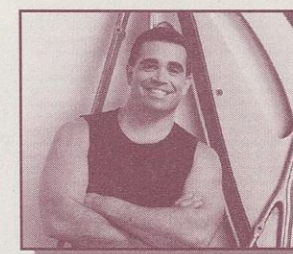
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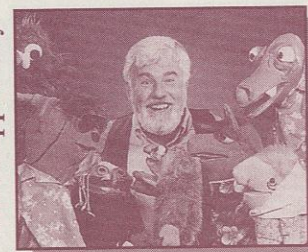
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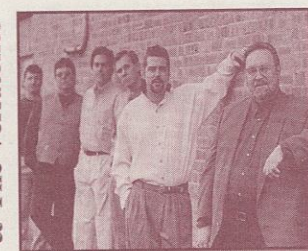
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Eddie Blazonczyk
& The Versatones



Eddie From Ohio



has been serving up an eclectic mix of folk, bluegrass, Celtic and gospel styles throughout the Lehigh Valley for the past five years. Featuring hammer dulcimer, mandolin and banjo, this group has appeared at First Night '97, Christkindlmarkt '97 and Musikfest '97. Tom Horn, Bob Rentler, Russ Rentler. **CONTACT: Russ Rentler, 610-366-8859. Aug. 13**

DOUBLE SHOT (Motown, '50s/'60s, Disco). Cherry Hill, NJ. Double Shot is an exciting four-piece band that excels at performing the music of the '50s and '60s, and Motown and Disco. The band has appeared at Caesars, Taj Mahal and Trump Plaza and Castle in Atlantic City, as well as many Catskills and Poconos resorts. **CONTACT: Mike Dano, 609-962-6000. Aug. 11**

DROP THUD OOPS (Funky Jazz Rock). Sussex County, NJ. Hailing from northwest New Jersey, this trio delivers a diverse mixture of rock, funk and bluesy jazz. Since its debut in 1994, it has continued to build a dedicated following. After years of performing an original mix of groove, the band is finally set to release its first CD. Mike Lawlor, Ryan Kreegar, Mike Vantine. **CONTACT: A & S Services, 973-579-1678. Aug. 10**

DUKE THAT PUPPET GUY (Puppet Shows). Williams Township, PA. Duke, who was introduced at the University of West Virginia last year as "An American treasure," has been performing his unique brand of puppetry for 22 years and has entertained audiences from Canada to Key West. Students from kindergarten through college enjoy his stories and love his characters. **CONTACT: Duke Kraus, 610-252-1916. Aug. 14**

EDDIE BLAZONCZYK & THE VERSATONES (Polka). Bridgeview, IL. In 1963 Eddie Blazonczyk's Versatones recorded their first album, *Polka Parade*, on the Bel-Aire record label. Over the past 34 years, this Grammy Award-winning group has become known for its modern blend of polka originals, covers and standards that have pleased people at over 5,200 appearances. The Versatones have recorded over 50 albums and received over 125 awards from various organizations. **CONTACT: Eddie Blazonczyk, Jr., 708-594-5182. Aug. 10, 11**

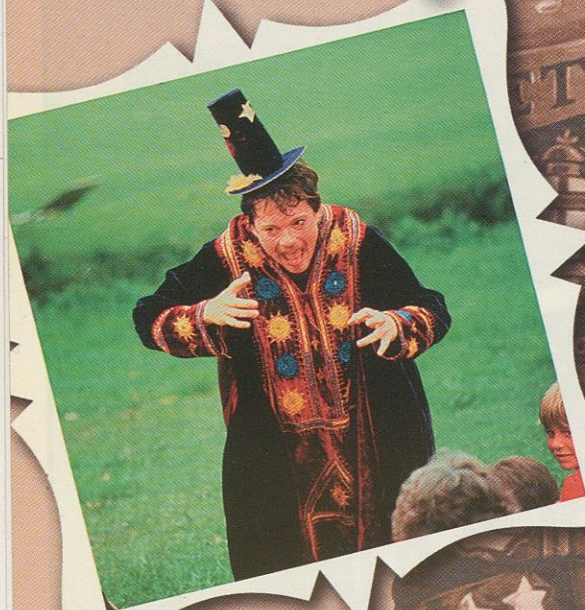
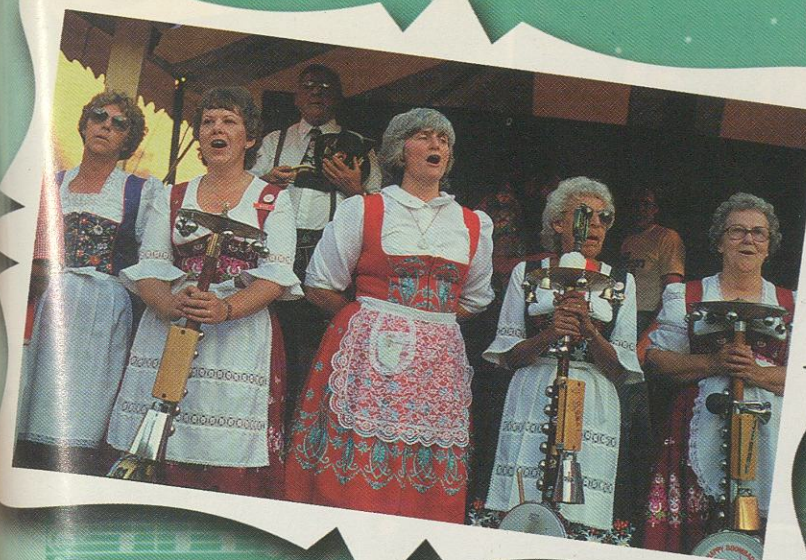
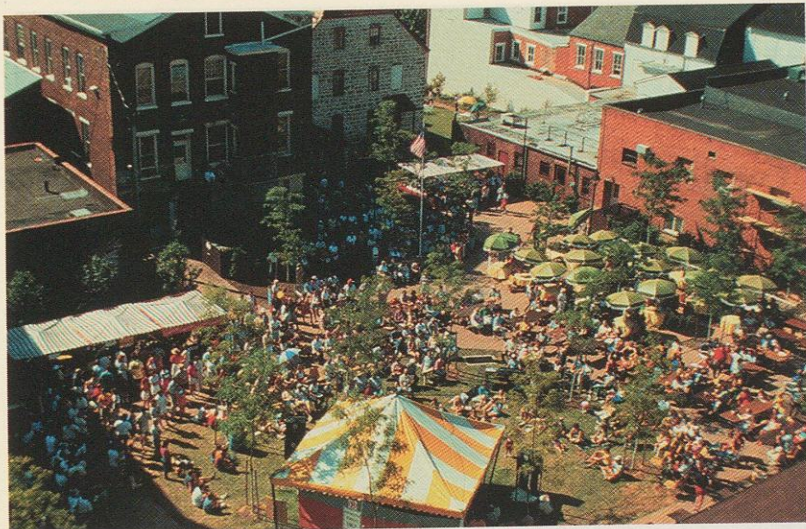
EDDIE FROM OHIO (Folk). McLean, VA. Since 1991, Eddie from Ohio has grown from a local, part-time acoustic bar band to a full-time touring act, playing over 200 dates a year. The band has shared the stage with acts as diverse as its own sound—a list that includes Collective Soul, Emmylou Harris, The Radiators, Roseanne Cash and Los Lobos. Its grass-roots style of performing and marketing continues to make it one of the most successful acts in the mid-Atlantic region. **CONTACT: Fleming, Tamulevich & Associates, 734-995-9066. Aug. 12**

ELECTRIC FARM (Folk, Rock, Alternative). Lehigh Valley, PA. The Electric Farm won WZZO-FM's Backyard Band competition in 1995 and was chosen by WXPB-FM's music director as a top Philadelphia Club Band in 1996. Its CD *Six* has received wide critical praise and the band is currently supporting its first full-length release. **CONTACT: Nick Francik, 610-845-7188. Aug. 16**

TINSLEY ELLIS (Blues, Rock 'n' Roll). Atlanta, GA. Tinsley Ellis describes himself as a rock 'n' roller who plays the blues. His guitar style encompasses his love of Otis Rush, Freddie King and the British blues of John Mayall and early Fleetwood Mac, but it also incorporates the blues rock of Eric Clapton and the Allman Brothers. Ellis has made five solo albums, including the critically acclaimed *Storm Warning* in 1994, and has performed in all 50 states and around the globe. **CONTACT: Intrepid Artists, Inc., 704-358-4777. Aug. 11**

THE FABULOUS GREASEBAND ('50s-'80s Rock 'n' Roll). Please see biography on page 19. **Aug. 7**

FALSTAFF (Alternative, Pop, Rock). Virginia Beach, VA. Falstaff, which is known for its honest songwriting and rich harmonies, was formed in 1995 and quickly gained local and regional acceptance. The band's sophomore effort, *Streetcar Giant*, was recorded in Los Angeles and received rave reviews from the music community. As it continues to spread out nationwide, Falstaff proves to be a band with staying power in the industry. Chris Bergren, Martha Roebuck, Greg Wickle, Jon Best, Kenny Stamey. **CONTACT: Martha Roebuck, 757-422-2907. Aug. 8, 9**



Each August, the sun beats down on Bethlehem, bathing historic Main Street in light and warmth as it has for more than two and a half centuries. And ever since 1984, music fills the air. The slightest shift in the breeze brings a new aroma of tempting food from around the globe. For nine days, hundreds of performers play, sing and dance their hearts out for thousands of adoring listeners.

Listeners enjoying most shows for free.

For 15 years now, Musikfest has enveloped downtown Bethlehem with a unique feeling of anticipation and excitement. An explosion of sound and color... music and mirth... friends and laughter. From a modest five original sites, the festival now boasts 14 stages and six indoor venues. The 1998 festival will present over 650 free performances. And well over one million people will take it all in, without paying admission. This year's stellar Kunstplatz line-up includes Ray Charles, Wayne Newton, The Village People, and the Indigo Girls, each showcased by new video screens and a raised stage.

Yet even with all that star-power, Musikfest offers something for everyone, especially families. "That was our paramount intention: to make all members of the family and the community feel welcome," says Jeffrey Parks, the Bethlehem native who first dreamed up the concept on quiet downtown strolls with his dog.

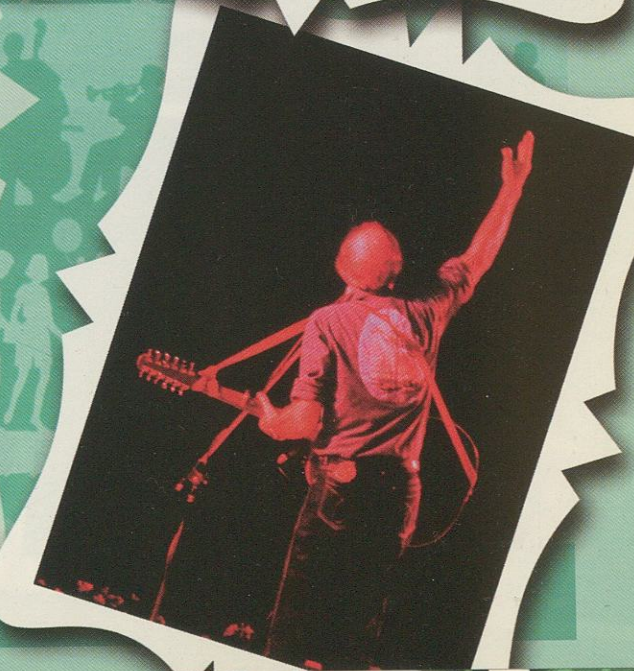
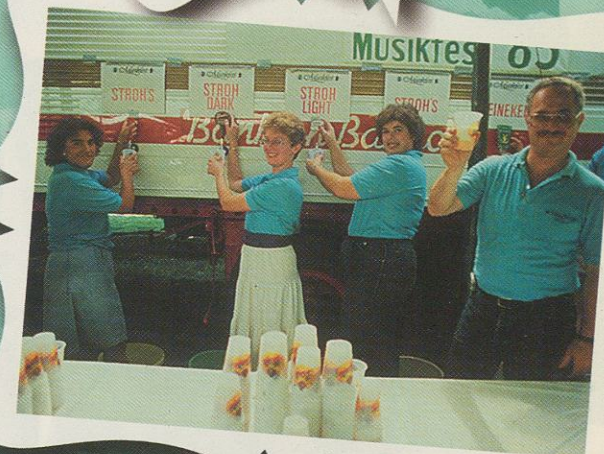
Parks saw an intriguing combination: a celebration from a century ago, in today's town, infused with eclectic music. Downtown Bethlehem was ideal: open enough to facilitate pedestrian and vehicular traffic, yet cozy enough to retain the warmth and intimacy that would come to define Musikfest.

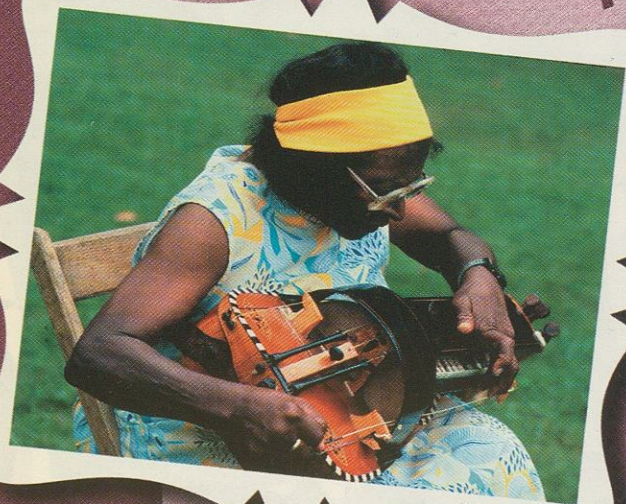
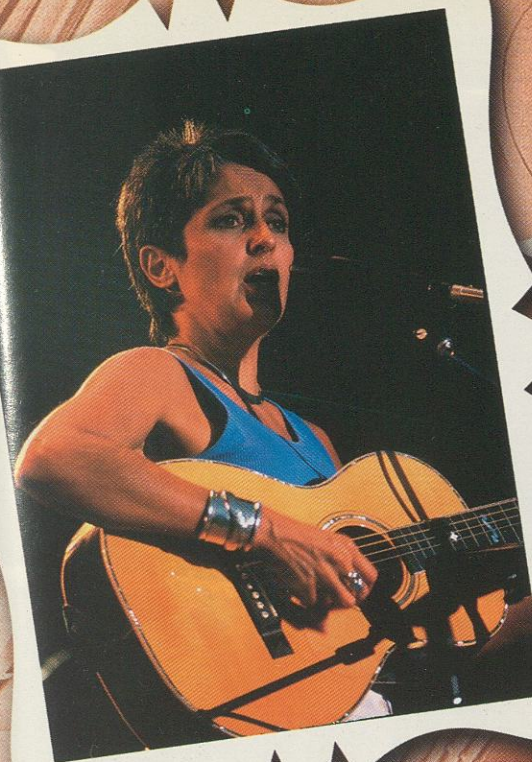
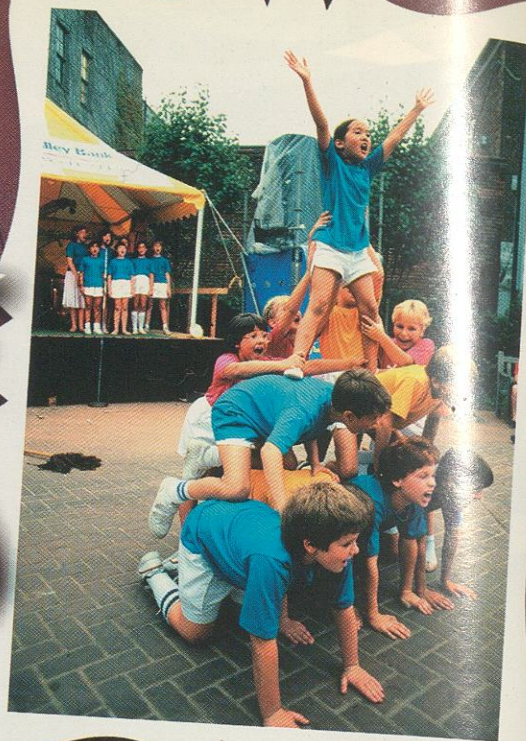
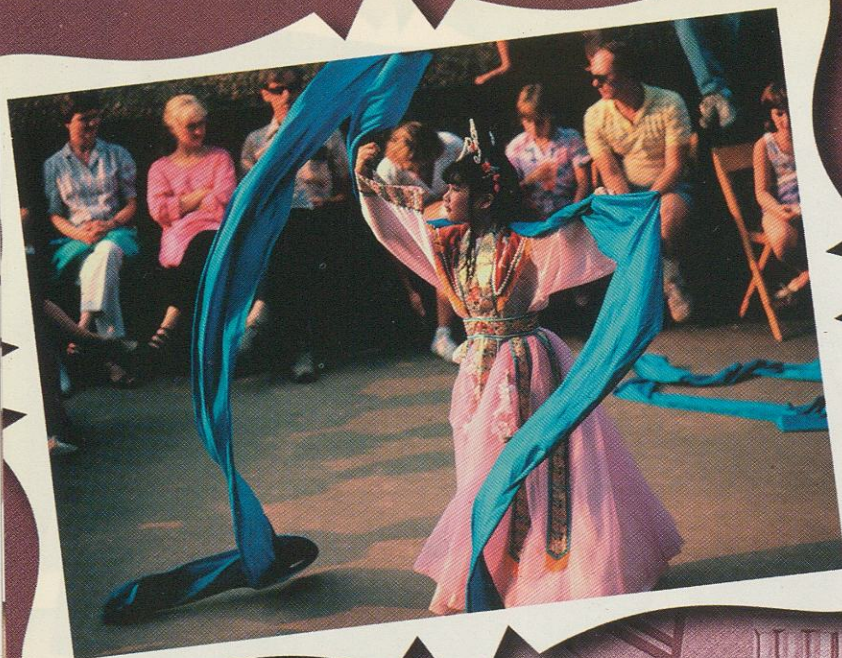
Another element that shaped Musikfest was the bleak economic climate in which it was born. Local layoffs were up. Sales with downtown merchants were dreary. A dismal steel-based economy persisted on Bethlehem's South Side. Musikfest was a breath of fresh air, a fun challenge that the demoralized community could rally behind.

Pitching his vision for the first festival was tough, Parks concedes. "It was hard to sell. It's easy after you have a track record. But we believed in the community as much as the concept."

His vision was the start of something magical, something that would energize a community and take on a life of its own. "People were unbelievably willing to help. It was a real slapdash deal, but it all came together," he says.

The annual reality that is Musikfest is the culmination of endless hours of dedication by festival staff, performers, volunteers, vendors and sponsors, all working together to please enthusiastic festival audiences. Each group plays an irreplaceable role in the success that spells Musikfest.





Over the past 15 years, Bethlehem Musikfest Association (BMA), which presents the festival, has expanded its annual calendar of events to include Christkindlmarkt, a celebration of handcrafts and community spirit that takes place over three weeks in the winter. The January 1998 relocation of BMA to the South Side's Banana Factory marks a new era in the organization's history. Here, then, is a nostalgic glance back through the eyes of veteran festival participants, as well as a look toward the future, as portrayed by the man who first heard music in the wind.

Gimme A Beat

That initial and even surprising success was largely the result of the tireless efforts of a trio of individuals: Park Marlene Gilley, a Macungie resident with long and varied volunteer experience, and Roland Kushner, a university professor and an area consultant for nonprofit and performing arts groups who signed on as festival coordinator. Backed by more than 800 eager volunteers, and a relatively skimpy \$350,000 budget donated by gutsy sponsors, the festival of 1984 "was a leap of faith," says Gilley.

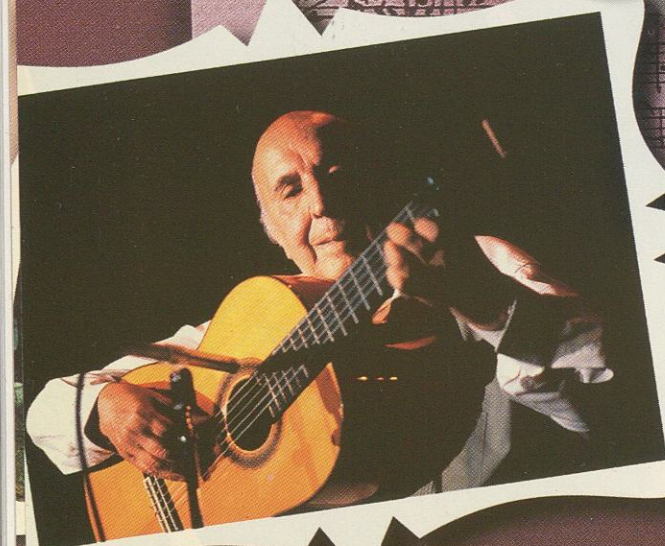
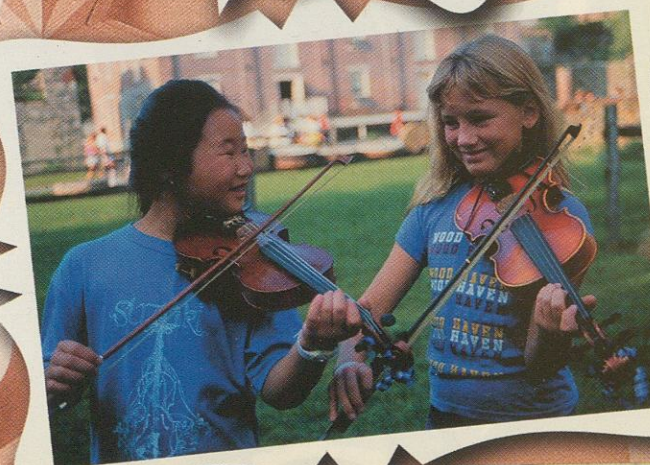
"I got involved by calling Roland," she says. "Because my son is a jazz musician, I knew the local scene and wanted to serve as a resource. We often worked till midnight or 2 a.m., insane hours, recruiting and organizing volunteers, booking performers and selling ads to sponsors." Gilley speaks with obvious

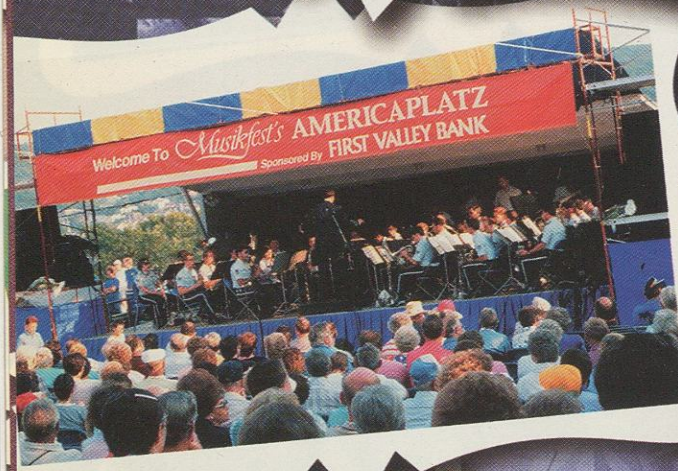
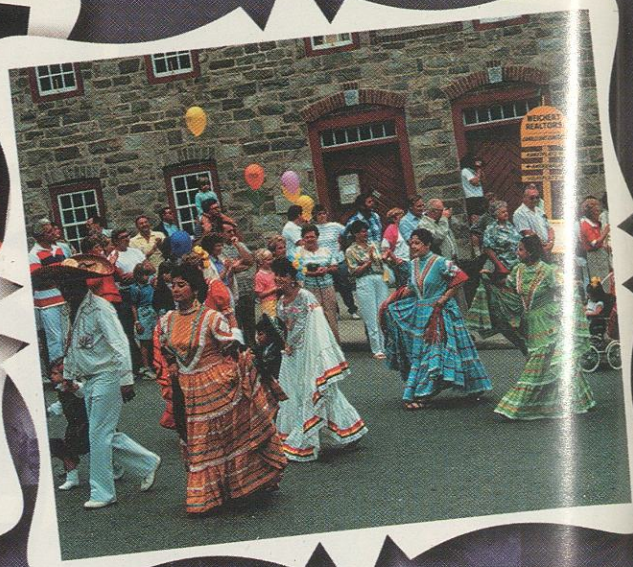
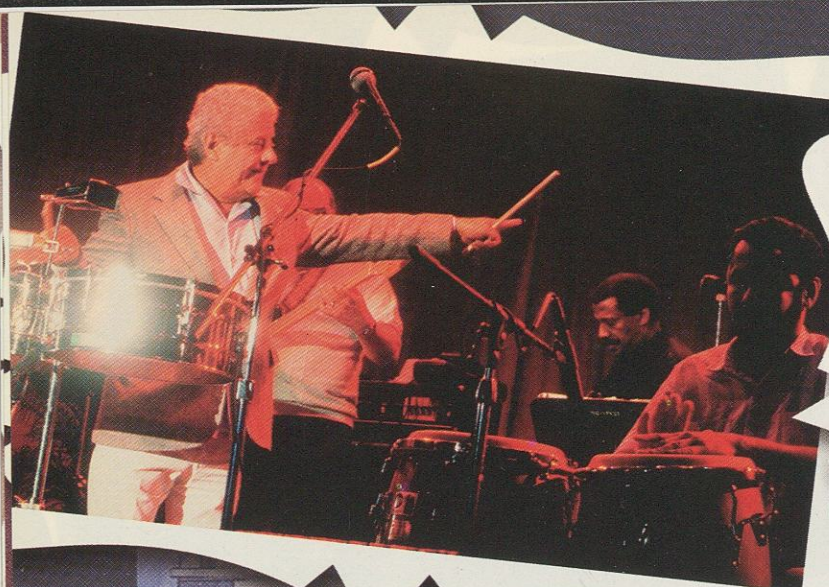
pride of the synergy of this leadership triangle. "Everything that was a first was mine or mine and Roland's. With Jeff, we consulted and answered to each other. We had one focus—the festival. We hand-held every operation carefully and lovingly."

Another longtime volunteer, Ruth Paul, has been balancing Musikfest books each festival except the first. "They said three to four hours a week, and I fell for it. I've never done a three-hour week here! We were organized in one office on Main Street, with storage in the back. We counted tickets in the board room. The police who guarded vendor tickets camped out by my desk. We paid performers with handwritten checks, and counted vendor tickets by hand."

"I felt strongly that live music in the field of performing arts is a wonderful cultural experience," says Mary Pongraz, site supervisor at Volksplatz for each of the fifteen festivals. "There are almost 50 ethnic groups living on the South Side of Bethlehem. I felt Musikfest was a super opportunity for youngsters to hear the music their grandparents listened to. Without it, kids across the Lehigh Valley wouldn't have a chance to see live music with real, not electronic, instruments," adds the former teacher of 31 years.

"Enough credit is not given to the Lehigh Valley as a concentrated area of musical, visual and performing artists. The existence of the Bach Choir, a long-standing Bethlehem tradition, and Godfrey Daniels, the South Side's





live music coffee house, are proof of the pre-existing culture that made Musikfest possible," says Parks.

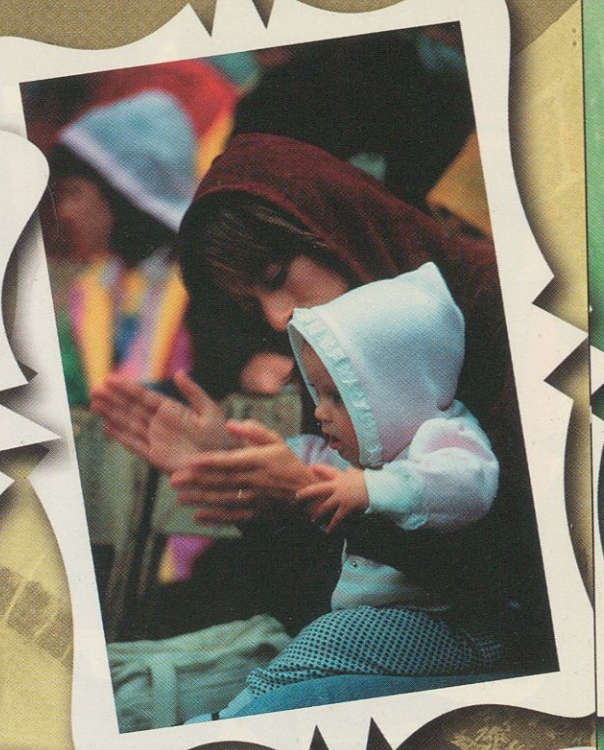
"The seeds for the festival couldn't have been planted in better turf," agrees Gilley. That first year, 182,000 visitors enjoyed over 300 free musical performances in nine days of crystal clear weather. "It was like Camelot. We could do no wrong!" she says.

It's Always the Music

Along with the festival's growth has come the inevitable addition of staff, standardization of procedures and adoption of a sturdier structure to support beefier budgets, bigger audiences and brighter stars. Stars like Little River Band, Chuck Mangione, Little Richard, Aaron Neville, Patti LaBelle and Temptations have all graced Musikfest stages.

Immediately after the festival, Gilley went from volunteer to paid staff. As the festival grew and logistical details changed, so did her titles: administrative assistant, Souvenir Program Book editor, volunteer coordinator. After a shining and enthusiastic tenure, she left the festival in 1988.

Over time, counting vendor tickets by hand was replaced by bulk weighing them. Computers appeared in the office. And in 1991, the Musikfest staff left its tiny Main Street nest and settled in spacious new digs at Bethlehem Plaza, complete

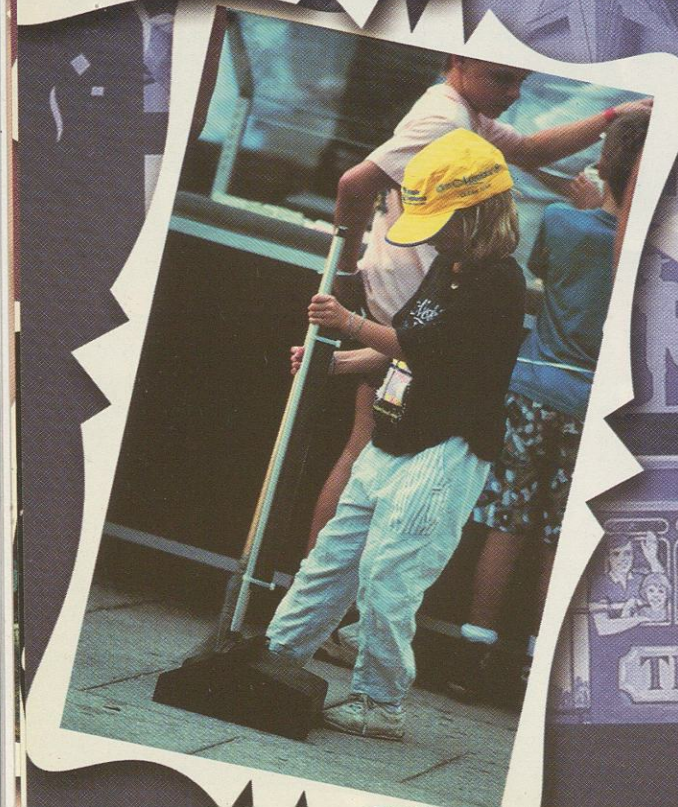
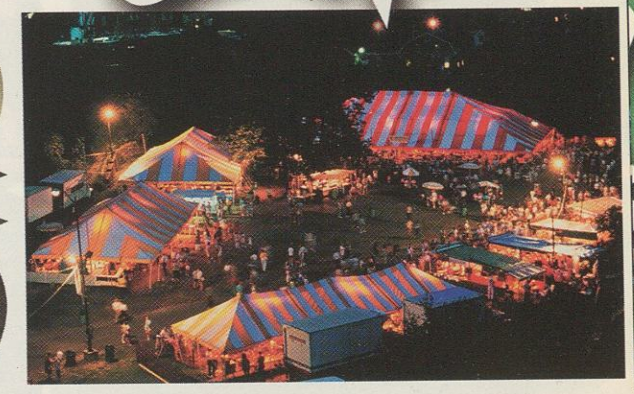


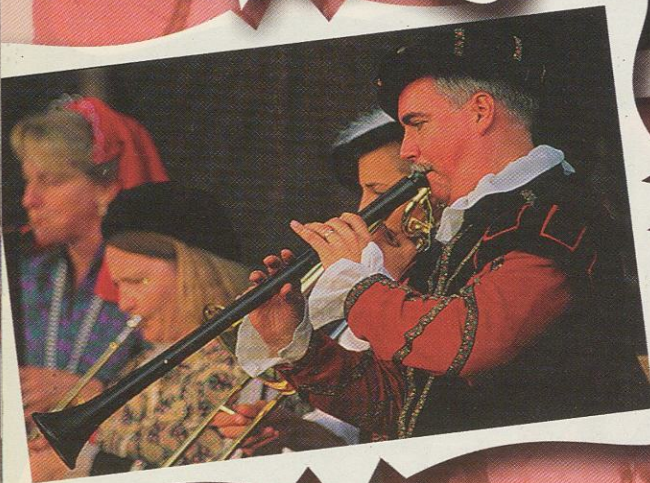
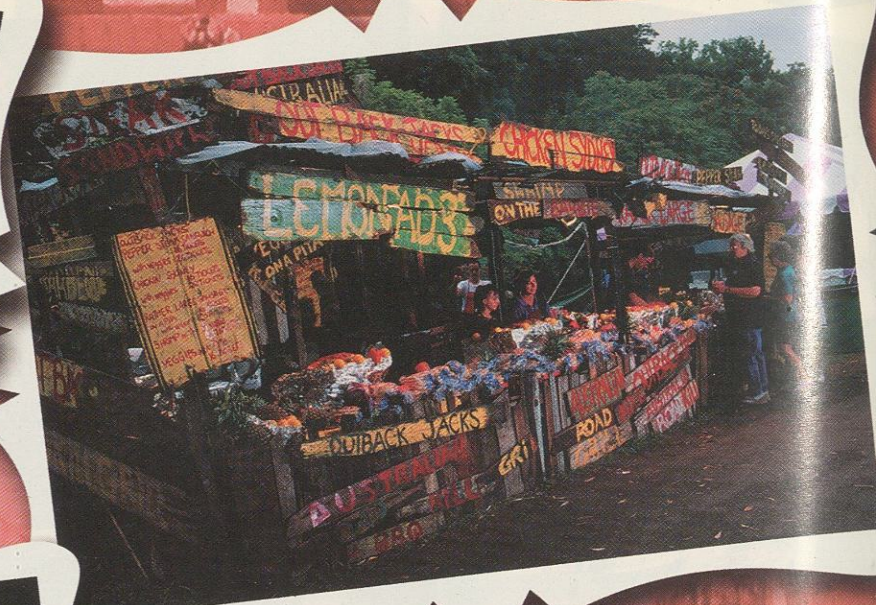
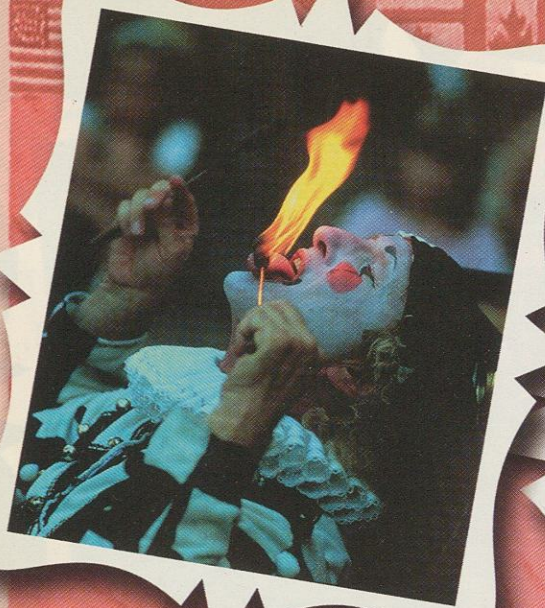
with a storefront window brimming with festival souvenirs. Through each festival, visitors danced to the authentic German Band, bounced through the Chicken Dance and sampled unique new foods, including buffalo and ostrich. And the excitement never lagged.

Nine-year veteran Doris Mack, who came on board in 1987 as the program director, remembers the race to book quality performers: "Frantic—pretty crazy!" she says with a laugh. "It was a minor miracle to meet the April 1st deadline for booking. We really scrambled."

"What might surprise people are the personal crises that prevent a performer or band from doing the gig. People get sick, planes get delayed. Once a drummer got into a car accident. He wasn't hurt, but he couldn't get here in time. Replacing people in a hurry is a real challenge. Usually a band can substitute a single member. When worst came to worst, I'd grab a couple street performers and put them on stage," says Mack. "There's a wonderful sense of satisfaction when it all comes together."

One early performer was guitarist John Gorka. "Godfrey Daniels was the main place to play then," says the 1980 graduate of Moravian College. "So I was glad to see Roland booking variety." This sentiment has been echoed by hundreds of performers over the years. Gorka remembers two friends who sang backup at early festivals. "Both





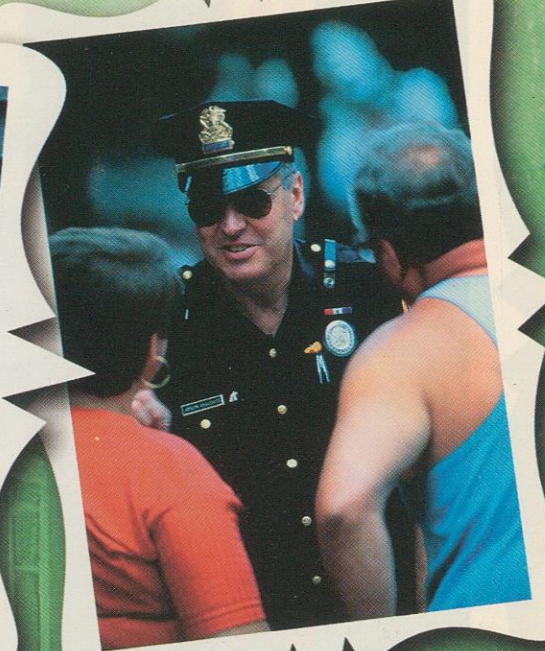
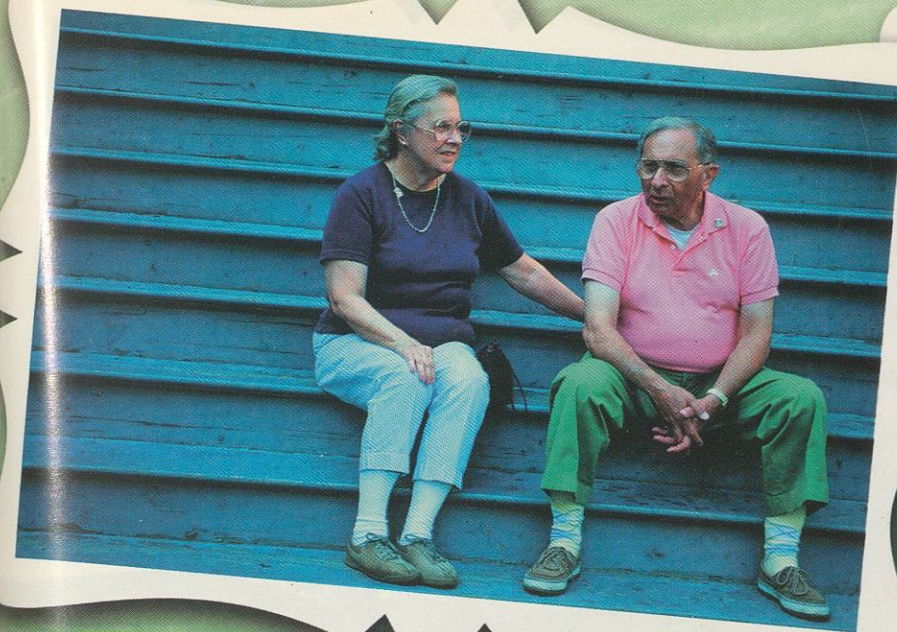
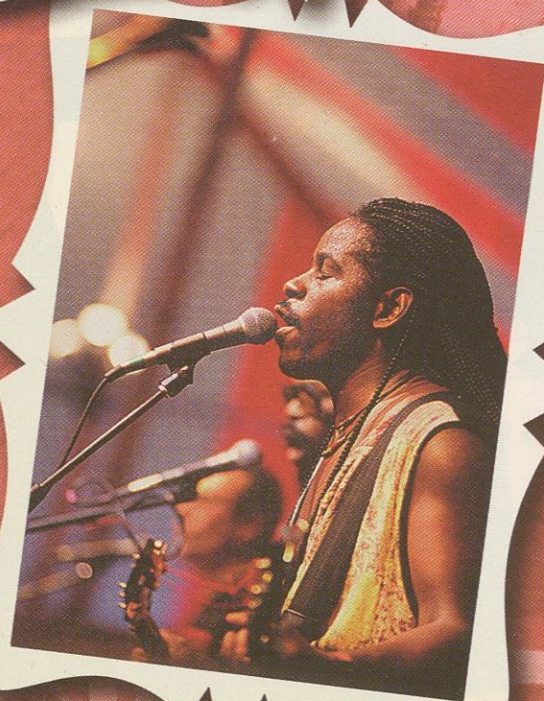
Clearly sponsors are supportive. Their donations, which drive the annual operating budget, remain strong. Yet book-keeper Paul notes, "We do live hand-to-mouth."

"By comparison to similar festivals, we are poorly funded. It's as important today as it's been every year to do the best we can with what we have, especially the budget. The donations from the business community have been very generous," says Parks.

And the festival has returned the favor. "There's a wide expanse of economic impact from Musikfest. It generates significant annual revenue," says Parks. Indeed—this year's festival will inject \$20 million into local coffers.

"We've had a considerable impact on saving two blocks on Main Street. Local restaurants, the hotels, the gas station—they all benefit financially from the event," says Parks. Over the 15 years, he estimates the grand total to be more than \$200 million in revenue generated.

The festival also puts the Lehigh Valley on the map in the eyes of the wider business community. "People discover the region through the festival. They discover our wonderful colleges here. This state wants to keep retirees. We have relatively low unemployment, so retaining big and small companies is key. An environment where entrepreneurs from those colleges can grow is important. Musikfest helps all that happen," adds Parks.



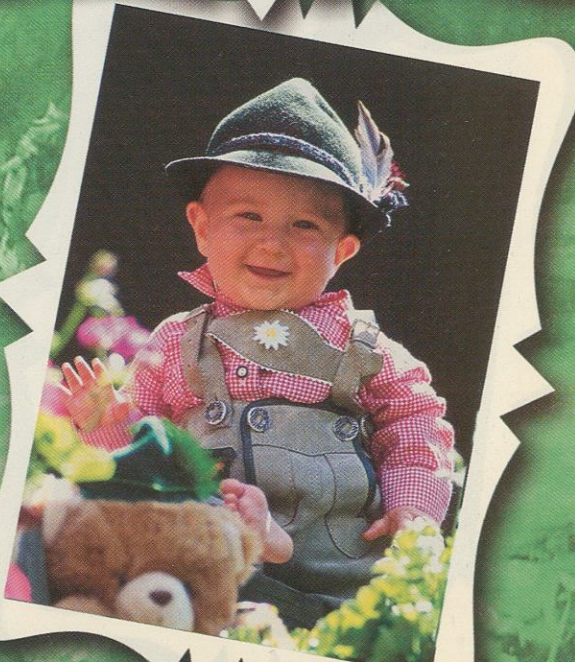
Musikfest Hits the High Note

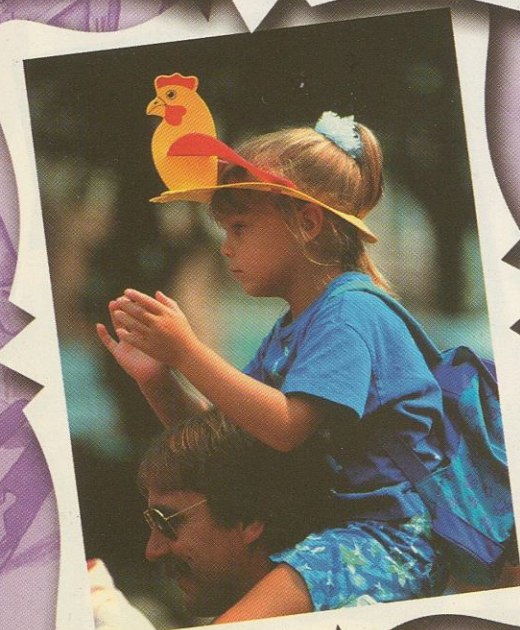
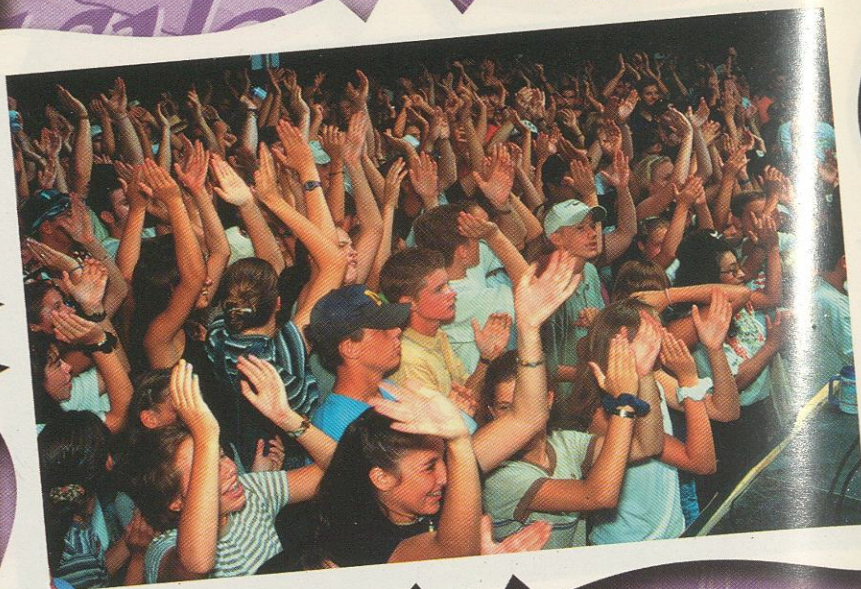
"Our efforts have been rewarded with an event that is the pride of the community," says Parks with a smile. "We are now the largest festival in the country in terms of free, live performances." But he's far from finished. "I feel the festival has not yet reached its full potential. The real idea is for Musikfest to be the signature event for the region."

Yet even he has to acknowledge the festival's vulnerability to one variable: Mother Nature. "We are so weather-dependent. The weather could still bankrupt Musikfest. That's because all the funds get plowed back into the programs for the community, culminating in the Banana Factory," says Parks.

With BMA's move to the Banana Factory, a new era has begun. "It marks our commitment to economic development, and to the arts," he states. The ultimate marriage of arts and urban revitalization, "The Banana Factory wouldn't exist without Musikfest. It represents an opportunity to provide a great new series of year-round education and arts programs."

The purchase of the new facility actually began as a search for storage space. It will provide a center for visual artists and arts activities, an opportunity for community arts education and a home for several community arts organizations. It represents the ideal fit with Bethlehem's new performing arts facilities: The Ice House and Lehigh University's Zoellner Arts Center.





"Hopefully, 10,000 students will be directly impacted in calendar 1998," says Parks. The Banana Factory will also send artists into the scholastic community, with classes on site at various local schools.

Parks remains vigilantly optimistic. "Our job now is to use the stature we've attained to continue to enhance not only the festival but year-round offerings. As things develop on the South Side, we'll do our best to fill in the gap between Lehigh University and the river," he says.

When he thinks of earlier years, what does Parks get nostalgic about?

"When our offices were on Main Street, Liederplatz was our backyard. We used to sit on the steps and watch people watch the performers. That site hasn't changed much over the years, so it's still special. There's always a thrill behind the exhaustion. Every year is exciting and challenging, because each festival is fresh and different. We are always working to improve the festival. If that weren't the case, I wouldn't be here."

And the beat goes on.

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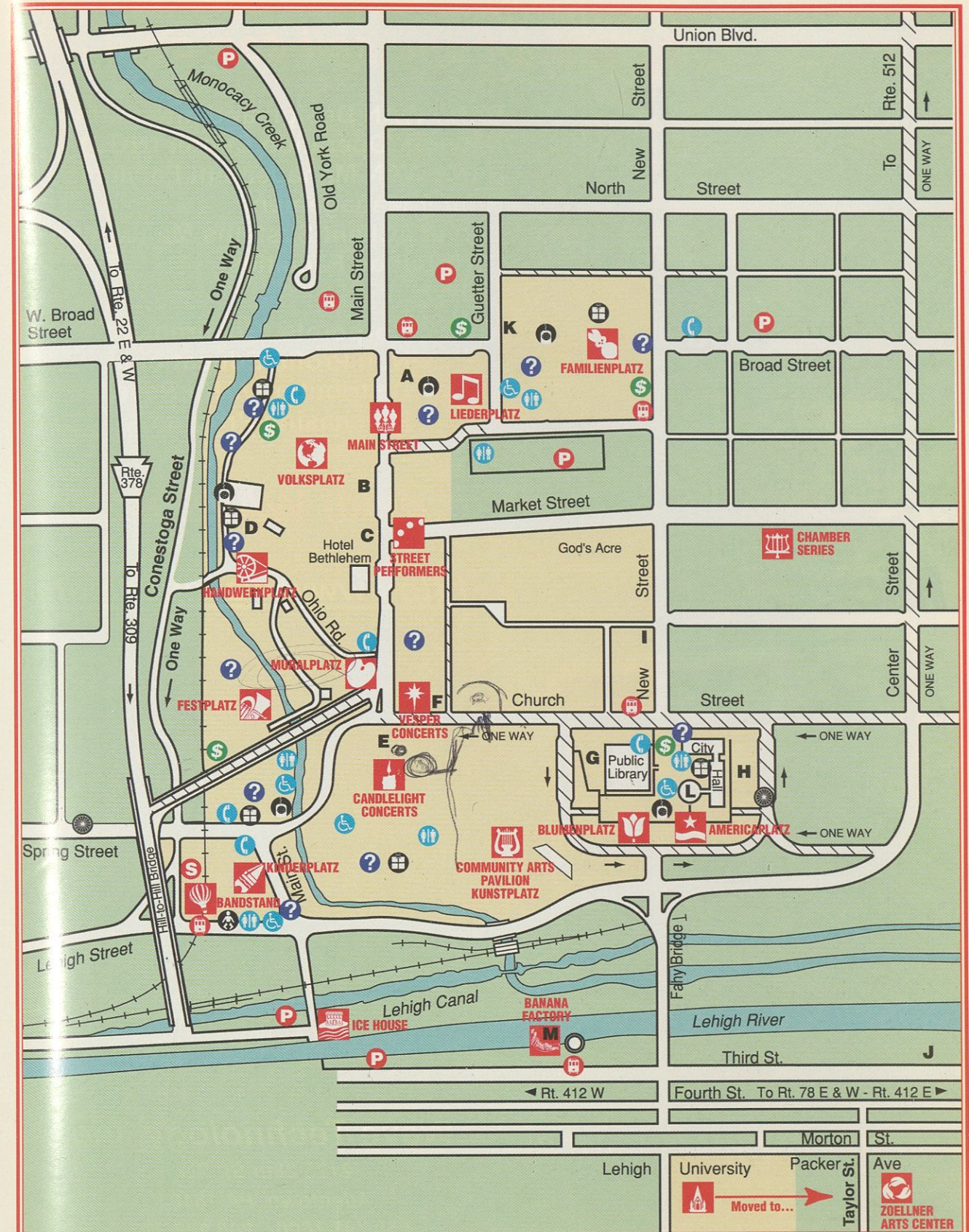
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FERRIS THE GREAT (*Family Magic*). Bordentown, NJ. Energy, excitement, a little bit of craziness and lots of fun are what Ferris is about. Ferris is a family magician who gets kids and their parents to laugh out loud at his hilarious magic show. He has been a professional magician for more than 11 years and has performed thousands of shows. He has entertained all over New Jersey, and in New York City, Boston, New Orleans and Chicago. **CONTACT:** Party Magic Entertainment, 800-539-8743. *Aug. 9*

FLOYD SCHLEGEL, RICHARD RESSLER AND TODD SILVIUS (*Classical*). Bethlehem, PA. The trio will perform a concert of trumpet and organ music representing a cross-section of classical musical styles from the baroque era through the 20th century. The performance includes organ and trumpet solos, as well as a dual trumpet segment. **CONTACT:** Floyd Schlegel, 610-759-4489. *Aug. 10*

FRANK BEY & THE SWING CITY BLUES BAND (*Blues, R & B, Jazz*). Philadelphia, PA. Frank Bey is a natural at crowd pleasing. His rich style is presented with such feeling that each member of the audience can relate it to his or her own personal experience. Bey, who has toured with the Otis Redding Review and played with Archie Jenkins & The Incredible Saxons, takes his audiences on a trip down memory lane. His repertoire includes blues and rhythm and blues classics such as "Sitting on the Dock of the Bay," "Down Home Blues" and "Tore Down." **CONTACT:** Jim Hamilton, 908-835-9061. *Aug. 12*

THE FREIGHT HOPPERS (*Old-Time Music*). Bryson City, NC. The Freight Hoppers is a four-person ensemble that plays old-time southern string band music like no one else. The group is known for its personal connection with audiences through a nonstop program of fast-paced fiddle tunes, traditional songs, mountain clogging and Appalachian jokes and folklore. Frank Lee, Cary Fridley, David Bass, Jim O'Keefe. **CONTACT:** Art Menius, 919-542-3997. *Aug. 9*

DAVE FRY (*Folk, Swing, Celtic, Children's*). Lehigh Valley, PA. Please see Lehigh Valley Artist-in-Residence biography on page 39. **CONTACT:** Dave Fry, 610-867-2390. *Aug. 13-15*

GARY RISSMILLER QUINTET & TRIO (*Jazz*). Please see Artist of the Day biography on page 31. **CONTACT:** Gary Rissmiller, 610-866-7139. *Aug. 13*

DOMINIC GAUDIOUS (*Classical, World Beat*). Chicago, IL. Dynamic, enlightening and melodious are just some of the words used to describe the innovative work of instrumental guitarist/composer Dominic Gaudious. After successfully releasing two albums and touring with an eclectic rock band in the 1980s, Gaudious found his passion was in the contemplative world of classical/world beat music. He expanded on that theme and has created a uniquely intricate playing style which blends the sounds of Spanish, classical, Indian, folk and world beat together. His appealing sound has become widely sought after for festivals, benefits and concerts. **CONTACT:** East Coast Entertainment, 804-355-2178. *Aug. 10, 11*

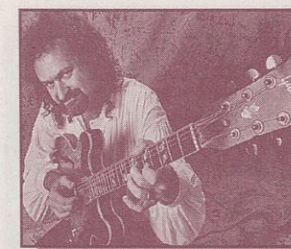
THE GEORGE WESLEY BAND (*Reggae*). Allentown, PA. The George Wesley Band performs throughout New York and its home state of Pennsylvania. The group has recorded five albums and opened for groups such as UB40, The Wailers and Mikey Dread. George Wesley, James Cain Wesley, Giles Davis, Edward Wasilewski, Jr. **CONTACT:** Alvaan Moyse, 610-434-4682. *Aug. 7*

THE GIVE & TAKE JUGGLERS (*Children/Family*). Philadelphia, PA. This vaudeville-style juggling act features a great deal of audience participation and is popular among assemblies and school picnics. The jugglers have performed at the Annenberg Theater Festival and the Philadelphia Folk Festival. **CONTACT:** Dave Giles, 215-842-9467. *Aug. 9-11*

THE GIZMO GUYS (*Children's, Juggling*). New York, NY. After launching successful solo careers in juggling, Allan Jacobs and Barrett Felker formed The Gizmo Guys in 1987 and have proven that together that can amuse as well as amaze. They combine original routines, quick-witted verbal repartee and world class juggling skills in a very lighthearted approach to the art. They have appeared before well over 1 million people in more than 2,000 live performances, as well as countless others on television, including "The Late Show,"



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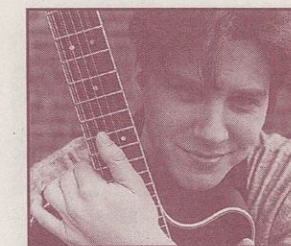
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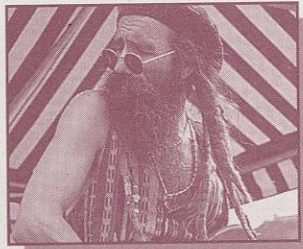


The Freight Hoppers



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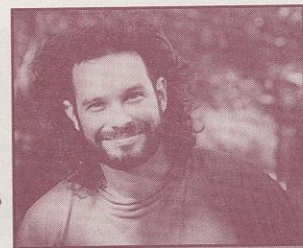
The George Wesley Band



The Gizmo Guys



John Gorka



Gullah Gullah Island



Hard Travelers



Harley Newman (Harley The Clown)



"HBO's Young Comedians" and "Comedy Central." **CONTACT:** Allan Jacobs, 212-749-1620. *Aug. 10*

JOHN GORKA (*Folk*). Minnesota. John Gorka's new album, *Between Five and Seven*, contains 12 beautifully performed songs about life outside the mainstream, which is the only natural place for Gorka to be. A folk guitarist, Gorka first learned of this musical style while visiting Godfrey Daniels in south Bethlehem when he was in college. Today, he spends over 150 nights a year performing on the road and, since his first album, *I Know*, he has been—in the words of Rolling Stone — "The preeminent male singer/songwriter of the new folk movement." *Aug. 12*

AL GROUT (*Comedy Juggling, Magician*). Allentown, PA. Al Grout's show is a fun, fast-moving show that entertains all ages. He includes some of the most phenomenal and entertaining juggling being done today. For over 20 years, his shows have been full of comedy, audience participation, music and magic. **CONTACT:** Al Grout, 610-435-4587. *Aug. 16*

GULLAH GULLAH ISLAND (*Children's Theatre*). This full-theatre production starring "Mr. Ron" and "Miss Natalie" brings to life the magic of the hit television show "Gullah Gullah Island" to delight children of all ages. "Gullah Gullah Island" is Nickelodeon's lively television series that celebrates the historic African American heritage of "Gullah." Since its launch in 1994, the show has attracted the attention of preschool-aged viewers with its engaging half-hour of stories, songs and games. The series has received two Parents Choice Awards and a 1997 Daytime Emmy nomination. *Aug. 15*

THE HALF STEPS (*Renaissance, Religious, Pop*). New Jersey. The Half Steps is a seven-member vocal ensemble that specializes in Renaissance/madrigal, religious and popular styles of a capella music. It has performed at numerous locations throughout New York and New Jersey. The core members of this group came together while they were all students at Seton Hall University, where they were members of the choir and theatre program. **CONTACT:** Carl Santiago, 732-826-9081. *Aug. 8, 15*

HARD TRAVELERS (*Contemporary Folk, New Grass*). Maryland. The Hard Travelers are probably the longest running opening act in show business. They opened for Ian & Sylvia at the Cellar Door in Washington, D.C. in 1962. Thirty-five years later, they are still going strong, having worked with some of the top names in country, bluegrass and folk music, including Alabama, Kenny Rogers, Kathy Mattea, The Oak Ridge Boys, Barbara Mandrell, Emmy Lou Harris and Willie Nelson. **CONTACT:** Mack Bailey, 301-754-1252. *Aug. 16*

HARLEY THE CLOWN (*Outrageous Stunts, Memorable Escapes*). Allentown, PA. Even without constant travel, Harley is generally recognized as being in his own time zone. A slapstick comedian since 1971, he has branched out to become an internationally recognized sideshow performer and escape artist. Harley's recent television appearances include "Geraldo," "Jenny Jones" and "SideShow." He also had a cameo role in the movie "Meet Wally Sparks." **CONTACT:** Harley Newman, 610-298-0092. *Aug. 8, 10, 12, 14, 15*

CHRISTINE HAVRILLA (*Folk, Rock, Pop*). Philadelphia, PA. Christine Havrilla brings a rare degree of versatility and guitar artistry to her Musikfest debut. Her band adds everything from spicy, rock-solid rhythm and percussion to soaring guitar interplay. Her strong, fluid, expressive voice is a highlight along with her delicate and driving acoustic material. Michael Beeson, Tom Donovan, Tim Schumacher, Jackie Baxter. **CONTACT:** Michelle Simon, 215-641-9873. *Aug. 10, 13*

HEGEMAN STRING BAND (*String Band, Mummies*). Philadelphia, PA. The Hegeman String Band, organized in 1920 by music store owner Ernest Hegeman, is the only band that has performed in two Presidential Inaugural parades. The band is also a 10-time champion at the Mummer's Parade in Philadelphia and has earned 67 top-ten finishes in its 78-year history. The string band presently has 65 members-of which about 25 are female—who dress in multicolored costumes adorned with ruffles, sequins and feathers. **CONTACT:** Len Camuccio, 215-468-0180. *Aug. 16*

HIGH SOCIETY RAGTIME BAND (*Traditional Dixieland Jazz*). Easton, PA. Returning for its 14th Musikfest appearance, this five-piece segment of the popular 13-member ragtime ensemble will be performing American music from the turn-of-the-century era in traditional Dixieland style. Al Holts, Bruce Hulej, Ken Mease, Robert H. Eichlin, Bud Ronalds, Dave Mollo. **CONTACT:** Ragtime Productions, 610-258-3653. *Aug. 8, 15*

HIGHWATER (*Alternative Hard Rock*). Pottstown, PA. "The best new band of the '90s." "The future of rock." These quotes are from Rolling Stone Magazine! Unfortunately, they were not written about Highwater, but they certainly do apply. Check out this band and you'll see why millions (OK, hundreds) of people have bought its debut CD, *Highwater*. **CONTACT:** Ken Parsons, 610-948-1999. *Aug. 12*

THE HOLLISTERS (*Alternative Country*). Houston, TX. The Hollisters skillfully bridge the gap between alternative country and neotraditionalism. Leader Mike Barfield evokes a Johnny Cash influenced drawl into the band's songs of the new west while the rest of the group shows it is still alright to kick musical butt. The band, which is just over 2 years old, tours relentlessly and recently released its debut album, *The Land of Rhythm and Pleasure*, on Freedom Records. **CONTACT:** Hello Booking, 612-729-6729. *Aug. 8*

THE HONEY BUZZARDS (*Pop Rock*). Please see Artist of the Day biography on page 21. **CONTACT:** Media Five, 610-954-8100. *Aug. 8*

HOOT & ANNIE (*Music, Mirth, Mischief*). Maplewood, NJ. This team of folk singer and clown cook up a wonderfully wild family show. Music, magic and juggling with a Burns & Allen-style repartee keep audiences captivated. Hoot & Annie have delighted families for years. **CONTACT:** Antics, Balloons & Clowns!, 973-762-4404. *Aug. 9, 15*

DAN HORN (*Children's, Stand-up Ventriloquist*). Phoenix, AZ. When Dan Horn performs, it's hard to keep in mind he is only a one-man show. The recipient of the 1993 International Ventriloquist of the Year award gives the impression of an

"ensemble" presentation. Horn's popularity, with audiences praising his flawless ventriloquism and excellent sense of timing, is due in part to his national television exposure. He has appeared on "Showtime," "Comic Strip Live" and "An Evening at the Improv," among others. **CONTACT:** DCA Management, 212-245-2063. *Aug. 12*

IMPACTO CREA CRISTIANO (*Latin Christian Music*). Allentown/Bethlehem, PA. Impacto Crea Cristiano is a Latin Christian music group designed to share the message of Jesus Christ through its music. **CONTACT:** Carmello Rivera, 610-776-0525. *Aug. 12, 16*

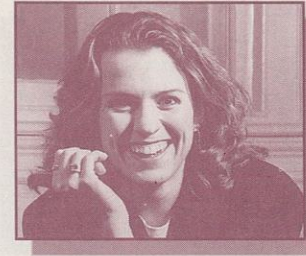
INCA-SAPI (*Andean, Ethnic*). Cambridge, MA. Inca-Sapi is an Andean musical group that presents a wide variety of ancestral rhythms while using traditional instruments and wearing colorful indigenous dress. With the release of its two albums, *Llanganatis* and *Condor de los Andes*, Inca-Sapi is well on its way to exciting audiences across the country. **CONTACT:** Nicolas Duenas U., 617-776-3027. *Aug. 13-15*

INDIAN AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF LEHIGH VALLEY (*Ethnic, Eastern Indian Dance*). Lehigh Valley, PA. The Indian American Association of Lehigh Valley (IAALV) is a nonprofit cultural, educational and community service organization. For the past 25 years, its participants have performed on many occasions to promote the cultural and performing arts of India. **CONTACT:** Dr. S. Neti, 610-758-4117. *Aug. 15*

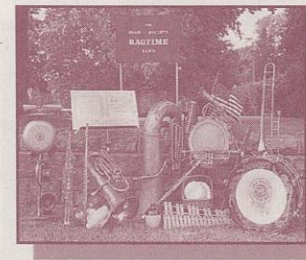
INDIGO GIRLS (*Folk, Rock, World Beat*). Please see biography on page 27. *Aug. 11*

INNER RHYTHM (*Jazz, Latin, World Beat*). Charlottesville and Richmond, VA. Jazz drummer Robert Jospé is a master of rhythmic styles, including calypso, salsa, fusion and contemporary jazz. Prior to his 10 years of distinctive composition with Inner Rhythm, Jospé spent 15 years in New York City working with such greats as Joe Henderson, Dave Liebman and Michael Brecker to develop his unique drumming style. Robert Jospé, Butch Taylor, Royce Cambel, Carl Lester, Jeff Decker. **CONTACT:** Robert Jospé, 804-985-3362. *Aug. 11, 12*

Christine Havrilla



High Society Ragtime Band



Highwater



The Hollisters



Hoot & Annie



Dan Horn



Inca-Sapi



Ivory Rose



The Jae Sinnett Trio



James Carney Group



Jan Lewan & His Orchestra



Jay Caldwell & The Gospel Ambassadors



IVORY ROSE (*Pop, Rock, Adult Alternative*). Kingston/Woodstock, NY. This pop/rock band has opened for a variety of acts, including Peter Frampton, Cheap Trick, The Band and Tammy Wynette. Its second album, *Imagery*, made the up-and-coming adult contemporary charts with the single, "Been Here Before." Michelle Ferarro, Tammy Rose, Dave Daw, Dave Coliukos, Bobby Legg, Gene Welch. **CONTACT: Peter Martin, 914-339-7043. Aug. 15**

THE JAE SINNETT TRIO (*Jazz*). Chesapeake, VA. Jae Sinnett's trio is a versatile, eclectic and swinging jazz unit. Down Beat writer Howard Mandel says, "The emphasis is on sleek, sophisticated, New York '90s-style repertoire, offered with a feeling." Sinnett's compositions are fresh, interesting and challenging, presenting the listener with a kaleidoscope of aural moods and imagery. The trio's arrangements of jazz standards are reminiscent of the early days of the Bill Evans Trio and the more recent Chick Corea Akoustic Band. Jae Sinnett, Allen Farnham, Terry Burrell. **CONTACT: Jae Sinnett, 757-436-6691. Aug. 8, 9**

JAMES CARNEY GROUP (*Jazz*). Los Angeles, CA. Musical influences ranging from the Middle East, Ireland, New Orleans and contemporary classical, among others, meld together seamlessly in James Carney's work, showcasing a remarkable voice fast becoming recognizable in jazz circles. Carney, the runner-up in the 1997 Thelonius Monk Institute of Jazz Composition competition and a finalist and winner in the 1996 Cognac Hennessy Jazz Search, was featured in the January 1998 issue of Down Beat. James Carney, Scott Mayo, Darek "Oles" Oleszkiewicz, Dan Morris. **CONTACT: Rachel Cohen, 310-838-0849. Aug. 13**

JAN LEWAN AND HIS ORCHESTRA (*Polka, Big Band*). Hazleton, PA. For over 12 years, Jan Lewan and His Orchestra have been performing together. During this time they have had many accomplishments. The Las Vegas Hilton, Trump Taj Mahal and the Lincoln Center are only a few of the places that they have headlined. The group has over 10 recordings and in 1995 its recording, *Jan Lewan and His Orchestra*, received a Grammy nomination for Best Polka Album. **CONTACT: Jan Lewan, 717-459-6346. Aug. 9**

TIM JANIS ENSEMBLE (*Celtic, New Age*). Kennebunk, ME. Tim Janis is a composer, performer and recording artist known for the beautiful and captivating melodies of his original music. His ensemble consists of piano, penny whistle, violin, flute and guitar, playing Celtic and instrumental music to delight audiences. **CONTACT: Tim Janis, 207-985-3463. Aug. 8, 10**

JAY CALDWELL & THE GOSPEL AMBASSADORS (*Traditional Gospel*). Wilmington, DE. The Gospel Ambassadors were formed in 1962. They recorded their first nationally-known album, *One Day At A Time*, in 1979. Since that time, they have recorded 10 additional albums, including their latest, *Live At Faith City*. Jay Caldwell, Keith Yancey, Jerome Yancey, Mike Jamison, Lonny Jamison. **CONTACT: Jim Hamilton, 908-835-9061. Aug. 16**

JAY JAY (*Funk, Groove, Dance*). Baltimore, MD. Jay Jay is a nine-piece funky group that wails. Get up and dance! **CONTACT: Marc Rey, 410-433-3934. Aug. 14**

THE JIMMY STURR BAND (*Polka, Big Band*). Florida, NY. The Jimmy Sturr Band is the first non-country act to play Nashville's Grand Ole Opry and a seven-time Grammy Award winner with three gold albums. It has been voted the number one polka band in the country 11 years in a row. **CONTACT: United Polka Artists, 914-651-4266. Aug. 13**

THE JOE FEDORCHAK ORCHESTRA (*Yankovic Polkas, Old Time*). Youngstown, OH. If you want your feet to move uncontrollably, then this group is sure to have you soaring by the end of the performance. This band has released five albums and its latest was awarded "Album of the Year-1994" by the Cleveland/Style Polka Hall of Fame. Joe Fedorchak, Gene Fedorchak, Bob Bacha, Carmen White. **CONTACT: Joe Fedorchak, 330-757-0014. Aug. 8**

JOHN GORA BAND (*Polka, Continental, '50s, R&B*). Toronto, Ontario. The John Gora Band, a 1998 Grammy nominee in the category for Best Polka Album, is made of six part-time musicians. For 12 years, this versatile band has been singing in five dif-

ferent languages, playing not only polkas, but continental and modern-style music as well. **CONTACT: John Gora, 905-336-3055. Aug. 15**

JONATHAN CROSLAND'S VODOO BLUES BAND (*Rock, Blues, Folk*). Nashville, TN. Jonathan Crosland's Voodoo Blues Band plays sweet and beautiful, down and dirty, sultry rock 'n' rollin', bayou swamp boogie blues. Its influences include Stevie Ray Vaughn, Jimi Hendrix, B.B. King, Eric Clapton, the Beatles and the Allman Brothers. **Aug. 15**

THE JOHNNY DEE ORCHESTRA (*Polka, American, Soft Rock*). Whitehall, PA. The Johnny Dee Orchestra has been performing in the Lehigh Valley and surrounding areas since 1954. It has two recordings, *It's About Time* and *My Star*. The band is known for its Czech, German, Austrian and Slovenian styling. Johnny Dee, George Wirth, Garry Kratzer, Richard Reichard. **CONTACT: Johnny Dee, 610-264-9138. Aug. 9**

JOHNNY THE K (*Children's*). North Reading, MA. John Kelleher, an award-winning children's performer, cleverly and humorously interacts with audiences with help from his 12-string guitar and a trunk full of zany hats and disguises. From pop to calypso, rock 'n' roll to rap, ballad to country, Kelleher chooses songs that combine various styles of music with lyrics that stimulate the imagination and promote positive family values. **CONTACT: The Marge Ghilarducci Agency, Inc., 508-822-3735. Aug. 8**

THE JOHNSTON BROTHERS BAND (*Rock, Country, Blues*). Harleysville, PA. Diversity in music has been a cornerstone in this band's approach to music for the last 26 years. Its latest release, *Life and Passion*, is a direct result of its members' desires to reach a wide audience. The band has appeared with acts such as Alabama, Bonnie Raitt, Jerry Lee Lewis, Bon Jovi and more. **CONTACT: Kurt Johnston, 215-256-0930. Aug. 7**

JOLLY JOE TIMMER ORCHESTRA (*Polka, Variety*). Bethlehem, PA. The Jolly Joe Timmer Orchestra has been performing for 50 years. This perennial favorite continues to plow its way through music festivals and was inducted into the Pennsylvania Polka Hall of Fame in 1990.

The group, which has performed in Chicago, New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Pennsylvania, brings a character, enthusiasm and love for polkas to the stage with it. **CONTACT: Jolly Joe Timmer, 610-865-1941. Aug. 8**

JOSEF KROBOTH ORCHESTRA (*European Contemporary, Polka, American Standard*). Whitehall, PA. For nearly two decades, this orchestra has entertained audiences throughout the East Coast and on a cruise line. Specializing in German, Austrian and Czech music, this orchestra will keep you moving. Josef Kroboth, Bob Pristash, Scott Berdux, Eric Schlosser and Wendy. **CONTACT: Joe Kroboth, 610-262-4053. Aug. 10, 14**

THE JUBILATION RINGERS (*Sacred, Secular, Handbells*). Allentown, PA. The Jubilation Ringers are one of five handbell choirs sponsored by Asbury United Methodist Church in Allentown. The group makes music on seven full octaves of English handbells, one of the largest church-owned sets in the world, and other related instruments. Its one-hour PBS special, "A Bronze Christmas with the Jubilation Ringers," has aired nationally for several years. **CONTACT: Phyllis Hentz, 610-336-9127. Aug. 10**

THE JUMPING BUDDHA ENSEMBLE (*World, Asian Folk, Traditional*). San Francisco, CA. The Jumping Buddha Ensemble promotes Chinese traditional music with the hope of fostering an appreciation of the music, aesthetics and culture. It performs a diverse repertoire comprised of several genres of Chinese music, including ancient, folk, minority, classical and popular, as well as new compositions. Zhang Xia-Feng, Fred Fung, Michael Santoro, Liu Wei-Shan. **CONTACT: Michael Santoro, 415-333-1589. Aug. 12, 13**

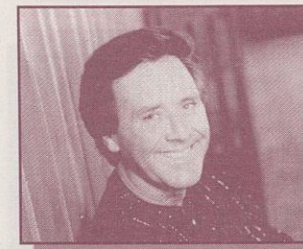
JUNE RICH (*Contemporary Rock*). Philadelphia, PA. June Rich is a quintet vocally pioneered by Vanida Gail and Jackie Murphy. The group completes its unique and eclectic sound with the additions of Allen James, Garry Lee and Kevin Soffera. **CONTACT: Karen Schubert, 215-508-3244. Aug. 8**

KANI-SCHREMPEL DUO (*Classical, Flute and Piano*). Bethlehem, PA. The Kani-Schrempel Duo, which is partici-

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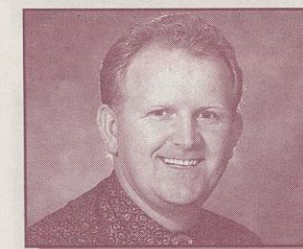
The Jimmy Sturr Band



Joe Fedorchak Orchestra



John Gora Band



Johnny The 'K'



The Johnston Brothers Band



Jolly Joe Timmer
Orchestra



The Jumping
Buddha Ensemble



June Rich



Kani-Schrempel
Duo



Lucy Kaplansky



Kato



pating in its fifth Musikfest, has been together since 1984 and performs works from the baroque through the avant-garde. The duo has appeared on National Public Radio and in concert in the United States and abroad. Robin Kani is the principal flutist in the Bethlehem Bach Festival Orchestra. Kani and Martha Schrempel are both principals in the Lehigh Valley Chamber Orchestra and the Pennsylvania Sinfonia Orchestra. **CONTACT: Robin Kani, 610-866-6863. Aug. 12**

LUCY KAPLANSKY (Folk). New York, NY. Lucy Kaplansky is widely considered to be one of the premier talents on the acoustic scene. An artist known for her intimate, charming and wry performances, she has recorded two albums, including her latest release, *Flesh and Bone*. Her riveting stage presence and clear, strong, agile voice have led her to become one of the leading performers in acoustic music. She has also added her harmonies to albums by Richard Shindell, Dar Williams and John Gorka. **CONTACT: Fleming, Tamulevich and Associates, 313-995-9066. Aug. 10**

KATO (Pop, Jazz). Bethlehem, PA. This husband and wife duo, featuring Craig Kastelnik on keyboards and vocals and Pat Flaherty on percussion and vocals, performs a variety of distinct musical styles, ranging from popular dance and listening tunes to jazz classics. They have played concerts and clubs with large and small ensembles but perform primarily as a duo. Kato was Musikfest's first Artist-in-Residence during Musikfest '97. **CONTACT: Pat Kastelnik, 610-867-1415. Aug. 16**

KAUSAY (Traditional Music of Ecuador and Peru). Ecuador. The traditional music of Ecuador, Peru and Bolivia performed by KAUSAY encompasses an extensive variety of rhythms that range from traditional pre-Hispanic to more contemporary variations. The five band members, who all hail from the Andes in Ecuador, play this music using various wind, string and percussion instruments. For them, KAUSAY is the means of sharing their experiences and musical mastery. **CONTACT: Elvis Lema, 773-685-6719. Aug. 8-12**

KELLY MURPHY BAND (Country). Please see Artist of the Day biography on

page 23. **CONTACT: Kelly Murphy, 610-266-7722. Aug. 9**

KEY-NOTES ORCHESTRA (Polkas, Waltzes, Modern). Nazareth, PA. After 40 years together, the Key-Notes know exactly what audiences want, and they deliver. The group has three recordings, *From Our Hearts To Yours*, *Beat One* and *1962—Original Ted Mack Show*. The orchestra has been a mainstay at the festival for the last 13 years. **CONTACT: Frank Jurasits, 610-759-2397. Aug. 7, 14**

KNUCKLEHEAD THE CLOWN (Comedy Clown). Little Falls, NJ. Knucklehead the Clown is one of the best clowns around. He was chosen as one of only 15 clowns in the world to perform at the International Clown Festival in Nagasaki, Japan. It is his fantastic clown "look" and his hilarious manner that make all his performances so memorable. Knucklehead has been clowning professionally for more than 10 years. **CONTACT: Party Magic Entertainment, 800-539-8743. Aug. 9**

LAURENTIAN STRING QUARTET (Classical). Philadelphia, PA. Since its 1981 New York debut as the winner of the Artists International Competition, the Laurentian String Quartet has established a distinguished and creative career. It has been the quartet-in-residence at Sarah Lawrence College since 1978 and also tours the United States extensively each year. The Laurentian String Quartet offers a large repertoire of mixed ensemble works and has collaborated with artists such as Eugenia Zuckerman and Lillian Kallir, as well as with members of the Toyko String Quartet and the Borodin Trio. **CONTACT: Jonathan Wentworth Associates, Ltd., 914-667-0707. Aug. 13**

LEHIGH VALLEY ALL-STAR BAND (Jazz, Rock, Blues). Lehigh Valley, PA. The Lehigh Valley All-Star Band consists of some of the best musicians from Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton and surrounding communities. The band, which is led by Rob Stoneback and plays music that includes jazz, blues, rock, salsa and folk, incorporates the talents of many of Musikfest's Artists of the Day. Rob Stoneback, Craig Kastelnik, Craig Thatcher, Brain Bortz, Gary Rissmiller, Jan Betz, Doug Matz, Mike Trach. **CONTACT: Rob Stoneback, 610-691-6628. Aug. 16**

LEHIGH VALLEY CLOGGERS (Bluegrass, Modern Country Western, Rock 'n' Roll). Bethlehem, PA. Established in 1990 to introduce this form of "Country Tap" to the Lehigh Valley, the Cloggers "play the feet" to traditional bluegrass, modern country and rock 'n' roll music. If you like dancin', the Cloggers are a sure stop at Musikfest. **CONTACT: Mary Keinert, 610-435-2172. Aug. 8, 16**

LENNY GOMULKA & CHICAGO PUSH (Mainstream Polkas of the '90s). Indian Orchard, MA. Eight-time Grammy nominee Lenny Gomulka has been playing with his band, Chicago Push, for 18 years. The group focuses on mainstream polkas of the '90s that cross into other genres. Over the past two years Chicago Push has captured all of the polka awards in the nation declaring them number one. **CONTACT: Estelle Gomulka, 413-543-6856. Aug. 12**

THE LES BAER SEPTET featuring MILLY HAY (Jazz, Big Band, Traditional Ballads). Allentown, PA. Les Baer has been performing as a keyboard artist since age 5. After 44 years of performing, some things definitely get better with age. Baer and his septet are professionals that continue to please everyone they come across. **CONTACT: Les Baer, 610-433-1766. Aug. 16**

LIL' MALCOLM & THE HOUSE-ROCKERS (Zydeco, Cajun). Lake Charles, LA. Consisting of bandleader Malcolm Walker on accordion; his father, Percy, on guitar; brother, Percy, Jr. on drums; Classie Ballou, Jr. on bass, and John Weatherwall on washboard, Lil' Malcolm & The Houserockers are on a mission to take the band as far as it can go and expose audiences to the music they love. Whether it means slowing it down for the traditional Cajun/zydeco crowd, or turning up the heat to energize a group of enthusiastic college students, Lil' Malcolm & The Houserockers know how to get the job done. **CONTACT: Intrepid Artists, Inc., 704-358-4777. Aug. 13, 14**

LIMPOPO (Russian Folk). Los Angeles, CA. Over the past few years, Limpopo has become a favorite attraction at fairs and festivals across North America. The four members originate from Russia and now reside in Los

Angeles. The music is "Crazy Russian Folk 'n' Roll" that is full of energy and excitement. You'll probably remember them from the "Kit Kat" candy-bar commercial on television. Whether you have seen them or not, you will be hooked from the first note. **CONTACT: Lee Peyton, 407-299-0996. Aug. 15, 16**

LIQUID PLEASURE (Dance). Durham, NC. In an industry where the average life span of a band is about five years, Liquid Pleasure has set a new standard. As it enters its 20th year, the band has firmly established itself as a premier show and dance band. The group performs hits by everyone from Prince and Digital Underground to the Kingsmen and The Platters. Over the years, the band has appeared with such notable artists as Paula Abdul, Whitney Houston, The Four Tops and Aretha Franklin. **CONTACT: East Coast Entertainment, 804-355-2178. Aug. 16**

LU MITCHELL AND CATCH-23 (Satirical, Folk). Dallas, TX. Lu Mitchell sings about television evangelists, doctors, garage sales and anything else that tickles her sense of the absurd in this land of Big Macs, Wonder Bras and the Internet. Music critic Grover Lewis once wrote, "Lu Mitchell is a funny gal... cocks a saucy, irreverent eye at our mad, mad, mad world... like a banshee zonked on truth serum." Lu Mitchell, Rake Rogers, Wayne Greene, Gerald Jones, Kathy Kuros. **CONTACT: Lu Mitchell, 214-247-2597. Aug. 10, 11**

MACKAY PIPE BAND (Traditional Scottish and Celtic Music). Bethlehem, PA. The award-winning MacKay Pipe Band, a military-style highland pipe and drum corps, performs a selection of contemporary and traditional Scottish tunes. Celebrating its 20th year, this Bethlehem-based band continues to provide quality, entertaining piping and drumming, whether marching in parades or playing at festivals across Pennsylvania and New Jersey. **CONTACT: Drew Snyder, 610-997-3940. Aug. 8, 15**

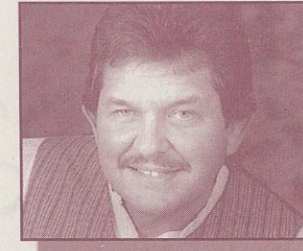
MADOU DEMBELE AND SUPER YANKADI (World Beat). Ivory Coast. Madou Dembele's skilled hands make the West African djembe drum he plays sing with delight, sigh with sorrow and shout with power. Backed by Super Yankadi, a



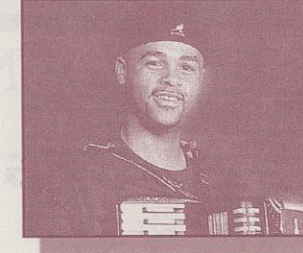
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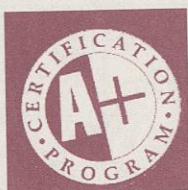
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THE MAELSTROM PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE (*World Music, Jazz*). Buffalo, NY. The Maelstrom Percussion Ensemble is a quartet of contemporary percussionists. The group performs written works, improvisatory pieces, original compositions and often collaborates with other art forms. Since its conception in 1982, Maelstrom has explored the enormous spectrum of musical possibilities inherent in percussion instruments, from world music to jazz, and from the standard percussion repertoire to the progressive and experimental. The group exists, in large measure, to create music that fuses many of these styles. **CONTACT: Marilyn Gilbert Artists Management, 215-242-4620. Aug. 12, 14**

MAGIC BOB (*Family Magic*) Little Falls, NJ. Magic Bob is the king of kids' magic. His show combines great comedy and magic along with his own, unique style of interaction with his audiences. Magic Bob's performance gets not only the kids laughing, but the adults as well. He has been a professional magician for over 11 years and has performed all over the United States. **CONTACT: Party Magic Entertainment, 800-539-8743. Aug. 9**

MAMA JAMA (*World Beat, Reggae, Soca*). Annapolis, MD. Mama Jama is a seasoned group performing danceable music with a universal appeal. A masterful blend of African, Caribbean and American music produces an infectious sound referred to as "world beat" that attaches itself to audiences and never lets them go. **CONTACT: Elizabeth Melvin, 410-974-8223. Aug. 11**

THE MANGO MEN (*Rock 'n' Roll with a Caribbean Soul*). Perkasie, PA. The Mango Men recreate the crazy Caribbean atmosphere found only at a Jimmy Buffett concert as they take you on a fun-filled adventure to the "Island of Margaritaville." They perform their well-known Buffett tribute show all over

the Philadelphia region and at the National Parrot Head Convention in New Orleans. John Creidler, Rob McKean, Scott Lehman. **CONTACT: John Creidler, 215-453-7612. Aug. 13**

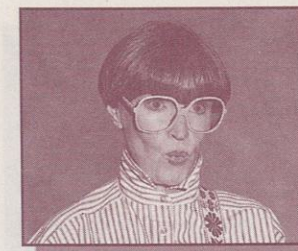
MARTHA MARCHENA (*Latin Piano*). Bethlehem, PA. Martha Marchena is increasingly acclaimed as one of the most innovative and powerful pianists around today. In her recent recording, *Sonoric Rituals*, Marchena emerges as the leading champion of Latin American contemporary music, bringing to the forefront many of the lost and under-represented composers of the Latin American musical heritage. **CONTACT: Martha Marchena, 610-866-1731. Aug. 11**

MAUREEN O'GRADY SCHOOL OF IRISH DANCING, INC. (*Irish Dancing*). Lehigh Valley, PA. The Maureen O'Grady School of Irish Dancing, Inc., located throughout the Lehigh Valley, has dancers ranging in age from 4 to 18 years old who demonstrate traditional reels, jigs and hornpipes. This year's Musikfest program will include basic instruction in some Irish Celtic dances. **CONTACT: Maureen O'Grady, 610-759-8266. Aug. 14**

MAXIMUM BOB (*Blues, Jazz, Rock*). State College, PA. Formed in the summer of 1994, MAXIMUM bob possesses a sound that can be described in one word, "indescribable." The band is noted for its pleasantly fresh, original sound. Its members pride themselves on not only providing fans with a great time, but in having fun themselves. Dave Avillion, Josh Lampe, Jason Milles, Bob Troia. **CONTACT: Josh Lampe, 215-679-5324. Aug. 15, 16**

BILLY MCLAUGHLIN (*Acoustic, New Age*). Minneapolis, MN. A virtuoso on guitar, Billy McLaughlin continues to push beyond all boundaries and labels in the music industry. His amazing dexterity, palette of musical color and skill as a composer have rocketed him into the top 10 on Billboard's chart, but it is his ability to connect with his audience on an emotional level that has made him so popular with previous Musikfest crowds. **CONTACT: Leslie Mock, 800-426-8316. Aug. 8, 9**

MERMAN'S MAGICAL MANIA (*Magic & Fire Eating*). Virginia Beach,



Lu Mitchell
& Catch-23



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MIDDLE-EARTH STUDIOS - "MEISTERSINGERS OF NURNBERG" (*Story-telling, Marionettes*). Stony Run, PA. Carl and Patricia Odhner have toured the United States and Canada for over 20 years with marionettes and their unique story-telling shows in which anyone from the audience can participate. They maintain permanent summer theatres at parks in New Jersey and Pennsylvania. Their shows delight an average of 200,000 people per year. **CONTACT: Carl Odhner, 610-756-4234. Aug. 8-16**

MIDWAY CARAVAN - "COLLEEN & THE HOBGOBLINS" (*Children's Theatre*). Freeville, NY. Midway Caravan's "Colleen & the Hobgoblins" is a delightful Irish folk tale which includes participation from the children and help from the audience. **CONTACT: Bill Carpenter, 607-844-8667. Aug. 8-16**

MIKE DUGAN & THE BLUES MISSION (*Blues Rock*). Please see Artist of the Day biography on page 27. **CONTACT: MCD Music, 610-797-7952. Aug. 11**

BILL MILLER (*Folk*). Wisconsin. A Mohican folksinger from the Stockbridge-Munsee Indian reservation in Wisconsin, Bill Miller combines traditional folk with his own Native American ancestry to perform "a roots-driven testimony to rock 'n' roll." His latest release, *Raven in the Snow*, features primal drums, scorching guitars and soaring vocals, accented at times by his haunting and powerful flute. **CONTACT: Brooks Collier, Cosmic Management, Inc., 615-377-6863. Aug. 12**

MOCKTURTLE MARIONETTES - "TIME OUT FOR PUPPETS" (*Children's Theatre*). Bethlehem, PA. 1998 marks the 20th anniversary of MockTurtle Marionettes. This unique theatre company is made up of over 70 handcrafted marionettes that perform in

a repertoire of over 10 plays. It now performs at the Marionette Theatre at the Ice House in Bethlehem. **CONTACT: MockTurtle Marionette Theater, 610-867-8208. Aug. 9, 14**

THE MORAVIAN TROMBONE CHOIR OF BETHLEHEM (*Classical*). Bethlehem, PA. The Moravian Trombone Choir of Bethlehem was founded in 1754 when a set of four trombones arrived in Bethlehem from Germany. To this day, the trombone choir remains an integral part of the Bethlehem Moravian community. Dedicated to the propagation of Moravian music, and specifically trombone choirs, the Bethlehem Moravian Trombone Choir continues to provide a tradition of Christian dedication and musical excellence that will survive for many centuries to come. **CONTACT: Don Kemmerer, 610-712-7447. Aug. 8**

MOUNTAIN LAUREL BLUEGRASS BAND (*Bluegrass, Old-Style Country*). Philadelphia, PA. The Mountain Laurel Bluegrass Band has been performing traditional, hard-driving bluegrass and old-style country music since 1987. The band combines tight vocal harmonies and solid instrumentation on songs from bluegrass greats Bill Monroe, and Flatt and Scruggs, and country legends Ernest Tubb, Patsy Cline and George Jones. **CONTACT: Ty Searfoss, 610-867-1367. Aug. 12, 16**

MURPHY'S TROUSERS (*Celtic, Rock*). Lehigh Valley, PA. Murphy's Trousers is an extension of Dave Fry's love and appreciation of Celtic rock and folk rock. Mixing traditional tunes and songs with contemporary instruments and rock sensibilities, the music reflects the refreshing blend of old and new-dare we say it- Folk Fusion. For additional information, see Lehigh Valley Artist-in-Residence Dave Fry's biography on page 39. **CONTACT: Dave Fry, 610-867-2390. Aug. 14**

THE MUSIKFEST CHICKEN Lehigh Valley, PA. The "Musikfest Chicken," portrayed by Lehigh Valley native Pat Holetz, originated as the result of the popularity of the Chicken Dance Polka at Musikfest '84. The "Musikfest Chicken" developed into the mascot and "Goodwill Ambassador

of Musikfest" while greeting and dancing with visitors at the festival. As the "Musikfest Chicken," Holetz has demonstrated and taught the popular Chicken Dance on television, radio and at special events all over the Lehigh Valley. **Aug. 8-16**

THE MUSIKFEST CHORUS (*Choral*). Lehigh Valley, PA. Under the direction of Steven Sametz, the 100-voice chorus which was founded in 1985 will be performing "Music for a Summer's Evening" and feature Vaughn Williams' *Benedicite* and *Serenade to Music*. The second part of the program will include Brahms' *Leibeslieder Walzer* (Love-Song Waltzes) accompanied by professional ballroom dancers. **Aug. 9**

SONNY NEVAQUAYA (*Native American Flute*). Hollywood, FL. Sonny Nevaquaya takes audiences on a musical autobiography and a spiritual journey in search of the self. He performs peaceful and introspective music for a meditative walk in harmony with the natural surroundings. **CONTACT: Nick Koumoutseas, 301-424-3314. Aug. 11**

NEW COVENANT CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY WORSHIP BAND (*Soft Rock, Light Jazz, Black Gospel*). Bethlehem, PA. The New Covenant Worship Band is a wonderful mixture of people from all over the Lehigh Valley; musicians and singers who truly love and serve the Lord in worship at New Covenant Christian Community in Bethlehem. **CONTACT: Tom Horn, 610-861-7725. Aug. 13**

NY CABARET UNLIMITED (*Show Tunes*). New York, NY. This group of six plays music that spans generations and will live on forever through its dynamic performances. The NY Cabaret Unlimited specializes in the songs that gave Broadway and Hollywood their musical life. This year's Musikfest performance will include works by Gershwin, Cole Porter and Irving Berlin. The vibrancy with which these vocalists pronounce their ability is sure to please the soul and most definitely entertain the body. **Aug. 10**

WAYNE NEWTON (*Las Vegas Style Entertainment*). Please see biography on page 31. **Aug. 13**

THE NIELDS (*Folk, Rock, Pop*). Northampton, MA. Devoted to intelligent songwriting, The Nields romp through kaleidoscopic sounds, delicately balancing jagged alterna-rock, chugging psychedelic funk, powerful pop and open-hearted folk tradition. Nerissa Nields, Katryna Nields, David Nields, Dave Chalfant, Dave Hower. **CONTACT: Bullet Proof Artist Management, 212-603-8722. Aug. 13**

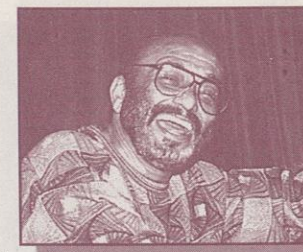
NOT BY CHANCE (*Folk, Acoustic*). Fredericksburg, VA. Dave Bailey and Douglas Ebert began their musical odyssey in 1996 after Bailey was diagnosed with terminal cancer. Since then they have traveled the country sharing their songs of hope and courage. Their records highlight Bailey's classical finger picking and Ebert's steel-stringed stylings and rich harmony. **CONTACT: Grant Andrew, 800-296-6686. Aug. 15, 16**

ONE TOO-TALL TRIO (*Stilt Walking Balloon Artists*). Little Falls, NJ. One Too-Tall Trio is a group of three of the best balloon artists in the United States who make their balloons on stilts. The three are each accomplished family performers and are a lot of fun separately, but put them together and you've got one dynamic trio with their heads in the clouds. The One Too-Tall Trio can make almost anything out of balloons, and they deliver them from above with a lot of style and comedy. **CONTACT: Party Magic Entertainment, 800-539-8743. Aug. 9**

EDDIE PALMIERI (*Latin, Jazz*). The "Visionary Maestro" of Latin Music, Eddie Palmieri is a five-time Grammy Award winner whose jazz band takes harmony and tonality to its limits. His piano style drives, stirs and inspires. Palmieri's music captures your heart through song and your feet through dance. **Aug. 14**

PAN MASTERS STEEL ORCHESTRA (*Caribbean, Steel Drum*). Washington, D.C. Pan Masters Steel Orchestra offers a sophisticated blend of Caribbean and American music performed on the magical steel drums of Trinidad. Pan, as these instruments are known, can drive a dancer into a frenzy or be as sweet as a trade wind in a cane field. The Pan Masters have a repertoire that ranges from calypso to reggae, rock, soul, funk and even the classics. What people want to hear is what

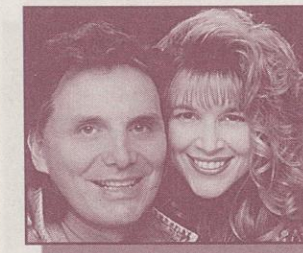
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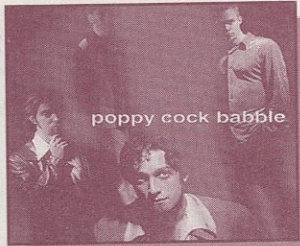
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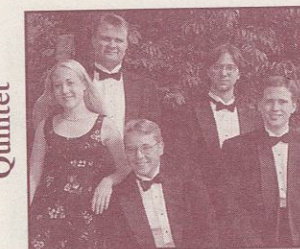
Queen Bee & The Blue Hornet Band



Red Elvies



Regal Brass Quintet



the orchestra wants to play. **CONTACT:** East Coast Entertainment, 804-355-2178. *Aug. 14*

PARAMOUNT BRASS (*Classical, Brass*). Please see biography on page 39—Artist-in-Residence. **CONTACT:** Baylin Artists Management, 215-887-7870. *Aug. 9-12*

PARAMOUNT BRASS & ETHOS PERCUSSION GROUP (*Classical*). Paramount Brass and Ethos Percussion Group come together for a Candlelight Concert performance. The groups will present an explosion of sound and sonic variety from a repertoire of classics from musical greats such as Copland, Bernstein and Ginastera. Paramount Brass is this year's Musikfest Artist-in-Residence. **CONTACT:** Baylin Artists Management, 215-887-7870. *Aug. 11*

PARKE FRANKENFIELD AND HIS BIG BAND featuring **MELODY LANE** (*Big Band Swing*). Please see Artist of the Day biography on page 25. **CONTACT:** Parke Frankenfield, 561-231-4845. *Aug. 10*

DAVID PARKER (*Dance, Music, Comedy*). Berkley, MA. David Parker brings fresh meaning to the words "communication" and "entertainer." Parker's unique style has captivated the imaginations and the hearts of audiences in theaters and festivals across the United States and Canada. Internationally acclaimed and recipient of the 1994 National Award for Distinguished Service by the National Council on Communicative Disorders, he is part musician, part dancer and part comedian—all with heart. With his infectious grin, irresistible and playful interaction and upbeat music, Parker immediately captivates his audiences. **CONTACT:** Marge Ghilarducci Agency, Inc., 508-822-3735. *Aug. 15*

PAT GARRETT BAND (*Country*). Strausstown, PA. Led by country recording artist Pat Garrett, the five-piece Pat Garrett Band has performed with Merle Haggard, Waylon Jennings, Johnny Cash and many other top country stars. Garrett's recordings include *How's Your Love Life*, *Dancin' with a Cowboy*, *20 Country Love Songs* and *In the Blue Mountains*.

Pat Garrett, Suzy Dalton, Kerry Scanlan, Mitch Wolfe, Tommy Vollmer. **CONTACT:** Suzy Dalton, 610-488-1782. *Aug. 12*

PAVLOV'S DAWGS (*Bluegrass, Folk*). Lehigh Valley, PA. Pavlov's Dawgs is reuniting for Musikfest '98. This Lehigh Valley bluegrass band sets itself apart from the rest of the pack with its daring musical forays into reggae, Celtic, pop, swing and jazzgrass, while maintaining a deep respect for its traditional bluegrass and folk roots. Dave Fry, Jesse Grim, Michael Beaky, Kris Kher. For additional information, see Lehigh Valley Artist-in-Residence Dave Fry's biography on page 39. **CONTACT:** Dave Fry, 610-867-2390. *Aug. 13*

PENNSYLVANIA YOUTH THEATRE - "PYT PERFORMS!" (*Family*). Bethlehem, PA. Brimming with humor, snappy dialogue and lively music, a vibrant cast of 8 to 13 year olds performs this musical theatre revue which will delight kids and their parents alike. "PYT Performs!" is a series of skits that teaches lifelong lessons. Grown-ups and children will see themselves in zany but real-life sketches and songs in this delightful performance. **CONTACT:** PYT, 610-332-1400. *Aug. 8*

PHIL STAHL AND THE STILL FALL BAND (*Folk, Rock*). Please see Artist of the Day biography on page 29. **CONTACT:** Phil Stahl, 215-679-2844. *Aug. 12*

PHILADELPHIA THEATRE CARAVAN - "AESOP'S FABLES" (*Children's Theatre*). Philadelphia, PA. Philadelphia Theatre Caravan was founded in 1985 to provide quality theatre shows for young audiences. Its shows, including this year's Musikfest performances of "Aesop's Fables," educate, as well as inspire, the imagination of today's youth. The caravan, which reaches 125,000 children each year, has performed at the International Children's Festival, the International Showcase for Performing Arts for Youth and the Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C. **CONTACT:** Philadelphia Theatre Caravan, 215-242-8007. *Aug. 14, 16*

CYNDI PHILLIPS - TRIBUTES TO PATSY CLINE AND TANYA TUCKER (*Country*). Boston, MA. Often called one of the best natural vocalists around, singer/songwriter Cyndi Phillips is appearing in her third Musikfest and celebrating 10 years of performance. She has also portrayed Patsy Cline in the nationally-known theatrical production, "A Closer Walk With Patsy Cline." **CONTACT:** Anthony Abuisi, 413-662-2752. *Aug. 8*

POKERFACE (*Rock, Modern Adult Alternative, Protest-Political*). Bethlehem, PA. Paul Topete is a singer/songwriter who performs and records full-time under the name PokerFace. His second recording was released in early 1997. Patriotism with a kick is how Topete's music can best be described. He has taken today's sound and injected a positive pro-American, anti Global/New World Order message into it. **CONTACT:** Paul Topete, 610-434-8775. *Aug. 8*

POLKA FAMILY BAND (*Polka*). Numidia, PA. This seven-member group possesses the innate ability to capture its audiences. With a tremendous stage presence and personality it is easy to see why the Polka Family Band has been nominated for three Grammy Awards. The uniqueness of these performers will win your hearts and move your feet. **CONTACT:** Gus Guzevich, 717-799-0888. *Aug. 11*

DIANE PONZIO (*Pop, Jazz*). New York, NY. Diane Ponzio is keenly interested in developing authentic and genuine acoustic music that explores three formidable styles: jazz, rhythm and blues and pop. She is an international performer for Martin Guitars and has released three CDs that can only be outmatched by her live performances. **CONTACT:** Diane Ponzio, 212-477-7552. *Aug. 10, 11*

POPPY COCK BABBLE (*Alternative*). Allentown, PA. Poppy cock babble epitomizes the fusion of high-impact, energy-fueled music and eclectic writing styles that create songs so innovative they defy definition. This Lehigh Valley-based foursome, consisting of Pat Wilson, Eldro, Jason Berger and Ryan Donohue, is bound to carve a niche all its own. **CONTACT:** John Sterling Ruth, 610-746-4555. *Aug. 12*

PREKMURKE & VARASANCI (*Ethnic Slovenia*). Murska Sobota, Slovenia. Prekmurke is a women's chorus from the Prekmurje region of Slovenia. Its repertoire includes Slovenian and Croatian folk songs, folk dances and Slovenian church music. The chorus is accompanied by Varasanci, a five-piece male instrumental group and a male soloist. Both groups are under the direction of Professor Joze Vukan, a music professor in Prekmurje. *Aug. 15, 16*

PUNJABI BY NATURE (*Bhangra, Hip-Hop, Dance*). Toronto, Ontario. It's a bizarre and exotic mix of sounds and grooves that comes from punjabi by nature. Formed in 1993, the band proceeded to put a dramatic spin on traditional hip-hop and dance music by infusing a dose of its native Indian bhangra. Led by singer/songwriter Tiny Singh, the self-described dance/bhangra combo soon evolved into an eight-piece band by adding guitar, bass, drums, percussion, keyboards, a saxophone and a rapper. **CONTACT:** Hugo Rampen, 519-787-1100. *Aug. 12*

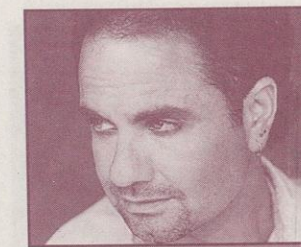
QUEEN BEE AND THE BLUE HORNET BAND (*Blues, Roots Rock*). State College, PA. Queen Bee and the Blue Hornets have been rocking houses at music festivals in the United States, Canada and abroad for over 12 years. The group features a brand of blues and roots rock that promises to make a good time for all. *Aug. 16*

RED ELVISES (*Rock, Surf, Rockabilly*). Los Angeles, CA. Red Elvies are legends of Russian rock. Seeking freedom of gyration, the band fled Russia and, after touring throughout the world, found its new homeland in Venice Beach, Calif. The foursome recently appeared in four feature movies, a VH1 documentary, a PBS special and on "Access Hollywood." The Red Elvies tour North America, conquering hearts of screaming female fans and making tough men cry. Igor Yuzov, Oleg Bernov, Zhenya Kolykhanov, Avi Sills. **CONTACT:** Vladimir Goncharov, 310-478-4672. *Aug. 8, 9*

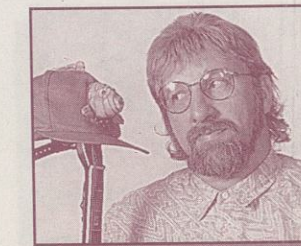
REGAL BRASS QUINTET (*Brass*). New York, NY. Comprised of five of southeastern Pennsylvania's finest young brass musicians, the Regal Brass Quintet is dedicated to bringing varied



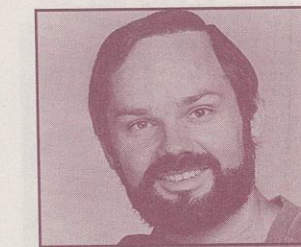
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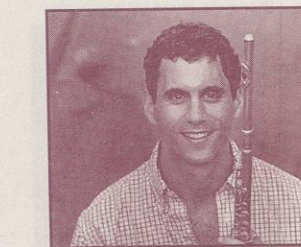
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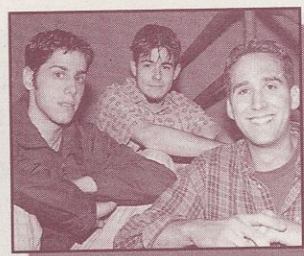
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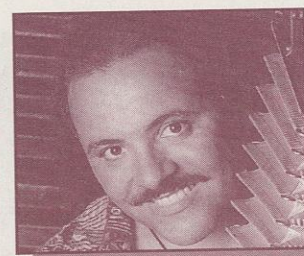
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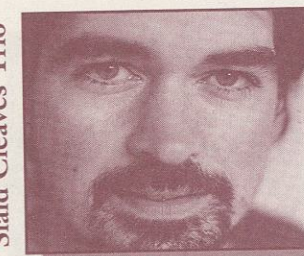
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Slackjaw Blues Band



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programs, ranging from music of the Renaissance through the modern day, to its audiences. Each individual currently studies with the world's finest brass instructors in conservatories and private institutions across the country. Jeffrey Wohlbach, Matthew Holderman, Carolyn Landis, D. Michael Damiani, Robert Phillips. **CONTACT: Jeffrey Wohlbach, 215-679-8859. Aug. 14**

RICK LYON AND THE LYON PUPPETS (*Puppets*). Bloomfield, NJ. For the past 12 years, Rick Lyon has been a puppeteer for the Muppets on television shows such as "Sesame Street" and "The Jim Henson Hour." He has also puppeteered on a variety of home videos and at The Walt Disney World attraction Muppetvision 3-D. Lyon's live shows feature the Lyon Puppets, a colorful cast of bright, eye-catching puppets, as well as his own lively, humorous scripts and original music. **CONTACT: Audience Pleasers, 973-744-1916. Aug. 13**

JOSHUA RIFKIN (*Ragtime, Tango*). Cambridge, MA. Joshua Rifkin has spearheaded the worldwide revival of Scott Joplin's ragtime and is conquering his fascination with the Brazilian tangos of Ernesto Nazareth. His recordings have topped the best-seller lists, and his concerts have attracted capacity crowds in famous venues all over the world including the White House. **CONTACT: Schwalbe and Partners 212-935-5650. Aug. 15**

RIVERBOAT BANJO BAND (*Jazz, Folk, Dixie*). Allentown, PA. The Riverboat Banjo Band performs toe-tapping music from the '90s back to the roaring '20s. The group has performed old show tunes at political rallies, family reunions and other great events for 36 years. **CONTACT: Ollie Krause, 610-433-7378. Aug. 9, 12, 15**

ROCKROOTS (*Rock 'n' Roll History*). Lehigh Valley, PA. RockRoots has been touring schools and festivals for eight years, delighting kids, teachers and parents with a quick-paced, entertaining history of rock 'n' roll, from its rural folk roots to today's urban dance music. The PBS-TV-39 film of the show won the PBS-Pennsylvania Award for Best Children's Programming in 1991 and is considered by many educators as the best assembly program around. Dave

Fry, Craig Thatcher, Kevin Soffera, Beau Jones. For additional information, see Lehigh Valley Artist-in-Residence Dave Fry's biography on page 39. **CONTACT: Dave Fry, 610-867-2390. Aug. 15**

CARL ROSEN (*Pop Rock*). Charlotte, VA. Carl Rosen has been a main attraction on the college circuit since 1987. He is best known as "the guy who sounds exactly like Billy Joel and Elton John," but he is also known for his original work and has released two CDs. Rosen has a powerful voice and a hard-hitting keyboard style. **CONTACT: Jan Rosen, 704-545-3336. Aug. 15**

DAVE RUDOLF (*Family, Children's Music*). Chicago, IL. Dave Rudolf is adept at entertaining adults and children alike. Best known for his uniquely funny music parties which have earned him 12 NACA Campus Entertainment nominations, Rudolf also performs children's shows. He has been headlining at colleges, comedy clubs and major festivals for years. **CONTACT: East Coast Entertainment, 804-355-2178. Aug. 15**

JIM RULE (*Children's, Family*). Annville, PA. Jim Rule, winner of numerous awards including Parents' Choice Gold, is a Spanish teacher and father of three. He has three recordings—*Share This World*, *Let It Shine* and *Too Much Fun*—and has performed throughout North America and Europe. **CONTACT: Jim Rule, 717-867-5199. Aug. 8, 16**

RUNA PACHA (*Traditional Incan Folk*). Otavalo, Ecuador. Runa Pacha is comprised of Incan Indians who play ancestral folk music passed down from generation to generation. Their music and dance is in the Incan blood. The performances of Runa Pacha, which include an impressive display of emotion, bring audiences to their feet. **CONTACT: Jose Muenala, 504-626-4816. Aug. 7-16**

SABOR TROPICAL (*Salsa, Merengue, Latin Jazz*). Please see Artist of the Day biography on page 35. **CONTACT: Angel Lahoz, 610-435-1159. Aug. 15**

DAVID SANBORN (*Jazz*). Please see biography on page 35. **Aug. 15**

SAVAGE GARDEN (*Top 40*). Please see biography on page 23. **Aug. 9**

GARY SCHOCKER (*Classical*). Easton, PA. Gary Schocker is an unusually versatile musician. He is accomplished as a flutist, composer and pianist. Schocker has performed all over the world with distinguished orchestras such as the New York Philharmonic and the Philadelphia Orchestras. He has done two recordings for Cheskyrecords and recently released his album *Airborne*. **CONTACT: Jonathan Wentworth Associates Ltd., 914-667-0707. Aug. 12**

SEVDA (*Balkan, Albanian, Bosnian*). New York, NY. The Sevda Balkan Music Ensemble features music from a part of the world in which song has played a particularly important role. Whether emanating from Christians, Moslems, Gypsies or Jews, the songs and melodies of the Balkan lands are renowned for their special beauty and emotional depth. **CONTACT: Carol Freeman, 212-255-7890. Aug. 16**

THE SEVENTH AVENUE BAND (*Polka, American Dance*). Newark, DE. Bringing you a big-band polka sound, these musicians have developed a unique style featuring a complex, pre-recorded electronic rhythm system. Highly regarded as a top polka entertainer, Seventh Avenue has played in several polka festivals and released a number of recordings over the past decade. "Joe" Smolka, "Joe" Ragan, "Joe" Strusowski. **CONTACT: Joe Smolka, 302-656-8695. Aug. 12**

SHADOWPLAY (*Progressive Rock, Classic Rock*). Lehigh Valley, PA. The Lehigh Valley's premier progressive rock band returns after its rousingly successful appearance at last year's Musikfest. ShadowPlay possesses intricate harmonies and skillful instrumentation on '70s classics by Yes, Pink Floyd, ELP, Steely Dan and the Moody Blues. **CONTACT: Rod Gilkeson, 610-437-0302. Aug. 9**

SHAFATULLAH KHAN (*Indian Classical, World*). Ardmore, PA. Shafaatullah Khan hails from the most distinguished family of Indian classical musicians, tracing his lineage 500 years to the courts of the Moghul emperors. As the leading young musician of India, Shafaatullah's historic accomplishments include being the first person to perform on three instruments (sitar, surbahar,

tabla) in a single concert and the first to record sitar while accompanying himself on tabla. **CONTACT: Shafaatullah Khan, 610-642-5050. Aug. 8**

SHAME (*Pop Rock*). Reading, PA. Characterized as "one of the most popular original acts in the Pennsylvania region," Shame has gathered fans and momentum during its short but eventful lifespan. Recent highlights include a tour of northern England, numerous television and radio appearances and having its music picked up by Universal Records Distribution Company. **CONTACT: Advent Music Management, 610-921-8337. Aug. 11**

SHOWCASE INTERNATIONALE (*World, Euro-Pop, International Folk*). Laurys Station, PA. These three super-talented musicians take you on a musical tour by singing and playing the music of Bulgaria, Russia, Italy, France, Argentina and Austria in their own distinctive style. Al Meixner, Alex Meixner, Mark Heinsman. **CONTACT: Al Meixner, 610-261-3881. Aug. 9**

SILVER & BRASS TROMBONE QUARTET (*Renaissance Trombone*). Bethlehem, PA. While the group is dedicated to performing original trombone literature, its extensive repertoire offers a mix of works, including Sousa, Joplin, Gershwin and Waller. Jon Conrad, Bryan Hay, Ralph Brodt III, Doug Bolasky. **CONTACT: Jon Conrad, 610-867-9135. Aug. 8, 15**

TERRANCE SIMIEN (*Zydeco*). New Orleans, LA. Terrance Simien is one of the most innovative zydeco artists around today. Taking his zydeco roots, he reinvents his music by combining New Orleans rhythms with reggae grooves and lifting it to another level with his exceptional vocal ability. He has performed around the globe, including the New Orleans Jazz & Heritage Festival and at one of the 1997 Presidential Inaugural balls. **CONTACT: Piedmont Talent, 704-399-2210. Aug. 14**

THE SINGING AIRES (*Traditional, Contemporary, Country*). New York, NY. The Singing Aires started in Brooklyn, N.Y. in 1963 before moving to New York City. The group has performed at the White House, as well as internation-

ally. It has one CD, *Airing It Out In The Morning*. Jim Hamilton, Derek Edwards, Jeff Moore, Corey Lewis, Sid Bailey. **CONTACT: Jim Hamilton, 908-835-9061. Aug. 13**

SKEETER & HIS MUSIC MAKERS (*Polka, Waltz, Big Band, Oldies*). Allentown, PA. The Music Makers have been together for 11 years and consist of Skeeter Gardo on accordion, Al Haltz on saxophone and clarinet, Ron Paratsky on trumpet and trombone, Bill Nothstein on drums and Millie Gardo on vocals. Skeeter has been playing the accordion in the Lehigh Valley for 35 years. **Aug. 11**

THE SLACKJAW BLUES BAND (*Blues, Funk, Rock*). Los Angeles, CA. With a ripping roar, the SlackJaw Blues Band brings the timeless sound of the blues into the late '90s by melding its disparate influences into a locomotive rush of sound that transcends the various periods from which it springs. The band, a regular headliner at the legendary B.B. King's Blues Club in Los Angeles, rocks and swings hard through its CD, *Knuckle Down*, and is touring nationally throughout 1998. **CONTACT: Granite Hill Entertainment, 310-399-3412. Aug. 15**

SLAID CLEAVES TRIO (*Folk*). Austin, TX. Slaid Cleaves' songs are life stories sung with quiet confidence and striking delivery. He honed his songwriting craft in his native Maine before moving to Austin, where he won the prestigious "New Folk" songwriter competition at the Kerrville Folk Festival. His new album, *No Angel Knows*, with its natural blend of folk, country and rock 'n' roll troubadour stylings, is the satisfying end of a long journey and the fitting start of another. **CONTACT: Nancy Fly & Associates, 512-474-7419. Aug. 14**

MICHAEL SMITH (*Acoustic*). Chicago, IL. This year, Michael Smith brings his singing and songwriting talents and passion to the Lehigh Valley for his second Musikfest performance. Smith, who has been performing for over 30 years, has appeared at dozens of major folk and music festivals across the United States and Canada, including the Kerrville, Black Mountain and Philadelphia folk festivals. Today, he continues writing while keeping up a



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steady touring schedule, which includes songwriting workshops as well as concerts. **CONTACT:** Artists of Note, 630-557-2742. Aug. 12

SMYRNEIKI KOMPANIA (Greek). New York, NY. With hauntingly beautiful melodies, rich ornamentation and soulful improvisation, Smyrneiki Kompania artfully creates the smooth music of the 1930s urban Greek Cafe Aman. Smyrneiki Kompania recaptures the essence of the Cafe Aman in performances that sparkle with its unique blend of authenticity, warmth and musical versatility. The songs, telling passionate tales of love and despair, range from the delicate and sensual dance tunes of Asia Minor to the powerful and poignant *zeibekika* of the Rebetik underworld, to the well-known folk melodies of the Greek countryside. **CONTACT:** Carol Freeman, 212-255-7890. Aug. 16

SOL - SERVANTS OF LORD (Christian Rock). Bangor, PA. Servants of Lord was formed in 1993 by Douglas McDanolds, Dave Strunk and Jack Scott. In February 1997 the band released a CD, *Way Back Home*. Later that year, lead guitarist Virgil Nestoric joined the ensemble. SOL's most memorable events have included opening for speaker David Ring and producing its CD. **CONTACT:** Holly McDanolds, 610-588-7678. Aug. 13

SONG OF THE SHTEL (Jewish). New York, NY. With spirit, tenderness and joy, Song of the Shtetl presents Yiddish songs and melodies of the Old World. Its repertoire is learned from extensive study with immigrant singers, as well as from vintage recordings. The songs reflect all aspects of Jewish life in Eastern Europe and range from poignant ballads to lively *freilechs*, and from familiar sing-along tunes to rarely heard treasures. **CONTACT:** Carol Freeman, 212-255-7890. Aug. 16

STARDUST CABARET (Cabaret, Standards, Show Tunes). Lehigh Valley, PA. Since 1988, Stardust Cabaret has entertained audiences in New York, Philadelphia and New Hope with the Broadway and Hollywood songs of Gershwin, Berlin, Porter and many others. Vocalist Bob Cohen, backed

up by Richard Groman, released his debut CD, *Moonlight and Love Songs*, in 1997. **CONTACT:** Bob Cohen, 610-867-1818. Aug. 11

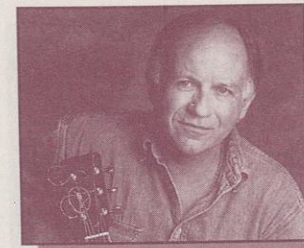
STARSHIP featuring **MICKEY THOMAS** ('80s Rock). Please see biography on page 37. Aug. 16

STEVE FERGUSON AND THE MIDWEST CREOLE ENSEMBLE (Roots, Blues). Louisville, KY. Steve Ferguson, one of the most distinctive guitarists on the roots music scene and a cofounder of NRBQ, is back with a vengeance. He is a major influence on a great many of today's guitar players, from Los Lobos' David Hidalgo to Greg Martin of Kentucky Headhunters. **CONTACT:** Bookin', 610-682-7333. Aug. 11

STEVEN VINCENT BENÉT FIDDLE CONTEST (Fiddle Playing). This event is the last of three fiddle contests being held in honor of Steven Vincent Benét, the American author and poet who was born in Fountain Hill 100 years ago. The fiddle contests are part of a larger, yearlong centennial celebration honoring the man whose works include "John Brown's Body," "The Devil and Daniel Webster" and "Mountain Whippoorwill," a poem about a young man from the mountains who wins first prize in a Georgia fiddle contest. Aug. 9

EVELYN STEWART (Classical, Opera Arias, Negro Spirituals). Bethlehem, PA. Mezzo-soprano Evelyn Stewart will perform in concert with pianist Brian Henkelmann. In June 1990, Stewart traveled with the Moravian Choir of Bethlehem on a two-week tour of the Soviet Union, Czechoslovakia and East Germany. The Bethlehem native was a featured soloist, singing the Negro Spiritual "Ride On, King Jesus." She is a member of the Allentown Music Club and the Opera North Company of Philadelphia. **CONTACT:** Evelyn Stewart, 610-974-9895. Aug. 13

SWAMPADELICA (New York/New Orleans Funkabilly). Boonton, NJ. Swampadelica features original music created from the infectious grooves and melodies of many styles...New Orleans and southern funk, blues,



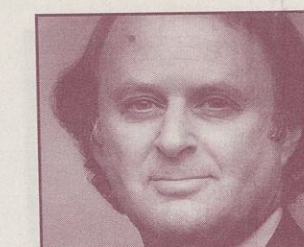
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zydeco, Motown, gospel, country and free jazz. Singer/percussionist Stevo Nelson has sat in with many greats, including Phish, Subdudes, The Radiators, Terrance Simien, Zachary Richard, Rob Wasserman and Marcia Ball. Stevo Nelson, Dai Calcagne, Jack O'Donnell, Tim Cassidy, Paul Kuzik, Bill Miller. **CONTACT: Damian Calcagne, 973-335-7873. Aug. 14**

SWING CITY CENTRAL (*Big Band, Swing*). Lehigh Valley, PA. Swing City Central is a nostalgic vocal group that explores the American music heritage of the 1920s, '30s and '40s. Dressed in attire suggested by the period, these performers have worked the eastern Pennsylvania region and are held in high regard in the music community. The group released its first recording, *Swing City Central: All Aboard!*, in 1995. Jeanne Hoover, Sally Reith, Michael Traupman, Tom Yenser. **CONTACT: Sally Reith, 610-867-2470. Aug. 9**

THE SWING LATIN JAZZ SEX-TET (*Latin Jazz*). Philadelphia, PA. Abiud Troche has performed with artists Oscar Hernandez, Tito Nieves and Jose Mongual. Jeff Niess has performed with Hot Clave Bop at the Newport Jazz and St. Croix Jazz festivals and opened for Tito Puente. Hector Rosado has performed with David Burne, Edgardo Cintrone, Jose Alberto, Celia Cruz and Tito Puente. Abiud Troche, Jeff Niess, Hector Rosado, Andrew Neu, Elio Villafranca, Joseph Rodriguez. **CONTACT: Abiud Troche, 215-788-1597. Aug. 8**

SWOON (*Pop, Electronic, Alternative*). Drexel Hill, PA. Swoon offers a different sound, a different style and a different band. It has a sound that is both beat driven and melodic, thick with modern electronics and classic drive. Swoon melds synthesizers and samplers with the elements of traditional rock to create a sound that tests the intense outer limits of modern pop music. **CONTACT: Astro Atlantic Productions, 610-532-1175. Aug. 11**

TAMARACK (*Folk, Acoustic, "Canadian Routes Music"*). Ontario. With vocal harmonies as true as the stories they tell, Tamarack uses contemporary folk music

to explore the Canadian landscape and the people who have shaped its national character. Using a lush array of instruments, the band's performances are charged with the same passion and commitment as the heroes of its songs. Molly Kurvink, Alex Sinclair, James Gordon. **CONTACT: Artists of Note, 630-557-2742. Aug. 15, 16**

THE 3 JAKES (*Folk 'n' Roll*). Allentown, PA. Their popularity is exploding, yet they refuse to tour. Appearances are rare, yet they pack every house. Mystery and intrigue shroud the 3 Jakes, yet this much is known-their supercharged fusion of high-energy harmonies, sock-rockin' rhythms and all-stops-out fun make each performance as much a party as a concert. Jim Gentile, Mike Feiner, Don Consul, Dave Rowland, Frank Gentile, T.J. Farkus. **CONTACT: Jim Gentile, 610-395-7005. Aug. 16**

PATRICK TOBIN - TRIBUTE TO FRANK SINATRA (*Adult Contemporary*). Patrick Tobin has been entertaining as a Frank Sinatra impersonator for the last three years. His smooth voice and incredibly polished stage presence have entertained audiences at corporate, private and legend shows. Tobin is capable of singing just about any Sinatra song requested. **CONTACT: DJ with Class & Impostor Bostonians, 781-871-1715. Aug. 16**

TOMMY THOMAS AND COMPANY (*Polka, Country, Slovenian*). Baltimore, MD. With over 13 years of travel up and down the eastern seaboard, this trio has mastered the art of performance. The band's most recent recordings are *10th Anniversary* and *Lucky 7*. Tommy Thomas, Tommy Pawlikowski, Stephen Matousek. **CONTACT: Tommy Thomas, 410-285-5036. Aug. 13**

TOUCHSTONE THEATRE - "STORIES OF STEEL" (*Theatre*). Bethlehem PA. This is the story of the super substance that enabled America to shoot skyscrapers into the air, leap across rivers on incredible bridges and travel further and faster than anyone ever thought possible. With "Stories of Steel," the Touchstone ensemble takes us back to the source, to the men and women who came

from all over the world to work at the Bethlehem Steel. Their stories of pride, danger and teamwork fuse, take shape, melt and reconfigure into this exciting new production. **CONTACT: Shirl Gower, 610-867-1689. Aug. 8, 15, 16.**

MICHAEL LANE TRAUTMAN (*Visual Comedy*). New York, NY. Michael Lane Trautman combines the universal appeal of an accomplished mime with the wit and improvisation of a stand-up comic to enthrall his audiences. He juggles Ping-Pong balls that magically disappear and reappear, and anything that isn't nailed down is balanced on his chin. His use of audience participation makes for a highly entertaining family show that appeals to children and adults alike. **CONTACT: Douglas Tuchman Talent & Entertainment Marketing, 212-427-3221. Aug. 12, 13**

TROMBOSIS (*Jazz*). Bethlehem, PA. Trombosis, which salutes that "forgotten" instrument, the trombone, consists of the trombone and rhythm sections of the Rob Stoneback Big Band playing straight-ahead jazz. Many of the arrangements are done by Rob Stoneback, the band's leader. **CONTACT: Rob Stoneback, 610-691-6628. Aug. 14**

JASON VIEAUX (*Classical Guitar*). At age 19, Jason Vieaux was the youngest person ever to win first prize in the Guitar Foundation of America International Competition. In 1995, he completed a seven-country tour in Asia as an artistic ambassador of the United States. The next year, he was a prizewinner in the Naumburg International Guitar Competition. He is on the guitar faculty of The Cleveland Institute of Music. **CONTACT: Jonathan Wentworth Associates, Ltd., 914-667-0707. Aug. 11, 12**

THE VILLAGE PEOPLE (*'70s Disco*). Please see biography on page 33. **Aug. 14**

THE WALT GROLLER ORCHESTRA (*Austrian/Bavarian Polka*). Please see Artist of the Day biography on page 37. **CONTACT: Walt Groller, 610-435-4009. Aug. 16**

ANDREA WITTCHEN (*Classical Harpist*). Please see Artist of the Day biography on page 33. **CONTACT: Andrea G. Wittchen, 610-837-8278. Aug. 14**

THE WORD (*R&B, Hip-Hop*). Atlanta, GA. The Word is a five-person, a cappella, rhythm and blues, hip-hop group that reaches out to diverse audiences. The group has been performing for the last several years at everything from corporate functions to church events. Its music is a fresh mix of original and cover sounds that sends a message which is inspiring, motivational and encouraging to the soul. **CONTACT: DCA Productions, 212-245-2063. Aug. 15**

ZEN FOR PRIMATES (*Artistic Rock*). Allentown, PA. Dan DeLuca of Tower Records' Pulse magazine describes Allentown's Zen For Primates as a musical "Frankenstein's monster." He says they sound "a little like the Kronos Quartet meets Led Zeppelin and Gene Pitney in a Munich beer hall where Marlene Dietrich is the bar maid." T. Roth, Mike Krisukas, Mimi Papp, Jody Beder, Simon Maurer, Pete Fluck. **CONTACT: Miriam Huertas, 610-433-4436. Aug. 15**

SUSAN ZIMMERMAN - TRIBUTE TO BARBRA STREISAND (*Adult Contemporary*). Susan Zimmerman has been working as a Barbra Streisand impersonator for the past five years. Her look and incredible voice make her one of the premier Streisand impersonators in the world. She has appeared in the "Legends in Concert" act in Atlantic City and Las Vegas and performed in places such as Singapore and Hong Kong. **CONTACT: DJ with Class & Impostor Bostonians, 781-871-1715. Aug. 16**

TOMMY ZITO (*Classics, Classical, Rock*). Lehigh Valley, PA. Tommy Zito has been performing live for 31 years. His experience was acquired as a member of the Uproar, Magnum and RCA recording group Aviator, and he has performed with the likes of Hall & Oats, Todd Rundgren, Chubby Checker and Bruce Springsteen. For the sixth straight year, Zito is the summer entertainer at Resorts Hotel and Casino in Atlantic City. **CONTACT: Jan Zito, 610-261-1848. Aug. 11, 12**

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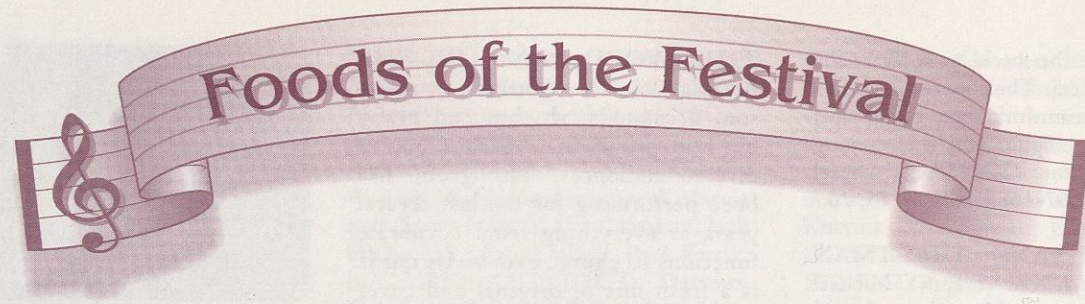


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Darto's Restaurant - Burger Melt, Chicken Fingers, Pierogies, Potato Skins, Pasties, Texas Chili, Chicken Sandwich
Kimble's - Smoothies and Fruit Cups
Palm Beach - Bourbon Chicken, Jack Daniels Steak, Alligator on a Stick, Seafood Etouffee, Red Beans & Rice, Jambalaya, Blackened Fish
Perose - Crab N Cheese Bites, Crabcake Sandwich, Fried Shrimp, Fried Oyster, Clam Strips, Grilled Salmon Taco, Fish Salad, Shark on a Stick, Grilled Clam Casino, Boardwalk Fries, Fish N Chips
The Brass Rail Restaurant - Hots Dogs, Steak and Steak & Cheese Sandwiches
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Giovanni's Restaurant - Italian Sausage, Italian Pork Sandwich, Meat Ball Sandwich, Chicken Parmesan Sandwich, Mozzarella Sticks, Canoli, Coffee, Cappuccino, Italian Ices, Italian Spritzers
Häagen Dazs - Ice Cream, Yogurt, Sorbet, Novelties
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Pretzels Plus - Handrolled Pretzels, Pretzel Dogs, Frozen Fruit Drinks, Iced Tea
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Bucky's - Santa Fe Grilled Chicken Wrap, Chicken Caesar Wrap/Pita, Grilled Mexican Beef Melt, Tex-Mex Shaved Pitt Beef
E-ZEE Concessions - Funnel Cakes, Nachos, Candy Apples, Caramel Apples, Pop Corn, Soft Pretzels, Cotton Candy, Coffee, Hot Tea
Häagen Dazs - Ice cream, Yogurt, Sorbet, Novelties
Helmur's Strudel - Assorted Strudels, Broccoli and Spinach Puffs, Beef Wellington Roll, Puff Dogs, German Roasted Almonds, Twisted Pretzels
Jackson Masters - Crab Cake Sandwich, Cream of Crab Soup, Butterfly Fries, Fruit Smoothies
Johnsonville Foods Company - Bratwurst, Beer & Brat, Kielbasa
Meyers Restaurant - Apple Dumplings, Assorted Crumb Cakes, Duchess Cheddar Cheese Soup with Vegetables, Toll House Pie, Coffee
Papa John's Pizza - Pizza, Breadsticks
Smitty's French Fries - French Fries, Pierogies, Pizza Rolls
Snow Cones Unlimited - Snow Cones
Viennese Pastries Cafe & Restaurant - Potato Pancakes (Platzzi), Sauerbraten, Schweinbraten, Eingemachtes, Haluski, Paprikas, Fitters, Pastries, Coffee, Milk, Hot Tea

🛠 HANDWERKPLATZ

Buckeye Tavern - Black Diamond Steak Sandwich, Buckeye Burger, Chicken Cheesesteak, Pickle on a Stick, Baked Beans, Caesar Salad, Black Diamond Caesar Salad
Cheesecake Aly - Cheesecakes
Dutch Treats - Birch Beer, Ginger Beer, Sarsaparilla
E-ZEE Concessions - Funnel Cakes, Nachos, Candy Apples, Caramel Apples, Pop Corn, Soft Pretzels, Cotton Candy
Fasig's Coffee - Iced Coffee, Iced Cappuccino, Granita, Coffee, Frozen Cappuccino
Häagen Dazs - Ice Cream, Yogurt, Sorbet, Novelties
Hogar Crea of Freemansburg - Shish-ka-bob, Rice with Chicken, Beans

Mr. Bill's Poultry - Turkey London Broil, Chicken in a Pita, Turkey Sausage Sandwich, Turkey Hot Dog, Garden Salad with Turkey or Chicken, Lime Fizz, Chicken Fingers
Nuts N Such - Assorted Bulk Nuts, Candy, Dried Fruits and Snacks

🍷 KINDERPLATZ

Auntie Anne's Pretzels - Assorted Flavors Handrolled Pretzels, Dutch Ice
Heaven on a Bun - Hamburgers, Cheeseburgers, Chicken Burger, Veggie Burger, Peanut Butter & Jelly, Grilled Cheese, Macaroni & Cheese, French Fries, Milk, Chocolate Milk
Kimble's - Smoothies and Fruit Cups
Papa John's Pizza - Pizza, Breadsticks
Snow Cones Unlimited - Snow Cones
Texas Pitt Bar B Q - Beef, Ham or Pork BBQ, Turkey Breast, Panhandle Punch
Uncle Ernie's Gourmet Cookies - Assorted Cookies, Gingerbread Men, N.Y. Black and Whites, Boxed Fancy Filled Cookies, Coffee, Milk
Yocco's "The Hot Dog King" - Hot Dogs, Chili Hot Dogs, Chili Cheesesteaks, Pierogies

🎵 KUNSTPLATZ

Fasig's Coffee - Iced Coffee, Iced Cappuccino, Granita, Coffee, Frozen Cappuccino
Häagen Dazs - Ice Cream, Yogurt, Sorbet, Novelties
Liberty Concessions - Funnel Cake, Sausage, Salads, Steak, Hot Dogs, Pretzels, Smoothies, Lemonade
Smitty's French Fries - French Fries, Pierogies, Pizza Rolls
Snow Cones Unlimited - Snow Cones, Popcorn, Cotton Candy

🎵 LIEDERPLATZ

Danny's - Chicken Dinner, Ham Dinner, Hot Ham Sandwich, Baked Potato, Sweet Corn on the Cob, Whipped Fruit Drinks, Orangeade
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🍷 MAIN STREET

Confetti Cafe - Ice Cream, Yogurt, Ice Cappuccino, Cappuccino Floats, Ice Cream Soda, Gelati Filled Fruit
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Moravian Book Shop - Cajun Burger, Bayou Wings, French Fries, Iced Tea, Pecan Pie

Nico's Pizza - Neapolitan Pizza, Sicilian Pizza, Stromboli, Calzone, Stuffed Pizza, Pink Lemonade
Nuts N Such - Assorted Bulk Nuts, Candy, Dried Fruits and Snacks
Pott's Doggie Shop - Hot Dogs
Snow Cones Unlimited - Snow Cones
Take A Taco - Beef, Chicken or Tuna Tacos & Taco Salads, Steak & Chicken Fajitas, Nachos, Mexican Salads, Cinnamon Strips
Viennese Pastries Cafe & Restaurant - Cake, Coffee

🌍 VOLKSPLATZ

B&K Catering - Strawberry Shortcake, Peanut Butter Pie, Chocolate Cream Cake, Chocolate Mousse Cake, White Chocolate Raspberry Cake, Cheese Cake, Vegetarian or Regular Chili in a Bread Bowl, Soups, Beef BBQ, Turkey, Roast Beef or Tuna Sandwiches, Tuna and Chicken Salad in a Bread Bowl, Coffees, Teas, Espresso, Cappuccino, Milk, Hot Chocolate, Iced Tea
Bethlehem Dairy Store - Ice Cream, Soft Serve Ice Cream, Belgian Waffles, Chipwhich
Coconut Grove - Strawberry Daquiri or Piña Colada in a Fresh Coconut
Concession Systems - Alligator, Ostrich, Buffalo or Shark on a Stick or Wrap, French Fries, Veggie Wrap, Butterfly Fry Chips, Iced Tea
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J&L Catering - Italian Sausage, Italian Chicken, Chicken Parmesan, Pasta Salad, Potato Salad, Corn on the Cob, Hot Pasta, Iced Tea, Coffee
Japanese Express - Chicken, Beef, Steak/Chicken or Shrimp Terriyaki or Yyakisoba Combo, Steamed Rice, Teriyaki Vegetables, Iced Tea
Lucey's Lantern - Tacos, Enchiladas, Chicken Burritos, Mexican Cheesesteak, Taco Salads, Nachos
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Pho Vung Tau Viet - Egg Roll, White Rice, Fried Rice, Grilled Pork, Shrimp, Chicken or Beef on a Stick, Saigon Beef Stew
Pretzels Plus - Handrolled Pretzels, Pretzel Dogs, Frozen Fruit Drinks, Iced Tea
Rudy's Restaurant - Gyros, Chicken Gyros, Greek Salad, Spinach Pie, Stuffed Vine Leaves, Baklava, Grecian Delight Pita, Greek Salad in a Pita, Grecian Delight Antipasto
Snow Cones Unlimited - Snow Cones
Steakman Mediterranean Foods - Seafood Paella, Steak in a Sack, Shrimp & Scallop Scampi Linguine, Shish Kabob, Chicken Divine, Falafel, Sea Sack, Linguine Al Gardenaro, Tabouleh Salad, Stuffed Meat Kibbeh, Stuffed Vine Leaves, Hummus Spread, French Fries, Almond Croissant, Coconut Macaroon, Fresh Lemonade, Fruit Smoothies



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SALMA ARASTU **Saturday, August 15**

Arastu is a painter who received her B.F.A. and M.F.A. in India. Her images range from surrealist to figurative to abstract. She has had numerous solo and group exhibitions including the galleries at Northampton Community College, Moravian College, Cedar Crest College and Lehigh University in the Lehigh Valley and La Mama La Gallery in New York, N.Y. Arastu is a Banana Factory artist and has her studio on the second floor. Her mural will show a dynamic group of people playing instruments and dancing to reflect the musical celebration of Musikfest.

KIRK A. GIBSON **Friday, August 14**

Gibson has been making art since the age of 4. He has worked as a street artist at Sea World in Florida and as a park supervisor of showcase and entertainment artists for Disney World. Gibson has also freelanced in advertising and commercial design for many years; however, he has maintained his fine art interest by creating works for himself.

Gibson's mural will represent the past and the present of Bethlehem. His images will reflect the landscape of an era past in sepia tones, while showing familiar sites of today's Bethlehem in full color.

GAYLE F. HENDRICKS **Tuesday, August 11**

Hendricks has over 25 years experience in the commercial art and design field. She is currently an art director

at Christmas City Printing. She has been a Musikfest volunteer for all 14 years and designed the Musikfest pins for 1998. She also volunteers at the Banana Factory in Bethlehem as a gallery docent.

Concentrating on Bethlehem's present, Hendricks has chosen to represent the diversity that thrives in our area. She shows how the rich cultural heritage of the Lehigh Valley comes together to celebrate the music and ourselves.

CLAIRE MARCUS **Sunday, August 9**

Marcus is a fiber artist who uses quilt motifs and antique Celtic symbols in her one-of-a-kind, hand-knit wearable art. The natural fibers she uses are obtained primarily from local sources. She is a Pennsylvania Council on the Arts in Education roster artist and has demonstrated her fiber techniques to school groups.

Marcus is a Banana Factory artist and her studio can be found on the second floor. Her mural will concentrate on Bethlehem's past. Her image shows the serene and peaceful beauty of the Countess Benigne's Gardens.

NANCY SCHINDELE **Saturday, August 8**

Schindele is a sculptor who received her M.F.A. from Cranbrook Academy of Art in Bloomfield Hills, Mich., and her B.F.A. from Arizona State University, Tempe, Ariz. Her sculpture explores the use of the unit to create intriguing juxtapositions of color and shape. She was a teaching assistant at Cranbrook Academy and

worked on gallery committees at the Harry Wood Art Gallery, Arizona State University.

Schindele is a Banana Factory artist and her studio can be found on the second floor. Her mural is full layered colors, like the entertainment at Musikfest!

GINI ILLICK/AMERICAN MURAL CLASS

Monday, August 10
Wednesday, August 12
Thursday, August 13

Musikfest murals will also be painted by children involved in a Banana Factory class taught by artist Gini Illick. Illick will be teaching the elements of African, Asian, Latin, European and American art in this serious exposure to art history, drawing and painting. The human figure, cultural experience and common cultural themes are explored. The children will work together to create, design and produce murals to represent and celebrate the rich heritage that comes together in the Lehigh Valley.

All artists will be at Muralplatz on Sunday, August 16 to finish up their work and share information with Musikfest visitors.



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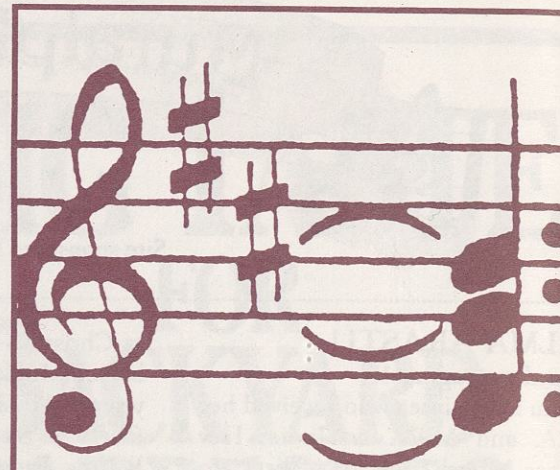
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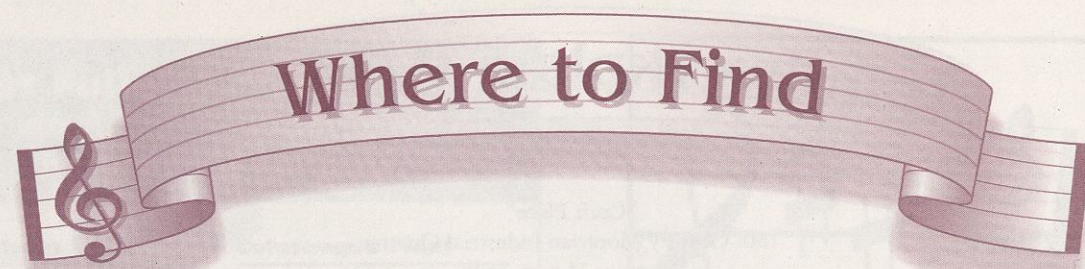
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Whether you are visiting Musikfest for the first time, or are a seasoned attendee, we urge you to read through the next few pages. They contain information on a range of services and facilities you may need as you enjoy your stay at the festival.

ACCESS FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

Public parking with relatively easy access for persons with disabilities is available in the Walnut Street Parking Garage located within the festival site. Reserved off-site parking is available only at the Lehigh Shopping Center off Union Boulevard. A free shuttle bus, provided by Good Shepherd Rehabilitation Hospital, will transport a disabled person and one companion to the festival. Reserved parking for disabled persons is not available at any of the festival sites; however, limited parking is available on Conestoga Street near Festplatz.

Most Musikfest sites are wheelchair accessible. Points of entry are:

- Americaplatz - Church and New Streets
- Familienplatz - Broad Street Mall at New or Guetter Streets
- Festplatz - Spring and Main Streets
- Handwerkplatz - From Main Street to Ohio Road
- Kinderplatz - Spring and Main Streets
- Kunstplatz - Moravian College Church Street Campus parking lot. **This is not a public parking lot.*
- Liederplatz - Walnut Street and Main Street at the Sun Inn
- Main Street - Broad and Main Streets
- Volksplatz - From Festplatz over the Stone Arch Bridge, or from Union Boulevard onto Old York Road

Few architectural barriers exist throughout the festival site; however, there is a steep hill going down Main Street from the corner of Church Street to Festplatz and Kunstplatz. Handwerkplatz, Kinderplatz, Kunstplatz and Volksplatz are located on grassy areas. Ohio Road will be handicap accessible.

At Kunstplatz, in each of the ticketed sections, there is seating available for persons in wheelchairs. Anyone accompanying a person with physical disabilities must have a ticket for the same seating section.

ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

The Bethlehem Musikfest Association offers an assortment of beer, wine and coolers for purchase by our patrons at

Americaplatz, Festplatz, Liederplatz, Musikfest Bandstand and Volksplatz. Please enjoy the drinks available at each of these sites. Do not bring your own to the festival. Since Musikfest is a nonprofit corporation, the proceeds from food and beverage sales help offset some of the costs of presenting the free musical performances at the festival.

We ask you not to carry any alcoholic beverages outside these entertainment areas. State law prohibits the removal of alcoholic beverages from the areas at which they are served.

The legal drinking age in Pennsylvania is 21. Musikfest staff or volunteers may request photo identification from anyone purchasing alcoholic beverages. Minors will not be served. Musikfest reserves the right to withhold alcohol from anyone who lacks proof of age. The City of Bethlehem Police may also check IDs and deal with those who behave irresponsibly.

DRINKING AND DRIVING DON'T MIX!

If you or a friend are driving and have had too much to drink, locate the nearest information booth and a cab will be called at your expense.

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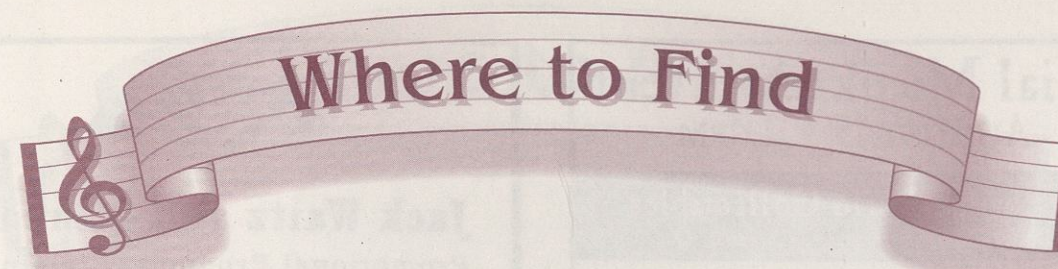
Branches of several of our sponsor banks on or near the festival site:

- Summit Bank at One Bethlehem Plaza on Familienplatz
- First Star Savings Bank at 418 West Broad Street near Third Avenue
- Keystone Savings Bank at Ninth Avenue and West Broad Street
- First Union at Broad and Guetter Streets on Familienplatz
- Nazareth National Bank at 44 East Broad Street
- Ambassador Bank at 231 East Broad Street

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Those that incorporate the MAC system are located at the following bank branches:

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First Union

ATMs are on-site at:

- Familienplatz
- Festplatz
- Volksplatz
- Kinderplatz
- Americaplatz

BICYCLES/PEDALPLATZ

Free bicycle-monitored parking is available at two Pedalplatz locations: on the Second Avenue ramp off the Hill-to-Hill Bridge and on the east side of City Hall near Americaplatz. Riders should bring their own locks. Bicycles may be kept in monitored racks from noon until 8 p.m. daily. All cyclists receive a one-day pass for the Musikfest Trolley.

CONCERTS

While most of the concerts at Musikfest are free, some do require tickets and/or admission. They include:

Asa Packer Concert Series at the Zoellner Arts Center, Lehigh University. Admission \$12.

Candlelight Concert Series in Foy Concert Hall, Moravian College Center for Music and Art, South Main Street. Admission \$12.

Ice House at Sand Island. Admission ranges from \$3 to \$10.

Kunstplatz Concerts near the Community Arts Pavilion. General admission ranges from \$6 to \$15, depending on the concert. All performances are free to the public. Limited seating is available for persons in wheelchairs. In compliance with the request of the property's owner, patrons may place their lawn chairs and blankets on the field only after 4 p.m. Items left on the field between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. will be removed and discarded.

CONCERT TICKETS

To purchase Asa Packer Series, Candlelight, Ice House at Sand Island and Kunstplatz Concert tickets call 610-332-1350, or stop by the Banana Factory at 211 Plymouth Street, or visit our website at www.musikfest.org. Banana Factory hours for purchasing tickets are, by phone: Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and by

walk-in: Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Prior to August 3, mail-order tickets for all concerts will be sent to the purchaser's home.

From August 3-6, tickets may be picked up at the Banana Factory between the hours of 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturdays.

Beginning August 7, concerts tickets are available daily from the Banana Factory between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. Tickets are also available from the Festplatz Box Office between noon and 9 p.m. with the exceptions noted below:

On the night of a concert:

- Remaining Candlelight Concert tickets may only be purchased at the Foy Concert Hall Box Office, Moravian College, one hour before showtime.
- Remaining Asa Packer Concert tickets for The Bach Choir, The Musikfest Chorus and Gullah Gullah Island performances may only be purchased from the Box Office at the Zoellner Arts Center, Lehigh University, one hour before showtime.
- Remaining Kunstplatz Concert tickets may only be purchased from the Kunstplatz Box Office at the site, one hour before showtime. At Kunstplatz, in each of the ticketed sections, there is seating available for persons in wheelchairs. Anyone accompanying a person with physical disabilities must have a ticket for the same seating section.
- Remaining Ice House at Sand Island Concert tickets may only be purchased at the Box Office at the Ice House, one hour before showtime.

WILL CALL

Individuals may claim their pre-purchased tickets at the Banana Factory, 211 Plymouth Street (across from the Comfort Suites) between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. OR at the respective Candlelight, Asa Packer Series, Ice House at Sand Island and Kunstplatz Box Office locations one hour before concert time. Photo ID is required to pick up tickets.

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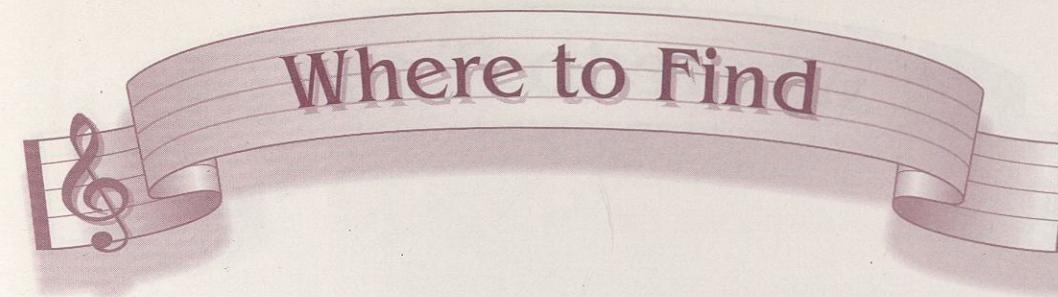
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Few rules exist at Musikfest; however, the ones that do ensure a safe and enjoyable festival experience. Please read and follow them!

- DO NOT bring food or beverages to the festival
- NO coolers or pitchers permitted
- NO PETS allowed, except guide dogs
- Shoes and shirts are REQUIRED
- DO NOT REMOVE alcoholic beverages from the site
- NO bikes, skateboards, roller blades or audio equipment on festival grounds
- NO soliciting
- NO reserved chairs or tables
- NO SMOKING in any tented areas or Kunstplatz seating areas
- DO NOT climb on any scaffold towers or stages
- For your own safety, DO NOT swim or wade in the creek, canal or river.

Defacing property within the Musikfest site may result in prosecution.

FIRST AID

First Aid stations called "Healthplatz," located at Festplatz, Familienplatz, Kinderplatz and Volksplatz, plus Americaplatz on weekends, are sponsored by St. Luke's Hospital. First aid service at the festival is free. If additional treatment is needed, an ambulance and/or hospital may charge for services.

A private area where mothers can nurse and change diapers is located at Kinderplatz. Supplies for changing diapers will be available. St. Luke's HealthStar will also be on site for first aid.

FOOD AND DRINK

About 60 authorized Musikfest food vendors offer an assortment of foods, beverages and desserts. Vendors are located at each site throughout the festival grounds. Authorized Musikfest food and beverage stands are identified by the Musikfest Lyre Logo and accept Musikfest food and beverage tickets only. Vendors displaying this sign are authorized by Musikfest and contribute a significant portion of their proceeds to help offset festival expenses. We strongly encourage your patronage and appreciate your support. The sponsor for the food and beverage tickets is Papa John's Pizza.

Please do not bring your own food or beverages to the festival. For a complete list of food vendors and their menus, please see the "Foods of the Festival" section.

FOOD AND BEVERAGE TICKETS

Tickets are valued at \$.50 each and are sold individually or in \$10 sheets. Musikfest food and beverage tickets may be purchased at ticket booths and used at any authorized Musikfest food or beverage stand. Tickets are non-refundable.

HOTELS/BED & BREAKFASTS

Official Musikfest '98 hotels are:

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Barnhouse Village
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Bath, PA
610-837-1234

Black Horse Inn
Rt. 611, 3 miles south of Easton
610-515-1782

Comfort Inn Allentown
Rt. 100 N. & I-78
Allentown
610-391-0344

Comfort Inn Bethlehem
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Bethlehem
610-865-6300

Comfort Suites Bethlehem
120 W. 3rd Street
Bethlehem
610-882-9700

Courtyard By Marriott
2160 Motel Drive
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Route 100 & I-78
Allentown
610-391-1000

Ramada Inn at the Malls
MacArthur Road & Route 22
Whitehall
610-439-1037

Residence Inn by Marriott
2180 Motel Drive
Bethlehem
610-317-2662

Sayre Mansion Inn
250 Wyandotte Street
Bethlehem
610-882-2100

Sheraton Inn Jetport
3400 Airport Road
Allentown
610-266-1000

Wydnor Hall Inn
3612 Old Philadelphia Pike
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Several area hotels and B&Bs offer special Musikfest rates. When calling to reserve a room during the festival, please let them know Musikfest is the reason for your reservation. Thank you for supporting our sponsors!

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LICENSED MERCHANDISE

Area merchants participating with the Bethlehem Musikfest Association under a licensing agreement will carry an additional line of Musikfest merchandise. Sales from this merchandise help support future festivals.

LOST AND FOUND

Found items should be taken to the nearest ticket and information booth. Wallets, keys and other valuables may be claimed at the Musikfest office at the Banana Factory, located at 211 Plymouth Street. Musikfest is not responsible for lost items. Items will be held for 30 days following the festival.

LOST PEOPLE/CHILDREN

If you become separated from your companions, we suggest you go to the nearest ticket and information booth to meet your party. We cannot make announcements from the stage except in emergency situations. Lost children should be taken to the nearest ticket and information booth. Their names and descriptions will be circulated throughout the festival. The children will stay at the ticket and information booth until their parents/guardians are found.

MAPS & DIRECTIONAL SIGNS

If you are trying to locate your position within the Musikfest site, please refer to the "Map of the Festival." The map shows locations of Musikfest Attractions and Services, Telephones, Parking, Information, Tickets and Merchandise, Shuttle Bus and Trolley Stops, the Souvenir Store, Museums and Galleries within the festival site, First Aid Sites and "Portoplatz." In addition, look for large directional signs throughout the festival to guide you from site to site.

PARKING/SHUTTLEPLATZ!

Road construction will be ongoing during the summer of 1998 and it may affect your getting to Musikfest. For construction updates, call PennDOT at 610-798-4104. For Route 22 updates, call 610-791-9354, tune in to Highway Advisory

Radio at 1630 AM or go to the web site at www.22renew.com. You may want to avoid the heavy traffic congestion in downtown Bethlehem during the festival by parking at one of the color-coded lots called Shuttleplatz, sponsored by Mrs. T's Pierogies, the official pierogy of Musikfest. Patrons using Route 22 or Route 309 should follow the signs to the appropriate Musikfest parking area. Patrons arriving from I-78 should follow the signs to Musikfest parking from the Route 412/Hellertown Exit (21). We strongly urge visitors to use one of these three off-site parking lots:

Daily from 11:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. at:

1. **YELLOW** - The Lehigh Shopping Center Lot, Union Boulevard and Club Avenue in West Bethlehem. (A GOOD SHEPHERD wheelchair-accessible bus will pick up and drop off disabled persons for free at this lot only.)

2. **BLUE** - The Minsi Trail Bridge Lot at the corner of Stefko Boulevard and East Market Street.

Weekdays from 5:30 to 11:30 p.m.; Weekends from 11:30 a.m. to 11:30 p.m. at:

3. **GREEN** - Martin Tower, at Eighth and Easton Avenues, off Route 378.

Parking at these Musikfest lots is free. A shuttle bus transports patrons to and from the festival site. Round-trip ticket prices are \$3 for adults and \$1 for teens (11-17). Children 10 and under ride free. Tickets are available for purchase **ONLY** at the parking lot areas. Patrons must give their ticket to the driver on the return trip.

Parking is also available at the Riverside Drive Lot, located on 3rd Street and Brodhead Avenue, off Route 378. The cost is \$4 and includes transportation to the festival site. For additional parking information, call the Musikfest office at 610-861-0678.

POLICE

City of Bethlehem Police assist festival patrons and patrol during Musikfest to deal with emergencies. In an emer-

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gency locate the nearest uniformed officer. Bethlehem police can be reached at the emergency phone number 911.

REST ROOMS/PORTOPLATZ

Portable toilets (Portoplatz) are located at or near all outdoor festival sites. Free public rest rooms may also be found at the following locations: Bethlehem Public Library (11 West Church Street, Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., closed weekends); City Hall (10 East Church Street, Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.); and the Walnut Street Parking Garage.

Portable toilets, which accommodate the needs of persons with disabilities, can be found at the following locations: Americaplatz, Familienplatz, Liederplatz, Festplatz, Kinderplatz, Kunstplatz and Volksplatz.

MERCHANDISE BOOTHS/TENTS

Musikfest '98 posters, postcards, stoneware and refill mugs, wooden Musikfest collectibles, baseball hats, tote bags, Souvenir Program Books, rain ponchos, T-shirts, sweatshirts and much more are available at Musikfest merchandise locations located at Festplatz, Volksplatz, Handwerkplatz, Familienplatz, Kunstplatz, Americaplatz and Kinderplatz. All locations are open noon to 10:30 p.m. except Americaplatz, which opens weekdays from 5:30 to 10:30 p.m. Most locations accept MasterCard, Visa, Discover and MAC.

MERCHANDISE STORE

The Gift Shop at the Banana Factory is located at 211 Plymouth Street (across from the Comfort Suites). The shop sells festival merchandise and additional specialty items, including a limited-edition stein, key chains, glassware, coffee mugs and a variety of apparel. Original artwork created by Banana Factory artists and unusual gifts are also available. The store is open year-round, Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

TELEPHONES

Outdoor public telephones are located at Spring Street near Festplatz, Volksplatz, 53 East Broad Street east of New

Street, and 525 North New Street. Free local mobile telephone service is available at Americaplatz, Familienplatz, Liederplatz, Festplatz and Volksplatz.

Indoor telephones are located at: Bethlehem Public Library (11 West Church Street, Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., closed weekends), City Hall (10 East Church Street, Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.), Marketplace near Familienplatz and Foy Concert Hall in the Moravian College Center for Music and Art.

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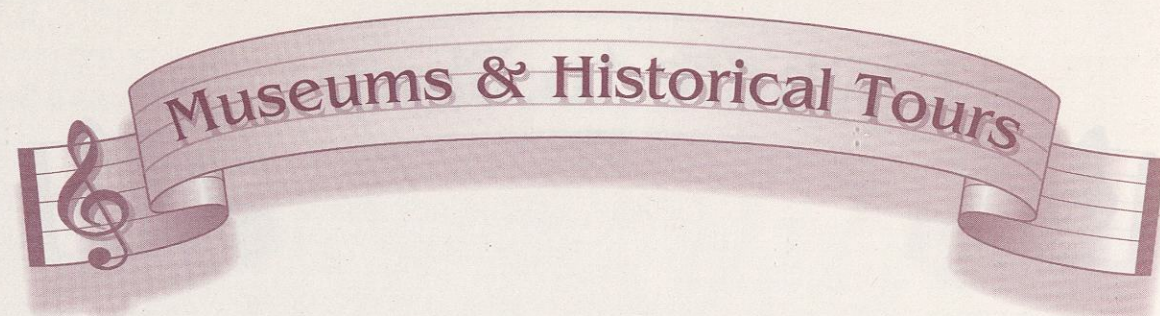
A transportation pin is necessary for unlimited rides on LANTA buses for the PP&L Energy Plus Walk 'n' Ride Program and the Musikfest Trolleys. These collectible pins may be purchased prior to the festival at the Musikfest office and selected retailers in the Bethlehem area. Pins cost \$5, or \$4 with coupon, and are valid for the nine days of the festival. Coupons are available in the Musikfest Transportation Brochure, Clipper Magazine and in advertisements in The Morning Call and Express-Times. During Musikfest pins are available at all merchandise tents and stands.

TROLLEYS

Musikfest operates several trolleys during the festival to supply transportation to all festival sites and museums. Trolleys travel continuously around the festival sites, but stop only at the designated locations identified by signs. See "Festival Map" in the center of this book for trolley stop locations.

VOLUNTEERS

The Musikfest staff is supplemented by more than 1,800 volunteers who donate their time and talents throughout the festival. If you have any questions or need assistance, ask a member of our volunteer staff. They are identified by red and teal shirts imprinted with the Musikfest logo. Musikfest would like to thank all of its dedicated volunteers. Anyone interested in information on volunteer opportunities should contact the Musikfest office at 610-861-0678.



For individual and group tour information about Bethlehem's historic sites, original buildings, museums and other treasures, write the Bethlehem Tourism Authority at 52 West Broad Street, Bethlehem, PA 18018 or call 610-868-1513. The Tourism Authority offers the following two activities:

OLD CITY GUIDED WALKING TOUR

See three centuries of architecture and history in the continuously-used Moravian community. Tours operate daily from the Visitors Center. Admission. For reservations call 610-868-1513 or 1-800-360-8687.

"CITY IN THE WILDERNESS"

An orientation film showing how the Moravian settlers built this unique community. Daily, every hour on the hour at the Visitors Center. For more information call 610-868-1513 or 1-800-360-8687.

To follow is a listing of the various Bethlehem museums with their Musikfest hours and program activities:

BURNSIDE PLANTATION

1461 Schoenersville Road
610-691-0603

The Burnside Plantation is an 18th century Moravian farm located near the center of Bethlehem which is being developed as a living history museum to interpret farming and rural life between 1748 and 1848. The barn, farmhouse and wagon shed have been restored. Open daily from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. for self-guided tours. Open August 8 and 15 from 1 to 4 p.m. for guided tours. Admission.

1810 GOUNDIE HOUSE

501 Main Street
610-691-0603

This Federal-style brick house was once the home of John Sebastian Goundie, a prominent 19th century Moravian brewer and community leader. Today, the Goundie House contains rooms furnished with period furniture and accessories to tell the story of life in Bethlehem in the 1820s. Children may try their hand at writing with a quill pen in Goundie's office. Open daily August 8-16 from 1 to 4 p.m. Admission.

COLONIAL INDUSTRIAL QUARTER

459 Old York Road
610-691-0603

Within a few years of Bethlehem's founding, the Moravians developed an extensive industrial complex along the Monocacy Creek. Today, visitors may tour the 1761 Tannery, 1762 Waterworks (the first pumped water system in the colonies) and the 1869 Luckenbach Mill. Children may enjoy crafting their own tinpunch decoration. Open weekends August 8, 9, 15 and 16 from 1 to 4 p.m. only. Admission.

Special Program: CRAFTS AND KIDS

Colonial Industrial Quarter
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Members of the Heritage Patrol of the Great Valley Girl Scout Council present a series of Colonial craft workshops for children ages 7 to 11, daily August 11-15 from 12:45 to 4:30 p.m. Cost is \$3 per session or \$10 for a complete afternoon, including three sessions and refreshments. No registration required.

KEMERER MUSEUM OF DECORATIVE ARTS

427 North New Street
610-691-0603

Since 1954, the Kemerer Museum has been one of the finest small decorative arts museums in Pennsylvania. Period rooms, galleries and changing exhibits present 250 years of folk art, furnishings, paintings and historical fine arts. Special Exhibit: "Coverup at the Kemerer: Quilts From the Collection." Children may try their hand at making quilt designs in the "Quilt Quest." Guided tours Monday through Sunday, noon to 7 p.m. Admission.

LEHIGH RIVER FOUNDATION

509 Main Street
610-867-3788

Visitor's may view "WE WILL STAND," an educational exhibit and 10-minute video on the Delaware and Lehigh National Corridor Landing and the work of the Lehigh River Foundation. Shown at the Bethlehem Area Chamber of Commerce, 509 Main Street, Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Free.

MORAVIAN MUSEUM OF BETHLEHEM

1741 Gemeinhaus
66 West Church Street
610-867-0173

Visit the 1741 Gemeinhaus, the oldest building in Bethlehem and a National Historic Landmark, and experience the unique way of life forged by Bethlehem's early Moravian settlers. The special exhibit during Musikfest, "Wish You Were Here: Views of Early Bethlehem," will invite visitors to take a "trip" to Bethlehem's past, before farms were replaced by technology and the 1741 Gemeinhaus was called the "Great House on the Lecha." The exhibit includes three-dimensional artifacts, as well as paintings and photographs. At the end of the tour, beeswax candles, Moravian stars and other items await visitors in the gift shop. Guided tours are Monday through Saturday from 1 to 4 p.m. Other hours by appointment. Admission.

MORAVIAN MUSEUM WALKING TOUR

A costumed guide escorts visitors through the 1741 Gemeinhaus, 1751 Old Chapel, 1758 Nain House and the 1803 Central Moravian Church. Walk along historic Church Street and conclude the tour with a visit to 1742 God's Acre cemetery. Tours by appointment. Admission.

1752 APOTHECARY SHOP & HERB GARDEN

This Moravian pharmacy and medicinal herb garden provided medical care to the early Moravian community. Visitors will view a rare set of 1743 Delft apothecary jars and the laboratory fireplace where prescriptions were compounded. Tours by appointment. Admission.

1758 NAIN HOUSE

The last remaining structure from the Moravian mission village called Nain. Once located in West Bethlehem, this house was built by and for Native Americans. Now a museum, it interprets Moravian missions among the native peoples of North America. Tours by appointment. Admission.

THE DISCOVERY CENTER OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

511 East Third Street
610-865-5010

The Discovery Center of Science & Technology captures the imagination and challenges the mind with its interactive exhibits about science and technology. The Center has more than 100 hands-on exhibits in various science and technology fields, including health, biology, mechanics and

virtual reality. This summer's feature exhibit, "Lasers and Holograms," was developed, designed and traveled by the Pacific Science Center in Seattle. Visitors may explore the basic properties of light, examine how lasers are used in everyday life and discover how holograms are created. "Lasers and Holograms" will be on display through Sept. 13. The Center is open Tuesday through Saturday from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Sunday from noon to 4:30 p.m. Call for admission rates.

SUN INN

564 Main Street
610-866-1758 for tours
610-974-9451 for reservations

Constructed in 1758, the Sun Inn stands as a living symbol of Moravian Bethlehem's hospitality to travelers during the early years of our nation's existence. During the American Revolution the Sun Inn hosted many members of the Continental Congress, officers of the Continental Army, future presidents and foreign dignitaries. The restored inn welcomes you to lunch and dinner. The gift shop next door supports the education programs of the Sun Inn Preservation Association. Guided tours of the inn's museum rooms are given Monday through Saturday, 11:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Additional times by appointment. Admission.

CENTRAL MORAVIAN CHURCH

Main and Church Streets
610-866-5661

Open house at the historic Central Moravian Church. Greeters welcome visitors at the Northeast door of the sanctuary (adjacent to the Central Church Green nearest Heckewelder Place) and will spend a few minutes explaining the building's architecture and its historical significance in the community. Sat., Aug. 8, Sun., Aug. 9, and Sun., Aug. 16 from 4 to 5 p.m. Free.

COMMUNITY SIGNSTUNDE (HYMN SING)

Central Moravian Church
Main and Church Streets
610-866-5661

There will be a Community Singstunde (Hymn Sing) at the Central Moravian Church featuring the Central Church Choir under the direction of Monica and Richard Schantz. The Bethlehem Area Moravian Trombone Choir will play from the belfry at 4:30 p.m. Doors open at 4 p.m. Lemonade and cookies will be served on the Church Green following the service. Open to the public. Sat., Aug. 15 from 5 to 6 p.m.

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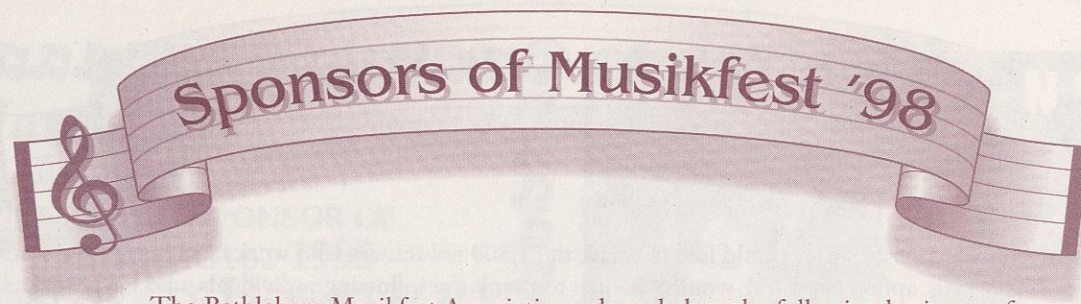
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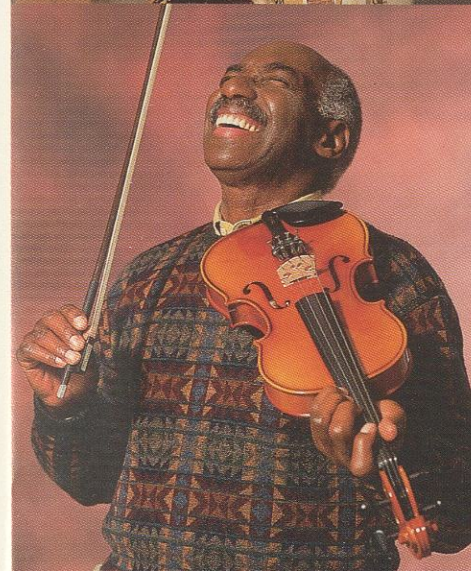
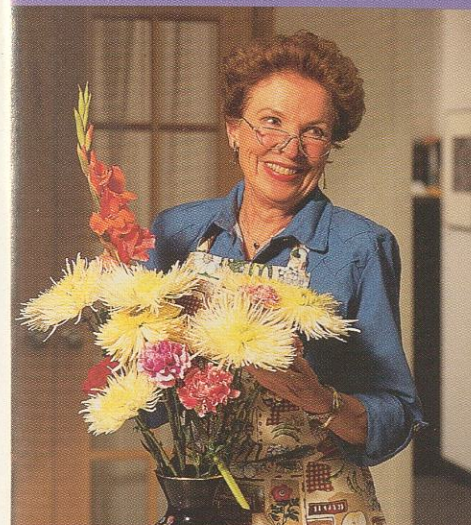
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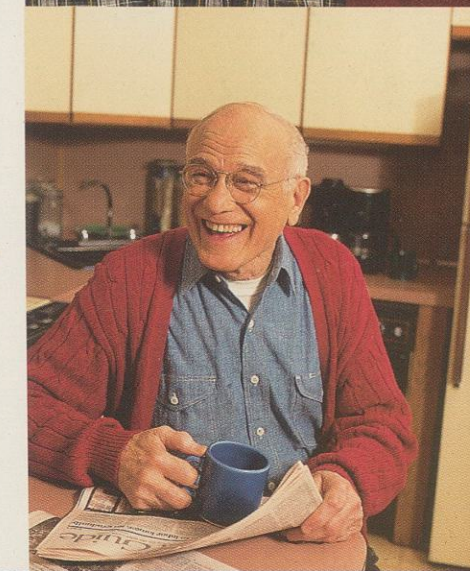
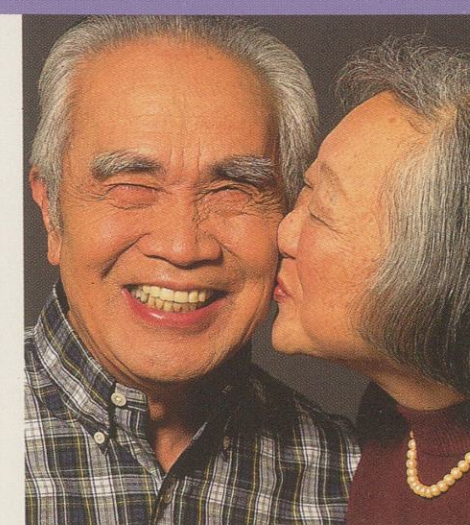
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