

WISCONSIN & "NEARBY" BLUES FESTS AND EVENTS 2008

Last Updated September 3, 2008

NOTE: All details subject to change – CHECK EACH FEST WEBSITE!

5/9,10

SIMPLY THE BLUES Fort Madison, IA

www.simplemanenterprises.com/stb.htm

Advanced adult tickets through web site & area outlets are **\$15 per day, \$25 for the weekend**
Students ages 13 - 18 are \$10 Children 12 & Under FREE

"Take the Train to FMD!" www.amtrak.com

Use Convention Code X88R-932 when making your reservation for your 10% discount

Friday, May 9th

Gates Open @ 4:00 p.m.

Magic Slim & The Teardrops

www.magicslimblues.com

Eddie Turner

www.eddiedevilboy.com/index.html

Leon Redbone

www.leonredbone.com

Louisiana Red

www.louisiana-red.com

Second Skinny Blues Band

www.myspace.com/secondskinnyblues

Jefferson County Green Band

www.jeffersoncountygreenband.com

After Hours Party at the TravelLodge

The Smokin' Mojo Kings

www.myspace.com/thesmokinmojokings

Saturday, May 10th

Free to the Public

10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Beginner Harmonica Workshop

11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Matt Wood & The Thunderbolts

www.mattwoodsmusic.com

All Day

Main Street BBQ Contest

Ticketed Shows

Gates Open @ 11:30 a.m.

Jason Ricci and New Blood

www.jasonricci.com

will replace Sean Costello (www.seancostello.com) following Sean's untimely death

Diunna Greenleaf

www.diunna.com

Zach Harmon

www.zacharmon.com/home.html

Shawn Kellerman

www.shawnkellerman.com/index.htm

Trampled Under Foot

www.trampledunderfootkc.com

Alvin Jett

www.phatnoiz.com

Rich Berry

www.richberryblues.com

Matt Wood & The Thunderbolts

www.mattwoodsmusic.com

Alan Smith & Willie McKnight

After Hours Party at the TravelLodge

Matt Wood & The Thunderbolts

www.mattwoodsmusic.com

5/10

GRAFTON BLUES CHALLENGE Grafton, WI

www.graftonblues.org/id25.html

\$10 cover

6:00 – 6:30 Hounds Tooth

www.houndstoothblues.com

6:40 – 7:10 The Back Alley Band

www.thebackalleyband.com

7:20 – 7:50 Charles Walker Band

www.walkerband.com

8:00 – 8:30 Maple Road

www.mapleroadbluesband.com

8:40 – 9:10 Kenny J & Blue Wagon

www.blue-wagon.com

9:20 – 9:50 Queenie & the Blue Cats

www.queenieandthebluecats.com

10:00 – 10:30 Sue DaBaco & Wise Fools

www.wise-fools.com

10:40 – 11:10 Matt Hendricks Band

5/17

TREMEPEALEAU BLUES BASH

Trempealeau, WI

www.trempealeauhotel.com/concert

Cost - Advance: \$15 Day of Show: \$20

Saturday, May 17

2pm-5pm: Alex Wilson Band

www.myspace.com/alexwilsonband

5pm-8pm: Pat MacDonald

www.myspace.com/patmacdonald

featuring melaniejane

www.myspace.com/melaniejane

8pm-11pm: Bryan Lee and the Blues Power Band

www.braillebluesdaddy.com

6/5-8

CHICAGO BLUES FEST

Chicago, IL

www.chicagobluesfestival.us

and chicagobluesfestival.org

Beautiful Grant Park Downtown

FREE!!

7 Stages of Blues Each Day!!

There are ticketed seats at the Petrillo Music Shell for the **headliners** below, but you can still see them for free from the open park beyond the fence

Thursday, June 5 - "Catfish Blues"

Johnny Winter

www.johnnywinter.net

James Cotton

www.jamescottonsuperharp.com

Friday, June 6 - "Sweet Home Chicago"

Koko Taylor

www.kokotaylor.com

Eddie "The Chief" Clearwater

www.eddyclearwater.com

Saturday, June 7 - "Let the Good Times Roll"

Buckwheat Zydeco

www.buckwheatzydeco.com

Li'l Ed and the Blues Imperials

www.intrepidartists.com/liled.html

Sunday, June 8 - "Every Day I Have the Blues"

B.B. King

www.bbking.com

This incredible list of other performers is provided courtesy of **Blues Blast:**

Check out the complete schedule at www.illinoisblues.com/chicago2008.htm

Katherine Davis, Erwin Helfer, Eric Noden, the Stone Academy Blues All Stars, Fernando Jones Columbia College Blues Ensemble, **David "Honey Boy" Edwards**, **Billy Branch**, Louisiana Red, Paul Kaye, Aron Burton, Johnny Yard Dog Jones, **Pinetop Perkins**, **Willie Smith**, **Bob Margolin**, **Bob Stroger**, Kenny Smith, Inetta Visor, Nuwki Nu, Keith Frank and the Soileau Zydeco Band, Little Willie Littlefield, Patricia Scott w/J.W. Williams, Big Ray and Chicago's Most Wanted, **Sharon Lewis** and Texas Fire, L.C. Ulmer, Jimmy Burns Blues Band, Piano C. Red, Charles 'Wsir' Johnson, Jim O'Neal, Louis Jordan, Tommy McClennan, Hammie Nixon, **Big Time Sarah**, **Duke Robillard**, Plas Johnson, Red Holloway, Jo Jo Murray and Joy Hills, Peaches and the Groove Shakers, Tear Drop Sessions, Little Arthur Duncan, Les Getrex and Creole Cookin', Omar Shariff, **Bryan Lee & the Blues Power Band**, Joe B Band, Larry Taylor's West Side Blues & Soul Band, The Taylor's Family Band, Rising Star Fife and Drum featuring the Thomas Family, Afrissisppi, Harmonica Hinds, Jimmy Johnson, Howard Mandel, Bill Milkowski, **Lonnie Brooks**, Bob Porter, Ernest Dawkins, Bill Gilmore and Bill Dahl,

Ruby Andrews, Cicero Blake, Sugar Pie DeSanto, Willie Henderson, **Ronnie Baker Brooks**, Otis Clay, Shorty Mack and the Magnificent R&B Blues Band, Liz Mandville and the Blue Points, Charles Hayes and the Hayes Family Band, Otis Taylor, Don Vappie, **Guy Davis, John Hammond**, Milwaukee Blues All Stars, Stokes and Milwaukee Slim, Bumble Bee Bob, Chick Rogers, PG Man, Theodis Ealey (Brothers Reunion), Cedric Burnside, Little Malcolm, T-Model Ford, Rosa's All Star Jam Band Featuring James Wheeler, Steve Arvey, Quintus McCormick, Guitar Red, Barbara Lynn with Lil' Buck and the Buckaroos, Victory Travelers, Marie Knight, Tony Joe White, Davell Crawford, LaVelle White, Geraldine and Donald Gay, Davell Crawford, Paul Geremia, John Boutte, Rodney Brown, Big James Montgomery and the Playboys, Charles Wilson, Dancin' Perkins, Larry Hoffman, Nate Lawrence, Karen Carroll, Charlie Love, **Lurrie Bell** and Bobby Parker.

6/6,7 NORTHSTAR BLUES 'N' BBQ DeForest, WI

www.northstarfest.com

BBQ Contest!! Tickets \$15 per day or \$25 for the weekend

Friday, June 6 4:30 - 11:30 pm Gates open 4:00 pm to midnight
 4:30-6:00 pm Aaron Williams and the Hoodoo www.aaronwilliamsandthehoodoo.com
 6:30-8:00 pm Westside Andy/Mel Ford Band www.westsideandy.com
 8:30-10:00 pm Greg Waters & The Broad Street Boogie www.gregwatersmusic.com
 10:00-11:30 pm Lefty Collins & the No Mercy Band www.lcnomercyband.com

Saturday, June 7 11:30 am - 12:00 midnight Gates open 11:00 am to 12:30am
 12:30 am-2:00 pm Johnny Chimes
 2:30-4:00 pm Clovis Mann www.clovismann.com
 4:30-6:00 pm Mud Angels www.mudangels.com
 6:30-8:00 pm Midwest Blues All-Stars www.themidwestbluesallstars.com
 8:30-10:00 pm Shawn Kellerman www.shawnkellerman.com
 10:30 pm-midnight Sue Foley www.suefoley.com

6/13,14 BLUES ON THE FOX Aurora, IL

www.bluesonthefoxaurora.com

Friday, June 12
 6:45 pm Eddy "The Chief" Clearwater www.eddyclearwater.com
 8:30 pm Elvin Bishop www.elvinbishopmusic.com

Saturday, June 14
 3:00 pm Hix Bros Junior All-Stars www.bluesonthefoxaurora.com/allstars.htm
 4:00 pm Corey Harris www.bluesonthefoxaurora.com/harris.htm
 5:30 pm Bettye LaVette www.bettyelavette.com
 7:00 pm Marcia Ball www.marciaball.com
 8:30 pm Kenny Wayne Shepherd www.kennywayneshepherd.net

6/21 MADISON BLUES SOCIETY (MBS) BLUES PICNIC Madison, WI

www.madisonbluessociety.com

**At beautiful Warner Park again this year FREE!!
 With great food from Jamerica, HMI Southern Style Catering Service (great catfish!)
 Beale Street BBQ, Santa Fe Trailer and East Madison Community Center
 And don't forget the great beers from Capital Brewery!**

Saturday, June 21 noon to 9:30

12:00 – 12:55 Don Rembert & Clovis Mann www.clovismann.com
1:15 – 2:10 Shari Davis & the Hootchy-Kootchy Band www.madisonbluessociety.com/shari.htm
2:30 – 3:00 Joe Nosek's Blues Kids
3:00 – 3:55 The Cashbox Kings www.cahboxkings.com
4:15 – 5:10 The Danny Miller Band www.dannymilerband.com
5:30 – 6:25 Mud Angels www.mudangels.com
6:45 – 7:40 Paul Filipowicz www.paulfilipowicz.com
8:00 – 9:30 Otis & the Aligators www.mnblues.com/profile/otis-alligators-pf99.html

6/26-7-6

SUMMERFEST

Milwaukee, WI

www.summerfest.com

Yep, there's some Blues bein' played at Summerfest – check out these bands!
Henry Maier Festival Park on Lake Michigan \$8 weekdays, \$15 eves and weekends

Friday, June 27

Potawatomi Bingo Casino Stage

10:00PM Marcia Ball www.marciaball.com

Sunday, June 29

Briggs & Stratton Big Backyard

2:30PM Bryan Lee www.braillebluesdaddy.com

Harley-Davidson Roadhouse

2:30PM Livin' Will www.livinwill.com/html/main.html

Monday, June 30

Harley-Davidson Roadhouse

2:00PM Ken Saydak www.kensaydak.com

Briggs & Stratton Big Backyard

4:30PM Alex Wilson www.alexwilsonband.com

Potawatomi Bingo Casino Stage

8:00PM Wayne Baker Brooks www.waynebakerbrooks.com

Tuesday, July 1

Potawatomi Bingo Casino Stage

8:00PM Otis Taylor www.otistaylor.com

Wednesday, July 2

Potawatomi Bingo Casino Stage

3:30PM Westside Andy www.westsideandy.com

Thursday, July 3

M&I Classic Rock Stage

1:15PM Altered Five www.alteredfive.com

Friday, July 4

Briggs & Stratton Big Backyard

Noon Matt Hendricks www.matt-hendricks.com

Sunday, July 6

M&I Classic Rock Stage

2:00PM Charles Walker Band www.walkerblues.com

Harley-Davidson Roadhouse

10:00PM Susan Tedeschi www.susantedeschi.com

and Derek Trucks www.derektrucks.com

Soul Stew Review

7/3-5 MISSISSIPPI VALLEY BLUES SOCIETY BLUES FESTIVAL Davenport, IA mvbs.org/fest

LeClaire Park on the banks of the Mississippi River

\$40 for all three days

Thursday, July 3

Bandshell Stage

5:00 p.m. Kilborn Alley Blues Band www.kilbornalley.com

7:00 p.m. Kal David www.kaldavid.com

9:00 p.m. The Kinsey Report www.mnblues.com/profile/kinseyreport2000.html

11:00 p.m. Elvin Bishop www.elvinbishopmusic.com

Tent Stage

5:00 p.m. Ben Prestage www.benprestage.net

6:30 p.m. Steve James and Del Rey
www.cascadeblues.org/Specials/2002-08/steve_james-del_rey.htm

8:30 p.m. Carolina Chocolate Drops www.carolinachocolatedrops.com

10:30 p.m. Otis Taylor and the Black Banjo Project www.otistaylor.com

Friday, July 4

Bandshell Stage

2:00 p.m. Little Bobby and the Storm www.myspace.com/littlebobbyblues

4:00 p.m. Phil Guy www.philguynothrmule.com

6:00 p.m. Teresa James www.teresajames.com

8:00 p.m. Jimmy Thackery and the Drivers www.jimmythackery.com

10:00 p.m. Koko Taylor www.kokotaylor.com

Tent Stage

2:00 p.m. Kent Burnside and New Generation
www.myspace.com/kentburnsideandthenewgeneration

3:30 p.m. Paul Geremiah
www.gloucesterblues.co.uk/paul_geremia_04.htm

5:30 p.m. Big Pete Pearson & the Rhythm Room Allstars www.myspace.com/bigpetepearson

7:30 p.m. Great Black Music Ensemble aacmchicago.org

9:15 p.m. RiverRoad Lifetime Achievement Award - Billy Boy Arnold

9:30 p.m. Billy Boy Arnold with Jody Williams
www.alligator.com/index.cfm?section=artists&artistid=27

Free Workshops

1:00 p.m. Steve James, Texas Acoustic Blues www.stevejames.com

2:30 p.m. Bob Corritore, Harmonica www.bobcorritore.com

4:00 p.m. Jimmy Thackery, Guitar www.jimmythackery.com

5:30 p.m. Del Rey, Memphis Minnie's Music

BlueSKool

- 2:30 p.m. Winter Blues Academy Kids, moderated by Ellis Kell and Hal Reed
elliskell.com
www.gilgameshcontribute.com/TheMob/Hal_Reed_&_The_Mob.html
- 3:45 p.m. Winter Blues Academy Kids Jam
- 5:00 p.m. David Berntson, Harmonica
www.blueshoeproject.org/blueshoeweb/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=158

Saturday, July 5

Bandshell Stage

- 2:00 p.m. Iowa Blues Challenge Winner
- 4:00 p.m. Alexis P. Suter www.alexispsuter.com
- 6:00 p.m. Teresa James www.teresajames.com
- 7:45 p.m. RiverRoad Lifetime Achievement Award - Denise LaSalle
- 8:00 p.m. Denise LaSalle www.discomuseum.com/DeniseLaSalle.html
- 10:00 p.m. Tinsley Ellis www.tinsleyellis.com

Tent Stage

- 2:00 p.m. Boo Hanks www.musicmaker.org/artists/index.php?bandid=74
- 3:30 p.m. Doug MacLeod www.doug-macleod.com
- 5:30 p.m. Marie Knight www.myspace.com/1marieknight
- 7:30 p.m. Big George Brock www.ubl.com/artists/biggeorgebrock
- 9:30 p.m. The Holmes Brothers www.theholmesbrothers.com/main.html

Free Workshops

- 1:00 p.m. David Horwitz, Blues Photography www.bluesaccess.com/No_30/horwitz.html
- 2:30 p.m. Ben Prestage, One-Man Band www.benprestage.net
- 4:00 p.m. Boo Hanks, Piedmont Blues www.musicmaker.org/artists/index.php?bandid=74
- 5:30 p.m. Doug MacLeod, Guitar www.doug-macleod.com

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www.gilgameshcontribute.com/TheMob/Hal_Reed_&_The_Mob.html
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www.blueshoeproject.org/blueshoeweb/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=158

7/11,12

BELLEVILLE AMERICAN MUSIC FEST (BAMFest)

Belleville, WI

www.bamfest.net

Advance Ticket Special ending soon: \$30 for two days!

Advance Tickets: \$40 for two days
Regular Tickets: Friday \$25 in advance \$28 day of show
Saturday \$30 in advance \$33 day of show
\$40 for both days

Friday, July 11

- 4:00 – 5:00 Mud Angels www.mudangels.com
- 5:30 – 6:30 Jimmy Voegeli Band www.jimmyvoegeli.com
- 7:00 – 8:00 Wayne Baker Brooks www.waynebakerbrooks.com
- 8:30 – 10:00 Eric Sardinas & Big Motor www.eric Sardinas.com
- 10:30 – Midnight Sonny Landreth www.sonnylandreth.com

Saturday, July 12

12:00-1:00	Queenie & the Bluecats	www.queenieandthebluecats.com
1:30-2:30	Aaron Williams & the Hoodoo	www.aaronwilliamsandthehoodoo.com
3:00 – 4:00	The Crashers	www.madtownlounge.com/crashersmusic
4:30 – 5:30	Joel Pingitore & Livin' Will	www.livinwill.com
6:00 – 7:30	Larry McCray	larrymccrayband.com
8:00 – 9:30	Robben Ford	www.robbenford.com
10:00 – Midnight	Jeremy Spencer	www.jeremyspencer.com

founding member of Fleetwood Mac

7/18-20

2nd Annual Deep Blues Festival

Lake Elmo, MN

www.deepbluesfestival.com

Tickets \$75 for three days, \$90 starting 7/18

Washington County Fairgrounds at Lake Elmo on the East side of Minneapolis/St. Paul

Friday, July 18

Richard Johnston, Elmo Williams & Hezekiah Early, Black-eyed Snakes, T-Model Ford, Silver Lion's 20/20, Juke Joint Duo Feat, Cedric Burnside & Lightnin' Malcolm, The Moaners, Jimmy "Duck" Holmes, Jawbone, Chris Cotton, Gravel Road, .357 String Band, Smokestack and the Foothill Fury, The Birddogs, Cuzn Wildweed

Saturday, July 19

The Legendary Shack*Shakers, Black Diamond Heavies, Dex Romweber Duo, Pat MacDonald, Buffalo Killers, Hillstomp, Pearlene, Charlie Parr, Honkeyfinger, Boogaloosa Prayer, Those Poor Bastards, Adam Posnak, Pure Country Gold, Illinois John Fever, Blues Boy Jag

Sunday, July 20

Bob Log III, Scott H. Biram, Scissormen, Possessed by Paul James, Left Lane Cruiser, Tarbox Ramblers, American Relay, Mudlow, Partick Sweany, Black Smokers, John Schooley, The Pack A.D., Cicada Omega, The Dead or Alive, Luther the Devil

7/19

DODGEVILLE BLUES FEST

Dodgeville, WI

www.dodgevillebluesfest.com

A Free Family Event! No carry-ins

Saturday, July 19

1:00 - 2:30	The Alex Wilson Band	www.alexwilsonband.com
3:00 - 4:30	Byther Smith and His Blues Band	www.thebluehighway.com/byther.html
5:00 - 6:30	Sharrie Williams and the Wiseguys	www.sharriewilliams.com
7:00 - 8:30	Dave Weld and the Imperial Flames	www.daveweld.com
9:00 - 10:30	Bill "Howl-n-Madd" Perry	howl-n-madd.com

7/25,26

PRAIRIE DOG BLUES FEST

Prairie du Chien, WI

www.prairiedogblues.com

Tickets before 7/15: \$22 one day, \$35 two days, \$50 campsite for two days, four persons

Tickets after 7/15: \$25 one day, \$40 two days, \$60 campsite for two days, four persons

Friday, July 25

5:00PM	Bobby Bryan Band	www.bobbybryanii.com
7:00PM	Davina & the Vagabonds	www.davinamusic.com
9:00PM	Jason Ricci & New Blood	www.jasonricci.com
11:00PM	Walter Trout & the Radicals	www.waltertrout.com
TENT	Moreland & Arbuckle	www.kingsnakesblues.com/home.html

Saturday, July 26

12:00PM	The Bourbon Brothers	www.bourbonbrothers.com
2:00PM	Charles Walker Band	www.walkerblues.com
4:00PM	Nick Moss & the Flip Tops	www.nickmoss.com
6:00PM	Kilborn Alley Blues Band	www.kilbornalley.com
8:00PM	Groove Hogs	www.groovehogs.com
10:00PM	Bernard Allison	www.bernardallison.com
TENT	Brandon Scott Sellner	www.myspace.com/brandonscottsellner

8/2 UW MEMORIAL UNION TERRACE BLUES FEST

Madison, WI

www.union.wisc.edu/music

**UW Madison Memorial Union Terrace, 800 Langdon Street - 3:00PM to midnight
FREE!!**

Saturday August 2

3:00PM	Johnny Chimes & the Gumbo Ya-Yas	www.myspace.com/johnnychimes
4:30PM	Mud Angels	www.mudangels.com
6:00PM	Reverend Raven and his Chain Smokin' Altar Boys	www.reverendraven.com
8:15PM	Bobby Bryan and the Uptown Allstars	www.bobbybryanii.com
10:00PM	Muddy Waters, Jr.	www.myspace.com/muddywatersjr

8/8,9 WAUKESHA BLUES FEST

Waukesha, WI

www.waukeshabluesfest.com

\$15 single day, \$27 two-day through July 31st / \$19 single day, \$34 two-day August 1st and after

Friday, August 8, 2008

1:00 PM - 1:40 PM	Hecker Kelley Band	www.beneaththestairs.com/page4.html
2:00 PM - 2:40 PM	Mud Angels	www.mudangels.com
3:00 PM - 4:00 PM	The Danny Miller Band	www.dannymillerband.com
4:30 PM - 5:30 PM	Robert Allen Jr. Trio	www.robertallenjr.net
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	Tarbox Ramblers	www.tarboxramblers.com
7:30 PM - 8:30 PM	The Groove Hogs	www.groovehogs.com
9:00 PM - 10:30 PM	Doyle Bramhall	www.myspace.com/doylebramhall1

Saturday, August 9, 2008

1:00 PM - 1:40 PM	Room To Move	www.rtmov.com
2:00 PM - 2:40 PM	Hounds Tooth	www.houndstoothblues.com
3:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Bryan Lee & The Blues Power Band	www.braillebluesdaddy.com
4:30 PM - 5:30 PM	Altered Five	www.alteredfive.com
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM	Jim Liban Blues Trio	www.gymshoe.com/liban_hottongue.html
7:30 PM - 8:30 PM	The Bel Airs	www.belairs.com

9:00 PM - 10:30 PM Popa Chubby

www.popachubby.com

8/7,8,9,10 BAYFRONT BLUES FESTIVAL Duluth, MN

www.bayfrontblues.com

Advance Tickets (before 5/31/08): 2 days \$60, 4 days \$89
Pre-Show (before 7/31/08): 2 days \$70, 4 days \$99
Day of Show: Thursday \$24, Friday \$40, Saturday \$40, Sunday \$40

Watch for updates to the schedule at www.bayfrontblues.com/perf-sch-web.pdf

Friday, August 8

Tom Hunter, Centerville All Stars, **Shannon Curfman**, Anthony Gomes, **Lamont Cranston**, Corey Stevens, Ruthie Foster

Saturday, August 9

Eric Sommer, The Brothers Curtis, Bob Bingham and Gordon Thorne, Brandon Scott Sellner, The Rustie Wright Band, Rick Estrin and the Nightcats, Big Walter Smith and the Groove Merchants, Hoopsnakes, **Nappy Brown** Orchestra
Sean Costello will not appear due to his untimely death

Sunday, August 10

Mel Sando, Kevin Bowe and Alison Scott, Davina and the Vagabonds, John Nemeth

8/15,16 BIG BULL FALLS BLUES FEST Wausau, WI

www.gnbs.org

Isle of the Ferns Park

Tickets: \$10 for Aug. 15, \$18 for Aug. 16, Advance two-day passes cost \$20
VIP Tickets: \$125 for two days – includes VIP access, catered food, private tent and seating, gift bag, Fest T-shirt, program, raffle ticket, 10 beer tickets, “meet & greet” the bands
To buy tickets, call 848-8941 or 1-877-220-7340

Friday, August 15

5:00PM	Cash Box Kings	www.cashboxkings.com
7:00PM	Reverend Raven	www.reverendraven.com
9:00PM	Candy Kane	www.candykane.com

Saturday, August 16

1:00PM	Perry Weber and the DeVilles	www.perryweber.com
3:00PM	Eddie “The Chief” Clearwater	www.eddyclearwater.com
5:00PM	Ana Popovic	www.anapopovic.com
7:00PM	Jimmy Thackery	www.jimmythackery.com
9:00PM	Savoy Brown	www.savoybrown.com

8/22-24 ORTON PARK FESTIVAL Madison, WI

www.marquette-neighborhood.org/festivals

Free! In Madison's beautiful Orton Park near Willy Street
Lots of great bands Friday, Saturday and Sunday

Saturday, August 23 at 5:45 they're playin' the BLUES!

Black n' Blues All-Stars with Joey B. Banks: band leader & drums, Clyde Stubblefield: drums & vocals, Bruce Alford: bass, David Stoler: keyboards, Cliff Fredericksen: guitar & vocals, Claude Calliett: Trombone, Jim Dougherty: Trumpet and Al Falaschi: Saxophone

Sonny Landreth www.sonnylandreth.com

8/30,31 **MARQUETTE AREA BLUES FEST** Marquette, MI
www.marquetteareabluesociety.org/festival/index.php

Mattson Lower Harbor Park
Tickets: weekend \$40 before 8/29, daily \$25 on-site

Saturday, August 30

12:15PM	On the Spot Blues Band	www.myspace.com/theonthespotbluesband
1:30PM	Erin Jaimes	www.erinjaimes.com
2:45PM	Eric Tessmer	www.ericdessmerband.com
4:00PM	Mississippi Heat	www.mississippiheat.net
6:00PM	Nora Jean Bruso	www.norajeانبlues.com
8:00PM	Tab Benoit	www.tabbenoit.com

Sunday, August 31

12:15PM	Red, White and Blues Band	www.localbandnetwork.com/bands/banddetail.cfm?bandID=18015
1:30PM	Delta Jets	www.myspace.com/thedeltajets
2:45PM	Flat Broke Blues Band with the Million Dollar Horns	www.flatbrokebluesband.com
4:00PM	Johnny Bassett	www.myspace.com/johnniebassett
6:00PM	Motor City Josh	www.motorcityjosh.com
8:00PM	Watermelon Slim and the Workers	www.watermelonslim.com

9/6 **SUN PRAIRIE BLUES FEST** Sun Prairie, WI
www.spbluesfest.com

Angell Park, Hwy N and Hwy 19
Ten hours for \$10!! Gates open at 11:00AM

Saturday, September 6

Noon - 1:00 PM	Cliff Fredricksen	www.myspace.com/cliffrederiksen
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM	Laura England & the Mud Angels	www.mudangels.com
3:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Bobby Bryan & the Uptown Allstars	www.bobbybryanii.com
4:30 PM - 5:30 PM	Bobby Evans & the Alimony Blues Band	www.myspace.com/alimonyband
6:00 PM - 7:30 PM	Rev Raven & the Chain Smoking Altar Boys	www.reverendraven.com
8:00 PM - 10:00 PM	Paul Cebar	www.paulcebar.com

9/19,20 **BERGHOFF and BLUES** Monroe, WI
www.berghoffbeer.com/berghoffandblues

FREE! Behind the Brewery, downtown Monroe

Friday, September 19 - 6:00 to 10:00PM

Perry Weber and the Devilles

www.perryweber.com

Saturday, September 20 - 12:00 to 10:00PM

Po' Boys

Blue Olives

Crashers

www.blueolives.com

www.madtownlounge.com/crashersmusic

9/19,20

PARAMOUNT BLUES FESTIVAL

Grafton, WI

www.graftonblues.org/id36.html

Lime Kiln Park, Tickets \$25

Friday, September 19 – Gates open 4:30PM

Henry Townsend Memorial Stage

5:00pm Sue DaBaco and Wise Fools

www.wise-fools.com

6:45pm Zac Harmon

www.zacharmon.com/home.html

8:45pm CTA - California Transit Authority

www.ctatheband.com

Saturday, September 20 – Gates open 11:00AM

Henry Townsend Memorial Stage

Noon Fruteland Jackson

www.fruteland.com

1:00pm Honeyboy Edwards

www.davidhoneyboyedwards.com

2:30pm Sharrie Williams

www.sharriewilliams.com

4:00pm Bryan Lee

www.braillebluesdaddy.com

and a Special Appearance by ??

5:45pm Watermelon Slim & the Workers

www.watermelonslim.com

7:30pm Tab Benoit

www.tabbenoit.com

9:15pm Elvin Bishop

www.elvinbishopmusic.com

Blueskool

Noon Hawkeye Herman - Children's Blues Workshop

www.hawkeyeherman.com

1:15 pm Water Street Hot Shots - Jug Band

www.ammonshotshots.com

2:30 pm Fruteland Jackson - Children Guitar Workshop

www.fruteland.com

4:00 pm Michael Ammons - Guitar Workshop

www.ammonshotshots.com

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www.bluesandheritagefest.com

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YES, ITS STILL HAPPENING AND YES, ITS STILL FREE!
THE COMPLETE LINEUP IS HERE!**

Main Stage - Thursday - 10/9/2008

12:00/12:25 - 2008 Emerging Artists – TBA

12:30/12:55 - 2008 Emerging Artists – TBA

1:00/1:25 - 2008 Emerging Artists – TBA

1:30/1:55 - 2008 Emerging Artists – TBA

2:00/2:30 - Arsen Shomakhov– 2007 Emerging Artist Winner

arsenic.blues.ru

2:40/3:15 - The Brethren – 2008 SBBS Winner

3:25/4:10 - Trampled Under Foot www.trampledunderfootkc.com
Winners of the 2008 Blues Foundation International Blues Challenge
4:25/5:25 - Mark Sallings & The Famous Unknowns w/Guest Danny Lancaster
5:40/6:55 - Reba Russell Band
7:15/8:30 - Webb Wilder & Beatnecks
8:50/10:05 - Tinsley Ellis www.tinsleyellis.com
10:30/11:45 - The Champions of R&B featuring:
Earl Gaines, Charles Walker, Johnny Jones, Al Garner, James Nixon

Main Stage - Friday - 10/10/2008

12:00/1:00 - Earnest "Guitar" Roy Jr.
1:15/2:20 - Hamilton Loomis
2:35/3:45 - Sam Carr & The Delta Jukes w/ Dave Riley www.myspace.com/jellyrollkings
4:00/5:10 - Carl Weathersby
5:30/6:40 - Pinetop Perkins & Bob Margolin www.pinetopperkins.com
www.bobmargolin.com
7:00/8:15 - Mem Shannon & The Membership
8:45/10:00 - Michael Burks www.michaelburks.com
10:30/11:45 - Severn Records 10th Anniversary Soul & Blues Revue:
Featuring/ Lou Pride, Darrell Nulisch, and Tad Robinson

Houston Stackhouse Acoustic Stage - Friday - 10/10/2008

12:00/1:00 - Elam McKnight & Bob Bogdal - SBBS Duo Winners
1:20/2:20 - Bert Deivert
2:40/3:40 - Samuel James www.myspace.com/sugarsmallhouse
4:00/5:00 - Moreland & Arbuckle www.morelandarbuckle.com

Robert Lockwood Jr. Heritage Stage - Friday - 10/10/2008

5:30/6:40 - Freddie & The Screamers - 20th Anniversary Reunion Show
7:00/8:10 - Arthur Williams
8:30/9:40 - Willie King & The Liberators
10:00/11:15 - Guitar Mac

Main Stage - Saturday - 10/11/2008

12:00/1:00 - Shawn Kellerman www.shawnkellerman.com
1:15/2:20 - Eb Davis w/ Tina Davis, Jay Bailey & Band
2:35/3:50 - Eddie Turner
4:05/5:20 - Rick Estrin & The Nightcats www.myspace.com/rickestrin
www.janivamagness.com
5:40/6:55 - Janiva Magness
7:10/8:25 - Anson Funderburgh & The Rockets (w/James Harmon) www.ansonandtherockets.com
8:45/10:00 - Hubert Sumlin & Willie "Big Eyes" Smith Band www.hubertsumlinblues.com
www.williebigeyessmith.com
10:30/11:45 - Bobby Rush

Houston Stackhouse Acoustic Stage - Saturday - 10/11/2008

12:00/1:00 - Davis Coen
1:20/2:20 - Roger "Hurricane" Wilson
2:40/3:40 - Ben Prestage www.myspace.com/bprestage
4:00/5:00 - Satan & Adam

Robert Lockwood Jr. Heritage Stage - Saturday - 10/11/2008

5:30/6:40 - Willie "Big Eyes" Smith www.williebigeyessmith.com
7:00/8:10 - Bobby Rush - Raw
8:30/9:40 - Juke Joint Duo (Cedric Burnside & Lightnin' Malcolm) www.myspace.com/jukejointduo
10:00/11:15 - Mojo Buford & Don McMinnn