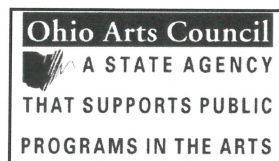


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ON SALE NOW...ICE CREAM SUNDAY! GET YOUR TICKETS TODAY!



ICE CREAM SUNDAY: Gaither Style • Sun, August 26 at 3pm • Tickets: \$15 (on sale now)
 A Gospel, praise and worship concert and sing-a-long featuring vocalists and musicians from Marion and neighboring counties. The music is in the style of traditional hymns, praise and contemporary worship, and of course, music in the style of the Gaithers. Under the direction of Ryan J Ratliff, eight singers will lead the audience in song and be featured in solos, duets, and quartets as well. This choir will consist of fifty-plus singers from area churches. An ice cream social follows in the May Pavilion (General Admission tickets include 1 free ice cream). Sponsored by: Abundant Life Assembly, Don & Lannette Davis, Emanuel Lutheran Church, and Senior Services Insurance Agency/Robert L. Stump.

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FRIDAYS
 ALL TICKETS \$15 • CASH BAR AVAILABLE

Grail • Friday, October 26 at 8pm

An occasional song at church has evolved into GRAIL. Mickey Bloomfield (bass, vocals), Craig Schertzer (guitar, vocals), Bruce Seckel (guitar, vocals), and Vern Sizemore (banjo, vocals) welcome you to join the growing family of GRAIL Bluegrass/Gospel fans.

Now & Then • Friday, January 25 at 8pm

Ann Schertzer & Company entertain with classic and contemporary music that spans the decades. They put their own twist on favorites from the Beatles, Carole King, James Taylor, Carly Simon, The Cranberries, Pink, Colbie Caillat and Jason Mraz to name a few.

gal•li•mau•fry: musical miscellany • Friday, February 22 at 8pm

Featuring vocals by John Garnes, Jr. & Nathan Haubert, with Nathan on piano, this performance showcases an array of music including Broadway tunes, pop hits, and more.

Dueling Pianos • Friday, March 22 at 8pm

The guys from Camden Falls are back and with fun on tap! Last appearing in 2009, Dueling Pianos will once again wow you with their wit and vast song library.

An Evening With Friends • Friday, April 26 at 8pm

Sara Wenig, Kristi Wink & Megan Withrow will win you over with solos, duets and trio performance numbers. Come on in, sit back, and relax amidst great music and an evening with friends.

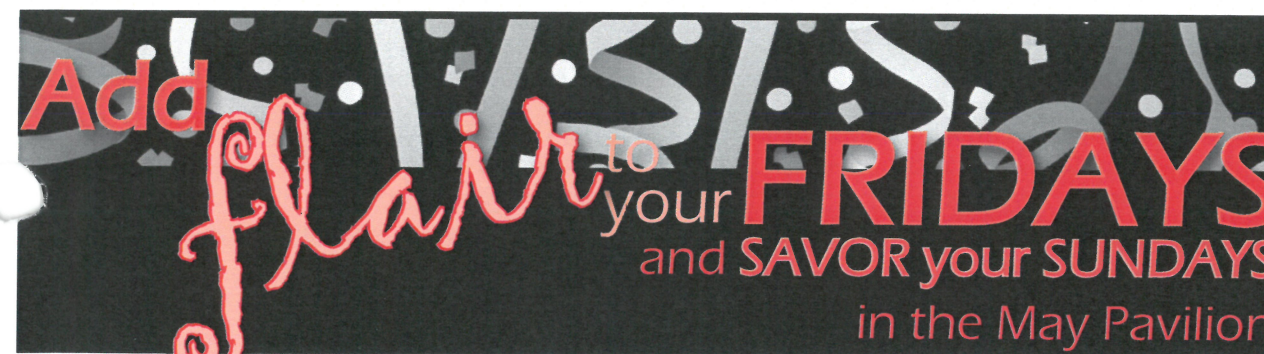
SUNDAYS

Marion Concert Band • October 28 • 3pm • \$10

Providing music in the pit at Palace and high school musicals and Music in the Park in the summers, this group of gifted musicians brings their talent to the Pavilion for Sunday with the Arts. They don't "play it all" as some might claim but play everything one would expect from a concert band and then some. Big band, jazz, show tunes, marches, lullabies, and folk music regularly appear on their play lists. And they've been known to play an occasional request.

Johnny Steiner • April 21 • 3pm • \$15

Presenting *ME, MYSELF, AND I*, featuring tunes of the 30s, 40s, and 50s from the great American song-book, Johnny's show includes special guests, comedy, positivity and wonderful music. Accompanied by Eileen Huston.



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THE LENNON SISTERS • Sun, October 7 at 3pm • Tickets: \$40, \$28, \$22

THE LENNON SISTERS are an American institution, glamorous, yet unpretentious, sophisticated, yet down-to-earth, famous, yet approachable. No wonder America fell in love with them as the girls next door. For 13 years on "The Lawrence Welk Show" they charmed the nation with their sweet-voiced harmonies. The combination of their extraordinary natural vocal talents, hard working professionalism, striking looks, unassuming personalities and strong family values earned them a place in the homes and hearts of millions of fans nationwide. Now performing as a trio, Kathy, Janet, and Mimi are continuing the tradition. They are certain to entertain and delight their fans, as well as new generations of admirers.



A Palace Production in the May Pavilion **THE 25TH ANNUAL PUTNAM COUNTY SPELLING BEE** Fri, October 12 at 8pm • Sat, October 13 at 8pm • Tickets: \$18 • Rated PG13

A hilarious tale of overachievers' angst chronicling the experience of six adolescent outsiders vying for the spelling championship of a lifetime. The show's Tony Award winning creative team has created the unlikeliest of hit musicals about the unlikeliest of heroes: a quirky yet charming cast of outsiders for whom a spelling bee is the one place where they can stand out and fit in at the same time. Directed by Clare Cooke. Sponsored by United Federal Credit Union & the Marion Community Foundation's Mary H. Hollaway Palace Theatre Fund.



Across the USA and Home Again

CHRISTMAS AT THE PALACE 2012 • Fri, Nov. 30 & Sat, Dec. 1 at 7:30pm

Sun, December 2 at 2pm • Tickets: \$22 & \$17 adults, \$12 children age 12 & younger
Originated in 1982, this production traditionally includes a variety of community members in choirs, dance numbers, instrumental ensembles and light-hearted, yet touching, scenes of the season. CHRISTMAS AT THE PALACE is a favorite holiday tradition for many families. This year's theme is **Across the USA and Home Again**. Directed by Clare Cooke. Sponsored by Ohio Mutual Insurance Group and Marion Community Foundation's Mary H. Hollaway Palace Theatre Fund.

Columbus Children's Theatre presents **MR. SCROOGE** • Sat, December 8 at 2pm • Tickets: \$6
From the snowy streets of 19th century London to the ghostly apparitions of Christmas past, present and future, four professional actors vividly portray not just the authentic details but the emotional impact of Dickens' holiday tale about Ebenezer Scrooge, "a squeezing, wrenching, grasping, scraping, clutching, covetous old sinner with a heart of ice." This powerful and amazing show, with more than 15 characters and 30 costume changes, has been performed since 1990 and is the longest run for any CCT production.



BOB HOPE HOLIDAY ROAD SHOW • Sun, December 9 at 2pm

Tickets: \$22 & \$18 • Sponsored by Wyandot, Inc.

THE BOB HOPE HOLIDAY ROAD SHOW starring Lynn Roberts. Presented as a 1940s holiday radio program complete with on stage announcer and era commercials plus legendary guest stars, W.C. Fields, Jimmy Durante, Benny Goodman and Red Skelton (all portrayed by the talented Mr. Roberts). It's a fun filled, nostalgic trip back to the golden days of radio and a tribute to icons of radio and the silver screen during the holiday season. Sponsored by Wyandot, Inc.



Micky's Monkees Christmas • Sat, December 15 at 8pm • Tickets: \$40, \$30, \$26, \$22

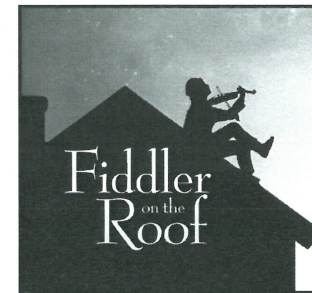
Micky Dolenz, the fun-loving, incomparable lead singer of The Monkees gives stirring performances of timeless Christmas classics, surprises for the kids, as well as his Monkees TV mega Top 40 Hits (*Last Train to Clarksville, Monkees Theme Song, Happy Together, I'm A Believer*) that made Micky Dolenz a household name. Get on board for the music of The Monkees and all your holiday favorites!

Boardwalk Boys • Sat, January 19 at 8pm • Tickets: \$ 24, \$20

THE BOARDWALK BOYS is a tribute to sun and surf music of the California coast and features four Broadway veterans, including Ryan J Ratliff, acting as college buddies reuniting for a vacation. Songs of The Beach Boys, Jan & Dean, The Mamas & Papas, The Turtles and many others, help them relive old memories, tackle their girl problems, and take the audience on a musical journey. This show features a live band, incredible dancing, a little audience participation, and that famous soaring sound of beach music of the 60s.



Ryan J Ratliff



A Palace Production of **Fiddler on the Roof** • Fri, Feb. 15 & Sat, Feb. 16 at 7:30pm;

Sun, February 17 at 2pm • Tickets: \$22 & \$17 adults, \$12 children age 12 & younger

In the little village of Anatevka, Tevye, a poor dairyman, tries to instill in his five daughters the traditions of his tight-knit Jewish community in the face of changing social mores and the growing anti-Semitism of Czarist Russia. Rich in historical and ethnic detail, FIDDLER ON THE ROOF has touched audiences around the world with its humor, warmth and honesty. The universal theme of tradition cuts across barriers of race, class, nationality and religion, leaving audiences crying tears of laughter, joy and sadness. Directed by Greg Patterson. Sponsored by Marion Community Foundation's Mary H. Hollaway Palace Theatre Fund.

The Passing Zone in GRAVITY ATTACKS • Sat, February 9 at 8pm

Adults: \$40, \$26, \$22; Students/Children \$12

THE PASSING ZONE (Jon Wee and Owen Morse) deliver a high-energy, gut-busting theatrical event that thrills audiences of all ages. They're like The Flying Karamazov Brothers (but more hip), Penn & Teller (but cleaner), The Smothers Brothers (but younger), Cirque du Soleil (but American), Blue Man Group (but less blue), the Blue Collar Comedy Tour (but funny), and Carrotopp (but less, well, Carrotoppy), all rolled into one. The Passing Zone has been awarded five Guinness World Records and 18 Gold Medals from the International Juggler's Association. You don't want to miss this fun-for-the-family show!



THE LITTLE RIVER BAND • Sat, April 13 at 8pm • Tickets: \$45, \$36, \$32, \$28

LITTLE RIVER BAND claimed their place as one of the great vocal bands of the '70s...and the '80s.



Between 1976 and 1983, chart success in America included the following singles: *It's a Long Way There, Help Is on Its Way, Happy Anniversary, Reminiscing, Lady, Cool Change, Lonesome Loser, The Night Owls, Take It Easy On Me, Man On Your Mind, We Two, and The Other Guy*. Worldwide album and CD sales now top 30 million. They also set a record for having Top 10 hits for 6 consecutive years...the first band to achieve that mark. And according to BMI, **Reminiscing** has garnered rare status with over 5 million airplays on American radio, with **Lady** close behind with over 4 million airplays. The current lineup brings new energy and arrangements to the classic hits, making new memories for the audience out of each live performance. Sponsored by First Citizen's National Bank.

THE ALLEY CATS • Sat, May 4 at 8pm • Tickets: \$32, \$24, \$20

THE ALLEY CATS are a perfect blend of musical talent and comedic timing. The Cats never miss a beat as they sing a cappella to the greatest songs we all know and love of the 50s and 60s. Their interaction with audiences combined with their spontaneous humor makes each show refreshing and exciting. They have won over audiences nationally as they relate directly to the crowd with lively humor, engaging stories, and audience participation that appeals to young and old alike.

