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MAKE MUSIC MADISON 2015

Performed by Anyone, Enjoyed by Everyone

Make Music Madison is an annual one-day citywide, free, outdoor music festival to be held on the Summer Solstice, June 21. The goal is to generate a continuous wall of music as people walk around participating spaces. “Music” is whatever live sound an individual or group wishes to produce, and whatever the hosting space accepts. The festival will be inclusionary in terms of genres, ethnicities, styles of music, skill levels of musicians, and in the use of public and private spaces throughout our community. There now are over 700 communities around the world celebrating the Summer Solstice with a music festival.

When and where will Make Music Madison take place?

Make Music Madison will take place on the summer solstice, **Sunday, June 21, 2015**. Some performances may start early or go late, or take advantage of natural commuter times, but public spaces throughout Madison — sidewalks, parks, and more — become impromptu musical stages, dance floors, and social meeting points. Last year we saw oodles of amateur musicians and every ilk of professional musician to pop up all over Madison to perform for new audiences and neighbors alike, and we’re sure 2015 will only be better.

Participate

Join the Music Making merriment. **Make Music Madison** is a city-wide, street level music making celebration. The more music made, the more merriment. There is a role for everyone and every organization in this DIY celebration – musicians, social media makers, businesses, restaurants, bars, neighborhood organizations, and non-profits. If you have an idea about how to add to the Make Music Madison merriment, and you have the time and skills to make your vision happen, we want to hear from you. Sign up or find more information at www.makemusicmadison.org.

See inside for Hog Events ➡

May Events

At the Wild Hog in the Woods Coffeehouse

Friday, May 1
8:00 - 10:30pm

Dave Fallow and Tom Waselchuk

Dave and Tom return to the Hog for another night of bluegrass, country, folk and swing on vocals and two guitars. The duo have performed numerous times before at the Hog, and around southern Wisconsin in groups including the Rubato Brothers, Side by Side, Stone Oak and The Dang-its. Don't miss this rare chance to hear them again at one of their favorite venues!

Monday, May 4
7:00 - 8:30 pm

Coordinators Meeting

Join us at the Wil-Mar for a lively discussion of Hog Business.

Friday, May 8
8:00 - 10:30 pm

The Harmonica Hour with DeWayne Keyes

DeWayne Keyes and Doug Barrette's performances are like an old radio show with music, jokes and stories. With DeWayne on harmonica and vocals and Doug on guitar and vocals, the music includes Americana, folk, old country, blues and originals. Join them for an evening of mirth and music.

Friday, May 15
8:00 - 10:30 pm

David Schindele

Due to unforeseen circumstances, the David Schindele concert in March was canceled. But lucky for us, David was able to reschedule. He is an excellent singer-songwriter and pianist, who has graced the Hog stage many times. He'll be joined by two friends: seasoned songwriter and performer Joe 'Snare' Vosen, creator of the musical "Caffeine Dreams"; and songsmith John Max Jacobs, also a versatile guitarist and singer. They will share an eclectic mix of covers and originals ranging from rockabilly to blues to ballad. The evening promises to be one of warmth, improvisation and merriment! You can listen to and buy David's music at <http://daveschindele.com>

Saturday, May 16
2:00 - 4:30 pm

Hootenanny!

It will be held in the Yahara Room of the Wil-Mar Center. Bring copies of your favorite songs and your stringed instruments. This event is FREE, although Phill-up the Pig will be there to accept donations.

Friday, May 22
CLOSED

Closed for the Memorial day weekend.

Friday, May 29
8:00 - 10:30pm

Dustbunnies

Almost fresh from a string of events in Beloit, Rockton, Lisle and Hoffman Estates, the Dustbunnies return to the Wild Hog with an assortment of Irish traditional ballads, contemporary tunes, sea shanties and sing-a-longs. The band will feature some combinations of accordion, guitar, banjo, bodhran, mandolin and hammered dulcimer by Bill Fallon (from Streamwood, IL), Ben Doran (Madison), Michael Staszak (Darien, IL), John Roche (Brookfield, IL) and Rick March (Madison).

This and That

As has become our tradition, we'll be closed for the summer months of June, July and August. We'll start up Hog events again in early September. We do this so our volunteers can take advantage of the many events and festivals that occur throughout the state of Wisconsin.

One example of this is the Gandy Dancer Festival held this year on Saturday, August 15, on the Westland Promenade in Mazomanie. There is music from 11:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m., mini train rides, horse-drawn wagon rides, train displays, and much more. It is all free, although donations are gratefully accepted.

On another note, I'd like to thank the Wild Hog for letting me be their newsletter editor from a remote location. For those who don't know, I live in Green Bay and, of course, the Hog is in Madison. While occasionally this presents some challenges, for the most part everything runs smoothly. I credit this to the amazing coordinators who keep me informed of everything I need to do this job — thank you one and all!

Finally, thank you all for your patience with us as we canceled not one, but two events in March. There were good reasons and we appreciate your flexibility.

Sincerely,
Ramona Makos, Newsletter Editor

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Wild Hog in the Woods 2015 Membership Form

Name (please print) Email

Address City State Zip

Telephone Date

Please check here if you do not want your name given out for non-Hog folk event mailings.

The Wild Hog is a volunteer-run cooperative and all members are encouraged to volunteer. We ask working members to commit to volunteering at least three times per year. Are you interested in helping with any of the following?

- Set-up/clean-up
- Bulk mailing
- Newsletter or Website (circle choice)
- Poster distribution
- Graphics/art
- Publicity
- Sound mixing
- Concert coordinator
- Baking for concerts

I am interested in performing on stage at the Coffeehouse. Please call me!

Please indicate which type of membership you prefer:

- Working Member (volunteer at least 3 times a year)**
 - \$10 Individual
 - \$15 Family
 - (Optional) Donation _____
 - Subscribing Member**
 - \$13 Individual
 - \$18 Family
- Thanks!

Please make check payable to
"Wild Hog in the Woods"
Mail this form with check to:
Wild Hog in the Woods
953 Jenifer Street
Madison, WI 53703-3521

Bacon Bits

Thank you Volunteers

As our 2014-2015 season of Wild Hog events draws to a close, we can't thank enough all the people who made it happen each and every week. You are an amazing group of people.

For those who did not find an opportunity to help this year, there is still time in May to lend a hand. Or if you'd like to be considered for the fall, we can put you on our list and get in touch with you then. If you are interested, please contact our volunteer coordinator, Lisa Johnson at 608-442-5753.

Thanks go out to the people who are already steady volunteers and also to those in the handy hog contact list. They book the talent, gather and write a little info for each performer, schedule the volunteers, update and maintain a website, put together a newsletter, fold, label, stamp and mail the newsletters, and much more.

Finally, we are grateful for all the wonderful performers that play at our concerts. You play with gusto and enthusiasm, a full-out performance. You keep the Wild Hog the valued treasure that it is.

"THANK YOU ALL!

We couldn't have done it without you."

Handy Hog Contact List

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