

MAY-JUNE 2016, MEMPHIS BLUES SOCIETY GIG & EVENT CALENDAR

See the .PDF version of the Gig & Event Calendar on the MBS homepage: <http://www.memphisbluessociety.com/>

GET OUT AND SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL MUSICIANS. DON'T FORGET TO TIP.

MBS MEMBER MUSICIAN/BAND SCHEDULE WEBLINKS:

- Barbara Blue: <http://barbarablue.com/schedule.html>
- Brandon Santini: <http://www.brandonsantini.com/schedule/>
- Darren Jay & The Delta Souls: <http://www.darrenj.com/tour/>
- Eric Hughes, Eric Hughes Trio, Eric Hughes Band: <http://www.erichughesband.com/upcomingshows.cfm>
- Ghost Town Blues Band: <http://www.ghosttownbluesband.com/Tour.php>
- Jeff Jensen Band: <http://jeffjensenband.com/tour-dates/>
- Mississippi Bigfoot: <http://www.mississippibigfoot.com/shows/>
- John Nemeth Band: <http://johnnemeth.com/gigs/>
- Little Boys Blue: <http://littleboysblue.bandzoogle.com/shows>
- Low Society: http://www.reverbnation.com/artist/artist_shows/385580
- Vince Johnson & The Plantation All Stars: <http://plantationallstars.webs.com/apps/calendar/>
- Will Tucker Band: <http://www.willtuckermusic.com>

VENUE SCHEDULE WEBLINKS:

- Rum Boogie Cafe: <http://rumboogie.com/events/>
- Rum Boogie Cafe, Rum Boogie Cafe's Blues Hall, King's Palace Cafe's Tap Room and King's Palace Cafe's Patio: <http://eatdrinkboogie.com/events>

WEEKLY BLUES JAMS (bring your instrument and sign-up to Jam)

- Sundays, 7-11pm, Memphis Blues Society Sunday Evening Jam, Rum Boogie Cafe, 182 Beale St., Memphis, TN
- Tuesdays, 7-10pm, Phoenix Blues Jam, Cooper-Walker Place, 1015 S. Cooper @ Walker, Sponsored by the Memphis Blues Society
- **NEW: Wednesdays in May 2016, 7-11pm, Bob's Open Jam & Musicians Night Out, Bob's Bar & Grill, Whitten Rd**
- Thursdays, 7-11pm, Stage Stop Blues Jam hosted by Brad Webb & Friends, Stage Stop, 2951 Cela, Memphis, TN. Sponsored by the Memphis Blues Society
- Thursdays, 7pm-11pm, Jack Rowell, Jr. Royal Blues Band, 'The Thrill' (Jam) at the Grill, Neil's Music Room, 5727 Quince Rd. Memphis, TN
- **+Fridays, 11pm-3am, Live Band Karaoke-Open Mic, Singers and Musicians with instruments welcome, Jerry Lee Lewis' Honky Tonk, Beale Street**
- **+Saturdays, 11pm-3am, Live Band Karaoke- Open Mic, Singers and Musicians with instruments welcome, Jerry Lee Lewis' Honky Tonk Cafe, Beale Street**

+ Call Jerry Lee Lewis' Honky Tonk Café first to verify show

WEEKLY/MONTHLY GIGS & EVENTS

- Sundays, 9am-noon, **Blues Brunch**, WXXM 98.1 FM The Max (Memphis) <http://www.981themax.com/>
- Sundays, 11:30am- 2:30pm, **Joyce Cobb**, Sunday Brunch, Bosco's Squared, Madison Ave, Overton Square
- Sundays, 12noon, **Dan Charette & Absolutely Blue**, Handy Park, Beale St (Weather permitting)
- Sundays, 4pm, **Chic Jones & the Peckerwood Blues Band**, Handy Park, Beale St
- Sundays, 4-8pm, **Barbara Blue with Nat Kerr (piano)**, Silky O'Sullivan's, 183 Beale St
- Sundays, 6:30-10:30pm, **Chic Jones & The Blues Express**, King's Palace Cafe Patio
- **Sundays, 7pm, Memphis Blues Society Sunday Evening Jam, Rum Boogie Cafe, 182 Beale St**

- Sundays, 8-11pm, **Radio-Memphis 'Booze and Blues'** webcast hosted by Ric Chetter & Jeff Janovetz
<http://www.radio-memphis.com>
- Sundays, 8-12midnight, **The Beale Street Roots & Blues Revue with LOW SOCIETY Band**, Rum Boogie Cafe's Blues Hall, Beale St.
- Sundays, 8pm, **Blues Show, WYPL**, 89.3 FM (Memphis)
- Mondays, 12-8pm, **Chris Gales**, Flynn's, Beale St
- Mondays, 9pm, **'Music on The Couch' webcast hosted by Vinny Marini**
<http://www.blogtalkradio.com/musiconthecouch>
- Tuesdays, 12-8pm, **Chris Gales**, Flynn's, Beale St
- Tuesdays, 5pm, **Diana Stein-Kabakoff**, Peabody Lobby (piano), Peabody Hotel, Union Ave
- Tuesdays, 7:30pm-12am, **Chic Jones & The Blues Express**, King's Palace Café Patio
- Tuesdays, 7pm, **Earl "The Pearl" Banks & The Peoples of the Blues Band**, Blues City Cafe, Beale St.
- Tuesdays, 8pm-Midnight, **The McDaniel Band**, Rum Boogie Cafe's Blues Hall, Beale St
- Wednesdays, 12-8pm, **Chris Gales**, Flynn's, Beale St
- Wednesdays, 7-9pm, **Barbara Blue with Nat Kerr (piano), Robert Mache (guitar)**, Silky O'Sullivan's, 183 Beale St.
- Wednesdays, 7pm, **Elmo and the Shades**, Neil's Music Room, 5727 Quince Rd
- Wednesdays, 7-11pm, **Jack Rowell, Jr. Band**, Live Band Karaoke Sundays! Southland Gaming & Racing, West Memphis, AR
- Wednesdays, 8pm, **Vince Johnson & The Plantation Allstars**, King's Palace Cafe's Tap Room, 168 Beale St
- Wednesdays, 8pm-Midnight, **The McDaniel Band**, Rum Boogie Cafe's Blues Hall, Beale St
- Thursdays, 12-8pm, **Chris Gales**, Flynn's, Beale St
- Thursday, 7pm, **Ms. Ruby Wilson**, Itta Bena (2nd floor above B .B. Kings Blues Club), Beale St
- Thursdays, 7-9pm, **Barbara Blue with Nat Kerr (piano)**, Silky O'Sullivan's 183 Beale St
- *Most Thursdays, 8pm, **Vince Johnson & The Boogie Blues Band**, Rum Boogie Cafe, Beale St
- Fridays, 8-10am, **Blues Today**, WEVL89.9 FM (Memphis), Hosted by Chuck (<http://www.wevl.org>)
- Fridays, 12-8pm, **Chris Gales**, Flynn's, Beale St
- Fridays, 5pm, **Diana Stein-Kabakoff**, Peabody Lobby (piano), Peabody Hotel, Union Ave
- Fridays, 6pm, **Chic Jones & the Peckerwood Blues Band**, Handy Park, Beale St
- Fridays, 7-9pm, **Barbara Blue with Nat Kerr (piano)**, Silky O'Sullivan's, 183 Beale St
- *Most Fridays, 9pm, **Vince Johnson & The Boogie Blues Band**, Rum Boogie Cafe, Beale St
- Fridays (seasonal), 7pm, **Delta Blues Winery Re-Wine free music concert**. 6585 Stewart Rd., Lakeland, TN 38002 (phone 901-829-4685), Stewart Rd is south off TN Hwy 385, between Millington & Arlington
- Last Friday of each month, 7:30pm, **Zeke Johnson**, Java Cabana, Young Ave
- Fridays, 9pm (\$10 cover), **Bluesmobile, Ol' School & Birthday Club, Guest Bands, Alfred Brown and may include Willie Hall**, The Plexx, 380 E.H. Crump Blvd. (call first to verify time & show: 901-744-2225)
- Saturdays 9am-Noon, **Blues At Sunrise with RJ Stone**, WRBQ 103.5FM (Memphis)
<http://www.soulclassics.com/>
- Saturdays, 5-9pm, **Earl "The Pearl" Banks & The Peoples of the Blues Band**, Blues City Cafe, Beale St.
- Saturdays, 5-9pm, **Barbara Blue with Nat Kerr (piano)**, Silky O'Sullivan's, 183 Beale St
- Saturdays, 6pm, **Chic Jones & the Peckerwood Blues Band**, Handy Park, Beale St (weather permitting)
- Saturdays, 6-9pm, **Soul Stew**, WEVL, 89.9 FM (Memphis) Hosted by Brett (<http://www.wevl.org>)
- *Most Saturdays, 9pm, **Vince Johnson & The Boogie Blues Band**, Rum Boogie Cafe, Beale St

*Verify Vince Johnson show dates online at the Rum Boogie Cafe event calendar at:
http://rumboogie.com/?page_id=29

MEMPHIS BLUES SOCIETY SUNDAY EVENING JAM (RUM BOOGIE CAFE, 182 BEALE ST)
Every Sunday 7-11pm, \$3 Cover. The host band starts at 7pm, Jam starts at 8:30pm.
Arrive early and sign up to participate in the Jam.

May-June Host Band Schedule:

- **May 01, NO MBS JAM**
- May 08, **Bobby Lawson**
- May 15, **Al Corte'**
- May 22, **Brandon Santini**
- May 29, **Red Thomas**
- Jun 05, **Dan Charrette & Absolutely Blue**
- Jun 12, **Bex Marshall** (from UK)
- Jun 19, **Southern Avenue**
- Jun 26, **Royal Blues Band**, featuring **Jack Rowell, Jr.**

RADIO-MEMPHIS BOOZE & BLUES WEBCAST, Sundays 8-11pm CT, Listen Live at: <http://www.radio-memphis.com>
In-Studio Guest Musician Schedule:

- May 01: **Jeff Jensen**
 - Jun 12: **Theo Dashbach**
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BLUESDAY TUESDAYS AT OVERTON SQUARE, TOWER COURTYARD STAGE:
7:30-9:30pm, Tuesdays Beginning May 24 thru Sept 27 (no concert Sept 06)

MBS PRESENTS THE BONA FIDE BLUES FESTIVAL:



David Evans, John Nemeth & Mississippi Bigfoot- Out of Town Schedules

David Evans:

- Friday, May 13, Wiesbaden, Germany, "Leibnizschule"
- Sunday, May 15, Bernkastel-Kues, Germany, "Jugendherberge"
- Tuesday, May 17, Bayreuth, Germany, "Glashaus"
- Thursday, May 19, Ústí nad Labem, Czech Republic
- Friday, May 20, Kuřim, Czech Republic, "DK Kuřim"
- Sunday, May 22, Doudleby nad Orlicí, Czech Republic, "Zámek"
- Monday, May 23, Valašské Meziříčí, Czech Republic, "Malá scéna Za oponou" & Radio Proglas (Brno)
- Tuesday, May 24, Bratislava, Slovakia, "Múzeum obchodu"

- Wednesday, May 25, Žďár nad Sázavou, Czech Republic, "Kavárna U tety Hany"
- Thursday, May 26, Kolín, Czech Republic, "divadlo – malá scéna"
- Friday, May 27, Mílevsko, Czech Republic, "Malá galerie"
- Saturday, May 28, Praha, Czech Republic, "U Kaštanu"
- Sunday, May 29, Jílové u Prahy, Czech Republic
- Wednesday, June 1, Bielefeld, Germany, "Extra Blues Bar"
- Thursday, June 2, Göttingen, Germany, "Vinyl Reservat"
- Friday, June 3, Hannover, Germany, "Zum Stern"
- Saturday, June 4, Boitzenburger Land, Germany, "Blue Lizard Lounge"
- Sunday, June 5, Boitzenburger Land, Germany, "Blue Lizard Lounge" (guitar workshop)
- Monday, June 6, Bookholzburg, Germany, "Schwarzes Ross"
- Friday, June 24, Auburn, CA, "California Club"
- Saturday, June 25, Grass Valley, CA, "The Open Book" (with Marina Bokelman)
- Sunday, June 26, Nevada City, CA, KVMR Radio (guitar workshop and concert)

John Nemeth:

- May 07, Gator By The Bay Festival, San Diego, CA
- May 14, New England Blues Summit, Hyannis, MA

Mississippi Bigfoot:

**MISSISSIPPI
BIGFOOT**

European Tour

May - June 2016

DATE / EVENT	LOCATION
May 13th - Eutin Blues Festival	Eutin, Germany
May 14th - More Blues Festival	Zottegem, Belgium
May 15th - Café Kerkzicht	Roosendaal, Netherlands
May 22nd - Nixenmeer (Hosting the Blues Jam)	Enschede, Netherlands
May 26th - Blues Café	Apleboom, Netherlands
May 27th - Westelijk Handelsterrein	Rotterdam, Netherlands
May 28th - Blues Garage	Hanover, Germany
June 1st - Blues Kitchen	Solingen, Germany
June 3rd - Jazzpodium DJS	Dordrecht, Netherlands
June 4th - Vestingfeesten Valkenburg	Valkenburg, Netherlands
June 6th - Project 3	Heitersheim, Germany
June 7th - Mehlsack	Emmendingen, Germany
June 8th - ChaBah	Kandern, Germany
June 9th - Cultuurcentrum De Steiger	Menen, Belgium
June 11th - Bikers Loft Groeneburg	Oudenburg, Belgium
June 12th - Goorblues	Gooreind, Belgium
June 13th - Banana Peel	Ruiselede, Belgium
June 17th - Blusiana Rock Cafe	Velden, Austria
June 18th - Private Party	Basel, Switzerland
June 20th - Bluesfest Ingolstadt	Ingolstadt, Germany

www.mississippibigfoot.com

Buckman Performing Arts Center, 60 Perkins Rd Ext'd, Memphis, TN
2015-2016 SEASON, Select musician highlights:

- Fri May 13, 8pm, **Leo Kottke**, Buckman Arts Center, Perkins Rd., Extd.

To order tickets, call [\(901\) 537-1483](tel:9015371483) or email: cyounger@stmarysschool.org. Only at Buckman can you get this close to the stars. Join Buckman for a magical season! For the complete schedule and more information visit: <http://www.buckmanartscenter.com>.

MUSICIAN/BAND SCHEDULES NOT LISTED ABOVE:

RUM BOOGIE CAFÉ:

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Mississippi Big Foot	2 JP Soars & the Red Hots	3 JP Soars & the Red Hots	4 Southern Avenue	5 Vince Johnson & the Boogie Blues Band	6 Bob Margolin	7 Janiva Magness
8 Memphis Blues Society Jam w/Bobby Lawson	9 Ghost Town Blues Band	10 Ghost Town Blues Band	11 Ghost Town Blues Band	12 Joanne Shaw Taylor	13 Joanne Shaw Taylor	14 Vince Johnson & the Boogie Blues Band
15 Memphis Blues Society Jam w/Al Corte	16 Eric Hughes Band	17 Eric Hughes Band	18 Little Boys Blue	19 Vince Johnson & the Boogie Blues Band	20 Patrick Dodd	21 Vince Johnson & the Boogie Blues Band
22 Memphis Blues Society Jam w/Brandon Santini	23 Gracie Curran & the High Falutin' Band	24 Gracie Curran & the High Falutin' Band	25 Little Boys Blue	26 Vince Johnson & the Boogie Blues Band	27 Vince Johnson & the Boogie Blues Band	28 Vince Johnson & the Boogie Blues Band
29 Memphis Blues Society Jam w/Red Thomas	30 Sean "Bad" Apple	31 Sean "Bad" Apple				

MAY 2016:

- Sun May 01, **John Nemeth**, Beale Street Music Festival, Tom Lee Park
- Sun May 01, 3-7pm, **FLAM** (For the Love of All Music), Shake Rag, Millington, TN
- Tue May 03, 5:30-8:00pm, **Doc Fangaz & the Remedy**, B.B. King's Blues Club, Beale St
- Wed May 04, 9pm, Big Llou's 4th Annual Blues Hall of Fame Jam, Hard Rock Café, Beale St
- Thu May 05, 5:30pm, Blues Music Awards, Cook Convention Center
- Fri May 06, 12-1pm, Outdoors, Free, **David Evans**, Downtown Memphis Commission concert, corner of Main St. & Union Ave
- Friday May 06, 2-7pm, **The Generation Blues Play-It-Forward Fundraiser**, Hard Rock Cafe, Beale St
- Fri May 06, 7pm, **Little Boys Blue**, Vizztone Blues Party, Bum Boogie Café, Beale St
- Sat May 07, 8pm, **Little Boys Blue**, [Redbones Bar & Grill, Jackson, TN](#)
- Mon May 09, 8pm-12am, **McDaniel Band**, Rum Boogie Café's Blues Hall, Beale St
- Tue May 10, 5:30-8:00pm, **Doc Fangaz & the Remedy**, BB King's, Memphis, TN
- Fri May 13, **John D'Amato**, [Barefoot Charlie's, Hendersonville, TN](#)
- Sat May 14, 8pm, **Little Boys Blue**, [BLUES HALL Beale St](#)
- Tue May 17, 5:30-8:00pm, **Doc Fangaz & the Remedy**, BB King's, Memphis, TN
- Wed May 18, 7pm, **Little Boys Blue**, [RUM BOOGIE CAFE Beale St](#)
- Thu May 19, 6-9pm, **(901) Trio**, Bob's Sports Bar & Grill, Memphis, TN
- Fri May 20, 6:30pm, 7pm game start, **Barbara Blue**, singing National Anthem, Memphis Redbirds Baseball Game, AutoZone Park
- Fri May 20, 7pm, **Little Boys Blue**, [The Amp Theatre, Jackson TN](#)
- Fri May 20, 9:30pm-1:30am, **(901) Blues Band**, T.J. Mulligan's, Kirby & Poplar
- Sat May 21, 7pm, **Little Boys Blue**, [BLUES HALL Beale St](#)
- Sat May 21, 10:30-1am **(901) Blues Band**, The Blue Monkey, Madison Ave
- Mon May 23, 8pm-12am, **McDaniel Band**, Rum Boogie Café's Blues Hall, Beale St
- Tue May 24, 5:30-8pm, **Doc Fangaz & the Remedy**, BB King's, Memphis, TN
- Wed, May 25, 7pm, **Little Boys Blue**, [RUM BOOGIE CAFE Beale St](#)
- Fri May 27, 8pm-12am, **McDaniel Band**, Rum Boogie Café's Blues Hall, Beale St
- Fri May 27, 8pm—12am, **(901) Trio**, Windy City Grill Como, MS
- Sat May 28, 10am-8pm, **Redd Velvet**, B.B. King Homecoming Blues Festival w/Keb MO, B.B. King All-Star Band, Indianola, MS
- Sat May 28, 8pm-12am, **FLAM**, The Fillin Station, Southaven, MS
- Sat May 28, 7pm, **Little Boys Blue**, [Exit 56 Blues Festival, Brownsville TN](#)
- Sat May 28, 9pm, **Redd Velvet**, Club Ebony, Indianola, MS
- Tue May 31, 5:30-8pm, **Doc Fangaz & The Remedy**, B.B. King's, Memphis, TN

JUNE 2016:

- Fri Jun 03, 6-10pm, **Little Boys Blue**, [Full Throttle Saloon & Distillery, Main Street, Trimble TN](#)
- Sat Jun 04, 7pm, **Little Boys Blue**, [Redbones Bar & Grill, Jackson TN](#)
- Sat Jun 04, **John D'Amato**, [Bricktown Brewery, Fort Smith, AR](#)
- Sun Jun 05, **John D'Amato**, [Huey's Blues Brews and Burgers, Downtown Location](#)
- Mon Jun 06, **John D'Amato**, [Music On The Couch Webcast with Vinny Marini](#)
- Fri Jun 10, 7:30-10:30pm, **The Memphis Snake Doctors**, Delta Blues Winery, Lakeland, TN
- Fri Jun 10, **John D'Amato**, [Barefoot Charlie's, Hendersonville, TN](#)
- Wed Jun 22, David Evens, Delta State University, NEH Workshop for School Teachers Cleveland, MS,
- Thu Jun 23, 6:30pm, **Little Boys Blue**, [Haywood Co. Arts Council Summer Concert, College Hill Grounds, Brownsville TN](#)

- Fri Jun 24, 7pm, Little **Boys Blue**, [Mulligans, Jackson TN](#)
- Fri Jun 24, **Terry 'Big T' Williams**, Resort Casino, Tunica, MS
- Sat Jun 25, **Terry 'Big T' Williams**, Resort Casino, Tunica, MS
- Sat Jun 25, **Redd Velvet**, Western Kentucky African American Heritage Museum, Russellville, KY

IMPORTANT: For venue addresses see the website information below; All times listed are local time; The dates and times listed above are subject to change: contact the venue directly for details on a specific show before attending; Unless noted all venues are in Memphis and shows are ages 21+, TN; All outside shows are held weather permitting.

SELECT MEMPHIS & MID SOUTH VENUE ADDRESSES & WEBSITES:

B.B. King's Blues Club, 143 Beale St: www.bbkingclubs.com
Blind Bear Speakeasy, 119 N. Main St: www.blindbearmemphis.com
Blue Note Bar & Grill, 341 Beale St., Memphis, TN (901) 577-8387, <http://www.bluenotebarandgrillinc.com>
Delta Blues Winery, 6585 Stewart Rd., Lakeland, TN 38002, <http://www.beltablueswinery.com>
Flynn's Restaurant and Bar, 159 Beale St: <https://www.facebook.com/FlynnsOnBeale>
Ground Zero Blues Club, 0 Blues Alley, Clarksdale, MS: <http://www.groundzerobluesclubmusic.com>
Hi-Tone Cafe, 412-414 N. Cleveland St: www.hitonememphis.com
Java Cabana Coffeehouse, 2170 Young Ave: <http://www.javacabanacoffeehouse.com>
Lafayette's Music Room, 2119 Madison Ave: <http://www.lafayettesmusicroom.com/>
King's Palace Cafe, 162 Beale St: <http://kingspalacecafe.com/>
King's Palace Cafe's Tap Room, 168 Beale St: <http://memphistaproom.com>
Murphy's, 1589 Madison Ave: www.murphysmemphis.com
Neil's Music Room, 5725 Quince Rd: <http://www.neilsmusicroom.com/>
P & H Cafe, 1532 Madison Ave., <http://www.pandhcafe>
Rum Boogie Cafe & Rum Boogie Cafe's Blues Hall, 182 Beale St: <http://rumboogie.com/>
Silky O'Sullivan's, 183 Beale St: www.silkyosullivans.com
The Cove, 2559 Broad Ave: <http://www.thecovememphis.com>
Wet Willies, 209 Beale St: <http://www.wetwillies.com/Locations/Memphis.html>

To post your gig(s) on the MBS Gig & Event Calendar: e-mail your schedule to newsletter editor Mark E. Caldwell via e-mail at: Newsletter@MemphisBluesSociety.com or MemphisBluesSocietyMembership@gmail.com.

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