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... **SAVE THE DATE:**

Sunday, November 1

the first in a new Folknet small concert series:



- [Andrew Calhoun](#) prolific singer/songwriter/songfinder from Chicago, Church of the Good Shepherd, 23599 Cedar Rd., Lyndhurst, 7pm, \$15, \$12 for Folknet members

October is International Walk to School and School Library Month, National Protect Your Hearing, Adopt a Dog Month and also Domestic Violence Awareness Month

Thursday, October 1

UNESCO's International music day


Kerry Kean's birthday

Becky Boyd's birthday

■ **Ceili Dancing** West Side Irish American Club, 7pm

■ **Time Literally** hosts weekly open mike, [Coffee Phix Café](#) (reopened at new location) 4485 Mayfield Rd., parking in rear, South Euclid 381-5705, 6:30-9pm

Brad Pethtel used to host open mike – others now “sit in”, The Grand River Manor, 1153 Mechanicsville Rd., Geneva 440/466-9229, 7-10pm

■ [Mallory SanMarco](#) hosts  "no mike open mike," [Loganberry Books](#), 13015 Larchmere Blvd., Shaker Heights 795-9800, (March [video](#)) 7-8: 30pm

* ■ **Fred Barringer** hosts jam/open mike, Marge E's Geneva N & Wine Bar 11 South Ridge Rd. E. (Rts. 84 & 534), Geneva 440/466-0135, 7-10pm

* ■ **Rick King** hosts acoustic open jam night, Geppetto's Pizza / Johnny Malloy's Sports Pub, 33475 Lake Rd., Avon Lake 440/933-7000, 7:30-11pm

■ [Erin Burke](#) hosts (new) open mike, Harry Buffalo, 2119 Mentor Ave., Painesville 440/352-8800, 7:30pm

■ open mike, with guitar & keyboard available, sign up with bartender, Monica, Little Mountain Brewing Co., 7:30pm

■ [Gary Hall](#) hosts open mike, [P.J.Marley's](#), 119 Public Sq., Medina 330/722-6328, sign up 7:30pm, 8pm feature set, late-comers welcome

* ■ **Steve Village** hosts acoustic open mike, [Vintage Estate Wine & Beer](#), 7317 South Ave., Boardman 330/629-8080, 7:30-11:30pm

* ■ **Jammin' Paul and the Main Street All-Stars** host blues open mike and rock jam, some instruments and drum set provided, all are welcome, Main Street Saloon, 1481 S. Main St., Akron 330/724-8855, 8pm-midnight

■ **Book and Page** host open mike, Michel's Tavern, 1157 W. Main St. (Rt.59), Kent, 330/673-3005, 8pm-midnight

* ■ **Andy Shepherd** hosts open mike, [Silver Swan Tavern](#), 2704 Front St, Cuyahoga Falls 330/928-5364, 8:30pm, sign up 8:15pm

* ■ **Leah Lou** hosts the unpredictable open mike-aroni of poetry and music, The B Side Liquor Lounge & Arcade, 2785 Coventry Rd., Cleveland Hts. 932-1966, 8:30-11pm

* ■ **Butch Armstrong & the Tower City Blues Band** host jam night, [Grillers Pub](#), 5455 State Rd., Parma 741-7200, 8:30pm-midnight

* ■ **The Reid Project**, featuring **Miss Butterscotch** host blues and jazz jam, The House of Swing, 4490 Mayfield Rd., South Euclid 382-2771

■ **Bad Boys of Blues** host *Blues Jam Night* Brothers Lounge Music Hall, 9pm

■ **Dave Mango** (of iPhonic) hosts jam night, Time Warp Bar, 26261 Center Ridge Rd., Westlake. 440/871-8463, 9pm

■ **Melissa Harvey** *Acoustic Thursday*, Old Mill Winery, 6-8pm

■ **Jess** solo, acoustic, Grand River Cellars, 6:30-8:30pm

■ **Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o** blues, [Burntwood Tavern](#)-Chagrin Falls, 504 E. Washington St. 440/318-1560, 7pm

■ **Jimmy Maguire** [Burntwood Tavern](#) – Lyndhurst (new, former Champps), 5835 Landerbrook Dr., Lyndhurst 440/459-1155, 7-10pm

■ **Jimmy Lee** [Burntwood Tavern – Solon](#) 33675 Solon Rd., Solon 440/914-0290, 7-10pm

■ **Chad Hoffman** The Pub, 26300 Cedar Rd., Beachwood Place 595-2748, 7pm

■ **Jim Gill** [Vermillion Valley Vineyards](#), 11005 Gore Orphanage Rd., Wakeman 440/965-5202, 7pm

■ **Akron Ceili Band** traditional Irish, Wolf Creek Tavern, 7-9pm

■ **Rick – and - sometimes Sharona** Luca Italian cuisine, 2100 Superior Viaduct 862-2761, 7:30-11pm

■ **Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat** blues, [Trivs Steakhouse](#), 17100 Royalton Rd., Strongsville 440/238-8830, 7:30pm

■ **Jon Onnes** singer-songwriter, 8pm; **The Spyder Stompers** americana, 10pm, Barking Spider

■ **A J & The Woods**, **Daniel Rylander**, Harlot, **Ray Flanagan** singer songwriters, Beachland Tavern, 8pm, free, ** all ages

■ **Chris Hatton** Brothers Lounge Wine Bar, 8pm

- [Roger Hoover](#) hosts *Pastures of Plenty*, a new program dedicated to supporting cultural diversity and increased understanding among peoples through the documentation, preservation, and performance of American folk music [Voices in the Valley](#), G.A.R. Hall, 8pm, \$7 donation requested at the door
- [Thor Platter](#) solo, *Live and Local* concert series, House of Blues Crossroads Stage, 8-11pm
- [Coyote Armada](#) 4-piece string band from Indianapolis, Jilly's Music Room, 8pm
- [Saul Williams](#) poet laureate of slam/alt.hip hop, actor & performing songwriter, The Kent Stage, 8pm, \$15,20, general admission, all ages
- **Bad Boys of Blues** host *Blues Jam Night* in The Music Hall, 9pm, Brothers Lounge

Friday, October 2

*Gillian Welch's 47th birthday
international frugal fun day*

- Contra dance with music by Oberlin students, **Michael Hamilton**, caller, [The Oberlin Contra Dance Club](#), Hales Gym, 180 W. Lorain St.(Rt. 511), Oberlin, 440/775-8279, 8-11pm, teaching 7:30pm, \$5, students free

- [Cadillac Lilly](#) jump blues, "The Original First Friday" swing dance, Bainbridge Township Town Hall, 17826 Chillicothe Rd. (Rt. 306), Bainbridge Twp., 8-9pm teaching, 9-11:30pm dance, info: Will Craig 316-0068, \$10, \$8 student, \$25 family

- Friday morning Ashtabula Harbor Mountain Dulcimer Group, info: Brenda Noland, bjnite@windstream.net

- **Craig** hosts [open mike](#), Coffee Amici, 8-10pm
- [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) blues, Old Angle, 5-7pm
- **Armand Cadieux** solo, Old Firehouse Winery, 6-10pm
- [John Markovic](#) [Sharon James Cellars](#), 11303 Kinsman Rd., Newbury 440/739-4065, 6-9pm
- [Chad Hoffman](#) [Burntwood Tavern](#)-Cuyahoga Falls, 2291 Riverfront Pkwy., Cuyahoga Falls 330/794-7085, 7pm



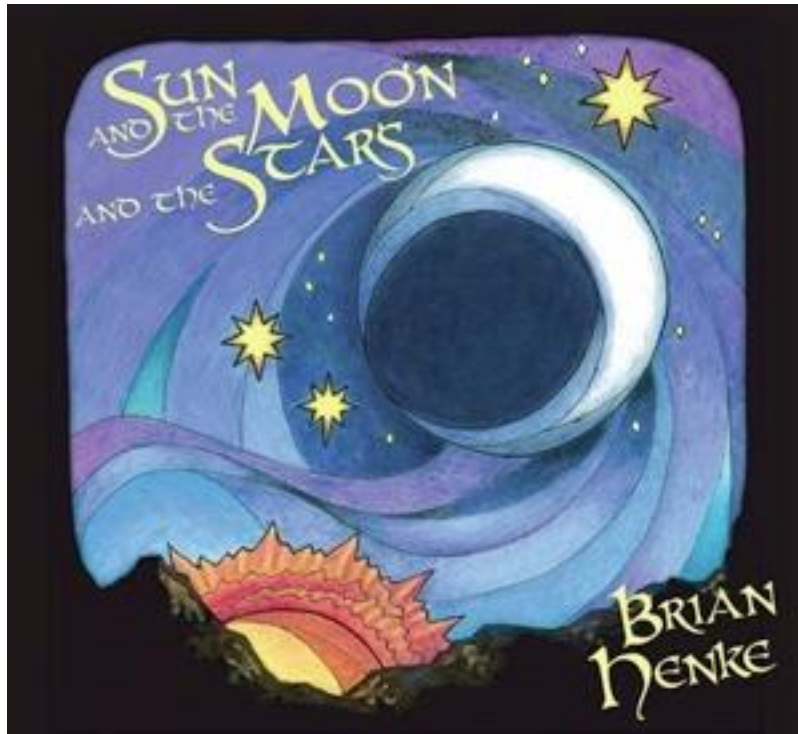
- [Spoon Too Soon](#) americana, [Campola's Italian Bistro](#), 7224 Center St. (Rt.615), Mentor 440/290-8676, 7-10pm
- **Boy=Girl:** Jen Maurer & [Paul Kovac](#) [Voices in the Valley](#), G.A.R. Hall, 7pm, \$7 donation requested at the door
- [TBS](#) blues,rock, Old Mill Winery, 7-11pm
- [Kathy Johnson Trio](#) (with **Mary Starbuck, Jim Stone**), [Sweet Pea Café](#), 117 Merz Blvd., Akron 330/794-7952, 7-9pm
- [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#) blues, [YOLO Winery](#), 128 W 2nd St., Dover 330/364-4222, 7pm
- **John Chapman** Maize Valley, 7:30-9:30pm
- **Bear Hollow** Sonnets, 7:30-9pm
- [The Gage Brothers](#) folk, 8pm; [Jim Volk](#) exigent guitar, 10pm, Barking Spider
- [Tracy Marie](#) Brothers Lounge-Wine Bar, 8-11pm
- [15-60-75 The Numbers Band](#) blues rock, Jilly's Music Room, 8pm
- **CatLilly** Rider's Inn, 8pm-11pm
- [10,000 Maniacs](#), [Jenn Grinels](#) **Natalie Merchant** returns, *Clambake Concert series* (add'l \$25, \$20 in advance) Music Box Supper Club upstairs concert hall, 8pm, \$42 advance, \$48 day of show, reserved, all ages



- [Jeff German & The Blankety Blanks](#) americana from Columbus, *Clambake Concert series* (add'l \$25, \$20 in advance) Rusty Anchor Restaurant at the Music Box Supper Club, 8:30pm, \$7, *Lucky 7* series includes complimentary craft cocktail, all ages, advance ticket includes copy of new CD
- **High Strung Irish** Sully's, 8:30pm
- [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) blues, Flannery's, 9pm
- [Swampcats](#) blues/rock, Redhawk Grille
- [Armstrong Bearcat Band](#) blues rock, [Sassy's Bar & Grille](#), 19755 Ravenna Rd., Twinsburg 330/998-6529, 9pm
- **The Thrifters** Mullarkey's, 10pm-1am

Saturday, October 3

Keb' Mo' (Kevin Moore) 64th birthday



■ [Brian Henke](#) CD release (his 8th album, the first with vocals), Euclid City Limits House Concert Series, up stairs at [The Conscious Nest](#), 20150 Lake Shore Blvd., Euclid 692-0325, 8-11pm, \$7 or 2 for \$10, free pizza

■ **Mr. Haney Band** music, **Kenny Wilson** caller, contra dance, Troy Community House, 13950 Main Market Rd. (Rt.422 just east of Rt. 700), Welshfield, info: 316-0068, 7:30-10:30pm, teaching 6:30-7:30pm, \$8, student \$5, family \$25, children 6 and under free

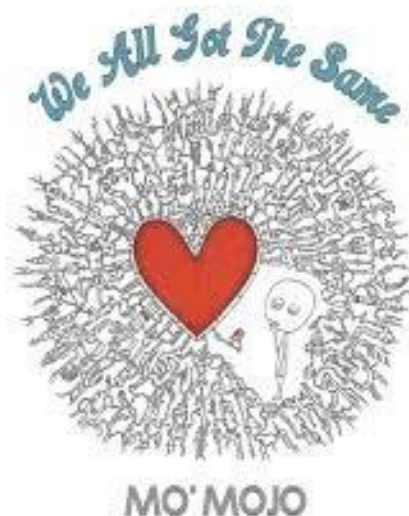
■ [Mud in Yer Eye](#) music, **Carol Kopp** caller, contra dance, Lakewood Masonic Temple, 15300 Detroit Ave., Lakewood, 8-11pm, teaching 7-8pm, \$8, family \$20

■ **Pocketful o' Gimmick** music, [Susan English](#) caller, contra dance, Valley College Grange, 2411 Shreve Rd., (Rt. 226 just south of Rt. 3,) Wooster, 7:30-10:30pm, teaching 7pm, \$6, \$15 family, \$5 student, info: 330/347-8155

■ [Rock Salt and Nails](#) Louisville Farmers Market, 5828 Columbus Rd. NE, Louisville, 9am

■ **Kyle & The Clan** Irish music "seisiun", Sandy Chanty, 3pm

- [Cats on Holiday](#) Octoberfest to benefit [The Raemelton Therapeutic Equestrian Center](#), Snow Trails Winter Resort, 3100 Possum Run Rd., Mansfield 419/774-9818, 4-8pm
- **Good Company** Old Firehouse Winery, 6-10pm
- **Wildwood Express, M&M Express** First Saturdays, "Bluegrass Saturday Night", Johnson Community Center, 800 Gilmer Rd, Leavittsburg, info: 330/898-6891, 7pm
- [Richard Boston Lil Paws Winery](#) 17574 Mahoning Ave., Lake Milton 330/970-9463, 7-10pm
- [Stone River Band](#) Old Mill Winery, 7-11pm
- [The Ray Fogg Show](#) Reel Bar, 7-9pm
- [Brickhouse Blues Band Grand River Cellars](#), 5750 S. Madison Rd. (Rt. 528), Madison 440/298-9838, 7:30-10:30pm
- **The Fret Daddies** acoustic rock & blues, Maize Valley, 7:30-9:30pm
- [The Swamp Boogie Band](#) blues, [The Winery at Spring Hill](#), 6062 South Ridge Rd.W, Geneva 440/466-0626, 7:30-10:30pm
- [Elderly Brothers](#) 8pm; **Bill Lestock** 10pm, Barking Spider
- [Mark Olson](#) (of The Jayhawks) alt.country, [Shawn & Shelby](#) a primarily seated, general admission show, presented in association with D.A.P. Promotions, Beachland Tavern, 8pm,\$17.50 in advance, \$20 day of show, ** all ages
- [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#) blues, John-O's at Clay's Park Resort, 13190 Patterson St.NW, North Lawrence 800/860-4FUN, 8pm
- **Two Years Later** Coffee Amici, 8-10pm
- [15-60-75 The Numbers Band](#) blues rock, 45th anniversary concert & celebration, The Kent Stage, 8pm, \$12 advance, \$15 at the door, general admission, all ages
- [Arlo Guthrie](#) 50th (well, ...48th) anniversary of Alice's Restaurant, Lorain Palace Theatre, 617 Broadway, Lorain 440/245-2323, 8pm, \$80.50, 35.50 reserved, all ages
- [Paul Berger and Joe Rollin Porter](#) [Passion Blues](#), 1212 Walnut Ave. NE, Canton 213/214-0396, 8-11pm
- **Dan Skutt** Rider's Inn, 8pm-11pm



- [Mo' Mojo](#) zydeco, CD release, *Clambake Concert series (add'l \$25, \$20 in advance)* Rusty Anchor Restaurant at the Music Box Supper Club, 8:30pm, \$10 in advance, \$12 day of show, all ages
- **Covert Operation** Sandy Chanty, 8:30pm
- [Craic Brothers](#) Irish, Sully's, 8:30pm
- [John Markovic](#) [Barrel Room Wine Bar](#), 7901 Cleveland Ave.NW, Canton 330/444-1535, 9pm-midnight
- [Blonde Boy Grunt & The Groans](#) Canal Boat Lounge, 119 S. Canal St., Canal Fulton 330/854-9902, 9pm-midnight
- **The Porter Sharks** The Harp, 9pm
- [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) blues, House of Blues Crossroads stage, 9pm
- [Blonde Boy Grunt & The Groans](#) 1 Canal Boat Lounge, 119 S. Canal St., Canal Fulton 330/854-9902, 9pm-midnight ■ [Blues Chronicles](#) Parkview Nite Club, 9:30pm-1:30am
- **Kevin McCarthy** Mullarkey's, 10pm-1am

Sunday, October 4

sukkot ends, simchat torah begins at sundown

Alma Houston's birthday

world animal/pet day

■ **Rick Szekelyi** hosts weekly open mike, [The Stone Oven](#)-Cleveland Heights, 2267 Lee Rd. 932-3003, 3-6pm

■ **Off The Rails** host open mike, Old Mill Winery, 4:30-7:30pm

* ■ *Kent old time Shindig* jam: musicians, cloggers, flatfoot dancers, listeners - - all are welcome, Europe Gyro Pizza, 5-8pm, free

■ [Acoustic Artform](#): Larry Ketola, Billy Fury & Jeff Ulmicher host 1st Sunday monthly open mike, [Grillers Pub](#), 5455 State Rd., Parma 741-7200. 5-8pm

* ■ **Brian Halloran** leads monthly traditional Irish seisiún, Stone Mad Pub, 1306 W. 65th St. 281-6500

* ■ **Harry Nowak** hosts open mike, [Highland Tavern](#), 808 W. Market St., Akron 330/794-7364, 8pm-midnight

* ■ open mike, Stone Tavern, 110 E. Main St., Kent 330/ 677-7320, 10pm, usually preceded by short independent films - no formal host, sign in 8pm with **David R. Kiss**

■ [The Alan Greene Band](#) hosts Sunday night blues jam in its 17th year, [Cebars](#)-Euclid, 595 E.185th St., Euclid 481-9509, 9pm-1:30am, jam at 10pm

- [Xe La](#) hosts open mike, Europe Gyro Pizza, 9pm-midnight
- [Larry Terkel](#) and [Matt Lerner](#) lead meditation music workshop, Spiritual Life Society and Yoga Center of Hudson, old Church on the Green, 1 E. Main St.(Rt. 303), Hudson, info: 330/656-0100, 9-10:15am
- [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) *Blues & Bloody Mary Bar Brunch*, Red Lantern Kitchen & Gastropub, 17446 Lorain Ave., 331-1458, noon-2pm
- **Tom Todd** one-man band, Ferrante Winery, 1:30-5pm
- **Lyle Heath** Old Firehouse Winery, 2-6pm
- **Drumplay** drum circle for kids of all ages, Sandy Chanty, 3pm
- [Brad Bolton & Peggy Coyle](#) Viking Vineyards, 5-7pm
- **Kevin Smith** Barking Spider, 6pm
- [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-O](#) blues, Wolf Creek Tavern, 3044 Wadsworth Rd., Norton, 234/571-4531, 6pm
- [Aoife O'Donovan](#) *Voices in the Valley*, G.A.R. Hall, 7pm, \$18 [pre-sale](#), \$22 day of show
- [Hayes Carll](#), **Aubrie Sellers** acoustic country songwriters from Texas, *Clambake Concert series* (\$25, \$20 in advance), Music Box Supper Club upstairs concert hall, 8pm, \$18 in advance, \$20 day of show, reserved, all ages
- [Paul Franks](#) The Roundhouse Bar, 9pm-1am

Monday, October 5

- open mike, jam session, Wilbert's, 7pm, sign up 6:30pm, "full backline" of house sound, drums, amps

- Monday evening *Ukulele Club*, beginners welcome, [Perry Public Library](#), 3753 Main St., 440/259-3300, info: Gary, penswift@yahoo.com, 7pm

- * ■ **Kenny P** hosts mashup jam, [The Local Tavern](#)-Mentor, 9470 Mentor Ave. (Rt. 6), 440/392-6022, 8-11pm, sign up 7:30pm

- [Gary Hall](#) hosts open mike night, with house piano and loaner guitar available, Peppermill Restaurant, 7011 Mill Rd., Brecksville 440/838-6455, 8-11pm, sign up by 7:30pm

- [Charlie Mosbrook](#) hosts open mike, Phoenix-Coventry, 1793 Coventry Rd., Cleveland Hts. 932-5282, 8pm, 7:30pm sign up

- * ■ *Sweetwater Brewing Co.* presents open mike, [Edison's Pub](#), 2373 Professor St., Tremont 522-0006, 9pm

■ **Meganne Stepka** hosts Manic Monday open mike [Kelley's Pub](#), (the former Billy C's) 13525 Lakewood Heights Blvd., Lakewood 671-3587, 9pm-midnight

■ [Xe La](#) hosts Kobalt Bar open mike, The Social Room, 2261 Lee Rd., Cleveland Hts. 321-0736, 10pm-2am

■ [Rachel Roberts](#) acoustic, [Uncorked Wine Bar](#), 7-10pm

■ [Joe Rollin Porter](#) Winery at Wolf Creek, 7-9pm

■ **Jerry and Bob and Megan** Barking Spider, 8pm

■ [Jon Dee Graham](#) / [Rod Picott](#) co-headliners, [Charlie Wiener](#) Beachland Tavern, 8pm, \$12 in advance, \$14 day of show, ** all ages

* ■ **Marc & Jack** night Root Café, 8pm

Tuesday, October 6

Mad Hatter Day

■ Tuesday open country music jam, Case Café in Grand Valley Market & Flea Market, 640 E. Main St., Orwell, 440-437-8476, 6-9pm

* ■ **Tom Ball** hosts weekly *Just Plain Folk* open stage, Charlie Shook's Houston Pub, 3069 Houston Rd., Norton, 7pm, sign up at 6:30pm with Tom 330/283-1212

■ [Gary Hall](#) hosts open mike night, with house piano and loaner guitar available, a monthly event, Barking Spider, 8pm, sign up by 7pm

* ■ weekly open mike [The Bevy in Birdtown](#) (former Winchester) 12112 Madison Ave., Lakewood 227-2389, 7-10pm

■ **The List**, with **Papa J** on keyboard, host blues & rock weekly jam, [Bullfrog's Sports Café](#), 33137 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville 440/327-3764, 7-11:30pm

■ **Crash Coffin** hosts a longstanding weekly open mike at The Red Onion, 522 Pearl Rd. at Grafton Rd., Brunswick Hills 330/225-8482, 7-9pm

* ■ **Jim Snively** hosts weekly singer songwriter showcase, Rider's 7-10:30pm

■ [Second Hand Dogs](#): Darla and Phillip Eberwein guest host for [Gary Hall](#) open mike, [Eastland Inn](#), 8:30-11pm, signup 7:30pm

■ **Erin Burke** and **Maria Petti** host "Chicks with Picks" acoustic jam, [Local Tavern's Fish: Bar](#) inside Chester's Tavern, 11 Chester St., Painesville 440/551-9155, 8-11pm, sign up 7:30pm

■ **Andy Cyphert** hosts weekly [Open Mike](#), [Muggswigz Coffee & Tea Co.](#), 137 Walnut Ave. NE, Canton 330/452-6336, 7:30-11:30pm, sign-up in person, \$1 cover

* ■ [Xe La](#) hosts weekly open mike, Root Café, 7:30pm

* ■ **Will Roth** hosts weekly pen mike/blues jam, Tonix Bar, 3090 S. Main St., Akron, 330/644-3160, 8-11pm

■ **Jack & Josh** host weekly open mike, The Mars Bar, 15314 Madison Ave., Lakewood 228-4500, 8:30pm

■ **Jamal Akil-Marshall** hosts weekly open mike, The BottleHouse, 9pm

* ■ [Morte Treehorn](#) (Kill the Hippies) hosts open mike, full stage of band equipment available, Trio's Bar, 13362 Madison Ave., Lakewood 226-8828, 10pm-1am

■ [Chad Hoffman](#) [The Brew Garden](#), 18590 Bagley Rd., Middleburg Heights 440/234-1001, 6-8pm

■ [John Markovic](#) Gervasi Vineyard, 6-9pm

■ [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) blues, Nauti Mermaid happy hour, 1378 W. 6th St., 771-6175, 6-8pm

■ [Cats on Holiday](#) Harvest cookout with "Cats Under Glass" [Puritas Nursery](#), 19201 Puritas Ave., 267-5350 to benefit [Tour of Good Cheer](#), W 6:30-8:30pm

■ [Roger Hoover](#) folksinger in residence, Venice Café, 163 W. Erie St., Kent 330/968-4603, 7:30pm

■ [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#) blues, The Tasting Room, 210 Great Oaks Trail, Wadsworth 330/331-7085, 8pm

■ **Tobi D'Amore** (of The Bone Chimes), [Matt Harmon](#) Beachland Tavern, 8:30pm, \$8, ** all ages

Wednesday, October 7

Kieran Kane's 66th birthday

■ **Stan Mejac** solo, polka, *Old World Wednesday*, Prosperity Social Club, 6-9pm

■ music not yet announced, **Gaye Fifer**, caller, from Pittsburgh, (new) Ohio City contra dance, up stairs at St. Patrick church hall, 3602 Bridge Ave., 7:30-10:30pm, teaching

■ **Darrell Hudson** hosts *Acoustic Wednesday* instrumental jam, players invited, listeners welcome, in the party room, Winking Lizard, 3634 Center Rd., Brunswick 330/220-9944, 6pm

■ **Susie Hagan** hosts open mike, Old Mill Winery, 6:30-8:30pm

■ weekly open mike, Sonnets, 7-10pm - sign up starts at 6:30pm, no cover

■ **Tom Honsa, others** host the once so-secretive, movable Solon-area open mike, Starbucks-Aurora, 125 Barrington Town Square Dr., Aurora (Rts. 82 & 306) 330/562-4080, 6:45pm

■ **Lyle Heath** hosts open jam, [Campola's Italian Bistro](#), 7224 Center St., Mentor 440/290-8676, 7pm

■ **John** from Gattuso's Music hosts weekly open mike, Karma Café, 4339 Dressler Rd., Canton 330/492-8900, 7-9pm

* ■ **Eric Brooke** and special guest, host open jam with the **Acoustic Network**, Rafters, 7pm

■ weekly open mike night, Sam Ash Music store, 5700 Mayfield Rd., Greens of Lyndhurst 440/446-0850, participants get a \$10 gift card, 7-8:30pm

■ [Two for the Road](#): **Betsy Rose & Jimmy Lee** host weekly acoustic open mike, [Tripps Bar & Grill](#), 1100 W. Royalton Rd., Broadview Heights 440/877-2622, 7-10pm, sign up 7pm or [email](#)

■ [Hal Walker](#), **others** lead *Kent Community Sing, Fessenden Hall*, Unitarian Universalist Church of Kent, 228 Gougler Ave., Kent 330/673-4247, 7-8:30pm (this is the prototype for [Matt Watroba](#) / *Sing Out!*'s [Initiative](#) to set up 100 regular song circle gatherings across the country)

* ■ **Kenny P** hosts open mike jam, [The Local Tavern](#)-Willoughby Hills, 29007 Chardon Rd. (Rt. 6), 440/943-5926, 8-11pm, sign up 7:30pm

■ **Akron Ceili Band** leads weekly ceili seisiún, The Ancient Order of Hibernians (Mark Heffernan Division), 2000 Brown St., Akron 330/724-2083, 8pm

■ weekly open mike, rotating hosts, [Bar 107](#), 107 Front St., Berea 440/973-4431, 8pm-midnight

■ [Gary Hall](#) hosts "mostly acoustic" weekly open mike, loaner guitar available, Blue Rock Café, 8pm-midnight

■ [Brent Kirby](#) hosts “10x3” Songwriter Showcase, a pre-arranged open mike, sign up [online](#) (submit form from the “BK10x3” drop-down) Brothers Lounge-Wine Bar, 8pm

■ [Charlie & The Poor Boys](#) host weekly musicians' open jam, trading off instruments and vocals, [Getaway Pub](#), 1462 N. Portage Path, Akron 330/867-8700, 8pm

■ **The Mason Jars** host weekly Jam Night, amps and drums provided [Fort's Old Town Tavern](#), 122 W. Herrick Ave.(Rt.18), Wellington 440/647-3520, 8:30-11:30pm

■ **Randy Horvath and Erik Urycki** (The Speedbumps) host weekly open mike, Venice Café, 163 W. Erie St., Kent 330/968-4603, 9pm

■ **Michael Bay & the Bad Boys of Blues** (with a new guest host each week) host blues jam, house backline includes drum set and Hammond B3, Parkview, 9pm

* ■ **Eroc, Cy Sulak & guest** host weekly blues jam, Sly Fox Lounge, 4755 Great Northern Blvd., North Olmsted 440/777-0961, 9pm-12:30am

■ **Dave Jenks** singer-songwriter, Blue Rock Café, 6-7:30pm

■ [Chad Hoffman](#) [Parker's Grille & Tavern](#), 32858 Walker Rd., Avon Lake 440/933-9400, 7pm

■ [Gretchen Pleuss](#) Winery at Wolf Creek, 7-9pm

■ [Alex Bevan](#) [Zeppes Tavern & Pizzeria](#), 11110 Kinsman Rd.(Rt. 87 at Auburn Rd.), Newbury 440/564-1300, 7-10pm

■ **Triage** blues/folk, 8pm; [Jody Getz & Friends](#) 10pm, Barking Spider

■ [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#) blues, Barmacy Bar & Grill, 1714 Merriman Rd., Akron 234/571-1636, 8pm

■ [Aaron Neville](#) The Kent Stage, 8pm, \$49,35, reserved, all ages



■ [Ben Caplan](#) & The Casual Smokers acoustic quintet from Halifax ([video](#))

[Istvan Medgyesi](#), **The Help & The Hands** Beachland Tavern, 8:30pm, \$10,

** all ages

■ [Raquy Danziger](#)'s DÜM, **Ancien** drumming from the Mideast on the dumbek, or tabla, Rusty Anchor Restaurant at the Music Box Supper Club, 8:30pm, \$10 in advance, \$12 day of show, all ages

Thursday, October 8

■ [Hu\\$hMoney](#) music, **Gaye Fifer**, caller, from Pittsburgh, contra dance, Boston Township Schoolhouse, 1775 Main St.(Rt. 303) at Riverview Rd., Peninsula, 8-10:30pm, 7pm teaching, \$8, student \$6

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■ [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#) blues, [Market District](#) (Portage Crossings) Grocery & Restaurant, 2687 State Rd., Cuyahoga Falls 330/928-6669. 6-9pm

■ [Charlie Mosbrook](#) *Spirit of Music* concert, Spinal Cord injury floor, Cleveland MetroHealth Old Brooklyn Health Center, Unit 6 North, 4229 Pearl Rd., formerly Deaconess Hospital, 778-7800 (x73605, ask for Jennifer), 5pm during patient dinner in day room, free and open to the public, phone ahead to let them know you're coming

■ **Jess** solo, acoustic, Grand River Cellars, 6:30-8:30pm

■ [Thor Platter Band](#) [Burntwood Tavern – Solon](#) 33675 Solon Rd., Solon 440/914-0290, 7-10pm

■ [Jimmy Maguire](#) The Pub, 26300 Cedar Rd., Beachwood Place 595-2748, 7pm

■ **Jen Maurer Project** Jilly's Music Room, 7:30pm

■ [Rick – and - sometimes Sharona](#) Luca Italian cuisine, 2100 Superior Viaduct 862-2761, 7:30-11pm

■ **Love Muffin Palooza** annual benefit for The Gathering Place cancer support Center: [Luther Trammell](#) 8pm; [Mallory SanMarco](#) 8:40pm; **Michael McFarland** 9:25pm; **Dave Smeltz** 10pm; **Lonesome Ranger** 10:45pm; [Joe Rollin Porter](#) 11:20pm, Barking Spider

■ **Chris Hatton** Brothers Lounge Wine Bar, 8pm

- [Willie Watson](#) (Old Crow Medicine Show), **Heather Maloney** americana, Music Box Supper Club upstairs concert hall, 8pm, \$15 in advance, \$18 day of show, reserved, all ages
- [Alasdair Fraser & Natalie Haas](#) Scottish fiddle and cello, Nighttown, 8pm, \$25
- [Nate Jones Band](#) CD release, blues rock, [Maura Rogers & The Bellows](#), **Guggy** Beachland Tavern, 8:30pm, \$10, ** all ages
- **Bad Boys of Blues** host *Blues Jam Night* in The Music Hall, 9pm, Brothers Lounge

Friday, October 9

Jackson Browne's 67th birthday

today would have been John Lennon's 75th birthday

- [John McGrail](#) *Euclid City Limits House Concert Series*, up stairs at [The Conscious Nest](#), 20150 Lake Shore Blvd., Euclid, 692-0325, 8-11pm, \$7, or 2 for \$10, free pizza

- **Toad in the Hole** music, **Carol Kopp** caller, English country dance, Triune Lutheran Church, 4810 W. Mill Rd., Broadview Hts., 8-11pm, \$7

- Friday morning Ashtabula Harbor Mountain Dulcimer Group, info: Brenda Noland, bjnite@windstream.net

- **Craig** hosts [open mike](#), Coffee Amici, 8-10pm
- [Those Guys](#): acoustic duo of **Larry Kadlub and Armand Cadieux**, Old Firehouse Winery, 6-10pm
- [The Ray Fogg Show](#) Reel Bar, 6-8pm
- **Erin Rossi Duo** acoustic, [Beach Club Grill](#), Concord Plaza, 9853 Johnnycake Ridge Rd., Mentor 440/350-0088, 7pm
- [Tom Todd](#) one-man band, [Deer's Leap Winery](#), 1520 Harpersfield Rd. (Rt. 534), Geneva 440/466-1248, 7-10pm
- [Armstrong Bearcat Band](#) blues rock, [Sapori Italian Grille](#), 33481 Lake Rd., Avon Lake 440/933-4360, 7-10pm, reservations recommended
- [John Markovic](#) ThornCreek Winery, 7-10pm
- [Cats on Holiday](#) Water Street Tavern, 7-10pm
- [Jon Dee Graham](#) Wolf Creek Tavern, 7-9pm
- [RailShakers](#) americana/alt. country/folk rock, 8pm; [Memphis Cradle](#) electric blues trio, 10pm, Barking Spider
- **Del McCoury Band, Clear Fork** bluegrass vet returns, Music Box Supper Club upstairs concert hall, 8pm, \$38 standing room, \$48 reserved in advance, all ages
- [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-O](#) blues, [Passion Blues Restaurant & Club](#), 1212 Walnut Ave. NE, Canton 213/214-0396, 8pm
- **UpFront** Rider's Inn, 8pm-11pm



- co- headliners [Mikaela Davis](#) harpist from Rochester / [Lauren Shera](#) performing songwriter out of Nashville, [Dolfish](#) Beachland Tavern, 8:30pm, \$12, ** all ages
- **John Salamon** [Boathouse Bar and Grille](#), 218 Hartford Ave., Put-In-Bay 419/285-5665, 8:30pm-12:30am
- [Mo Andrews](#) singer-songwriter/acoustic rock, [Trivs Steakhouse](#), 17100 Royalton Rd., Strongsville 440/238-8830, 8:30pm
- **Wesley Bright & The Hi-Lites** record release **Third Coast Kings** Beachland Ballroom, 9pm, \$13 in advance, \$15 day of show, ** all ages
- **Chris Allen** The Harp, 9pm
- **Post Road** country, Hooley House, 9pm
- [Mo' Mojo](#) zydeco, Brothers Lounge-Music Hall, 9:30pm-1:30am, \$5
- **Eric Butler** Mullarkey's, 10pm-1am

Saturday, October 10

John Prine's 69th birthday

- [Matt Harmon](#) *Euclid City Limits House Concert Series*, up stairs at [The Conscious Nest](#), 20150 Lake Shore Blvd., Euclid 692-0325, 8-11pm, \$7 or 2 for \$10, free pizza

- **Real Deal String Band** music, open calling, monthly *Advanced* (now with 7:30pm teaching session) *Contra Dance*, Communion of Saints Church (former St. Ann), 2175 Coventry Rd., Cleveland Hts., 8-11pm, \$10, \$5 student

- **Mike Kellat** leads open mike, all instruments and styles welcome, Spiritualist Church, 5403 S. Ridge W., Saybrook, 440/969-1724, 11am-3pm

* ■ **Joel Specht** hosts old-time string band open jam, the [Harbor Perk](#) Coffeehouse and Roasting Co., 1003 Bridge St., Ashtabula 440/964-9277, 4-7pm

- [Mike "MadDog" Adams](#) acoustic mayhem, The Roundhouse Bar, 2-6pm
- [The High Kings](#) traditional Irish from Dublin, Rusty Anchor Restaurant at the Music Box Supper Club, 3pm matinee show (evening show sold out), \$20 in advance, \$22 day of show, reserved, all ages
- [Alex Bevan](#) pinot vista tasting room, [St. Joseph Vineyard](#), 6060 Madison Rd. (Rt. 528) Thompson 440/298-3709, 3-6pm
- **Oak Island Skunk Jumpers** old-time string band, *Fall Fest*, Dedication of Maple Highlands Trail, horse-drawn wagon rides, kayacking & fishing, activities for kids, Swine Creek Reservation, Geauga Park District, 16004 Hayes Rd., Middlefield, info: 440/286-9516, 3-7pm
- [Pack up Your Sorrows](#) film about singer-songwriter [Meg Hutchinson](#) and bipolar disorder, the fifth music biopic by Shaker Heights director Todd Kwait, 6th Annual Chagrin Documentary Film Festival, [United Methodist Church](#), 20 S Franklin St., Chagrin Falls, info: 440/247-1591, 3pm, Q & A panel with Meg and Todd follows screening
- **Songwriters in the Round** Barking Spider, 4pm
- [Long Tall Deb](#) with [Colin John](#) Jilly's Music Room, 5:30pm
- [Cats on Holiday](#) duo Pennello Gallery, 12407 Mayfield Rd., Murray Hill 707-9390, 5:30-8:30pm
- **Apple Creek Bluegrass Band** 3-5pm *annual Harvest Festival*, [Before The Shine](#) 6-8pm, [Troutman Vineyards](#), 4243 Columbus Rd. (Rt. 3), Wooster 330/263-4345
- [Armstrong Bearcat Band](#) blues rock, *Wingenstock 2015*, in the big red barn, Canal Corners Farm & Market, 7243 Canal Rd., Valley View 624-3916, 7pm, \$10
- **Coney Carver and the Rainbow Valley Boys, Caney Creek, Red Dust Mountain Boys** 2nd Saturdays, Chapparell's Community Center, 2418 S Arlington Rd, Akron, OH, 7pm
- [Grady Miller: Michael Grady & Cathy Miller](#) Wolf Creek Tavern, 7-10pm
- [Mike Lenz & Peggy Coyle](#) Maize Valley, 7:30-9:30pm
- **Tim Matson** blues, 8pm; **Tom Stahl** 10pm, Barking Spider
- [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#) blues, [Beau's on the River](#), Sheraton Suites, 1989 Front St., Cuyahoga Falls 330/920-7530, 8pm
- [James Adkins](#) Coffee Amici, 8-10pm
- [Jim Golen](#) The Pickled Pepper, 4949 Golf Ave., Geneva-on-the-Lake 440/361-4014, 8pm-midnight
- [The Ray Fogg Show](#) Reel Bar, 8-10pm
- **Mark Kindler** Rider's Inn, 8pm-11pm
- **John Salamon** [Boathouse Bar and Grille](#), 218 Hartford Ave., Put-In-Bay 419/285-5665, 8:30pm-12:30am
- [Gretchen Pleuss](#) [Regency Wine Bar](#), 115 Ghent Rd., Fairlawn 330/836-3447, 8:30-11:30pm
- [The New Barleycorn](#) traditional Irish, Sully's, 8:30pm

- **Abbey Rodeo** Hooley House, 9pm
- [Cats on Holiday](#) trio ZZ's Big Top, 35015 Detroit Rd., Avon 440/934-9230, 9pm
- [The NuBlu Band](#) blues, Brothers Lounge-Music Hall, 9:30pm-1:30am, \$10
- **Hillbilly Idol** The Harp, 9pm
- [The Alan Greene Band](#) electric blues, Parkview Nite Club, 9:30pm-1:30am
- **One Shot Paddy** Mullarkey's, 10pm-1am

Sunday, October 11

■ *Son of Chardon* Jam, all acoustic instruments, flutes, pipes welcome, 11489 Turnstone Ln., Concord, directions & info: Diane Stevens 440/413-8312 or rodistevens@yahoo.com

■ **Rick Szekelyi** hosts weekly open mike, [The Stone Oven](#)-Cleveland Heights, 2267 Lee Rd. 932-3003, 3-6pm

■ **Greg Canda** hosts casual monthly *folk night* acoustic jam [Peninsula Art Academy](#), 1600 W. Mill St. (behind Winking Lizard), Peninsula, info: 330/603-2591, 7-10:30pm

* ■ **Harry Nowak** hosts open mike, [Highland Tavern](#), 808 W. Market St., Akron 330/794-7364, 8pm-midnight

* ■ open mike, Stone Tavern, 110 E. Main St., Kent 330/ 677-7320, 10pm, usually preceded by short independent films - no formal host, sign in 8pm with **David R. Kiss**

■ [The Alan Greene Band](#) hosts Sunday night blues jam in its 17th year, [Cebars](#)-Euclid, 595 E.185th St., Euclid 481-9509, 9pm-1:30am, jam at 10pm

■ [Xe La](#) hosts open mike, Europe Gyro Pizza, 9pm-midnight



- [Cats on Holiday](#) Cuyahoga Valley National Park Towpath Marathon's Towpath Village, 1550 Boston Mills Rd., Peninsula, 8am-2pm
- [Larry Terkel](#) and [Matt Lerner](#) lead meditation music workshop, Spiritual Life Society and Yoga Center of Hudson, old Church on the Green, 1 E. Main St.(Rt. 303), Hudson, info: 330/656-0100, 9-10:15am
- [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-O](#) blues, Mustard Seed-Montrose_11:30am-1pm brunch
- **The Bountiful Bassoon: Michael Goldstein** demonstrates this moody instrument, *Sunday with the Friends* series, Main Auditorium, Lakewood Public Library, 15425 Detroit Ave., Lakewood 226-8275, 2-4pm, free
- [Jim Golen](#) Old Firehouse Winery, 2-6pm
- [Mike "MadDog" Adams](#) acoustic mayhem, The Roundhouse Bar, 2-6pm
- **Night Owls** 10-piece 1920's dance band, 3-5:30pm; **Hot Potatoes** blues/jazz/swing, 6pm, Barking Spider
- **Erin Burke** acoustic, Grand River Cellars, 4-7pm
- **Boomers: Tom Wolski & Mike Costello** Viking Vineyards, 5-7pm, seating limited, reservations suggested
- [The New Barleycorn](#) traditional Irish, The Public House, 17219 Lorain Ave. 252-6608, 5:30pm
- an evening with **Andy Cohen and Friends** [Mountain Rose](#) Concert Series, Smith Shelter House, Fred Fuller Park, 497 Middlebury Rd., Kent, 6:30pm, \$7, info: 330/733-8845



- **The Claudettes** Chicago blues, rockabilly, cartoon pop fun, Rusty Anchor Restaurant at the Music Box Supper Club, 8pm, \$7, *Lucky 7* series includes complimentary craft cocktail, all ages
- [The Voodoo Fix](#) blues rock/funk, ***Wilbert's, 8-11pm
- [Paul Franks](#) The Roundhouse Bar, 9pm-1am

Monday, October 12

Columbus Day

on this date in 1997, John Denver died piloting an experimental plane

- open mike, jam session, Wilbert's, 7pm, sign up 6:30pm, "full backline" of house sound, drums, amps

* ■ **Erik Urycki** (The Speedbumps) hosts open mike, [Baxter's](#), 205 S. Main St., Akron 234/678-0761, 7-10pm

- *Cleveland Blues Society* jam night hosted by [9 Volt Hot Rod](#) Rusty Anchor Restaurant at the Music Box Supper Club, 7pm, free, all ages

- Monday evening *Ukulele Club*, beginners welcome, [Perry Public Library](#), 3753 Main St., 440/259-3300, info: Gary, penswift@yahoo.com, 7pm

- Cleveland Songwriters monthly 2nd Monday gathering, Sachsenheim (Hall): kitchen and bar is open, 7001 Denison Ave. 651-0888, 7pm

* ■ **Kenny P** hosts mashup jam, [The Local Tavern](#)-Mentor, 9470 Mentor Ave. (Rt. 6), 440/392-6022, 8-11pm, sign up 7:30pm

■ [Gary Hall](#) hosts open mike night, with house piano and loaner guitar available, Peppermill Restaurant, 7011 Mill Rd., Brecksville 440/838-6455, 8-11pm, sign up by 7:30pm

■ [Charlie Mosbrook](#) hosts open mike, Phoenix-Coventry, 1793 Coventry Rd., Cleveland Hts. 932-5282, 8pm, 7:30pm sign up

* ■ *Sweetwater Brewing Co.* presents open mike, [Edison's Pub](#), 2373 Professor St., Tremont 522-0006, 9pm

■ **Meganne Stepka** hosts Manic Monday open mike [Kelley's Pub](#), (the former Billy C's) 13525 Lakewood Heights Blvd., Lakewood 671-3587, 9pm-midnight

■ [Xe La](#) hosts Kobalt Bar open mike, The Social Room, 2261 Lee Rd., Cleveland Hts. 321-0736, 10pm-2am

■ [Rachel Roberts](#) acoustic, [Uncorked Wine Bar](#), 7-10pm

■ **Jen Maurer Duo/Trio** americana, Winery at Wolf Creek, 7-9pm

* ■ **Marc & Jack** night Root Café, 8pm

■ [The Railsplitters](#) bluegrass, and [Old Salt Union](#) bluegrass, ***Wilbert's, 8-11:30pm

Tuesday, October 13

Paul Simon's 74th birthday

■ Tuesday open country music jam, Case Café in Grand Valley Market & Flea Market, 640 E. Main St., Orwell, 440-437-8476, 6-9pm

* ■ **Tom Ball** hosts weekly *Just Plain Folk* open stage, Charlie Shook's Houston Pub, 3069 Houston Rd., Norton, 7pm, sign up at 6:30pm with Tom 330/283-1212

* ■ weekly open mike [The Bevy in Birdtown](#) (former Winchester) 12112 Madison Ave., Lakewood 227-2389, 7-10pm

■ **The List**, with **Papa J** on keyboard, host blues & rock weekly jam, [Bullfrog's Sports Café](#), 33137 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville 440/327-3764, 7-11:30pm

■ **Irwin Weinberger** coordinates an Old-time string band music jam, for traditional Appalachian stringed instruments only, all skill levels and listeners welcome, the M.T. Glass, 13443 Cedar Rd., Cleveland Hts., info: 330/256-4021, 7-9pm

■ **Crash Coffin** hosts a longstanding weekly open mike at The Red Onion, 522 Pearl Rd. at Grafton Rd., Brunswick Hills 330/225-8482, 7-9pm

* ■ **Jim Snively** hosts weekly singer songwriter showcase, Rider's 7-10:30pm

■ **Gary Hall** hosts open mike, [Eastland Inn](#), 8:30-11pm, loaner guitar available, signup 7:30pm

■ **Erin Burke and Maria Petti** host "Chicks with Picks" acoustic jam, [Local Tavern's Fish: Bar](#) inside Chester's Tavern, 11 Chester St., Painesville 440/551-9155, 8-11pm, sign up 7:30pm

■ **Andy Cyphert** hosts weekly [Open Mike](#), [Muggswigz Coffee & Tea Co.](#), 137 Walnut Ave. NE, Canton 330/452-6336, 7:30-11:30pm, sign-up in person, \$1 cover

* ■ **Xe La** hosts weekly open mike, Root Café, 7:30pm

* ■ **Will Roth** hosts weekly pen mike/blues jam, Tonix Bar, 3090 S. Main St., Akron, 330/644-3160, 8-11pm

■ **Jack & Josh** host weekly open mike, The Mars Bar, 15314 Madison Ave., Lakewood 228-4500, 8:30pm

■ **Jamal Akil-Marshall** hosts weekly open mike, The BottleHouse, 9pm

* ■ **Morte Treehorn** (Kill the Hippies) hosts open mike, full stage of band equipment available, Trio's Bar, 13362 Madison Ave., Lakewood 226-8828, 10pm-1am

■ **Chad Hoffman** [The Brew Garden](#), 18590 Bagley Rd., Middleburg Heights 440/234-1001, 6-8pm

■ **Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat** blues, Nauti Mermaid happy hour, 1378 W. 6th St., 771-6175, 6-8pm

■ **Dustbowl Revival** acoustic americana octet from CA, tonight with beer sampling as part of *Cleveland Beer Week*, Rusty Anchor Restaurant at the Music Box Supper Club, 7:30pm, \$10 in advance, \$12 day of show, all ages

■ **Roger Hoover** folksinger in residence, Venice Café, 163 W. Erie St., Kent 330/968-4603, 7:30pm

■ **Taylor Lamborn** singer-songwriter, Brothers Lounge-Wine Bar, 8-11pm

■ **Jared Roberts** 8:30pm; **Avin Baird** 10pm, Barking Spider

■ **Birdcloud**: raucous acoustic cowpunk duo of **Jasmin Kaset and Makenzie Green**, [Mountain Sprout](#), **Blaine Cartwright** Beachland Tavern, 9pm, \$13 in advance, \$15 day of show, ** all ages

Wednesday, October 14

today would have been Martin Juredine's 71st birthday

■ **Stan Mejac** solo, polka, *Old World Wednesday*, Prosperity Social Club, 6-9pm

■ **Darrell Hudson** hosts *Acoustic Wednesday* instrumental jam, players invited, listeners welcome, in the party room, Winking Lizard, 3634 Center Rd., Brunswick 330/220-9944, 6pm

■ **Susie Hagan** hosts open mike, Old Mill Winery, 6:30-8:30pm

■ weekly open mike, Sonnets, 7-10pm - sign up starts at 6:30pm, no cover

■ [David Nicholson](#) hosts 2nd Wednesday open mike, [Brandy-Wine Bar](#), 5555 Akron-Peninsula Rd.(S. Locust St.), Peninsula 330/657-2526, 7-10pm, sign up 6:45pm

■ **Lyle Heath** hosts open jam, [Campola's Italian Bistro](#), 7224 Center St., Mentor 440/290-8676, 7pm

■ **John** from Gattuso's Music hosts weekly open mike, Karma Café, 4339 Dressler Rd., Canton 330/492-8900, 7-9pm

* ■ **Eric Brooke** and special guest, host open jam with the **Acoustic Network**, Rafters, 7pm

■ weekly open mike night, Sam Ash Music store, 5700 Mayfield Rd., Greens of Lyndhurst 440/446-0850, participants get a \$10 gift card, 7-8:30pm

■ [Two for the Road](#): **Betsy Rose & Jimmy Lee** host weekly acoustic open mike, [Tripps Bar & Grill](#), 1100 W. Royalton Rd., Broadview Heights 440/877-2622, 7-10pm, sign up 7pm or [email](#)

■ **Kenny P** hosts weekly open mike jam, [The Local Tavern](#)-Willoughby Hills, 29007 Chardon Rd. (Rt. 6), 440/943-5926, 8-11pm, sign up 7:30pm

■ **Akron Ceili Band** leads weekly ceili seisiún, The Ancient Order of Hibernians (Mark Heffernan Division), 2000 Brown St., Akron 330/724-2083, 8pm

■ weekly open mike, rotating hosts, [Bar 107](#), 107 Front St., Berea 440/973-4431, 8pm-midnight

■ [Gary Hall](#) hosts "mostly acoustic" weekly open mike, loaner guitar available, Blue Rock Café, 8pm-midnight

■ [Brent Kirby](#) hosts “10x3” Songwriter Showcase, a pre-arranged open mike, sign up [online](#) (submit form from the “BK10x3” drop-down) Brothers Lounge-Wine Bar, 8pm

■ [Charlie & The Poor Boys](#) host weekly musicians' open jam, trading off instruments and vocals, [Getaway Pub](#), 1462 N. Portage Path, Akron 330/867-8700, 8pm

■ **The Mason Jars** host weekly Jam Night, amps and drums provided [Fort's Old Town Tavern](#), 122 W. Herrick Ave.(Rt.18), Wellington 440/647-3520, 8:30-11:30pm

■ **Randy Horvath and Erik Urycki** (The Speedbumps) host weekly open mike, Venice Café, 163 W. Erie St., Kent 330/968-4603, 9pm

■ **Michael Bay & the Bad Boys of Blues** (with a new guest host each week) host blues jam, house backline includes drum set and Hammond B3, Parkview, 9pm

* ■ **Eroc, Cy Sulak & guest** host weekly blues jam, Sly Fox Lounge, 4755 Great Northern Blvd., North Olmsted 440/777-0961, 9pm-12:30am

■ [Joe Rollin Porter](#) [Gunselman's Tavern](#) 21490 Lorain Rd., Fairview Park 440/331-5719, 7-9pm

■ [Chad Hoffman](#) [Parker's Grille & Tavern](#), 32858 Walker Rd., Avon Lake 440/933-9400, 7pm

■ [Will Cheshier](#) Winery at Wolf Creek, 7-9pm



■ [David Ramirez](#), [Dylan LeBlanc](#) Rusty Anchor Restaurant at the Music Box Supper Club, 8pm, \$12 in advance, \$15 day of show, reserved, all ages

■ [Ghost Town Blues Band](#) ***Wilbert's, 8-11pm

■ [The Stray Birds](#) acoustic trio from rural PA, Beachland Tavern, 8:30pm, \$12,

** all ages

■ **Chris and Tom** The Harp, 9pm

- [Jon Mosey](#) blues, americana, roots, Barking Spider, 10pm

Thursday, October 15

Deborah Van Kleef's 62nd birthday

Kevin Richards' birthday

- **Richie Kindler** hosts monthly *Irish Pub Night Celtic Jam* (seisiún) [Jupiter Studios](#) & Jupiter Moons Pizzeria, 346 E. Main St., Alliance 330/829-3399, 6pm open & learning tunes, 8pm session, all musicians and listeners welcome

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■ **Jess** solo, acoustic, Grand River Cellars, 6:30-8:30pm

■ [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#) blues, [Burntwood Tavern](#)-Chagrin Falls, 504 E. Washington St. 440/318-1560, 7pm

■ [Chad Hoffman](#) The Pub, 26300 Cedar Rd., Beachwood Place 595-2748, 7pm

■ **The Lowest Pair** dual banjos, [Voices in the Valley](#), G.A.R. Hall, doors open 7:30pm, \$12 [presale](#), \$15 day of show

■ [Rick – and - sometimes Sharona](#) Luca Italian cuisine, 2100 Superior Viaduct 862-2761, 7:30-11pm

■ [Cleveland Blue](#) traditional and modern blues, Wolf Creek Tavern, 7:30-10:30pm

■ **Chris Hatton** Brothers Lounge Wine Bar, 8pm

■ [Jon Mosey Trio](#) Jilly's Music Room, 8pm

■ [The Whiskey Charmers](#) country duo from Detroit, 8pm, \$7, *Lucky 7* series includes complimentary craft cocktail, all ages

■ [Scoliosis Jones](#) appalachian punk, and [Go Get Gone](#) rockabilly, ***Wilbert's, 8-11:30pm

■ **Bad Boys of Blues** host *Blues Jam Night* in The Music Hall, 9pm, Brothers Lounge

■ [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) blues, Rush Inn-Lakewood, 17800 Detroit Ave., Lakewood 221-3224, 9pm-midnight

■ [HillBilly IDOL](#) country, Barking Spider, 10pm

Friday, October 16

Anne Hills 62nd birthday

■ [Charlie Mosbrook](#), a Hannibals' Cleveland Heights house concert, wheelchair accessible, info and reservations: [Sue](#) 214-7673, 7:30pm, \$10, all to artist

■ Friday morning Ashtabula Harbor Mountain Dulcimer Group, info: Brenda Noland, bjnite@windstream.net

■ **Richie Kindler** hosts monthly *Irish Pub Night Celtic Jam* (seisiún) [Jupiter Studios](#) & Jupiter Moons Pizzeria, 346 E. Main St., Alliance 330/829-3399, 6pm open & learning tunes, 8pm session, all musicians and listeners welcome

■ **Craig** hosts [open mike](#), Coffee Amici, 8-10pm

■ [Jim Golen](#) Old Firehouse Winery, 6-10pm

■ [Chad Hoffman](#) [Burntwood Tavern – Solon](#) 33675 Solon Rd., Solon 440/914-0290, 7pm

■ **Legacy Duo** [Deer's Leap Winery](#), 1520 Harpersfield Rd. (Rt. 534), Geneva 440/466-1248, 7pm

■ [Donal O'Shaughnessy](#) Irish, [Flat Iron Café](#), 1114 Center St. 696-6968, 7-11pm

■ [Alex Bevan](#) Laurello Vineyards, 4573 Rt. 307 E, Harpersfield Township, Geneva 440/415-0661, 7-10pm

■ [Ray Flanagan](#) Uncorked Wine Bar, 7-10pm

■ [Akron Ceili Band](#) traditional Irish, Wolf Creek Tavern, 7-9pm

■ [Box of Squirrels](#) Maize Valley, 7:30-9:30pm

■ **Mary Agnes Kennedy** ([video](#)) in the pub, West Side Irish American Club, 7:30-10:30pm

■ [Those Guys](#): acoustic duo of **Larry Kadlub and Armand Cadieux**, [Beach Club Grill](#), Concord Plaza, 9853 Johnnycake Ridge Rd., Mentor 440/350-0088, 8-11pm

■ **Tim Askin** Brothers Lounge-Wine Bar, 8-11pm

■ [Jon Mosey](#), [Mike Lenz](#), [Kristine Jackson](#) and [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) [Voices in the Valley](#), G.A.R. Hall, 8pm, \$15 [pre-sale](#), \$18 day of show

■ [Sam Bush](#) multi-instrumentalist, newgrass mandolin master, The Kent Stage, 8pm, \$30,26, reserved, all ages

■ [Tom Todd](#) one-man band, [The Lodge](#) at Geneva State Park, 4888 N. Broadway (Rt. 534), Geneva-on-the-Lake 866/806-8066, 8pm-midnight

■ [Gina Sicilia & Band](#) blues singer songwriter from Philadelphia tonight with beer sampling as part of *Cleveland Beer Week*, Rusty Anchor Restaurant at the Music Box Supper Club, 8pm, \$10 in advance, \$12 day of show, reserved, all ages

■ **Len Thomas** Rider's Inn, 8pm-11pm

■ [Armstrong Bearcat Band](#) blues rock, Smedley's Bar & Grill 17004 Lorain Ave., 941-0124, 8pm

■ [Joe Rollin Porter](#) [Tommy's Place](#) 1325 Linda St., Rocky River 440/331-9687, 8-11pm

- **Sunset Country** [Willoughby Eagles](#), 37299 Euclid Ave. 440/946-0077, 8pm-midnight, \$5
- **Randall Coumos** Your Vine or Mine, 8pm
- **[That 1 Guy](#): Mike Silverman**, return of one-man band songwriter and his homemade instruments, Beachland Tavern, 8:30pm, \$15, ** all ages
- **[The New Barleycorn](#)** traditional Irish, Flannery's, 8:30pm
- **Kevin Johnson** The Harp, 9pm
- **[Runaway Dorothy](#)** americana/alt.country, Redhawk Grille
- **[Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#)** blues, [Galaxy Restaurant](#), 201 Park Canter Dr., Wadsworth 330/334-3664, 9pm
- **Nick Zuber** Mullarkey's, 10pm-1am

Saturday, October 17

a holiday concocted by Cleveland candy makers: Sweetest Day

- old time acoustic jam, [CoCo Beans Café](#), 148 95 N. State Ave., Middlefield 440/632-3426, 10:30am-1:30pm

- *third Saturday Society potluck music party* - - join [Yahoo! Mail group](#) for more info

- **Rhubarb Pie** music, **Margaret Glenn** caller, contra dance, Communion of Saints Church (former St. Ann), 2175 Coventry Rd., Cleveland Hts., 8-11pm, 7:30pm teaching, \$10
- **Dennis Ford** [DeBonné Vineyards](#), 7743 Doty Rd., Madison 440/466-3485, 3:30-7:30pm
- **[Cats on Holiday](#) Vosh** Nightclub, 1414 Riverside Dr., Lakewood 767-5202, Benefit Lakewood High School Music Boosters, 5:30-7pm
- **Lost Bob & The Ozone Ramblers** *Halloween Bash II* reunion, **Sweet Grass** (date added to the sold out 8/23 show) VIP dinner 6pm, \$150 info: 321-9350, to benefit [Roots of American Music](#), a primarily seated, general admission show, Beachland Ballroom, 8pm, \$25, ** all ages
- **Jonathan Browning** Old Firehouse Winery, 6-10pm
- **[Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#)** blues, [Fat Head's](#) Tasting Room & Production Brewery, 18741 Sheldon Rd., Middleburg Heights 898-0242, 6:30pm
- **Sam and Gary** [Deer's Leap Winery](#), 1520 Harpersfield Rd. (Rt. 534), Geneva 440/466-1248, 7pm
- **[John Markovic](#)** with **Beckie Plush** [E Martini Bar](#), 3700 Massillon Rd., Uniontown (Green) 330/563-4821, 7pm
- **[Grady Miller](#): Michael Grady & Cathy Miller** ([video](#)) [Vermillion Valley Vineyards](#), 11005 Gore Orphanage Rd., Wakeman 440/965-5202, 7pm
- **[Joe Rollin Porter](#)** Wolf Creek Tavern, 7-10pm
- **Steve Vanderink** [Candlelight Winery](#), 11325 Center St., Garrettsville 330/527-4118, 7:30-9:30pm
- **Lonesome Ranger** CD release party, 8pm; [Al Rose](#) 10pm, Barking Spider

- [Richard Boston](#) [Coaches Burger Bar](#), 9065 Springfield Rd. (at 5 Points), Youngstown 330/549-9994, 8-11pm
- **DC Taylor** acoustic duo, Coffee Amici, 8-10pm
- [Tim Easton](#), [Chris Allen](#) [Voices in the Valley](#), G.A.R. Hall, 8pm, \$10 [pre-sale](#), \$15 day of show
- [The Juke Hounds](#) Jilly's Music Room, 8pm
- *Rock My Soul Tour* featuring [The Fairfield Four](#), [The McCrary Sisters](#) The Kent Stage, 8pm, \$40, general admission, all ages
- [Loudon Wainwright III](#), comedic actor and prolific topical songwriter acclaimed for four decade, [Rachel Brown](#) Music Box Supper Club upstairs concert hall, 8pm, \$28 in advance, \$32 day of show, reserved, all ages
- **Acoustic Joyride** Rider's Inn, 8pm-11pm
- **Coney Carver and the Rainbow Valley Boys**, **Black Diane**, **Backroom Boys** 3rd Saturdays, Shalersville Town Hall, Rtes. 303 and 44, Shalersville, OH, 7pm
- [Armstrong Bearcat Band](#) blues rock, [South East Gears and Cheers](#), 23333 Aurora Rd., Bedford Heights 440/232-0029, 8-11pm
- **Neil Jacobs** [Cuyahoga River Concert Series](#), U U Church of Kent, 228 Gougler Ave., Kent 330/673-4247, 8pm, donation at the door
- [The New Barleycorn](#) traditional Irish, Flannery's, 8:30pm
- **J. Scott Franklin** americana singer/songwriter, guitar and trumpet, Sandy Chanty, 8:30pm
- [Donal O'Shaughnessy](#) Irish, Sully's, 8:30pm-midnight
- [Chad Hoffman](#) Wolfey's Bistro & Pub, 1069 E. Broad St., Elyria 440/365-9002, 8:30pm
- **Fior Gael** The Harp, 9pm
- [Cats on Holiday](#) Parkview, 9pm-1am
- **Dan McCoy** Mullarkey's, 10pm-1am

Sunday, October 18

Anne Hills 62nd birthday

■ **Ed Caner** & guest, Cuyahoga Valley House Concert Series, up stairs at Hines Hill Conference Center, 1403 W Hines Hill Rd., Peninsula, reservations suggested 330/657-2909, 7pm, \$10, seating very limited

■ **Rick Szekelyi** hosts weekly open mike, [The Stone Oven](#)-Cleveland Heights, 2267 Lee Rd. 932-3003, 3-6pm

■ [Tom Todd](#) hosts open mike, Old Mill Winery, 4:30-7:30pm

* ■ **Harry Nowak** hosts open mike, [Highland Tavern](#), 808 W. Market St., Akron 330/794-7364, 8pm-midnight

* ■ open mike, Stone Tavern, 110 E. Main St., Kent 330/ 677-7320, 10pm, usually preceded by short independent films - no formal host, sign in 8pm with **David R. Kiss**

■ [The Alan Greene Band](#) hosts Sunday night blues jam in its 17th year, [Cebars-Euclid](#), 595 E.185th St., Euclid 481-9509, 9pm-1:30am, jam at 10pm

■ [Xe La](#) hosts open mike, Europe Gyro Pizza, 9pm-midnight

■ [Larry Terkel](#) and [Matt Lerner](#) lead meditation music workshop, Spiritual Life Society and Yoga Center of Hudson, old Church on the Green, 1 E. Main St.(Rt. 303), Hudson, info: 330/656-0100, 9-10:15am

■ [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) *Blues & Bloody Mary Bar Brunch*, Red Lantern Kitchen & Gastropub, 17446 Lorain Ave., 331-1458, noon-2pm

■ [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#) blues, Hudson Library, 96 Library St., 330/653-6658, 2pm

■ [Steve Madewell](#) Old Firehouse Winery, 2-6pm

■ [Box of Squirrels](#) Viking Vineyards, 5-7pm

■ [Hot Jazz 7](#) 3pm; [Sommerfugl](#) 6pm, Barking Spider

Monday, October 19

■ open mike, jam session, Wilbert's, 7pm, sign up 6:30pm, "full backline" of house sound, drums, amps

■ Monday evening *Ukulele Club*, beginners welcome, [Perry Public Library](#), 3753 Main St., 440/259-3300, info: Gary, penswift@yahoo.com, 7pm

* ■ **Kenny P** hosts mashup jam, [The Local Tavern](#)-Mentor, 9470 Mentor Ave. (Rt. 6), 440/392-6022, 8-11pm, sign up 7:30pm

■ [Gary Hall](#) hosts open mike night, with house piano and loaner guitar available, Peppermill Restaurant, 7011 Mill Rd., Brecksville 440/838-6455, 8-11pm, sign up by 7:30pm

■ [Charlie Mosbrook](#) hosts open mike, Phoenix-Coventry, 1793 Coventry Rd., Cleveland Hts. 932-5282, 8pm, 7:30pm sign up

* ■ *Sweetwater Brewing Co.* presents open mike, [Edison's Pub](#), 2373 Professor St., Tremont 522-0006, 9pm

■ **Meganne Stepka** hosts Manic Monday open mike [Kelley's Pub](#), (the former Billy C's) 13525 Lakewood Heights Blvd., Lakewood 671-3587, 9pm-midnight

- [Xe La](#) hosts Kobalt Bar open mike, The Social Room, 2261 Lee Rd., Cleveland Hts. 321-0736, 10pm-2am
- [Rachel Roberts](#) acoustic, [Uncorked Wine Bar](#), 7-10pm
- [Zach](#) Winery at Wolf Creek, 7-9pm
- **Slim & Shady** 8pm; [Peggy Coyle & Brad Bolton](#) 10pm, Barking Spider
- * ■ **Marc & Jack** night Root Café, 8pm

Tuesday, October 20

- [Paul Kovac](#) & friends **Will, Kevin & Anthony** music, **Kenny Wilson** caller, contra dance, Chagrin Falls Township Hall, 83 N. Main St., Chagrin Falls, 8-10:30pm, 7:30pm teaching, \$10, \$8 age 17 and younger, \$25 family

- Tuesday open country music jam, Case Café in Grand Valley Market & Flea Market, 640 E. Main St., Orwell, 440-437-8476, 6-9pm

- * ■ **Tom Ball** hosts weekly *Just Plain Folk* open stage, Charlie Shook's Houston Pub, 3069 Houston Rd., Norton, 7pm, sign up at 6:30pm with Tom 330/283-1212

- * ■ weekly open mike [The Bevy in Birdtown](#) (former Winchester) 12112 Madison Ave., Lakewood 227-2389, 7-10pm

- **The List**, with **Papa J** on keyboard, host blues & rock weekly jam, [Bullfrog's Sports Café](#), 33137 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville 440/327-3764, 7-11:30pm

- **Erik Urycki** (The Speedbumps) hosts monthly "10 on Tuesday" planned open mike, as part of the *Voices in the Valley* music program, G.A.R. Hall, 1785 Main St., (Rt. 303) at Riverview Rd., Peninsula 330/657-2528, to sign up, email [Erik](#), 7pm

- **Crash Coffin** hosts a longstanding weekly open mike at The Red Onion, 522 Pearl Rd. at Grafton Rd., Brunswick Hills 330/225-8482, 7-9pm

- * ■ **Jim Snively** hosts weekly singer songwriter showcase, Rider's 7-10:30pm

- [Gary Hall](#) hosts open mike, [Eastland Inn](#), 8:30-11pm, loaner guitar available, signup 7:30pm

- **Erin Burke** and **Maria Petti** host "*Chicks with Picks*" acoustic jam, [Local Tavern's Fish: Bar](#) inside Chester's Tavern, 11 Chester St., Painesville 440/551-9155, 8-11pm, sign up 7:30pm

■ **Andy Cyphert** hosts weekly [Open Mike](#), [Muggswigz Coffee & Tea Co.](#), 137 Walnut Ave. NE, Canton 330/452-6336, 7:30-11:30pm, sign-up in person, \$1 cover

* ■ [Xe La](#) hosts weekly open mike, Root Café, 7:30pm

* ■ **Will Roth** hosts weekly pen mike/blues jam, Tonix Bar, 3090 S. Main St., Akron, 330/644-3160, 8-11pm

■ **Jack & Josh** host weekly open mike, The Mars Bar, 15314 Madison Ave., Lakewood 228-4500, 8:30pm

■ **Jamal Akil-Marshall** hosts weekly open mike, The BottleHouse, 9pm

* ■ [Morte Treehorn](#) (Kill the Hippies) hosts open mike, full stage of band equipment available, Trio's Bar, 13362 Madison Ave., Lakewood 226-8828, 10pm-1am

■ [Chad Hoffman](#) [The Brew Garden](#), 18590 Bagley Rd., Middleburg Heights 440/234-1001, 6-8pm

■ [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) blues, Nauti Mermaid happy hour, 1378 W. 6th St., 771-6175, 6-8pm

■ [Roger Hoover](#) folksinger in residence, Venice Café, 163 W. Erie St., Kent 330/968-4603, 7:30pm

■ [John McGrail](#) 8pm; **Canton & Keys** 10pm, Barking Spider

■ [Jerry Popiel](#) folk rock, Brothers Lounge-Wine Bar, 8-11pm

■ [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#) blues, The Tasting Room, 210 Great Oaks Trail, Wadsworth 330/331-7085, 8pm

Wednesday, October 21

Alex Bevan's 65th birthday

reptile awareness day

■ **Stan Mejac** solo, polka, *Old World Wednesday*, Prosperity Social Club, 6-9pm

■ music not yet announced, **Dale Shirer**, caller, *Hump Day Dance* (new) Ohio City contra dance, up stairs at St. Patrick church hall, 3602 Bridge Ave., 7:30-10:30pm, teaching 7pm, \$8, \$6 student, info: Dale 440/891-9901

■ **Darrell Hudson** hosts *Acoustic Wednesday* instrumental jam, players invited, listeners welcome, in the party room, Winking Lizard, 3634 Center Rd., Brunswick 330/220-9944, 6pm

■ **Susie Hagan** hosts open mike, Old Mill Winery, 6:30-8:30pm

■ weekly open mike, Sonnets, 7-10pm - sign up starts at 6:30pm, no cover

■ **Lyle Heath** hosts open jam, [Campola's Italian Bistro](#), 7224 Center St., Mentor 440/290-8676, 7pm

■ **John** from Gattuso's Music hosts weekly open mike, Karma Café, 4339 Dressler Rd., Canton 330/492-8900, 7-9pm

* ■ **Eric Brooke** and special guest, host open jam with the **Acoustic Network**, Rafters, 7pm

■ weekly open mike night, Sam Ash Music store, 5700 Mayfield Rd., Greens of Lyndhurst 440/446-0850, participants get a \$10 gift card, 7-8:30pm

■ **Two for the Road: Betsy Rose & Jimmy Lee** host weekly acoustic open mike, [Tripps Bar & Grill](#), 1100 W. Royalton Rd., Broadview Heights 440/877-2622, 7-10pm, sign up 7pm or [email](#)

■ **Kenny P** hosts weekly open mike jam, [The Local Tavern](#)-Willoughby Hills, 29007 Chardon Rd. (Rt. 6), 440/943-5926, 8-11pm, sign up 7:30pm

■ **Akron Ceili Band** leads weekly ceili seisiún, The Ancient Order of Hibernians (Mark Heffernan Division), 2000 Brown St., Akron 330/724-2083, 8pm

■ weekly open mike, rotating hosts, [Bar 107](#), 107 Front St., Berea 440/973-4431, 8pm-midnight

■ **Gary Hall** hosts "mostly acoustic" weekly open mike, loaner guitar available, Blue Rock Café, 8pm-midnight

■ **Brent Kirby** hosts "10x3" Songwriter Showcase, a pre-arranged open mike, sign up [online](#) (submit form from the "BK10x3" drop-down) Brothers Lounge-Wine Bar, 8pm

■ **Charlie & The Poor Boys** host weekly musicians' open jam, trading off instruments and vocals, [Getaway Pub](#), 1462 N. Portage Path, Akron 330/867-8700, 8pm

■ **The Mason Jars** host weekly Jam Night, amps and drums provided [Fort's Old Town Tavern](#), 122 W. Herrick Ave.(Rt.18), Wellington 440/647-3520, 8:30-11:30pm

■ **Randy Horvath and Erik Urycki** (The Speedbumps) host weekly open mike, Venice Café, 163 W. Erie St., Kent 330/968-4603, 9pm

■ **Michael Bay & the Bad Boys of Blues** (with a new guest host each week) host blues jam, house backline includes drum set and Hammond B3, Parkview, 9pm

* ■ **Eroc, Cy Sulak & guest** host weekly blues jam, Sly Fox Lounge, 4755 Great Northern Blvd., North Olmsted 440/777-0961, 9pm-12:30am

■ [Colin John](#) solo, blues, Jilly's Music Room, 5:30pm

■ [Chad Hoffman](#) [Parker's Grille & Tavern](#), 32858 Walker Rd., Avon Lake 440/933-9400, 7pm

■ [Ryann 'guitar' Anderson](#) Winery at Wolf Creek, 7-9pm

■ [Johnny G](#) 8pm; **Boy=Girl**: Jen Maurer & [Paul Kovac](#) 10pm, Barking Spider

■ **Lonesome Stars** The Harp, 8-11pm

Thursday, October 22

Schoolhouse, 1775 Main St.(Rt. 303) at Riverview Rd., Peninsula, 8-10:30pm, 7pm teaching, \$8, student \$6

■ **Ceili Dancing** West Side Irish American Club, 7pm

■ **Time Literally** hosts weekly open mike, [Coffee Phix Café](#) (reopened at new location) 4485 Mayfield Rd., parking in rear, South Euclid 381-5705, 6:30-9pm

Brad Pethel used to host open mike – others now "sit in", The Grand River Manor, 1153 Mechanicsville Rd., Geneva 440/466-9229, 7-10pm

* ■ **Fred Barringer** hosts jam/open mike, Marge E's Geneva N & Wine Bar 11 South Ridge Rd. E. (Rts. 84 & 534), Geneva 440/466-0135, 7-10pm

■ Naturalist [Dan Best](#) hosts *Maple Town Tune Traders* now in its 9th year, with a new format: an open mike (up to an hour and half) followed by sharing singalong tunes, and a round robin acoustic jam, [Geauga Park District](#), The West Woods Nature Center, Oak Room A, 9465 Kinsman Rd. (Rt. 87), Russell, info: 440/279-0883, 7-10pm, bring a snack to share, hot beverages available, free

■ [Erin Burke](#) hosts (new) open mike, Harry Buffalo, 2119 Mentor Ave., Painesville 440/352-8800, 7:30pm

■ open mike, with guitar & keyboard available, sign up with bartender, Monica, Little Mountain Brewing Co., 7:30pm

■ **Gary Hall** hosts open mike, [P.J.Marley's](#), 119 Public Sq., Medina 330/722-6328, sign up 7:30pm, 8pm feature set, late-comers welcome

* ■ **Andy Shepherd** hosts open mike, [Silver Swan Tavern](#), 2704 Front St, Cuyahoga Falls 330/928-5364, 8:30pm, sign up 8:15pm

* ■ **Rick King** hosts acoustic open jam night, Geppetto's Pizza / Johnny Malloy's Sports Pub, 33475 Lake Rd., Avon Lake 440/933-7000, 7:30-11pm

* ■ **Jammin' Paul** and the **Main Street All-Stars** host blues open mike and rock jam, some instruments and drum set provided, all are welcome, Main Street Saloon, 1481 S. Main St., Akron 330/724-8855, 8pm-midnight

■ **Book and Page** host open mike, Michel's Tavern, 1157 W. Main St. (Rt.59), Kent, 330/673-3005, 8pm-midnight

* ■ **Steve Village** hosts acoustic open mike, [Vintage Estate Wine & Beer](#), 7317 South Ave., Boardman 330/629-8080, 7:30-11:30pm

* ■ **Leah Lou** hosts the unpredictable open mike-aroni of poetry and music, The B Side Liquor Lounge & Arcade, 2785 Coventry Rd., Cleveland Hts. 932-1966, 8:30-11pm

* ■ **Butch Armstrong & the Tower City Blues Band** host jam night, [Grillers Pub](#), 5455 State Rd., Parma 741-7200, 8:30pm-midnight

* ■ **The Reid Project**, featuring **Miss Butterscotch** host blues and jazz jam, The House of Swing, 4490 Mayfield Rd., South Euclid 382-2771

■ **Bad Boys of Blues** host *Blues Jam Night* Brothers Lounge Music Hall, 9pm

■ **Dave Mango** (of iPhonic) hosts jam night, Time Warp Bar, 26261 Center Ridge Rd., Westlake. 440/871-8463, 9pm

■ **Jess** solo, acoustic, Grand River Cellars, 6:30-8:30pm

■ [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) blues, with **Jack Charleton** Parkview, 6:30-9:30pm

■ [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-O](#) blues, Wolf Creek Tavern, 3044 Wadsworth Rd., Norton, 234/571-4531, 6:30pm

■ **Nick Zuber** [Burntwood Tavern](#) – Lyndhurst (new, former Champps), 5835 Landerbrook Dr., Lyndhurst 440/459-1155, 7-10pm

■ [Jimmy Maguire](#) The Pub, 26300 Cedar Rd., Beachwood Place 595-2748, 7pm

- [Rick – and - sometimes Sharona](#) Luca Italian cuisine, 2100 Superior Viaduct 862-2761, 7:30-11pm
- **Mark Freeman** 8pm; **Vicki Chew** singer-songwriter, country, folk, rock, Barking Spider
- **Chris Hatton** Brothers Lounge Wine Bar, 8pm
- [Carbon Leaf](#) Celtic folk rock quintet from VA, [The Accidentals](#) female teen multi-instrument trio from MI, Music Box Supper Club upstairs concert hall, 8pm, \$22 in advance, \$24 day of show, reserved, some standing area only, all ages
- **Bad Boys of Blues** host *Blues Jam Night* in The Music Hall, 9pm, Brothers Lounge

Friday, October 23

- Friday morning Ashtabula Harbor Mountain Dulcimer Group, info: Brenda Noland, bjnite@windstream.net

- **Craig** hosts [open mike](#), Coffee Amici, 8-10pm

- Dennis Ford [Ferrante Winery & Ristorante](#), 5585 Rt. 307, Geneva, 440/466-VINO 6-9:30pm

- [Juke in the Box](#) blues, west coast jump, with [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#) Jilly's Music Room, 6:30pm

- **Chris Hatton** [Burntwood Tavern](#) – Cuyahoga Falls, 2291 Riverfront Pkwy,

Cuyahoga Falls 330/794-7685, 7-10pm

- [Mo Andrews](#) singer-songwriter/acoustic rock, [Burntwood Tavern](#) – Lyndhurst (new, former Champps), 5835 Landerbrook Dr., Lyndhurst 440/459-1155, 7-10pm

- [Spoon Too Soon](#) americana, [Deer's Leap Winery](#), 1520 Harpersfield Rd. (Rt. 534), Geneva 440/466-1248, 7pm

- [Becky Boyd](#) [Voices in the Valley](#), G.A.R. Hall, 7pm, \$7 donation requested at the door

- [Richard Boston](#) [Mastropiétro Winery](#), 14558 Ellsworth Rd., Berlin Center 330/547-2151, 7-10pm

- **Canyon Wind** bluegrass, In the pub, West Side Irish American Club, 7:30-10:30pm

- [John Markovic](#) with **Beckie Plush** Blue Rock Café, 8-11pm



[Kim and Reggie Harris](#) a Hannibals' Cleveland Heights house concert, wheelchair accessible, info and reservations: [Sue](#) 214-7673, 8pm, \$15-20, all to artists

- **[Alejandro Escovedo and Sensitive Boys](#)** topical rock, Music Box Supper Club upstairs concert hall and roof deck, 8pm, \$22 in advance, \$25 day of show, reserved, all ages
- **Brian Henke** Rider's Inn, 8pm-11pm
- **[Redneck, Inc.](#)** country, [Willoughby Eagles](#), 37299 Euclid Ave. 440/946-0077, 8pm-midnight, \$5
- **Larry Smith** Your Vine or Mine, 8pm
- **Kristine Jackson** The Harp, 9pm
- **[Chad Hoffman](#)** [Paradise Island Saloon](#), 830 Babbitt Rd., Euclid 732-7101, 9pm
- **[Davey O.](#)** +**Bob Yokum & Friends** Barking Spider, 10pm
- **107.9 Band** Mullarkey's, 10pm-1am

Saturday, October 24

- **[The Palos Hills Boys](#)** acoustic trio returns ([video](#)) *Euclid City Limits House Concert Series*, up stairs at [The Conscious Nest](#), 20150 Lakeshore Blvd., Euclid, 692-0325, 8-11pm, \$7, free pizza

■ **Bobbi Horvath and David Kleinschmidt** music, **Carol Kopp** caller, *Ruth Anne's* English Country dance, Austinburg Town Hall, 2794 Rt. 307, Jefferson, 2:30-5pm, \$5, family \$10

■ **Band Behind the Curtain** music, **Carol Kopp** caller, contra dance, Boston Township Schoolhouse, 1775 Main St.(Rt. 303) at Riverview Rd., Peninsula, 8-11pm, 7pm teaching, \$8, student

■ **Magic Feet** music, **Jan Larsen** caller, contra dance, Austinburg Town Hall, 2794 Rt. 307, Jefferson, 7:30-10pm, \$5, family \$10

■ **Andrej Debevc** leads 4th Saturday open jam, all instruments and styles welcome, Scribbler's Coffee Co., 388 S. Broadway, Geneva, 440/466-2233, 2-4:30pm

■ **Lyle Heath** Old Firehouse Winery, 2-6-10pm

■ **Mike "MadDog" Adams** acoustic mayhem, The Roundhouse Bar, 2-6pm

■ **Coney Carver and the Rainbow Valley Boys, Roy Blevins** 4th Saturdays, Hambden Grange, 4 miles east of Chardon on SR 608 at U.S. 6, Hambden, OH, 7pm

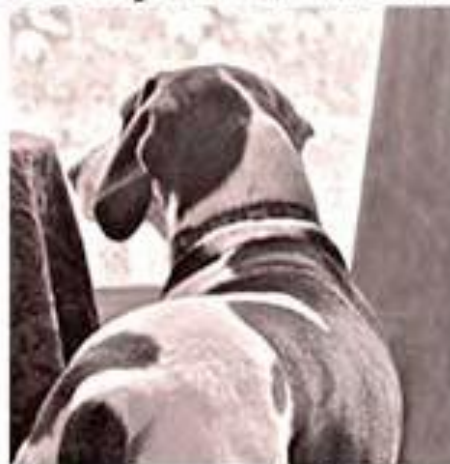
■ **Rock Salt and Nails** *traditional folk night*, **Jupiter Studios** & Jupiter Moons Pizzeria, 346 E. Main St., Alliance 330/829-3399, 7-10pm, \$5

* ■ **Stewart Lenox, Bob Zuccerelli, others** host *BluesNite* open jam, **Peninsula Art Academy**, 1600 W. Mill St. (behind Winking Lizard), Peninsula 330/657-2248, 7-11pm

■ **The Gage Brothers** acoustic duo, sibling harmony, Wolf Creek Tavern, 7-10pm

■ **Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o** blues, Maize Valley, 7:30 -9:30pm

Looking Out My Window



Jeff Varga

■ **Jeff Varga** Brothers Lounge-Wine Bar, 8-11pm

■ **Scott Shaull** Coffee Amici, 8-10pm

■ **Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat** blues, with **Dave Morrison**, *Rhythms Concert*, Massillon Museum, 121 Lincoln Way E., Massillon 330/833-4061x114, 8pm, \$12,10,5

■ **Bruce Blair** Rider's Inn, 8pm-11pm

- [Redneck, Inc.](#) country, *annual Halloween party*, [Willoughby Eagles](#), 37299 Euclid Ave. 440/946-0077, 8pm-midnight, \$5
- [Chad Hoffman](#) singer-songwriter, [Trivs Steakhouse](#), 17100 Royalton Rd., Strongsville 440/238-8830, 8:30pm
- [Cats on Holiday](#) Happy Dog, 5801 Detroit Ave, 651-9474, 9pm-12:30am
- [Crawley, Custy & Taylor](#) The Harp, 9pm
- [Jimmy Maguire](#) [Rick's Café](#), 86 North Main St., Chagrin Falls 440/247-7666, 9pm-midnight
- [Armstrong Bearcat Band](#) blues rock, [Union House Bar & Restaurant](#), 2713 Brookpark Rd., Parma 635-0809, 9pm
- [15-60-75 The Numbers Band](#) blues rock, Parkview Nite Club, 9:30pm-1:30am
- [Mary Martin & the Tuna Band](#) blues, Barking Spider, 10pm,
- [Carlos Jones & the P.L.U.S.](#) reggae, Brothers Lounge-Music Hall, 10pm-2am, \$8
- [Mossy Moran](#) Mullarkey's, 10pm-1am

Sunday, October 25

- [Rick Szekelyi](#) hosts weekly open mike, [The Stone Oven](#)-Cleveland Heights, 2267 Lee Rd. 932-3003, 3-6pm

- [Jimmy Ales](#) hosts open mike, Old Mill Winery, 4:30-7:30pm

- * ■ [Harry Nowak](#) hosts open mike, [Highland Tavern](#), 808 W. Market St., Akron 330/794-7364, 8pm-midnight

- * ■ open mike, Stone Tavern, 110 E. Main St., Kent 330/ 677-7320, 10pm, usually preceded by short independent films - no formal host, sign in 8pm with **David R. Kiss**

- [The Alan Greene Band](#) hosts Sunday night blues jam in its 17th year, [Cebars](#)-Euclid, 595 E.185th St., Euclid 481-9509, 9pm-1:30am, jam at 10pm

- [Xe La](#) hosts open mike, Europe Gyro Pizza, 9pm-midnight

- [Larry Terkel](#) and [Matt Lerner](#) lead meditation music workshop, Spiritual Life Society and Yoga Center of Hudson, old Church on the Green, 1 E. Main St.(Rt. 303), Hudson, info: 330/656-0100, 9-10:15am
- [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) *Blues & Bloody Mary Bar Brunch*, Red Lantern Kitchen & Gastropub, 17446 Lorain Ave., 331-1458, noon-2pm
- [Ray Fogg](#) The Roundhouse Bar, 1-5pm
- [The Spyder Stompers](#) & [Sugar Pie](#) pre-WWII country blues, *Sunday with the Friends* series, Main Auditorium, Lakewood Public Library, 15425 Detroit Ave., Lakewood 226-8275, 2-4pm, free
- [Jonathan Browning](#) Old Firehouse Winery, 2-6pm

- [Tom Todd](#) one-man band, [The Winery at Spring Hill](#), 6062 South Ridge Rd.W, Geneva 440/466-0626, 2:30-5:30pm
- [The Echo Canyon Players](#) folk rock/jam band, Barking Spider, 6-8pm
- [Hot Djang!](#): **Kevin Richards** leads quartet, acoustic gypsy guitar jazz from the 1930's ([video](#)), Rusty Anchor Restaurant at the Music Box Supper Club, 7pm, \$7, *Lucky 7 series* includes complimentary craft cocktail, reserved, all ages
- **David Wilcox** another N E Ohio homecoming for this singer-songwriter who settled in North Carolina, *The Cuyahoga Valley Heritage Series*, Happy Days Lodge, info and reservations: 330/657-2909, 8pm, \$17, \$5 child 3-12

Monday, October 26

Natalie Merchant's 52nd birthday

full hunters' moon 8:05am

* ■ [Roots of American Music](#) hosts last Monday *Pickin' Session*, *Dise & Co.* conference room, 20600 Chagrin Blvd, Suite 925, Shaker Hts., 6-9pm, info: 321-9353, or [email](#)

■ open mike, jam session, Wilbert's, 7pm, sign up 6:30pm, "full backline" of house sound, drums, amps

* ■ **Erik Urycki** (The Speedbumps) hosts open mike, [Baxter's](#), 205 S. Main St., Akron 234/678-0761, 7-10pm

■ Monday evening *Ukelele Club*, beginners welcome, [Perry Public Library](#), 3753 Main St., 440/259-3300, info: Gary, penswift@yahoo.com, 7pm

* ■ **Kenny P** hosts mashup jam, [The Local Tavern](#)-Mentor, 9470 Mentor Ave. (Rt. 6), 440/392-6022, 8-11pm, sign up 7:30pm

■ [Gary Hall](#) hosts open mike night, with house piano and loaner guitar available, Peppermill Restaurant, 7011 Mill Rd., Brecksville 440/838-6455, 8-11pm, sign up by 7:30pm

■ [Charlie Mosbrook](#) hosts open mike, Phoenix-Coventry, 1793 Coventry Rd., Cleveland Hts. 932-5282, 8pm, 7:30pm sign up

* ■ *Sweetwater Brewing Co.* presents open mike, [Edison's Pub](#), 2373 Professor St., Tremont 522-0006, 9pm

■ **Meganne Stepka** hosts Manic Monday open mike [Kelley's Pub](#), (the former Billy C's) 13525 Lakewood Heights Blvd., Lakewood 671-3587, 9pm-midnight

■ [Xe La](#) hosts Kobalt Bar open mike, The Social Room, 2261 Lee Rd., Cleveland Hts. 321-0736, 10pm-2am

■ [Rachel Roberts](#) acoustic, [Uncorked Wine Bar](#), 7-10pm

■ [Ohio City Singers](#) uniquely Cleveland Christmas, SouthSide, 7:30-9pm

■ **Revelry** folk, 8pm; [The Hollywood Slim Band](#) blues/jazz/folk, Barking Spider, 10pm

* ■ **Marc & Jack** night Root Café, 8pm

Tuesday, October 27

■ Tuesday open country music jam, Case Café in Grand Valley Market & Flea Market, 640 E. Main St., Orwell, 440-437-8476, 6-9pm

* ■ **Tom Ball** hosts weekly *Just Plain Folk* open stage, Charlie Shook's Houston Pub, 3069 Houston Rd., Norton, 7pm, sign up at 6:30pm with Tom 330/283-1212

* ■ weekly open mike [The Bevy in Birdtown](#) (former Winchester) 12112 Madison Ave., Lakewood 227-2389, 7-10pm

■ **The List**, with **Papa J** on keyboard, host blues & rock weekly jam, [Bullfrog's Sports Café](#), 33137 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville 440/327-3764, 7-11:30pm

■ **Irwin Weinberger** coordinates an Old-time string band music jam, for traditional Appalachian stringed instruments only, all skill levels and listeners welcome, the M.T. Glass, 13443 Cedar Rd., Cleveland Hts., info: 330/256-4021, 7-9pm

■ **Crash Coffin** hosts a longstanding weekly open mike at The Red Onion, 522 Pearl Rd. at Grafton Rd., Brunswick Hills 330/225-8482, 7-9pm

* ■ **Jim Snively** hosts weekly singer songwriter showcase, Rider's 7-10:30pm

■ [Gary Hall](#) hosts open mike, [Eastland Inn](#), 8:30-11pm, loaner guitar available, signup 7:30pm

■ **Erin Burke** and **Maria Petti** host "*Chicks with Picks*" acoustic jam, [Local Tavern's Fish: Bar](#) inside Chester's Tavern, 11 Chester St., Painesville 440/551-9155, 8-11pm, sign up 7:30pm

■ **Andy Cyphert** hosts weekly [Open Mike](#), [Muggswigz Coffee & Tea Co.](#), 137 Walnut Ave.NE, Canton 330/452-6336, 7:30-11:30pm, sign-up in person, \$1 cover

* ■ [Xe La](#) hosts weekly open mike, Root Café, 7:30pm

■ [Will Cheshier](#) hosts open mike night, Barking Spider, 8pm

* ■ **Will Roth** hosts weekly pen mike/blues jam, Tonix Bar, 3090 S. Main St., Akron, 330/644-3160, 8-11pm

■ **Jack & Josh** host weekly open mike, The Mars Bar, 15314 Madison Ave., Lakewood 228-4500, 8:30pm

■ **Jamal Akil-Marshall** hosts weekly open mike, The BottleHouse, 9pm

* ■ [Morte Treehorn](#) (Kill the Hippies) hosts open mike, full stage of band equipment available, Trio's Bar, 13362 Madison Ave., Lakewood 226-8828, 10pm-1am

■ [Chad Hoffman](#) [The Brew Garden](#), 18590 Bagley Rd., Middleburg Heights 440/234-1001, 6-8pm

■ [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) blues, Nauti Mermaid happy hour, 1378 W. 6th St., 771-6175, 6-8pm

■ [Roger Hoover](#) folksinger in residence, Venice Café, 163 W. Erie St., Kent 330/968-4603, 7:30pm

■ [Torres: Mackenzie Scott](#) singer-songwriter from Nashville ([video](#)), **John's Little Sister** Beachland Tavern, 8:30pm, \$10 in advance, \$12 day of show, ** all ages

Wednesday, October 28

James Keelaghan's 56th birthday

■ **Stan Mejac** solo, polka, *Old World Wednesday*, Prosperity Social Club, 6-9pm

■ **Darrell Hudson** hosts *Acoustic Wednesday* instrumental jam, players invited, listeners welcome, in the party room, Winking Lizard, 3634 Center Rd., Brunswick 330/220-9944, 6pm

■ **Susie Hagan** hosts open mike, Old Mill Winery, 6:30-8:30pm

■ weekly open mike, Sonnets, 7-10pm - sign up starts at 6:30pm, no cover

■ **Lyle Heath** hosts open jam, [Campola's Italian Bistro](#), 7224 Center St., Mentor 440/290-8676, 7pm

■ **John** from Gattuso's Music hosts weekly open mike, Karma Café, 4339 Dressler Rd., Canton 330/492-8900, 7-9pm

* ■ **Eric Brooke** and special guest, host open jam with the **Acoustic Network**, Rafters, 7pm

■ weekly open mike night, Sam Ash Music store, 5700 Mayfield Rd., Greens of Lyndhurst 440/446-0850, participants get a \$10 gift card, 7-8:30pm

■ **[Two for the Road](#): Betsy Rose & Jimmy Lee** host weekly acoustic open mike, **[Tripps Bar & Grill](#)**, 1100 W. Royalton Rd., Broadview Heights 440/877-2622, 7-10pm, sign up 7pm or [email](#)

■ **Kenny P** hosts weekly open mike jam, **[The Local Tavern](#)**-Willoughby Hills, 29007 Chardon Rd. (Rt. 6), 440/943-5926, 8-11pm, sign up 7:30pm

■ **Akron Ceili Band** leads weekly ceili seisiún, The Ancient Order of Hibernians (Mark Heffernan Division), 2000 Brown St., Akron 330/724-2083, 8pm

■ weekly open mike, rotating hosts, **[Bar 107](#)**, 107 Front St., Berea 440/973-4431, 8pm-midnight

■ **[Gary Hall](#)** hosts “mostly acoustic” weekly open mike, loaner guitar available, Blue Rock Café, 8pm-midnight

■ **[Brent Kirby](#)** hosts “10x3” Songwriter Showcase, a pre-arranged open mike, sign up [online](#) (submit form from the “BK10x3” drop-down) Brothers Lounge-Wine Bar, 8pm

■ **[Charlie & The Poor Boys](#)** host weekly musicians' open jam, trading off instruments and vocals, **[Getaway Pub](#)**, 1462 N. Portage Path, Akron 330/867-8700, 8pm

■ **The Mason Jars** host weekly Jam Night, amps and drums provided **[Fort's Old Town Tavern](#)**, 122 W. Herrick Ave.(Rt.18), Wellington 440/647-3520, 8:30-11:30pm

■ **Randy Horvath and Erik Urycki** (The Speedbumps) host weekly open mike, Venice Café, 163 W. Erie St., Kent 330/968-4603, 9pm

■ **Michael Bay & the Bad Boys of Blues** (with a new guest host each week) host blues jam, house backline includes drum set and Hammond B3, Parkview, 9pm

* ■ **Eroc, Cy Sulak & guest** host weekly blues jam, Sly Fox Lounge, 4755 Great Northern Blvd., North Olmsted 440/777-0961, 9pm-12:30am

■ **Andrew Bonnis** alt. folk/soul, 6pm; **Ernest Elshaw** rockabilly/roots, 8pm; **[Elliott Ingersoll](#)** “free thought folk” from a psychotherapist, 10pm, Barking Spider

- **John Perrotta** singer-songwriter, Blue Rock Café, 6-7:30pm
- **Lenny Thomas** [DeBonné Vineyards](#), 7743 Doty Rd., Madison 440/466-3485, 6:30-10:30pm



- monthly board meeting, [Guise Park Lodge](#), 38 Guise Park Dr. (off Munroe Ave.), Munroe Falls, open to all, 7pm
- **Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat** blues, [Gunselman's Tavern](#) 21490 Lorain Rd., Fairview Park 440/331-5719, 7-9pm
- **Chad Hoffman** [Parker's Grille & Tavern](#), 32858 Walker Rd., Avon Lake 440/933-9400, 7pm
- **Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o** blues, The Water Street Tavern, 7-10pm
- **Jim Gill** Winery at Wolf Creek, 7-9pm
- **Chris and Tom** The Harp, 9pm

Thursday, October 29

the "Black Tuesday" market crash, on this date in 1929, led to the Great Depression

- **Ceili Dancing** West Side Irish American Club, 7pm

- **Time Literally** hosts weekly open mike, [Coffee Phix Café](#) (reopened at new location) 4485 Mayfield Rd., parking in rear, South Euclid 381-5705, 6:30-9pm

- **Kristine Jackson** hosts acoustic jam, Parkview Nite Club, 6:30pm-9:30pm

Brad Pethel used to host open mike – others now "sit in", The Grand River Manor, 1153 Mechanicsville Rd., Geneva 440/466-9229, 7-10pm

- * ■ **Fred Barringer** hosts jam/open mike, Marge E's Geneva N & Wine Bar 11 South Ridge Rd. E. (Rts. 84 & 534), Geneva 440/466-0135, 7-10pm

- **Erin Burke** hosts (new) open mike, Harry Buffalo, 2119 Mentor Ave., Painesville 440/352-8800, 7:30pm

- open mike, with guitar & keyboard available, sign up with bartender, Monica, Little Mountain Brewing Co., 7:30pm

- **Gary Hall** hosts open mike, [P.J.Marley's](#), 119 Public Sq., Medina 330/722-6328, sign up 7:30pm, 8pm feature set, late-comers welcome

- * ■ **Andy Shepherd** hosts open mike, [Silver Swan Tavern](#), 2704 Front St, Cuyahoga Falls 330/928-5364, 8:30pm, sign up 8:15pm

* ■ **Rick King** hosts acoustic open jam night, Geppetto's Pizza / Johnny Malloy's Sports Pub, 33475 Lake Rd., Avon Lake 440/933-7000, 7:30-11pm

* ■ **Jammin' Paul and the Main Street All-Stars** host blues open mike and rock jam, some instruments and drum set provided, all are welcome, Main Street Saloon, 1481 S. Main St., Akron 330/724-8855, 8pm-midnight

■ **Book and Page** host open mike, Michel's Tavern, 1157 W. Main St. (Rt.59), Kent, 330/673-3005, 8pm-midnight

* ■ **Steve Village** hosts acoustic open mike, [Vintage Estate Wine & Beer](#), 7317 South Ave., Boardman 330/629-8080, 7:30-11:30pm

* ■ **Leah Lou** hosts the unpredictable open mike-aroni of poetry and music, The B Side Liquor Lounge & Arcade, 2785 Coventry Rd., Cleveland Hts. 932-1966, 8:30-11pm

* ■ **Butch Armstrong & the Tower City Blues Band** host jam night, [Grillers Pub](#), 5455 State Rd., Parma 741-7200, 8:30pm-midnight

* ■ **The Reid Project**, featuring **Miss Butterscotch** host blues and jazz jam, The House of Swing, 4490 Mayfield Rd., South Euclid 382-2771

■ **Bad Boys of Blues** host *Blues Jam Night* Brothers Lounge Music Hall, 9pm

■ **Dave Mango** (of iPhonic) hosts jam night, Time Warp Bar, 26261 Center Ridge Rd., Westlake. 440/871-8463, 9pm

■ [Alexis Antes](#) *Acoustic Thursday*, Old Mill Winery, 6-8pm

■ [John Markovic](#) Scenic Brewery, 7253 Whipple Ave., N. Canton 330/768-7788

■ **The Ballroom Thieves** [Voices in the Valley](#), G.A.R. Hall, doors open 6:30pm, donation requested at the door

■ **Jess** solo, acoustic, Grand River Cellars, 6:30-8:30pm

■ [Thor Platter Band](#) bluegrass, [Burntwood Tavern](#) – Cuyahoga Falls, 2291 Riverfront Pkwy, Cuyahoga Falls 330/794-7685, 7-10pm

■ [Mo Andrews](#) singer-songwriter/acoustic rock, [Burntwood Tavern – Solon](#) 33675 Solon Rd., Solon 440/914-0290, 7-10pm

■ [Chad Hoffman](#) The Pub, 26300 Cedar Rd., Beachwood Place 595-2748, 7pm

■ [Rick – and - sometimes Sharona](#) Luca Italian cuisine, 2100 Superior Viaduct 862-2761, 7:30-11pm

■ [Cleveland Blue](#) traditional and modern blues, Wolf Creek Tavern, 7:30-10:30pm

■ [Guy Perneti](#) 8pm; **Cayuga** folk/rock, 10pm, Barking Spider

- **Chris Hatton** Brothers Lounge Wine Bar, 8pm
- [Mary Martin & the Tuna Band](#) blues, Jilly's Music Room, 8pm
- [Howie Day](#) CD release concert tour, solo singer-songwriter from ME, using looping and pedal effects with acoustic guitar, Music Box Supper Club upstairs concert hall and roof deck, 8pm, \$22 in advance, \$25 day of show, reserved, all ages
- [Cats on Holiday duo: Denis & Paul](#) Rush Inn-Lakewood, 17800 Detroit Ave., Lakewood 221-3224, 8-11pms
- [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#) blues, The Tasting Room, 210 Great Oaks Trail, Wadsworth 330/331-7085, 8pm
- **Bad Boys of Blues** host *Blues Jam Night* in The Music Hall, 9pm, Brothers Lounge
- [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) blues, Rush Inn-Lakewood, 17800 Detroit Ave., Lakewood 221-3224, 9pm-midnight

Friday, October 30

- Friday morning Ashtabula Harbor Mountain Dulcimer Group, info: Brenda Noland, bjnite@windstream.net

- **Craig** hosts [open mike](#), Coffee Amici, 8-10pm

- [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) blues, Old Angle, 5-7pm
- [Steve Madewell](#) Old Firehouse Winery, 6-10pm
- [John Markovic](#) with **Beckie Plush** [Otani](#), 180 W. Streetsboro St. (Rt. 303), Hudson 330/656-0012, 6-9pm
- **Brent Kirby and His Luck**, [Voices in the Valley](#), G.A.R. Hall, doors open 6:30pm, \$7 donation requested at the door
- [Rachel Brown and the Beatnik Playboys](#) country piano honkytonk, Rusty Anchor Restaurant at the Music Box Supper Club, 7pm, \$7, *Lucky 7 series* includes complimentary craft cocktail, reserved, all ages
- [Armstrong Bearcat Band](#) blues rock, [Sapori Italian Grille](#), 33481 Lake Rd., Avon Lake 440/933-4360, 7-10pm, reservations recommended
- [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#) blues, [ThornCreek Winery & Gardens](#), 155 Treat Rd., Aurora 330/562-9245, 7-10pm
- **MILO and Friends** Sonnets, 7:30-9pm
- **Grady Miller: Michael Grady & Cathy Miller** [Vino Fabbricanti](#) Winery, 4029 Hills and Dales Rd.NW, Canton 330/491-9910, 7:30-9:30pm
- **Blue Drivers** blues, 8pm; [Carlos Jones & the P.L.U.S.](#) reggae, 10pm, Barking Spider
- [Joe Rollin Porter](#) [The First Amendment Public House](#), 150 W. Liberty St., Wooster 330/466-9130, 8-11pm
- [Cats on Holiday quartet](#) *Halloween Party*, Glenwillow Grille, 29765 Pettibone Rd, Solon 440/786-010, 8-11pm
- **Steve Howell** Rider's Inn, 8pm-11pm

- [Austin 'Walkin' Cane' Charanghat](#) blues, Wine Spot, 2271 Lee Rd., Cleveland Hts., 342-3623, 8pm
- [Spoon Too Soon](#) americana, [The Local Tavern](#)-Mentor, 9470 Mentor Ave. (Rt. 6), 440/392-6022, 9:30pm-12:30am

Saturday, October 31

all hallows' eve

Tom Paxton's 77th birthday

* ■ **Adam Brodsky** hosts open stage, acoustic originals and spoken word, stand-up bass available, [Literary Café](#), 1031 Literary Rd., Tremont 408-1962, 9:45pm

- [Bongo Joe & Little Steve-o](#) blues, Heini's Gourmet Market, 1019 W. Main St., Sugarcreek 330/852-3500, 1pm
- [Tom Todd](#) one-man band, Ferrante Winery, 6-9:30pm
- **Good Company** Old Firehouse Winery, 6-10pm
- [Armstrong Bearcat Band](#) blues rock, *Halloween Party, costume contest with prizes*, [Zepp's Tavern & Pizzeria](#), 11110 Kinsman Rd.(Rt. 87 at Auburn Rd.), Newbury 440/564-1300, 7-10pm
- [Ed Amann](#) Sonnets, 7:30-9:30pm
- **Ray McNiece & Tongue & Groove** singer-songwriter, poetry, 8pm; **Xe La** 10pm, Barking Spider
- **Keith Sansalone and Greg Mahan** Coffee Amici, 8-10pm
- *Reggae for Food* benefit with [Carlos Jones & the P.L.U.S.](#), **Umojah Nation, Jah Messengers, Hybrid Shakedown** to benefit [All Faiths Pantry](#), delivering free groceries to low income seniors and the mobility challenged, Music Box Supper Club upstairs concert hall, 8pm, \$15 in advance, \$20 day of show, general admission, all ages
- **Tom Smith** Rider's Inn, 8pm-11pm
- **The Schwartz Brothers** God-fearing electric blues, Beachland Tavern, 8:30pm, \$6, **all ages
- **Drumplay** world percussion ensemble, featuring **J. Scott Franklin** on trumpet, Sandy Chanty, 8:30pm-midnight
- [Joe Rollin Porter](#) Flannery's Pub, 9pm-midnight
- **Sweet Meet** Parkview Nite Club, 9:30pm-1:30a

Legend

outdoor music event, seating may or may not be provided

house concert: up close and personal listening experience in someone's home

dance opportunity: contra, English country, swing, polka

participatory event: open mike (take turns) , jam (play with others), community sing

3 x 3 in.

pictures: artwork of brand new CD from the artist

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- * = Some of these once-recurring events no longer exist. *Your* persistent feedback is essential. We need your help - - please let us know changes by [email](#).
- ** = At “all ages” Beachland shows, an additional \$2 fee will be charged at the door for patrons under the age of 21.
- *** = A Wilbert's show that is “Free admission, pay as you go.” There is no charge for admission and when the basket is passed, or when you leave, you pay whatever amount you think the artist deserves.

LOCATIONS

Venues with regular live acoustic music, mentioned repeatedly in our 9/15 calendar
If no city = Cleveland, If no area code = 216

A B C

[Barking Spider Tavern](#), 11310 Juniper Rd., University Circle 421-2863
[Barrel Run Crossing Winery](#), 3272 Industry Rd., Rootstown 330/325-1075
[Beachland Ballroom & Tavern](#), 15711 Waterloo Rd. 383-1124
[Blue Rock Café](#), 5827 Darrow Rd.(Rt. 91), Hudson 330/650-2222
[The BottleHouse](#), 2050 Lee Rd., Cleveland Heights 214-2120
[Brandy-Wine Bar](#), 5555 Akron-Peninsula Rd.(S. Locust St.), Peninsula 330/657-2526
[Brothers Lounge](#), 11609 Detroit Ave. 226-2767
[CanalWay Center](#), Cleveland Metroparks, 4524 E. 49th St.. Cuyahoga Heights 206-1000
[Cebars Euclid Tavern](#), 595 E 185th St., Euclid 481-9509
[Coffee Amici](#), 328 S. Main St., Findlay 419/423-7957
Coffee Corners Antiques, 14544 Main St. (aka N. Cheshire St. or Main Market Rd.), Burton 440/834-0076
[The Conscious Nest](#), 20150 Lake Shore Blvd., Euclid 692-0325

D E F G H

[DeBoné Vineyards](#), 7743 Doty Rd., Madison 440/466-3485
[Eastland Inn](#), 33 Eastland Rd., Berea 440/234-7260
Europe Gyro Pizza, 107 S. Depeyster St., Kent 330/678-4976
[Ferrante Winery & Ristorante](#), 5585 Rt. 307, Geneva, 440/466-VINO
[G.A.R. Hall](#), 1785 Main St.(Rt. 303), Peninsula 330/657-2528
[Gervasi Vineyard](#), 1700 55th St.NE, Canton 330/497-1000
[Grand River Cellars](#) Winery & Reataurant, 5750 S. Madison Rd. (Rt. 528), Madison 440/298-9838
[The Harp Tavern](#), 4408 Detroit Ave. 939-0200
[Hofbräuhaus](#), (new)1550 Chester Ave. 621-BEER
[Hooley House](#) Sports Pub & Grille, 7861 Reynolds Rd., Mentor 440/942-6611
[The House of Swing](#), 4490 Mayfield Rd., South Euclid 382-2771

I J K L

[Irish American Club -East Side](#), 22770 Lake Shore Blvd., Euclid 731-4003
[Jilly's Music Room](#), (former Northside), 11 N. Main St., Akron 330/576-5960
[John Palmer's Bistro 44](#), The Shops at Gristmill, 7590 Fredle Dr., Concord Township 440/350-0793
[Jupiter Studios](#) & Jupiter Moons Pizzeria, 346 E. Main St., Alliance 330/829-3399
[Little Mountain Brewing Co.](#), 7621 Mentor Ave., Mentor 440/256-1645

M

[Mullarkey's Irish Pub](#), 4110 Erie St., at 2nd, Willoughby 440/946-7181
[Music Box Supper Club](#), 1148 Main Ave., Flats West Bank, 242-1251
[Mustard Seed Café –Montrose](#), 3885 W. Market. Akron 330/666-SEED

N O

[NIGHTTOWN](#), 12387 Cedar Rd. (top of Cedar Hill), Cleveland Heights 795-0550

[THE OLD MILL WINERY](#), 403 S. Broadway (Rt.534), Geneva 440/466-5560

[OLD FIREHOUSE WINERY](#), 5499 Lake Rd., Geneva-on-the-Lake 800/862-6751

[OLD 97 CAFÉ](#), 1503 Kenmore Blvd., Akron 330/745-5493

[THE OUTPOST](#), 4962 Rt. 43, Brimfield 330/678-9667

P Q R

[PARKVIEW NITE CLUB](#), 261 W 58th St. 961-1341

[PASSION BLUES](#) Restaurant & Club, 1212 Walnut Ave.NE, Canton 234/214-0396

[PLAYHOUSE SQUARE](#), Euclid Ave. at E. 14th St. 866/546-1353

[PROSPERITY SOCIAL CLUB](#), 1109 Starkweather Ave., Tremont 937-1938

[RAFTERS BAR & GRILL](#) at Meadowlake Golf & Swim Club, 1211 39th St. NE, Canton 330/492-2010

[REDHAWK GRILLE](#), 7481 Auburn Rd., Concord 440/354-4040

[REEL BAR](#), 461 Catawba Ave., Put-in-Bay 410/285-1318

[RIDER'S 1812 INN](#), 792 Mentor Ave., Painesville 440/354-8200

[THE ROOT CAFÉ](#), 15118 Detroit Ave., Lakewood 226-4401

[THE ROUNDHOUSE BAR](#), Delaware Ave. at Hartford, Put-in-Bay 419/285-2323

[RUSH INN](#) – Avon, 35840 Chester Rd., Avon 440/937-3252

S T U

[THE SANDY CHANTY](#), 5457 Lake Ave., Geneva-on-The-Lake 440/415-1080

[SARAH'S VINEYARD](#), 1204 Steels Corners Rd. (at Blossom entrance), Cuyahoga Falls 330/929-8057

[SONNETS ESPRESSO BAR & RESTAURANT](#), 117 College St., Wadsworth 330/336-5557

[THE SOUTHSIDE](#), 2207 W. 11th St., Tremont 937-2288

[STAMPER'S GRILL PUB](#), 21750 Lorain Rd., Fairview Park 440/333-7826

[TAVERNE OF RICHFIELD](#), 3960 Broadview Rd., Richfield 330/659-0610

[THORNCREEK WINERY & GARDENS](#), 155 Treat Rd., Aurora 330/562-9245

[TRIVS STEAKHOUSE](#), 17100 Royalton Rd., Strongsville 440/238-8830

[UNCORKED WINE BAR](#), 22 N. High St., Akron 330/374-1850

V W XYZ

[VIKING VINEYARDS](#), 268 Old Forge Rd., (Brimfield) Kent 330/678-2080

[WATER STREET TAVERN](#), 132 S. Water St., Kent 330/677-0700

[WEST SIDE IRISH AMERICAN CLUB](#), 8559 Jennings Rd., Olmsted Township 440/235-5868

[WILBERT'S](#), 812 Huron Rd., in the rear 902-4663

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