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A summer's night in Michigan is always different, with varying temperatures, moods and colors. Patrons can expect the same changing environment with the entertainment offerings of the 2009 Ann Arbor Summer Festival

Be it Los Lobos, Savion Glover, the Capitol Steps or Diana Krall, the Ann Arbor Summer Festival delivers artistry, melodies and humor for audiences of all ages and interests. The University of Michigan is proud to host these engaging performances at the Power Center for the Performing Arts, Hill Auditorium and the U-M Museum of Art, as well as the grassy surroundings of Ingalls Mall.

Thank you for joining us during our truly wonderful Ann Arbor tradition.



President, University of Michigan

# From the City

Once again it is time for Ann Arbor's favorite family event, the Ann Arbor Summer Festivall Don't miss the state value and the performances that will be headlining the 2009 season at the Power Center, Hill Auditorium and UMMA during the 26th annual Summer Festival.

Ann Arborites look forward to the three weeks of free entertainment at Top of the Park where friends and families can gather to share an evening of live area entertainment, dancing, conversation, and movies under the stars.

This year's event hosts a number of great performers from Los Lobos to Diana Krall and the ever popular Capitol Steps. I urge you to come on down and partake in the festivities.

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John Hieftje Mayor, City of Ann Arbor

> The mission of the Ann Arbor Summer Festival is to provide a widely accessible, high quality summer program representing a variety of the performing arts for the cultural enrichment and entertainment of a regional audience in a festive atmosphere.







# Executive Director, Ann Arbor Summer Festival From the Board of Trustees

From the Director

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What's your festival? Is it old Hollywood glamour mixed

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Join us this season as we present jazz superstars.

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On behalf of the Board of Trustees, I am delighted to welcome you to the Ann Arbor Summer Festival. It's our annual celebration of summer and everyone is invited.

Experience it all: the energy and excitement of celebrity performances, cool jazz on warm nights, a classic movie under the stars. Sing, sway, and twirl. Kick up your heels. Savor every delicious moment.

The festival brings us together in a truly remarkable way, enriching our lives and providing opportunities to spend memorable time with family, friends, and colleagues. I cherish my festival memories and encourage you to create your own.

Thank you for supporting the festival Mainstage Series and our beloved Top of the Park. I hope you dance.

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### Mainstage

The festival's Mainstage performances offer the best in world-class entertainment. In addition to presenting well-known and internationally recognized artists, the festival strives to present performances that are unique, bringing diverse offerings each and every year. Whether it's jazz, pop, dance, comedy, circus, or something entirely unexpected, the Mainstage always delivers excellence.







# IVIALUS LAGE



Technically superb and blazing with talent, the Ahn Trio is redefining the art and architecture of chamber music. The Korean - born, Juilliard trained sisters breathe new life into the piano trio medium by playing everything from pop to classical utilizing elements of new age, jazz, avant-garde, chill, and hip-hop.

Classical | Alternative \$35 \$30 \$25 \$20

#### NEAL MEDLYN

The Neal Medlyn Experience Live! is a faithful re-creation of Beyonce's 2007 hit concert DVD. The Beyonce Experience Live!, featuring sexy back up dancers, Destiny's Child impersonators. birthday cake, and a box fan to blow Neal's hair. Known as the Paris Hilton of performance art. Medlyn is his own kind of bootylicious diva who struts and seduces the crowd with his wonky ways.



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# JUNE 19

Rock | Latin | Pop \$45 \$40 \$35 \$30 Power Center

#### LOS LOBOS W/ PISTORELA

Los Angeles legends Los Lobos is a triple Grammy - winning group whose expert combination of rock 'n' roll, Tex-Mex, country, R&B, folk, and traditional Spanish and Mexican music has won them long-standing acclaim and adulation. Recognized as one of the world's foremost contemporary roots - rock bands, the group has continued to redefine its unique sound.

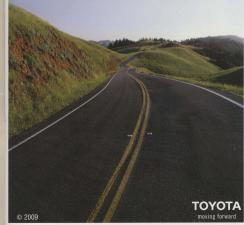
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Sunday I 4PM

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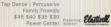
#### PINK MARTINI ... (SNEAKIN) OUT

Flaunting an intoxicating cocktail of musical styles from around the globe, the 12-piece Pink Martini returns to the festival with their spirited blend of Brazilian samba '30s Cuban dance. Parisian café sensibility, and world - music flair,



#### SAVION GLOVER

Tony Award winner Savion Glover is considered by most to be the world's greatest tap dancer. Best known for his starring role in the Broadway hit Bring in 'da Noise, Bring in 'da Funk, Glover keeps his feet busy in this celebration of tap as song in a special program melding several musical genres.





### ZAP MAMA W/ QOOL DJ MARY

Zap Mama reigns as world music's supreme purveyor of a blend of blues, hip-hop, and European seasoning. Led by Zairean-born Marie Daulne, the Grammy-winning group combines five beautiful voices, colorful costumes, and impromptu theatricality in an eclectic mixture of musical styles that is cool and seductive.

# TANGO CONNECTION Wednesday I 8PM

Sensual and sophisticated, Tango Connection is the new 13-member ensemble founded by world-renowned dancer Mariela Franganillo. Her newest show, which was a sold-out hit at last year's New York Tango Festival, smolders with emotion as it celebrates tango from its early roots to classic and modern interpretations.

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#### SHARON JONES & THE DAP-KINGS

Sharon Jones channels the spirit of vintage soul with rousing, powerhouse performances of old-school soul and funk. Backed by the Dap-Kings, Sharon Jones found her success in midlife, garnering the respect of critics worldwide. The band makes their Ann Arbor debut touring on the heels of her latest album, 100 Days, 100 Nights.



# JUNE :26 Friday I 8PM

Jazz | Pop | Swing \$75 \$70 \$65 \$55 \$45 Hill Auditorium

#### DIANA KRALL

Grammy-winning performer Diana Krall is a musical sensation. Her cool, heavy-lidded vocals and strikingly sensitive piano playing have helped her transcend barriers of genre to become a popular artist of the first order, one who has carved herself a permanent position at the top of the jazz charts.









aturday | 5 & 8PM \$55 \$50 \$45 \$40

#### WHOSE LIVE ANYWAY?

Direct from the hit TV show, Ryan Stiles, Greg Proops, Chip Esten, and Jeff Davis work off-the-cuff to create a night of hilarious improvisational comedy with some of your favorite Whose Line Is It Anyway? games, skits, and songs. Audience participation is the key to the show, so bring your suggestions and you might be asked to join the cast onstage.





# CIRCO COMEDIA Sunday I 4PM

Variety | Family Friendly

#### Circo Comedia is a mix of unpredictable thrills, sidesplitting comedy, and daredevil stunts that are the signature style of this dynamic circus duo from Montreal. Jean Saucier and Patrick Côté team up to present a blend of dizzving acrobatic feats and crazy clown antics for the whole family.

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# Fringe | Alt Folk | Jazz

#### JOSÉ GONZÁLEZ WALICE RUSSELL

Swedish Grammy award-winner José González has extraordinary finger-picking guitar skills, hushed vocals, and warm melodies that create an intimate musical experience with universal appeal. With gold and platinum records in multiple countries. González is revered for his own songwriting as well as his inspired acoustic interpretations of songs by popular artists.

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DEAN & BRITTA: 13 Most Beautiful... Songs from Andy Warhol's "Screen Tests"

Indie-pop darlings Dean Wareham and Britta Phillips bring their languid lyrics and hypnotic harmonies to Andy Warhol's "Screen Tests." rarely seen silent film portraits of fixtures of the 1960s New York art scene. Step back and forward in time, and rediscover Warhol's masterworks in this multimedia performance.

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Friday | 8PM Pop | Soul | Motown \$65 \$60 \$55 \$45 \$35

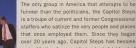
#### GLADYS KNIGHT

With one of the most recognizable voices in popular music. Gladys Knight has been topping the charts for more than five decades. The seventime Grammy winner has enjoyed #1 hits in pop. R&B, and adult contemporary, and has triumphed in film, television, and live performance.



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### Top of the Park

Free concerts, free movies, food, and drink all available under the summer sky. The festivals's Top of the Park is held in conjunction with the Mainstage performances, giving a forum for great local, regional and national artists in an extraordinary atmosphere. Every night creates a different mood and spatific, and is extremely family welcoming. Top of the Park exemplifies everything Ann Arbor: diverse, friendly, kinetic, and unique.





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# First Friday | June 12

The festival's opening night celebration. First Friday, is one of the most attended events at Top of the Park. This year, the festivities kick off at 6:30 pm on the corner of State Street and North University. The highenergy, percussive band NOMO leads a colorful community procession of street artists, festival volunteers, and local youth group into Ingalls Mall, where the crowd can enjoy more live music, food, and family fun-After the sun goes down, the party continues in the Grove area of the beverage garden with the festival's new live DJ series. After Dark @ Top of the Park.

Bring your family, friends, and neighbors to First Friday as we mark the opening of the festival and the unofficial start to summer in Ann Arbor.

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#### So Long Sunday | July 5 Closing Night Festivities

So Long Sunday is the closing night celebration at Top of the Park. This year, the event will feature performances by local favorites Madcat & Kane followed by George Bedard & the Kingpins playing their traditional closing night set. Following the bands, the final movie screening of the season will be a sing-along version of the classic film musical "The Sound of Music," where audiences of all ages can sing along with Maria, the Captain, and all those darling von Trapps. Attendees are encouraged to dress in "Sound of Music" themed outfits, and to participate in the pre-show costume contest.

Join us for this special evening as we dance in the streets and join Julie Andrews in saving "So Long, Farewell" to another festival season.

















The Grassmotz Stage is an emerging artist snace specifically designed to showcase fresh, local talent. Programmed by and for young adults. this intimate, unplugged space will feature an effectic mix of homegrown artists in a teen-friendly environment. Each Grassrootz night is programmed in nartnership with a local teen-focused organization.

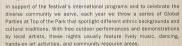
June 13 5:00 - 6:30 PM Ann Arbor Music Center's Rock Band School June 20, 5:00 - 6:30 PM The Neutral Zone

June 27, 5:00 - 6:30 PM Ann Arbor School for the Performing Arts July 4 5:00 - 6:30 PM Various Artists

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June 17, 6:30 - 8:00 PM June 23, 6:30 - 8:00 PM June 30, 6:30 - 8:00 PM Pan-African Celebration Tango Milonga South Asian Mela

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Designed for our youngest concertgoers, the Kidzone tent provides a fun and safe area for children and their parents to discover and explore a wide variety of hands-on activities with different community partners. every night

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Enjoy a wine-tasting event on Wednesdays at Top of the Park, For a \$10 tasting fee, attendees can sample up to three different wines from that evening's featured selections. The event will include education coordinating with the wines and tasting notes and drink specials on presented wines in the Grove until 9pm for participants, Ages 21+.

Wednesdays, June 17, 24 and July 1, 6:30 - 9:00 PM No reservations needed; just show up. Limited capacity, so come early!



After Dark puts a new "spin" on festival moonlighting. The Grove at Top of the Park hosts a weekly late-night chill lounge every Saturday evening after the bands stop playing. An exclusive showcase of guest DJs will be spinning tunes and drink specials will be offered until midnight in this cozy outdoor lounge. Ages 21+.

Friday June 12 10:30 - 11:30 PM Friday, June 19, 10:30 - 11:30 PM Friday, June 26, 10:30 - 11:30 PM D.I. Special K. DJ Raj Mahal DJ Saxtaxi

Friday, July 03, 10:30 - 11:30 PM D.I. Del Villarreal

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### **Body Masterpiece**

Extreme Artistic Face Creations

Saturday and Sunday, June 13-14, 5:00 - 8:00 PM

The Body Masterniece face painters will amaze you as they push the limits of face and body painting to transform kids and adults into colorful creations of art and spectacle.

Presented by Edward Jones

#### Superhero Night @ Top of the Park

Sunday, June 14, 5:00 PM

Relive your favorite childhood or adult memories by joining us for an evening of fun and fantasy filled with superheros and villains. From Batman to Superman, Wonder Woman to the Green Goblin, Ingalls Mall will be temporarily transformed into a special place somewhere between Metropolis. Gotham City. and Apokolips by the Body Masterpiece artists.



#### Family Night @ Top of the Park

Sunday, June 21, 5:00 PN

The intent of Family Night is to present family-focused programming that introduces children and their parents to the exciting world of performing arts. We want to provide local families with opportunities to experience live performances, embrace culture, and spend quality time together in a relaxed and unique environment.

Presented by: Benard L. Maas Foundation



### Club Night @ Top of the Park

Thursday, June 25, 7:00 - 9:30 PM

United on the dance floor, everyone is encouraged to come out and dance. smile, and enjoy Qool DJ Mary's clever acoustic tricks. The combination of loud, rhythmic music, lights, and theatrical stage dancers heightens the collective spirit as the sound enters the crowd.

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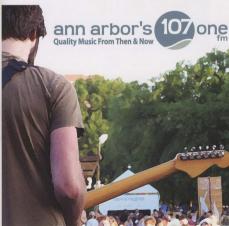
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# Videogame Night @ Top of the Park

Monday, June 29, 6:30 PM

Who is Ann Arbor's own King of Kong? Find out as a Donkey Kong High-Score contest goes on throughout the evening with the winner crowned at the end of the movie! We'll also have a Super Smash Bros Brawl single-elimination tournament with the finals on the big screen.

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### Bike Night e Top of the Park

Wednesday, July 1, 6:30 PM

In anticipation of this summer's Tour de France (July 4-July 26), the festival is celebrating all things biking. Local bike enthusiasts join in the fun with activities and support that encourages patrons to travel to Top of the Park by bicycle. Triplets of Belleville will be shown on the silver screen at dusk.

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## RE.FRESH

A Photo Exhibit by Myra Klarman June 16 - July 4, Power Center

The festival is pleased to present a special exhibit entitled RE.FRESH, a collection of large-scale prints by artist and festival photographer Myra Klarman. These vibrant images draw you in and transport you to peak moments from last summer's Top of the Park. Myra Klarman is a portrait photographer who lives and works in Ann Arbor, Michigan.









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#### Workshops & Educational Events

#### Artist Lecture & Demonstration: Ahn Trio

Monday, June 15, 6:30 - 7:30 PM

Britton Hall, UM School of Music

In conjunction with the performance of "The Insomniac Concert," the Ahn Trio sisters Maria, Lucia, and Angella - will speak about their work, artistry and the need to synthesize, cross cultures and to cross genre boundaries. Presented in partnership with the UM Center for Korean Studies.

#### Artist Discussion: Pop Culture, Gender & Performance Art

Wednesday, June 17, 7:00 - 8:00 PM

UMMA, Multipurpose Room

In conjunction with the performance of "The Neal Medlyn Experience Live," New York performance artist Neal Medlyn and UM School of Art & Design faculty member Danielle Abrams discuss the use of use of gender roles and cultural stereotypes in their work. Presented in partnership with UMMA.

#### Instrument Workshop: Deep Fried Pickle Project

Sunday, June 21, 12:00 - 1:00 PM

Downtown Ann Arbor District Library

Join the Pickle Project and make musical instruments out of crazy and fun materials. After you decorate your instruments. Daniel and the Pickle Gang will rehearse with the young percussionists. Presented in partnership with AADL. Ages 5+.

#### Artist Discussion: Savion Glover

Sunday, June 21, 5:45 - 6:15 PM

Power Center Stage

Post-show O&A with legendary tap dancers Savion Glover, Marshall Davis Jr., and Maurice Chestnut as they discuss the evolution of tap dance and pioneers of the art form, and take questions from the audience on their respective careers in dance.

#### Dance Class: Tango Fundamentals

Tuesday, June 23, 3:00 - 5:00 PM

Led by Mariela Franganillo and company members from Tango Connection. this class is your first step into the world of tango, and includes a guided practica right after class. A partner is not necessary for this class; beginner to intermediate.

#### Artist Discussion & Workshop: Qool DJ Marv

Wednesday, June 24, 6:00 - 7:00 PM

Downtown Ann Arbor District Library

Join international DJ heavyweight Qool DJ Mary as he leads a workshop on the art and technology of turntablism. Students will have the opportunity to learn from one of the country's premier DJs as he intertwines ideas and theory while showing participants how to work the turntables. Presented in partnership with AADL, Ages 12+.

#### Artist Discussion and Demonstration: The OneUps

Saturday, June 27, 2:00 - 4:00 PM

Downtown Ann Arbor District Library

Can't get enough game music? Come see the OneUps show the original games and music, and then perform their own versions. Find out about the world of game music and remixes with masters of the craft. Presented in partnership with AADI

#### Family Workshop: Circus Techniques

Saturday, June 27, 5:00 - 6:00 PM

Top of the Park, Ingalis Mall

Have you ever wanted to run away and join the circus? In conjunction with the performance of Circo Comedia, acrobatic duo Jean Saucier and Patrick Côté will lead an introductory workshop on Ingalls Mall that combines mime, clowning, and comedic improvisation.

#### Artist Discussion: MC Frontalot

Sunday, June 28, 12:30 - 1:30 PM

Downtown Ann Arbor District Library

This is a great opportunity to find out more about artist MC Frontalot and his music. Ask him your questions about Nerdcore, Hip-hop, and beyond. Presented in partnership with AADL.

#### Film Screening: Nerdcore Rising

Sunday, June 28, 1:30 - 3:30 PM

Downtown Ann Arbor District Library

This 2008 documentary follows MC Frontalot, the "Godfather of Nerdcore," on his first national tour to reveal the roots of the genre, the dorky complexities of its artists, and MC's fight for nerd stardom. Presented in partnership with AADL.

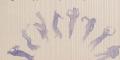
#### Panel Discussion: The Factory and Films of Andy Warhol

Tuesday, June 30, 7:00 - 8:00 PM

UMMA, Multipurpose Room

In conjunction with the performance of "Dean & Britta: 13 Most Beautiful... Songs for Andy Warhol's Screen Tests," the Ann Arbor Summer Festival and UMMA present a panel discussion on the cinematic work of the Iconic '60s artist and his underground art world. Presented in partnership with UMMA.

Support for the Ann Arbor Summer Festival's education and outreach program is generously provided by the Molloy Foundation.



FRI 6:30 Opening Night Processional

10:30 After Dark @Top of the Park

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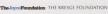
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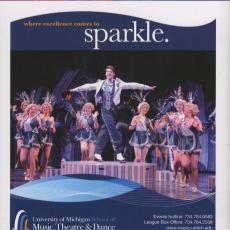


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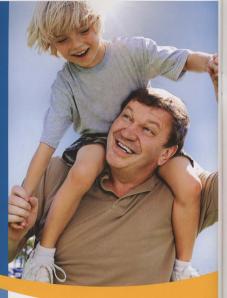
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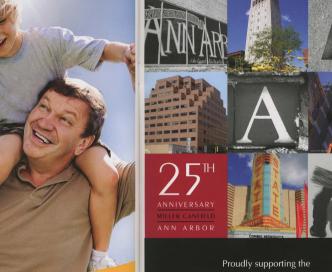
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