



Performers Corner

Other Area OPEN MICS Schedules are subject to change.
Mon 7-9 The Rig Restaurant, FWSA
6308 S Freeway, Fort Worth

Tues 7-9 Open Mic or Contest Randy White's BBQ
Bruce Kidder / KHYI Preston and Main, Frisco
Tues 7-9 Showcase White Elephant Saloon
Brad Hines 106 E. Exchange Ave, Fort Worth
Tues 7-9 Bluegrass Jam Love and War in Texas
Chris 601 E. Plano Parkway, Plano
Wed 9-? Open Mic Texas Tea House
Grant Wiscour/the Infidels or Zen Bubba/Marj 2612
Commerce St., Dallas
Thurs 9-? Acoustic Jam Sons of Hermann Hall
3414 Elm St., Dallas
1st Thurs 7-9 Broadway Cafe, Carrollton
3rd Thurs 7-9 Songwriter Open Mic Dunn Brothers
Coffee House DSA / Craig St.Clair
Sun 3-7 Acoustic Jam Lakewood Bar & Grill
Charli 6340 Gaston Avenue, Dallas
Sun 6?-? Acoustic Jam Shiney's Paradise Grill
Brent Butcher 9410 Walnut Street, Dallas
Sun 7-10 Songwriter Open Mic Love and War in Texas
Randy Hopper 601 E. Plano Parkway, Plano
RED MOON CAFE- Every Tuesday night at 7:00 p.m.,
after the contest, as Steve Thompson hosts "Kitchen
Pickin'" night when we open the stage up to a song-
writers round table. For more information on times and
dates, please visit www.walker creek.net
Thursdays Acoustic Jam at Sons of Hermann 3414
Elm st, Dallas, TX

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can hear all year is playing the Music Fest, Go to guitarshow.com to get the schedules for both days. I've heard reports about how great Johnny A is. He is playing on Sunday and I plan to catch his show. He is a fusion of all his influences from Stevie Ray to Albert King to George Benson. I heard that he sits as he plays, constantly working his many pedals with both feet, changing his tone throughout his performance. WOW, I've got to witness that first hand.

Saturday Night All Star Jam at Deep Ellum Blues will be the place to be seen. Guitar Solo Contest winner, Paige Harwell, will perform at our Saturday Night Jam with other great players from all around. His prizes include a Peavey HP™ Standard EXP Guitar, a Broadjam Primo MoB membership, and half-price recording studio time at Luminous Sound Studios in Dallas for the remainder of 2005. Go to the All Star Jam link on the website to find out about the other great players expecting to jam.

- * Music Fest 2005
- * Saturday Night All Star Jam
- * The Texas Musicians Museum
- * Texas 10 Under 20 Rising Star Search
- * Guitar Solo Contest

DSA will be there. Come out this weekend and look us up at our booth.

www.guitarshow.com

The Dallas Songwriters Association Presents Songwriters Showcase & Open Mics

EVERY 3rd Thursday
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

BROADWAY CAFE & WINE BISTRO
1101 Broadway
Carrollton, Tx
972-860-4833

Come and bring your guitar and sing your original songs!!!

DUNN BROTHERS COFFEE HOUSE
EVERY 3rd Thursday

When: Thursday, April 21st, 2005

7:00pm to 9:00pm

Where: Dunn Bros Coffee
3725 Belt Line Road
Addison, Texas 75001
Phone: (972) 406-9711

Please direct all inquiries to:
Craig St. Clair 972 307-8116
txstclair@comcast.net

Wildflower Festival Acoustic Cafe Stage

May 20-22, Richardson, Tx

Paul Zander - pluck6@access4less.net

DSA Picnic at Ranch Frijoles

Wills Point, Tx

First Saturday in June 4th

Outdoor Stage - Bring a covered dish

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Congress for a late breakfast, then out to the Baseball Games and BBQ. A beautiful sunny day, with an air cleared from the rains the day before. A perfect day to begin the wind down. A day in the sun, a night in the beer garden at Freddie's for a Scottish Showcase. I thought I'd escaped the week with out getting into trouble. No suite parties to get thrown out of at the Four Seasons, no being called on by the hotel manager and the Austin police, no seat belt ticket. I thought I'd been a good girl all week, until Mick Rossi got me into trouble at Freddie's!!! Whatever! Ask me personally and I'll tell you about it.

THE BEST MUSIC THING ALL WEEK

Geoff Martyn's performance in the garden at Freddie's was the beginning of the best that culminated in a guitar pull at a private party at a home just around the corner. A perfect ending to a great week.

WINDING DOWN

On Monday, a trip to Dripping Springs brought us into hill country heaven, sunsets, deer in the dusk, bright stars and good friends at Jacks new crib. Hated to leave there, so I got a late start on

SONGWRITERS

CONNECTING TO SENIORS

Saturday, April 23:

Mariner Healthcare North Dallas,
Meadow @ Greenville Ave, Dallas

Saturday May 28th:

Vickery Towers, Belmont at Greenville
Ave, Dallas, Tx

Come out and mingle with seniors and catch songs by: Mark Hughey, Barbe McMillen, Ian Dickson, Craig St. Clair & You.

Dallas Songwriters' series of showcases aimed at reaching out to the senior community. The public is invited to share this special one-hour program of original songs by Dallas Songwriters. Our goal is to honor the dignity, worth and contribution of the senior community by treating those we serve with respect and compassion, at all times being responsive to their needs and dedicated to their well being. We serve together through cooperation, communication, and character to achieve the highest and the best in ourselves and for our organization. Through the successful pursuit of our mission, we hope to renew hope and joy to those with whom we share our songs.

Wanna share your songs with us? email:
barbe@texasmusicgroup.com.

Texas Music Office Directory and Registry.

<http://www.governor.state.tx.us/music/>

Tuesday to check out Jeri's part of heaven on the Llano River at Rivers Sounds just outside of Castell. What a great place to record, and conjure up good music with friends!! It was hard to come back to Dallas and all the email!!

FAUX PAS

Roland Swenson Introduced the Documentary Short about Robert Plants career as an instructional video!

Erykah Badu's label showcase at the Austin Music Hall ran over an hour behind. This is death to an event at SX. Industry pros try to catch 2 to 3 acts per hour, therefore it is necessary to keep to the schedule.

THINGS I MISSED - "It's not who you saw but what you missed" was a saying I heard over and over.

DKNY Party at the old airport.

The ASCAP Boat - I never miss this, but it just didn't fit between other events.

Blind Boys at Music Hall

All the songwriters at the Cactus Club especially Marty Stuart and Beth Nielsen Chapman- didn't get out that way this year

Willy Mason at the Crown Plaza

The Sony party and lot's more ...

Winter/Spring 2005