

Tuesday Night Blues 2011

Owen Park, Eau Claire

All shows begin at 6:30

In case of inclement weather, Tuesday Night Blues be held at the House of Rock, 422 Water Street.

*August 7 will be held at Phoenix Park.

May 29 The Sue Orfield Band

SueOrfield.com

June 5 Revolver

June 12 Howard 'Guitar' Luedtke & Blue Max

HowardLuedtke.com

June 19 Rhythm Posse

facebook.com/RhythmPosse

June 26 Code Blue with Catya & Sue

Catya.net

July 3 Mojo Lemon

MojoLemon.com

July 10 Pete Neuman and the Real Deal

PeteNeuman.com

July 17 The Jones Tones

AMBlues.com

July 24 Steve Meyer with the True Heat Band

(featuring Ben Harder & Bill Weiss)

July 31 Ross William Perry

RossWilliamPerry.com

Aug 7 Charlie Parr

CharlieParr.com

Aug 14 The Pumps

thepumpsband.com

Aug 21 Deep Water Reunion

[MySpace.com/DWRReunion](https://myspace.com/DWRReunion)

Aug 28 Left Wing Bourbon

LeftWingBourbon.yolasite.com

In July, Steve Meyer returns with a different lineup behind him comprised of the rhythm section from a band you may remember, called Blue Heat. These guys will set down a throbbing bottom for Steve's blistering guitar and harp licks.

In August, Charlie Parr will be entertaining us thanks to an anonymous local donor/underwriter. Charlie brings his multifaceted blues stylings from the Duluth/Superior south shore region. Having successfully toured North America and Europe for quite a few years, he has made quite a few stops in Eau Claire, and we are glad to have him at TNB.

For more info on all the bands and links to their own sites, go to TuesdayNightBlues.com.

There were many requests for a spot on the schedule again this year, and we could easily have filled all 14 nights with new bands. Our format has been to support the bands that are here and have been followed by you in the past, and to mix in a few new groups as well. We would love to bring more bands on and some back that have played here before, but we have a schedule that is limited to the Tuesdays between Memorial and Labor Day, as well as our own ability to get out and hear some of the groups wanting to play here. So please let these groups you get to hear know how much you enjoy them.

Thanks again for being here!

PS: The City of Eau Claire wants you to know & respect the rule of no firearms in the park.

Tuesday Night Bluesletter

May 29, 2012 at Owen Park

The

SUE ORFIELD BAND



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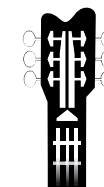
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A Little About the Blues

Welcome to the opening night of the 4th season of Tuesday Night Blues On The River At Owen Park presented by The Chippewa Valley Blues Society (the name we originally gave this event, while accurate, is certainly a mouthful), now, more aptly known as just Tuesday Night Blues.

It amazes us involved in getting this event off the ground that we are actually presenting season #4. What a marvelous achievement! It's you, the fans and supporters who keep it going. In multiple ways. Thank YOU for your support!

While saying that, I want to let you know that if anyone is interested in becoming more actively involved in the production and operation of TNB, we encourage you to talk to any of us you see handing out BluesLetters and/or working at the Chippewa Valley Blues Society booth. Most of the heavy lifting is already done for this season, but we can still use help with the booth and distribution of BluesLetters and posters throughout the area and would appreciate more people becoming involved for next year as well. If you have or work for a business and think you would like to become a sponsor we would love to discuss this with you.

As always, we want to thank our sponsors for their financial and moral support. Please patronize these businesses when you have need of the services and products they provide. Also a big thanks you to our vendors for helping to create the ambience and flavor of this unique event.

This is a unique event. Over the last three years I have heard multiple times from people from out of town and out of state, how they don't have anything like this in Milwaukee, Minneapolis, Boston, Colorado, California, etc. There are free concerts here and there, but usually not weekly, and definitely not with the festival atmosphere we have right here in Eau Claire, Wisconsin every Tuesday from Memorial to Labor Day. Enjoy it!!

On this year's schedule you will see many of your favorites again, including the top bands in the Volume One polling for Best Blues Band in the Chippewa Valley. There are also some that have been here before but not for a while. As impressive as these groups are, we want to encourage you to check out the groups that you may not have heard of before.

In June's 2nd week we are offering up for your listening pleasure Revolver. This group is loaded with talent and experience. The members are well known in the area's musician's circle. They can really kick out some rockin' blues and boogie. When they get rollin' you may find it hard to stay sittin' down.

If you attended the Thanksgiving night tribute to The Band's movie "The Last Waltz" you will already have seen week 4's new combo. These guys found they played that gig so well together, and had such a rousing response, they decided to make it a more permanent arrangement and formed the Rhythm Posse! Several of these guys have performed here at Tuesday Night Blues in different bands, but when Rhythm Posse starts layin' down a groove and then funks it up you will prick up your ears and pay attention. Rumor has it they may have a special guest artist or two join them as well.

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The Sue Orfield band performs original music that spans many genres from blues, rock and funk to jazz and bluegrass with a little ethnic vibe thrown in. Their music grooves with high energy and unexpected improvisations. Their melodies will sometimes amuse you and often move you.

While they play primarily instrumental music, the group occasionally enriches the mix with the deep and resonant vocals of Randy Sinz or the inimitable stylings of Dave Schrader.

As you might guess the music of SOB is difficult to categorize. In the 2008 & 2011 "Best of Chippewa Valley" polls by Volume One, fans voted SOB #2 in the "Best Jazz Band" category. In 2009 they voted SOB #1, the "Best Jazz Band in the Chippewa Valley." In 2010, they just voted the band #2 in the "Best Original Rock Band" category. No matter which category they are placed in, the group extends a huge thank you to the fans who have expressed their appreciation this way!

The Sue Orfield band is: Sue Orfield (tenor saxophone), Mike Schlenker (guitar), Randy Sinz (bass + vocals), and Dave Schrader (drums + vocals)



Sue Orfield Band Upcoming Schedule

- June 8 The Narrows Saloon, Wayzata, MN **
- June 9 Sunset Tavern, Black River Falls **
- June 16 Mabel Tainter Center, Menomonie **
- June 17 Gelly's Pub & Eatery, Stockholm **
- June 23 Musky Fest, Hayward
- June 24 Pioneer Grill & Saloon, Menomonie

** w/ special guest Ellen Whyte
SueOrfieldBand.com

Next Week (June 5) Revolver

Revolver is a fiery, hard-driving group based out of the Chippewa Valley. Revolver's musical goal is to fire up an audience to transcend the mundane and get its groove on as the band performs a rockin' live show of addictive aural pleasure.

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