

Tuesday Night Blues 2017

Owen Park, Eau Claire

Shows begin at 6:30 except July 4

In case of inclement weather, Tuesday Night Blues is held at the Stones Throw, 304 Eau Claire St.

*August 1 will be held at Phoenix Park.

May 30 Code Blue w/ Catya & Sue

Catya.net

June 6 Charlie Parr

CharlieParr.com

June 13 Left Wing Bourbon

LeftWingBourbon.com

June 20 SouthFarwell

facebook.com/SouthFarwell

June 27 Nick Foytik Band

NickFoytik.com

July 4 Red, White & Blues w/ Kingsnakes &

the Mark Cameron Band (begins at 5:00)

facebook.com/KingsnakesEC

MarkCameronMusic.com

July 11 Deep Water Reunion

July 18 Howard 'Guitar' Luedtke & Blue Max

HowardLuedtke.com

July 25 Mojo

August 1 Tommy Bentz Band

TommyBentz.com

August 8 Armadillo Jump

ArmadilloJump.com

August 15 The Lucky Losers

TheLuckyLosers.com

August 22 Sue Orfield Band

SueOrfieldBand.com

August 29 Joyann Parker Band

JoyannParker.com

Cameron Band, a group that has been getting some national press as a great blues band. Most of our vendors are here to provide all their delicious offerings. We will finish at the same time, 8:30. There should be plenty of time to get to your favorite spot for watching fireworks. Phoenix Park is a prime fireworks observation point, and it's only about a 4 block walk from Owen across the walk bridge.

Deep Water Reunion returns, if you are lucky you might get a set of Dade's sunglasses. Howard "Guitar" Luedtke and Blue Max is on the Tuesday closest to Howard's birthday, and he loves to play to celebrate. MOJO the core group that has become the perennial "Best Of" blues band will be with us again. August 1st the Tommy Bentz Band returns to TNB. If you like southern fried blues rock, you really want to see these guys. The first week in August we are denied the use of Owen Park and instead set up at Phoenix Park. Mississippi Valley/Twin City favorites Armadillo Jump will be back for their first mid summer appearance at Owen Park. San Francisco Bay up and comers The Lucky Losers are trekking back to Eau Claire from Northern California for another chance of performing in the Sarge Boyd Bandshell. The Sue Orfield Band returns for their annual appearance, followed by one of last years most popular groups, the Joyann Parker Band (formerly Sweet Tea) to close out the season. Looks like a great year! Thanks for being here.

Tuesday Night Bluesletter

May 30, 2017 at Owen Park

Code Blue w/ Catya & Sue



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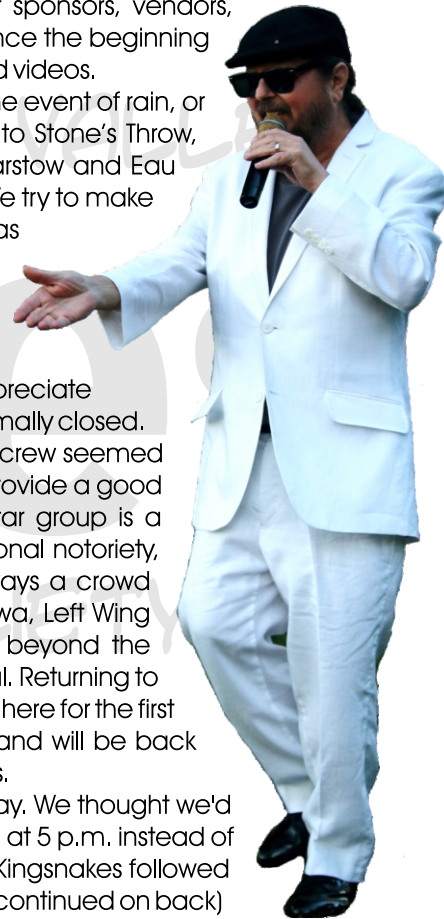
A Little About the Blues

Welcome to the 2017 season of Tuesday Night Blues On The River! Hard to believe, that this is the ninth season of concerts presented for all of our enjoyment by the Chippewa Valley Blues Society. This is the 115th concert presented in the summer, mostly at Owen Park. There are links to all of these at the website, tuesdaynightblues.com. There is a wealth of information at the website, including foundation info for the Chippewa Valley Blues Society, history, activity, links to our sponsors, vendors, affiliate blues societies and some of their events. Every Bluesletter since the beginning with Blues Histories and Band Biographies are there, lots of pictures and videos.

Just to let you know, the weather venue is changing this year. In the event of rain, or some other intense weather event we will be moving the concert to Stone's Throw, downtown Eau Claire, next to the State Theatre at the corner of Barstow and Eau Claire Streets. We hate to go inside, but we will if the threat is great. We try to make the call by about 4:00 p.m. and will announce it on the web page as well as the FaceBook pages. The times remain the same, and concerts will run from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.. The food options from our vendors are typically not available when we go inside, so plan accordingly. We do want to give a shout out to the House Of Rock! HOR has been our weather venue for the last six seasons, and we appreciate their providing a stage and sound for us on a day when they were normally closed.

Kicking off the 2017 season with Catya, Sue and the Code Blue crew seemed like a natural as they have always proved popular at TNB. We try to provide a good mix of popular local and regional favorites, so following this all-star group is a regional favorite that is rapidly gaining national, as well as international notoriety, Charlie Parr. Charlie brings his unique Americana style and is always a crowd pleaser. Following Charlie is the host band of Blues On The Chippewa, Left Wing Bourbon. Another group that has been expanding their horizons beyond the Chippewa Valley with their own mix of funk, rhythm and blues and soul. Returning to their roots is a band that had much local renown, South Farwell will be here for the first time since season 2. An up and coming favorite, the Nick Foytik Band will be back again this year with their excellent blend of Chicago and delta stylings.

For the first time in TNB history, Independence Day falls on Tuesday. We thought we'd break out of our mold and present two bands, 2 full concerts, starting at 5 p.m. instead of 6:30. We are calling this event Red, White and Blues!, Featuring The Kingsnakes followed by the Mark



Code Blue has been playing clubs, restaurants, and Blues Festivals since the Spring of 2006. Primarily a Blues band emphasizing original and traditional blues, Code Blue also throws in some original and classic R&B and Swing. About Code Blue's Musicians:

Catya wrote her first song at the age of 8. She began performing professionally in her early twenties and, before moving to Wisconsin, worked in clubs all over New England, the Southwest, and Northern California. In the Greater Upper Mississippi Valley area she's gigged with Howard Luedtke, David Jones & the Jones Tones, The Sue Orfield Band, The Lucy Creek Blues Band, Tim Caswell, Poppy Moeller, Joe T. Cook & the Longshots, R4, and of course, Catya's Trio and Code Blue.

Sue Orfield plays the tenor saxophone with the whimsy of Sonny Rollins, the passion of Kurt Cobain, the soul of Bill Withers, and the joy of Ella Fitzgerald. Along with a compelling mastery of her instrument, Sue brings to the stage a powerful presence and joy of all things musical. Sue has played with many musical greats over the years, including Bo Diddley, Bobby McFerrin, The Indigo Girls, Ann Wilson (Heart), Dizzy Gillespie, Ivan Neville, Jo Dee Messina, among others.

Randy Sinz first started playing bass at the age of 12 in his father's band, Jerry Sinz and his Dairyland Ranchhands. After touring the United States in the 70's, Randy settled in Western Wisconsin--singing and playing bass with a number of popular groups including The Cadillac Cowboys, Tequila Sage and Southern Serenade. Today he performs with Catya's Trio, the Sue Orfield Band, and a myriad of other projects.

John LeBrun got his first pair of drums sticks in 1969 and his first gig in 1974. Over the past 10 years, John has performed with numerous bands including the Jones Tones, Lucy Creek Blues Band, Howard Luedtke, Catya's Combo, Tracy Landis, TSR, Riverstone, HGT, and of course, Code Blue. You may have seen John performing with numerous other musicians in the Chippewa Valley because he seldom turns down a chance to pound some drums.

Luke Fischer joins Code Blue on Lead Guitar and Vocals. His influences range from Nine Inch Nails to Blind Willie McTell. He's played with Billy Angel's Last Waltz Tribute, Pine Hollow Audio's Motown Tribute and 60's Tribute, in a duo with Catya, with Boxcar Sojourn with John Nietz, and his own band, Lucas K. and The Cool Hand Saints. Currently he plays in Looking Glass Down, AcoustiHoo, and The Rhythm Posse. For more information about Code Blue, go to catya.net or Catya's Facebook page.

If you want to take home some of the songs you hear at the show, Catya and crew have a CD of her original songs available today called "Kiss Me Like You Mean It!"

Visit Catya.net for more information

Next Week (June 6) Charlie Parr

Many play the music but Charlie Parr lives it. The self-taught guitarist and banjo player grew up with his dad's recordings of America's musical founding fathers. Charlie tours the U.S. "From Cleveland to Seattle and down to San Francisco" along with Ireland and Australia.

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The CVBS depends on active members to make this a great organization! There are lots of ways that you can help promote the Blues in the Chippewa Valley!

- Receive notification and invitation to upcoming CVBS meetings. Come and make your voice heard! As a current member you will be able to vote for electing the executive officers at the annual meeting. The CVBS annual meeting will be coming up soon! Look for more info to come!



- Volunteer opportunities abound! Help out with membership drives and VIP membership program, participate in committees, volunteer to help at Tuesday Night Blues, hang posters and place literature at local businesses, recruit sponsors, be a sponsor!!

Visit us at the Chippewa Valley Blues Society tent on Tuesday night to become a member or renew your membership. It's only \$10 a year for membership... \$15 for a family. Memberships expire a year from renewal. Come be an active part of a great group of Chippewa Valley residents that love the Blues!

Your Blues Society depends on YOU! We hope to see you very soon.

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* Lineup Subject to Change

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