

MICHIGAN MONTHLY

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DETROIT LIONS – DetroitLions.com/tickets
On Fox 2 unless otherwise noted

Dec. 6 at Chicago Bears; 1 pm
Dec. 13 vs. Green Bay Packers; 1 pm
Dec. 20 at Tennessee Titans; 1 pm
Dec. 26/27 vs. Tampa Bay Buccaneers; TBD
Jan. 3 vs. Minnesota Vikings; 1 pm

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN WOLVERINES –
mgoblue.com/sports/football/schedule/2020
866-296-MTIX, MGOBLUE.com/Tickets

Dec. 5 vs. Maryland
Dec. 12 at Ohio State; noon; Fox
Dec. 19 Big Ten Championship Week

MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY –
msuspartans.com/sports/football/schedule/2020

Dec. 5 vs. Ohio State
Dec. 12 at Penn State
Dec. 19 Big Ten Championship Week

DTE ENERGY – 313presents.com

Nov. 13 - Jan. 2 Magic of Lights

FOX THEATRE – 2211 Woodward, Detroit; 313-471-6611; 313presents.com

Feb. 16 Gregory Porter, Ledisi
March 13 Chris Tucker

BROADWAY IN DETROIT – 313-872-1000,
BroadwayinDetroit.com

Virtual Performances:

Nov. 27 - Eleanor's Very Merry Christmas Wish –
Dec. 27 The Musical
Dec. 13 Jagged Live in NYC

FUNDRAISERS

Nov. 17 - Paws With A Cause: Help send a PAWS
Dec. 1 Dog Home! Pawswithacause.org;
www.justgiving.com/campaign/thankful

Nov. 27 Kibbles & Bids a virtual Silent Auction for
Paws For Life Rescue; noon-7pm;
pawsforliferescue.org

CENTRAL MICHIGAN –

www.freep.com/story/sports/mlb/tigers/2020/10/07/mid-american-conference-football-schedule-cmu-emu-wmu/5910017002/

Dec. 5 vs. Ball State
Dec. 12 at Toledo

EASTERN MICHIGAN –

www.freep.com/story/sports/mlb/tigers/2020/10/07/mid-american-conference-football-schedule-cmu-emu-wmu/5910017002/

Dec. 5 at Western Michigan
Dec. 12 vs. Northern Illinois

MOTOR CITY CASINO HOTEL – SoundBoard; 2901
Grand River Avenue, Detroit; www.motorcitycasino.com;
313-237-7711; 313Presents.com

Jan. 24 Matt Fraser – Renowned Psychic Medium
Feb. 4 Violet Chacki

THE MASONIC TEMPLE -- 500 Temple Avenue,
Detroit; 313-832-7100; themasonic.com

Dec. 11 Candlelight Holiday Jazz & Soul Favorites
Dec. 16 Candlelight: Beethoven, Mozart & Other
Timeless Composers
Dec. 17 Candlelight: Winter Wonderland on Strings
Dec. 29 Candlelight Jazz

TCF CENTER – (formerly Cobo Center)
TCFCenterDetroit.com

Dec. 4 Adopt A Child For Christmas Program
Jan. 11 North American Car, Truck & Utility of the
Year Awards
Jan. 23-24 Motown Showdown
March 5-7 Autorama

THE DETROIT ZOO – 8450 W. 10 Mile, Royal Oak;
detroitzoo.org; 248-541-5717

Nov. 21 – Jan. 3, 2021 Wild Lights

HAPPENINGS AROUND TOWN:

Ticketmaster: 800-745-3000 or ticketmaster.com

- Nov 27 - Winter Wonder Lights at Meadow Brook
Dec. 30 Estate; outdoor light show; 350 Estate Drive, Rochester; advance tickets only; meadowbrookholidays.com
- Nov. 29-30 Parish Mission with Michael Gormley; SS. John & Paul Church, 7777 28 Mile, Washington; 586-781-9010
- Dec. 4-5 Kris Kringle Market; downtown Rochester; food, shopping, live entertainment; East parking Platform between E. University and E. Fourth; downtownrochestermi.com or 248-656-0060
- Dec. 4-5 Michigan H.S. Athletic Association Football Finals; 11-player Boys Football Finals; Ford Field; FSD; 517-332-5046
- Dec. 5 Encore: 4-hour session for all re-marriage couples; \$160; 10 am; Catholic Charities of S.E. Michigan, 1424 E. 11 Mile, Royal Oak, 248-548-4044; crewsh@ccsem.org
- Dec. 6 Poinsetta Sale; 9am-12:30pm; \$10; SS. John & Paul Church, 7777 28 Mile, Washington; 586-781-9010
- Dec. 11 Euchre Tournament (21 & over); 6 pm; \$15 for game, pop, beer, water; \$5 extra for food; St. Peter's Church, Fr. Welch Hall, 95 Market, Mt. Clemens; limited to 100 players; RSVP to Pat, 586-468-4578
- Dec. 18 Mid-American Conference Championship Game, 7pm; Ford Field; ESPN

MUSIC IN THE HEART OF THE CITY – St. Paul Episcopal Church, 711 S. Saginaw, Flint; 810-234-8637; \$10/adults, \$5/students; 4 pm

- Jan. 24 Beautiful Piano Music
Feb. 21 Woodwind Trio
March 21 The Dalton Memorial Organ

REDFORD THEATRE – 17360 Lahser Road, Detroit; 313-537-2560, redfordtheatre.com

- Dec. 4 Home Alone
Dec. 6 White Christmas
Dec. 18 National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation
Dec. 20 It's a Wonderful Life

DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Orchestra Hall, Detroit; www.dso.org or 313-576-5111

Digital Concerts:

- Dec. 3 The Soldier's Tale
Dec. 4 Mozart Piano Concerto No. 23
Dec. 10 Starburst & Strauss
Dec. 11 Jader Conducts Beethoven
Dec. 15 Poetry Showcase: This Woman's Work
Dec. 17-18 Home For The Holidays

Live Concerts:

- Dec. 6 Cyrus Chestnut Quartet: A Charlie Brown Christmas
Jan. 7-10 Bach's Coffeehouse
Jan. 8 A New Year in Vienna
Jan. 9-10 In The Air Tonight
Jan. 14-17 Brahms's Symphony No. 2
Jan. 22-23 Virtuosoic Vivaldi & Mozart 38
Jan. 24 Positively Patriotic
Feb. 5 Schubert & Bartok

DETROIT OPERA THEATRE: 1526 Broadway, Detroit; 313-237-7464 or michiganopera.org

- Jan. 27 - Ain't Too Proud: The Life & Times of
Feb. 7 The Temptations

THE TOKEN LOUNGE – 28949 Joy Road, Westland, TokenLounge.com

- Dec. 4 Steve Gornal & The Blue Collar Blues Band
Dec. 5 Wreking Crue
Dec. 6 Eric Martin of Mr. Big
Dec. 6 Jeff Hoagland Band; Joy Manor
March 15 Powerglove, Immoral Guardian

DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS – 313-833-7963, www.dia.org

- Nov. 15 - Detroit Style: Car Design in the Motor
June 27 City 1950 – 2020
- Nov. 15 - Russ Marshall: Detroit Photographs
June 27 1958 - 2008

MARK RIDLEY'S COMEDY CASTLE - 310 S. Troy, Royal Oak, 248-542-9900, www.comedycastle.com

- Dec. 3-5 Mike E. Winfield
Dec. 10-12 David Dyer
Dec. 17-19 Jeff Scheen
Dec. 26 Zach Martina
Dec. 31 Chris Porter

ANDIAMO CELEBRITY SHOWROOM – Warren;
586-268-3200, AndiamoShowroom.com; 800-745-3000

Jan. 23 Bee Gees Gold

MICHIGAN PHILHARMONIC – 734-451-2112 or
www.michiganphil.org

Dec. 11 Holiday Pops; 6 and 8 pm; Our Lady of
Good Counsel; Plymouth

Feb. 14 Mandolin Style; 2 pm; First United Methodist
Church, Plymouth

Online Events:

January: The French Connection

March: Symphonic Swan Song

April: Let It Be – Beatles!

STERLING HEIGHTS – sterling-heights.net; Parks &
Recs: 586-446-2700; Music in the Park held at Dodge
Park Amphitheater at 7 pm: 586-446-2692; Farmers
Market, 40620 Utica Road, sterling-heights.net/dpfm

May 26 Healthy Living Expo; Community Center

Sterling Heights Community Center is open and has
safety classes like CPR and babysitting safety, and
games like volleyball and basketball which are open to
both resident and non-residents alike for a fee, and must
pre-register.

**MACOMB CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING
ARTS** - Macomb Community College, 44575 Garfield,
Clinton Twp; 586-286-2222, www.MacombCenter.com

Virtual Performances:

Dec. 7 Dan & Claudia Zane Join the Band
Jan. 4-April 2 Doktor Kaboom! It's Just Rocket
Science

Jan. 18-Feb. 9 The Snail & The Whale
Feb. 1-14 Finding North

SUBURBAN COLLECTION SHOWPLACE – 46100
Grand River, Novi; 248-348-5600 or
www.suburbancollectionshowplace.com

Jan. 7-10 Ultimate Fishing Show

Jan. 22-24 The Novi Home Show

Feb. 10-14 Detroit RV & Camping Show

ROYAL OAK MUSIC THEATRE – 318 W. Fourth;
www.royaloakmusichtheatre.com; 248-399-2980

Jan. 22 Maria Bamford

Feb. 8 Silverstein

Feb. 12 Artie Lange

Feb. 17 Walk Off The Earth

QUOTES: From the book ***14,000 Quips & Quotes for
Writers & Speakers*** by E.C. McKenzie

Christmas shopping should include buying toys for the
children that their father would enjoy playing with.

Perhaps the best Yuletide decoration is being wreathed
in smiles.