

ENTERTAINMENT SCHEDULE

DEC. 31, 2012

MAIN STAGE ~ 5:00-10:00 P.M.

Great music for all ages from five Austin bands

• 5:00 - Sue Young

Sue has brought her educational, entertaining, and dynamic storytelling programs to thousands of kids throughout the US, drawing on an extensive repertoire of Latin American and world folktales, personal stories, and contemporary and traditional music. www.sueyoungmusic.com

6:00 - Edison Chair

Edison Chair craft direct songs with colorful, vocally-embellished arrangements. The youthful energy of this 4-piece band will have you on your feet. www.reverbnation.com/edisonchair

• 7:00 - El Tule

For eight years El Tule (el TOO-lay) has been honing its unique sound combining influences of cumbia, merengue, salsa, Cuban, and reggae. Their music is about history, art, legends, and tales of the mystical. www.eltuleband.com

• 8:00 - Courtney Sanchez

Courtney Sanchez has been in music, theater, and dance for over three decades. She has performed alongside Brannen Temple, Guy Forsyth, Patrice Pike, Malford Milligan, Matt Wilson and more. www.courtneysanchez.com

• 9:00 - Del Castillo

Del Castillo has become a symbol of the cross-cultural power of music with their eclectic blend of Flamenco, Rock, Latin, Blues, and World music. Led by brothers Mark and Rick del Castillo, the band has won numerous Austin Music Awards, including Album of the Year and Band of the Year. www.delcastillomusic.com

YOUNGBLOODS OF AUSTIN MUSIC STAGE~ 6:00-9:30 P.M.

Discover the next generation of Austin live music

- Pangia www.do512.com/band/pangia/past
- Residual Kid www.residualkid.com/
- Identity Crisis www.facebook.com/pages/Identity-Crisis/235799006542073
- Finley Sexton
- The Seaside Swifts www.facebook.com/TheSeasideSwifts
- **24-7** http://twentyfoursevenmusic.wordpress.com
- Curtis McMurtry and God's Chosen People www.curtismcmurtrymusic.com
- Little Brave <u>www.littlebravemusic.com</u>
- **Mobley** <u>www.mobleytheband.com</u>

Also on the Youngbloods Stage:

• 5:00 - Clickety Cloggers

Austin's Clickety Cloggers is a dance club composed of Central Texans who get together each week to perform a uniquely American dance form that is rooted in traditional Appalachian-style clogging, but with a decidedly modern flair. www.clicketycloggers.com

AUSTIN FILM BUFFET ~ 6:00-9:00 P.M.

Presentations and screenings by local film organizations

- 6:00 Best of Faces of Austin
- 6:30 Polish Film Festival
- 7:00 Lights.Camera.Help
- 7:30 SXSW
- 8:00 Austin Film Society
- 8:30 Austin Film Festival

PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT PERFORMING ARTS STAGE ~ 5:00-10:00 P.M.

Culturally-diverse performances from Austin's best

- **5:00 VaNa MaZi** VaNa MaZi is a 5-person group that plays traditional music ranging from the villages of Transylvania all the way to throat singing from Tuva. www.reverbnation.com/vanamazi
- 5:20 Anthony Ortiz
- 6:00 The Flying Balalaika Brothers

The Flying Balalaika Brothers, originally from Russia, combine their classical training with folk traditions, creating a unique blend of musical styles influenced by American bluegrass and acoustic music. www.russiafbb.com

- 6:40 The Carver Museum African Dance and Drum Class
- 7:00 Austin Chinese Arts Association

Experience the culture of China with dancing and fashion show performances on stage, as well as calligraphy and tea tasting workshops. www.austinchinesearts.org

• 7:40 - Shirley Johnson

Shirley Johnson is a solo accordionist and vocalist who specializes in International European folk music as well as American standards - think Edith Piaf with a gypsy flair! www.vjeverica.com

8:00 - Son Armado

Son Armado brings the Son Jarocho Fandango to ANY, with music, dancing, & poetry in the context of a communally created and shared space, with the tarima (a wooden dance platform) as the gathering point. www.facebook.com/SonArmado

• 9:00 - Rockin' Gospel Project

Get ready to sing and dance your way into the New Year with this South Austin favorite! www.rockingospelproject.com

Fun for ANYone

Interactive art installations, performances, and creative activities throughout the night

- **The Little Yoga House** Stop by for free children's yoga demonstrations. (5:00-8:00 p.m.) www.littleyogahouse.com
- Plastic Storm Sculpture The City of Austin and Keep Austin Beautiful present a new creation by artist George Sabra. Plastic Storm Sculpture, is a 14' high storm funnel made out of reclaimed plastic bottles, cups, jars, and caps which represents the massive "storm" of plastic waste humans generate on a daily basis. The sculpture will be officially unveiled at 5:45 p.m. www.plasticstormsculpture.com
- **Shirley Johnson** In addition to her stage performance, Shirley will be roaming the park for impromptu accordion concerts. (6:00-9:00 p.m.) www.vjeverica.com
- **StarSeeds Interactive Stage** Back by popular demand! This lightweight, LED-lighted toy shoots high into the air and floats down, giving the illusion of stars gently dropping from the sky. Join the StarSeeds Team to create beautifully choreographed sky performances. (6:00-10:00 p.m.)
- **Web of Wishes** Sarah Stollak's World on a String presents this dynamic activity in which your dreams and resolutions are strung on yarn and woven into a web which grows throughout the night. www.worldonastring.us
- Express Yourself: An Interactive Light an Sound Experience
 - Light artist Richard Phillips and Interactive Entertainment Systems will use colorful LED lighting to bring the gazebo on Auditorium Shores to life! As people move through the beams of light inside, harmonious sounds are triggered while additional lighting casts shadows onto a backdrop creating a new experience as each person arrives. There will also be special performances throughout the evening from the Light Wizards! www.interactiveesystems.com/imagesinteractiveart.html
- Catapult into 2013! In this this catapult building workshop, children of all ages will work
 with Austin Children's Museum educators and volunteers to launch their wishes for the new year
 skyward! www.austinkids.org
- **Flag Boy Twin** Flag Boy Twin (Jeremiah Williams) is a member of The Shining Star Hunters Mardi Gras Indian tribe. The Mardi Gras Indians are a New Orleans tradition that is over 100 years old. He relocated to Austin after Hurricane Katrina and continues to sew and bead an elaborate new suit for Mardi Gras every year. He will appear at ANY in the bright orange, feathered and beaded suit that he created for 2012.

FIREWORKS FINALE ~ 10:00 P.M.

At 10 p.m., look to the skies for our exciting Fireworks Finale! And for the first time, the fireworks will be accompanied by the Capitol City Highlanders, a traditional Scottish pipe & drum band, for a performance to remember all year long! www.austinbagpipes.com