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RIGHT MUCH TO DO

Save for the occasional theater performance, a visit from the Bolshoi, several nights of exceptional music and one five-day world-class indie rock showcase, it was just another sleepy summer here in the Piedmont.

All that's drawn to a close (it really was pretty sleepy in early August), and now, well, it's hard to keep up.

Theater season is revving back to life, the nights of exceptional music include Sunday through Thursday as well as the weekends and the cultural offerings are coming fast and furious, including, as we note on pages 12 and 13, a rather large and sure to be well-attended literary festival.

Along with that, the nightlife is picking up (and not just because the days are getting shorter), with the weather starting to cooperate and cool nights drawing more out to openings and patios alike.

We open this issue of MILL with our annual select list of local restaurants. It's important to note that we're not trying to be comprehensive. That's nearly impossible, given the turnover and the burst of gustatory entrepreneurship. Instead, we're trying to pass along a bit of what we know, with the hope of creating more of a living document. To that end, we invite your participation. The guide will go live on our website at carrborocitizen.com/mill/dining-guide/. Feel free to send in your suggestions, your favorite meals, and help us build the list and its usefulness.

CHANGES AHEAD FOR THE ARTS

After a couple of months in search of a replacement for executive director Jon Wilner, who announced his retirement in July, The ArtsCenter found what Wilner himself described recently as "a real find."

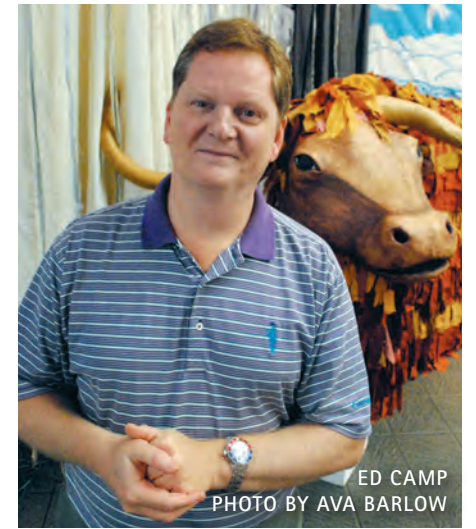
On Aug. 24, Ed Camp stepped out of his year-long role as general manager of University Mall and into his new role at the helm of the Carrboro-based performance, studio and education center.

Camp, a Madison native and Carolina graduate, said he is delighted at the move and looking forward to playing a leading role in helping The ArtsCenter prepare for the future.

"It's wonderful to be a part of an organization that is an important part of the arts community." The arts and the community of artists and supporters, he said, are an integral part of the area.

Since landing in Carrboro, Camp says he's had a full schedule, starting with one-on-one meetings with "the team" to get a vision of their future needs and hear concerns about their respective areas.

"Right now, we're gathering information



ED CAMP
PHOTO BY AVA BARLOW

to help us put together a comprehensive development plan," Camp said.

Part of that is consideration of an expanded board of directors and possible additional advisory boards. The center is also working on a refinancing plan for its property.

And although Camp is a fairly new returnee to the area, one of his local connections has already paid off — The ArtsCenter has started offering classes at a new spot at University Mall.

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EATER'S GUIDE

A lot's happened since last year's annual restaurant issue. But before we list some of the bigger changes and quote a few accolades, let's have a few huzzahs for what's not all that different in food around here. The most important thing that hasn't changed is, for lack of a better word, our trajectory. We're still headed in the direction of more and better local food.

A couple of the most visible examples are the proliferation of farmers' markets and the increasing mention of local farms on restaurant menus. This is not some random event, but the result of years of rebuilding a small-farm food economy. The success of these efforts is due in no small measure to a strong local ethic among local chefs and their willingness to go beyond just purchasing local food and actively collaborate.

This has not gone without notice outside the area; the past year was dotted with some damn impressive notice.

Late last fall, a *Bon Appétit* headline declared a kind of vague geographic region

encompassing Carrboro, Chapel Hill, parts of Durham and farms in Alamance and Chatham "America's Foodiest Small Town." The article not only detailed in living color the growth and invention of the local market, but delivered these effusive kudos: "Imagine a place where foodies not only have a favorite chef, but also a favorite farmer; a place where the distance between the organic farm and the award-winning restaurant is mere miles;

a place where a sustainable future is foreseeable."

Not long after those words hit the newsstands, the economy tanked

and the foodiest small town in America was struggling like the rest of the pack to keep the seats filled in the dining rooms. In a lot of places, it was a long, slow summer.

Recent reports are a little brighter, partly due to the economy and partly due to our natural school-year cycle. And you have to think that as folks from elsewhere venture over for sports or arts or music, they've got to be wondering what all the fuss is about.

The Eater



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206 W Main St.,
942-6848, akaihana.com

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711 W Rosemary St., 933-8226, carrburritos.com

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200 N. Greensboro St., 929-2909, elmosdiner.com

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106 S. Greensboro St., 794-4107, glasshalfcarrboro.com

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103 E Main St., 942-0006, jadepalacerestaurant.com

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111 E. Main St., 933-1117, spotteddogrestaurant.com

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610 W. Franklin St., 929-7643, crookscorner.com

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CYPRESS ON THE HILL

308 W. Franklin St., 537-8817, cypressonthehill.com

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ELAINE'S ON FRANKLIN

454 W. Franklin St., 960-2770, elainesonfranklin.com

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403 W Rosemary St., 942-9242, f-use.com

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202 W. Rosemary St., 967-2506, laresidencedining.com

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1129 Weaver Dairy Rd. (Timberlyne), 942-4745, margaretscantina.com

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YUM: veggieburger, sweet potato chips, chuletas de puerco, pollo asado

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1129 Weaver Dairy Rd (Timberlyne), 932-4986, queenosheebachapelhill.com

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456 W. Franklin St., 933-1177, talullas.com

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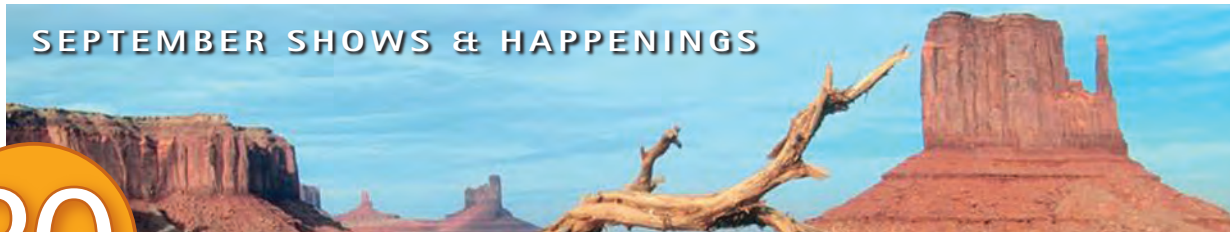
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9/12

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NEW TOWN DRUNKS

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9/13

SON VOLT

Cat's Cradle

Sarah Cahoon opens. 9pm, \$15 advance

9/16-30

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PlayMakers

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9/3

TAR HEEL DRUM CIRCLE

University Mall

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9/5

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9/6

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9/7

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9/21

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9/22

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9/23-10/11

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LITERARY

CARRBORO BRANCH LIBRARY

Ongoing Events — Storytime, Saturdays at 10:30am; Toddler Time, Thursdays, 4pm; Entertainment Adventures with family fun programs featuring dancing, song, animals, and sometimes magic, third Sunday of every month at 3pm.

CHAPEL HILL PUBLIC LIBRARY

Ongoing Events — Story Time, for ages 3-6; Junior Book Club, for readers grades 1-3; Time for Toddlers, for stories, songs and activities; Baby Time, for children between 6 and 18 months; Teen Book Club, for teens in grades 6 and up. Dates and times vary; Bookworms Club, for grades 3-6, each month children in this program read and discuss different novels from a list of titles nominated for the NC Children's Book Award.

Orange County Community Read — an informal group discussion of *The Soloist* by Steve Lopez, Sept. 17, 7pm in the Meeting Room.

Meet-the-Author Tea — Joanna Catherine Scott, Sept. 18, 7:30pm in the Meeting Room.

Beyond the Books: Rodgers Road — Emily Eidenier Pearce will speak on her collaboration with Roger Road community members

on a book, entitled "Rogers Road", that charts the history of the community from the 1700s to the present, Sept. 19, 3pm in the Meeting Room.

Tar Heel Fiction: A Second Look — *Oral History* by Lee Smith Scholar led discussion with Lynn Salsi - Registration Required, Sept. 24, 7pm in the Meeting Room.

Pajama Story Time — Children are invited to put on their pajamas, grab a favorite stuffed friend, and come hear stories about going to bed, Sept. 30, 7 - 7:30pm.

chapelhillpubliclibrary.org

CYBRARY

Movie/Book Group — The Movie/Book Group will discuss *Julie & Julia* and the best-selling memoir it's based by Julie Powell on, Sept. 10, 7pm.

100 N. Greensboro St., 918-7387, cybrary@co.orange.nc.us, co.orange.nc.us/library/cybrary

MCINTYRE'S

Author Events — Roy A. Cooper Jr. reads from *Between the Creeks*, Sept. 4, 4pm; Batt Humphreys reads from *Dead Weight*, Sept. 5, 11am; Joanna Smith Rakoff reads from *A Fortunate Age*, Sept. 11, 2pm; Stephen March reads from *Strangers In The Land of Egypt*, Sept. 12, 11am; Roylf Lynton, Fearington resident and husband of H. Ronken "Ronnie" Lynton discusses his new

book *Between Past and Future: A Field Guide for Fathers Overseas*, Sept. 18, 2pm; Ruth Moose reads from *The Librarian and Other Poems*, Sept. 19, 11am; Amy Whitaker discusses *Museum Legs*, Sept. 20, 2pm; Suzy Barile reads from *Undaunted Heart: The True Story of a Southern Belle & A Yankee General*, Sept. 26, 11am; Ann Prospero reads from *Chefs of the Triangle: Their Lives, Recipes and Restaurants* and will be joined by Fearington House Restaurant Executive Chef Colin Bedford, Sept. 27, 2pm; Clay Carmichael discusses, *Wild Things*, Sept. 29, 7pm;

Chapel Hill Library 50th Anniversary Celebration — Party and a fundraiser for the library, with drinks on the lawn followed by a sit-down BBQ supper. Authors will include Will Blythe, Sarah Dessen, Michael Malone, Jill McCorkle, Lee Smith, Haven Kimmel and Daniel Wallace. Music will be provided by The Carolina Chocolate Drops and Midtown Dickens, Sept. 13, 6pm. To purchase tickets, call 929-1666 or visit www.chplfoundation.org.

Poetry Society — Featuring Scott Owens and Terry Kirby Erikson, Sept. 24, 7pm.

2000 Village Center, Pittsboro. 542-3030

DANCE

PARTICIPATORY

Ballroom — Fourth and fifth Thursdays, 7-9:30pm. Seymour Senior Center, 2551 Homestead Road, Chapel Hill. \$2, 968-2070

Carrboro DanceJam — Free-style dance. First Fridays, Balanced Movement Studio, 304 W. Weaver St., upstairs. 968-8776

Contra Dance — Contra Dance — First Saturday dance sponsored by FootLoose/Contrazz. Sept. 5, 7:30-10:30 pm, Carrboro Century Center, \$9. TCDancers.org

Contra Dance — Triangle Country Dancers with live music by Bic Celtic Fun, Sept. 11, 7:30-10:30pm, Carrboro Century Center. \$10 for all.

Contra Dance — Carolina Song and Dance presents a community contra dance with live music by Buz Llyod, Sept. 18, 8pm (7:30pm lesson), Carrboro Century Center. \$8. csda-dance.org

Ballroom Dance — second Saturday of every month, recorded music Triangle Stardusters, 8-11pm, \$7 StarDusters members and students, \$12 others. Couples and singles are welcome, Fred Astaire Dance Studio, 4702 Garrett Road, Durham. 942-7232

LESSONS

Salsa/Mambo — Third Saturdays, lesson 8pm, dance 8:30-11pm. Fred Astaire Dance Studio, 4702 Garrett Road, Durham. \$7, salsa_4u2@yahoo.com, 358-4201

THEATER

THE ARTSCENTER

Old Aesop's Tales — A Rags To Riches telling of three of Aesop's fables, suggested for PreK - 3rd grade, Sept. 12, 11am, \$7.

The Monti — Interesting members of the community are invited to share personal narratives with an audience. Sept. 19, 8pm, \$20, \$18 friend price, \$12 students.

DEEP DISH THEATER

Summer and Smoke — Tennessee Williams' drama of romantic yearning follows a soulful young woman and a haunted, hard-living doctor, Aug. 28- Sept. 19, deepdishtheater.org for more info.

DSI COMEDY

dsicomedytheater.com, 200 N. Greensboro St. 225-6330

FILM

Movie Screening for the Orange County Community Read — Movie screening (based on the book *The Soloist* by Steve Lopez, starring Jamie Foxx and Robert Downey, Jr.), Sept. 15, 6:30pm, Meeting Room, for details call 968-2780.

100-Mile Film Series — ChathamArts' sustainable cinema series continues with *The Siamese Connection*, a documentary by Durham filmmaker Josh Gibson documents the lives of Cheng and Eng Bunker, the conjoined twins who became world famous as part of P.T. Barnum's circus, Sept. 29 7pm, Fearington Village Barn, Pittsboro. \$5 adults, \$3 students. 542-0394, chathamarts.org



Pictured left to right: Taylor Mac; Justin Adams; Jeffrey Blair Cornell & Jimmy Kieffer; Leland Durand Thompson; Carolyn Baumber. All photos (except Taylor Mac) by Jon Gardner.

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COMEDY FESTIVAL CONTINUES TO GROW

DSI Theater wanted to get the word out early that the 10th anniversary of the North Carolina Comedy Arts Festival (formerly the Dirty South Improv festival) will be held on an even grander scale than in previous years.

Zach Ward, owner of DSI and driving force behind the festival, said though the economy is down, the comedy sector keeps growing.

"People always want to laugh," he said. That's part of the reason next year's festival will include an additional week and welcome sketch-comedy teams and film and video to its line-up.

The festival runs Feb. 4-27. Local come-

dians and national acts will perform in the month-long celebration of comedy, with performances at the DSI Theater, Cat's Cradle and The ArtsCenter.

Ward said he also hopes to expand to different venues in Raleigh and Durham.

Submissions from comedians will be accepted from Sept. 1 to Nov. 1, and Ward personally views each digital copy in selecting the lineup.

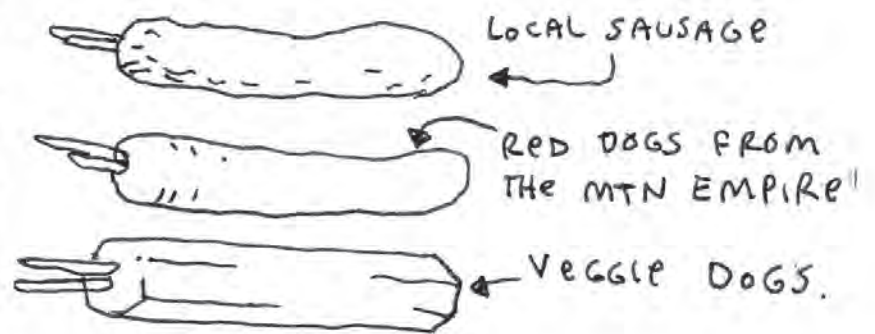
Only online submissions will be viewed, and Ward said he looks favorably on performances in raw form.

For more information about DSI Theater or how to submit a video, visit dsicomedy-theater.com

IT WAS DEEP ENOUGH TO KAYAK. NO SNAKES. A LITTLE STINKY, LOTS OF LIL FISH NOODLES, FLOATIES, DALE EARNHART JUNIOR COOLERS AND SLIPPERY ROCKS.



AFTERWARDS WE WALKED BACK TO THE HOUSE AND MADE "DIP DOGS," FRIED PICKLES WITH COMEBACK SAUCE AND BURGERS. THERE WERE ~~FOUR~~ 3 DIFFERENT KINDS OF DOGS:



LATE NIGHT = PLAYING MUSIC, WATCHING YOUTUBE AND DOCUMENTARIES.



A READ ON THE LIT FESTIVAL

BY VICKY DICKSON

The just-released schedule of the North Carolina Literary Festival is a subject of some frustration for me. Since I can't be in more than one place at once, how to decide between Dorothy Allison, Elizabeth Edwards, Will Blythe and Allan Gurganus? Or Rick Bragg, Daniel Wallace, Nic Brown, R.L. Stine, Elizabeth Spencer ... The truth is, there isn't a session I wouldn't be interested in attending. And it's all a gift to the people of North Carolina, from the libraries of UNC, Duke and NC State, with additional support from N.C. Central University and many other sponsors.

The fifth in a biennial series that was started in 1998 and rotates among the three campuses, this year's festival will include 100 authors — local, emerging and nationally known. It includes a children's area for the first time, featuring *Goosebumps* creator R.L. Stine and Carrboro writer Clay Carmichael. Since the festival is funded entirely by gifts



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and grants, all events are free, though keynote events at Memorial Hall require tickets obtained in advance from the box office.

For a great overview of the North Carolina literary scene, check out one

of the Sunday sessions featuring author readings from *Long Story Short: Flash Fiction by Sixty-Five of North Carolina's Finest Writers*. A compendium of "short-short" (less than 2,000 words) stories, *Long Story Short* is a fascinating portrayal of the diversity of writing talent our state has produced. Running the gamut from Russell Bank's depiction of an aging couple on a final road trip, to Bekah Brunstetter's searing monologue about a sister's reaction to her brother's Iraq deployment, to Will Blythe's quirky multiple-obituary, the stories range from witty and ironic to painfully sad. The one constant is that they're all beautifully written, and riveting.

And don't miss Carrboro's own Erica Eisdorfer, in a Saturday session with friends Allan Gurganus and Wells Tower.

Erica's novel, *The Wet Nurse's Tale*, made its debut last month. It's a finely crafted peek into a part of Victorian English society that is seldom on view: the lives of the wet nurses who fed the babies of both the rich and the not-so-well-off. The novel's uneducated protagonist, Susan Rose, is lumpy and crude, and also smart, compassionate and very, very funny. As engaging a heroine as you're likely to come across, Susan tells the gripping story of her journey to recover the son who was taken from her as an infant. Despite her lies and schemes, readers will find themselves rooting for Susan all the way.

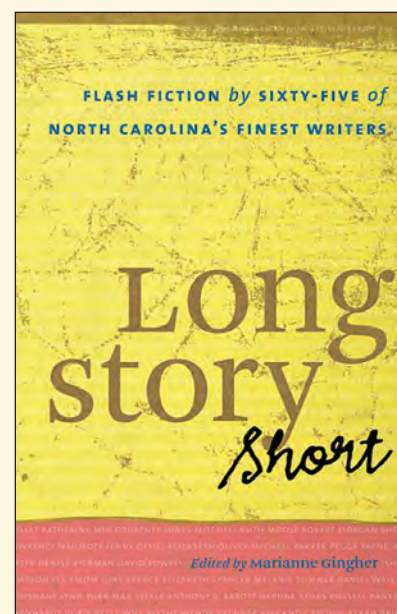
Festival attendees will want to line up early for Elizabeth Edwards' Saturday interview on her book, *Resilience: Reflections on the Burdens and Gifts of Facing Life's Adversities*. Though the

events in Edwards' life that have demanded resilience of her are well known, fewer people know about the background that has made her a gifted writer. Three years as an English graduate student at UNC (where one of her classmates was Clyde Edgerton) engendered in Edwards an appreciation for great literature — and helped counterbalance the legal career that taught her to "write a convoluted sentence as well as anybody."

Writing comes fairly easily to Edwards, and she describes it as solace, "like weeding" — though she also acknowledges it can be a wrenching challenge. Because she wanted *Resilience* to have a conversational tone, she read every page of it aloud. She hopes the book will help those who encounter hardship and challenges to face their new reality. And if it turns out she's not around long enough to teach her children resilience by her own example, she hopes her book will be a way to give her own kids wings.

For those who miss the *Long Story Short* sessions at the festival, or just want to hear more, the 50th anniversary celebration of the Chapel Hill Public Library will feature readings from Sarah Dessen, Daniel Wallace, Lee Smith, Haven Kimmel, Michael Malone, Jill McCorkle and Will Blythe, as well as live music from the Carolina Chocolate Drops and Midtown Dickens.

Sun., Sept. 13, 6 p.m. 2000 Fearrington Village Center, Pittsboro. \$75. RSVP: 929-1666, chplfoundation.org



NC LITERARY FESTIVAL SCHEDULE

THURSDAY, SEPT. 10

4 p.m.: James Applewhite, poet, Pleasants Family Assembly Room, Wilson Library: "The Changing Atmosphere of Southern Time"

5:30 p.m.: Tobias Wolff, University Room, Hyde Hall: Reading as a distinguished visiting writer in a new living writers course in the creative writing program.

7:30 p.m. Keynote: John Grisham and Kathy Reichs, Memorial Hall: "From Reality to Fiction."

FRIDAY, SEPT. 11

7:30 p.m. Keynote: Anna Deavere Smith, Memorial Hall: "Finding Grace and Kindness in a Winner Take All Society."

SATURDAY, SEPT. 12

10 a.m.

Brian Pinkney, Children's Main Stage: Susan Steinfirst Memorial Lecture in Children's Literature Ron Rash, Lee Smith, University United Methodist Church: "Southern Stories."

John Hart, P.T. Deutermann, Gerrard Hall

Anne Spafford, Helen Kraus, Wilson Library: "Rain Gardening in the South."

Paul Jones, Wayne Sutton, Mur Lafferty, Murphy Hall: "Tweeting: A New Form of Writing."

Kelly Alexander, Randall Kenan, Manning Hall: "Writing Food."

11:10 a.m.

Judy Schachner, Children's Main Stage: "Meet Skip-pyjon Jones!"

Jill McCorkle, Sarah Dessen, Courtney Jones Mitchell, University United Methodist Church: "A Mentor's Influence."

Michael Malone, Chapel of the Cross: "Visiting 'The Four Corners of the Sky.'"

Michael Chitwood, Brian Ray, Barbara Presnell, Murphy Hall: "Southern Mills."

Ann Ross, Pamela Duncan, Carroll Hall: "Funny Women."

Jaki Shelton Green, Kathryn Stripling Byer, Ruth Moose, Wilson Library: "Variety in Poetry."

12:20 p.m.

Clay Carmichael, Children's Main Stage: "Wild Things."

Dorothy Allison, Zeld Lockhart, University United Methodist Church: "Persevering Women."

John Kessel, Warren Rochelle, Mur Lafferty, Gerrard Hall: "The World of Sci-Fi and Fantasy."

Daniel Wallace, Matthew Vollmer, Nic Brown, Wilson Library: "New to the Scene."

Allan Gurganus, Erica Eisdorfer, Wells Tower, Hamilton Hall: "New Books, Old Friends."

William Conescu, Joanna Smith Rakoff, Manning Hall: "Emerging Voices."

1:30 p.m.

Rick Bragg, Ron Rash, Chapel of the Cross: "Chewin' the Fat."

Barbara Duncan, Kathi Littlejohn, Children's Main Stage: "Legends of the Milkyway."

Wells Tower, David Rowell, Hamilton Hall: "Literary Journalism."

Todd Johnson, University United Methodist Church: "A Sweet Debut."

Bernie Schein, Murphy Hall: "If Holden Caulfield Were in My Classroom."

Masha Hamilton, Robert Leleux, Manning Hall: "Writing Your Passion."

2:40 p.m.

R.L. Stine, Children's Main Stage: "Goosebumps Galore!"

Elizabeth Spencer, Kevin McCarthy, Sharon Swanson, Gerrard Hall: "The Life of Elizabeth Spencer."

Rick Bragg, University United Methodist Church: "The Prince of Frogtown."

Dana Coen, Michael Malone, Carroll Hall: "Writing for the Stage and Screen."

Lars Schoultz, Wilson Library: "That Infernal Little Cuban Republic."

Fred Chappell, Robert Morgan, Jesse Graves, Hamilton Hall: "Teacher, Student...Stories."

3:50 p.m.

Carrie Ryan, Children's Main Stage: "Zombie Land."

Randall Kenan, Robert Leleux, Dorothy Allison, Hamilton Hall: "Writing Gay."

Elizabeth Edwards, University United Methodist Church: "Resilience."

Allan Gurganus, Doris Betts, Daniel Wallace, John Rowell, Carroll Hall: "From Books to Movies, Plays and Musicals."

Will Blythe, Cadillac Man, Gerrard Hall: "Street Name Cadillac Man."

5:30 p.m.

Keynote: Elizabeth Strout, Memorial Hall: Strout reads from and discusses her Pulitzer Prize-winning book, *Olive Kitteridge*. 8 p.m.

Performance: The Good Ol' Girls - Jill McCorkle, Lee Smith, Marshall Chapman, Matraca Berg. Memorial Hall.

SUNDAY SEPT. 13

11:10 a.m.

NBA Cares, Children's Main Stage: "Storytime with NBA Cares."

Cassandra King, Janice Owens, Gerrard Hall: "Food, Fiction and Friendship."

Marianne Gingher, Lydia Millet, Jenny Offill, Murphy Hall: "Long Story Short." Gingher, Millet and Offill discuss flash fiction

Katherine Min, Samia Serageldin, Paul Cuadros, Carroll Hall: "Second Generations."

Sabrina Jeffries, Jenna Black, Virginia Kantra, Hamilton Hall: "Romance in the Air."

12:20 p.m.

Ronald McDonald, Children's Main Stage: "Storytime with Ronald McDonald."

Elizabeth Spencer, Allan Gurganus, Hamilton Hall: "Influences and Inspirations."

Ann Prospero, Bill Smith, Bret Jennings, Carroll Hall: "Chefs of the Triangle."

Michelle Andrea Bowen, Manning Hall: "Church Folk."

Robert Morgan, L.G. Walker, Gerrard Hall: "Figures in History."

Fred Chappell, Stephen Corey, Pam Durban, Wilson Library: "Literally Literary."

1:30 p.m.

Alan Gratz, Children's Main Stage: "The Brooklyn Nine."

Pamela Duncan, Kathryn Stripling Byer, Hamilton Hall: "Poetry in Fiction."

John Rowell, David Rowell, Katherine Min, Marianne Gingher, Carroll Hall: "More from Long Story Short."

Maureen Sherbondy, Dorianne Laux, Murphy Hall: "'Slow Vanishing,' 'Dark Charms.'"

Ursula Vernon, Thomas Boatwright, Ben Towle, Manning Hall.

William Ferris, Gerrard Hall: "Give My Poor Heart Ease."

2:40 p.m.

John Claude Bemis, Children's Main Stage: "The Nine Pound Hammer."

Shelia Moses, Brian Ray, Stephen March, Gerrard Hall: "Growing Up Fast."

Ronald Cotton, Jennifer Thompson Cannino, Carroll Hall: "Picking Cotton."

Dan Ariely, Dana Coen, John Hart, Hamilton Hall: "Lies and Deceit."

4 p.m.

Performance: "The Bible Salesman," Clyde Edgerton and Mike Craver.

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Thursday, September 3 • 6-8 p.m.

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But be there! Join us from 6-8 p.m. on these dates:

Thursday, September 3	The Citadel game
Friday, September 18	ECU game
Friday, October 2	Virginia game
Friday, October 9	Georgia Southern game
Friday, November 6	Duke game
Friday, November 13	Miami game

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Whether you go for the views of Shakori Hills, the dancing, the music or the good eats, the convention will provide a ton of entertainment.

This year includes a hoppin' john cook-off to be judged by convention goers. Nightly dances will be called by Nashville Allison Williams, and the Red Hots will play a set late Saturday night.

There also will be concerts and workshops for fiddlers of all experience levels, and for those who just want to listen.

For more information, visit hoppinjohn.org or call 542-1746.



Mandolin Orange 9/11
Harry's Market (7pm) and Local 506 (9:30pm)

THE ARTSCENTER

Lucy Wainwright Roche, Jocelyn Arem (9/11) Missing Cats (9/15) John Jorgenson Quintet (9/18) Magnolia Klezmer Band (9/20) Jolie Holland (9/21) Great Big Gone (300 East Main Concert Series) (9/24) The Kickin Grass Band (9/25) The Liminal Festival (9/26)

BLUE BAYOU CLUB

Shawn Deena and Andi Morgan (9/3) Bill West and The Truth (9/4) Psychonaut (9/9) Willie Painter Band (9/11) Dmitri Resnik Blues and Beyond (9/12) Will Baker and Dan Chegash (9/16) Souless Dogs (9/17) Good Rockin' (9/18) Too Much Fun (9/19) Eileen Evans Band (9/23) Chalwa (9/24) Morelan and Ar buckle (9/25) Armand and Bluesology with Will McFarlane (9/26)

CAT'S CRADLE

Yo Mama's Big Fat Booty Band, Do It to Julia (9/4) Carolina Chocolate Drops, Greg Humphreys, John Dee Holeman (9/5) Tomahawks, lafcadio, Zach Terry (9/9) Owl City, Kate Havenevik, Unicorn Kid (9/11) Schooner, Birds and Arrows, Sugarfix Mix (9/12) Son Volt, Sera Cahoone (9/13) James McMurtry, Jonny Burke (9/16) Margaret Cho, John Roberts (9/17) Who's Bad? (9/18) Arrogance at 40 (9/19) Ingrid Michaelson, Greg Holden, Johnny Marnell (9/21) Immortal Technique, Diabolic Music, Poison Pen, J Arch (9/22) Mae, Locksley, Deas Vail, Flowers For Faye (9/24) Needtobreathe, Crowfield, Green River Ordinance (9/25) Scott McCaughey, Peter Buck, Steve Wynn and Linda Pitmon (9/26) Ra Ra Riot, Maps and Atlases, Princeton (9/30)

CAFFE DRIADE

Mary Johnson Rockers with Jocelyn Arem (9/4) Tori Sparks (9/9) Saludos Compay (9/11) Gilbert Neal (9/12) Catbird Seat (9/18) Eric Thomas and Helen Wolfson (9/19) Crys Mathews (9/25) Road Home Band (9/26)

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Lucy Wainwright Roche with Jocelyn Arem
Friday, September 11, 7:30 p.m.
Music runs in the family (her mother, father, sister, brother and aunts) for this singer-songwriter, who kicks off a series of The ArtsCenter's concerts at University Mall in Chapel Hill! Local songwriter Jocelyn Arem injects some soul in an opening set.
\$13, \$11 ArtsCenter Members

SuperFun Show: Old Aesop's Tales presented by Rags To Riches
Saturday, September 12, 11 a.m.
An interactive, fun-filled show perfect for PreK-3rd grade!
\$7 (children 2 and under free)

Missing Cats featuring John "JoJo" Hermann and Sherman Ewing
Tuesday, September 15, 9 p.m. \$15 advance, \$17 day of show

John Jorgenson Quintet
Friday, September 18, 8:30 p.m.
This guitarist is a founding member of the Desert Rose Band, six-year member of Elton John's band and a pioneer of the gypsy jazz movement. \$21, \$19 Artscenter Members

The Monti
Saturday, September 19, 8 p.m.
The Monti, which has been home to such local favorites as Clyde Edgerton, Daniel Wallace, Jill McCorkle, Tom Rankin and Frank Stasio, invites interesting members of the community to share personal narratives with an audience. \$20, \$18 Members, \$12 Students

Carrboro Music Festival
Sunday, September 20, 3 p.m. Free

Jolie Holland
Monday, September 21, 8 p.m.
\$12, \$15 day of show



Lucy Wainwright Roche



John Jorgenson Quintet

300 East Main Summer Concert Series: Great Big Gone
Thursday, September 24, 4:30 p.m. Free

The Kickin Grass Band
Friday, September 25, 8:30 p.m.
\$13, \$11 ArtsCenter Members

Masters of the Celtic Harp: Gráinne Hambly and William Jackson
Friday, October 2, 7:30 p.m.
\$15, \$13 ArtsCenter Members

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CITY TAP

Workbook (9/3) Marc Brown, Acoustic Garage (9/4) Marla Vickers Band (9/5) Joe Bell and The Stinging Blades (9/11) Steven Jack (9/12) Tin Star (9/13) Daniel Sean, Steve Harvell (9/17) The Swang Brothers (9/18) Butter (9/19) Jeremy Aggers (9/20) Killer Filler (9/25) Mebanesville (9/26) The Bad Mothers (9/27) Steven Jack (9/30)

GENERAL STORE CAFÉ

Bernie Petteway (9/3) Rootzie (9/5) Jazzbeau (9/10) The Family Eversole Band (9/11) Tommy Edwards and Friends (9/12) Melissa Greener (9/16) Tony Gailani Band (9/17) Great Big Gone (9/18) Catbird Seat (9/19) Marie Vanderbeck Trio (9/24) Vintage Blue (9/25) Pee-wee Moore and the Awful Dreadful Snakes (9/26)

HARRY'S MARKET Andi Morgan with Sudden Affair (9/4) Mandolin Orange (9/11) Demetri Resnik (9/18), Gregory Blaine (9/25)

LOCAL 506 David Dondero, Liza Kate (9/3) Jaafar, George/Preston/Herret (9/4) Violet Vector and The Lovely Lovelies, The Howlies, The Huguenots (9/5) Snuzzfest (9/7) Chairlift (9/8) Paul Burch (9/9) Fruit Bats, Pronto (9/10) Ryan Gustafson, Mt Moriah, Mandolin Orange (9/11) New Town Drunks, John Howie and The Sweethearts, Taz Halloween (9/12) John Ralston, Mike Dunn and The Kings of New England (9/13) Call The Cops, What Happened In Vegas (9/14) AA Bondy, Sean Bones, Marmoset (9/15) Sleepless Nights, James Scott Bullard and The Late Night Sweethearts (9/16) Telefon Tel Aviv (9/17) The Pneurotics, The Travesties, Rat Jackson (9/18) Dead Meadow, Fun, Miniature Tigers (9/19) Datarock, Esser (9/20) Busdriver, Abstract Rude (9/21) Still Flyin', Air Waves, The Beets (9/22) Asobi Seksu (9/23) Chain and The Gang (9/24) Mono, Maserati (9/25) The Coathangers, Pink Flag (9/27) School of Seven Bells, Magic Wands (9/28) The Pains of Being Pure At Heart, The Depreciation Guild, Cymbals Eat Guitars (9/29) These Arms Are Snakes, DD/MM/YYYY, Fin Fang Foom (9/30)

MILLTOWN The Pros and Cons (9/6)

NIGHTLIGHT

Jack Rose and the Black Twig Pickers, Zeke Graves (9/4) Des_ Ark, Little Gold (9/6) Circulatory System with Nessey Gallons, Pipes You See, Pipes You Don't (9/7) Graveyard Fields (9/9) Acheronian, Nuss, Yohimbe (9/10) Stronghold Crusader, Projexorcism, Nations, Superbowl, Battle Beast (9/11) God's Pottery (9/12) Keegan Dewitt, Parachute Musical, Wakey Wakey (9/16) Le Weekend, Sumertime Whiskey Band, Inspector 22 (9/19) A Hawk and a Hack Saw (9/22) Blag'ard, Part Bear, Blix (9/24) Inspector 22, Waumiss (9/26)

OPEN EYE CAFÉ

Rafael Green (9/4) Crys Mathews (9/5) Road Home Band (9/11) Sawyer-Goldberg Ensemble (9/12) Quest for Shade (9/26)

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B.O.D. (9/6) Armand Lenchek (9/13)

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Haw River Rounders (9/6) One Sun (9/13) The Dave Youngman Band (9/20) The Guilty Pleasures (9/27)

SPECIAL EVENTS

Carrboro Century Center-The Liminal Festival (9/25)
DPAC-Loggins and Messina (9/24)
DPAC-Alice Cooper Theater of Death Tour (9/30)
Capt. John's Dockside-Chris Reynolds Swing 'N' Jazz (9/17)



LOCAL 506

9/3 THU	DAVID DONDERO / LIZA KATE
9/4 FRI	Progdag PreShow w/ JAAFAR / GEORGE-PRESTON-HERRET
9/5 SAT	VIOLET VECTOR & THE LOVELY LOVELIES / THE HOWLIES THE HUGUENOTS
9/6 SUN	506 Music Trivia Night
9/7 MON	Snuzzfest
9/8 TUE	CHAIRLIFT / JOHN MAUS
9/9 WED	PAUL BURCH / BIRDS OR MONSTERS
9/10 THU	Cat's Cradle Presents FRUIT BATS / PRONTO
9/11 FRI	RYAN GUSTAFSON CD Release Show with MT. MORIAH MANDOLIN ORANGE
9/12 SAT	NEW TOWN DRUNKS CD Release Show with JOHN HOWIE & THE SWEETHEARTS / TAZ HALLOWEEN
9/13 SUN	JOHN RALSTON / MIKE DUNN & THE KINGS OF NEW ENGLAND KNOCK OUT ROSES
9/14 MON	CALL THE COPS / WHAT HAPPENED IN VEGAS / LIONS AT LUNCHTIME
9/15 TUE	A.A. BONDY / SEAN BONES / MARMOSET
9/16 WED	SLEEPLESS NIGHTS JAMES SCOTT BULLARD & THE LATE NIGHT SWEETHEARTS TELEFON TEL AVIV / THE RACE
9/17 THU	THE PNEUROTICS CD Release Show w/ THE TRAVESTIES / RAT JACKSON
9/18 FRI	DEAD MEADOW / FUN. / MINIATURE TIGERS
9/19 SAT	DATAROCK / ESSER / KARIN PARK
9/20 SUN	BUSDRIVER / ABSTRACT RUDE
9/21 MON	Cat's Cradle Presents STILL FLYIN' / AIR WAVES / THE BEETS
9/22 TUE	Cat's Cradle Presents ASOBI SEKSU
9/23 WED	ISLANDS / CHAIN & THE GANG
9/24 THU	MONO / MASERATI
9/25 FRI	BLACK SKIES / THE CURTAINS OF NIGHT / MAKE
9/26 SAT	THE COATHANGERS / PINK FLAG
9/27 SUN	Cat's Cradle Presents SCHOOL OF SEVEN BELLS / MAGIC WANDS
9/28 MON	THE PAINS OF BEING PURE AT HEART / THE DEPRECIATION GUILD Cymbals Eat Guitars
9/29 TUE	THESE ARMS ARE SNAKES / DD/MM/YYYY / FIN FANG FOOM
9/30 WED	Cat's Cradle Presents TWILIGHT SAD / BRAKESBRAKESBRAKES WE WERE PROMISED JETPACKS
10/1 THU	WAVVES / GANGLIANS / EMBARRASSING FRUITS
10/2 FRI	PICO VS ISLAND TREES / HEY PENNY / DEATH ON TWO WHEELS
10/3 SAT	MIDDLE DISTANCE RUNNER / FAREWELL FLIGHT
10/4 SUN	MAYER HAWTHORNE & THE COUNTRY / BUFF 1 / 1AKT
10/5 MON	A PLACE TO BURY STRANGERS / DARKER MY LOVE / ALL THE SAINTS
10/6 TUE	BEAR IN HEAVEN / ILL EASE
10/7 WED	TOMORROW'S BAD SEEDS
10/8 THU	TITUS ADRONICUS / THE SO SO GLOS
10/9 FRI	BIRDS & ARROWS CD Release Party w/ THE NEVER / MT. MORIAH PHOSPHORESCENT
10/10 SAT	ANTI-POP CONSORTIUM
10/11 SUN	DRINK UP BUTTERCUP / THE UGLY SUIT
10/12 MON	DRUMMER / ROYAL BANGS
10/13 TUE	Cat's Cradle Presents DAVID BAZAN / SAY HI
10/14 WED	ATLAS SOUND / BROADCAST / THE SELMANAIRES
10/15 THU	LUEGO CD Release Show with THE TOMAHAWKS / THE HUGUENOTS
10/16 FRI	JAPANROIDS / REAL ESTATE
10/17 SAT	DEER TICK / HOLY SONGS / CHRISTOPHER DENNY / DOLOREAN
10/18 SUN	DENT MAY & HIS MAGNIFICENT UKULELE
10/19 MON	THE ROSEWOOD THIEVES / DEAD TREES
10/20 TUE	Cat's Cradle Presents JER COONS
10/21 WED	SIMPLE CD Release Party with NATHAN OLIVER / WILD WILD GEESE
10/22 THU	BENJI HUGHES / THE LIGHT PINES
10/23 FRI	THE SPINTO BAND / GENERATIONALS / PEPI GINSBERG
10/24 SAT	HEADLIGHTS / THE SHAKY HANDS / POMEGRANATES
10/25 SUN	SUGAR & GOLD
10/26 MON	CHRIS PUREKA / CATHERINE FEENEY
10/27 TUE	HOLY GHOST TENT REVIVAL
10/28 WED	Halloween Party with SOME GIRLS (Rolling Stones cover band)
10/29 THU	HERMAN DUNE / JULIE DOIRON
10/30 FRI	FUCK BUTTONS / GROWING
10/31 SAT	LE LOUP / NURSES
11/1 SUN	HIDDEN CAMERAS / GENTLEMAN REG
11/2 MON	TIMES NEW VIKING / THE AXEMEN
11/3 TUE	THE XX
11/4 WED	HEAVY TRASH / ELLIOT BROAD
11/5 THU	The Queens Pop Tour: THE QUEERS / THE LEFTOVERS / TABO

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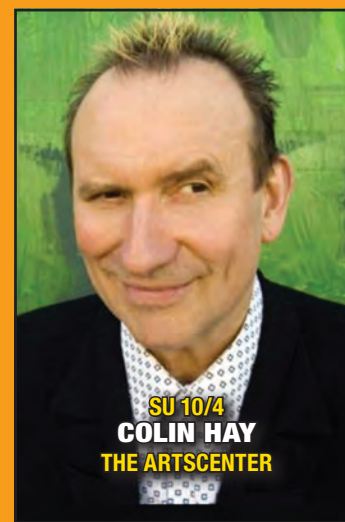
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TH 11/5
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TU 10/27
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SU 10/18
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TU 9/22
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MO 9/21
INGRID MICHAELSON

FR 9/4 **YO MAMA'S BIG FAT BOOTY BAND**
W/DO JULIA**(\$10/\$12)

SA 9/5 **CAROLINA CHOCOLATE DROPS** W/
GREG HUMPHREYS AND
JOHN DEE HOLEMAN**(\$15)

SU 9/6 **L IN JAPANESE DANCE PARTY**
NO ALCOHOL SERVED**(\$10/\$12)

WE 9/9 **BIKE MS BENEFIT SHOW: LAST OF THE GREAT SIDESHOW FREAKS, TOMAHAWKS, LAFCADIO, AND ZACH TERRY**

FR 9/11 **OWL CITY**
W/KATE HAVNEVIK AND
UNICORN KID**(\$12/\$14)

SA 9/12 **CD RELEASE PARTY BILLY SUGARFIX****
W/GUESTS SCHOONER,
BIRDS & ARROWS

SU 9/13 **SON VOLT**
W/SERA CAHOONE**(\$15/\$18)

TU 9/15 **AND YOU WILL KNOW US BY THE TRAIL OF DEAD**
W/SECRET MACHINES**(\$12/\$15)

WE 9/16 **JAMES MCMURTRY**
W/JONNY BURKE**(\$15/\$18)

SOLD OUT TH 9/17
MARGARET CHO

FR 9/18 **WHO'S BAD?**
TRIBUTE TO MICHAEL JACKSON**(\$15)

SA 9/19 **ARROGANCE 40TH PARTY**
WITH MANY SPECIAL GUESTS!

SU 9/20 **CARRBORO MUSIC FEST**
MO 9/21 **INGRID MICHAELSON****(\$15/\$17)

TU 9/22**(\$13/\$15)
IMMORTAL TECHNIQUE W/DIABOLIC,
POISON PEN AND J ARCH

TH 9/24 **MAE**
W/LOCKSLEY, DEAS VAIL,
FLOWERS FOR FAY**(\$12/\$15)

FR 9/25 **NEEDTOBREATHE**
W/CROWFIELD AND GREEN RIVER
ORDINANCE**(\$12/\$14)

SA 9/26 **AN EVENING WITH THE MINUS 5, THE BASEBALL PROJECT AND THE STEVE WYNN IV**
PERFORMED BY SCOTT MCCAUGHEY,
PETER BUCK, STEVE WYNN AND
LINDA PITMON**

WE 9/30 **RA RA RIOT****(\$12/\$14)
W/MAPS & ATLASES
AND PRINCETON

TH 10/1 **DAN DEACON****
W/NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS

FR 10/2 **SIMPLIFIED****(\$10/\$12)

SA 10/3 **WILL HOGE****(\$10/\$12)
W/ALTERNATE ROUTES

SU 10/4 **GHOST FACE KILLAH** W/FASHAWN**(\$16/\$18)

TU 10/6 **CARBON LEAF/STEPHEN KELLOGG & THE SIXERS**
W/DAWN LANDES**(\$17/\$20)

TWO NIGHTS: WE 10/7 AND TH 10/8
ANDREW BIRD
W/ST. VINCENT**(\$25)

FR 10/9 **BLITZEN TRAPPER** W/WYE OAK**(\$10/\$12)
TU 10/13 **LUCERO**
W/AMY LEVERE, CEDRIC BURNSIDE AND
LIGHTNIN' MALCOLM**

WE 10/14 **REVIVAL TOUR**
CHUCK RAGAN,
JIM WARD, TIM BARRY,
DAVE HOUSE, JENNY
OWEN YOUNGS

TH 10/15
BASSNECTAR**(\$18/\$20)

FR 10/16 **OM** W/SIX ORGANS OF
ADMITTANCE AND LICHENS**

SA 10/17 **POLVO****(\$10)

SU 10/18 **BUILT TO SPILL**
W/DISCO DOOM**(\$20/\$22)

MO 10/19 **ART BRUT****

WE 10/21 **DR. DOG**
W/JEFFREY LEWIS**(\$15)

SA 10/24 **ELECTRIC SIX**
W/THE GAY BLADES, MILLIONS OF
BRAZILIANS**(\$12/\$14)

SU 10/25 **GALACTIC**
W/THE HOOD INTERNET**(\$18/\$20)

MO 10/26 **KMFDM**
W/ANGELSPIT**(\$20/\$23)

TU 10/27 **PINBACK**
W/BELLINI**(\$14/\$16)

WE 10/28 **THE BLACK HEART PROCESSION****(\$12)

FR 10/30 **WHY?**
W/AU AND SERENGETI &
POLYPHONIC**(\$10)

SA 10/31 **TOUBAB KREWE****(\$14/\$16)

MO 11/2 **SILVERSTEIN**
W/MADINA LAKE, I SEE STARS, CLOSURE
IN MOSCOW AND THE WORD ALIVE**

WE 11/4 **BROTHER ALI**
W/EVIDENCE,
TOKI WRIGHT, BK ONE**

TH 11/5 **THE JESUS LIZARD****(\$20)

FR 11/6 **THE OLD CEREMONY**
W/MODERN SKIRTS**

SA 11/7 **CHATHAM COUNTY LINE****(\$12/\$15)

SU 11/8 **SAY ANYTHING,**
EISLEY, MONEEN,
MINIATURE TIGERS**(\$16.50/\$19)

MO 11/9 **BLIND PILOT**
W/THE LOW ANTHEM**

TU 11/10 **THE GET UP KIDS**
W/KEVIN DEVINE
AND MANSIONS **(\$15)

WE 11/11 **LOTUS** W/BIG
GIGANTIC**(\$15/\$17)

SA 11/14 **DAN AUERBACH**
W/JESSICA LEA MAYFIELD**(\$15)

MO 11/16 **MUMIY TROLL****(\$20/\$23)

TU 11/17 **PRETTY LIGHTS**
W/GRAMATIK**(\$14/\$16)

WE 11/18 **MC CHRIS**
W/WHOLE WHEAT BREAD,
I FIGHT DRAGONS**

SA 11/21 **STEEP CANYON RANGERS****(\$12)

SA 12/5 **SOUTHERN CULTURE ON THE SKIDS****(\$12/\$14)

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TH 9/10 **FRUIT BATS W/PRONTO**
TU 9/22 **STILL FLYIN'**
WE 9/23 **ASOBI SEKSU**
MO 9/28 **SCHOOL OF SEVEN BELLS**
W/MAGIC WANDS
TH 10/1 **TWILIGHT SAD**
W/BRAKES BRAKES BRAKES,
WE WERE PROMISED JET PACKS
WE 10/15 **DAVID BAZAN** W/SAY HI
TH 10/22 **JER COONS**

NIGHTLIGHT (CHAPEL HILL)
MO 9/7 **THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM** W/NESEY GALLONS AND
PIPES YOU SEE, PIPES YOU DON'T
SA 9/12 **GOD'S POTTERY**
WE 10/21 **SEAWOLF**
W/PORT O'BRIEN, SARA LOV

THE ARTSCENTER (CAR)
TU 9/15 **MISSING CATS** FEATURING
JOHN "JOJO" HERMANN
AND **SHERMAN EWING**

MO 9/21 **JOLIE HOLLAND**

FR 10/2 **GREAT LAKE SWIMMERS** W/WOODEN BIRDS
AND **SHARON VAN ETEN**

SU 10/4 **COLIN HAY**
2ND NIGHT ADDED! TH 10/8 AND FRI 10/9
COWBOY JUNKIES

TU 10/27 **MIKE DOUGHTY**
(THE QUESTION JAR SHOW)

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FR 9/18 **YO LA TENGO**
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