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Join us for a summer filled with live music, magical performances, and unforgettable community gatherings at the scenic Guy C. Myers Memorial Band Shell.

Whether you love big band swing, classic rock, jazz, blues, symphonic music, or nostalgic tributes, there's something for everyone!

Free Admission & Open to All!

**JUDITH WEBSTER** | BAND SHELL COORDINATOR

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**CONCERTS 8:00-9:15 P.M.**  
**UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED**  
**EVENT HOTLINE (AFTER 5:00PM): (419) 281-3018**

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# GUY C. MYERS BAND SHELL

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## 2026 SUMMER CONCERT SERIES



**Sunday, June 14**

**THE MAGIC OF ELI (UPPER PAVILION) | 6:00PM**

An international award-winning magician, Eli has performed in Las Vegas, New York, throughout the U.S., Rome and Beijing. His youthful energy & style harken back to the golden age of magic.

**CANYON ECHOS | 8:00PM**

Dive into the golden era of folk rock with Canyon Echos, a stellar tribute to the legendary Laurel Canyon scene of the 1960s and '70s. Relive the magic of The Byrds, Buffalo Springfield, CSNY, The Eagles, and Neil Young through soaring multipart harmonies, heartfelt delivery, and that signature 12-string jingle-jangle sound.

**Thursday, June 18**

**DUO BALALAIKA**

Experience the rare artistry of North America's only touring balalaika-piano duo, hailing from Ohio. Pianist Terry Boyarsky brings soulful singing and dynamic movement, while Siberian-born balalaika virtuoso Oleg Kruglyakov weaves enchanting melodies.

**Sunday, June 21**

**ASHLAND AREA COMMUNITY CONCERT BAND**

Under the direction of Slade Denman, Ashland University's Director of Bands, this regional all-star ensemble delivers a joyful mix of Broadway showstoppers, rousing traditional marches, and timeless symphonic classics. A community tradition that always leaves audiences smiling and inspired.

**Thursday, June 25**

**BRASS EXPRESS**

Feel the unstoppable energy of Chicago's iconic sound with Brass Express, the premier tribute to the legends themselves. This powerhouse group nails the intricate harmonies, killer horn section, and timeless hits that made Chicago legends. From forever favorites to soul-stirring rock, it's pure magic from the first note—love at first listen guaranteed!

**Sunday, June 28**

**ASHLAND SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA "POPS IN THE PARK"**

Kick off your Fourth of July festivities in grand style with the Ashland Symphony Orchestra's spectacular Pops in the Park! Grammy-winning conductor Michael Repper leads a night of majestic patriotic anthems. Highlights include the explosive 1812 Overture—complete with booming cannons (weather permitting)—for a truly thunderous celebration!

**Thursday, July 2**

**PK MAYO BLUES BAND**

Get ready for razor-sharp guitar wizardry and soul-stirring blues from PK Mayo, a road-seasoned favorite with decades of electrifying performances.

**Sunday, July 5**

**ONE, U-2 TRIBUTE**

Celebrate over 40 years of U2's anthemic greatness with ONE, the ultimate tribute band! They capture the raw passion, soaring vocals, and explosive visual energy that made U2 global icons, delivering hit after hit with electrifying precision.

**Thursday, July 9**

**THE BLUE LEAF**

Straight from the Dayton scene, The Blue Leaf unleashes a thrilling vision of early classic rock! Their "Throwback Rock n' Roll" masterfully marries the epic flair of Queen, the piano-driven magic of Billy Joel, and the timeless charm of The Beatles into one electrifying showcase of pure classic rock brilliance.

**Sunday, July 12**

**RICHARD GOODALL**

Meet the inspiring underdog who captured America's heart: Richard Goodall, the Terre Haute, Indiana elementary school janitor who won Season 19 of American Idol in 2024! After 23 years of singing while working, his viral audition racked up over 42 million YouTube views.

**Thursday, July 16**

**SOUL TOWN**

The Armstrong Family brings timeless soul classics to life with unmatched passion! Rooted in the legacy of Soul Brothers Six and their hit "Some Kind of Wonderful," brothers Kevin and Glen Armstrong team up with powerhouse vocalist Mary Spayd and top Metro Detroit musicians for electrifying renditions that keep audiences spellbound.

**Sunday, July 19**

**PUPPY PALS LIVE**

As seen on America's Got Talent, Puppy Pals Live delivers non-stop family fun with spectacular stunts and jaw-dropping feats—all performed by mostly adopted and rescued dogs! This heartwarming, action-packed show is pure joy and tail-wagging entertainment for every age.

**July 21-25**

**ASHLAND CHAUTAUQUA PRESENTS: AMERICA'S STORIES**

Journey through history with the captivating 27th Annual Ashland Chautauqua! Opening acts at 7:00 PM set the stage for 8:00 PM performances where actor-scholars vividly bring legendary figures to life. Discover inspiring tales of courage, perseverance, and world-changing impact. Full county-wide schedule at [ashlandchautauqua.org](http://ashlandchautauqua.org).

**Sunday, July 26**

**ONE NIGHT WITH YOU – REFLECTIONS OF ELVIS**

Step back to the era when Elvis reigned supreme with Walt Sanders and the Cadillac Band's authentic tribute! Packed with iconic hits and dazzling talent, this showcase transports you straight to the King's golden age for a night of unforgettable rock 'n' roll magic.

**Thursday, July 30**

**SB MUSIC**

Hailing from the Wooster area, SB Music unites veteran local musicians for a soulful explosion of sound! With powerhouse male and female vocalists backed by seasoned pros, they deliver an expansive playlist of crowd-pleasing favorites in an evening full of energy and heart.

**Sunday, August 2**

**BLUE**

Led by composer, flutist, and vocalist Kelly McDermott, BLUE enchants with original music that fuses jazz, classical, and pop into a "mystical neo-classical" dreamscape. This diverse ensemble shares modern-themed compositions and innovative sounds for a truly captivating experience.

**Thursday, August 6**

**RARE VINTAGE 10 – JIMMY BUFFETT TRIBUTE**

A powerhouse 10-piece led by arranger Neil Ebert, brings Ashland's best for the ultimate Jimmy Buffett tribute. With a killer four-piece horn section and versatile locals, they crank out breezy yacht rock, island anthems, and Buffett classics. Grab the sun soaked and laid-back vibe!

**Sunday, August 9**

**ASHLAND REGIONAL BALLET**

Under Artistic Director Sarah Cyders, Ashland Regional Ballet dazzles with a vibrant showcase of ballet, modern, jazz, and tap! This elegant, high-energy performance celebrates community arts and delights audiences of all ages with grace, power, and pure artistry.

**Thursday, August 13**

**PHIL DIRT & THE DOZERS PRESENTS SURF'S UP**

Catch the wave with Phil Dirt & The Dozers' spot-on tribute to The Beach Boys! Renowned for nailing those intricate vocal harmonies, they transport you to America's golden era of classic rock 'n' roll.

**Sunday, August 16**

**HEAD GAMES**

Head Games unleashes Foreigner's greatest hits with arena-rock intensity! From "Feels Like the First Time" to "Juke Box Hero," experience the raw energy, soaring vocals, and legendary sound that defined a generation in this high-octane tribute.