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Downtown Henderson Project 10th Annual Summer Concert Series

The Downtown Henderson Project is pleased to announce the line up for the 10th Annual Summer Concert Series. The DHP 10th Annual Summer Concert Series will be held on Friday evenings from June 25-July 30, 2010 celebrating a decade of talented musicians. There will not be a concert Friday, July 2nd. The concerts will be held in Audubon Mill Park, located on the Henderson riverfront from 7:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

The **Independence Bank 4th of July Celebration** fireworks show will be held on Sunday, July 4, 2010 on the riverfront. Entertainment for the 4th of July will begin at 7:00 P.M. in the amphitheater featuring Keith Vincent. Food concessions will be open by 5:30 P.M., children's activities will be from 6:00-8:00 P.M. in Audubon Mill Park and the fireworks show will begin at 9:00 P.M. Rain date will be Monday, July 5, 2010.

The following is the summer concert line-up:

June 25 - David Lutz and John Snyder - Sponsored by Home Oil and Gas Company, Pittsburg Tank and Tower and On Deck Riverside Bar and Grill.

July 4 - Independence Bank 4th of July Celebration - Musical entertainment sponsored by Benton-Glunt, Tapp and Roselawn, Sitex and State Farm Insurance Agents Anne Thrasher Boyd, Al Baity and Steve Tweddell. Fireworks sponsor - Independence Bank

July 9 - Skip Bond and the Fugitives - Sponsored by Ohio Valley Financial Group and Rio Tinto Alcan.

July 16 - RB Stone - Sponsored by GoVaughn.com Insurance your Trusted Choice Independent Agent, Weaver, Dalton & Associates, Branch of Ameriprise Financial and I.W.T.

July 23- Paul Ross / River City Quartet - Sponsored by Herb McKee and Latta Insurance Services, Inc. your Trusted Choice Independent Agent.

July 30 - Spencer Bloodworth & Shane Amar / Insulated Band - Sponsored by The Bank of Henderson, Dunaway's Imperial Pharmacy and Faught & Jones Insurance Inc.

The DHP Summer Concert Series also receives sponsorships from **The Henderson County Tourist Commission and media sponsors News25, The Gleaner and WSON Radio.**

"The Sunset Series"

presented by the Downtown Henderson Project and Henderson Area Arts Alliance

Bring your lawnchair, your blanket, your dinner, your friends and maybe your dancing shoes. Join DHP and HAAA every Friday evening in May for a free performance. The location (and the artist) will change each week, so check the line-up below and mark your calendars.

All events begin at 7:00 P.m.

May 14 - Pop duo, **Swan Dive** at Planter's Coffeehouse, 130 N. Main St.

May 21 - YogaDance performance with **Gillian St. Clair** at the Hughes Building (213 N. Main, formerly Frank G. Schmidt)

May 28 - Nashville singer/songwriter **Peter Barbee** at 2nd and Main Streets (Farmer's Market location)

A very special thanks to the sponsors of "The Sunset Series:" Hilliard Lyon, Breck's Bicycle Shop, Bank of Henderson, Latta Insurance Services and Weaver, Dalton & Associates, Branch of Ameriprise Financial.

National Main Streets Conference

Last week the staff of the DHP attended the National Main Streets Conference in Oklahoma City. We attended sessions on visual merchandising, destinations, Farmers Markets, improving events, promotion of downtown and many more.

We plan to take the many ideas we received and implement them into day to day operations as well as our future events.

DATES TO REMEMBER

May 11, 18 & 25 - Think Henderson Meeting, 8am, Planters Coffeehouse.

May 14 - "The Sunset Series," Pop duo Swan Dive, 124 S. Main St., porch of Mike & Susan Vickers home

May 14-15 - Homegrown Bluegrass & Creative Arts Festival, Audubon State Park, Henderson, KY

May 15: Pat McCormick Race to Remember, Downtown,

Henderson, KY. 8-10am.

May 16: 24th Annual Downtown Car Show, Downtown, Main St. between 1st and 3rd Streets, Henderson, KY

May 18 - Primary Election

May 20 - DHP Board Meeting, 8am, DHP office

May 21- "The Sunset Series," YogaDance performance
Gillian St. Clair, 213 N. Main St., Hughes Building

May 24: Henderson Chamber GOLFAPALOOZA, Henderson Country Club

May 28- "The Sunset Series," Nashville singer/songwriter, Peter Barbee, 2nd & Main Street (Farmers Market)

BACKPACK DAYS THANK YOU

"Thank you for supporting the Henderson County Schools Weekend Backpack program. This is such an important program and much needed so that we can provide Henderson County students with good nutritional food and snacks for the weekend. Again, Thank You!"

Sincerely, Lynn Swanson, Coordinator
Bend Gate & Spottsville Family Resource Centers

DHP PREFERRED RATE LOAN PROGRAM

If you own a building in downtown you might be eligible to borrow money through the DHP Preferred Rate Loan Program at an interest rate as low as 3.75%.

Call the DHP office at 270.827.0016 to find out more information.

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By living by the mantras "buy local" and "Think Henderson", it becomes a win-win for everyone! Downtown Henderson has so much to choose from—come Downtown and check us out.

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Individual/Family \$50

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Organization/Church \$150

Small Business/Professional \$250

Large Business/Industry \$500

Patron \$600 Leadership \$1200
Heart of Henderson \$2000 or above

Membership can be billed annually or semi-annually. To join contact the DHP by phone at 270-827-0016 or via email at julie@downtownhenderson.org.

Sincerely,

Downtown Henderson Project

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