

SEPTEMBER, SUMMER 2020, MEMPHIS BLUES SOCIETY GIG & EVENT CALENDAR (COVID-19 UPDATE: 01)  
(part of the Memphis Blues Society eNewsletter)



**IMPORTANT:** Since March 2020 the Coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak, sheltering at home and non-essential business closures has shut down local live music at restaurants, bar and public venues. During June 2020 and beyond phased reopening of these businesses is occurring. Live music is beginning to return to some venues. If you plan to attend a live event, it's advised to contact the venue ahead of time to verify the event(s) and the social distancing or other safety guidelines in place.

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**Support Local Music & Musicians:**

Many local musicians that rely on income from performing live music are enduring severe financial problems during this difficult time. At the limited live shows occurring, be sure to tip the band, buy their music and merch. In lieu of live venue music, many musicians are performing live music via online livestreaming. Please watch their livestreaming events. If you're able, make an online virtual tip for the musician, band. Also visit the musician websites, Facebook pages and other online pages, purchase their music and merch. Your help and support goes a long way and it means a lot!

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**1. MUSICIAN/BAND SCHEDULE WEBLINKS:**

- **Barbara Blue:** <http://barbarablue.com/schedule.html>
- **Eric Hughes, Eric Hughes Trio, Eric Hughes Band:** <http://www.ericughesband.com/upcomingshows.cfm>
- **Eric Sommer:** <https://ericssommer.com/events/>
- **Ghost Town Blues Band:** <http://www.ghosttownbluesband.com/Tour.php>
- **Jeff Jensen Band:** <http://jeffjensenband.com/tour-dates/>
- **John Nemeth:** <http://johnnemeth.com/bandsintown/>
- **Laura Cheadle:** <https://lauracheadle.com/dates/>
- **Larry Dodson of the BarKeys:** <http://www.larrydothebarkays.com>
- **Little Boys Blue:** <http://littleboysblue.bandzoogle.com/shows>
- **Low Society:** [http://www.reverbnation.com/artist/artist\\_shows/385580](http://www.reverbnation.com/artist/artist_shows/385580)
- **Scott Sharrard:** <https://www.bandsintown.com/a/15068189-scott-sharrard>
- **Stax Museum Events:** <http://staxmuseum.com/events>
- **Will Tucker Band:** <http://www.willtuckermusic.com>

Also see the **Memphis Blues Society & Midsouth Musician, Duo, Band Directory** at:  
[http://www.memphisbluessociety.com/content.aspx?page\\_id=22&club\\_id=539640&module\\_id=166520](http://www.memphisbluessociety.com/content.aspx?page_id=22&club_id=539640&module_id=166520)

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## 2. WEEKLY BLUES JAMS, OPEN MIC NIGHTS (bring your instrument and sign-up to Jam):

**Due to COVID19 restrictions, many venues offering live music remain closed or are open with limits on occupancy and food service. If you plan to attend a live event, it's advised to contact the venue ahead of time to verify the event(s) and the social distancing guidelines in place.**

### Memphis Blues Society Sponsored Blues Jams

- **BACK!!: Thursdays 6:30-10pm (NOTE new time), Brad Webb & Friends Blues Jam**, sponsored by the Memphis Blues Society, RockHouse Live, 5709 Raleigh-Lagrange Rd., Memphis, TN 38134

### Other Blues Jams in Memphis and the Midsouth:



- **Sunday Afternoon Blues Bash**, Every Sunday Afternoon, 3-6pm, Burley's Burgers & Brews, 4840 Venture Dr., Southaven, MS
- **On HOLD: Every 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday monthly\*, 7-10pm, Royal Blues Band Big Jam, Jack Rowell, Jr.**, Lafayette's Music Room, 2119 Madison Ave. (\*the day of month is subject to change, call Lafayette's ahead of time to verify the date for the Jam)
- **On HOLD: Tuesdays, 8pm-12am, Open Mic Night hosted by Bad Penny Productions**, RockHouse Live, 5709 Raleigh-Lagrange Rd., Memphis, TN 38134

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## 3. WEEKLY & MONTHLY REGULARLY SCHEDULED GIGS & EVENTS

**NOTE: THE Schedules Listed Below Are Pre-COVID-19 Outbreak**

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**IMPORTANT VENUE INFORMATION:** *contact the venues ahead of time to verify live shows; ask about social distancing guidelines in place for live music; all times listed are local U.S. Central Time; dates and times listed are subject to change; most shows are for ages 21+, Schedules are subject to change; Most outside shows are seasonal only and held weather permitting.*

### Sundays

- Sundays, 9am-noon, **The Blues Brunch**, WXXM, 98.1 FM The Max Radio, Memphis, hosted by Robb Morrison, <http://www.981themax.com/>
- Sundays, 11:30am- 2:30pm, **Joyce Cobb with the Bosco's Band**, Sunday Brunch, Bosco's Squared, Madison Ave, Overton Square
- Sundays, 2:30-6:30pm, **Flick's Picks (feat. Chris McDaniel)**, B.B. Kings Blues Club, Beale Street
- Every Sun, 7-11pm, **PS Band (feat. Jonathan Ellison)**, B.B. King's Blues Club, Beale Street
- **On-hold: Live in-studio guest musicians/bands, Sundays, 8-11pm, Radio-Memphis 'Booze and Blues' show webcast, hosted by Ric Chetter**  
<http://www.radio-memphis.com>
- Sundays, 8pm, **Blues Show**, WYPL, 89.3 FM Radio, Memphis

### Mondays

- Mondays, Noon- 1pm, **'Music Monday' webcast hosted by Donna Bowers**, Radio-Memphis webcast, <http://www.radio-memphis.com>

- Mondays, 9pm, **'Music on The Couch' webcast hosted by Vinny Marini**  
<http://www.blogtalkradio.com/musiconthecouch>
- Mondays (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays of each month), 6-8pm, **Memphis Music Mondays**, Hard Rock Café, 126 Beale St. (<http://www.MemphisMusicMatters.org>)

#### Tuesdays

- Tuesdays, 7pm, **Earl "The Pearl" Banks & The Peoples of the Blues**, Blues City Cafe, 138 Beale St.
- Tuesdays 8pm- 12am, **Don Valentine's 3- Piece Chicken & a Biscuit**, King's Palace Café's Tap Room, 162 Beale St.
- \*Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday monthly, **7-10pm, Royal Blues Band Big Jam, Jack Rowell, Jr.**, Lafayette's Music Room, 2119 Madison Ave. (\*the day of month is subject to change, call Lafayette's ahead of time to verify the jam date)

#### Wednesdays

- Wednesdays, 7pm, **Elmo and the Shades**, Neil's Music Room, 5727 Quince Rd.
- Every Wed, 7-11pm, **PS Band (feat. Jonathan Ellison)**, B.B. King's Blues Club, Beale Street Wednesdays 8pm- 12am, **Don Valentine's 3- Piece Chicken & a Biscuit**, King's Palace Café's Tap Room, 162 Beale St.

#### Thursdays

- **Thursdays 7:30-11pm, Brad Webb & Friends Blues Jam**, sponsored by the Memphis Blues Society, RockHouse Live, 5709 Raleigh-Lagrange Rd., Memphis, TN 38134

#### Fridays

- Fridays, 8-10am, **Blues Today**, WEVL89.9 FM (Memphis), Hosted by Chuck (<http://www.wevl.org>)
- Fridays (seasonal), 7pm, **Delta Blues Winery, Re-Wine free music concert**. 6585 Stewart Rd., Lakeland, TN 38002 (phone 901-829-4685), Stewart Rd is south off TN Hwy 385, between Millington & Arlington, For more information: <http://deltablueswinery.com/news-events/>
- Fridays, 9pm, **Dreamland TV Show**, Comcast Channel 17, [www.ajedreamland.co/dreamlandtv.htm](http://www.ajedreamland.co/dreamlandtv.htm)

#### Saturdays

- First Saturdays each month, 10pm, **Don Valentine's 3- Piece Chicken & a Biscuit featuring Booker Brown**, Sane's Blues, Moscow, TN
- Saturdays 9am-Noon, **Blues At Sunrise with RJ Stone**, WRBQ 103.5FM (Memphis)  
<http://www.soulclassics.com/>
- Saturdays, 12:30- 430pm, **Flick's Picks (feat. Chris McDaniel)**, B.B. Kings Blues Club, Beale Street
- Saturdays, 5-9pm, **Earl "The Pearl" Banks & The Peoples of the Blues**, Blues City Cafe, 138 Beale St.
- Saturdays, 6-9pm, **Soul Stew**, WEVL, 89.9 FM (Memphis) Hosted by Brett (<http://www.wevl.org>)
- Saturdays, 8-10pm, **Billy's Blues**, WVZM, 100.3FM (streaming live at <http://www.WVZM.org>)  
Streaming is best way to listen unless you live in Memphis inside the I-240 loop and can get good reception. The show replays Sundays 9-11pm. Past episodes are also available on the free music app Mixcloud on demand. Each hour of the show is posted separately by the Saturday night date.

#### 4. VENUE, ARTIST SPECIFIC LIVE MUSIC & MUSIC RELATED EVENTS (listed in alphabetical order):

##### Acoustic Café First Fridays, Howard Vance Guitar Academy

978 Reddoch Cove, Memphis, TN 38119, for reservations call: 901-767-6940

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AllEvents.In Music Events for Memphis, TN: <https://allevents.in/memphis/music?ref=cityhome-popmenu>

ArtsMemphis Event Schedule: <https://www.artsmemphis.org/events>

B.B. King's Blues Club Calendar, 143 Beale Street, Memphis, TN 38103:

<https://www.bbkins.com/memphis/music>

Blues City Café Calendar, The Blues City Band Box, 142 Beale Street, Memphis, TN 38103:  
<http://www.bluescitycafe.com/music/>



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#### Buckman Arts Center at St. Mary's, 2020-2021 Events



#### Buckman Arts Center's Season 24 Shifts to Spring 2021

**WHAT:** Buckman Arts Center at St. Mary's 2021 Season  
**WHEN:** January 17 to April 25, 2021  
**TICKETS:** Starting at \$25  
**BOX OFFICE HOURS:** Monday through Friday between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. or 1 hour prior to performance. Call (901) 537-1483  
**WHERE:** Buckman Arts Center at St. Mary's  
60 Perkins Extended, Memphis, TN 38117  
**WEB:** [www.buckmanartscenter.com](http://www.buckmanartscenter.com)

The Buckman Arts Center is springing live performances forward to 2021! On January 14, we finally welcome **Oleta Adams** to the stage after her postponed April show. We then open our 24<sup>th</sup> Season with a live taping of Dan Pashman's award-winning podcast *The Sporkful*, featuring some of Memphis' revered restaurateurs. **Maturiza** wows with Japanese Taiko drumming, while **Las Cafeteras** explores modern uses of authentic Mexican instruments. For our next trick, we turn the stage into a skating rink with *Fairytales on Ice* featuring the Little Mermaid and Pirate Adventures. Cutting-edge, multimedia, guitar goddess **Kaki King** will amaze and awe, and we'll wile away the evening with legendary jazz guitarist **Bill Frisell**. The esteemed dancers of **Ailey II** will close the season on April 25, 2021.

All shows are reasonably priced with discounts for students and seniors. Subscriptions, group tickets and sponsorships are available now. Single tickets go on sale to the public on October 1 at 8 a.m. at [buckmanartscenter.com](http://buckmanartscenter.com).

#### Buckman Arts Center Season 24

##### *The Sporkful* Podcast Live with Dan Pashman and Surprise Guest

Friday, January 22, 2021, 7pm \$30, [www.sporkful.com](http://www.sporkful.com)

##### Las Cafeteras

Friday, January 29, 2021, 8pm \$28, [lascafeteras.com](http://lascafeteras.com)

##### Maturiza Taiko

Friday, February 5, 2021, 7pm \$35, [www.maturiza.us](http://www.maturiza.us)

**Fairytales on Ice**

Thursday, March 18, 2021, 5pm & 8pm, \$35, [icecreativeent.com](http://icecreativeent.com)

**Kaki King: Guitar Movement**

Sunday, March 28, 2021, 7pm, \$40, [www.kakiking.com](http://www.kakiking.com)

**An Evening with Bill Frisell**

Sunday, April 11, 2021, 7pm, \$40, [www.billfrisell.com](http://www.billfrisell.com)

**Ailey II**

Sunday, April 25, 2021, 7pm, \$45, [www.alvinailey.org](http://www.alvinailey.org)

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**CENTER FOR SOUTHERN FOLKLORE**, 119 S. Main St (downtown Memphis)



**Center for Southern Folklore Stage- Schedule**

Contact the CfSF (see below) for the uniquely-Memphis performers scheduled to perform.

**Center for Southern Folklore**

119 S. Main St., Memphis, TN, 38103, phone: (901) 525-3655

E-mail: [info@southernfolklore.com](mailto:info@southernfolklore.com), Web: <http://www.southernfolklore.com>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/southernfolklore/>

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**Choose 901 Music Events:** <https://choose901.com/category/music/>

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**Concert's at the Green Room at Crosstown Arts, and Crosstown Arts Theater**

1350 Concourse Ave., Memphis, TN 38104, for more information and tickets: <http://www.crosstownarts.org>



**Due to COVID19 restrictions, all live music events are postponed or cancelled until further notice.**

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### Delta Blues Winery, Lakeland, TN



### Delta Blues Winery Weekly Free Music Sunday Afternoons in the Tasting Room, and concerts outside Fridays 7-10pm (Seasonal)

Free Family Friendly events, bring a lawn chair & picnic basket. Please do not bring pets, beer, liquor, or wine. Wine is available by the tasting, glass or bottle in the tasting room.

**Delta Blues Winery, 6585 Stewart Rd., Lakeland, TN 38002** (phone 901-829-4685). Stewart Road is north of I-40 off TN Hwy 385 (between Millington & Arlington). For more info: <http://deltablueswinery.com/>

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### Mark Parsell Productions:

- **South Main Sounds**, 550 Main St
- **Hard Rock Café**, Beale St
- **Sunrise Memphis**, 670 Jefferson Ave
- **The Vault**, 124 G.E. Patterson
- **Loflin Yard**
- **Tin Roof**, 315 Beale St

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### RADIO-MEMPHIS BOOZE & BLUES SHOW WEBCAST, Sunday Evenings 8-11pm CT:



Listen to Radio-Memphis Live 24 hours/day at: <http://www.radio-memphis.com/listen>

You can also listen with the #FREEAPP for TuneIn Radio OR

Listen on ROKU and Apple TV with the #FREEAPP for Livestream.

Facebook: **Radio Memphis – Booze & Blues**

Listen for Memphis Blues Society musician tracks & guest interviews on the show.

Listen to previous show podcasts on demand at: <https://www.radio-memphis.com/podcasts/>

**In-Studio Booze & Blues Show LIVE Guest Musician Schedule (Sunday evenings 8-11pm CT):  
Due to COVID19 restrictions, all live in-studio music on the show is on-hold until further notice.**

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Stax Museum of American Soul Music, Events & Programs: <http://www.staxmuseum.com>



All music events & programs are FREE and open to the public.  
Unless noted otherwise, All programs held at 926 E. McLemore Ave All events listed are at:  
Stax Museum of American Soul Music, 926 E. McLemore Ave  
901-261-6338, [staxmuseum.com/events](http://www.staxmuseum.com/events)

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Rum Boogie Cafe, Rum Boogie Café's Blues Hall, King's Palace Café Tap Room, King's Palace Cafe Patio (seasonal), Mesquite Chop House, Spindini & Sleep Out Louie's Calendar:  
<http://www.eatdrinkboogie.com/live-music.html>

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#### AJE DREAMLAND PRODUCTIONS



**AJE Dreamland Productions Schedule** (<http://www.ajedreamland.co>)

- Every Friday night, 9pm, Comcast Channel 17 (Memphis), **Dreamland TV Show**. We're grateful and honored! We have 350,000+ customers. <http://www.ajedreamland.co/dreamlandtv.htm>
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Clarksdale, MS – Cat Head Delta Blues & Folk Arts, 252 Delta Ave., Clarksdale, MS. (<http://www.cathead.biz>)  
Mississippi's Blues Music Store, Be sure to visit!!

- **Mississippi Delta Music Calendar:** <http://www.cathead.biz/music-calendar>
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5. **Livestreaming Events and Resources: Support musicians during this difficult time: Donate, make an online virtual tip.**

**Important: Due to the COVID-19 Outbreak, the status of live music and associated livestreaming events change daily. Always check ahead before watching or attending an event.**

### Memphis & Mid-South Livestreaming Events (including Daily & Weekly Scheduled):

- **All Events Memphis:** <https://allevents.in/memphis/music?ref=dmenujs>
- **ArtsMemphis:** <https://www.artsmemphis.org/event-information-covid-19>
- **Choose 901:** <https://choose901.com/category/music/>
- **Dave Lambert Livestreaming:** 7pm CT: Tuesdays, Thursdays and Sundays, <https://www.facebook.com/davelambertband>
- **Eric Hughes, Scrapie's Jukehouse:** evenings, 8pm CT or watch previous livestream shows: Search 'Scrapie's Jukehouse' on Facebook or visit Eric Hughes Band on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/EricHughesBand>
- **Eric Sommer Blog "Grand Debris":** [www.ericssommer.com](http://www.ericssommer.com)
- **John Nemeth Porch Concerts,** Facebook Livestreams, Sunday Sept 06 & Sunday Sept 27, 7-8:30pm: <https://www.facebook.com/events/s/john-nemeth-memphis-porch-sess/755794691654967/?ti=icl>
- **John Primer,** Sundays, 3-4pm, 'Sunday Blues in my Basement' <https://www.facebook.com/john.primer.378>
- **Levitt Shell, Online virtual concert series:** <http://levittshell.org>
- **Live from Clarksdale,** daily: <https://www.livefromclarksdale.org/>  
Since Clarksdale, Mississippi's world-famous blues clubs and juke joints temporarily closed to the public in late March, **LIVE FROM CLARKSDALE** has kept our blues town's "365 days a year" of live music going — via daily live streams! The lineup has been fantastic — from LaLa Craig and Lucious Spiller to Watermelon Slim and Terry Harmonica" Bean... and beyond! Tune in daily via [LiveFromClarksdale.org](http://LiveFromClarksdale.org), y'all, and "tip tip tip the band"!
- **Liz Mandeville** on FacebookLIVE! <https://www.facebook.com/liz.mandeville.1>:
  - **Thursdays, Saturdays, 6pm CT, Liz Mandeville's Happy Hour Blues Party!** Mix your favorite beverage and spend an intimate hour or two with Liz and her guitar.
  - Mondays, Wednesdays, 4pm CT, Friday 1:15pm PM CT, **Beat the blues and stay fit with 3 Hatha Yoga classes online each week.** Doctors say deep breathing, stretching and relaxation will help you beat stress and stay well. That's what Hatha Yoga is all about. Liz is a Yoga Teacher! Check it out
  - Sundays 1:15pm CT, **Liz Mandeville's Meditation and Mantra**
- **Mario Monterosso:** [www.facebook.com/marioedmount](http://www.facebook.com/marioedmount)
- **Pinebluff Virtual Blues & Soul Summer Sets Series:** <https://www.explorepinebluff.com/summersets>
  - **Bobby Rush,** June 13, 2020 encore, Pinebluff Virtual Blues & Soul Summer Sets show: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oTx82UOpTOM>
- **Toni Green with her Sister** Livestream, Sundays, 1:45pm "**CHURCH GIRLZZ**". On Facebook search Chrch Girlzz' or visit: [https://www.facebook.com/tresia.greene?fref=search&\\_tn\\_=%2Cd%2CP-R&eid=ARD8nH3-ITcpQa2-zl02d90iRcrDYzSjbn5dyrHShXOCZ4-JT0\\_WCEEVMH7YgAn3tkqpOptaR09Pbk7P](https://www.facebook.com/tresia.greene?fref=search&_tn_=%2Cd%2CP-R&eid=ARD8nH3-ITcpQa2-zl02d90iRcrDYzSjbn5dyrHShXOCZ4-JT0_WCEEVMH7YgAn3tkqpOptaR09Pbk7P)  
**OR**  
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They're having fun, giving and receiving information and taking phone calls. Call-in to the show: 901-650-7768.
- **Wild Bill's Stay at Home livestreams:**
  - [https://www.facebook.com/pg/WildBillsMemphis/about/?ref=page\\_internal](https://www.facebook.com/pg/WildBillsMemphis/about/?ref=page_internal)
  - [https://www.facebook.com/events/841374369708550/?event\\_time\\_id=841374393041881](https://www.facebook.com/events/841374369708550/?event_time_id=841374393041881)
  - <https://wildbillsmemphis.com>

### National Livestreams:

- **Can't Stop The Blues:** <https://www.cantstoptheblues.com/>
- **Bandsintown:** <https://www.bandsintown.com>
- **Women in Blues:** <https://www.facebook.com/groups/nationalwomeninblues/events/>
- **2020 Blues Music Awards (Virtual)** Watch an encore broadcast of the May 03, 2020, 41st Blues Music Awards at: [https://youtu.be/K7qI4Dz\\_E0o](https://youtu.be/K7qI4Dz_E0o)



## Livestream Services for Musicians

- **Musicians** to be considered for a livestream event or if you would like to schedule a livestream event look further at the resources below:
- **Bandsintown:** <https://www.bandsintown.com/>
- **Can't Stop The Blues:**
  - For more information, visit the website and Facebook pages: <https://www.cantstoptheblues.com/> and <https://www.facebook.com/groups/cantstoptheblues/>
  - Musicians for more information, please send an email message to CSTB at: [booking@cantstoptheblues.com](mailto:booking@cantstoptheblues.com)
- **Stageit!** This a cool option that can allow musicians to get fans to check out your music, and get paid for your performance from the comfort of your own home, studio or facility: <http://www.stageit.com>
- **Women in Blues:** <https://www.facebook.com/groups/nationalwomeninblues/events/>

**Missing Livestream?** If you have information about other livestream events to add to this list, please send details to MBS Newsletter editor Mark E. Caldwell via e-mail: [MemphisBluesSocietyMembership@gmail.com](mailto:MemphisBluesSocietyMembership@gmail.com) or Facebook Messenger. Thank you!

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## 6. MUSIC & MUSIC RELATED EVENTS, Including Rescheduled (Events Not Listed Above) Listed in order by date.

SEPTEMBER 2020:

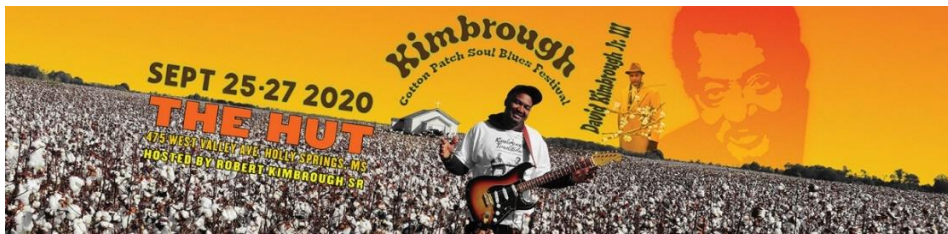


- Sundays, 3-6pm, **Sunday Afternoon Blues Bash**, hosted by Big Rick & The Troublemakers, Burley's Burgers & Brews, 4840 Venture Dr., Southaven, MS
- Sundays, 5-8pm, **Pam & Terry**, Rum Boogie Café, Beale St
- Sundays, 6-10pm, **Jonathan Ellison & the P.S. Band**, B.B. King's Blues Club, Beale St.
- Wednesdays, 6-10pm, **Jonathan Ellison & the P.S. Band**, B.B. King's Blues Club, Beale St.
- Wednesdays, 6-10pm, **Elmo & The Shades**, Neil's Music Room, Quince Rd
- Thursdays, 6-9pm, **Eric Hughes solo**, Rum Boogie Café, Beale St
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- Fridays, 4-6pm, **Eric Hughes solo**, Rum Boogie Café, Beale St
- Fridays, 5-9pm, **Jackie Flora**, King's Palace Café, Beale St
- Saturdays, 4-6pm, **Eric Hughes solo**, Rum Boogie Café, Beale St
- Saturdays, 5-9pm, **Jackie Flora**, King's Palace Cafe

**2020, Labor Day Weekend, Live Blues Music Gig & Event Calendar, Memphis & Midsouth (partial schedule shown). Wear your mask; COVID-19 Precautions are in place; Call ahead to verify the show:**

- Thu Sep 03, 6-9pm, **Eric Hughes w/Zack Mack**, Rum Boogie Café, Beale St
- Thursdays, 6:30-10pm, **Brad Webb & Friends Blues Jam**, RockHouse Live, Raleigh-LaGrange Rd
- Fri Sep 04, 12pm noon, **John Nemeth, Radio-Memphis Live phone interview**, <http://www.Radio-Memphis.com>

- Fri Sep 04, 2-6pm, **Royal Blues Band Trio**, Lafayette's Music Room, Overton Square
- Fridays, 5-9pm, **Jackie Flora**, King's Palace Café, Beale St
- Fri Sep 04, 4:30-6:30pm: **Eric Hughes**, Rum Boogie Café, Beale St
- Fri Sep 04, 7-10pm, **Eric Hughes Band**, Rum Boogie Café, Beale St
- Sat Sep 05, 4-7pm, Join **FreeWorld**, for another outdoor FB Live streaming event THIS SATURDAY from 4-7pm, CDT! We'll be online (so you can crank us up while you're grilling, hiking, swimming, chillin', or whatever on this holiday weekend), but you're also invited to join us live at 1370 Vera Cruz St., 38117. Bring a lawn chair & some refreshment & spread out on the grass, social distance style.
- Sat Sep 05, 4:30-10pm, **Eric Hughes Solo + Band**, Rum Boogie Café, Beale St
- Sat Sep 05, 6-10pm, **Jack Rowell, Jr, Tripthret**, Sidecar Café, Whitten Rd.
- Sat Sep 05, 6-9pm, **Doug MacLeod**, Spindini, 383 South Main St
- Sat Sep 06, 7-8pm, **John Nemeth Levitt Shell Stream with Jon Hay and Matthew Wilson**:  
[https://www.facebook.com/events/608302973128634?context=%7B%22event\\_action\\_history%22%3A%7B%22mechanism%22%3A%22search\\_results%22%2C%22surface%22%3A%22search%22%7D%7D](https://www.facebook.com/events/608302973128634?context=%7B%22event_action_history%22%3A%7B%22mechanism%22%3A%22search_results%22%2C%22surface%22%3A%22search%22%7D%7D)
- Sundays, 5-10pm, **Pam & Terry**, Rum Boogie Café, Beale St
- Saturdays, 5-9pm, **Jackie Flora**, King's Palace Cafe Sundays, 6-10pm, **Jonathan Ellison & the P.S. Band**, B.B. King's Blues Club, Beale St
- Tues Sep 08, 5:30-8:30pm, **Bike Night! House Blend Band**, Uncle Bubbas BBQ & Smokehouse, Hernando, MS
- Sat Sep 19, 6-9pm, **Doug MacLeod**, Spindini, 383 South Main St
- Sat Sep 26, **House Blend Band**, Uncle Bubbas BBQ & Smokehouse, Hernando, MS



- Sep 26 to 27, 2020 (tentative dates), **Kimbrough Cotton Patch Soul Blues Festival**, The Hut 475 West Valley Ave. Holly Springs MS 38635, <https://www.facebook.com/events/1007628229613744>
- Sat Sep 26, 2– 6pm, **Mojo Medicine Machine Acoustic**, Lafayette's Music Room, Madison Ave., Overton Square
- **CANCELLED for 2020**: ALL Memphis In May Events, including Beale Street Music Festival, World Championship Barbecue Cooking Contest, Tom Lee Park, downtown Memphis

#### OCTOBER 2020:

- **POSTPONED to 2021**: Sat Oct 03, **Delta Roots Festival Tribute to Levon Helm**, Cherry St, Helena, AR, Tickets: [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/delta-roots-music-festival-a-tribute-to-levon-helm-tickets-93344236123?fbclid=IwAR1oeq5pd7FSWdrFVK\\_V-111DSTCWoQJ8gttMaUxq2yb-ASJDPzHdwTly-Y](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/delta-roots-music-festival-a-tribute-to-levon-helm-tickets-93344236123?fbclid=IwAR1oeq5pd7FSWdrFVK_V-111DSTCWoQJ8gttMaUxq2yb-ASJDPzHdwTly-Y)
- **POSTPONED to 2021**: Thu Oct 07 to Sun Oct 10, **King Biscuit Blues Festival**, Helena, AR, Tickets: [kingbiscuitfestival.com/tickets](http://kingbiscuitfestival.com/tickets)
- Sat Oct 10, 7pm, **Larkin Poe, Marcella & Her Lovers**, Minglewood Hall
- **CANCELLED**: Sat Oct 31, 9am-5pm, **Cooper-Young Neighborhood Festival**: <http://cooperyoungfestival.com/>
- Fri Oct 23, 2– 6pm, **Mojo Medicine Machine Acoustic**, Lafayette's Music Room, Madison Ave., Overton Square

#### NOVEMBER 2020:

- Sun Nov 22, 2– 6pm, **Mojo Medicine Machine Acoustic**, Lafayette's Music Room, Madison Ave., Overton Square

**IMPORANT VENUE INFORMATION:** When venues reopen after closure by COVID19 restrictions, contact venues ahead of time to verify shows; ask about social distancing guidelines in place for live music.

Most shows are for ages 21+, Schedules are subject to change.

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#### 7. MEMPHIS & MID SOUTH VENUE ADDRESSES & WEBSITES:

- B.B. King's Blues Club, 143 Beale St: <http://bbkings.com/memphis/calendar/>
  - Bar DKDC, 964 S. Cooper St., Memphis, TN 38104
  - Blind Bear Speakeasy, 119 N. Main St: <http://www.blindbearmemphis.com/>
  - Blue Note Bar & Grill, 341 Beale St., Memphis, TN: <http://www.bluenotebarandgrillinc.com>
  - Blues City Café, 138 Beale St <http://www.bluescitycafe.com/>
  - Center for Southern Folklore, 119 S. Main Street (Downtown Memphis) <http://www.southernfolklore.com>
  - The Cove, 2559 Broad Ave: <http://www.thecovememphis.com>
  - Delta Blues Winery, 6585 Stewart Rd., Lakeland, TN 38002: <http://deltablueswinery.com/newsevents/events-2/>
  - Dirty Crow, 855 Kentucky St: <http://www.dirtycrowinn.com/>
  - Jerry Lawler's Championship Restaurant and Bar, 159 Beale St.
  - Ground Zero Blues Club, 0 Blues Alley, Clarksdale, MS: <http://www.groundzerobluesclubmusic.com/>
  - Growlers, 1911 Poplar Avenue, Memphis, TN 38104
  - Hernando's Hideaway, 3210 Old Hernando Rd., Memphis, TN 38116: <http://www.worldfamoushernandoshideaway.com>
  - Hi-Tone Cafe, 412-414 N. Cleveland St: [www.hitonememphis.com](http://www.hitonememphis.com)
  - Java Cabana Coffeehouse, 2170 Young Ave: <http://www.javacabanacoffeehouse.com>
  - Jerry King Lawler's Hall of Fame Bar & Grill, 159 Beale St., Memphis, TN 38103
  - Lafayette's, Music Room, 2119 Madison Ave: <http://www.lafayettesmusicroom.com/>
  - Loflin Yard, 7 W. Carolina Ave: <http://www.loflinyard.com/>
  - The Lounge at 3<sup>rd</sup> & Court, 24. N. B.B. King Blvd., Memphis, TN 38103
  - King's Palace Cafe, 162 Beale St: <http://kingspalacecafe.com/>
  - King's Palace Cafe's Tap Room, 168 Beale St: <http://memphistaproom.com>
  - Murphy's, 1589 Madison Ave: [www.murphyismemphis.com](http://www.murphyismemphis.com)
  - Neil's Music Room, 5725 Quince Rd: <http://www.neilsmusicroom.com/>
  - P & H Cafe, 1532 Madison Ave: <http://www.pandhcafe>
  - Railgarten, 2166 Central Ave: <http://www.railgarten.com/>
  - Rum Boogie Cafe, Rum Boogie Café's Blues Hall, King's Palace Cafe Tap Room, and King's Palace Cafe Patio Schedules: <http://www.eatdrinkboogie.com/live-music.html>
  - Silky O'Sullivan's, 183 Beale St: <http://silkyosullivans.com>
  - Stax Museum of American Soul Music, 926 E. McLemore Ave: [www.staxmuseum.com/events](http://www.staxmuseum.com/events)
  - The Stage Stop, 2951 Cela: <https://www.thestagestopmemphis.com/>
  - Westy's, 346 N. Main St. (downtown Memphis): <http://www.westysmemphis.com/>
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