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DAC Sundays at Scioto Concert Series June 7 – July 26, 2009

The 26th annual DAC Sundays at Scioto summer concert series takes place each Sunday evening for eight weeks, June 7 through July 26 in the Scioto Park Amphitheatre, 7377 Riverside Dr., in Dublin; 7 to 8:30pm. Picnics and lawn chairs are welcomed. Presented by Dublin Arts Council. Info: www.dublinarts.org or 614/889-7444.



Dublin Arts Council engages the community, cultivates creativity
and fosters life-long learning through the arts.

New Basics Brass Band (June 7)

(New Orleans funk, jazz and R&B)

Originally launched in 1985, the sousaphone-driven New Basics Brass Band layers jazz, R&B, New Orleans funk and groove sounds to produce party music for the masses. They are frequently requested at regional clubs and festivals, where crowds stay on their feet and beg for more. The six-member group delivers their own version of classics from the likes of James Brown, while peppering their performance with original compositions and unexpected sound effects. Their sound has been called an “infectiously joyous ruckus,” and “... sousaphone-powered party music, carefully crafted to enliven any gathering and improve any disposition.”

www.newbasicsbrassband.com



The Z-Sharp Big Band (June 14)

(Classic big band swing)

The Z-Sharp Big Band is an 18-piece jazz orchestra specializing in classic swing music from the original Glenn Miller/Tommy Dorsey Big Band era. The group’s blend of youth and seasoned musicians gives the band its infectious energy. The Z-Sharp Big Band was founded in 2004 by director Jeff Zimmerman (trombone) and features vocalist Mary Rose Molinaro with big band sounds that are easy to enjoy, whether you’re a ballroom dancer or just a toe-tapping listener.

www.zsharpbigband.com



The Conspiracy Band (June 21)

(Funk and R&B)

For more than a decade, The Conspiracy Band has been known as one of the best party bands in the region. This talented, energetic, professional group performs throughout the Midwest featuring everything from Sinatra to Earth, Wind and Fire, Aretha to Bonnie Raitt and Stevie Wonder to Sly & the Family Stone. A local favorite, Dublin Arts Council is pleased to welcome The Conspiracy Band back to the DAC Sundays at Scioto summer concert series.

www.theconspiracyband.com



The High Street Stompers Dixieland Band (June 28)

(Dixieland jazz)

The High Street Stompers Dixieland Band began in 1987 when all of the original members were professors in the School of Music at The Ohio State University. Since then, the ensemble has performed in schools, churches, concert halls, festivals and at an OSU football half time show. The personnel of The High Street Stompers includes six of Central Ohio's finest and most respected musicians: Tom Battenberg – trumpet and leader, Michael Cox – clarinet, Vaughn Wiester – trombone, Paul Robinson – banjo, Terry Douds – string bass and Jim Curlis – drums.



Brass Band of Columbus (July 5)

(British Brass Band)

Founded in 1984, the Brass Band of Columbus (BBC) has been at the forefront of the resurgence of the brass band movement for more than twenty years. The band's instrumentation is brass and percussion only, following the tradition of British brass bands. Brass Band of Columbus is a member of the North American Brass Band Association (NABBA), an organization devoted to promoting brass bands and brass banding in North America. Each year, BBC competes in the NABBA's Championship Section and has been awarded First Place ten times. No other North American brass band approaches this record of excellence. BBC members include 30 active or retired music educators who always bring DAC Sundays at Scioto audiences to their feet with inspired and patriotic offerings.

www.brassbandofcolumbus.org



Arnett Howard (July 12)

(Creole, Cajun & Zydeco)

Since 1985, Arnett Howard has performed more than 5,000 concerts for a variety of audiences in Central Ohio and around the world. He is an active community servant and an official ambassador for Columbus, Ohio. His sound is inspired by the Motown stars, served up with a splash of New Orleans Mardi Gras and Jamaican reggae. Working as a professional musician (trumpet) since 1967, Arnett has done a little of everything; from acting, custodial work, and lawn care expert to working as an auto mechanic. He describes himself as a musician, broadcaster, journalist, historian, traveler, communications teacher, pilot, scuba diver, skier and confessed women's basketball addict.

www.creolefunk.com



The Bearded (July 19)

(Original old-time string and jug band)

The Bearded travels from Knoxville, Tenn. to the DAC Sundays at Scioto series for the first time this year. They hail from the foothills of the Smoky Mountains with brand-new sounding old time dance music and swing blues, seamlessly blended and guaranteed to produce merriment. While they have an endless supply of traditional tunes, The Bearded's repertoire is mostly original music. Is it old or is it new? With The Bearded, it may be hard to tell. Instrumentation includes mandolins, lap dulcimer, kazoo, banjos, jaw harp, slide whistle, harmonica, jug and washboard, among others.

www.thebearded.com



British Invasion (July 26)

(British pop/rock)

Take a magical mystery tour through an era that changed the face of rock 'n roll forever. The British Invasion Band covers music from The Animals to The Zombies. If you didn't see the real thing, this is your next best bet. Hits from The Beatles, The Rolling Stones, Herman's Hermits and more are performed with authenticity, from costume changes to vintage guitars and equipment. Car enthusiasts will want to mark this night on their calendar, as fans bring a vintage car show along for the ride. A wildly popular annual DAC Sundays at Scioto series finale, you won't want to miss this experience!

www.thebritishinvasionband.com



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