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THE MCCOY CENTER ANNOUNCES 2015-16 SEASON

Subscriptions to five-show season go on sale today

The Jeanne B. McCoy Community Center for the Arts in New Albany today announced its 2015-16 season which includes:

BONEY JAMES

Sunday, October 18, 8pm

Conversant on the tenor, alto, and soprano saxophones, Boney James virtually created the urban jazz genre, melding contemporary jazz with hip-hop sensibilities. The crossover virtuoso has racked up nine No. 1 albums on the *Billboard* Contemporary Jazz chart and two Top 10 entries on the Top R&B/Hip-Hop Albums tally. A three-time Grammy nominee and an NAACP Image Award nominee, James has earned several other honors, including four RIAA-certified gold albums and a Soul Train Award for Best Jazz Album. www.BoneyJames.com

THE TENORS – UNDER ONE SKY TOUR

Wednesday, November 4, 8pm

The Tenors have been thrilling audiences around the world with their powerful voices and memorable melodies. Blending classical music and contemporary pop, the vocal supergroup has achieved international success, showcasing their undeniable charm and diverse vocal styles. The music of Clifton Murray, Victor Micallef, Remigio Pereira and Fraser Walters is rich and soulful with powerful anthems, classic covers, and songs written and co-written by the Tenors themselves. www.TenorsMusic.com

A SPRING FLING WITH PINK MARTINI FEATURING CHINA FORBES

Wednesday, March 23, 8pm

Drawing inspiration from music from all over the world – crossing genres of classical, jazz, and old-fashioned pop – Thomas Lauderdale founded Pink Martini in 1994 to provide more beautiful and inclusive musical soundtracks for political fundraisers for causes such as civil rights, affordable housing, the environment, libraries, public broadcasting, education, and parks. More than 20 years later, Pink Martini still tours the world, singing in 22 languages at opera houses, concert halls, film festivals, museums, and fashion shows. This performance of the biggest little orchestra around will feature lead singer China Forbes. www.PinkMartini.com

AL JARREAU

Sunday, February 28, 8pm

Al Jarreau's unique vocal style is one of the world's most precious treasures. His innovative musical expressions have made him one of the most exciting and critically acclaimed performers of our time, earning him seven Grammy Awards, scores of international music awards, and popular accolades worldwide. www.AlJarreau.com

ABBA THE CONCERT

With the New Albany Symphony Orchestra

Sunday, May 15, 8pm

ABBA the Concert is the top ABBA tribute group in the world, dazzling audiences with their fantastic performances of the most iconic ABBA hits of all time including "Mamma Mia," "S.O.S.," "Money, Money, Money," "The Winner Takes All," "Waterloo," "Gimme, Gimme, Gimme," and "Dancing Queen."

Subscriptions go on sale today and range from \$160-\$266 per person. They can be purchased in-person at the CAPA Ticket Center (39 E. State St.) or by phone at (614) 469-0939.

In addition to the five-show season package, there will be one 2015-16 season add-on option:

AMERICA

Friday, October 9, 8pm

In 2015, the Grammy Award-winning classic rock band America celebrates 45 years in the music industry. Founding members Gerry Beckley and Dewey Bunnell continue to tour the world, performing the music they love to the people who love it including the hits "I Need You," "Ventura Highway," "Don't Cross The River," "Tin Man," "Lonely People," "Sister Golden Hair," "You Can Do Magic," and of course, "A Horse with No Name." www.VenturaHighway.com

Tickets for the add-on will be sold separately, with subscribers having the first opportunity to purchase tickets prior to the general public.

Single tickets will go on sale to the public on August 21.

www.McCoyCenter.org

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About the Jeanne B. McCoy Community Center for the Arts

The Jeanne B. McCoy Community Center for the Arts, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation, established in 2007 by a unique joint operating agreement between the New Albany Community Foundation, the City of New Albany, Plain Township, and the New Albany Plain Local School District. Since opening in 2008, the McCoy Center has drawn more than 100,000 people, fulfilling its mission of fostering an appreciation of arts and culture by providing life-long learning opportunities through education, exposure, and participation. For more information, visit www.mccoycenter.org.

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