

MUSIC LISTINGS

CONTINUED

THE ATRIUM Pavane Strings Duo—2pm; Strings, n/c

AXE & FIDDLE Laura Meyer, Flies With Honey—8:30pm; Blues, folk, \$5

BEALL HALL Chamber Choir & the University Singers—8pm; \$7, \$5 stu., sen.

BLACK FOREST Falkor, Lowmen Markos, the Egotones—10pm; n/c

COWFISH “Sup!” w/Sassy Mouff, Michael Human & Guests—9:30pm; Top 40, electro

COZMIC Carnival Brasil w/ Samba Ja, Sun Bossa—7pm; Dance, world, \$10/\$8

CRESWELL COFFEE & WINE The Whiskey Chasers—7pm; Bluegrass, \$3

DEXTER LAKE CLUB DLC Roadhouse Band w/Chris Ward—9pm; n/c

DOC'S PAD DJ J-Will—8pm; Dance mix, n/c

DOWNTOWN LOUNGE ISCEE—7pm; n/c; Devil's Divas—10pm; n/c

DUCK INN Karaoke—10pm

ELDORADO Hip-hop w/DJ Rez-ur-rect—9pm

EMBERS Mixed Blood—9pm; Classic rock, n/c

GOODFELLA'S The Big Small, Carousel Penny, Burn the Cage—9pm; Punk, n/c

GRANARY Barbara Dzuro—7pm; n/c; Taste, Halle—10pm; Soul, \$3-\$5

HAPPY HOURS The Kingpins—8pm; Rock, n/c

HARLEYS & HORSES Karaoke—9pm

JAZZ STATION Torrey Newhart Quartet—8pm; Jazz, \$5/\$4

JENNY'S HAIR & CO. Paul Prince—4pm; n/c

JOHN HENRY'S Glitterdick, Bad Luck Blackouts, Cuntagious—9pm; Punk, n/c

LEVEL UP DJ Rock 'n' Roll Damnation—9pm; '70s & '80s rock, heavy metal; n/c

MAC'S The Strangetones—9pm; Rockabilly blues, \$8

MOHAWK TAVERN Mr. Wizard—9pm; n/c

MULLIGAN'S Steve Ibach, Robert Meade—8pm; n/c

OAK ST. SPEAKEASY Soul Technique—9pm; House, n/c

PORKY'S PALACE Karaoke—8pm

POUR HOUSE Karaoke—9pm

QUACKERS Karaoke—9pm

RAVEN A PUB Karaoke—9pm

RED LION INN BigFootLane—5pm; n/c

THE ROK Dance Party hits w/DJ Scoot & DJ Pheonix—10pm; DJ dance

SAM BOND'S Skerik's Bandalabra—9:30pm; Jazz, \$10

THE SHEDD Ladysmith Black Mambazo—7:30pm; \$28-\$38

SIDE BAR Karaoke—9pm

SONNY'S TAVERN Karaoke—9pm

SPIRITS Monolith—9pm; Rock, n/c

SPRINGFIELD VFW McKenzie Express—7pm; n/c

STRIKE CITY Karaoke—8pm

TAPATIO Karaoke—9pm

TAYLOR'S BAR & GRILLE DJ Crown—10pm; Hip hop, dance, n/c

VILLAGE GREEN Blues Daddies—9pm; n/c

WANDERING GOAT Corwin Bolt—9pm; Acoustic, n/c

WESTEND TAVERN Anthony McCarthy—8pm; Acoustic, n/c



THE (B.B.) KING OF BLUES

At this stage in his storied career, it is hard to imagine there is anything left for **B.B. King** to accomplish. Arguably the most influential blues guitarist ever, he has been inducted into both the Blues and Rock & Roll Halls of Fame, has won 15 Grammys and been given a Grammy Lifetime Achievement Award, has received honorary doctorates in music from Brown and Yale University and has received awards from former President George W. Bush and the Royal Swedish Academy of Music — a long, winding road from the sharecropper's cabin where he was born in rural Mississippi in 1925.

Despite his enormous worldwide popularity, however, his latest project has yet to be released here. *BB King: The Life of Riley*, a biographical documentary, was released in the United Kingdom in October, and Canada's BAM Distribution recently acquired rights, but the film has yet to find a distributor in America. Blues is a truly American tradition, and King's name is synonymous with the genre, so it's puzzling that companies aren't leaping at the chance to share this project — narrated by Morgan Freeman — with American audiences.

In the meantime, the man who has brought us such classics as “The Thrill is Gone,” “Rock Me Baby” and “Sweet Little Angel” continues to share the blues wherever people appreciate soul-stirring music. Maybe the lack of U.S. distribution bothers him, maybe it doesn't; either way, he will press on as he has done since he began making music in 1949.

B.B. King plays 7:30 pm Sunday, March 10, at the Hult Center; \$39-\$69.
— Brian Palmer

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