

MUSICLISTINGS

THURSDAY 11/29

AXE & FIDDLE Jordon Hull—8:30pm; n/c

BEERGARDEN Abe Luedtke—7:30pm; n/c

CHOW David Mitchell—6:30pm; n/c

COWFISH Baila!—9pm; \$3-5

DEXTER LAKE CLUB Karaoke w/ Jared—9pm; n/c

MCSHANE'S BAR & GRILL Acoustic Underground Open Mic—7:30pm; n/c

MULLIGAN'S PUB Karaoke—9pm; n/c

OAKSHIRE BREWING Moonlight Jubilee—5:30pm; n/c

OVERTIME BAR & GRILL Westside Blues Jam w/ Dave Roberts—6pm; n/c

SAM BOND'S GARAGE Paul Quillen, Tom Heini & The Gossamer Strings—9pm; \$5

SEASONS BAR & GRILL Karaoke w/ Sassy Patty—8pm; n/c

TERRITORIAL VINEYARDS Barbara Healy Trio—7pm; n/c

THE BARNLIGHT Karaoke—7:30pm; n/c

THE DRAKE BAR Flashback Drag Takeover—10:30pm; n/c

THE EMBERS SUPPER CLUB Eazy Money—8pm; n/c

WILDCRAFT CIDERWORKS Zion I—7:30pm; \$15-18

FRIDAY 11/30

AXE & FIDDLE The Hipbillys—8:30pm; n/c

BILLY MAC'S Christie & McCallum—7:30pm; n/c

BLAIRALLY Church of the '80s Night—9:30pm; DJ, \$3

BRONCO SALOON Karaoke w/ Lindsey—9pm; n/c

CHOW Barbara Dzuro Jass Duo (Piano/Bass)—6pm; n/c

COWFISH Everybody Friday—9pm; \$3

DARK AND STORMY Robert Blair & The Atmospheres—6:30pm; n/c

DOC'S PAD Karaoke w/KJ Power—9pm; n/c

DRIFTWOOD BAR Karaoke w/ Slick Nick—9pm; n/c

EL TAPATIO CANTINA Karaoke w/ KJ Rick—9pm; n/c

GRIDIRON GRILL Karaoke Night—9pm; n/c

HAPPY HOURS Heavy Chevy—8pm; n/c

HI-FI MUSIC HALL Hillstomp—8pm; \$12-15

HI-FI MUSIC LOUNGE The Domestics w/ Ezza Rose—8pm; \$5-7

JALISCO MEXICAN RESTAURANT Friday Night Blues—7pm; n/c

JIMMY'S Karoke w/ Zach—9pm; n/c

JERSEY'S Karaoke w/Sassy Patty—9pm; n/c

LAVELLE VINEYARDS Timothy Patrick—6:30pm; n/c

MAC'S NIGHTCLUB & RESTAURANT The Ben Rice Band—8pm; \$7

MOHAWK TAVERN Professor Fate—9pm; n/c

NOBLE ESTATE URBAN Jen Sennett Franklin—6pm; n/c

OREGON WINE LAB New Violet—7pm; n/c

SAGINAW VALLEY Ben Johnson—6pm; n/c

SALSEROS STUDIO Orquesta Descarga 54—9pm; \$12

SAM BOND'S GARAGE Cap'n Trips—9:30pm; \$5

TERRITORIAL VINEYARDS Kanter, Mays & Rempel Trio—7pm; n/c

THE EMBERS SUPPER CLUB The Surviors—9pm; n/c

THE SHEDD White Christmas—7:30pm; \$28

WILDCRAFT CIDER WORKS Sam & The Courtesy Clerks—7pm; \$8

WOW HALL HIV Alliance hosts World AIDS Day ft. PikSix—7pm; \$10 sug. don.

SATURDAY 12/1

BEERGARDEN Muddy Souls—7:30pm; n/c

BREW & CUE Karaoke Night—9pm; n/c

DOC'S PAD Karaoke w/KJ Power—9pm; n/c

DRIFTWOOD BAR Karaoke w/ Slick Nick—9pm; n/c

HI-FI MUSIC HALL Charlie Parr & Willie Watson—8pm; \$15-25

HOLIDAY MARKET STAGES Main Stage: 10:30am Dharmika; 11:30am Rob Tobias; 12:30pm Olem & Micah; 1:30pm Anya Lecuyer; 3pm ATA; 4:45pm Rusty Still; Holiday Hall: 2:30pm Aruna Beth & Miriam Rose—n/c

HULT CENTER Eugene Symphony, Star Wars: Live in Concert (Episode IV: A New Hope)—7pm; \$55

MCDONALD THEATRE Echo & the Bunnymen w/ Enation opening—7pm; \$39-52

OLD NICK'S PUB Blenderer, Jesse Gandy & Luc Gunn—9pm; \$5

POURHOUSE TAVERN Karaoke Night w/ Dom—9pm; n/c

SAM BOND'S GARAGE Us & Them—9pm; \$5

THE EMBERS SUPPER CLUB Rock 'n Rewind—9pm; n/c

TSUNAMI BOOKS Mary Gauthier—7:30pm; \$23.50

TWISTED DUCK Karaoke w/ KJ Fedora, 9pm; n/c

TWO RIVERS / DOS RIOS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL Tuba Carol Concert—noon; n/c

WHITE HORSE SALOON Karaoke w/Sarah—9pm; n/c

SUNDAY 12/2

AGATE ALLEY BISTRO Karaoke w/ Breezy Bee—9pm; n/c

AXE & FIDDLE Digisaurus—8pm; n/c

CTR. FOR SPIRITUAL LIVING Timothy Patrick—10:30am; n/c

COWFISH Recess—9pm; n/c

CUSH CAFE Open Mic—2pm; n/c

DARK & STORMY Blues Jam Session—3:30pm; n/c

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH Christmas Holiday Concert w/ The Eugene Gleemen—2:30pm; \$12

HI-FI LOUNGE Magic Sword—6pm; \$13-15

HOLIDAY MARKET STAGES Main Stage: 10:30am Eugene Bhangra Dance Group; 11:30am Explorations in Four; 12:30pm Gabe Schliffer; 1:30pm The Swingin' Marmalukeys; 3pm Sugar Pine String Band; 4:45pm Rob Tobias & The Northwest Express—n/c

MOHAWK TAVERN Karaoke w/ Caught in the Act—9pm; n/c

MULLIGAN'S PUB Open mic—8:30pm; variety, n/c

SAM BOND'S BREWING December SongSmith Sunday Early Edition—6pm; n/c

SAM BOND'S GARAGE Irish Jam—4pm; n/c

SPRINGFIELD HIGH SCHOOL Eugene-Springfield Community Orchestra Concert—7pm; n/c

THE DRAKE Karaoke—9pm; n/c

THE EMBERS Karaoke w/Sassy Patty—7pm; n/c

THE JAZZ STATION Sunday Learners Jam Hosted by Sean Peterson—2:30pm; \$5 don.

THE RIVER STOP Open Sunday Jam—6pm; n/c

TRAVELERS COVE Paul Biondi Quartet—6pm; n/c

WEBFOOT Karaoke w/KJ Power—9pm; n/c

WOW HALL Over the Rhine Christmas Show w/ Gossamer Strings—7pm; \$20-25

MONDAY 12/3

CENTENNIAL STEAK HOUSE Karaoke w/Crystal Harmony & Makada—9pm; n/c

COWFISH Queen Karoke w/ Sammy—9pm; soul, n/c

FIRST NATIONAL TAPHOUSE Open Mic—8pm; n/c

GOOD SAMARITAN SOCIETY (CHAPEL) Eugene Peace Choir - Singers Welcome—6pm; n/c

O BAR Timothy Patrick—5:30pm; n/c

OLD NICK'S PUB Service Industry Night & Irish Jam!—6pm

THE DRAKE Lip Sync Battle—10pm; n/c

THE JAZZ STATION 1st Monday Jazz Orchestra—7:30pm; \$10

TUESDAY 12/4

AXE & FIDDLE TNT Trivia—8pm; n/c

CUSH Poetry Open Mic—7:30pm; n/c

DEXTER LAKE CLUB Acoustic Night on Taco Tuesdays—6pm; n/c

HI-FI LOUNGE WORLD Reggae Night—9pm; \$3

LEVEL UP Karaoke w/Kade—9pm; n/c

LUCKEY'S Amusedays w/ Chaz Logan Hyde—10pm; \$1

MAC'S NIGHTCLUB & RESTAURANT Roosters Blues Jam—8pm; n/c

MAX'S Classic Crooner Productions—10pm; karaoke, n/c

MULLIGAN'S PUB Ibach's One Man Quartet—8:30pm; n/c

SAM BOND'S GARAGE Bluegrass Jam—9pm; n/c

WHITE HORSE SALOON Karaoke w/Slick Nick—9pm; n/c

WEDNESDAY 12/5

BREW & CUE Crystal Harmony Karaoke—9pm; n/c

COWFISH West Coast Wednesday w/Dis Primvl & SVNKA—9pm; n/c

DRAKE BAR DJ Qamron Crooks—10pm; n/c

HI-FI MUSIC LOUNGE Funk Jam—9pm; n/c

JERSEY'S Karaoke w/Sassy Patty—8pm; n/c

LUCKEY'S CLUB Wednesday Night Sessions w/ The Groove Crew—10pm; \$3

MOHAWK TAVERN Karaoke w/ Caught in the Act—9pm; n/c

MULLIGAN'S PUB Open Mic—8:30pm; variety, n/c

OLD NICK'S PUB Whiskey Wednesday! Basin Street Band & Original Galaxy—9pm; cover TBA

THE DRAKE DJ Qamron Crooks—10pm; n/c

THE JAZZ STATION Jammin' With The Pros—7:30pm; \$3-5

THE POKER LOUNGE DJ'd Party Nights—8pm; n/c

WEST END TAVERN Karaoke—9pm; n/c

WHIRLED PIES The Jazz Cafe live broadcast—4pm; n/c

CORVALLIS AND THE REGION

BOMBS AWAY CAFE - Corvallis

TH Jazz Jam—9pm; n/c

CLOUD & KELLY'S PUBLIC HOUSE - Corvallis

SU Celtic Jam Session—3:30pm; n/c

MO Bryson Skaar—7pm; n/c

TU Celtic Jam—7pm; n/c



FREEDY'S AIM IS TRUE

Freedy Johnston has been doing more intimate shows lately because he's not promoting a new record or anything.

"I'm much better off to play for 40 dedicated fans who pay \$25 apiece at a house and giving them a great show than playing a show and having 10 people come," he says.

Johnston launched into popularity with a chart-topping song "Bad Reputation" in the early 1990s. Yet it was his album *Can You Fly*, released in 1992, that put him on the radar for many music critics. *Rolling Stone* went on to name him the songwriter of the year in 1995.

Though that was more than 20 years ago, his work has maintained potent lyrics and storytelling alongside catchy chord progressions that resemble Elvis Costello's *My Aim Is True* when it was released in 1977.

When he comes to Eugene, Johnston won't have a new album to promote. It sounds like he's done with recording albums. An album is a different art form that is expensive, and the pay back isn't what it should be, he says.

So he's recorded six singles with the band that accompanied him on the *Can You Fly* recording, which includes bassist Graham Maby, who has toured and recorded with the Joe Jackson Band. The singles will be released over a longer period.

Johnston will play in a stranger's home in Eugene, and audience members at house concerts often find themselves becoming quick friends, he says.

Freedy Johnston plays a house concert 7:30 pm Friday, Nov. 30. The address of the house will be disclosed two days before the show for ticketholders. Tickets are \$25 at freedjohnston.com.

— *Henry Houston*