



Comerica CityFest 2007

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2007 Comerica CityFest

Festival Highlights

Dates: Wednesday, July 4 – Sunday, July 8, 2007
Times: 11:30 AM – 10:30 PM (Wednesday-Saturday)
11:30 AM – 8 PM (Sunday)
Location: Detroit's New Center
Produced By: New Center Council, Inc.
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Website: www.comericacityfest.com

MOTORCITY CASINO MAIN STAGE

Presented by *The Detroit News*

(Fisher Building Parking Lot – Free)

Wednesday, July 4th, 2007

5:30 PM **Femi Kuti**
8:30 PM **Spoon**

Thursday, July 5th, 2007

5:30 PM **The Wailers**
8:30 PM **Weird Al Yankovic**

Friday, July 6th, 2007

5:30 PM **Brian Culberston**
8:30 PM **Lupe Fiasco**

Saturday, July 7th, 2007

5:30 PM **Yo La Tengo**
7:30 PM **The Detroit News Battle of the Bands Winner**
8:30 PM

Sunday, July 8th, 2007

3:00 PM **Bobby "Blue" Bland**
6 PM **Cheap Trick**

PURE DETROIT STAGE

Presented By *Real Detroit Weekly*

(Second at Lothrop – Free)

Wednesday, July 4th, 2007

Carl Craig and Planet E Communications with Santiago and others to be announced

Thursday, July 5th, 2007

4:00 PM
5:15 PM

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6:30 PM
7:30 PM
9:00 PM

Friday, July 6th, 2007

4:00 PM
5:15 PM
6:30 PM
7:45 PM
9:00 PM

Saturday, July 7th, 2007

2:00 PM
4:30 PM
6:00 PM
9:00 PM

Sunday, July 8th, 2007

3:00 PM
4:15 PM
5:00 PM
6:30 PM

The Hard Lessons

METRO PCS JAZZ & BLUES STAGE
Presented by *Hour Detroit Magazine*

(Grand Boulevard at Cass – Free)

Wednesday, July 4th, 2007

Noon

2:00 PM

GEQ

4:00 PM

Gerard Gibbs & ReORGAN'YZ

6:30 PM

Nils

9 PM

Ryan Shaw

Thursday, July 5th, 2007

Noon

2:30 PM

Patrick Sweany

5 PM

Measured Chaos

7:30 PM & 9 PM

Gorilla Funk Mob

Friday, July 6th, 2007

Noon

2:30 PM

5 PM

Lin Roundtree

7:30 PM & 9 PM

Hot Club of Detroit

Saturday, July 7th, 2007

Noon

2:30 PM

Tumbao Bravo

5 PM

**Sandra Bomar and the Jazz Experience
w/ special guest Brenda Perryman**

7:30 PM & 9 PM

Rayse Biggs

Sunday, July 8th, 2007

Noon

2:00 PM

Jessie Palter

3:30 PM

**Reverend Robert Jones and
Sweet Kingdom Missionary Baptist Church Choir**

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6 PM

**Detroit Soul and Blues Revue featuring Sir Mack Rice,
Alberta Adams and Johnny Bassett**

**NEW CENTER COUNCIL
PARK STAGE**

Presented by *Metro Times*

Produced By Stirling

(New Center Park Stage – Free)

The PARK STAGE, now in its 5th year, is the newest addition to our four stages and has evolved into a popular attraction, especially with the younger creative market. This is the demographic that is driving the growth in certain city districts like Downtown, Midtown and New Center. With over 500,000 attendees each year, Comerica CityFest has become a cultural force, with the PARK STAGE focused on presenting Detroit's best local rock, folk, and indie bands and solo artists. From its inception, this stage has been booked and managed by Stirling, one of Detroit's most notable and creative rock impresarios.

Wednesday, July 4th, 2007

6 PM **Matt Dmity**

7 PM **Scott Kinison**

8 PM **Scream Ray**

9 PM **Inside Outlaws Collective, Doop DuPree
Ty Stone**

Thursday, July 5th, 2007

11:45am & 1:00pm **Simplicity**

6 PM Gretchen Wolff

7 PM Shot Gun Wedding

8 PM Silent Violet

9 PM **Thunderbirds Are Now!**

Friday, July 6th, 2007

11:45am & 1:00pm **Baby Pepper and The Family Pleasers**

6 PM The Syreens

7 PM Drinking Problem

8 PM

9 PM

Saturday, July 7th, 2007

6 PM Dooley Wilson

7 PM **The Expatriates**

8 PM

9 PM The Go

Sunday, July 8th, 2007

4 PM **The Youth of Rome**

5 PM **Displays**

6 PM **Citizen Smile**

7 PM

RESTAURANTS

Selling "Tastes" of Their Specialties

New in 2007:

Happy's Pizza, Detroit
Longhorn Steakhouse, Auburn Hills
The Java Exchange, Detroit

Returning Restaurant Favorites:

American Masala, Detroit	Mario's Restaurant, Detroit
Aw...Shucks, Elk Rapids	Old Hickory, Linden
Beans & Cornbread, Southfield	Rice Bowl Asian Kitchen, Detroit
Club House Tavern, Detroit	Taste of Ethiopia, Southfield
The Coney Man, Detroit	Taqueria Mi Pueblo, Detroit
Harbor House, Clinton Township	The Turkey Grille, Detroit
Kola's Food Factory, Riverview	The Potato Factory, Brownstown
LaPita Express, Detroit	Union Jacks, Mt. Clemens
Lazy Bones Smokehouse, Roseville	

Cold Stone Creamery Dessert District:

Anchoring the eastern edge of the festival and located near the metroPCS Jazz & Blues Stage, the Cold Stone Creamery Dessert District is the perfect destination for those looking for something sweet.

Alinosi, Grosse Pointe
Cold Stone Creamery
Mini Bee Donuts, Howell
Lucy & Ethel's Diner, Detroit
Sweet Potato Sensations, Detroit

2nd AVE STREET MARKET

Art Market
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Spirit in the Park Gallery
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The Style Gallery
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A TASTE OF ART

Comerica CityFest will present a kickoff party to the event on the night of Tuesday, July the 3rd featuring Niagara, Gwen Joy, Julia Cohl, Carl Lundgren, Shaylene Spaniola and many more to come

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