

Music City puts out the welcome for fun-filled Fan Fair week

Welcome to Fan Fair. As has become *The Tennessean's* custom, we welcome all 25,000 of you with what we hope is the most complete list of country music activities available for this fun-filled fiesta.

We celebrate this remarkable event along with you. We Nashvilleans are rude drivers, but polite conversationalists. Our streets change names every few blocks, but we love to give directions.

We're helpful. We're hospitable. We're glad you're here.

For one glorious, hectic week every year, you make our city size with activity and hum with happiness.

Below is a banquet of merriment. Choose your favorite flavors.

Events marked with an asterisk (*) are included in the \$60 Fan Fair registration fee. Other shows, parties, tourist attractions and autograph sessions are free or priced as marked.

TODAY:

1-3:15 p.m. "Summer Lights" John Hartford, Peter Rowan, Maura O'Connell, Doug Dillard. Metro Court House downtown. free.

1:30-5 p.m. "Summer Lights" cloggers & string bands. Deaderick Street downtown. free.

3:45-6 p.m. "Nashville Does Texas" The Wagoners, Robert Earl Keen Jr., Richard Dobson, Townes Van Zandt, Darden Smith. Summer Lights at 1st Ave. under Shelby St. free.

4-5:30 p.m. "Grand Ole Opry Salute" Ricky Skaggs, John Conlee, Ben Smathers Cloggers, Lorie Morgan, George Hamilton IV, Del Wood. Summer Lights at Metro Court House downtown. free.

5 p.m. "Summer Lights" David Jones & Doubleshot. Memphis Marlboro Country Talent Contest winners. 4th & Broadway downtown. free.

7:30 p.m. "Broadway Comes to Nashville" Roger Miller & Orchestra. Metro Court House downtown. free.

7:30 p.m. "Country Explosion" Conway Twitty, Statter Brothers, Holly Dunn. Municipal Auditorium. \$17.50.

MONDAY:

11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. "Country Writers Showcase" Steven Farmer, Larry Goodwin, Ken Wilson. Fountain Square. free.

2 p.m. "Walkway of Stars Induction" Eddy Raven. Country Music Hall of Fame (*).

3 p.m. "Walkway of Stars Induction" Lorie Morgan for George Morgan. Country Music Hall of Fame (*).

3-9 p.m. "Texas Jamboree Show" James Rebel O'Leary, Pee Wee King, Patsy Montana, Carla Riggs Hall, others. Ernest Tubbs Record Shop on Music Valley Dr.

7-9:30 p.m. "Country Show" John Blaylock, The Lanham Family. Fountain Square. free.

7-10 p.m. "Bluegrass Show" Bill Monroe, Wilma Lee Cooper, Osborne Brothers, Jim & Jesse, Mac



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Lynn Anderson, top, entertains the crowd at last year's Fan Fair country celebration. A cross section of the sun-soaked 25,000 who are expected in Nashville for the festival this week is pictured at right. Loretta Lynn, above, shares her joy at the *Music City News Awards*.



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Wiseman, George Winn, Bluegrass Cardinals, Nashville Grass, Doug Dillard, Cardigan Mountain Tradition, Jacky Christian, New Dominion Bluegrass. Nashville Raceway (*).

8-10 p.m. "Music City News Awards" Barbara Mandrell, Statter Brothers, others. Opry House. sold out.

9 p.m. Bluegrass Cardinals & Wayne Lewis Band shows. Station Inn. \$7.

TUESDAY:

10 a.m.-noon "International Show" Lynn Anderson, George Jones, The Jordanaires, Johnny Burke (Canada), Alien Playboys

(France), Jodie Birge (Denmark), Gottani Sisters (Australia), Daniel O'Donnell (Ireland), Big Hand (Norway). Nashville Raceway (*).

11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. "Country Writers Show" Jana Stanfield, Gary Jenkins, Jonathan Kasper. Fountain Square. free.

1-2:30 p.m. "Independent Label Show" Ralph Emery, Darlene Austin, Razzie Bailey, Ronnie Dove, Mickey Gilley, The Kendalls, Jill Jordan, Tim Malchuk, Cali McCord, Bobby G. Rice, Norm Schaffer. Nashville Raceway (*).

3 p.m. "Conway Twitty Autograph Party" Twitty City. free.

3 p.m. "Walkway of Stars Induction" Highway 101. Country Music Hall of Fame (*).

4-6 p.m. "Mercury/PolyGram Show" Tom T. Hall, Butch Baker, Larry Boone, David Lynn Jones, Kathy Mattea, Donna Meade. Nashville Raceway (*).

5-8 p.m. "Ricky Skaggs Fan Club Picnic" Belle Meade Mansion. \$10.

7-9:30 p.m. "Country Show" Carl Peoples, Rick Arnold. Fountain Square. free.

8-10 p.m. "CBS Records Show" Charlie Daniels, Vern Gosdin, Janie Fricke, Shelby Lynne, The O'Kanes, Libby Van Shelton, Darden Smith, Libby Hurley. Nashville Raceway (*).

8:30 p.m. "Norma Jean Fan Appreciation Show" Norma Jean, Bill Carlisle, Tommy Cash, Mac Wise-

man, George Riddle, The Stone-

mans, Gabe's Lounge. \$5.

8:30 p.m. "Songwriters Showcase" David Wills, Jim Sales, Bell Cove Club. cover charge.

9 p.m. Billy Montana & The Long Shots showcase. Murphy's Downstairs Lounge. free.

9 p.m. George Winn & The Bluegrass Partners. Bluegrass Inn. \$4.

9 p.m. Vassar Clements bluegrass show. Station Inn. \$5.

9:30 & 11 p.m. "Jerry Jeff Walker Show" Bluebird Cafe. \$10.

10 p.m.-midnight "Cajun Show" Johnny Allen, Jimmy C. Newman, Jim Oliver, Rufus Thibodeaux, Sonny Landreth, Curtis Wylie, others. Nashville Raceway (*).

10 a.m.-noon "All American Country Games" 40 stars at Vanderbilt Stadium (*).

11:30 a.m. "The Judas Museum Presentation" Country Music Hall of Fame (*).

11:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. "Country Writers Showcase" Reid Robinson, John Blaylock, Tim Nichols. Fountain Square. free.

2:30-4:30 p.m. "Warner Bros. Records Show" Michael Martin Murphey, Southern Pacific, The McCarters, K.D. Lang, Dwight Yoakam, Buck Owens. Nashville Raceway (*).

1:30 p.m. "Walkway of Stars Induction" for the late O.B. McClinton (*).

6:30 p.m. "Big Al Downing Fan Club Dinner/Party/Show" Rode-way Inn. \$15.

7:30-9:30 p.m. "RCA Records Show" Vinco Gill, Foster & Lloyd, Juice Newton, K.T. Oslin, Keith Whitley, Bailie & The Boys. Nashville Raceway (*).

7:30-11:30 p.m. "Blue Ridge Mountain Artist Showcase" Gilley's. \$3.

8:30 p.m. "Bluegrass Night" Hinson Brothers, Larry Cordle, others. Bell Cove Club. cover charge.

9 p.m. Chili Shack Show. Station Inn. \$5.

9 p.m. Hubert Davis & The Season Travelers. Bluegrass Inn. \$4.

10 p.m. Delbert McClinton. Exit/In. \$3.

10 p.m.-2 a.m. "Superstar Spectacular" The Oak Ridge Boys, Charley Pride, Kathy Mattea, John Conlee, Vern Gosdin, Patty Loveless, Larry Boone, Dan Seals, Johnny Russell, Holly Dunn, Johnny Rodriguez, Moe Bandy, Tim Malchuk, The Kendalls, Becky Hobbs, Michael Martin Murphey, John Wesley Ryles, S-K-B, Keith Whitley, Forester Sisters, Marty Haggard, Mason Dixon, Jim Ed Brown & Helen Cornelius, Ronnie McDowell, Lorie Morgan, The McCarters. Opry House. sold out.

THURSDAY:

9:30 a.m. "Walkway of Stars Induction" Dwight Yoakam. Country Music Hall of Fame (*).

10 a.m.-noon "Capitol Records Show" Marie Osmond, Johnny Rodriguez, Sawyer Brown, Dan Seals. Nashville Raceway (*).

11:30 a.m. "Jeanne Pruett Fish Fry and Show" Uncle Bud's Restaurant. Franklin, Tenn. cover charge.

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