TV Watching

Tribute to Eubie, Globetrotters highlight weekend viewing

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION — A tribute to composer Eubie Blake will be broadcast this weekend. See TV Watching.

By Vanessa Johnson

Friday

Mike Douglas: Co-host Valerie Harper is joined by Gil Gerard, impressionists Roger and Roger, jaz group The Crosaders and others. 4:30-6:00 p.m.-Ch. 13.

B.A.D. Cats: A deranged moralist routs prostitutes and steals their cars, leaving threatening epithets in his wake. Starring Jimmie Walker. 8:00-9:00 p.m.-Ch. 13.

NBA Basketball: The Bullets take on the 76ers at Philadelphia. 8:00-10:00 p.m.-Ch. 20.

Saturday

Movie: "The Autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman", Cicely Tyson won an Emmy for this TV-movie about a Southern black who is born in slavery and lives to see the civil-rights movement of the 1960s. 11:30-1:30 a.m.- Ch. 2.

Sunday

Movie: "Come Back Charleston Blue", sequel to "Cotton Comes to Harlem" with Godfrey Cambridge and Raymond St. Jacques as police detectives investigating a mysterious drug shortage in the black community. 5:00-7:00 p.m.-Ch. 20.

Memories of Eubie: A celebration of Eubie Blake. Joining Eubie are singers Albert Hunter and Lynnie Godfrey and jazz pianist Billy Taylor. 8:00-9:00 p.m.-Ch. 22 & 67.

Merv Griffin; The guests include Anthony Newley, Woody Herman, Franklyn Ajaye, and others. 9:00-10:00 p.m.-Ch. 5.

The Jeffersons: Louise Isabel Sanford becomes so involved with TV coverage of her suicide-prevention work that she neglects a young woman's need for help. StarringSherman Hemsley. 9:30-10:00 p.m.-Ch. 2.

THE TROTTERS AND ST. NICK — The Harlem Globetrotters trade jokes with Santa Claus and sportscaster Jim McKay when the basketball wizards appear on "ABC's Wide World Of Sports," Saturday, Jan. 12. See TV Watching.

Artist features abstract works

"Charles Burwell: Paintings and Drawings," an exhibition of abstract works by this Philadelphia-born artist, will be presented at the Delaware Art Museum's Downtown Gallery, 901 Market St., in Wilmington, Dela.

The show, which begins with an opening reception from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on Jan. 8, will continue through Feb. 7.

Burwell, who received his Master of Fine Arts degree from the Yale School of Art last June, will be displaying works done in oil, acrylic, watercolor, pastel and encaustic.

This will be Burwell's first one-man show since his thesis exhibition at Yale.

Prior to his thesis exhibition, Burwell has exhibited at the University of Pennsylvania, Moore College of Art, Tyler School of Art, and in "A Square is a Square," a regional juried exhibition at the Cheltenham Art Center.

In addition to these exhibitions, he has designed and painted city wall murals throughout Philadelphia with the Philadelphia Museum of Art's Department of Community Programs.

He has taught art to youth groups in the city schools as well as those in a gang control program.

While in school, Burwell studied painting with Al Held, printmaking with Gabor Peterdi, and art history with Robert Herbert. Working as an apprentice with the Visiting Artists Workshop program at the Brandywine Graphic Workshop in Philadelphia, he assisted Romere Bearden with layout and printing silkscreen.

The Delaware Art Museum's Downtown Gallery, located in the Bank of Delaware Building in downtown Wilmington, is open to the public free of charge during banking hours.

Christ Church choir to perform Jan. 20

The Christ Church Concert Association will present the Christ Church Choir in concert, Sunday, Jan. 20 at 4 p.m. at Christ Lutheran Church, Charles and Hill sts.

The concert will follow a vespers service in the new Lutheran Book of Worship.

The choir will perform the "Benedicite" by Ralph Vaughn Williams, the Monteverdi "Magnificat" and "In Dulci Jubilo" by Dietrich Buxtehude.

The choir will be assisted by members of the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra with Dr. Paul Davis conducting choir and orchestra.

The concert, partially funded by a grant from the Musician's Union of Baltimore City, is open to the public free of charge.

Jesse Walker in New York

The latest from the Big Apple

The results of the first national black poll conducted by Data Black National Public Opinion Poll Inc. will be released on Thursday, Jan. 17 by joint owners Percy Sutton, former Manhattan Borough President, and renowed psychologist, Dr. Kenneth B. Clark. The research and analysis company is structured to conduct national surveys of black attitudes, opinions, habits, preferences and customs.

"WBLS is listened to by both the upward mobile, well-heeled young and the so-called 'little people'- this has resulted in WBLS capturing a superior share of both the white and black middleclass listeners 12 years and older," explains WBLS General Manager - President Pierre "Pepe" Sutton as the station regained its supremacy as the most listened - to radio station in the New York Metropolitan area.

Michael Schultz, the top black director in Hollywood, should be very happy the reviews of his latest 'Scavenger Hunt" came out on Christmas Day when hardly anyone was reading the newspapers closely. One reviewer described it as "a picture which tries harder to be funny and succeeds less than anything on record." Another: "This 20th Century Fox release is loud, obnoxious and above all, unfunny."

The Boys Choir of Harlem's tour of Haarlem, Holland, Dec. 21-25, will be seen on WABC-TV on Jan. 15.

"Roots" star LaVar Burton has been signed to star in CBS' "The Mad Messiah," and will portray one of the more reluctant members of Jim Jones' People's Temple who becomes one of the few who survive the horror of Guyana.

Curt Clemons, news reporter for radio station WBLS was among eight recipients of journalism awards announced by the Patrolmen's Benevolent Association.

Philadelphia - based Broadcasting Enterprises National Inc., headed by Ragan A. Henry, will add Baltimore's WITH-AM, a CBS affiliate to its growing list of radio holdings. Purchase price, pending FCC approval, is $75,000.

Award-winning playwright Ed Bullins sought $5,000 damages for the killing in Philadelphia of his 24-year-old son by an out-of-control police car in August 1978. Instead, Chief U.S. District Judge Joseph S. Lord III fixed appropriate compensation at $5,822. An eight-member jury decided that young Bullins, on welfare at the time of his death, had an average annual income of $4,500.

The Beverly Hills-Hollywood NAACP Branch will hand out its 12th annual Image Awards at the Hollywood Palladium on Jan. 27. Columbia's "Fast Break," a film about a black basketball team coached by a white man, (Gabe Kaplan) leads individual pictures with nine nominations. Universal's "Wiz" is right at its heels with eight. Fox's "Norma Rae" and Universal's "Battlestar Galactica" are tied with six nominations each.

Newsman Dick Edwards "launched" the new career of singer Virginia Jones in a showcase at Showman's on West 125th Street. She's a jazz singer who graduated from Baptist church choirs many years ago and is a favorite of the uptown crowd.

Studio Museum in Harlem presents "Barkley Hendricks: oils and watercolors and collages" from Jan. 20 to March 30. Schenley Imports is hosting the opening reception. Hendricks is well-known for his life-size oil paintings of men and women.

An exhibition of oils, watercolors and pen and ink drawings by Edwina Granger is now on view at the second floor Art Gallery of the Harlem State Office Building through Jan. 17.

A Manhattan Supreme Court Justice ordered the release of Imamu Amiri Baraka, the playwright, from a 90-day jail term pending the outcome of his appeal of a conviction for resisting arrest. Baraka, who was once known as LeRoi Jones and is now a lecturer at Stony Brook University on Long Island, was convicted by a Criminal Court jury of resisting arrest by police in Greenwich Village who had interrupted a dispute between him and his wife last June 8.

A Harlem Happening is the New Year's Eve Party hosted by Gallivanters Inc., one of the oldest clubs in the community. It's a black tie affair held each year at the Kennedy Center and folks who haven't seen each other all year turn out to have a ball.

The small town of Taft, Okla. is still trying to get $10,000 from Redd Foxx promised them when he was named honorary police chief back in 1974. It was supposed to go toward consruction of a swimming pool. The account with the money was transferred from one bank to another which closed and has now reopened, but Taft officials can't withdraw any money because no one in town is a signee of the Redd Foxx Foundation Fund.

Duke Ellington's sister, Ruth Ellington James, and baritone McHenry Boatwright were wed and had a reception at the Stork Club.

Production is to start Feb. 15 on a three-hour public TV documentary on the history and evolution of the civil rights movement of the 1960s, financed by a $400,000 grant by the National Endowment for the Humanities.

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5. Send One Your Love — SStevie Wonder
6. Move Your Boogie Body — Bar - Kays
7. Forever Mine — The O'Jays
8. The Second Time Around — Shalamar
9. You Know How To Love Me — Phyllis Hyman
10 Just A Touch Of Love — Slave

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1.. Xff The Wall — Michael Jackson
2. Masterjam — Rufus & Chaka
3. Prince
4. Teddy Live! Coast To Coast — Teddy Pendergrass
5. Identify Yourself — The O'Jays
6. Journey Through the Secret Life Of Plants — Stevie Wonder
7. Injoy — Bar - Kays
8. Midnight Magic — Commodores
9. We're The Best Of Friends — Natalie Cole - Peabo Bryson
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Jazz Albums

1. One On One — Bob James & Earl Klugh
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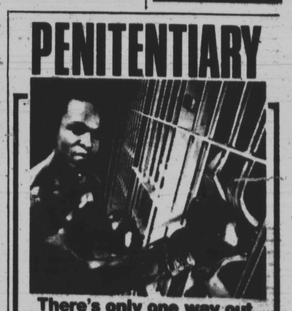
4. Master Of The Game — George Duke
5. Rise — Herb Alpert
6. Street Life — Crusaders
7. A Taste For Passion — Jean Luc Ponty
8. Best Of Friends — Lenny White
9. 8:30 — Weather Report
10 Street Beat — Tom Scott

Disco records

1. The Second Time Around - Right In The Socket — Shalamar
2. Wear It Out — Stargard
3. Vertigo - relight My Fire — Dan Hartman
4. Deputy Of Love — Don Armando's 2nd Avenue Rumba Band
5. I Wanna Be Your Lover — Prince
6. Don't Let Go — Isaac Hayes
7. No More Tears (Enough is Enough) Donna Summer - Barbara Striesand
8. Smack Dab In The Middle — Janice McClain
9. Can't Stop dancing — Sylvester
10 Love Massage - Good And Plenty Lover — Musique



Calendar of events

Places to go, things to do

BONG SHOW TELETHON FOR EPILEPSY - Get your act together for the zanies, most unbelievable two hours of entertainment in Baltimore history!

Join Baltimore's best politicians and personalities and show off your hidden talents on the second annual Bong Show Telethon for Epilepsy.

This local rendition of television's popular Gong Show, to air March 11 on WMAR-TV, is your big chance to get on the air and to help the many persons in Maryland with epilepsy.

The Bong Show wants you! Come out and audition on Tuesday, Feb. 5 and Wednesday Feb. 6 from 5-10 p.m. Schedule your audition NOW by calling Sharon Rosen at 243-4811.

PARENT AND FAMILY COUNSELOR TRAINING PROGRAM - The Regional Institute for Children and Adolescents, 605 S. Chapelgate Lane, Baltimore will offer a free 12 week parent and family counselor training program.

The counselor training program will consist of two sessions of training and orientation: Wednesday, Jan. 23 and Wednesday, Jan. 30. The remaining ten sessions to be conducted on Wednesday, Feb. 6th through April 9th will provide supervised counseling experience in applying behavioral counseling techniques with parents, families and couples. College or inservice credit may be available from the counselor's school or own agency.

For additional information, please contact Dr. Samuel Berkowitz, Director, Parent Clinic at 455-7663 or 455-7697.

YWCAerobics Classes Offered At Provident Hospital - Concerned about being physically fit? Shape up in a YWCAerobics class. Beginning in January, YWCAerobics will be offered in your community, at the Provident Hospital Helene Fuld School of Nursing, on Liberty Heights and Towsnda Ave. Classes meet for 24 sessions on Mondays and Wednesday, 5:30 - 6:30 p.m., and Tuesdays and Thuradays, 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Register now for YWCAerobics class at Provident Hospital. For information call the YWCA, 685-1460.

MELLOW MUSIC AT THE TOP OF THE WORLD - Enjoy a concert of easy listening music against the background of Baltimore's most spectacular scenery. On Sunday, Jan. 20, from 2:30 - 3:30 p.m. "A Touch of Class" will perform at the Top Of The World, 27th floor observation level of the World Trade Center. The popular musical trio will entertain with selections ranging from early ragtime to Barry Manilow.

The Top Of The World is a permanent celebration of Baltimore's past, present, and future offering a panoramic view, multi-media exhibits, and an international gift shop. Admission is $1.00 for adults, 75 cents for children and senior citizens. Hours are from 10 a.m. til 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday and from noon til 5 p.m. on Sunday. The Top Of The World is a project of the Baltimore Office of Promotion and Tourism. For further information call 837-4515.

PROGRAM ON JOB SEARCHING - A program on how to search for a job in a creative way will be given at the Woodlawn Branch of the Baltimore County Public Library on Tuesday, Jan. 22, from 7 to 9 p.m.

The speaker will be Phil Ringle, a professor at Catonsville Community College. He will also give the second program in the series, "How to Write an Effective Resume" which will be given at the Woodlawn Branch on Tuesday, Jan. 29. It also starts at 7 p.m.

Admission to either program is free of charge and no tickets are required. The Woodlawn Branch is located at 1811 Woodlawn Drive.

BUSINESS PROGRAM OFFERED AT VILLA JULIE COLLEGE - A business program designed for clerical workers, secretaries and technical personnel who wish to move into mangerial positions is being offered in the Evening Spring Semester at Villa Julie College, beginning Jan. 28, 1980.

The program includes a choice of classes in Data Processing, Word Processing, and Accounting. Electives are available in Real Estate Principles and Travel Agency Management.

All classes are three-credit course offerings.

Registration may be made in person or by phone on weekdays, or by mail.

For more information and a free copy of the evening schedule of classes, call Barbara Hawkins, director of special programs, 486-7000.

Villa Julie College is located on Green Spring Valley Road, midway between Falls Road and Park Heights Ave. Free parking is available on campus adjacent to buildings.

MAGIC PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN - A magic program for children six to 12 years of age, will be held at the Towson Area Branch of the Baltimore County Public Library on Saturday, Jan. 19, at 1:30 p.m.

The program will be given by Mike Schirmer who will perform many magical tricks. Admission is by free ticket which can be obtained from the Towson Area Branch, located at 320 York Road in Towson.

BALTIMORE INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION OF PHOTOGRAPHY TO BE HELD - The Baltimore Camera Club is sponsoring an exhibition and world-wide competition in monochrome prints, color prints, and slides. This competition is open to everyone.

The judging will take place in the club meeting room located at 509 York Road in Towson. The slide judging will be held on Friday, Jan. 25, 8 p.m. and on Saturday, Jan. 26, 9 a.m.

Print judging will take place on Saturday, Jan. 26, at 9 a.m. The public is invited to attend the judging.

The competition is open to everyone. The deadline for submitting photographic entries in the exhibition is Jan. 22, 1980. For entry forms and information, please call 665-6759.

PUPPET PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN - Children four to 12 years of age can learn how to make a puppet at the program, to be held on Thursday, Jan. 17, at 4:30 p.m. at the Turner's Station Branch of Baltimore County Public Library.

Admission is by free ticket which can be picked up at the Turner's Station Branch, located at 411 New Pittsburg Ave. in Turner's station.

TALK ON DRUG ABUSE - A talk on drug abuse and young adults in prison will be given at the Essex Area Branch of the Baltimore County Public Library next Tuesday, Jan. 15 at 7:30 p.m.

The speaker will be Pete Kambouris, of Project Turnaround, sponsored by the Baltimore County Police Department. Admission to the program is free of charge and no tickets are required. The Essex Area Branch is located in the Middlesex Shopping Center at 1110 Eastern Boulevard in Essex.

BON SECOURS HOSPITAL is offering newly expanded eye services in its inpatient, outpatient and emergency areas. An Eye Clinic operated by the hospital's ophthalomology department offers complete eye examinations on Tuesday afternoons and Wednesdays. The examinations includes a vision test, refraction (correction for vision), glaucoma check and fetinal examination. Appointments for the eye clinic may be made by calling 235-7100, ext. 299.

Bon Secours Hospital is located at 2000 W. Baltimore St.

The Fine Arts Department of Villa Julie College is introducing a new course in Graphic Arts beginning with the spring semester Jan. 28.

The course, (for 3 credits) to be taught by Sandor Biro of the Fine Arts faculty, will be offered Wednesday afternoons from 2 to 4:50 p.m. Designed for either the beginning or advanced art students, it will cover the use and purpose of commercial art, career possibilities in advertising agencies, newspapers, publishing houses, department store art departments etc. Students will be taught the basic studio skills, such as paste-up, mechanical layouts, and proportional scaling.

For more information call 486-7000.

Saint Joseph Hospital's OUTREACH program will hold a Stress Workshop for Women on Saturday, Jan. 26 from 9:30 to 4 p.m. at the OUTREACH house, 40 Church Lane, Texas, Md.

The workshop is for women of all ages — women in their twenties working on career decisions; women in their thirties recently separated; women in their forties returning to the business world; and women in their fifties wanting to know what new roles for women have to do with their lives.

The workshop is limited to 20 participants and cost $15.00 a person. Reservations may be made by calling 628-7127 between 9 a.m. and 12 noon, Monday through Friday.

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NEW SERIES STAR — Multi-talented entertainer Ben Vereen stars as E. L. "Tenspeed" Turner in ABC's new comedy-adventure series, "Tenspeed and Brown Shoe," which premieres in a special two-hour movie presentation, Sunday, Jan. 27, 8 p.m. Vereen stars as a con-man who teams up with a daydreaming stockbroker to form an unlikely pair of private detectives. The show will air regularly on Sundays, 8 to 9 p.m. beginning Feb. 3.

Federal Theatre presents 'MASH,' plans auditions

The Federal Theatre will present its winter production, "MASH," on Friday and Saturday, Jan. 11 and 12 at 8 p.m. and Sunday, Jan. 13 at 3 p.m., at Salem Lutheran Church, Battery Avenue at Randall Street.

The theatre is also holding auditions for "South Pacific" from 2 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 27 at the church.

"MASH" stars David Hobeck as Capt. Benjamin Franklin "Hawkeye" Pierce and James Lewis as Trapper John McIntyre.

Other featured performers include David Sobourn as Col. Henry Blake; Jane Barnhart as Maj. Margaret "Hot Lips" Houlihan; Fred Nauton as Capt. Duke Forrest; Mary Beth Newark as Capt. Bridget McCarthy; Shirley Lucke as Lt. Janice Fury, and Brian Hurley as Cpl. "Radar" O'Reilly.

For ticket information, call 444-9196.

"South Pacific" applicants should be prepared to sing "My Country 'Tis of Thee," dance a series of simple, demonstrated steps, create a character in an improvisational situation with two members of the company, participate in a personal interview and perform a prepared reading.

Readings will include: Tom from the opening scene of "The Glass Menagerie for male applicants; Blanche's reminiscences from Act II of "A Streetcar Named Desire" for female applicants, and page one of A.A. Milne's "Winnie the Pooh" for children.

Readings can be obtained in advance by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Federal Theatre, 1502 Tunlaw Road, Baltimore, Md. 21218.

For more information, call 467-4089 between 7 and 10 p.m.

Bowie producing drama on life of Martin Luther King

"Michael: A King," a play written by Al Boswell, which highlights the life and accomplishments of Martin Luther King Jr., will open the new year for the S. Randolph Edmonds Players of Bowie State College, Feb. 16 at 8 p.m. in the Martin Luther King Auditorium. The show will run for two weekends, Feb. Feb. 16, 17, 23, 24.

The script has been described as a "play within a play" by Dr. H.D. Flowers II who first premiered the play at South Carolina State College where it received outstanding local and regional reviews.

The play opens with a young novice being shown around a theater by a knowledgable tour guide and theater connoiseur.

The novice's curiosity to learn how the theater brings the play to life serves as a catalyst for the rest of the events that follow. The guide sets the stage, and with the help of many actors, actresses and stagehands, the play begins.

The subject matter chosen by the novice is the life of a king and from this initial introduction "to the palace of lies," the theater, many self evident truths emerge.

From the Rosa Parks incident to the black power movement in the late '60s, the civil rights songs of struggle, the chants, speeches and individual reflections of the past are all historically and accurately relevant.

Climaxed with an ending that only the directoral expertise of H.D. Flowers' many years of experience could engineer, "Michael: A King" will bring renewed hope and dedication to those who attend.

The play is entertaining, educational, historical and inspirational. It will be presented in conjunction with Black History Month observances at Bowie State College for the fine and performing arts department contribution.

For more information, call or write the department, at Bowie S tate College, 464-3441, C.M. Ferguson, theater manager, or H.D. Flowers II, chairperson.

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Pratt offers free movies

Below is a list of free movies for adults and young adults offered by the Enoch Pratt Free Library the week of Jan. 13 to 19.

"I Have a Dream... The Life of Martin Luther King," a film biography using newsreel footage of significant events in the civil rights movement of the '50s and '60s, will be shown at 3:30 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 15, at the Edmondson Avenue branch, 4330 Edmondson Ave.

Jose Ferrer stars in the title role of "Cyrano de Bergerac," the classic about a brilliant swordsman with an usightly nose, to be shown at 3 p.m., Wednesday, Jan. 16, at the Herring Run branch, 3801 Erdman Ave.

The first segment of "The Adams Chronicles," "John Adams: Lawyer," which follows the American Revolutionary War hero through the early years of his career and marriage, will be screened along with a Charlie Chaplin short at 6 p.m., Wednesday, Jan. 16, at the Canton center, 1030 S. Ellwood Ave.

Rosalind Russell stars as ace reporter Hildy Johnson in "His Girl Friday," to be shown at 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, Jan. 16 at the Light Street branch, 1251 Light St.

Lost on the ocean with a notorious killer, Laurel and Hardy find in "Saps at Sea," to be shown at 2 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 19 at the central branch, 400 Cathedral St.

"Paradise in Harlem," an all-black musical featuring performances by Mamie Smith, Frank Wilson and Edna Mae Harris, can be seen at 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, Jan. 19, at the Pennsylvania Avenue branch, 1531 W. North Ave.

Night Scene

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in Anne Arundel Co.

The barbecue pit here is dome covered and charred barrel covers (the ones used to age whiskey) are burned into glowing coals then inserted into the pit over which the meat slowly smokes.

Have visited there twice—the first time, the barbecue was exquisite, the second time, the meat seemed to have been parboiled first, which while tenderizing, takes away from the natural flavor of the meat.

Then, comes The Hickory restaurant, which professes to serve country-style barbecue. It's located in the 4200 block Patterson Ave., just across the street from Reisterstown Plaza.

It too features an elongated bricked pit, where ribs, chicken, fish and chunks of beef are slow smoked. The menu carefully states that this is a family-owned, not a franchise operation, and valiant attempts are made to inculcate the Texas taste to the ribs.

They are indeed tender, and only the baby ribs were on display the night we visited. Unfortunately, the sauces were all just a bit bland—that fiery Texas sauce we were led to expect was missing. But, the place rates high because of the smoked-flavor ribs and beef.

MOSTLY FOR MUSIC

Saxophonist Rodger Rosenberg was scheduled to play The Bandstand Friday and Saturday, but a recording date forced a cancellation. He will not appear, but in his place should be one of the swingingest sessions around.

Have been waiting for it to occur. Arnold Sterling and his alto sax, will be the featured attraction, along with Reuben Brown, piano; Steve Novosel, bass, and Dude Brown, drums.

Arnold and Reuben are winners of the AFRO's And All That Jazz Award for 1979, and we are happy to see them together so soon after being named. And, if you've never heard these two—take our word for it, they are the absolute tops.

The Friday and Saturday only policy for the month of January is still in effect, so there is no concert on Sunday nights.