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"It's all about the music"

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Just what you've been waiting for—Edensong is back in town

The Queen City Balladeers's annual Edensong concert series, the most awaited event of the year for Balladeers and roots music fans alike, returns for the 48th straight year to the Seasingood Pavilion in Cincinnati's Eden park. The concerts are set for

four Fridays, July 8, 15, 22 and 29 and are free and open to the public.

This year's artist lineup includes a variety of musical acts sure to please fans of roots style music. Each concert presents a mix of different musical styles, and each offers a blend of veteran Edensong performers as well

as new acts appearing for the first time. Starting off the first concert on July 8 are Hawaiian Shirt Night, the Goshorn Brothers, Kyle Meadows & Tisa McGraw, Noah Wotherpoon & Jessi Bair, Anna & Milovan, Lagniappe, John Redell & Rick Howell, Ben Lapps, Silver Arm, Wild Carrot & the Roots Band, Lauren Houston, Shiny and the Spoon, Greg Jowasis, The Rattlesnakin' Daddies, Ricky Nye, Chris Collier, The Marshwiggles, John Ford, The Tillers, Robin Lacy & DeZydeco.

spoon and Jessi Bair and Anna and Milovan. Appearing in the second week's concert on July 15 are Lagniappe, John Redell and Rick Howell, Ben Lapps, Silver Arm and Wild Carrot

and the Roots Band.

The third concert on July 22 features Lauren Houston, Shiny and the Spoon, Greg Jowasis, The Rattlesnakin' Daddies and Ricky Nye.

The Edensong series ends on July 29 with Chris Collier, The Marshwiggles, John Ford, The Tillers and Robin Lacy and



DeZydeco.

All Edensong concerts begin at 8 pm. Parking is free across from the Seasingood Pavilion and on the

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surrounding streets of Eden Park and Mt. Adams. Free parking will also be available at the Cincinnati Art Museum if there is no museum event on that particular night.

This year's supporting Edensong sponsors include 89.7 WNKU-FM, the Bonbonerie, the Cincinnati Art Museum, Candyland Recording Studio, the Coffee Emporium, Everybody's Records, the Northside Tavern, Sitwell's Coffeeshouse, SweetT's Cupcakery and United Dairy Farmers.

Season ends but jams continue

Even though the Leo season has ended, the weekly music jams will continue through the summer. Balladeers will meet most Sundays at Sharon Woods on Kemper Road in Sharonville. The exact location is subject to change due to public access to picnic shelters, so check with Dave Laskey at laskdave@yahoo.com for info about dates and exact places in Sharon Woods.

Also, Monday evening jams, which are open to the public, have started at the Willis Music store in Eastgate Mall; call the store at 513-752-6341 for info.

And public bluegrass jams have started at noon on Saturdays at the Richwood Opry, next to the flea market along I-75 in Richwood KY.

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See you in September

This is the final issue of QCB Folknotes for this season. Until we return in September, questions about the Queen City Balladeers, the Leo Coffeehouse, booking, membership and volunteering can be directed to 513-321-8375. The next Leo Coffeehouse season opens on September 12.

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