



# Performance/Venue Schedule

\$7 each or \$25 for a family four-pack in advance;  
\$8 each or \$30 for a family four-pack at the event.

LOCATION	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	MIDNIGHT
1984	Play your favorite video games from the 1980's!													
Abundant Life Covenant Church		Little Hoover's Big Band	Little Hoover's Big Band	Voices of Deliverance	Voices of Deliverance									
Discovery Center	Enjoy exploring this interactive, hands-on museum committed to inspiring people of all ages.													
Gillioz Theatre	Skinny Improv	Nick, Ruell & Ned the Band	The Wingtips	Skinny Improv	Nick, Ruell & Ned the Band									
Kentwood Ballroom				Caduceus, the Doctor's Band										
Landers Theatre	Springfield Regional Opera & Springfield Symphony Orchestra	Young Artist & Youth Players	Y.E.S. Troupe	Y.E.S. Troupe										
Mediacom Ice Park							RetroGnomes	SuperCharge						
Ozarks Regional YMCA	Children's Hands-On Activities Rock Climbing Wall and Inflatables													
Park Central Library		Low Down Fancy	Jah Kings											
Vandivort Center				Forbidden Opera	Forbidden Opera									

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Look for a special performance from the Garbonzos. You never know where they might show up!

Performers & Locations subject to change

**11:30 TO MIDNIGHT**

**Fireworks Grand Finale**  
featuring  
**Kim Crosby**

The finale kicks off at  
**11:30 P.M.**  
at  
**Jordan Valley Park**  
with a live performance by  
**Kim Crosby.**

Then, ring in the New Year with a spectacular display of fireworks.

**Caduceus, the Doctor's Band** – Dance the night away as Caduceus, the Doctor's Band fills the Crystal Ballroom with big band sounds. Made up primarily of physicians and health care professionals, Caduceus takes its name from the ancient snake-and-rod symbol for medicine.

**Forbidden Opera** – "Forbidden Opera" which brought you "Frankenstein Meets The Trashman" and "Lucia Di Branson" lives again after a fifteen year hiatus filled with research and dental work. Featured this New Year's Eve will be a program entitled "The Upper and Lower Extremes Of The Human Voice: Whither and Whence and Why?"

**The Garbonzos** – Don't be surprised if you see this quirky band wandering the streets of First Night, playing their own zany brand of music – complete with original lyrics and out-of-this-world costumes.

**Hands-on Activities** – Bring your imagination and come create your own First Night 2010 memento. All of the supplies are provided for children to create an art project all their own. The activities will include face-painting, balloon twisting, and Chinese name painting with Hing Wah Hatch.

**Jah Kings** – Led by Alexander Kofi, Jah Kings produces their own brand of positive, inspirational funky roots reggae music that has been acclaimed and revered as one of the best up and coming reggae sounds in the country.

**Little Hoover's Big Band** – You won't want to miss this big band jazz performance. Little Hoover's Big Band, directed by Bob Holden, is made up of 20 community members that will wow you with their jazz renditions and pure talent.

**Lowdown Fancy** - The Lowdown Dancy is a country funk band from Springfield that combines the talents of four longtime veterans of the Ozarks music scene – Bo Brown, Mike Henderson, Steve Ames, and Aaron Holmes – to offer great original, live music.

**Nick, Ruell and Ned the Band** – Local favorites Nick, Ruell and Ned the Band have been a staple in the Springfield music scene for over 25 years. The group gets audiences going by exhibiting off-beat humor and superior musical talent. You might recognize these local celebrities from their Thursday night shows at McSalty's Pizza on Sunshine.

**RetroGnomes** – Jimi Hendrix? Bon Jovi? Twisted Sister? No, it's The RetroGnomes. This young band plays classic rock from the 70s and 80s, along with some of today's favorites. Sisters, Jessi and Joni Lemons, and brothers, Gunnar and Bowen Pennell range in ages from 8 to 12 years old. Don't be fooled by their ages. These kids can rock!

**Skinny Improv** – This dynamic improvisational comedy group creates scenes and games to entertain and involve the audience. Their hip, lighting-fast style of improvised sketches, scenes and music is guaranteed to keep you roaring with laughter.

**Springfield Little Theatre Y.E.S. Troupe** – A high energy musical theatre variety show featuring Springfield Little Theatre's talented high school aged performers known well throughout the community for their sparkling song and dance routines. This year's performances will feature excerpts from musicals such as Footloose, Urinetown, In The Heights, Big River, Thoroughly Modern Millie, The Full Monty, Swing The Musical, and Rent. Don't miss the chance to enjoy this exceptional entertainment at The Crown Jewel of the Ozarks, the Landers Theatre.

**Springfield Little Theatre Young Artists and Youth Players** - A spirited musical theatre variety show featuring Springfield Little Theatre's youngest youth performance troupes on their home stage at the historic Landers Theatre. This group of entertaining 2nd-9th grade students will present short skits along with song and dance numbers from popular shows such as Mama Mia, Shrek The Musical, and Peter Pan.

**Springfield Regional Opera & Springfield Symphony Orchestra** - The Springfield Regional Opera and the Springfield Symphony Orchestra have combined creative forces to bring you a one-time performance at First Night 2010.

**SuperCharge** – Beatles watch out – Springfield's own SuperCharge is here. Made up of 12 and 13 year olds - George, Sam, Brock and Ben - the group plays everything from classic to current rock.

**Voices of Deliverance** – The Voices of Deliverance Gospel Choir, directed by Samuel Knox, has shared its message of love an inspiration for almost 29 years in the Springfield area. Through their music and dynamic performances, the group gives the audience a better understanding of the inspirational music called Gospel.

**The Wingtips** – A blast from the past, the Wingtips will take you back to the "good 'ol days" when times were simpler and music was king. Enjoy this nostalgic a cappella performance from these First Night legends.