

Pistol River Concert Association



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KIMO HUSSEY

On August 11, 2018 the Pistol River Concert Association is proud to welcome back to the Friendship Hall, ukulele master Kimo Hussey for a special performance as part of a special Pistol River engagement.

It's not unusual for an artist to be invited to the Friendship Hall more than once, but seeing as Kimo was just here last November, the turn around time is a bit quicker than usual. That's all due to the special circumstances. Hussey will be leading a baritone ukulele retreat titled "De-Mystifying the Baritone Ukulele" August 9-12, which includes performing in our usual monthly concert. And get this, he has agreed that all ticket sales from his performance on the 11th will go to the Concert Association. So we will be getting a great show that doubles as a fundraiser for PRCA!



Those fortunate enough to attend Kimo's previous show can attest to gaining a new appreciation for how beautiful and versatile the ukulele can be, and what a wonderful performer Hussey is. We will no doubt hear a classic Hawaiian tune or two on the 11th - Hawaii is Kimo's native land after all - but most of the show will likely cover songs we've all grown up with, from Sinatra and Elvis to Leonard Cohen.

The retreat is not a workshop for beginners like Kimo held last November. In fact, most of the participants are seasoned baritone uke players that are coming from around the nation. If this is your instrument as well and you would like more information about the retreat, contact Les Stansell at les@stansellguitars.com. As part of the retreat, Kimo and the participants will be having a dinner on Friday night, August 10th that will be open to anyone interested in purchasing a ticket (\$50) to attend. In addition to a great meal, you'll be able to visit with Kimo and the musicians attending the retreat, and enjoy some dinner music that Hussey and his friends will be providing. Again, contact Les for the scoop.

This will be great show, and with the addition of the retreat members in the Hall, tickets are sure to sell out fast. So, make your reservations and mark your calendars for August 11th, at 8 PM at the Friendship Hall for a unique night of ukulele with Kimo Hussey!

Shows on the horizon



Saturday, September 22, 2018

Evie Ladin Band

Americana

Saturday, October 13, 2018

Flamenco Pacifico

Flamenco

Saturday, November 10, 2018

Marty O'Reilly and the Old Soul Orchestra

American Roots

Tickets for all shows are \$20 and are available at:

Gold Beach Books 541-247-2495

Wright's Custom Framing 541-469-7900

Tickets can also be reserved at www.pistolriver.com, or by calling 541-247-2848 and picked up at the door.

Tickets may also be purchased, if available at the door



Notes from the Board:

UKULELE RETREAT AUGUST 9-12 at Pistol River with ukulele master Kimo Hussey. Workshops, lessons, and a show with Kimo included. Space is limited. Tickets for non-retreat participants to dinner on August 10th with Kimo and the retreat participants, can be purchased for \$50 which will include music by Kimo and friends. Contact Les Stansell for more information and reserve a slot for this great opportunity! 541/247-7636 Or les@stansellguitars.com

A BIG THANKS to all who made contributions to PRCA in the last year! Your thoughtful gifts made it possible to make some great upgrades to the sound system and lighting, while not breaking the budget—meaning we were able to keep bringing in excellent acts for you to enjoy! Thank you, again!

A SPECIAL THANKS TO GOLD BEACH BOOKS AND WRIGHT'S CUSTOM FRAMING for being our ticket outlets. We couldn't do it without you! If you purchase tickets for our shows from these businesses, please give them a hearty thank you for their continuing contribution to the arts in our area!

Want to become a PRCA Member?

We welcome anyone as a member of the Pistol River Concert Association that has an interest in supporting the concert series. If you want to get a heads up on upcoming shows and wish to become a member or if it is time to renew your membership, please fill out, detach and mail the registration form below along with your check made payable to the Pistol River Concert Association. (It's tax deductible !!)

Please Print:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ ST: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Membership: Individual \$15 ___ Family \$20 ___ Amount enclosed _____

Please choose one: I would like to receive newsletter notification via e-mail _____ or Postal Service mail: _____

Please mail this form to: Pistol River Concert Association, Post Office Box 6086, Pistol River, Oregon 97444 Thanks!!!