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Sauk Valley Community Concert Association 2017-18 Season

Scott Kirby Main Street Souvenirs

October 12, 2017 – 7pm
Dixon High School



In search of the American Heartland... Scott Kirby presents a multi-media stage performance which features live piano music, a spoken narrative, and a video presentation.

The music in the first half of the program will span about 150 years of American pop, jazz and folk music.

The second half of the program features Kirby's original compositions for piano, his original paintings, old photos from long ago joined together as he plays the piano and talks about the history of the American Great Plains. Scott talks about small town American life and times and his comments will bring back wonderful memories.

Scott was first a musician and fine pianist, but his artistic passion grew to include visual art, and he has completed 75 paintings and 28 piano compositions. He divides his time between composing, painting, performing and teaching.



Croon

November 5, 2017 – 7pm
Centennial Auditorium
Sterling High School

Todd Murray leads this vocal show with a loose story line of how the microphone influenced singing, and how singing has evolved.

Todd Murray, the new leading man of cabaret, has all the needed ingredients: a mellow baritone voice, perfect diction, and great timing. His show, *CROON*, traces the history of crooning – defined as singing intimately with a microphone.

Todd has performed at New York's Town Hall and Jazz at Lincoln Center. He sings in *Showgirls: Glitz and Angst*, in the HBO Series *America Undercover* as well as several feature movies. He has been nominated for many awards for his vocals, CDs and song writing.

You will love this great young crooner.



J. Mark McVey

March 16, 2018 – 7pm
TBA

Broadway star J. Mark McVey performs a program of Broadway favorites and pops standards.

He made his Broadway debut as Jean Valjean in *Les Miserables* after having won the Helen Hayes Award for Outstanding Actor. He was the first American to perform the role in London's West End.

He made his Carnegie Hall Debut with Marvin Hamlisch and continues to perform with numerous symphonies around the country and the world. He made his PBS debut with the Special for the U.S. Military Troupes with The National Symphony Orchestra.

He earned a Double-Platinum record for his participation on the Trans-Siberian Orchestra CD, *The Lost Christmas Eve*. A collaborative project with Ernie Haase & Signature Sound including a recording, *Inspiration of Broadway* CD & DVD was released.

J. Mark's exquisite voice, producing very evocative, personalized singing connects to every audience member!

Alias Brass

April 28, 2018 – 7pm
Historic Dixon Theatre



The Alias Brass Company is described as "the only name for music innovation" by the Canadian Brass.

They are a collaboration of five uniquely talented artists. Their choreographed show is comprised of standards and original works. From Baroque and Classical, to Jazz and Pop, they play music for every taste.

Alias Brass is dedicated to inspiring the next generation of musicians through wide reaching workshops for young audiences.

They have been awarded professional residencies at the Raphael Mendez Brass Institute in Denver, and the Banff Centre for the Arts in Canada.

Alias Brass's shows create an experience that is both engaging and exciting. They have delighted audiences across America.

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