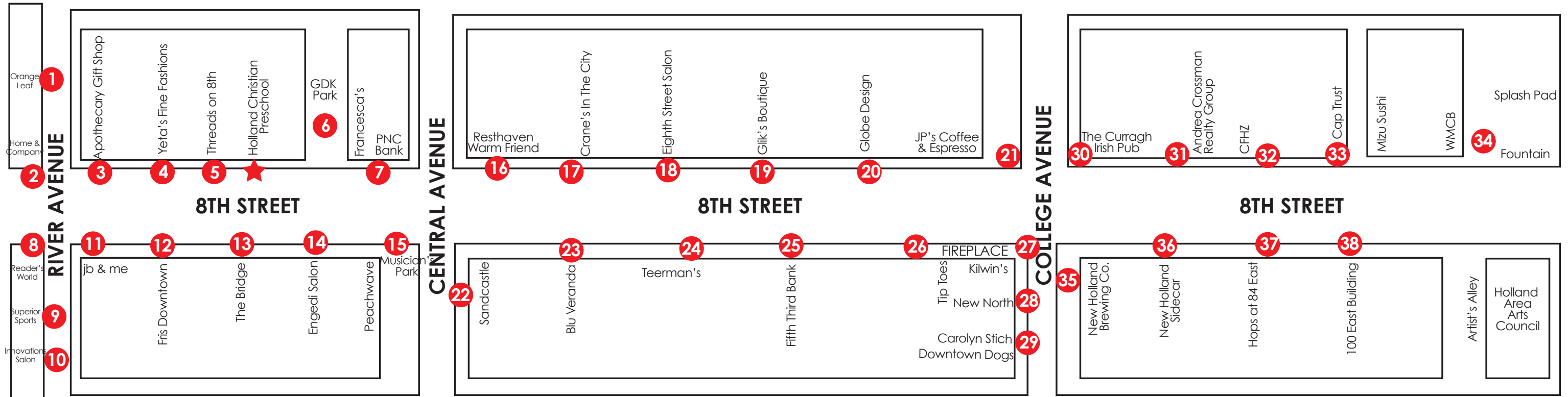


2015 Street Performer Series Performance Locations



★ Children and their parents are invited to join the staff from Holland Christian Preschool every Thursday during the Street Performer Series from 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm for fun games and free crafts!

- 01. Orange Leaf
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- 05. Threads on 8th
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- 12. Fris Downtown
- 13. The Bridge

- 14. Engedi Salon
- 15. Musicians Park
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- 17. Cranes In The City
- 18. Eighth Street Salon
- 19. Glik's Boutique
- 20. Globe
- 21. JP's Coffee & Espresso Corner
- 22. Sandcastle
- 23. Blu Veranda
- 24. Teerman's
- 25. Fifth Third Bank
- 26. Tip Toes

- 27. Kilwin's Corner
- 28. New North
- 29. Downtown Dogs/Carolyn Stich
- 30. Curragh Irish Pub Corner
- 31. Andrea Crossman Realty Group
- 32. Community Foundation Holland/Zeeland
- 33. Cap Trust
- 34. Side of Splash Pad
- 35. New Holland Brewing (On College)
- 36. New Holland Sidecar
- 37. Hops at 84 East
- 38. 100 East Building

2015 Street Performer Series Performer Schedule

Location	June 11	June 18	June 25	July 2	July 9 - Kids Night	July 16	July 23	July 30	August 6	August 13 - Teen Night	August 20	August 27
01. Orange Leaf	Trenton Van Bronkhorst	String Fury	Brass Brothers	Justin & Abigail	Calico	String Fury	Steph Gillett	Alison McDaid	The Guesstimation Band	Jason Chertos	Josie Vandermolten	Grace Metheany
02. Home & Company Corner	Thumb Buddy Loves You	Henna by Anna Schierbeek	Henna by Jahara Begum	Calico	Trenton Van Bronkhorst	Trenton Van Bronkhorst	Calico	Kalamazoo Saxophone Quartet	Cello Duetto	Randy & Darlene Schaap	La Bella Vita	Corey Ruffin
03. Apothecary Gift Shop	The Balloon Guy	Corey Ruffin	Zach Rasmusson	Randy & Darlene Schaap	Thumb Buddy Loves You	Cello Duetto	Madalyn Buursma	Giggles & Chuckles Carnival	The Raveling Hearts	Madalyn Buursma	Randy & Darlene Schaap	Dually Noted
04. Yeta's Fine Fashions	Josie Vandermolten	Steph Gillett	Seasonal Ginger	Steven Michael	The Oxford Commas	Henna by Kennedy Conrad	Mackenzie Tenbrink	Lian Robinson	Henna by Jahara Begum	Kaylie McConnell	Thumb Buddy Loves You	The Balloon Guy
05. Threads on 8th	Zach Rasmusson	Dez's Face Painting	Grace Metheany	Joe Heemstra	String Fury	Birch & Oak	Tee & Stina	Randy & Darlene Schaap	Michael Graverson	Caricatures by Gene	Brother Adams	Paul Van Kempen
06. Inside GDK Park	Bangarang Circus	Circle Junkeez		Will Juggle/Ben Comedy	Bangarang Circus	Circle Junkeez	Bangarang Circus	Will Juggle/Ben Comedy	Bangarang Circus	Mat Emerick	Bangarang Circus	Will Juggle/Ben Comedy
07. PNC Bank	Dually Noted	Lian Robinson	Mystic	Danielle Stewart	Anna Kremer & Rachel Jacoby	The Balloon Guy	Brad Lancaster	The Oxford Commas	The Oxford Commas	Skyler & Nikki	Marlies Otteman	Brad Lancaster
08. Reader's World Corner	Doug Peterson	The Magic of Trino	Steph Gillett	Dez's Face Painting	Giggles & Chuckles Carnival	Thumb Buddy Loves You	Henna by Anna Schierbeek	Henna by Jahara Begum	Juggler Gerry Bose	Henna by Jahara Begum	Henna by Kennedy Conrad	Robert Engle
09. Superior Sports	String Fury	Harrison Gugino	Beauty in a Blink	Dying Will Be Easy	Jason Chertos	Frederic & Ronza	Laura & John	Breaktime	Dually Noted	Superior Sports	Roosevelt Jones	Henna by Kennedy Conrad
10. Innovations Salon	Olivia Mainville	Bear Hug	Roosevelt Jones	Grace VanZanten	Michael Graverson	Beauty in a Blink	Justin & Abigail	Jason Chertos	Tee & Stina	Frederic & Ronza	Birch & Oak	Dying Will Be Easy
11. Jb & me	Dez's Face Painting	Seasonal Ginger	Dan Mutschler	String Fury	Andrew Fathman	Juggler Gerry Bose	Andrew Fathman	Jonathan Hulst	Audacious Hoops	Steven Michael	Brad Lancaster	Audacious Hoops
12. Fris Downtown	Celtic Kilroy	Danielle Stewart	Celtic Kilroy	Doug Peterson	Skyler & Nikki	Breaktime	Corey Ruffin	Steph Gillett	Anna Kremer & Rachel Jacoby	Lane Ellens	Paul Van Kempen	Skyler & Nikki
13. The Bridge	Greg Hulsebos	Lia Weiss-Gelmi	Henna by Kennedy Conrad	Beauty in a Blink	Henna by Anna Schierbeek	Henna by Anna Schierbeek	Lia Weiss-Gelmi	Mystic	Dan Mutschler	Harrison Gugino	The Balloon Guy	Henna by Jahara Begum
14. Engedi Salon	Mystic	Andrew Fathman	Michael Graverson	Marlies Otteman	Greg Hulsebos	Tommy Pancy	Thumb Buddy Loves You	Doug Marlink	Lane Ellens	Grace Metheany	Lian Robinson	Cello Duetto
15. Musicians Park			Will Juggle/Ben Comedy	Circle Junkeez	Circle Junkeez	Will Juggle/Ben Comedy	Audacious Hoops	Circle Junkeez	Andrew Fathman	Circle Junkeez	Audacious Hoops	Circle Junkeez
16. Resthaven Warm Friend	Brioso String Quartet	Breaktime	The Bearded Ladies Men	Liv Panozzo	Bear Hug	Randy & Darlene Schaap	The Guesstimation Band	Liv Panozzo	Robert Engle	La Bella Vita	Zach Rasmusson	The Guesstimation Band
17. Cranes In The City	Bria West	Alison McDaid	The Magic of Trino	Henna by Jahara Begum	Beauty in a Blink	Josie Vandermolten	Henna by Jahara Begum	Dez's Face Painting	String Fury	Beauty in a Blink	String Fury	Beauty in a Blink
18. Eighth Street Salon	Skyler & Nikki	Lane Ellens	Paul Van Kempen	McKenzie & Michaela Stock	Josie Vandermolten	Brucie Cooke	Kate Morrissey	Danielle Stewart	Justin & Abigail	E2	The Oxford Commas	Brother Adams
19. Glik's Boutique	The Magic of Trino	Thumb Buddy Loves You	Bria West	Brad Lancaster	The Balloon Guy	Corey Ruffin	Dan Mutschler	Dan Mutschler	Dez's Facepainting	Henna by Anna Schierbeek	Dez's Face Painting	Britta Lindemulder
20. Globe	Joe Heemstra	Kayden Bryce	Kate Morrissey	Corey Ruffin	Joe Heemstra	Dually Noted	Jaren & Jade LaGore	Dually Noted	Brother Adams	Grace VanZanten	Joe Heemstra	Greg Hulsebos
21. JP's Coffee & Espresso Corner	Corey Ruffin	Will Juggle/Ben Comedy	Mat Emerick	Clay Howard	Corey Ruffin	Caricatures by Gene	Caricatures by Gene	Britta Lindemulder	Thumb Buddy Loves You	The Glistenettes	Mat Emerick	Thumb Buddy Loves You
22. Sandcastle			Tommy Pancy	The Balloon Guy	Dez's Face Painting	Jonathan Hulst	Lane Ellens	The Balloon Guy	The Appleberries	Danielle Stewart	Guesstimation Band	The Appleberries
23. Blu Veranda	Henna by Anna Schierbeek	Liv Panozzo	Anna Kremer & Rachel Jacoby	Mystic	Kayden Bryce	Dez's Face Painting	Mystic	Joe Heemstra	Corey Ruffin	Dan Mutschler	Dan Mutschler	Thom C. Eno & Friends
24. Teerman's	Randy & Darlene Schaap	Dan Mutschler	Henna by Anna Schierbeek	E2	Henna by Jahara Begum	Steph Gillett	Brother Adams	Corey Ruffin	Kayden Bryce	Steph Gillett	Justin & Abigail	Madalyn Buursma
25. Fifth Third Bank	Circle Junkeez	Maciek The Magician	Circle Junkeez	Giggles & Chuckles Carnival	Maciek The Magician	The Magic of Trino	Circle Junkeez	Steven Michael	Circle Junkeez	The Magic of Trino	Circle Junkeez	Maciek The Magician
26. Tip Toes	Mackenzie Tenbrink	E2	Mackenzie Tenbrink	Kayden Bryce	Grace VanZanten	Marlies Otteman	Anna Kremer & Rachel Jacoby	Michael Graverson	Steph Gillett	Anna Kremer & Rachel Jacoby	Doug Marlink	Michael Graverson
27. Kilwin's Corner	Henna by Jahara Begum	Grace VanZanten	String Fury	Seasonal Ginger	The Guesstimation Band	Henna by Jahara Begum	Bria West	String Fury	Bria West	Josie Vandermolten	Robert Engle	Juggler Gerry Bose
28. New North	Madalyn Buursma	Henna by Kennedy Conrad	Britta Lindemulder	Bria West	Harrison Gugino	Dan Mutschler	Kaylie McConnell	Doug Peterson	Henna by Kennedy Conrad	Mackenzie Tenbrink	Brucie Cooke	String Fury
29. Downtown Dogs/Carolyn Slich	Tommy Pancy	Randy & Darlene Schaap	Thom C. Eno & Friends	Dually Noted	Lian Robinson	Tee & Stina	McKenzie & Michaela Stock	Thumb Buddy Loves You	Doug Marlink	Jaren & Jade LaGore	E2	Doug Marlink
30. Curragh Irish Pub Corner	Middle Ground	The Raveling Hearts	Middle Ground	Middle Ground	Celtic Kilroy	Thom C. Eno & Friends	Middle Ground	Middle Ground	Zach Rasmusson	Olivia Mainville	Middle Ground	Celtic Kilroy
31. Andrea Crossman Realty Group	Giggles & Chuckles Carnival	The Balloon Guy	Dez's Face Painting	Mat Emerick	Mat Emerick	La Bella Vita	Robert Engle	Maciek The Magician	Steven Michael	Will Juggle/Ben Comedy	Seasonal Ginger	Breaktime
32. Community Foundation Holland/Zeeland	Mat Emerick	Juggler Gerry Bose	Trenton Van Bronkhorst	Dixie Brass	The Glistenettes	Mat Emerick	Will Juggle/Ben Comedy	Dixie Brass	Calico	Trenton Van Bronkhorst	Calico	Mat Emerick
33. Cap Trust	Brother Adams	Dying Will Be Easy	Jonathan Hulst	Henna by Anna Schierbeek	Steven Michael	The Appleberries	Brass Brothers	Seasonal Ginger	Giggles & Chuckles Carnival	String Fury	Maciek The Magician	Giggles & Chuckles Carnival
34. Splash Pad	Will Juggle/Ben Comedy	Bangarang Circus	Bangarang Circus	Bangarang Circus	Will Juggle/ Ben Comedy	Bangarang Circus	Mat Emerick	Bangarang Circus	Will Juggle/Ben Comedy	Bangarang Circus	Will Juggle/Ben Comedy	Bangarang Circus
35. New Holland Brewing (On College)	Liv Panozzo	Justin & Abigail	Josie Vandermolten	Cello Duetto	E2	Dying Will Be Easy	Dez's Face Painting	Caricatures by Gene	Thom C. Eno & Friends	Dez's Face Painting	Henna by Anna Schierbeek	The Raveling Hearts
36. New Holland Sidecar	Cello Duetto	The Guesstimation Band	The Appleberries	Doug Marlink	Lia Weiss-Gelmi	Paul Van Kempen	Greg Hulsebos	The Guesstimation Band	Mystic	Laura & John	Dale Evenhouse	Grace VanZanten
37. Hops at 84 East	Britta Lindemulder	Beauty in a Blink	Juggler Gerry Bose	Thumb Buddy Loves You	Madalyn Buursma	Giggles & Chuckles Carnival	Dale Evenhouse	Henna by Anna Schierbeek	Beauty in a Blink	The Balloon Guy	Giggles & Chuckles Carnival	Dez's Face Painting
38. 100 East Building	The Amazing Lancaster	Kalamazoo Sax Quartet	Madalyn Buursma	La Bella Vita	Grace Metheany	Seasonal Ginger	The Balloon Guy	Zach Rasmusson	Bear Hug	Brioso String Quartet	Kalamazoo Saxophone Quartet	Dixie Brass

* Performer Schedule and Locations Subject to Change.

Balloon Twisters

Dan The Magic Man

Dan Mutchler is a self-taught balloon artist who performs regularly at birthday parties, scouting events and art fairs. He also volunteers weekly at several nursing homes, performing card tricks and visiting with elderly residents.

Giggles and Chuckles Carnival
Lia McCormick Le-Tran and Thao-Chau Le-Tran are proud owners of Giggles and Chuckles Carnival Cart, a balloon-twisting, face painting, and speciality shop cart now in its third year at the Rivertown Mall.

The Balloon Guy
Jim Perry, also known as “The Balloon Guy,” has been twisting balloons for more than 30 years. He can make more than 100 different animals, bracelets and swords and enjoys working with children at a variety of community and church events.

Mady Buursma
Mady learned her balloon twisting talents from her mother when she was just 10 years old. She can make 25 different balloon animals, bracelets and swords and enjoys working with children at a variety of community and church events.

Caricature and Graphic Artists
Caricatures by Britta
Britta first learned to draw caricatures during a summer job at Michigan’s Adventure while attending Grand Valley State University for Illustration. She now draws independently at different events and enjoys interacting with costumers while giving them a silly memento they can keep forever.

Caricatures by Corey Ruffin
Corey is a nationally-renowned caricaturist, having illustrated for events all over the country. Trained under MAD Magazine’s Tom Richmond, his flair for comedy and exaggeration is guaranteed to tickle your funny bone.

Gene Haulenbeek
Gene is an experienced caricature artist who has earned a great reputation for the quality of his work at a number of different venues. Using a black marker and blender, he is happy to draw creative portraits of you and your friends.

Thumb Buddy Loves You
"Thumb Buddy Loves You!" is a multi-generational family art project. Grandma Melody Peterson and her granddaughter Clarissa Kovacs work together to create artwork keepsakes out of a child’s own thumbprint.

Circus Acts

Bangarang Circus
Bangarang Circus Arts is a collective of performance artists who share a passion for all things circus and a desire for community. It is their goal to offer the circus arts to everyone who seeks it. Bangarang Circus specializes in aerial arts, hooping and acrobatics.

Dancers

Allison McDavid
Allison is seventh grade student from Baldwin Street Middle School and the only tap dancer at the Street Performer Series. Allison has been tap dancing for ten years and participating in dance competitions for the last seven years.

Circle Junkeez Crew
The Circle Junkeez are a dynamic b-boy style dance crew from Holland who love to perform and entertain audiences. They travel throughout the Midwest and across the United States to battle in top-notch break-dancing competitions.

Mystic
Maribel Garza has been a belly dancer for over 12 years and Middle Eastern dancing is her passion. She has attended a variety of dancing seminars where she gets to meet and continue learning more about the art of belly dancing from professionals.

Henna, Temporary Tattoo and Face Paint Artists

Beauty in a Blink
For her first year in the Street Performer Series, Brittany Davito will be using an air compressor to create unique airbrush tattoos from her large selection of stencils and colors. She is a certified makeup artist, who attended Makeup First School of Makeup Artistry in 2011.

Face Painting by Dez
Dezarae Begay draws a variety of face paintings, including flowers and cartoon characters, using fluorescent paints, facial glitter and stick on gems. She enjoys entertaining children, including her own son and other young family members, with her face painting.

Harrison Gugino
Harrison uses Sharpie markers to create temporary tattoos on people in a creative and unique way. Harrison loves to meet new people while demonstrating her love of art for Street Performer Series audiences and is looking forward to her first year in the Series.

Henna Tattoos by Anna Schierbeek
Anna Schierbeek is a senior at Kendall College of Art and Design who currently studies drawing and painting. She started her henna tattoo business six years ago and is grateful for the continued the opportunity to participate in the Street Performer Series.

Henna Tattoos by Jahara Begum
Jahara has been a Street Performer in Downtown Holland for several years. She is able to use her talent as a henna tattoo artist to impress crowds, both young and old alike.

Henna Tattoos by Kennedy Conrad
Kennedy is a 15-year-old student at Zeeland West High School. She loves to play sports and is an extremely talented artist. One of the ways she enjoys expressing her art is in the form of temporary henna tattoos.

Hoopers and Twirling
Audacious Hoops
Miss Audacious and the Audacious Hoopers is a dynamic performance group that has been showcasing the best and boldest in professional hoop dance since 2008. Taking hoop dance to a new level, the Audacious Hoopers incorporate circus tricks, flow skills and audience interaction for an unforgettable experience that wows adults and children alike.

String Fury
Luke Westrate and Sky Lownds are a yo-yo duo out of Whitehall. They have been yo-yoing together for the past four years. On Thursday nights, they will be performing intermediate to advanced yo-yo tricks and skills to music.

The Glistenettes
Baton twirling is often a forgotten art, but The Glistenettes are excited to join the Street Performer Series in order to expose young girls to the Holland/Zeeland group and to the fun that comes with the sport!

Magicians

Andrew Fathman
Andrew is a senior at Hamilton High School who has been practicing magic and illusions for seven years, ever since he discovered his mother was once a magician as well. Andrew prides himself on performing an engaging, family-friendly performance, each and every time.

Brad Lancaster
Brad Lancaster has been performing his one-of-a-kind entertainment act for the past 30 years. Each of his performances offers a pervading sense of good, clean humor, quick-wit and surprise that makes his show simply marvelous.

Jonathan Hulst
Jonathan is a young magician who has been performing for about six years. He relies on card tricks to impress his audience. This will be Jonathan’s third year participating in the Street Performer Series of Holland.

Maciek the Magician
Maciek is an award-winning magician crowned by the community as Holland’s favorite act. He has appeared on a variety of TV shows, and won an award on AMC’s original series "Showville." Originally from Poland, Maciek performs with a unique, energetic style that audiences of all ages can relate to.

The Magic Of Trino
Trino began his journey in magic at the age of 13 as a way to pick up girls...not long after starting out, he realized that wasn't going to happen! With a unique style, Trino has helped bring magic up-to-date by using a combination of popular music, comedy and theatrics. Trino recently won first place at West Michigan’s Got Talent.

Steven Michael
This is Steven’s first year as a Street Performer Series participant. Although his love for magic was sparked several years ago, Steven has recently been taking private one-on-one lessons with John Sterlini, in Colon, MI, the Magic Capital of the World.

Mimes, Jugglers and Clowns
Bria West
Bria is a third-year student and soccer player at Cornerstone University. She has been soccer juggling since she was nine, and has fallen in love with it. She enjoys teaching kids how to play soccer in her free time.

Juggler Gerry Bose
Gerry has been a juggling enthusiast his whole life. Gerry is the former president of the Grand Rapids Juggling Club and has hosted four juggling festivals at the UICA in Grand Rapids. He is a member of the International Jugglers Association who had performed at a number of festivals and events and is particularly proud of his interview on National Public Radio.

Mat Emerick
Mat engages the audience with a giff for comedy, mimicry and silent act ending reminiscent of great mimes and physical comedians like Charlie Chaplin, Buster Keaton and Red Skelton. Mat tosses, balances and spins a variety of objects in a juggling show that will both excite and amuse an audience of any age.

Will Juggle
Will Oltman has been juggling for over 15 years. You will be impressed by the multitude of objects he can juggle while bantering with the crowd. Clubs, balls and rings, yes, but also traditional cigar boxes, shaker cups, Chinese yo-yo, knives, a hat, cane and more!

Ben Comedy

Ben’s dad taught him how to juggle at the age of four. Since then, Ben has been seen on TruTV’s hit show “Fake Off,” on cruise ships and on random corners around the world street performing. He will be teaming up with Will Oltman for the Street Performer Series for a dual juggling performance.

Seasonal Ginger
Peter Smedley, from Grand Haven, has been performing his juggling act since fifth grade. Over the years, Peter has expanded his skill set to include juggling balls, clubs, and knives. This is Peter’s first year in theStreet Performer Series.

Musicians

Anna Kremer and Rachel Jacoby
Both Anna and Rachel have always loved music, even before they met in high school. Rachel is a self-taught guitar player who got her start 7 years ago, and is known to dabble on the ukelele and the piano. Anna Kremer plays both the guitar and mandolin and was taught how to play by her father.

Bear Hug
Bear Hug started in the summer of 2011 as a group of recent Hope College grads busking together at the Holland Farmers Market. As they honed their craft of raucous bluegrass and indie folk, they expanded their performances to include weddings and benefit dinners. Bear Hug has recently reunited and is excited to return to its roots at the Street Performer Series.

Birch and Oak
Samuel Boerckel and Chase Ockerse have been playing music together for over three years. They have led their church’s worship team, played in their high school’s jazz and concert bands and performed on the streets of Downtown Holland together.

Brass Brothers
This young brass duo consists of Jack Joung and Athey Dykhouse. Jack plays the trumpet while Athey plays the tuba.

Breaktime
Breaktime is a barbershop quartet composed of members of the Holland Windmill Chorus. They have performed at churches, schools, parties, corporate functions and the Street Performer Series for over three years.

Brios String Quartet
From Bach to Broadway to the Beatles and beyond, the Brios String Quartet plays music for all ages. Violinists Amy Piersma and Tammy Clark hold college degrees in violin performance and have performed with the Holland Symphony. Laurie Van Ark plays the viola and is also active with the Holland Symphony. Cellist Ginger VandenBrink is a charter member of Brioso and the Holland Symphony. She also teaches private cello lessons.

Brother Adams
Brother Adams is a 3-piece band from Holland, formed in the spring of 2013. The band consists of brothers Jairimi and Bryce Driesenga, who are joined by Shane Adams. The trio produces a harmony-laden, boot-stompin', edge-of-your-seat live show and sound that friends and fans have been known to affectionately describe as "'saloon rock".

Brucie Cooke
Brucie began taking piano and horn lessons when he was a child growing up in Holland. Since retiring from teaching, he enjoys pursuing his longtime appreciation for music by playing guitar and percussion and singing folk and blues. This is Brucie’s seventh year performing in the Series.

Calico
Calico has been playing at an assortment of local venues for over 20 years. Members Peg Becker, Dave Kinsman, Gary Yruggink, Joe Thorstenson and Jack Dastoli sing and play an eclectic mix of genres on the guitar, banjo, harmonica and percussion.

Cello Duetto
These two brothers, Matthew and Ethan Heyboer, are both active members of the Holland Symphony Orchestra, who began their musical careers in fifth grade at West Ottawa Public Schools. Matthew is a Western Michigan University graduate and Ethan is a junior at West Ottawa High School.

Clay Howard
Clay Howard has been performing music as a solo artist and in bands for the past 25 years. He has played on stages from Memphis to Michigan and from Atlanta to New York City, playing both originals song and cover music.

Dale Evenhouse
As a Holland Christian graduate and recent retiree, Dale will be making his Street Performer Series debut. He started playing ukelele in 1963 and shortly after picked up the guitar. In the early 70’s, Dale played in coffee houses both solo and with folk groups.

Danielle Stewart
As a recent graduate of Grand Valley State University, Danielle has moved back to Holland and works with the American Red Cross as an AmeriCorps member. She will join the Series this year as an extraordinary acoustic guitar player and vocalist.

Dixie Brass
Dixie Brass plays traditional dixie music, jazz standards and a few popular tunes. The members are all lifelong musicians that display their talents at a variety of community events all over Michigan.

Doug Marlink
Doug began playing banjo in the mid 1970’s. He performs mostly bluegrass and some jazz music on the banjo. He is a regular performer both in Downtown Holland and at the Holland Farmers Market.

Doug Peterson
In the classic tradition of the ancient traveling minstrels, Doug takes his guitar and voice to the streets. Trained with over fifteen years of Renaissance Festival experience, he entertains passers-by with his originals, modern covers, and traditional Celtic songs.

Dually Noted
After hearing about the Street Performer Series, Jared Norwood and Samantha Rithamel organized a group and began to practice! Jared, a recent high school graduate, plays electric guitar, while Samantha, a member of the audition only choir at West Ottawa High School, will accompany him with vocals. This will be their second summer at the Series.

Dying Will Be Easy
Brothers James and Ben Woiwode, along with friend Cameron Hurd, have been playing music together on and off for more than 10 years. The three have compiled an extensive repertoire consisting of many originals along with covers of old blues tunes such as "Jesus Gonna Make Up My Dying Bed" by Blind Willie Johnson, their namesake song.

E2
E2 is made up of friends and singers Emmalyse Kleyn and Esther Pleune, who also play the keyboard, ukulele and guitar. E2 started playing together six years ago and have performed in churches and he will serve as a vocalist and guitar player for this coming year.

Laura and John
Laura Brouwer and John Andersen are a singing, electric guitar and acoustic duo. Laura and John have been playing and performing in a praise band together for several years.

Lia Weiss-Gelmi
Lia is a ten-year-old who has loved playing piano since the age of three. She loves her piano teacher and enjoys taking her piano lesson during school. She enjoys playing songs such as "Pachabelle in Cannon," "Fur Elise," and "Let it Go" from the movie “Frozen."

Lian Robinson
Joining the Street Performer Series for the first time, Lian, a Holland Christian student, will hit 8th Street with her acoustic guitar and incredible vocals.

Liv Panozzo
As a student at Zeeland East High School, Liv got her first guitar at the age of ten and has developed her skills ever since. She is a singing, acoustic guitarist who plays music from a large variety of genres.

Mackenzie TenBrink
Twelve-year-old Mackenzie loves to perform, and she is extremely excited to sing and play the guitar and ukulele in the Street Performer Series this year. She hopes to be a music artist when she grows up.

Marlies Otteman
Marlies is a 14-year-old singer and guitarist who plays a mix of pop and country favorites as well as a few well-known classics. She has been playing since she was eleven, and loves to captivate audiences with her musical talents.

McKenzie & Michaela Stock
Born and raised in East Lansing, McKenzie and Michaela are a sister duo with an indie-folk sound. They have grown up performing in church and at school. Each sister plays both piano and guitar, and Michaela enjoys singing as well.

Michael Graverson
Michael is a senior at Hope College, and will earn a degree in Jazz Studies. He is a talented musician that has been playing guitar since the age of fourteen. Michael has studied jazz guitar at Hope College for four years and classical guitar for three.

Middle Ground
Returning for his sixth year in the Street Performer Series, Dan has performed country, folk, pop, and Irish music for 50 years in a multitude of different venues. This year, musician Meredith VanWieren will accompany Dan on guitar and vocals.

Olivia Mainville
Olivia's music is an eclectic blend of indie-folk sounds, laden with infectious hooks, foot tapping rhythms, and memorable harmonies. She has performed at over one hundred shows and has toured nationally. In 2014, Olivia's five-song EP was independently released, featuring performances by noted Michigan artists the Accidentals, Don Juliin and Billy Strings.

Paul Van Kempen
Paul, a Hope College graduate, is currently the Family Ministries Director at First Presbyterian Church of Hastings. Paul has been playing guitar and singing since the age of nine, and has developed these skills after spending many years leading and playing church music. For the past four years, he has led children’s singing time with interactive children’s songs.

Randy & Darlene Schaap
Proud new owners of Poppin Huis on River Avenue, Randy and Darlene have been a part of the Street Performer Series for nine years. Darlene plays a number of different instruments including, flute and Irish penny whistle, while Randy plays cajon, Irish penny whistle, harmonica, congas, djembe, bodhran, keyboards, bass guitar, udu drum and hand percussion.

Roosevelt Jones
Roosevelt Jones combines the musical talents of guitarist/vocalist Mike McCarty and drummer Joe Lehman. With a sweet spot for the blues, the Grand Rapids duo’s eclectic tastes also include covers of vintage pop, country and Celtic tunes.

Skyler & Nikki
Skyler Adams and Nikki Hildenbrand are apart of the worship team at Central Wesleyan Church, and have both been singing and performing most of their lives. Nikki graduated from Spring Arbor, and Skyler from Hope College, where both were active in the schools' music programs.

Steph Gillett
Steph has been apart of the Series for three summers now. She has been singing her entire life and has been studying voice for the past six years. She is so excited to bring her acoustic guitar down to 8th Street for another summer!

Tee & Stina
Christina is a teacher at Hudsonville Christian School, while Atelial is the wedding coordinator at Salon Cheveux. Both sing and play at Ridgepoint Church and Calvary Reformed Christian Church regularly.

The Appleberries
This group is comprised of three, classically trained musicians who met at Hope College in 2010. With a shared interest in creating original songs, they started writing together shortly after meeting. They are an extremely vibrant and lively collective.

The Bearded Ladies Men
The Bearded Ladies Men are a four-piece musical group who play turn-of-the-20th century inspired songs. The group’s focus is on fun and entertaining sets that take people back to a bygone era. Residing in the Muskegon area, the group has performed in numerous live settings.

The Guesstimation Band
Joining the Street Performer Series for the first time, Jonas Edge and Camden Lechenet are two local area high school students who fell in love with street performing last summer. Although their talents are vast, Jonas plays the guitar and Camden plays his saxophone.

The Irish Street Musician: Celtic Kilroy
Celtic Kilroy plays a variety of instruments, including guitar, banjo, harmonica, Irish penny whistle, Irish drum and rhythm bones. He was a member of the Kwils, a popular Celtic band, which was disbanded after a twenty-year musical journey. In 2012 Celtic Kilroy also began studying the art of human statue, which as become one of the most favorite attractions at a number of events.

The Oxford Commas
The Oxford Commas is a group of three young musicians from Holland, composed of Mitch Frauenheim, Cole Hook, and Zach Snoek. Having enjoyed playing a number of pop arrangements in their high school orchestra, they decided to play them together in a group outside of school.

The Raveling Hearts
The Raveling Hearts is a Holland-based band that covers top hits and creates their own folk/indie/pop music. The band consists of Kyrsten Van Wieren, Rachael Naylor-Tatterson, Adam Naylor-Tatterson, and Adam Burnett. They have played at a number of local venues, including the Holland Event Center, Lemonjellos, and New Holland Sidecar.

Thom C Eno and Friends
This group of six will feature two members at each scheduled performance date. Performances include guitar, mandolin, the fiddle, and vocal harmonies.

Tommy Pancy
Seventeen-year-old Tommy Pancy will be returning for this eighth year in the Street Performer Series. This year, Tom will team up with Dan Parrish. Together, they provide a very unusual mix of music created by Tommy on the saxophone and Dan on the sousaphone. Their mostly original compositions are wildly entertaining.

Trenton Van Bronkhorst
Trenton first began drumming at the age of two using his mother’s pots and pans. He began taking weekly drum lessons and is now proficient in a variety of musical styles, including Latin, jazz, funk, rock and even country.

Zach Rasmusson
Zach is an independent folk artist who writes his own original songs. Music is his passion. He has been playing the guitar for over a decade, training other musicians and leading bands along the way. Though he is a solo singer/guitarist, he uses a loop station to create a full band’s sound. This will be his third year in the Series.

Puppetry and Theatre
Robert Engle
Robert is a puppet enthusiast and crowds love to watch his puppetts dance to recorded ragtime music. Robert has performed his show at a variety of different venues, including two nights a week for a full year at street side evening markets in Lampang, Thailand.