



Lotus Dickey Hometown Music Reunion planned

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PAOLI - Two stages on the Orange County courthouse lawn will ring out with southern Indiana music during the 10th annual Lotus Dickey Hometown Music and Arts Reunion scheduled for June 10-12.

Former Indiana First Lady Judy O'Bannon kicks off the reunion June 10 at 5:30 p.m. Shortly after, the tunes begin on the south stage at 6 p.m. when the Throop Elementary Students from Paoli perform and the sounds on the east stage begin at 6:30 p.m. with Melinda Sketo.

The performances June 10 end on the south stage with Stephen Dickey and Friends when they give a one-hour performance beginning at 10 p.m. The east stage winds down with a 30-minute open jam beginning at 10:30 p.m.

Activity on the south stage is scheduled to begin at 9 a.m. June 11 with an open session. The music runs continuously on the hour through 11 p.m., concluding with Handy with a Stick playing.

The tunes commence Saturday on the east stage at 9:30 a.m. with an a cappella open jam and also run hourly through 11 p.m., concluding with an open jam.

The sounds from southern Indiana on both stages kick off simultaneously the final day, June 12, at noon. The music on both stages will continue through approximately 8 p.m.

Those in attendance are encouraged to bring lawn chairs for seating and all the musical entertainment is free. Concessionaires will be available to purchase food and there will also be many booths where crafts can be purchased.

There will also be nine workshops in two locations the morning of June 11. One location is in the Paoli Chamber of Commerce building, on the west side of the courthouse square, and the other is located at the Out of the Woods Music Store on the west side of the courthouse square.

The workshops will be for mandolin, autoharp, harmonica, songwriting, spoons, beginning and intermediate guitar, hammer dulcimer, lap dulcimer, and dobro. Anyone may participate in these free workshops and the musical instruments are provided.

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