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**PURCELLVILLE ANNOUNCES LINE-UP  
FOR FIFTH ANNUAL MUSIC & ARTS FESTIVAL**

**Purcellville, VA., May 16, 2018** – The Fifth Annual Purcellville Music & Arts Festival will be held rain or shine this Saturday, May 19, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. at Fireman’s Field, 250 South Nursery Ave. This free, family-friendly event, held on the grounds of Dillon’s Woods and inside the Bush Tabernacle, features live music, an art exhibit, children’s activities, a live animal show, workshops, arts and crafts, as well as local food, beer, and wine. Multiple stages will offer day-long entertainment coordinated by the Purcellville Parks and Recreation Advisory Board, including main stage headliners, The Virginia Hipnecks, Colin Thompson, The Darby Brothers Band, Juliana MacDowell, and IWOR. There will be fine art, artisan-crafted jewelry, hand-carved wooden items and glass art available for purchase. The Purcellville Art Council will transform the Historical Bush Tabernacle into the festival’s Art Hall where there will be at least 20 local artists along with art demonstrations, community art projects, live music, and information about local art organizations. The Purcellville Arts Council will also announce the recipient of the inaugural *Jim “Doc” Wiley Leadership in the Arts Award* at the festival. The 2018 Purcellville Music & Arts Festival, with Title Sponsor, Loudoun Valley Floors, is presented by The Town of Purcellville, Virginia, Play To Win, LLC, and Shaun Alexander Enterprises, Inc.

On the day of the festival, the Purcellville Business Association and the Purcellville Historical Society will be offering Trolley Tours that combine Purcellville History with present-day fun. Trolley Tours will begin at 10:30 a.m. and will run every 30 minutes. Departing from the parking lot of the Historic Bush Tabernacle, there will be five designated stops throughout Purcellville. Riders will enjoy opportunities to win special prizes and offers from participating businesses.

The 2018 Purcellville Music & Arts Festival will have a Kids Zone adjacent to the Historic Bush Tabernacle. This Kids Zone will include: moon bounce, face painters, henna artists, balloon artist, live critters and creatures, and delicious Italian ice and ice cream provided by JR’s New York Italian Ice and soft-serve.

The Purcellville Music & Arts Festival is made possible by the invaluable support of local businesses and organizations including: Loudoun Valley Floors, the Purcellville Business Association, Middleburg Bank, Allstate – Jason P. Sengpiehl, Shamrock Music Shoppe, the Businesses of Valley Industrial Park on East Richardson Lane, DiRenzo Family Dentistry, Norbo Dental, and the in-kind donations and support of Virginia Tractor, the Bush Tabernacle, Discover Purcellville, Ohm Productions, and Southern States.

## Entertainment Schedule

### MAIN STAGE

IWOR

[Julianna MacDowell](#)

[Darby Brothers](#)

[Colin Thompson](#)

[Virginia Hipnecks- Headliner](#)

### COMMUNITY STAGE

[Critters and Conservation](#)

[Celtic Rhythm School of Dance](#)

[Purcellville Library](#)

[Purcellville Business Association](#)

[Wildlife Ambassadors](#)

### GAZEBO PERFORMANCES

[Elizabeth II](#)

[Plate Scrapers](#)

James & Papa Stitch Band

[Hungry On Monday](#)

[Loudoun Valley HS Viking Jazz Band](#)

### ART HALL STAGE

Ben Demase

Bergamot Rose

Emily Horton

[Andrew McKnight](#)

[Willie White](#)

All festival information can be found online at: [www.PurcellvilleMusicAndArtsFestival.com](http://www.PurcellvilleMusicAndArtsFestival.com) and on Facebook at PvilleMusicArts.

### ***The Town of Purcellville, Virginia***

*Purcellville is an award-winning town of over 9,000 residents located in Loudoun County, approximately 40 miles west of Washington, DC. Having received the prestigious Siemens Sustainability Award for Small Communities, Purcellville continues to be honored for its green initiatives with most recently being the Tree City USA recipient for the 10th year. The Town was reaffirmed as a AAA rated community by S&P Global Ratings, the highest credit rating possible, and is recognized as one of the safest towns in Virginia. Once a stop along the W&OD rail line, Purcellville has maintained its historic old-town feel through the restoration and maintenance of its many downtown structures, reflecting the Victorian architecture popular during the early 1900s. Today, Purcellville is the economic hub of western Loudoun County and a popular weekend destination for antiques, entertainment, farmer's markets, wineries, breweries, distilleries and restaurants. More info at [www.purcellvilleva.gov](http://www.purcellvilleva.gov).*

### ***Shaun Alexander Enterprises, Inc.***

*Shaun Alexander is highly sought after for speaking and consulting in the areas of leadership development, family living, sports camps, faith based camps and strategic business development. The company was founded in 2006 after Shaun Alexander won the NFL Most Valuable Player award in Seattle. He now resides in Northern Virginia with his wife and eight children.*

### ***Play To Win, LLC***

*A sports management, consulting and design/build company specializing in youth athletics facilities throughout the United States; with heavy concentration in the DC Metropolitan area. Founded in 2007 by Chris Bourassa, a local Loudoun County resident with ties to the community in coaching baseball and football throughout local schools and organizations. Play to Win is the management company for Evergreen Sportsplex and Fireman's Field Complex, including the Bush Tabernacle. Evergreen Sportsplex which was just awarded the 2017 Small Business of the Year for Loudoun County by the Loudoun County Chamber of Commerce. More info available at: <https://www.ptwsports.us/>*

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