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This year's Louisville Blues-n-Barbecue Festival will be Friday through Sunday, July 13, 14 and 15. Headlining the water tower festival on Friday is Memphis guitarist and singer Davis Coen (pictured right). Coen has shared the stage with many blues greats including James Cotton, Junior Wells, Koko Taylor, Big Jack Johnson and David "Honeyboy" Edwards. He was also featured in Martin Scorsese's PBS special entitled "The Blues." The Saturday headliner is Big James and the Chicago Playboys. Blind Pig recording artist Big James Montgomery (pictured center) has led the Playboys on trombone and vocals since the mid 1990's. The band has released several albums over the years with many original songs written by Montgomery. The Sunday headliner is the Stray Cat Blues Band featuring guitarist Greg Martin (pictured left). The Stray Cats reunited a few years ago and played the festival last year in addition to the 2010 KBS Anniversary Party. For more information check out the festival ad in this issue of Blues News or on-line at [LouisvilleBluesandBBQfestival.com](http://LouisvilleBluesandBBQfestival.com).

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If you are interested in reviewing new blues music, come on out to the KBS monthly board meeting (held the first Wednesday of each month at 7:00 PM at The Pizza Place in Hikes Point) and take your pick! We receive promo releases from the major blues labels as well as regional and local bands. If you review a CD, it's yours to keep!

# Letter From The Prez



Photo by Cheryl Cissell

The Kentuckiana Blues Society would like to extend congratulations to Lamont Gillispie & 100 Proof Blues for winning this year's KBS band competition on Sunday, June 3. G. Miles and the Hitmen of Fort Thomas, KY came in second and The Tarnations of Louisville came in third in the contest. Our thanks to all nine bands that took part in the competition and we wish Lamont and the guys the best of luck when they compete in the International Blues Challenge next February in Memphis, TN. The deadline to apply for this year's KBS Solo/Duo contest is Tuesday, July 17. The competition will be Sunday, August 12 at the Pizza Place in Hikes Point and you can get more information at <http://kbsblues.org/> or by calling me at 502/724-9971.

The festival season rolls along with Stacy Mitchhart performing at the Mary Ann Fisher Summer Concert Series in Russellville, KY on Friday, July 6. The Summer Concert Series at Cherokee Triangle's Willow Park turns a definite shade of blue in July with shows by Delicious Blues Stew (July 1), the Stray Cat Band (July 8), TKO (July 15), and Little T&A (July 29). The Louisville Blues-n-Barbecue Festival at the Water Tower is Friday through Sunday, July 13, 14 and 15.

The festival will feature several local bands and headliner's Davis Coen on Friday, Big James and the Chicago Playboys on Saturday and the Stray Cat Band featuring Greg Martin on Sunday. Check out the ad in this issue of *Blues News* or their website at <http://www.louisvillebluesandbbqfestival.com/>. If you are a current member of the KBS, you will be getting your free tickets in the mail very soon.

Notable shows this month include Janiva Magness with the Little T&A Trio at Uncle Slayton's on Thursday, July 5. Janiva will also be at the Kentucky Theatre in Lexington, KY on Monday, July 9 as part of the WoodSongs Old-Time Radio Hour. Natasha's Bistro in Lexington, KY will feature several acts with a blues twist starting with Miss Tess and the Talkbacks on Tuesday, July 10, Malcolm Holcombe on Thursday, July 12 and Mark and the Pentones on Saturday, July 21. The Tedeschi Trucks Band returns to Louisville for a second visit within the past year, this time to the Iroquois Amphitheater on Thursday, July 19. That same night Black Joe Lewis and the Honeybears along with local band The Bad Reeds are at Headliners Music Hall.

A new Wednesday night blues jam has started at the Diamond Pub & Billiards in the space previously occupied by Jillian's and the Silo Brew Pub. The address is 630 Barret Ave and the jam starts at 7:00 pm. This weekly jam joins a host of other jam nights in Louisville including the Sunday night blues jam at the Pizza Place in Hikes Point, Stevie Ray's blues jam on Tuesday nights, an acoustic jam for all types of music and hosted by Paul Moffett on Wednesday nights at Air Devils Inn and the Thursday Night Thrown Down with Amy Johnson and Tony Tkac at Stevie Ray's.

Kudos to Andy Brauner of local band Muji Fuji and the duo Buckshot Howl for advancing in Guitar Centers Battle of the Blues contest. The competition is their search for the nation's top undiscovered blues guitar player. Andy advanced with a win at the Shelbyville Road store on June 5. He is competing in the District Finals in Indianapolis on June 26. If he makes it past that contest he goes to the Regional Finals in New Orleans, LA on July 17 and possibly the Grand Finals in Los Angeles, CA on a date to be determined. Good luck Andy!

You may notice a slight change to this month's KBS blues calendar. In addition to putting together the monthly calendar for *Blues News*, I also create the weekly email calendar that goes out every Tuesday. It's become quite a daunting task to keep up with all the blues shows and venues so we are no longer going to list shows in the Evansville, IN area or the northern Kentucky neighborhoods near Cincinnati. There is now a blues society based in Evansville called the River Basin Blues Society and the Cincy Blues Society has information on northern Kentucky blues venues on their website. A new blues society has also been created in Danville, KY and you can find all of these on Facebook.

Gary

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**DAVIS COEN  
9:30pm - 11:30pm**

**SATURDAY, JULY 14TH  
4PM - 11:30PM**

**THE KINGBEES  
4pm - 5pm**

**LITTLE T & A  
5:30:pm - 7:15pm**

**MR. JIMMY  
(formerly Hellfish)  
7:45pm - 9pm**

**BIG JAMES &  
CHICAGO PLAYBOYS  
9:30pm - 11:30pm**

**SUNDAY, JULY 15TH  
1PM - 7PM**

**RIVER CITY BLUES BAND  
1pm - 2:30pm**

**JB STONE  
3pm - 4:30pm**

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5pm - 7pm**

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**Congratulations to the Winners of the 2012 KBS/IBC Band Competition  
Lamont Gillispie 100 Proof Blues**



Photo by Bob Brown

Steve Holmes, Byron Davies, Lamont Gillispie, Mark Bright and David Witherspoon will be representing the KBS at the International Blues Challenge in Memphis next February. Full recap of the contest coming in a future issue.

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# Stuff We Hope You Didn't Miss!



Photo by Susan Childs  
Jim Masterson at the Little T&A Memphis benefit in January.



Photos by Les Reynolds  
Tony Tkac and Amy Johnson performed a "house concert" at the home of Les Reynolds in March. Carla Reisert of Uncle Clyde's Hi-Fi kicked in some vocals and a surprise flautist (Pat Watson) even sat in for a couple of songs.



Photo by Gary Sampson  
Blue Meridian (L to R) Dwight Harrod, George Egger and Ken Peters, at the Thursday Night Throwdown (jam) at Stevie Ray's



Photos by Susan Childs  
Above: Eddy Weigleb (with the Travlin' Mojos) and the Mojo-ettes, and below, Sue O'Neil & Blue Seville, rocking the Stevie Ray's Hall of Fame Benefit for the Animal Care Society.





Photos by William Peeples

Service with a smile...Nelson and Chris Grube handling admission duties for the Derby Eve blowout at the Vernon Club.



Photo by William Peeples

Lamont Gillispie & 100 Proof Blues, The Stray Cat Band and Little T&A packed the dance floor at the Vernon on Derby Eve.



Photo by Marcia Kelly

May 18th 2012, Andy Brauner was one of two selected in the first of three in-store preliminary rounds of the Guitar Center Battle of the Blues contest. Next he won the local store finals on June 5. Next up, District Finals June 26th in Indy, with trips to New Orleans and LA on the line for regionals and grand finals. Congratulations, Andy, and good luck!



Photo by William Peeples

Rick Cain struttin' with the Stray Cats.



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# New Music Reviews!



## **Suzanne & The Blues Church** **The Cost of Love** **Gorgeous Tone Music**

Solid, stinging electric guitar, blues content and a polished, yet smoky and sometimes gritty voice, characterize Suzanne Thomas' sound on her debut of eight originals and two cover tunes.

In fact, those three ingredients basically carry this entire recording, produced by Thomas and David S. Burke. And, while the press materials laud the woman's guitar skill--which is not in dispute here--it seems to be her voice which really shines throughout this album.

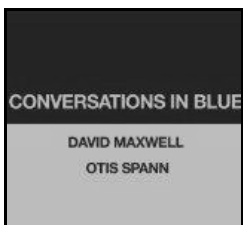
Come to think of it, that's pretty much the review, right there. Not that there's anything wrong with any of it--just seems to be not much real new ground being broken on this CD. It's well done, and Thomas, a Korean-Amerasian steeped in musical heritage that includes gospel, rock and blues, pulls it off in fine fashion.

The two covers include "All Your Love (I Miss Lovin)" by Otis Rush and "Damn Right (I Got the Blues), a Buddy Guy classic. On the latter, Thomas' guitar screams over the solid blues backing from her bandmates, and her voice asserts itself with authority.

Cut number 7 is rather interesting, with Thomas affecting a very southern-African-American-sounding dialect in her fictional autobiographical spoken word "story of the blues" on "Dusty 6 String Box." It's kind of "dusty" in its sound, spooky, and sparse. Very well done.

Overall, a solid effort. Not outstanding. But good enough to recommend.

### **Les Reynolds**



## **David Maxwell & Otis Spann** **Conversations in Blue** **Vizztone**

David Maxwell is an accomplished Pianist whose work this author has reviewed in the past (David Maxwell and Piano Red's 2009 CD-"You Got to Move"). Maxwell befriended Muddy Water's pianist, Otis Spann in the 1960's who set Maxwell's direction in music.

In 1960, Spann released an album titled "Otis Spann is the Blues". From the original tracks on that recording on the Candid label, 5 of the 15 tracks on this CD are taken. Four of those tracks are re-recorded with Maxwell's piano as a "duet". One of the other songs is a Spann solo ("Otis's Great Northern Stomp") and the rest of the songs on the CD are Maxwell solos. Spann died in 1970, so the "duet" tracks are separated by 50 years (kinda weird).

The music on the CD is instrumental piano-only numbers with the exception of "Spann and Bob" which features Robert Junior Lockwood's guitar. The music starts off with a rollicking boogie tune called "Marie" and follows with another spritely tune. All of the piano work on this CD is great. If I had to list a negative of the CD it is that after 15 songs (and some of them are long-over 8 minutes), I tired of too much piano only and wished there were some other instruments added to add more diversity to the music. For fans of Maxwell or Spann, this is one you should listen to.

### **Bob Brown**



## **Debbie Bond** **Hearts Are Wild** **Vizztone**

Debbie Bond hails from Alabama where she co-founded the Alabama Blues Project. She played for 11 years with Johnnie Shines, then 6 years with Willie King. This CD is her sophomore release and is dedicated to Alabama musicians Eddie Kirkland and Willie King.

Bond plays rhythm and lead guitar and sings on the CD. One musician, her soulmate Rick Asherson, plays keyboards, harmonica and backing vocals. His keyboards lend some tastefully done fills. The sax solo on "Falling" is also stand out.

Ten of the 12 songs are Bond originals. The lyrics of her originals are included as a sleeve insert in the packaging. She freely admits that this CD is not a genre-confined CD and she takes you on a tour of some blues, boogie, and soul music including an Aretha Franklin tune-"Baby I Love You".

The music on this CD is pretty good. For some reason, Bond's voice just doesn't fit the music. She has a distinctive style that seems to me to be "over-singing" the words. That of course is my opinion so I invite you to check out her music for yourself at <http://www.debbiebond.com/index.htm>.

Bob Brown





**Big Dog Mercer**  
**Brandon Santini**  
**Danny and the Devils**  
**Tom Holland and the Shuffle Kings**  
**The Blues, An Evolution**  
**Electro Glide Records**

This CD is composed of three tracks from each of the four bands listed above. The leader of the first, Big Dog Mercer (Marty Mercereau) was hooked on blues after watching "The Blues Brothers" and in fact lives not too far from the prison featured in the movie. Two of his three songs are more rock and the third is a blues/rock number.

Brandon Santini, who hails from Memphis, starts out with "You Ruined Poor Me" a song that sounds like Junior Wells singing through the harmonica mike. Santini plays harmonica during part of the first song and starts the second song with it. The third song of Santini's, "She's Sweet like Honey" is another winner. I wish there were more songs on the CD by this guy.

Danny and the Devils is a blues rock band fronted by Danny Baron that starts out with a rocker "Don't Come Back this Time", but then slows down to a bluesy rocker "Jealousy", the second track. The third track "Mama's Boy" starts with a B3 that immediately grabbed me. It is not often any more that you hear a good organ drenched song like this one. This one song is reason enough for me to purchase the CD.

Tom Holland and the Shuffle Kings start out their portion of the CD with sure fire blues slide guitar in the song "Keep On Playin'". Another good song. The next song, "S.A. Blues" is a straight ahead blues track with great vocals. The third song showcases slide guitar again. Holland has been James Cotton's guitarist and musical director for the last eight years.

Here is my recommendation on this CD: Buy this one and if you can find individual CD's by the artists, buy those too.

Bob Brown



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>July-1</b> Cherokee Triangle – Delicious Blues Stew 7:00 <b>Chevy Chase Inn</b> (Lexington) – Romn Crowder <b>Cozy Corner</b> (Loretta KY) - Lamont Gillispie & 100 Proof Blues <b>Pizza Place</b> – Blues Jam	<b>2</b> John E's – Robbie Bartlett <b>Phoenix Hill</b> – Nasty Hebit <b>Puccini's Smiling Teeth Pizza</b> (Lexington) – Romn Crowder <b>Stevie Ray's</b> - Open Mic 9:00 <b>Tee Dee's Blues &amp; Jazz Club</b> (Lexington) – Tee Dee Young Band and Friends 9:00	<b>3</b> Stevie Ray's - Blues Jam 9:00 <b>Air Devils Inn</b> - Acoustic Jam <b>Diamonds Pub</b> (Barrett) – Blues Jam <b>O'Neill's</b> (Lexington) – Blues Jam <b>Phoenix Hill</b> – Lazy 11 <b>Pobbelly's</b> – Big Poppa Stampley <b>Riptide on the River</b> (Lexington) Over the Top 7:00 <b>Volare</b> – Robbie Bartlett Trio 7:30 Scream'n' John	<b>4</b> <b>Air Devils Inn</b> - Acoustic Jam <b>Diamonds Pub</b> (Barrett) – Blues Jam <b>O'Neill's</b> (Lexington) – Blues Jam <b>Phoenix Hill</b> – Lazy 11 <b>Pobbelly's</b> – Big Poppa Stampley <b>Riptide on the River</b> (Lexington) Over the Top 7:00 <b>Volare</b> – Robbie Bartlett Trio 7:30 Scream'n' John	<b>5</b> Stevie Ray's – Thursday Night Throwdown with Amy & Tony 9:00 <b>Texas Roadhouse</b> (Shively) – The KingBees 6:30 <b>Uncle Clayton's</b> – Little T&A Trio / Janiva Magness 8:00 <b>Volare</b> – Robbie Bartlett Trio 7:30 <b>Wick's Pizza</b> (Baxter) – Jimi V and Scream'n' John	<b>6</b> <b>B.J.'s Sports Pub</b> – King Sonic <b>Impellizzer's Pizza</b> (Main St) – Dallas Cole <b>Jeff Ruby's</b> – Robbie Bartlett 9:00 <b>Jim Porter's</b> – Blue Collar Blues 9:00 <b>Mary Ann Fisher Summer Concert Series</b> (Russellville) – Stacey Mitchell <b>Stevie Ray's</b> – Little T&A 9:30	<b>7</b> <b>Best Winery</b> (Elizabeth IN) – Jim Masterson <b>Blue River Cafe</b> (Milltown IN) – Dust Radio <b>Bourbon City Street Concert</b> (Bardstown) Big Black Cadillac 7:00 <b>Headliners</b> – Greg Foreman Band <b>Jeff Ruby's</b> – Robbie Bartlett 9:00 <b>Jim Porter's</b> – Blue Collar Blues 9:00 <b>Maple Inn</b> – Hogtown Blues Band <b>Shack on the River</b> – Nasty Hebit Band <b>Sieg's on the River</b> – Lamont Gillispie & 100 Steel Horse Saloon – Dallas Cole Band <b>Stevie Ray's</b> – The Tarnations 9:30
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