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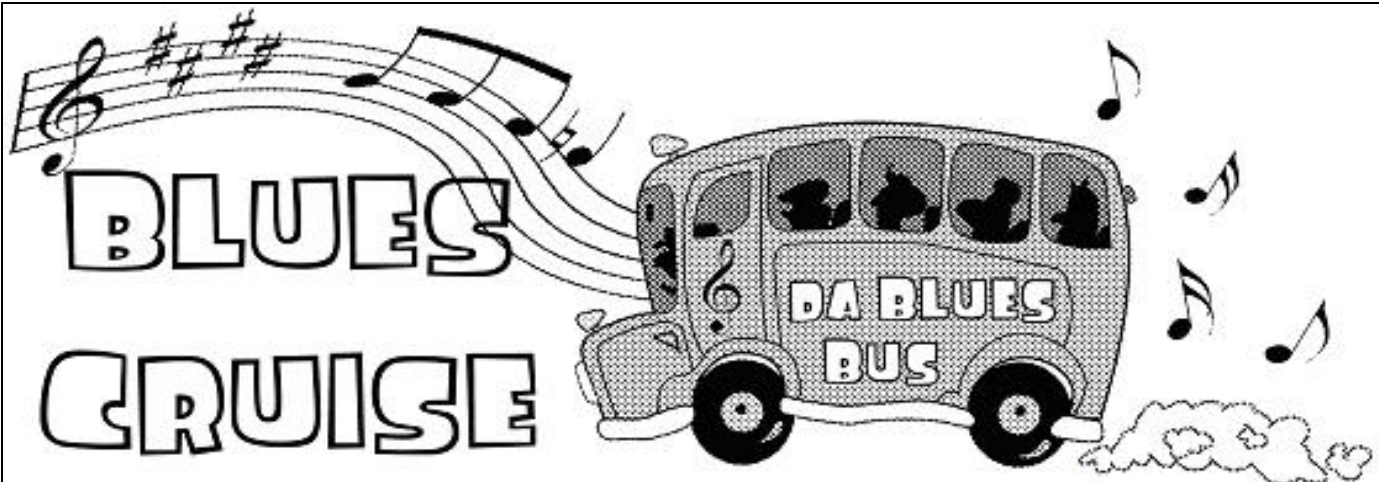
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Plans are still being finalized for the 2004 Blues Cruise. What we know so far is that we will be boarding the buses at Mid City Mall at 5:30 p.m. on Saturday, May 15th. First stop, Stevie Ray's, for dinner at 6:00 and the first band at 7:30. We'll be back on the buses at 9:00 bound for Churchill's. We'll party there until about 10:30, then it's all aboard for Ballatore's. From there, we'll have an early and a late bus back to Mid City Mall to wrap up the evening. Cost to members is \$25; it's \$30 for non-members. We need your reservations and payment by May 1st. Send to:

**KBS, PO Box 755, LOUISVILLE, KY 40201, ATTN: BLUES CRUISE.**

Details on the bands will be forthcoming as soon as we have everyone firmed up... watch for info in the next *Blues News* and check our website at [www.kbsblues.org](http://www.kbsblues.org). See you there!



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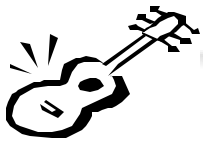
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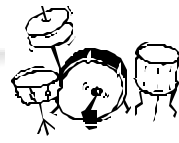
**KBS MONTHLY MEETING**

If you are interested in reviewing new blues releases, come on out to the KBS monthly meeting (held the first Wednesday of each month at **7:00 PM** in **The Germantown Café at 1053 Goss Ave.**) 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!



# KENTUCKIANA BLUES CALENDAR

All Shows Subject to Change  
Best to Call before Hitting the Road



|            |       |   |   |
|------------|-------|---|---|
| <b>MAR</b> | 5-6   | Stevie Ray's<br>Zena's Cafe<br>Jim Porter's<br>Caesar's             | MR2 Blue and Big Al and the Heavyweights<br>(5th) B B Taylor (6th) Crawdad Pie<br>One Card Shy<br>Robbie Bartlett and Company 9-1:30              |
|            | 6     | Churchill's Blues Bar & Grill<br>Air Devil's Inn                    | Most Wanted<br>One Shot Johnny  |
|            | 7     | Jollymons   | Blues jam 8:30 – 11:30 PM (6121 Bardstown Rd in Fern Creek)   |
|            | 8     | Stevie Ray's  | Bobby Mesano 8PM \$10   |
|            | 9     | Stevie Ray's<br>Zena's Cafe   | Blues jam 9-11:30 PM no cover<br>Tanita Gaines and Grilled Cheez  |
|            | 10    | Stevie Ray's<br>Zena's Cafe<br>Jim Porter's<br>Lisa's Oak St Lounge | Blue Meridian 9PM \$5<br>Blues band TBA<br>One Card Shy<br>Blues jam with Lamont Gillispie & Steve Ferguson (1004 Oak St)                         |
|            | 11    | Stevie Ray's<br>Wick's Pizza Middletown                             | Frank Bangs 'Secret Stash' CD release 9:30 PM \$5<br>Blue Swing Shooz   |
|            | 12-13 | Stevie Ray's<br>Zena's Cafe<br>Jim Porter's                         | Da Mudcats CD release and The Predators<br>(12th) B B Taylor (13th) Black Cat<br>George Bracken Blues Band  |
|            | 13    | O'Shea's<br>Air Devil's Inn<br>Massey's Bar & Grill                 | Robbie Bartlett and Company<br>El Roostars<br>Most Wanted   |
|            | 14    | Jollymons   | Blues jam 8:30 – 11:30 PM (6121 Bardstown Rd in Fern Creek)   |
|            | 15    | Stevie Ray's  | Popa Chubby 8 PM \$10   |
|            | 16    | Stevie Ray's<br>Zena's Cafe   | 200 <sup>th</sup> Blues jam 9-11:30 PM no cover<br>Tanita Gaines and Grilled Cheez  |
|            | 17    | Stevie Ray's<br>Zena's Cafe<br>O'Shea's<br>Lisa's Oak St Lounge     | River City Blues Band 9 PM \$5<br>Blues band TBA<br>Robbie Bartlett and Company<br>Blues jam with Lamont Gillispie & Steve Ferguson (1004 Oak St) |
|            | 18    | Stevie Ray's<br>Wick's Pizza Middletown                             | Hellfish 9:30 PM \$5<br>Blue Swing Shooz  |
|            | 19    | Air Devil's Inn   | River City Blues Band   |
|            | 19-20 | Stevie Ray's<br>Zena's Cafe<br>Jim Porter's                         | Hot Rod & the Blues Deville and Jim Diamond & Groove Syndicat<br>(19th) B B Taylor (20th) Revenue Band<br>Rock Bottom Blues Band                  |
|            | 20    | Good Tmes Pub<br>R Place Pub  | Hellfish<br>Most Wanted   |
|            | 21    | Jollymons   | Blues jam 8:30 – 11:30 PM (6121 Bardstown Rd in Fern Creek)   |
|            | 22    | Stevie Ray's  | John Burgard and Reed Davis no cover  |
|            | 23    | Stevie Ray's<br>Zena's Cafe   | Blues jam 9-11:30 PM no cover<br>Tanita Gaines and Grilled Cheez  |
|            | 24    | Stevie Ray's<br>Zena's Cafe<br>Lisa's Oak St Lounge                 | The Louisville Blues 9 PM \$5<br>Blues band TBA<br>Blues jam with Lamont Gillispie & Steve Ferguson (1004 Oak St)                                 |
|            | 25    | Stevie Ray's<br>Wick's Pizza Middletown                             | Jim Diamond & the Groove Syndicate 9:30 PM \$5<br>Blue Swing Shooz  |
|            | 26-27 | Stevie Ray's<br>Zena's Cafe<br>Jim Porter's                         | Blue Swing Shooz and V-Groove<br>(26 <sup>th</sup> ) BB Taylor (27 <sup>th</sup> ) The Time Krekel Band<br>Walnut Street Blues Band               |
|            | 27    | Jollymons<br>Air Devil's Inn  | Robbie Bartlett and Company<br>Hellfish   |
|            | 28    | Jollymons   | Blues jam 8:30 – 11:30 PM (6121 Bardstown Rd in Fern Creek)   |
|            | 29    | Stevie Ray's  | W.C. Clark 8 PM \$12  |
|            | 30    | Stevie Ray's<br>Zena's Cafe   | Blues jam 9-11:30 PM no cover<br>Tanita Gaines and Grilled Cheez  |
|            | 31    | Stevie Ray's<br>Zena's Cafe<br>Lisa's Oak St Lounge                 | The Gamble Brothers 9 PM \$5<br>Blues band TBA<br>Blues jam with Lamont Gillispie & Steve Ferguson (1004 Oak St)                                  |
| <b>APR</b> | 1     | Wick's Pizza Middletown   | Blue Swing Shooz  |
|            | 2-3   | Zena's Cafe   | (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) BB Taylor (3 <sup>rd</sup> ) Junkyard Jane   |
|            | 3     | Third Base  | Most Wanted   |
|            | 5     | Stevie Ray's  | Rod Piazza and the Mighty Flyers  |
|            | 9     | Jollymons   | Most Wanted   |
|            | 10    | Maier's Tavern  | Most Wanted   |
|            | 12    | Stevie Ray's  | John Burgard and Reed Davis unplugged   |



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