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• JULY 2009 •

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Schedule of Events

New concert and parade dates are posted as they are contracted.

<i>Date/Time</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Event Details</i>
Date: June 26, 2009 (Friday) 7pm Concert	Rotary Park Pavilion, Marlton Road, Pilesgrove (Woodstown), NJ	Duration: 1.5 hr Concert
Date: June 28, 2009 (Sunday) No Rain Date Step Off: 10am	National Park Celebration Parade Line-up: 8:30am: Coastal Eagle Point Refinery - Hessian Ave. Entrance Ends: Second Street Athletic Field & Hessian Avenue	Duration: 1.5 mi
Date: July 3, 2009 (Friday) No Rain Date Step Off: 6:30pm	Gloucester City Holiday Parade Line-up: Charles & Jersey Ave. Ends: Essex & Broadway	Duration: 1 mile
Date: July 4, 2009, (Saturday) Step-Off: 8:45 a.m. Rain Date: July 11, 2009 (Sat) Step-Off: 8:45am	Wenonah 4th of July Parade Line-up: Mantua & Marion Avenue, Wenonah, NJ	Duration: Approx 1.5 mile
Date: July 4, 2009 (Saturday) Step-Off: 9:55am Rain Date: July 6, 2009 (Monday) Rain Date Step-Off: 6:00pm	Pitman 4th of July Parade Starting Location: Lexington & Oakcrest Avenue, Pitman, NJ Ends: Broadway & Lambs Road, Pitman, NJ	Duration: Approx 2.0 mile
Date: July 9, 2009 (Thursday) Concert starts 7:30pm	Pitman Parks & Recreation Commission Concert Series Sunset Auditorium, Pitman, NJ	Duration: 1.5 hr. Concert
Date: August 4, 2009 (Tuesday) Concert starts 7:00pm	Pitman Parks & Recreation Commission Concert Series Youth Bands I & II Sunset Auditorium, Pitman, NJ	Duration: 1.5 hr. Concert
Date: August 6, 2009 (Thursday) Concert starts 7:00pm	Pitman Parks & Recreation Commission Concert Series Youth Band III & Hobo Band Sunset Auditorium, Pitman, NJ	Duration: 1.5 hr. Concert
Date: August 13, 2009 (Thursday) Step Off: 10:15am No Rain Date	Ocean City (NJ) Baby Parade Line-up: Between 5th & 6th on The Boardwalk Ends: Between 12th & 14th on the Boardwalk	Duration: Approx 7-8 blocks Free Parking for band members at 5th and the Beach (enter on 6th Street)
Date: August 17, 2009	Camp Sun n' Fun Concert	Duration: 1 hr. Concert

(Monday) Concert starts 7 p.m.	Location: ARC center, Rt.322 & Tuckahoe Road (Rt.555), Williamstown, NJ	Under the pavilion...always a fun job; light refreshments after the concert.
Date: August 22, 2009 (Saturday) Time: 8pm No Rain Date	Cape May Concert Location: Victorian Bandstand, (Rotary Park) Lafayette Street, City of Cape May, NJ	Duration: Approx 1.25 hour Van Transportation provided from Hobo Band Hall to Cape May (TBA)
Date: August 29, 2009 (Saturday) Rain Date: TBA?? Step Off: 11:00am	City of Cape May 400th Anniversary Parade Line-up: Pittsburgh & Beach Ave., Cape May Ends: Patterson & Beach Avenue, Cape May	Duration: Approx. 1.75 mile Van transportation from Hobo Hall - TBA
Date: September 10, 2009 (Thursday) Concert starts 7:30pm	Pitman Parks & Recreation Commission Concert Series Harvest Night Sunset Auditorium, Pitman, NJ	Duration: 1.5 hr. Concert
Date: September 12, 2009 (Saturday) Step Off: 11:00am Rain date September 13 (Sunday) 1pm	Pennsville Septemberfest Parade Line-Up: Rt. 49 (Broadway) - Pennsville Acme Shopping Center End: Rt. 49 near Riverview Beach Park vicinity	Duration: Approx 1.3 mile
Date: October 25, 2009 (Sunday) No Rain Date Step Off: 3:00pm	City of Cape May Halloween Parade Line-up: Starts forming at 2:00 pm - Lyle Lane (behind the Gazebo) Ends: Washington Street (near Physick Estate)	Van transportation from Hobo Hall - TBA
Date: December TBA, 2009 (Sunday) Concert starts 2pm	Pitman Parks & Recreation Commission Concert Series Holiday Concert Location TBA , Pitman, NJ	Duration: 1.5 hr. Concert

***Check the Web site (<http://www.originalhoboband.org>) for the latest engagement updates.
Click on the [MAP] if you need driving directions.***



January 1, 1919
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OTHER STUFF

How To Drive In New Jersey ...

Seriously, there are only two things needed to drive effectively in NJ: A horn and a middle finger. Everything else is superfluous, including knowing where you are going. For those of you who live in Jersey or have lived there, these things come as no surprise. For those who haven't traveled there before,

Beware, Be Prepared and Be Afraid...Be Very Afraid.

1. You must first learn to pronounce the city name, it is Nork - rhymes with Fork, not New-ark. Also, Trenton is not pronounced Tren-ton, it is Trent-in.
2. The morning rush hour is from 5 AM to NOON. The evening rush hour is from NOON to 7 PM. Friday's rush hour starts on Thursday morning.
3. The minimum acceptable speed on the turnpike is 85 mph. On the parkway it's 105 or 110. Anything less is considered "Sissy." (Just ask the Governor of NJ)
4. Forget the traffic rules you learned elsewhere. Jersey has its own version of traffic rules. For example, cars/trucks with the loudest muffler go first at a four-way stop; the trucks with the biggest tires go second; However, in Monmouth and Burlington counties, SUV-driving, cell phone-talking moms ALWAYS have the right of way.
5. If you actually stop at a yellow light, you will be rear ended, cussed out, and possibly shot.
6. Never honk at anyone. EVER! Seriously. It's another offense that can get you shot.
7. Road construction is permanent and continuous in all of Jersey. Detour barrels are moved around for your entertainment pleasure during the middle of the night to make the next day's driving a bit more exciting.
8. Watch carefully for road hazards such as drunks, skunks, dogs, cats, barrels, cones, celebs, rubber-neckers, shredded tires, cell-phoners, deer and other road kill, and the Homeless feeding on any of these items.
9. MapQuest does NOT work here — none of the roads are where they say they are or go where they say they do and all the Turnpike EZ Pass lanes are moved each night once again to make your ride more exciting.
10. If someone actually has their Turn Signal ON, wave them to the shoulder immediately to let them know it has been "accidentally activated."
11. If you are in the left lane and only driving 70 in a 55-65 mph zone, you are considered a road hazard and will be "flipped off" accordingly. If you return the flip, you'll be shot.
12. Do not try to estimate travel time — just leave Monday afternoon for Tuesday appointments, by noon Thursday for Friday appointments, and right after church on Sunday for anything on Monday morning.

HAPPY MOTORING !!!

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July Birthdays

- MCCleish, HarryJuly 4
Bigge, GeorgeJuly 12
Cole, Jr., FrankJuly 18
McDermott, JackJuly 19
Henderson, BruceJuly 26
Murray, MatthewJuly 30
Wilson, ClarenceJuly 30
Moore, ColleenJuly 31

CALLING ALL WIND PLAYERS / DRUMMERS

The Original Hobo Band rehearses
every Thursday evening at 8 p.m. at
Hobo Hall, Lambs Rd. & Holly Ave.
(next to Carolina Blue Restaurant).
Come on over and sit in.