Wisconsin Union Theater Announces 11th Annual Madison World Music Festival Line-up

The Madison World Music Festival, held on Friday and Saturday, September 12 and 13, turns 11 years old and, this year, will be part of the reopening of the Memorial Union’s West Wing after two years of historic renovations. As in past years, it will also take part on the main stage of the Willy Street Fair on Saturday.

Crowd favorite stilt walking puppets Dragon Knights return to the festival; BANDALOOP will perform its breathtaking aerial dance on and over the newly-renovated Wisconsin Union Theater. As in the past 10 years, the festival will also include great music from many parts of the world, workshops, and opportunities to dance, all for free.

Patrons are very welcome to donate online or send donations to: Wisconsin Union Theater / MWMF Fund, c/o Heather Good, 1308 West Dayton Street, Madison, 53706. Individual donations of any size are appreciated and help secure the future of the festival.

A tentative schedule follows. The schedule is subject to change.

2014 Madison World Music Festival

Tentative Schedule

Friday, 9/12, at the Memorial Union Terrace and Play Circle

4 pm Dragon Knights
4:30 pm BANDALOOP aerial dance
5 pm Aurelio Martinez, Honduras Garifuna
6:45 pm BANDALOOP
7:15 pm Dragon Knights
7:45 pm Korrontzi (Basque)
8:30 pm EviscerArt, Flamenco dance and music (Play Circle)
9:45 pm Calypso Rose/Kobo Town, Trinidad

Saturday, 9/13, Willy Street Fair:

2 pm Korrontzi, Basque
3:45 pm, SöNdöRGö, Hungary
5:45 pm Oumar Konate, Mali
7:45 pm La Yegros, Argentina

Saturday, 9/13, Memorial Union Terrace:

2-4 pm Locally Global
4 pm Dragon Knights
4:30 pm BANDALOOP
5 pm Dragon Knights
5:30 pm A Moving Sound, Taiwan
7 pm BANDALOOP
7:45 pm Emel Mathlouthi, Tunisia
9:45 pm Mezcla (Cuba)

For updates and in case of rain, please check our [website](#) and the festival’s [facebook page](#).

The festival is presented by the Wisconsin Union Directorate Performing Arts Committee in collaboration with the Willy Street Fair.

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