

WEDNESDAY, JULY 16

DJ Shadow at the 9:30 Club

The force behind "Endtroducing..." and the "Dark Days" soundtrack, DJ Shadow arrives at the 9:30 Club to support his most recent collaboration with Cut Chemist titled "The Hard Sell." Never one to let down, this show should be quite an event. \$35 — *Lars Garvey Laing-Peterson*

9:30 Club: 815 V St. NW, D.C.; 202-393-0930; www.930.com

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The Funk Tones at Vans Warped Tour at Merriweather Post Pavilion

Somewhere in "Pinkerland," a small rooftop studio in the center of Barcelona, the funk electronica duo The Funk Tones — known for irreverent dance songs that run the gamut on topics such as working bees, sexy robots, whistling, and pink missions — was born. Mister Furia and his partner Professor Manso serve up a fantastic mix of pop, funk, soul, bossa-nova, break-beat, swing, lounge and psychedelia beats — a surreal, über-happy and upbeat cocktail of booty-shaking bass electronica and lyrics in English, French, German and Spanish. \$31 — *Alfredo Flores*.

Merriweather: 10475 Little Patuxent Parkway, Columbia, MD; 410-715-5560; www.merriweathermusic.com

Flanagan's Harp & Fiddle: Perry Conticchio Quartet
Ireland's Four Courts: Hit By Pitch
Jammin' Java: Jon McLaughlin, special guest George Simon Stanford
Kramerbooks & Afterwords Cafe: Dave Goodrich
Madam's Organ: Bob Perilla & The Big Hillbilly Bluegrass Band
Ned Devine's - Herndon: Michael Cowles -- DeeJay
Ragtime Restaurant: Matt Sinfield
Rock Bottom Brewery Arlington: DJ Rusty Griswald
Strathmore Hall: The Grandsons - Free Outdoor Summer Concert
The Carlyle Club: Carlyle Club Band
The Red & The Black: Sleepsound, Tami D'Mar, Spencer Bates
Twins Jazz: Leslie Casey and Compant
Velvet Lounge: Eagle-Ager, Ilya Monosov, Grasslung, Pulse Emitter
Whitlow's On Wilson: Bronze Radio Return, Jay
Wolf Trap: Earth, Wind & Fire
Wonderland Ballroom: Rexedog with Exstasy Fever

THURSDAY, JULY 17

Asylum: A Farewell Rescue w/ A Coastline Ending
Austin Grill -- Silver Spring: Jonny Grave
Birchmere, The: Richie Furay Band
Blues Alley: Arturo Sandoval
Cameron Perks: BNI
Cantina Marina: Monster Band
Clarendon Grill: DJ Rene
DC9: GMG, Mojai, Funk Ark
Dogfish Head Alehouse -- Falls Church: Harlen Simple

Dogwood Tavern: Claire Gilbride
Flanagan's Harp & Fiddle: Alan Scott
Growlers: Dave Hill and Friends
IOTA Club & Cafe: Allison Veltz
Ireland's Four Courts: Ronan Kavanagh
Jammin' Java: Jenny Owen Youngs, Laura Burhenn (of Georgie James), Justin Trawick
Kelly's Irish Times: Pete Papageorge
Kramerbooks & Afterwords Cafe: Jumpin Joe
Madam's Organ: Johnny Artis Band -R&B, Rock, Reggae
Ned Devine's - Herndon: DJ Max Methods
Ned Devines Centerville: DeeJay
Ned Devines-Sterling: DJ Jealousy
O'Sullivan's Irish Pub: Dave Smith
Ragtime Restaurant: Sharif
Rhodeside Grill: Dennis Licari
Ri Ra Irish Pub Arlington: Shane Gamble Duo
Strathmore Hall: Backyard Theater - Anansegromma of Ghana 9:30 a.m. and 11:30 a.m., Tchaikovsky Spectacular 8 p.m.
The Carlyle Club: Carlyle Club Band
The Red & The Black: The Killer Balloons
TT Reynolds: EPB, Numa, Rome in a Day
Twins Jazz: Leslie Casey and Company
Velvet Lounge: Ol' Scratch, Scribes of Fire, Kaemon
Whitlow's On Wilson: Pork N Beans
Wolf Trap: Indigo Girls, Brandi Carlile
Wonderland Ballroom: The Mob, Warehouse, Anndlusiu Dos and Jake Leschinsky

FRIDAY, JULY 18

Junior League, Vandaveer, Mikal Evans Band at the Rock 'n' Roll Hotel

A great local show, headlined by local bluegrass outfit — and On Tap featured artist — Junior League. They're certain to get you moving. Vandaveer, one of the best singer-songwriters in the region whose album "Grace and Speed" was a highlight of '07, is also on the bill. Doors at 8:30 p.m., show at 9:30 p.m. \$10. — *Robert Fulton*
Rock and Roll Hotel: 1353 H St. NE, D.C.; 202-388-ROCK; www.rockandrollhoteldc.com

FRIDAY, JULY 18

Bus Trip to see Pat McGee at Wolf Trap

Join On Tap to see hometown favorite Pat McGee at Wolf Trap in Vienna, VA. For just \$45 this all inclusive trip includes: round trip transportation on a luxury bus, a send-off party with specials on drinks, complimentary appetizers and a lawn seat to the show. For more info and to purchase tix go to: www.store.ontaponline.com.

FRIDAY JULY 18

Poor But Sexy at the Velvet Lounge

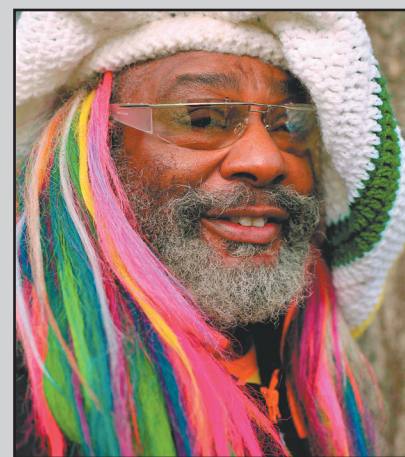
Funk-da-fied postpunk from members of the Hellfighters and Dismemberment Plan. — *Joel Sparks*
Velvet Lounge: 915 U St., NW, DC; 202-462-3213 ; www.velvetloungecd.com

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9:30 Club: Steez Promo and Upfront Industries present ANDY C, MC GQ, Dj Dara and more
Asylum: Space For Space
Austin Grill -- Rockville: Late as Usual
Austin Grill -- Silver Spring: E. Joesph
Bangkok Blues: The Loggers 7 p.m.; Hey Norton 10 p.m.
Birchmere, The: Oleta Adams
Blues Alley: Arturo Sandoval
Calabash: Steve Palmer Band
Chick Hall's Surf Club: Junkyard Saints
Clarendon Grill: Candiflyp
College Perk aka The PERK: Joe Pollock
DAR Constitution Hall: Bow Wow, Ray J
Dogwood Tavern: Buster Brown
Fado Irish Pub & Restaurant: DeeJay
Growlers: ThatGuy, Superland
IOTA Club & Cafe: J. Roddy Walston and The Business
Ireland's Four Courts: Ronan Kavanagh
Jammin' Java: Robinella, Hoots and Hellmouth
Jaxx: Carmfex, Knives Exchanging Hands, A Stained Glass Romance, A Bloodbath in Boston, Rise of Icarus, BI
Kelly's Irish Times: Pete Papageorge
Kirkpatricks -- Ashburn: Nate Ihara 6 p.m.; Electric Company 9:30 p.m.
Kramerbooks & Afterwords Cafe: Jon Kaplan
Madam's Organ: Catfish Hodge - Detroit Boogie Blues
Madigan's Waterfront: Hurricane Johnson, Anthony James Band
McGinty's Public House: Cheap Date
Ned Devine's - Herndon: Smylin Jack 10 p.m.; Jah Works 11:30 p.m.
Ned Devines Centerville: DJ Max Methods
Ned Devines-Sterling: DeeJay
Nick's Nightclub: Texas Heat
O'Sullivan's Irish Pub: Lenny Burgess
Ragtime Restaurant: Tribal Mind
Ri Ra Irish Pub Arlington: Eleven Eleven
Ri Ra Irish Pub Bethesda: DC Motors
Rock and Roll Hotel: Junior League
Rock Bottom Brewery -- Bethesda: New Day Rising
State Theatre: Rock Bol USA 2008
Sully's: Swiftkick Band
Sunset Grille: Killer B's
The Auld Shebeen: Flying Cows of Ventry 7 p.m.; Colouring Lesson 9:30 p.m.
The Carlyle Club: Carlyle Club Band
The Red & The Black: Bliss, Sometimes Junkyard, Humanroom
TT Reynolds: Die Manic & Celebrity Gunfight
Twins Jazz: Mark Mosley Quintet featuring Dave Schnitter (SAX)
Velvet Lounge: Poor But Sexy
Whitlow's On Wilson: Revision
Wolf Trap: Pat McGee Band, Sister Hazel
Wonderland Ballroom: DJ Maestro

SATURDAY, JULY 19

9:30 Club: George Clinton and Parliament Funkadelic
Austin Grill -- Rockville: Jonny and the Stingrays
Austin Grill -- Silver Spring: The Barnburners
Bangkok Blues: WD Miller Band 7 p.m.; Mike Wescott and Blues on Board 10 p.m.
Birchmere, The: Greg Brown
Black Cat: Someone Still Loves You Boris Yeltsin, Bellman Barker, Ha Ha Tonka
Blues Alley: Arturo Sandoval
Calabash: Lost Highway Band
Clarendon Ballroom: DJ Paul Garza
Clarendon Grill: Laura Lea & Tripp Fabulous
College Perk aka The PERK: ilyAIMY and their noise.
Dogfish Head Alehouse -- Falls Church: Rose Between Thorns



SATURDAY, JULY 19

George Clinton and Parliament Funkadelic at the 9:30 Club

Get the FUNK out. The Mothership will land in D.C. this July when veteran funkmasters George Clinton and P-Funk take the stage at the 9:30 Club for a night of soul-driven insanity. With nearly two dozen musicians in tow, Clinton will be dropping the flavor he's been throwing since the '70s, that is still as relevant today as it was then. Starts at 8 p.m. \$40. — *Jason Walsh*
9:30 Club: 815 V St. NW, D.C.; 202-265-0930; www.930.com

Dogwood Tavern: Brother Shamus Acoustic
Flanagan's Harp & Fiddle: Too Damn Big Orchestra - Rock
Great Falls Tavern: Nate Ihara
Growlers: 3 Legged Fox
IOTA Club & Cafe: Cobra Collective, Triggers
Ireland's Four Courts: Ronan Kavanagh
Jammin' Java: MHR CD Release Show, The London Souls, Swagger and Skank -- 6 p.m.; Defakto, Stress -- 9:30 p.m.
Jaxx: L.A. Guns, Faster Pussycat, Bang Tango, Sinners Trail
Kelly's Irish Times: Pete Papageorge
Kramerbooks & Afterwords Cafe: Dave Goodrich
Madam's Organ: Motor City Josh - Rockin' Detroit Blues
Madigan's Waterfront: Hurricane Johnson, Anthony James Band
McGinty's Public House: The Rise and Fall
Nick's Nightclub: Texas Heat
O'Sullivan's Irish Pub: Ryan from the Silent Critics
Ragtime Restaurant: Willy Nilly
Ri Ra Irish Pub Arlington: Element K
Ri Ra Irish Pub Bethesda: Cheap Date
State Theatre: Frontiers
Strathmore Hall: Cherryholmes
Sully's: Zipper
Sunset Grille: Johnny Castle's Thrillbillys
The Auld Shebeen: Flying Cows of Ventry
The Carlyle Club: Carlyle Club Band
The Red & The Black: Vitreous, Along Those Lines, The Splints, Man on Earth
TT Reynolds: Twentysomthin
Twins Jazz: Mark Mosley Quintet featuring Dave Schnitter (SAX)
Velvet Lounge: The Mindless Expanse, Resolution 15, Left of Avalon, Roxie Heart
Whitlow's On Wilson: Taylor Carson Band
Wolf Trap: Gladys Knight
Wonderland Ballroom: DJ Nitecrawler