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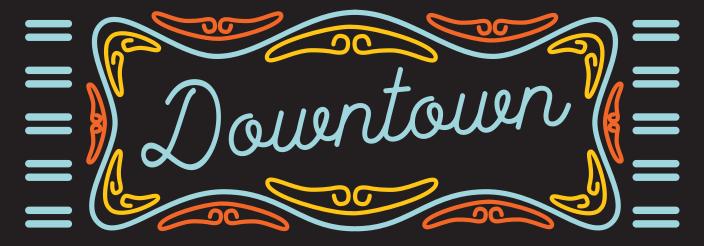












MAIN STREET SEARCY 2023

Friday & Saturday · September 29-30

TWO DAYS OF MUSIC • FOOD • VENDORS • ACTIVITIES IN DOWNTOWN SEARCY FRIDAY 6:00 - 9:30 PM · SATURDAY 10:00 AM - 9:30 PM

DAVID LEE MURPHY





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DAVID LEE MURPHY 8:00 PM • SATURDAY



David Lee Murphy is best recognized by his massive hit single "Dust On The Bottle." But he is also known as one of country music's best songwriters. He has written songs for superstar artists like Kenny Chesney, Jason Aldean, Luke Bryan, Eric Church, Florida Georgia Line, Keith Urban, Brad Paisley, Brooks & Dunn, Hank Williams, Jr. and others.

Murphy's debut platinum-selling album Out With A Bang produced a string of hits, including the title track "Out With A Bang," "Fish Ain't Bitin'" and "Just Once," which was featured in the movie 8 Seconds about bull rider Lane Frost. Also on that album were the hit singles "Party Crowd" (Radio & Records awarded it the most-

played song on country radio in 1995) and the #1 single "Dust On The Bottle." Both songs have become staples on country radio today.

Murphy went on to record two more albums. We Can't All Be Angels produced the hit single, "All Lit Up In Love" and "We Can't All Be Angels," which was featured in the Patrick Swayze movie Black Dog. Murphy's album Tryin' To Get There (the title track he wrote with friend and musical hero Waylon Jennings) produced the Top 5 single "Loco."

Murphy has earned more than two dozen songwriting awards for songs he has written for superstars like Kenny Chesney, Jason Aldean, Luke Bryan, Keith Urban, Florida Georgia Line, Thomas Rhett, Eric Church, Brad Paisley, Hank Williams Jr., Brooks & Dunn, Reba McEntire and others. Some of his hits include songs by Kenny Chesney ("Here And Now," "Live A Little," "Living In Fast Forward," "Pirate Flag," "'Til It's Gone"); Jason Aldean ("Big Green Tractor," "The Only Way I Know"); Jake Owen ("Anywhere With You"); Thompson Square (Grammy-nominated "Are You Gonna Kiss Me Or Not"); Kip Moore ("Last Shot"); Justin Moore ("Why We Drink"); Gary Allan ("A Feelin' Like That"); Josh Thompson ("Way Out Here") and Blackberry Smoke ("Good One Coming On").

EAST NASH GRASS 6:30 PM • SATURDAY



As Nashville's newest bluegrass ambassadors, East Nash Grass comes as a refreshing break – a balance of undeniably hard-driving bluegrass alongside surprisingly introspective songwriting and earnest narration. Featuring a who's-who of Nashville's hottest young pickers, the joy and passion these musicians feel toward the genre is infused in every note they play and every word they sing.

East Nash Grass features James Kee on guitar and vocals, Grand Master Fiddle Champion Maddie Denton, Gaven Largent on dobro, Presidential Scholar for the Arts in Jazz Jeff Picker on bass, two-time IBMA Momentum Award Winner for Best Instrumentalist Cory Walker on banjo and Searcy's own Harry Clark on mandolin.



DR. ZARR'S AMAZING FUNK MONSTER 8:00 PM • FRIDAY

One of the most popular Memphis bands ever to hit the party scene. Dr. Zarr's Amazing Funk Monster has entertained legions of fans throughout the South for more than two decades, having played thousands of shows. From disco infernos to 80s new wave, this group has created one of the most energetic and fun bands you'll ever see. Entertaining all the ages with their lighthearted, fun-filled mood, Dr. Zarr's Amazing Funk Monster dresses up in crazy clothes and brings music to life whenever they take the stage.



LOVE AND A REVOLVER 7:00 PM • FRIDAY

After a recording trip to the famous Robin Hood Studios in Tyler, Texas, where bands like ZZ Top cut their teeth, Love and a Revolver is back playing live music all over Central Arkansas. This five-piece band of longtime friends includes Jenny Clayton on vocals, Wes Richardson and Kyle Priest on guitar, Brad Lawson on bass and Adam Burton on drums. Love and a Revolver is a good-time band playing classic Southern rock with a mix of today's popular hits.



FIRST SECURITY BANK STAGE SCHEDULE COURTHOUSE SQUARE - SPRING STREET

FRIDAY. SEPTEMBER 29

6:00 pm Silas Carpenter

7:00 pm Love and a Revolver

8:00 pm Dr. Zarr's Amazing Funk Monster

SATURDAY. SEPTEMBER 30

10:00 am Jordan Morris

11:00 am James Wells & Ryan Pace

12:00 pm Jimmy Rolett 4:00 pm Erik Smallwood 5:00 pm 90 Proof

6:30 pm East Nash Grass

8:00 pm David Lee Murphy

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THINGS TO KNOW

- The Get Down Downtown Command Center, including lost and found, is located at Make.Do. (121 North Spring Street)
- The Searcy Police Department, Searcy Fire Department and NorthStar EMS will be downtown during the festival if assistance is needed.
- First Baptist Church is providing a diaper-changing station for little festivalgoers. Look for the sign on Spring Street.

THINGS TO SEE & DO

Train Rides

Kids can get on board the Get Down Downtown train on Spruce Street (Courthouse Square). The train will operate on Friday night from 6:00-9:30 pm and Saturday from 3:00-9:30 pm. Brought to you in part by Howell Realty Pros.

SFD Firefighter Combat Challenge

Watch the Searcy Fire Department's Firefighter Combat Challenge on the Art Alley block of Arch Street Friday evening at 6:00 pm. See area middle school students compete in a head-to-head competition of firefighter tasks.

Cirque Adventure

Don't miss aerial silks, aerial lyra, mini-trampoline, acrobatics, hoop diving and juggling performed by Cirque Adventure in the Spring Street parking lot across from First Baptist Church. Showtimes are Saturday at 11:30 am, 1:30 pm and 3:30 pm.

Fire Breathing

Watch fire breathing and poi performances by Matt Vandiver in the Spring Street parking lot across from First Baptist Church. Showtimes are Friday and Saturday nights at 6:30 pm and 7:30 pm.

Funnel Cake 5K

Why do we run? To eat funnel cake! The annual Funnel Cake 5K & Cotton Candy Classic 1-mile is Saturday, September 30, at 8:00 am. Participants receive a FREE funnel cake or cotton candy voucher, race t-shirt and a great race bag. Winners receive medals. Scan to register and for more information!









The Unity Health Kid Zone will be open Saturday, September 30, from 10:00 am - 4:00 pm. Kids can enjoy the petting zoo, pony rides, slot car racing, karaoke, carnival games, inflatables and more. Don't miss the Harding Academy Robotics Team tent at Spring Park's north entrance where visitors can build "Lego Battle Bots" from 9:00-11:00 am.

Saturday, September 30

Crosspointe Preparatory Vocal Ensemble 10:00 am 10:30 am Ahlf Junior High School Searcy High School 11:00 am 11:30 am Harding Academy 12:30 pm TBD 1:00 pm Brian Kinder and Ms. Terri 2:00 pm 4-Mile Hill Taekwondo

TBD 3:00 pm

2:30 pm

Scheduled performances are subject to change. Thanks to Quattlebaum Music for Kid Zone sound assistance.

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