

# JUST A REMINDER

**DUE TO THE PERIODIC CLOSURE OF THE SWING BRIDGE AND NO SHUTTLE SERVICE FROM EAGLE LANDING, PARKING MAY BE AFFECTED. WE URGE YOU TO CARPOOL IF POSSIBLE.**

For bridge closure updates, please consult:  
[www.easthaddamswingbridgeproject.com](http://www.easthaddamswingbridgeproject.com)

- Free parking is available in the Goodspeed parking lot.
- Great food and drinks are available to purchase at the Gelston House or bring a picnic.

**Out of courtesy to the audience, and respect for the Goodspeed property, we kindly ask you to honor these requests.**

## PLEASE:

- All children under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult
- No dogs
- No smoking
- No vendors on concert grounds
- No soliciting on the concert grounds
- No parking on residential streets
- No children on river banks or dock

## WITH APPRECIATION

MOTR is privileged to invite you to experience summer evenings while enjoying the finest music. We are grateful to Goodspeed Musicals for sharing this majestic setting and to the Gelston House Restaurant for hosting our bands and patrons. Our sincere gratitude to all our sponsors and donors for making this event possible. Thank you for your participation in making each concert an evening to remember.

# WELCOME BACK TO MOTR

MOTR has become one of East Haddam's precious gems, attracting the interest of performing artists, and the high expectations of a music-savvy audience. We proudly invite you to immerse yourself in the music of award-winning artists who represent the finest interpretations of their genres. Please join us for some extraordinary music and good times, "Down by the River".



**Don't let the rain stop you from attending these amazing shows. Please see rain date schedule below.**

## RAIN DATE SCHEDULE:

	<u>Rain Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	
7/1	Christine Ohlman	7/2	GS Lawn
7/8	Tatiana Eva-Marie	7/9	GS Lawn
7/15	Cold Chocolate	7/16	GS Lawn
7/22	Gaslight Tinkers	7/23	GS Lawn
7/29	John Jorgenson	7/29	NHRMS
8/5	One Time Weekend	8/6	GS Lawn

NHRMS Address:  
73 Clark Gates Road, Moodus CT 06469

Questions? Please call:  
860-873-5058  
or visit:  
[musicontheriver.net](http://musicontheriver.net)

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MONDAY EVENINGS  
6:30 P.M.



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# MOTR 2024

(Please tear off and mail with your check)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Concert Donation: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

T-shirt preorders \$25 each

Quantity: \_\_\_\_\_

Size(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## SPONSORSHIP LEVELS:

\$10+	COPPER
\$100+	BRONZE
\$300+	SILVER
\$500+	GOLD
\$1000+	PLATINUM
\$2000+	DIAMOND

## 2024 MOTR T-SHIRTS

Avoid the merch table rush and preorder your MOTR t-shirts.

Please make your check payable:

**EHPR, MUSIC ON THE RIVER**  
P.O. Box 385, Moodus CT 06469

Remember that ALL concerts are funded entirely by your contributions. Your early support will help meet operating expenses and will be acknowledged in our program.

Platinum and Diamond sponsors will receive a banner to be displayed at all concerts.

*Thank you!*



## JULY 1 CHRISTINE OHLMAN

She's back! With her trademark mile-high platinum beehive hairdo and enviable collection of sequins and rhinestones, Ohlman looks like

a lady to be reckoned with, and when she opens her mouth to sing, the truth comes out. But underneath it all lurks a no-frills approach to music. Christine is the current long-time vocalist of the Saturday Night Live Band. Her long list of achievements includes her induction into the National Blues Hall of Fame, singing on Quentin Tarantino's "Once Upon A Time in Hollywood" and partnering with Elvis Costello for a duet on HBO's Vinyl. Christine tours relentlessly with her band Rebel Montez.

## JULY 8 TATIANA EVA-MARIE & THE AVALON JAZZ BAND



Nicknamed the *Gypsy-jazz Warbler* by the New York Times, Tatiana Eva-Marie is a transatlantic bandleader, singer, author, and actress based in Brooklyn. Best known for her work leading the Avalon Jazz Band – a band with a Parisian "vintage" flair that has gathered 80 million views on YouTube – her interests have led her to explore a wide range of musical styles, from 1930s pop to modern jazz. Tatiana Eva-Marie's singing is always inspired by her own French and Romani heritage; a love for the Parisian art scene era spanning the 1920s to the 60s; a passion for Gypsy music and a deep connection to the Great American Songbook.



## JULY 15 COLD CHOCOLATE

Cold Chocolate is a genre-bending Americana band that fuses folk, funk and bluegrass to create a unique sound all their own. Led by Ethan Robbins and Ariel Bernstein, the Boston-based duo released their fifth full-length album in the fall of 2023. Punctuated by tight harmonies and skillful musicianship, Cold Chocolate has quickly gained recognition for their original music and high-energy shows. The band regularly performs at venues and music festivals across the country.



## JULY 22 GASLIGHT TINKERS

African, Caribbean, Funk, Reggae, and Latin grooves meet traditional fiddle music. The Gaslight Tinkers' blend of global rhythms creates

a joyously danceable sound around a core of traditional New England old-time and Celtic fiddle music. Since its formation in 2012, the band has lit up the East Coast, the West Coast, and the Caribbean, headlining clubs, dances, and major festivals. Playing what The Valley Advocate describes as "Music that consistently fizzes and pops with unexpected textures and turns," The Gaslight Tinkers' shows are packed with delightful surprises, elated crowds, and exuberant musicianship.

## JULY 29 JOHN JORGENSON BLUEGRASS BAND



J2B2 is an all-star bluegrass supergroup featuring four legendary, grammy nominated/winning musicians – John Jorgenson (founding member of Desert Rose Band) on acoustic guitar, mandolin, and vocals; Herb Pedersen on banjo, acoustic guitar, and vocals; Mark Fain on bass; and Patrick Sauber on acoustic guitar and vocals. The four combine forces to form a spot-on union of impeccable musicianship, incomparable songwriting, and incredible harmony vocals. J2B2 has played several times at the Grand Ole Opry. They have worked with musical legends Elton John, Barbara Streisand, Dolly Parton, and many more.



## AUGUST 5 ONE TIME WEEKEND

"We Groove - You Move" is the mantra of One Time Weekend. OTW is an innovative shred-funk

Connecticut quartet that brings driving grooves with a melodic and progressive edge to the universe. They are known for their live shows - delivering a high-energy musical experience every performance as twin lead guitarists, Adam Eytan and Zac Mulcahy shred over bassist and lead vocalist Ian D'Arcangelo's funky bass lines and dynamic vocals while Ben "Beano" Sullivan mans the pocket holding it all down with his rhythmic energy.