

Get ready for **STAND**



CAB Event:

**Irish rock band
STAND
9 p.m.
Wednesday, Aug. 30
San Damiano Room,
Francis Hall
No charge!**

STAND formed on the streets and schoolyards of Dublin, Ireland, in the late '90s. No want ads, no third-party introductions, just like-minded musicians with a shared passion.

They spent the first two years together writing songs and performing continuously in clubs throughout Ireland and Europe — developing into one of the most talked about bands on the Irish scene. Their first release, “Correspondent,” landed on the charts with two Top 10 songs and garnered sales of more than 20,000 copies sold. The group’s newest album, “Transmissions,” was released in the spring.

STAND is a breath of fresh sweat and grit in a musical landscape filled with pop and puff, bandmembers Carl Dowling (drums), Alan Doyle (guitar/vocals), Neil Eurelle (bass/vocals) and David Walsh (guitar/keyboards), beg, “just put us in a van and let us go play.”

www.standland.com

CAMPUS BRIEFS

Black Student Union slates Meet and Greet

Come to the Meet and Greet sponsored by the Black Student Union on Monday, Sept. 4, at 7 p.m.!

The event will be held in the Damietta Center, located on the west side of Francis Hall.

Drinks and snacks will be provided. All are welcome to stop by. For more information, contact Julissa Torres at torresjm@sbu.edu.

Learn more about studying abroad in Perugia, Italy

An information session about studying in Perugia during the spring semester will be held from 7 to 8 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 30, in the Burgundy Room in the Thomas Merton Center.

For more information, contact Dr. Michael Chiariello at ext. 2201 or mchiarie@sbu.edu. Or, learn more online at www.sbu.edu/italystudy.

Emergency Response Team announces Wednesday meeting

There will be a MERT (Medical Emergency Response Team) meeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 30, in the Reilly Center basement room 29. For more information, contact Travis Moshier (814-558-7498) or Mary Kohl (ext. 2627).

Join the Student Organizations Fair in Doyle Dining Room

All SBU student organizations are invited to participate in the Student Organizations Fair in the Doyle Hall Dining Room Sept. 6 and 7 from 5 to 7 p.m. This is an opportunity for organizations to publicize their activities and for new and returning students to gather information – all at one time.

If you are an adviser or an officer of a student organization, please contact either Ann Lehman (alehman@sbu.edu) or Erika Mattoon (mattoob@sbu.edu) for more information and reservations.

CAB Event:

Hypnotist Daniel James
9 p.m. | Thursday, Aug. 31
San Damiano Room, Francis Hall
No charge!

Daniel James is one of the most sought-after comic hypnotists today. His career began in 1980 when he joined National Assemblies, an entertainment bureau in Hollywood, Calif. James performs at more than 400 schools and universities across the country each year. See him in action — watch a video of his performance at www.danieljames.com/daniel_003.htm.

SBU Theater Auditions

SBU THEATER will hold auditions for fall 2006 productions:

THE COVER OF LIFE by R.T. Robinson
 Roles for six women and one man.
 Drama takes place in rural USA in 1943.

SBU THEATER'S CHRISTMAS CABARET
 Various casting opportunities.
 An original evening of holiday songs.

Auditions are open to all members of the SBU community.

Audition sides and rehearsal information is available outside Room 208 in the Quick Art Center.

AUDITIONS
WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY
AUGUST 30 & 31
 7 p.m. in THE GARRET THEATER

CAB Trips

The Campus Activities Board is sponsoring the following upcoming trips:

- John Mayer & Cheryl Crow at Darien Lake, 6:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 1
- “Jesus Christ Superstar” at UB Center for the Arts, Saturday, Sept. 9
- Buffalo Bills vs. New York Jets, Ralph Wilson Stadium, Sunday, Sept. 24
- Buffalo Bills vs. New England Patriots, Ralph Wilson Stadium, Sunday, Oct. 22.

Call the Office of Student Activities at ext. 2514 for details!

Quick Center to open 2006-2007 season celebrating 25th anniversary of Friends of Good Music

Friends of Good Music, in association with The Regina A. Quick Center for the Arts (QCA), brings back the dazzling ensemble Quartetto Gelato for a return appearance in Olean, in the program Latin America: Hot and Cool. The opening concert of Friends of Good Music's 25th anniversary season will be held at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 8, at the Quick Center.

For more than 10 years, Quartetto Gelato has not only thrilled audiences with its mastery of eight instruments, but offers the wonderfully unexpected bonus of a brilliant operatic tenor. With a performance repertoire that travels imaginatively between classical masterworks, operatic arias and the sizzling energy of tangos and folk songs, the group's charismatic stage presence and delightful humor establishes an immediate rapport with traditional and non-traditional classical audiences alike.

"They are one of the most exciting ensembles in the contemporary classical market right now," said Joseph LoSchiavo, executive director of the Quick Center. "They have style and virtuosity



but, at the same time, like their namesake, they are light and refreshing."

Classical radio listeners across the continent know Quartetto Gelato by its instantly recognizable sound, which is broadcast frequently on the CBC, PRI and NPR networks. In particular, the group has been featured regularly on NPR's popular

Performance Today program, which recognized Quartetto Gelato in 1996 with its prestigious "Debut Artist of the Year" award.

Active in the recording studio, Quartetto Gelato has released six CDs and can be heard on the soundtrack recording of 1994's Only You starring Marisa Tomei and Robert Downey Jr.

The Quick Center performance is partially underwritten by Ried's Food Barn and is sponsored in part by the New York State Council on the Arts. Tickets are \$18 each, \$15 for seniors, subscription holders and SBU employees, and \$5 for students. Season subscriptions are still available. Contact the QCA Box Office at ext. 2494.

The QCA will extend its gallery hours, opening one hour before, and remaining open one hour after, each performance.

Focus: Fiber 2006

Not your grandmother's quilt show

Focus: Fiber 2006, a biennial juried exhibition of contemporary fiber art, opened at The Regina A. Quick Center for the Arts Aug. 22 and continues through Nov. 5. Organized by the Textile Art Alliance (TAA) of the Cleveland Museum of Art, and in its 36th year, this is the second time the biennial survey has traveled to the Quick Center. Focus: Fiber 2006 originated at the Artists Archive of the Western Reserve in Cleveland, Ohio, in June.

Juried by internationally renowned quilt artist Nancy Crow, the exhibition features 54 works of art by 33 artists from a seven-state Mideast region. The Textile Alliance defines fiber arts

as any work that is "fiber in nature or is executed in a fiber technique." As a genre, fiber art has changed dramatically from its folksy beginnings with the utilitarian quilt. For viewers who haven't kept pace, today the field parallels the rapid-fire evolution and experimental nature of the technological world.

Like painting, the field now embraces such diverse responses as sociopolitical statements, humor, representational explorations of personal relationships and the natural world, non-representational experiments in form, color and texture as well as understated commentaries on change itself.

"The experimental rigor combined with the pure joy of color that Nancy Crow brings to her own art is reflected in her choices for this year's show," said Ruta Marino, deputy director of the Quick Center. "As Crow stated in the catalog to the show, the exhibition operates as a fascinating 'investigation of processes and ideas' in fiber art today."

The galleries of the Quick Center are free and open to the public year round. For information on group tours, please contact Jason Trimmer at ext.7686 or jtrimmer@sbu.edu.

**Don't miss ...
Live Band
Karaoke**

**The name says
it all!
Karaoke with a
LIVE BAND
combines the
silly fun of
karaoke with
the energy of a
live rock band**

9 p.m.

Friday

Rathskeller

hosted by CAB