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Third Eye Blind Performs at Starlight Theatre June 30



Third Eye Blind will bring its *Summer Gods: 25 Years in the Blind* summer tour to Starlight Theatre Thursday, June 30, 2022, as part of the 2022 Capitol Federal Concert Series.

KANSAS CITY, Mo. – Third Eye Blind is proud to announce their tour, Summer Gods: 25 Years in the Blind, with Taking Back Sunday and Hockey Dad, which includes a stop at Starlight Theatre Thursday, June 30, 2022.

Tickets will go on sale to the public **Friday, February 18** at 10 a.m. Official presales will begin Tuesday, February 15. All tickets can be purchased at kcstarlight.com. Patrons may enter their presale password in the promo code box. Once the password has been validated, purchase options will appear.

Tickets to Third Eye Blind range from \$29.50 - \$99.95 plus applicable fees. Tickets can be purchased by calling the Starlight Theatre Ticket Office at (816) 363-7827, or by visiting kcstarlight.com. The show will begin at 7:00 p.m., and the gates will open at 6:00 p.m.

"Twenty-five years of Third Eye Blind finds us feeling glorious as if everything is coming into deeper focus," Third Eye Blind's lead singer, Stephan Jenkins, said. "It's not lost on us that this is a miracle, and that we are in it because of the new fans that keep discovering us and the people who, over the years, have made our music part of their culture."

Third Eye Blind comes to Starlight as part of the 2022 Capital Federal Concert Series. Please note that kcstarlight.com is the only official ticket source for all shows at Starlight. If you purchase tickets from another website or ticket broker, we cannot guarantee those tickets are legitimate.

"In the early days of Taking Back Sunday, Adam and I used to drive around in his old Honda listening to Third Eye Blind's second album, "Blue," windows down, smoking cigarettes and singing along," Taking Back Sunday's guitarist, John Nolan, said. "If someone had told us back then that one day we'd tour together, it would've blown our minds. We're so excited to be out with Third Eye Blind this summer, singing our songs and singing along with theirs."

About Third Eye Blind and the Summer Gods Tour

The upcoming Summer Gods tour will be supporting the restoration of a portion of the Palos Verdes Kelp Forest. Called the Blind Reef, proceeds of each ticket will help our friends in the surf community at SeaTrees to restore the kelp ecosystem that sequesters carbon off the California Coast.

This initiative is part of Third Eye Blind's commitment to making the music touring climate more sustainable, a longstanding passion of the band's frontman, Stephan Jenkins. Jenkins is an avid surfer and studied marine biology in college, working to restore kelp reefs at the age of 18. In addition to a portion of ticket sales supporting this cause, fans will also have the option to "buy" their own square foot of the Blind Reef amongst other offerings such as beach clean ups, limited edition merchandise, and meet and greets for donations that will bring us towards the completion of the Blind Reef.

The stage design is inspired by Stephan's visit to the 2021 Venice Architecture Biennale, where the Consortium installation, with its soaring steel and tree branches, evoked something aspirational and analog that is the vital core of Third Eye Blind's music.

Third Eye Blind's latest album Our Bande Apart (2021) is out now.

2022 Capitol Federal Concert Series

Each spring and summer, Starlight brings award-winning artists from a wide range of genres to its stage. Below are the concerts that have been announced to date. Additional performances will be announced throughout the 2022 season. For the most up-to-date concert information, sign up for our email list at kcstarlight.com.

- May 7, 2022—Ben Rector / Gate Time: 6 p.m. / Show Time: 7 p.m.
- June 1, 2022—AJR / Gate Time: 6:30 p.m. / Show Time: 7:30 p.m.
- June 4, 2022—HAIM / Gate Time: 7 p.m. / Show Time: 8 p.m.
- June 13, 2022—Rex Orange County / Gate Time: 7 p.m. / Show Time: 8 p.m.
- June 14, 2022—REO Speedwagon & Styx / Gate Time: 6 p.m. / Show Time: 6:45 p.m.
- June 15, 2022—Bon Iver / Gate Time: 6 p.m. / Show Time: 7:15 p.m.
- June 20, 2022—Chicago & Brian Wilson / Gate Time: 6:30 p.m. / Show Time: 7:30 p.m.
- June 29, 2022—Barenaked Ladies / Gate Time: 6 p.m. / Show Time: 7:30 p.m.
- June 30, 2022—Third Eye Blind / Gate Time: 6 p.m. / Show Time: 7 p.m.
- July 22, 2022—Josh Groban / Gate Time: 6 p.m. / Show Time: 7 p.m.
- August 1, 2022—Goo Goo Dolls / Gate Time: 6 p.m. / Show Time: 7 p.m.
- August 7, 2022—David Gray / Gate Time: 7 p.m. / Show Time: 8 p.m.
- August 24, 2022—Alicia Keys / Gate Time: 7 p.m. / Show Time: 8 p.m.
- August 29, 2022—Jack White / Gate Time: 6:30 p.m. / Show Time: 8 p.m.

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Interested in season tickets to the 2022 Capitol Federal Concert Series? Contact Jeff Miller, Concert Sponsorship & VIP Sales Manager, at jeff.miller@kcstarlight.com or by calling (816) 997-1124. VIP Concert Season Tickets include access to the best seats, reserved parking, early entrance and exclusive access to the VIP Club on concert nights.

Safety Protocols

Staying safe is Starlight's priority. Stay up-to-date on Starlight's safety protocols on Starlight's Staying Safe webpage, kcstarlight.com/visit-starlight/staying-safe.

About Starlight

Opened as a theatre in 1950 and a nonprofit organization in 1951, Starlight is the largest and oldest performing arts institution in Kansas City and provides inspiring, one-of-a-kind experiences to its patrons. Starlight presents and produces Broadway musicals, concerts and indoors shows in addition to offering extensive community engagement programming, including classes, scholarships and Starlight's Blue Star Awards, one of the largest high school musical theatre award programs in the nation.

Located on 16 acres in Swope Park, Starlight's historic, city-owned venue is the second-largest outdoor producing theatre in the country and includes rehearsal halls, a museum, club area for dining, concessions, gardens, fountains and a 10-story, climate-controlled stage. For more information, visit kcstarlight.com.

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