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Wild Weekends in November! Entertainment Lineup at Wildfire Cabaret

Wildhorse Resort & Casino presents an exciting lineup of entertainment every week at Wildfire Cabaret in November, including two weekends of “Legends in Concert” this month. Each weekend’s live performance runs from 8pm–midnight, Fridays and Saturdays. Wildhorse LIVE! Karaoke is scheduled every Wednesday, 7-11pm in November. Every Thursday night at 8pm Wildfire Cabaret presents *Wildhorse Comedy Jam*. A live, stand up comedy show which features nationally recognized comedians and entertainers who have been featured on Comedy Central, The Tonight Show, Saturday Night LIVE and HBO. There is no cover charge at Wildfire and the lounge offers a great selection of beer, wine, cocktails, delicious appetizers and light meals.

Wildfire’s exciting November entertainment includes:

Wednesday is Wildhorse LIVE! Karaoke Night

Wildfire Cabaret is the hot spot for a fun night of amateur entertainment in Wildfire Cabaret. Wildhorse LIVE! Karaoke gets started at 7pm with karaoke singers from far and near crooning their favorite tunes. A star is born every night!

November 6 – Wildhorse Comedy Jam Featuring Chas Elstner & Ray Pennetti

Chas Elstner - has been a stand-up comic for over 24 years and has written, performed and produced two comedy albums, “Is This Stuff Too Real For You?” and “A Man’s Home Is Her Castle.” His numerous television appearances include MTV’s ½ Hour Comedy Hour, VH-1’s Standup Spotlight, Entertainment Tonight, Showtime Comedy Club Allstars IV, Fox Television, national television debut on ABC, four appearances on Evening @ the Improv, and The Best of Evening at the Improv, Volume 3 on DVD. **Also featuring: Ray Pennetti** - A clever monologist, Ray is a hilarious act. In the tradition of Carson, Letterman, Leno, Maher, etc., Ray uses



spontaneous interaction with the audience, when appropriate, and draws the crowd right in. Topical, quick and funny, Ray has captured laughs in over 41 states and Canada.

November 7-8: Hardline Band R & B Hits

HARDLINE BAND is the ultimate high energy party band! Jamming the favorite Top-40 hits of dance, rock, funk R& B and more, Hardline Band is a musical dance experience! Wildfire will boogie with this band that plays a diverse mix of the most popular dance music from the '70s through the '90s to the current hits of today's up and coming artists, along with a refreshing selection of material not played by other live bands. The Hardline Band is burning up the dance floors of the hottest clubs in the nation, and is featured exclusively in our region at Wildfire Cabaret.

November 13: Wildhorse Comedy Jam – Featuring Rocky Whatule & David Taylor



Rocky Whatule – An incredible comedian with a wide range of talent, Whatule has had appearances on *Friends*, MTV, Showtime, *Jamie Kennedy X-periment*, and is the new host of the TV show *Sunset Stripped*. This ten-year veteran of television and stage will keep everyone in stitches, with humor from all walks of life. From dating to married life, from friends to family, from observations to experiences, from people to animals, Rocky Whatule is an all around great entertainer! **Also Featuring: David Taylor**- This squirrely slacker's act is all over the map! His high energy involvement with each audience makes every show

unique and unforgettable. His television appearances include; Comic Strip Live, Gotham, Hollywood Improv, Joker's Comedy Club. His movie credits include parts on *Invisible Man*, *Bring It On*, *Veronica Mars*, *Firefly* and more. His humor ranges from dating to eating disorders, LA traffic to EMO pants. David's energy is contagious and his laid back Southern California surfer lingo is something else! His comedic talent and winning personality have made him a favorite at clubs, colleges and casinos nationwide.

November 14-15: Earl Wear & Coltrain – Country Jam

Spokane area country band, *Earl Wear & Coltrain* have been filling Northwest country dance floors for years. Lead by singer Earl Wear, a recognized contestant on The Charlie Daniels Talent Roundup in Nashville, TN in 1995. The band was voted "Best Band in the Pacific Northwest" in 1996, and won the Northwest Regional competition for the Colgate Country Showdown in Orlando, Florida. They placed sixth in the nation, beating out 10,000 other acts. Since then *Earl Wear & Coltrain* shared the stage with country stars Sammy Kershaw, Wynonna and Rascal Flatts, to name



just a few.

November 20: Wildhorse Comedy Jam – Featuring Huck Flynn & Devin Barber

Huck Flynn – Huck Flynn got his start in comedy by way of rock-n-roll. In the early '70s Huck starred in an off-Broadway rock musical, “Bimbo’s Cosmic Circus” and enjoyed some early success. By 1977 he was regularly featured on some of television’s most recognized entertainment shows such as the Gong Show and the Dating Game. In 1987 he began performing at the comedy clubs and has been well-known over the last fifteen years for raucous stand-up routines “The Rock n’ Roll Comedian.” **Also featuring: Devin Barber:** – After retiring from a 23-year career as a highway engineer for the government, Devin naturally decided to pursue a career in entertainment. Devin began his stand-up career at Spokane’s Brick Wall Comedy Club in February 2004, and returned there eight months later, in October to win the Brick Wall Amateur competition before turning pro. Since his first paid act at Barnaby’s in Walla-Walla, Devin has performed well over 400 shows all over the region and in Canada. Devin was a finalist at the 2008 Great Canadian Laugh Off at Yuk-Yuks in Toronto, and his mix of fun and comic insight to daily situations have audiences begging for more at the end of each show.

November 21-22: Petty Theft – A Rock Legend Tom Petty Tribute



The music of classic rock legend Tom Petty has thrilled generations of fans for the past decade so it seems appropriate that Wildfire Cabaret brings this tribute to our stage. It isn’t just the songs and the look that make “Tribute To Tom Petty” a success. Lead singer Michael Furlong’s talents as an entertainer are exceptional, making the package complete. Mike’s shows are fun, action packed, humorous, and moving. He instigates and involves his audience, while delivering his own personal touch to each performance. The illusion, the music, the entertainment, and Furlong as himself make his shows an event. With rocking oldies, signature ballads and current hits like “Breakdown”, “Free Fallin”, “Refugee”, “American Girl”, “Don’t Do Me Like That”, “I Need To Know”, and “Here Comes My Girl”, he delivers a memorable performance of good music and fun in every show.

November 27: Wildhorse Comedy Jam – Featuring Chris Curtis & Scott May



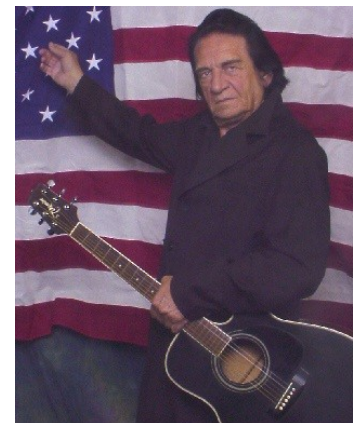
Chris Curtis - Chris was the 1993 comic of the year for the Laff Stop Comedy Chain. After sixty-two weeks of grueling competition, Chris

wound up on top of the comedy “Laff-Off” contestants, taking the honors for Comic of the Year. Since then, Chris has worked hard at comedy and has uniquely crafted a methodical, cynical way of meandering through life's daily situations and routines while he cleverly dissects life on the road (“some people need to be let in on a little secret-sheets are more expensive than curtains!”), cars and driving, childhood activities and overall exasperations. Chris has played at Zanies-Chicago, Laughs Unlimited-Sacramento, Improv-San Jose, River Palms-Laughlin and many more. Chris is a member of the clean comedy division of EntertainmentMax.

Scott May - The 2006 winner of the “Bob and Tom Show” Amateur Comedy Laugh Off, Scott May is a new comic on the rise. This Oregonian is working his way through the country to share his unique blend of observational and mainstream humor that anyone can enjoy. As a small town native, May’s comic musings involve everything from comments on small town life to the mating habits of pandas. His quirky sense of humor and rapid fire delivery are all part of Scott’s plan to give the viewing public exactly what they want, an excellent show. Scott is a member of the clean comedy division of EntertainmentMax.



November 28-29: Legends in Concert: Johnny Cash & John Denver Tribute



Wildhorse Resort & Casino’s Legends in Concert Series presents live performances of two of the nation’s hottest tribute stars, **Ted Vigil** as **John Denver**, and **Vic Fatali** as **Johnny Cash**. In 2006 Ted won the national title for Talent Quest in Laughlin, NV. It was there that he began to take the thought of a tribute to the late great John Denver serious. In 2007 Ted began singing his way all over the U.S. He shared the stage with Keith Anderson, Jeff Bates, and Kevin Sharp on the annual “Travelling Kountry Kruz” on the Royal Caribbean cruise line. Ted has a passion for music and is inspired by bringing people of all ages together for good fun and great causes.

Vic Fatali has been performing as a vocalist and guitarist since he was ten years old. He performed all over the East coast in his early years, and began to perform as a Johnny Cash tribute performer because so many people told him he looked and sounded so much like the man himself. After several years of performing as Johnny Cash he has perfected his trade by doing his tribute to the man in black all over the world. He recently appeared as Johnny Cash at the 20th

Century Staff Party for the movie, "Walk The Line" in St. Regis, San Diego. These Legends in Concert performances are toe tapping, heart warming, sure to be enjoyed entertainment!

The latest entertainment news is always available on the **Wildfire Hotline: 800-654-9453, ext 1777.**

Wildhorse Resort & Casino is the Pacific Northwest's highest paying casino, with a record \$9.3 million slot jackpot. The Resort includes a 24-hour casino, five restaurants including the new buffet restaurant, Traditions, and new fine dining restaurant, Plateau, the Players lounge, weekly live entertainment in the Wildfire Cabaret, hotel, RV Park, 18-hole golf course and Tribal museum. It is located just minutes off I-84 at Exit 216, four miles east of Pendleton. For more information: 1-800-654-9453 or www.wildhorseresort.com . Wildhorse is owned and operated by the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation.

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