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things to do

Deadline for the Upcoming calendar is one week ahead of publication. Items must be received by Thursday to be considered for publication the following Thursday. Send to: Ethel Simmons, Entertainment Editor, the Observer & Eccentric, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia 48150.

McCov Tyner

Eclipse Jazz announces the return of jazz pianist McCoy Tyner and his trio on Thursday, April 5, at the Ark in Ann Arbor. Tyner and his trio (Avery Sharpe on bass and Aaron Scott on drums) will perform two shows at 7:30 and 10 p.m. A local group, the Andrew Dalkhe Quartet, is the opening act. Tickets at \$16 (general admission) and \$12.50 (students) are on sale at the Michigan Union Ticket Office, Hudsons, Harmony House, PJ's Records, Schoolkids Records, Wherehouse Records and all Ticketmaster locations. Or charge by phone by calling 763-TKTS or 423-6666.

Original music

The Brad Felt Quintet and Sextet will perform a two-set concert of all original music at 8 p.m. Saturday, April 7, at the Detroit Institute of Arts Recital Hall. This event will feature Detroit jazz stars Kenn Cox on piano, Jaribu Shahid on bass, Danny Spencer on drums, Steve Wood on reeds, James Carter on reeds, Rob Pipho on vibes and Brad Felt on tuba. Tickets are \$10 each general admission. Call 833-2323 for more information.

Township. The story is "The Missing Easter Bunny," where Rainbow Rabbit gets a case of the flu the week before Easter. Children will see how Mayor Wolf and the Egg Family save Easter for children around the world. After each 30-minute performance children will have the opportunity to meet the puppets and puppeteers and make envelope puppets of their own.

Polka celebration

The 10th year anniversary performance of "Polka Celebration" with live music by "Pan" Franek, Zosia and the Muskegon Polka Towners, and featuring folk dances of Poland and popular American polkas will be presented at 6 p.m. Saturday, April 21, and 2 p.m. Sunday, April 22, at Churchill High School in Livonia. For tickets call 464-1263 or 453-7161. A reception with live music follows both performances.

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