

Ventnor, N.J., 7 a.m. (609-822-6911).

**Fast Tracks** Women's running and walking club meets for workouts and runs of varying distances each Wednesday at Valley Forge Middle School track, Rte 252, Valley Forge, 6:30 p.m., and each Saturday at the Betzwood picnic area in Valley Forge Park, Rte 23 & N Gulph Rd, Valley Forge, 8:20 a.m. (610-640-0331).

**Frontrunners/Philadelphia** Gay and lesbian running club meets for fun runs of up to 5 miles at Louis Kahn Park, 11th & Pine Sts, 6:30 p.m. Mondays, and at the northwest corner of Rittenhouse Square, 6:30 p.m. Wednesdays and 10 a.m. Saturdays (215-545-6990).

#### Scheduled

**June 3** Gay and Lesbian Pride Race, 5-Mile Race, 2-Mile Relay race for four-member teams, and 2-Mile Fun Walk/Run begins on Kelly Dr at Stawberry Bridge. 5-Mile Race: 10 a.m., Relay and Fun Run: 9:30 a.m.; race-day registration 8 a.m. (5-Mile Race: \$15, Relay: \$40 per team, Fun Run: free; 215-545-6990).

**June 4** Latin American International 10-K, begins at Hunting Park, 9th & Hunting Park, 4:30 p.m. Race-day registration 4 p.m. (\$15; 215-226-1011).

**June 6** Pennsylvania Avenue Mile, begins at Stuart Kingston Galleries, 2010 Pennsylvania Ave, Wilmington, 6:30 p.m. Race-day registration 5:30 p.m. (\$12 advance, \$14 day of race; 302-654-6400). • South Jersey Athletic Club No Frills Loop Race, 3.65-mile race begins at Cooper River Park Stadium, North Park Dr, Pennsauken, 7 p.m. Race-day registration 5 p.m. (\$5, free students; 609-261-1894).

**June 7** South Wilmington 5-K Run/Walk, begins at Wilmington Parks and Recreation, 22 S Herald St, Wilmington, 6:30 p.m. Race-day registration 5:30 p.m. (\$7 advance, \$9 day of race; 302-654-6400).

**June 9-10** American Cancer Society Relay for Life & One-mile Healthwalk, 24-hour relay run and walk for teams of 10 to 15 members, begins at St Joseph's University Track and Field, 54th St & City Ave, 3 p.m., Healthwalk 6 p.m. 6/9, noon 6/10. Pre-registration required for relay by 6/5. Healthwalk does not require registration. (Each team member must raise at least \$100 in pledges; Healthwalk free; 215-985-5354.)

**June 10** American Heart Association 5-mile Run/Walk, begins at Pennypack Park, bandsell, Rhawn St & Winchester Ave. Run: 9 a.m., walk: 10:15 a.m.; race-day registration 7:30 a.m. (Run: \$20; walk: \$10 by 6/1, \$15 after; 610-940-9540.)

**June 11** St Anthony's 10-K & 5-K, begins at the bandstand, Scott St between 9th & 10th Sts, Wilmington, 10-K: 9 a.m., 5-K Run & Walk: 10 a.m. Race-day registration 8 a.m. (\$12 by 6/7, \$15 after; 302-654-6400). • United Therapy Centers 10-K, begins at Core Creek State Park, 901 E Bridgetown Pike, Langhorne, 8 a.m. Race-day registration 7:30 a.m. (\$12; 215-322-2777).

**June 13** Kiwanis Mile, one-mile race as well as 100- and 400-meter races for children aged 5 to 15, begin at Baynard Stadium, 18th & Broom Sts, Wilmington, 6:30 p.m. Race-day registration 5:30 p.m. (1-Mile: \$6; kids' races: free advance, \$2-

day of race; 302-654-6400.) • West Chester Cross Country Series, first in a series of seven 5-K cross-country races through woods and fields as well as one-mile races for children under 12, begins at Farrell Stadium, West Chester University, New St, off Rte 202, West Chester, 5-K: 7 p.m., children's races: 6:45 p.m. Race-day registration 5:30 p.m. Other races in the series: 6/27, 7/11, 7/25, 8/8, 8/22 & 9/5. (5-K: \$28 for all seven races, \$9 per race; one mile: \$20 for all seven races, \$5 per race; 610-696-3956.)

**June 15** Cancer Society Celebration of Life 5-K Run/Walk, begins at Christiana Hospital, 4755 Ogletown Stanton Rd, Wilmington, 7 p.m. Race-day registration 6 p.m. (\$10 advance, \$12 day of race; 302-428-4661).

**June 17** Arthur J Turner Jr Scholarship 5-K Run/Walk, begins at William Hicks Anderson Community Center, 501 N Madison St, Wilmington, 9 a.m. Race-day registration 8 a.m. (\$7 advance, \$9 day of race; 302-654-6400). • Cape May Point 5-Mile & 2-Mile Fun Run, begins at Cape May Point Fire House, Yale Ave, Cape May Point, 5-Mile: 9:30 a.m.; Fun Run: 9 a.m. Race-day registration 8 a.m. (\$8 advance, \$10 day of race; 609-884-1087). • The Atlantic City Beachfest 5-K, begins in front of the Atlantic City Convention Center, Missouri Ave & the Boardwalk, Atlantic City, 10 a.m. Race-day registration 9 a.m. (\$10 by 6/3, \$15 after; 609-926-0009).

• The N J Masters and Sub Masters Field Championships, USA Track and Field of N J event for athletes 30 and over, at Matawan Regional High School, Atlantic Ave, Matawan, 10 a.m. Registration 9 a.m. (\$6; 908-446-6696).

**June 20** South Jersey Athletic Club Loop Races, 1-loop (3.65-mile) race as well as 3-loop (three 3.65-mile loops) relay race for 3-member teams, begins at Cooper River Park Stadium, North Park Dr, Pennsauken, 7 p.m. Race-day registration 5 p.m. (\$5 per runner, free to students; 609-261-1894).

**June 23** Media 5-Miler and Half-Mile Children's Run & Senior Citizens' Stroll, begins at Media Borough Hall, State & Jackson Sts, Media, 5-Miler: 7 p.m.; half-mile: 6:30 p.m. Race-day registration 5:30 p.m. (5-Miler: \$13 by 6/16, \$15 after; half-mile: free; 610-565-1416). • Relay for Life, 24-hour relay run and walk for teams of 8 to 15 participants, begins at Hodgson Vo-Tech High School, 2575 Summit Bridge Rd, Glasgow, Del, 6 p.m. Pre-registration required. Race-day check-in begins at noon. (Each team must raise at least \$1,000 in pledges; 302-324-4227.)

**June 24** Holy Redeemer Nun Run, 5-K Run & 2-Mile Fun Walk begins at 28th St and the Beach, Avalon, 9 a.m. Race-day registration 8 a.m. (\$11 by 6/10, \$14 after; 609-465-2082).

**June 27** West Chester Cross Country Series, second in a series of seven 5-K cross-country races through woods and fields as well as one-mile races for children under 12, begins at Farrell Stadium, West Chester University, New St, off Rte 202, West Chester, 6:30 p.m. Race-day registration 5:30 p.m. Other races in the series: 7/11, 7/25, 8/8, 8/22 & 9/5. (5-K: \$28 for all seven races, \$9 per race; one-mile: \$20 for all seven races, \$5 per race; 610-696-3956.)

**June 29** Marathon Sports Summer Series 5-K Run/Walk, first in a series of four runs begins at Rockford Park, Tower Dr & 19th St, Wilmington, 6:30 p.m. Race-day registration 5:30 p.m. Other events in the series 7/20, 8/31. (\$4 each race, \$13 all four events; 302-654-6400.)

## Other Sports

### Triathlon

**June 24** Marathon Sports Sprint Triathlon (1/4-mile swim, 16-mile bike, 5-K cross-country run), begins at St Andrews School, Noxontown Rd, Middletown, Del, 8 a.m. Race-day check-in 6:30 a.m. Pre-registration required; registration closes 6/12. (Individuals: \$45 by 6/1, \$50 by 6/12. Teams: \$15 per member; 302-654-6400.)

### Boating

**June 3** Finlandia Philadelphia Clean Water Challenge, 16-mile race for canoes and kayaks, begins at Maui, Delaware Ave between Columbia & Frankford (Pier 53 N), noon. Registration 10 a.m. (\$25; 212-362-2176 or Jeff Yeager or Michelle Hillman at 215-627-7900.)

## Looking Ahead By Tom Walsh

# Concerts, concerts, concerts for 10 days in the Mellon fete

The venues for the 10th annual Mellon PSFS Jazz Festival are as diverse as the music that will be performed. Jazz, will be spilling out of restaurants, heating up sidewalks, reverberating in concert halls and blowing out classrooms from Manayunk Penn's Landing.

The 10-day festival begins next Friday with several events around the city, including a free concert by the Brett Huggett Trio at Borders Book Shop on Walnut Street (7:30 p.m.; 215-568-7400).

Also next Friday night, Charles Mingus will be honored by five guitarists at the Philadelphia Museum of Art's Van Pelt Auditorium (\$10 at 8 p.m.; 610-667-3559), and two shows at the Painted Bride Art Center will lend jazz an Afro-Caribbean bent, with the Marlon Simon Quintet and guests Charles Fambrough and Mario Rivera (\$12 at 8 and 10 p.m.; 215-925-9914).

Five bands will keep Penn's Landing awash in music with the Columbia Jazz Jam (Kirk Whalum, Lou Donaldson and Valerie Capers) next Saturday (free from 4 to 9 p.m.).

Other shows of note: the Pat Martino Quartet at the Art Museum on June 16 (\$10 at 8 p.m.; 610-667-3559); the Abraham Burton Quartet and the Teodross Avery Quartet at the Mill Creek Jazz & Cultural Society on June 17 (\$15 at 8 and 10 p.m.; 215-473-4273), and the Arpeggio Jazz Ensemble at the Firehouse Art Center that same day (\$20 at 7:30 p.m.; 215-546-3675). There's another free concert at Penn's Landing on June 18, with Roy Ayers, the Alex Bugnon Quintet, the Mulgrew Miller Trio and Marion Meadows (4 to 9 p.m.).

For concert information, call 610-667-3559, or pick up a schedule at any Mellon PSFS bank — or look for next week's Weekend section.

**The Cranberries.** This so-called alternative Irish band has captured much attention over the last two years on the strength of its subtle, textured pop and the ethereal lead vocals of Dolores O'Riordan and her very-much-in-vogue brogue. The big hit from the group's first album, *Everybody Else Is Doing It, So Why Can't We?*, was a floating number called "Linger," but the band showed a bit more pluck and diversity with a couple of hard-driving tunes, such as "Zombie" on the follow-up LP, *No Need to Argue*, which shot right up the charts. The group will be at Camden's Waterfront Entertainment Centre on Aug. 8, along with Toad the Wet Sprocket. Tickets (\$17.50 on the lawn, \$25 reserved) go on sale Sunday at noon at most Blockbuster Video stores, or by calling 800-833-0080. Information: 609-635-1445.

**Cinderella.** For a departure from



**The Cranberries** — (from left) Mike Hogan, Dolores O'Riordan, Feargal Lawlor, Noel Hogan — are due Aug. 8.

the usual summer entertainment fare, why not indulge in a sweeping and air-conditioned staging of a classic fairy tale, in a classic old building, the Academy of Music. Running June 14 through 25, the Pennsylvania Ballet will bring to life the timeless story, elevated by Sergei Prokofiev's score. Tickets are \$15 to \$65 at all Ticketmaster locations, or the academy box office. Phone: 215-893-1999.

**Concerts at the Mann.** Tickets go on sale this weekend for three fine shows at the Mann Music Center. The jazz virtuoso **Pat Metheny Group** performs with Grammy award-winning gospel singers **Take 6** on July 15; tickets are \$14.50 on the lawn, \$18.50 and \$25 reserved, on sale at 10 a.m. today. The following Friday, sublime warbler **Sarah McLachlan** and Ireland's celebrated **Chieftains** are featured in what is being billed as the Acoustic Tour; tickets for that July 21 show range from \$14.50 to \$35 also available this morning. And the hot band **Live** takes the stage with **Veruca Salt** and **Buffalo Tom** July 22, with tickets at \$20 and \$23.50 available Saturday at 10 a.m. Tickets for all shows are available through Ticketmaster. Mann information: 215-878-7707.

### Popular music

**CONCERTS UNDER THE STARS** Upper Merion Township Building Park, King of Prussia; 610-265-1071. \$6; seniors & children 16 & under free. All shows at 7 p.m.

• **Local folk night** Lisabeth Weber, Kathy McMearty, Dan Rooney, Michael Braunfeld, Michael Spear, Michael London, Soul Mates, Cathy Donnelly, WXPN host Erin Reilly, 6/11.  
• **Saffire the Uppity Blues Women** 6/18.

**GERMANTOWN ACADEMY ARTS CENTER** Fort Washington; 215-247-1300.

• **Anne Hills & Michael Smith** Presented by Philadelphia Folksong Society. \$10. 7:30 p.m. 6/11.

**VALLEY FORGE MUSIC FAIR** Devon; 610-644-5000.

• **Cleo Laine & John Dankworth** With Ramsey Lewis, the Duke Ellington Orchestra featuring Mercer Ellington. \$25. 8 p.m. 6/24.

• **Lorrie Morgan** \$30. 8 p.m. 6/28.

**WATERFRONT ENTERTAINMENT CENTRE** Camden; 609-635-1445 or 800-833-0080.

• **40th Anniversary of Rock N' Roll** 20 groups including the Drifters, Tokens, Coasters, Del Vikings, Lee Andrews & the Hearts. \$12.50-\$30. 6 p.m. 7/1.

• **James Taylor** With Marvin Hamlisch conducting the Pittsburgh Symphony Pops. \$25-\$45. 8 p.m. 7/12.

• **Superfest with Boyz II Men** plus TLC, Montell Jordan. \$20-\$55. 7:30 p.m. 7/21.

• **Fairmount Brass Quartet** St Philip-in-the-Fields Episcopal Church, Oreland; 215-884-3181 or 215-887-2316. \$8; \$4 ages 12 & under. 8:30 p.m. 6/9.

**Charlie Byrd** Zanzibar Blue; 215-829-1990. \$15. 7 & 9:30 p.m. 6/11.

### Classical music

**Delaware Valley Opera Company** Outdoor concert of ballroom scenes from Strauss' *Die Fledermaus* and Lehar's *The Merry Widow* (sung in English). Hermitage Mansion, Hermit Ln, off Henry Ave; 215-424-5980. \$12. 8 p.m. 6/10 & 6/17.

**Pavel and Zoya Zaruin** Four-hand piano works. Philadelphia Art Alliance; 215-545-4302. \$6. 2 p.m. 6/25.

### Theater

**Grease!** Musical with Mickey Dolenz, Joely Fisher, Adrian Zmed and Dody Goodman. Meriam Theatre; 215-732-5997. \$40-\$60. 6/13-17.

### Special events

**Sawallisch Debut** Pre-concert party to honor Philadelphia Orchestra Music Director Wolfgang Sawallisch on his Mann Music Center debut. \$25-\$100, includes party and reserved-seat ticket. Phone: 215-893-1956. 5:30-7:30 p.m. 7/10.

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