

APPEARANCE SCHEDULE

December

- 4 (Saturday)
Moose Lodge #49
Members Only
5476 S. 13th St.
Milwaukee, WI
8:00-11:00 p.m.
- 5 (Sunday)
Wisconsin Polka Boosters
Christmas Party
Pulaski Inn
3900 E. Pulaski Ave.
Cudahy, WI
11:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

- 19 (Sunday)
Diamond Jim's
4740 W. Bradley Rd.
Milwaukee, WI
1:00-4:00 p.m.

- 22 (Wednesday)
Pulaski Inn
3900 E. Pulaski Ave.
Cudahy, WI
1:00-4:00 p.m.

January

- 2 (Sunday)
Hiawatha Ballroom
9809 Durand Ave.
Sturtevant, WI
2:00-6:00 p.m.

February

- 4 (Friday)
Moose Lodge #49
Members Only
5476 S. 13th St.
Milwaukee, WI
8:00-11:00 p.m.

- 20 (Sunday)
Hiawatha Ballroom
9809 Durand Ave.
Sturtevant, WI
2:00-6:00 p.m.

March

- 26 (Saturday)
Moose Lodge #49
Members Only
5476 S. 13th St.
Milwaukee, WI
8:00-11:00 p.m.

April

- 9 (Saturday)
Polka Parade
Fund Raiser Dance III
Schwabenhof
147th and Silver Spring Dr.
Menomonee Falls, WI
Times TBA

- 24 (Sunday)
Hiawatha Ballroom
9809 Durand Ave.
Sturtevant, WI
2:00-6:00 p.m.

- 29 (Friday)
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8:00-11:00 p.m.



THE MIKE SCHNEIDER BAND NEWSLETTER

December 5, 2004

AN ANNUAL PUBLICATION OF THE MIKE SCHNEIDER BAND!

2004 Recording

June 25, 2004 marked the first day of availability for the latest recording from the Mike Schneider Band. Since then, *A Stretch of the Imagination* has received airplay on radio stations across the country and worldwide at 247PolkaHeaven.com. If you have yet to get your own copy of this new release, get a taste of it at the official website for the Mike Schneider Band at www.baldoni.com/mikeschneider. CDs are \$13.00; cassettes are only \$9.00. Please add \$2.00 per item for shipping and handling. Best of all, if you're a member of the Polka Visionary Society – the official fan club of the Mike Schneider Band, you'll receive \$2.00 off each purchase you make. Join today and start enjoying great savings!

Polka Visionary Society

The official fan club of the Mike Schneider Band continues to grow. One of the primary benefits the organization offers is its annual Year in Review, featuring an interview with the Polka Visionary Personality of the Year. Last year, it was musician/engineer genius Don Hunjadi who received the honor. This year, the award goes to one of the finest accordion players in the music field. Join by December 31, 2004 for just \$15.00 annually (single or couple) and receive this great CD!

Wisconsin State Quarter Rollout
On Monday, October 25, 2004, the Mike Schneider Band took part in a history-making event for the state of Wisconsin. A crowd of more than 7,000 on-hand to witness the rollout of the new Wisconsin quarter at State Fair Park enjoyed nearly 2 hours of polka music from Mike and his band. With nearly 5,000 students participating in the festivities, the rollout ceremony proved to

be a great venue to expose youth to polka music. Before leaving for the day, Mike and his fellow musicians were fortunate to have their pictures taken with U.S. Congressman Jim Sensenbrenner and U.S. Mint Director Henrietta Holsman Fore.

Mike in the Media

Mike continues to prove to be one of the more sought after personalities in Polka Music by Wisconsin's mainstream radio media. In July, Mike appeared for the seventh time on WKTI's ever-popular *Reitman and Mueller & Amy Taylor, too!* On the program to promote his latest release, *A Stretch of the Imagination*, Mike also had the opportunity to read the Hollywood Hot Dish segment and advertise his up-coming performances.

Polka Parade

Change has also been in the works for *Polka Parade*. Mike alternates as a host for the weekly radio show, which now airs Saturday mornings/afternoons on AM1340 WJYI from 9 until 10 a.m. with the Polish stylings of Jerry Halkoski, and then again from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m., featuring a mix segment and one hour of your favorite Slovenian bands. Some new additions to the *Polka Parade* crew include Milwaukee Polka veterans Jeff Winard and Ron VanDenboom, as well as radio newcomer Terry Czaykowski. If you can't listen live, visit the official website of the Mike Schneider Band at www.baldoni.com/mikeschneider for a link to archived shows.



Mike Schneider with U.S. Congressman Jim Sensenbrenner

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