

APPEARANCE SCHEDULE

December 2007

2 (Sunday)
Wisconsin Polka Boosters
Christmas Party
Pulaski Inn
3900 E Pulaski Ave.
Cudahy, WI
11:30 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

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

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

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

31 (Sunday)
Essen Haus
New Year's Eve Polka Party
514 E. Wilson St. Madison, WI
8:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m.

January 2008

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

February

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

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

March

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

9-16 (Seven Nights)
2008 Polka Cruise
Nassau, St. Thomas, St. Maarten
Music Times TBA

April

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



THE MIKE SCHNEIDER BAND NEWSLETTER

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A Wedding Note from Mike & Heather

Heather and I would like to thank everyone who made our early November wedding weekend such a memorable occasion. We would especially like to thank the musicians who contributed to our Polka Reception on Sunday, November 4. If you weren't able to attend, join the Polka Visionary Society to enjoy live clips on this year's Year in Review. Bandleaders Joey Klass, Jeff Winard, and yours truly headlined the afternoon and helped to set the festive mood. Our thanks to everyone involved in the celebration!

2007 Performances

What a year 2007 was for the Mike Schneider Band. Without question, the biggest event came on Tuesday, May 8 when Mike and his band took the stage in front of more than 1,200 people at Madison's fantastic Overture Center. For more information about this venue, or to request a return appearance by the Mike Schneider Band, visit www.overturecenter.com. Mike and his band also performed for many of Wisconsin's best polka festivals, including the Wisconsin Polka Festival in Concord, the Altrusa Polka Fest in Black Creek, Gemuetlichkeit Days in Jefferson, and the Wisconsin Polka Boosters Holiday Dinner Dance in Cudahy, in addition to many of their favorite church festival stops (and a few new ones, too!). The Mike Schneider Band also played for Oktoberfest at the Madison Museum of Contemporary Art as part of their First Fridays series and entertained the crowd on-hand with a night packed full of polkas and waltzes.

2008 Polka Cruise

No doubt you've heard all about this exciting adventure at sea by now, which sets sail March 9 through 16 aboard the beautiful Carnival Valor. The world-class band lineup includes Mike

Schneider, Adam Barthalt, Seibert's Polka Power, Joey Tomsick, Hank Thunander, and Jack Tady. If you need a break from all the dancing, Nassau, St. Thomas, and St. Maarten are sure to meet your rest, relaxation, and even shopping needs! With fewer than 100 days left until setting sail, however, the time to reserve your cabin is now! Space is limited, so call Kollander World Travel today at (800) 800-5981. Mention Mike Schneider as your Polka Cruise host and you'll receive a free gift from Mike prior to boarding in March. Join Mike and Heather as they embark on their official Polka Honeymoon!

2007 Awards and Nominations

In July, the Wisconsin Polka Music Awards announced that Mike and his band were the winners of two of the organization's four awards: Exceptional Achievement and Recording of the Year (for their work on *The Mike Schneider Band Live!*). The membership of the Wisconsin Polka Hall of Fame also nominated the Mike Schneider Band for a record seventh time for their Band of the Year Award. To support Mike in his bid to finally win the Band of the Year title, visit www.wisconsinpolkahalloffame.com and join today!



The Mike Schneider Band performing at the Overture Center in Madison, Wisconsin on May 8, 2007.