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MSS Meeting Host:

Manistee Elks Lodge #250

Non-Profit Associate:

Arts & Cultural Alliance of Manistee County

Lodging Provided By:

Scully's Manistee OutPost Motel

Meals for Musicians Provided By:

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Programs & Promotional Materials:

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Tom Amor Jr. (MSS Co-Founder)

2025 Manistee ShoreLine ShowCase (MSS) Committee:

Tony Dziabuda - Co-Chair
Steve Growcock - Co-Chair
Jeri Dziabuda - Secretary & Publicity
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Tim Scully - Producer/Coordinator, Sound,
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Tim Scully, World Class Jazz & Blues Productions,
along with the Manistee ShoreLine ShowCase
Volunteers present the 23rd Annual

2025 Summer Concert Series

Free performances
Consecutive
Tuesday Nights

@ 7:00 PM

First Street Beach

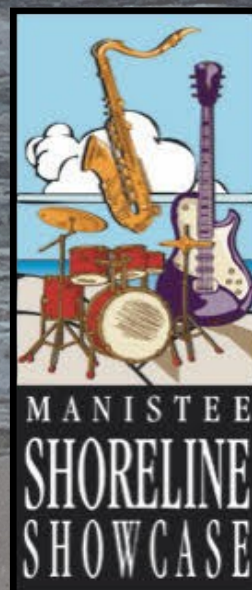
Douglas Park -
Rotary Gazebo

Manistee, MI

Inclement Weather -
Orchard Beach
State Park

June 24th

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Planet D Nonet (PD9) is Detroit's own down and dirty "bluesy lil' big band," known nationally for curating some of the best in early jazz traditions and Black-American musical influences from the '20s, '30s and '40s. More "hot" than "sweet," according to **PD9** co-founder **RJ Spangler** who started the ensemble with longtime musical partner **James O'Donnell** in 2007. Known for putting body, soul and spirit into every bit of music they touch, **PD9** is led by **Spangler** (congas/tambourine/background vocals) and includes members, **James O'Donnell** (trumpet/vocals), **John "Tbone" Paxton** (trombone/vocals), **Alex Colista** (alto & tenor sax), **Alvin Paige** (tenor & baritone sax), **Trevor Lamb** (double bass), **Sean Perlmutter** (drums), and **Michael Zaporski** (keyboard). **PD9** is a pared down version of the traditional big bands of the 1930s, and they frequently feature guest vocalists, adding to the versatility of the band's show. The number of musicians in the lineup is reminiscent of the earliest big bands, when swing was still evolving into the sound that defined jazz music's most popular era.

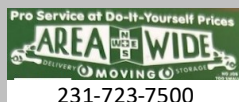
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The band's repertoire is unmatched, in one set paying tribute to the swing era tunes of Duke Ellington, Benny Moten, Count Basie and Fletcher Henderson, and in another the proto-R&B sounds of Detroit artists such as Paul "Hucklebuck" Williams and King Porter, as well as the jumpin' jive of Louis Jordan and the Harlem Jive by Fats Waller. On some nights an audience might be treated to an entire evening devoted to the Afro-futuristic rhythms of Sun Ra — to whom the name **Planet D Nonet** is a deferential nod, if not a wink. Over the years **PD9** has been nominated and awarded multiple honors, including being named *Detroit Music Award's 2023 Outstanding Traditional Jazz Artist/Group & Outstanding Jazz Recording (Tribute to Buddy Johnson)*. The band's July 2024 album release, *Echoes of Harlem: A Salute to Duke Ellington Vol 2*, is a heartfelt tribute to the legendary Duke Ellington and follows the tremendous success of **PD9's** previous album, *Blues to Be There: A Salute to Duke Ellington* (2023) which focused on compositions from the later part of Ellington's long career. *Blues to Be There: A Salute to Duke Ellington* performed exceptionally well, reaching #16 on the JazzWeek chart and surpassing **PD9's** previous record with their Strayhorn CD, which peaked at #17 in 2016. The album also topped the Roots Music Report Jazz and Big Band Jazz charts for 23 consecutive weeks, peaking at #1 on both, and enjoyed 15 weeks on the NACC Top 30 Jazz Chart, peaking at #1 overall. **PD9's** newest album, *Planet D Nonet Presents Doctor Professor Leonard King in Tribute to Joe Williams* (April 2025), is praised as a swinging celebration of Joe Williams's musical style, highlighting the blend of emotional delivery and idiomatic precision in King's vocals and **PD9's** masterful instrumental arrangements. The album has remained #1 on the Roots Music Report: Top 50 Big Band Album chart since the week of May 3rd.

Sit back, relax and enjoy the evening as **PD9's** cleverly crafted brand of great American swing transports you back in time and celebrates a rich variety of jazz, unencumbered by stylistic restrictions!

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