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Folks, holy cow - the fall is here! It's October, the month that brings ghouls, goblins and monsters - how is that different from any other month? I have no answer for that. I do love that it is cooling off. This is also the month of Pig Gig and this year we are at Pig Gig 7 and it is going to be bigger and better than ever. The [Fibrolamellar Cancer Foundation](#) is a small organization where every penny goes to research and helps us get closer to saving someone's life. We hope you can be there in person to celebrate, eat, drink and party, and if not we hope you will support us in any way you can. Here's To Jay!!! ..... *Glenn*

**PIG GIG 7:** This month, it's all about Pig Gig 7!!! As you know, the Pig Gig is our benefit for [Fibrolamellar Cancer Foundation](#) in honor of my nephew Jay Alexander, who lost his battle with this terrible disease in 2011. All event profits will go directly to the foundation in his name to fund research in fighting this horrible, rare cancer. This year's event is on Sunday, October 23rd at the Italian American Hall, 1976 Valley Avenue, Scotch Plains. Tickets are \$60 and available at [Ticketbud.com](#), so go get 'em, you don't want to miss this! And what do you get for your money? Glad you asked! We have an absolutely fantastic full-day of music scheduled, with artists including: [Blue Americana](#), [The Lonesome Pines](#), [James Maddock](#) and [Glenn Alexander & Shadowland](#) with special guest,



*With The Jukes at The Stone Pony Summer Stage*

the legendary Southside Johnny! And then there's the food!!! We have Bill Kleemeyer and [Green Village Packing/Swine Time](#) roasting a pig, sausage and peppers, kielbasa and hot dogs; our friends Sal and Jacquie of Mountain Deli (2385 Mountain Avenue, Scotch Plains) providing pasta, cole slaw and potato salad; Chef Anthony Tamburro is cooking up jambalaya from his amazing Jersey City restaurant, [Krewe of McGinley Square](#); and the wonderful [Roosterspin](#) in Westfield is donating their famous wings. We will also have roast chicken, other various sides, wine, beer, a silent auction with many awesome items,



*The Blue Americana Band (with Steve Count and Dave Anthony) at Pickett's in Maplewood!*

including a Jon BonJovi autographed acoustic guitar, an original photograph by the amazing Danny Clinch, tickets for The Jukes New Year's Eve show in Red Bank and more! We are very grateful to have so many great sponsors who have come on board - Pig Gig 7 just wouldn't happen without them! In addition to the wonderful food sponsors mentioned above, at press time our sponsors include: [Scotch Plains PBA](#); [Beautiful Drinks Co](#); [Bill's Ineffable Automotive Rehabilitation](#); [Danny Clinch Transparent Gallery](#); [Grillstone](#); [neuNERDdesign](#); Ace Brothers Repair Inc. (1509 East Front Street, Scotch Plains); Lou Giocondo Sr. and [American Blues Scene](#); [Boardwalk Bling](#); [Fairport Music Festival](#); [JVD Towing](#); Neil McNulty and [RBC Wealth Management](#); [Rossi Funeral Home](#); Christopher Wightman and [Local Media NJ](#); [Scotch Plains Fanwood UNICO](#); [American Legion Post 209](#); [Craig R. Stock Landscape Design](#); Fred Winston; [Health and Fitness Professionals](#) of Scotch Plains; Jay Lustig and [NJ Arts.net](#); Romano Landscaping LLC of Scotch Plains; The Jukes; [TAPinto](#) and [Whelen East Coast Emergency Lighting](#) - thank you all for getting on board and helping out this worthy cause!!! The Pig Gig is about saving lives and we're just trying to do our part. If you can't attend, but would like to donate, go to [www.fibrofoundation.org/giving/](#) - just make sure you mention it's in honor of Jay Alexander, so we know it's you! Also, keep checkin' my [Facebook](#) page; [Twitter](#) feed and [website](#) for all the latest. Woohoo, can't wait until October 23rd - buckle up, it's gonna be a good one! .....

**ETC:** Blue Americana got back in the Quarantunes saddle last month and we had a blast! We'll be doin' it lots more as the weather gets colder, so stay tuned. We also have some dates at [Hailey's](#) in Metuchen and [Krewe of McGinley Square](#) in Jersey City in October - check out the dates below and c'mon out and say hello ... L.A.X. had a great two nights in Florida in September - a big thanks for everyone who came out and supported us ... Well, The Jukes finally played the Stone Pony over Labor Day weekend, and it was a blast, as always - a big rowdy crowd on a beautiful late summer night! We head to the Midwest for a show outside of Cleveland this month - hope to see ya'll there .....

## UPCOMING LIVE DATES

Thursday, October 6th — with Blue Americana  
Hailey's Harp & Pub, 400 Main Street, Metuchen, New Jersey / 732-321-0777 — [www.haileyssharpandpub.com](#)  
Friday, October 14th — with Blue Americana  
Quarantunes LIVE on Facebook — [www.facebook.com/glennalexandermusic](#)  
Saturday, October 15th — with Southside Johnny and The Asbury Jukes  
MGM Northfield Park, 10777 Northfield Road, Northfield, Ohio / 330-908-7625 — [www.mgmnorthfieldpark.mgmresorts.com](#)  
Sunday, October 16th — with Blue Americana  
Krewe at McGinley Square, 673 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, New Jersey / 201-360-3854 — [www.krewe-restaurant.com](#)  
Sunday, October 23rd — Pig Gig 7  
Italian American Hall, 1976 Valley Avenue, Scotch Plains, New Jersey — [www.ticketbud.com](#)  
Sunday, October 30th — with Blue Americana  
Krewe at McGinley Square, 673 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, New Jersey / 201-360-3854 — [www.krewe-restaurant.com](#)