

Bangor Symphony Orchestra, Sultans of String and Ghost of Paul Revere to deliver 2017 Kingfield POPS



15th anniversary POPS promises to be the best ever

KINGFIELD, Maine -- On Saturday, June 24, the charming and historic village of Kingfield, nestled against the peaks of Maine's 4000-foot Western Mountains, will host an outdoor concert featuring with the Bangor Symphony Orchestra (BSO) conducted by Grammy winner Lucas Richman, accompanied by Sultans of Sting and featuring Maine's own Ghost of Paul Revere.

Audiences can expect to hear the welcoming sounds of the Western Mountain Trash Can Band at the gate, followed on stage by local talent Lula Wiles – a trio of young women who bring a spirited show that resonates like whisky slap to the heart.

Performing earlier in the program this year, the Bangor Symphony Orchestra will deliver a powerful musical experience to be enjoyed by all generations of music lovers. World class musical collaboration will once again be on stage when the Sultans of String and BSO join together to bring music delights to the field.

Following a brief intermission after the brilliant symphony collaboration, New England's own Jason Spooner band will be appearing for the first time with the quartet delivering an interesting signature sound with wide appeal.

Back after rave reviews at our 2016 concert - Ghost of Paul Revere – Maine's' holler-folk band will bring powerful, energetic non-traditional America folk music to the field and will later be joined by the Maine Youth Rock Orchestra (MYRO) for a musical extravaganza to be remembered.

At the end of the evening, when fireworks launched into sky, a field of cheering people will rise to their feet – as they do every year – and offer an enthusiastic standing ovation.

Guests can bring a picnic or buy food from one of the local vendors and dine al fresco against the backdrop of the mountains. Off street parking is required. Follow signs for POPS Parking Bringing a wagon or wheeled cooler will assist in getting your items to the field. . No pets, open flame or fireworks are permitted.

On June 23, the Friday night before the main event, Kingfield's galleries and museums will open their doors to welcome visitors to the Kingfield Friday Artwalk. And to start the POPS day on Saturday, June 24 – Kingfield POPS Road Race will be held at 9 AM providing an opportunity to participate in a 1K (Kids), 5K or 10K Race.

Tickets for the Kingfield POPS concert (June 24) are \$25 in advance and \$30 at the gate.

Children 17 and under are admitted FREE when accompanied by an adult. Gate opens at 4:30 p.m. For more information or to buy tickets, visit www.kingfieldpops.com.

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Directions:

Kingfield is located on Route 27 between Farmington and Sugarloaf. Go to www.kingfieldpops.com for a link to a map and directions.

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