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### **Walleye Weekend Announces CitizenFirst Credit Union and K 107.1FM Stage Line-up**

(4/23/09)—Kick off summer right with Walleye Weekend at the CitizenFirst Credit Union and K107.1FM music stage. Live bands will be performing all weekend long, so tune your ears in and get ready to rock on June 12, 13, and 14. .

Road Trip starts off the weekend on Friday, June 12 at 6 p.m. The band is comprised of six members and is based in Oshkosh, Wisc. Road Trip has made a name for itself by playing its amazing rock show throughout the Midwest.

Don't miss Circle of Fifths when they perform on Saturday, June 13 from 12 p.m.-3 p.m. They are the reigning Walleye Weekend Battle of the Bands champions and are sure to rock the public with their original tunes. Following Circle of Fifths will be BoxKar beginning at 3:30 p.m. BoxKar commands the stage with its creativeness and contagious passion for the rock and roll music they play. Finishing off the night starting at 7 p.m. will be Fond du Lac's very own Verona Grove. This trio has rocked the stage since they first formed the band in 2000.

Sunday, June 14 beginning at 10 a.m. is the fourth annual Battle of the Bands competition. Local bands will get the opportunity to compete for a chance to perform at Summerfest 2009, receive a one day demo deal with Tall Corn Music to record and mix

in Butch Vig's Smart Studios in Madison and will also perform at Walleye Weekend 2010. Second and third prizes will also be awarded.

“We are excited to be able to allow aspiring young artists the opportunity to showcase their talents, not only at Walleye Weekend, but also at Summerfest,” said Mary Ann Dilling, executive director at Fond du Lac Festivals, Inc.

Anyone interested in participating in the Battle should contact Fond du Lac Festivals Inc. at (920) 923-6555 or go to [www.fdlfest.com](http://www.fdlfest.com) for an application.

All these great bands are sponsored by CitizensFirst Credit Union and K107.1 FM. For more information on this stage, along with all the other bands that will be at Walleye Weekend, visit [www.fdlfest.com](http://www.fdlfest.com).

Walleye Weekend is June 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> at Lakeside Park in Fond du Lac. Admission is free to the public and all proceeds from this event go to benefit more than 100 charitable organization.

Walleye Weekend is sponsored by Mercury Marine, Charter Communications, Pepsi Americas, Miller Lite, Michels Corporation, Fox Valley Savings Bank and Yar-Craft Boats.

Fond du Lac Festivals, Inc. is a non-profit organization founded in 1983 with a mission to direct, promote, and support festivals and special events that showcase the Fond du Lac area community. The organization, with a great deal of help and support from the community, is responsible for Walleye Weekend, Light Up the City and Horicon Bank's Taste of Fond du Lac. These events benefit more than 100 local non-profit organizations.

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