

# News

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## **John McEuen headlines 14<sup>th</sup> Big Horn Mountain Festival**

Buffalo, Wyoming – John McEuen will bring his musical wizardry and 50 years of worldwide performing experience to the 14<sup>th</sup> Big Horn Mountain Festival, July 20, 21 and 22, 2018, in Buffalo, Wyoming.

"McEuen was a founding member of the Nitty Gritty Dirt Band and brings us his current band, the String Wizards," said Paul Jarvis, one of the organizers of the event. "He will perform Friday and Saturday night and present a Saturday workshop featuring stories and songs from the iconic 1972 *Will the Circle Be Unbroken* album. He heads a great lineup of eight outstanding bands for 2018. We have several Wyoming bands and some great young talent."

Tickets for the festival can be obtained at Buffalo Chamber of Commerce, The Sports Lure in Buffalo, CB Music in Sheridan, Music Service Center in Gillette, or on-line at [www.bighornmountainfestival.com](http://www.bighornmountainfestival.com).

"This is our 14<sup>th</sup> festival and we are proud of our ability to continue to present great performers," said Jarvis. In addition to John McEuen and the String Wizards, the 2018 Big Horn Mountain Festival will feature the hot, award-winning Frank Solivan and Dirty Kitchen, autoharp virtuoso Bryon Bowers, the Two Tracks from Sheridan, Wyoming, engaging showman Jalan Crossland, great western harmony from the High Country Cowboys, Jeff Troxel and Bryan Wicklund, and Prairie Wildfire. The festival also features workshops, demonstrations, instrument raffles, camping, food, refreshment, and arts and crafts vendors.

The Big Horn Mountain Festival will begin at the Johnson County Fairground in Buffalo early Friday afternoon, July 20 and run until late Sunday afternoon, July 22. In addition to the outstanding band performances, festival participants can attend several of the performer's workshops. Parking lot jam sessions are a favorite feature of the festival.

The festival also offers the Bighorn Bluegrass Camp, July 16– 20, a day camp for kids from 8-18. The camp features music instruction from the camp bands, Horseshoes and Hand Grenades and Prairie Wildfire. Sign up on line at [www.bighornmountainfestival.com](http://www.bighornmountainfestival.com).

More information about the July 20, 21 and 22 Big Horn Mountain Festival can be found at [www.bighornmountainfestival.com](http://www.bighornmountainfestival.com) or by calling the Buffalo Chamber of Commerce at 307-684-5544.