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DARIUS RUCKER ANNOUNCES SUMMER CONCERT RUN – INCLUDES BETHEL WOODS PERFORMANCE

Tickets On Sale to General Public Friday, April 22nd at 10 AM.



April 18th, 2022 (BETHEL, NY) – Nonprofit cultural organization **Bethel Woods Center for the Arts** today announced that multi-platinum star **Darius Rucker** will perform at the historic site of the 1969 Woodstock festival on Saturday, September 3rd with special guests **Jameson Rodgers** and **Elvie Shane**. Tickets for the public go on sale Friday, April 22nd at 10:00 AM (local for each venue).

The announcement follows Rucker’s recently concluded spring theater tour, which brought the three-time GRAMMY winner to iconic venues across the country he had never previously played, earning rave reviews along the way and setting the stage for a lively summer of music.

“With a six-piece band, he delivered a simple, straightforward, delightful 90 minutes of country and pop, with songs from his solo repertoire and from Hootie & the Blowfish,” noted the *St. Louis Post-Dispatch* of his show at the city’s Fox Theater.

At Detroit’s venue of the same name, the *Oakland Press* remarked that his “potent” performance was “genuinely special,” while *The Boot* celebrated his “charm and enthusiasm” on display at New York City’s Beacon Theater while “showcasing his mastery of country music” with his “sheer vocal power” and “roguish charm.”

Rucker also recently announced the 13th annual “Darius and Friends” benefit concert set for Monday, June 6th at Nashville’s Ryman Auditorium. The perennially popular event serves as an unofficial kickoff to the week of CMA Fest in Music City and has raised over \$2.5 million to date for St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital.

The presale for Bethel Woods Members begins Tuesday, April 19th at 10:00 AM. More than early entry, live music, and VIP access, membership provides vital support for museum education and creative learning programs, while offering exclusive benefits not available to the public. To learn about additional member benefits and presale access, please visit <https://www.bethelwoodscenter.org/member>.

A limited number of 2022 Bethel Woods Season Lawn Passes are available, fully transferrable, and guarantees a place on the open-air lawn for every Pavilion concert, including sold out and Pavilion-only performances. To learn more visit <https://www.bethelwoodscenter.org/slp>.

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About Bethel Woods Center for the Arts

Bethel Woods Center for the Arts inspires, educates, and empowers individuals through the arts and humanities by presenting a diverse selection of culturally-rich performances, popular artists, and community and educational programming. Located 90 miles from New York City at the site of the 1969 Woodstock festival in Bethel, NY, the lush 800-acre campus includes a Pavilion Stage amphitheater with seating for 16,000, an intimate 422-seat indoor Event Gallery, the award-winning Museum at Bethel Woods, and a Conservatory for arts education programming.

Through the in-depth study and exhibition of the social, political, and cultural events of the 1960s, as well as the preservation of the historic site of the Woodstock Music and Art Fair, Bethel Woods educates individuals about the issues and lessons of the decade while inspiring a new generation to contribute positively to the world around them. The not-for-profit organization relies on the generous support of individuals, corporations, and foundations to develop and sustain programs that improve the quality of life in the region and beyond.

For more information please visit www.BethelWoodsCenter.org.