

# WTSQ [ON RECORD] Spinning the NEW Narratives

## Tuning Into Music, Events & Culture



WEEKLY  
EVENTS

All Event Information can be found on our website



WED MAY 14  
8pm

Get ready for a night of rock at The Loud, Huntington, WV's premier live music venue, as they host an electrifying lineup on Wednesday, May 14! Headlining the night is powerhouse hard rock band Crobot. Joining them are Chokesetter, The Lonely Ones, and Peg Bundy, delivering a full-force lineup you won't want to miss. Doors open at 7 PM, show starts at 8 PM. Ages 18+

Tickets can be found at :theloudwv.com/event



THUR MAY 15  
6:30 - 9 pm

All ages and skill levels welcome at this free open mic event at Folklore Music Exchange. 3 songs or 10 mins per participant with 10 slots available. Signups begin on the day of at noon and fill up fast. The show goes from 6:30 to 9 pm. 191 Summer Street Charleston, WV

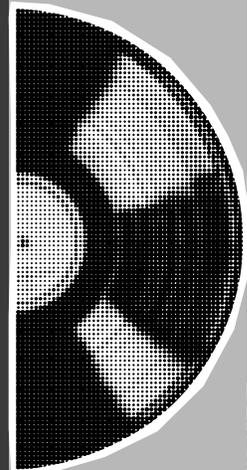
Follow Folklore Music Exchange on Facebook for more information



SAT MAY 17  
11 AM - 5 pm

The J.Q. Dickinson Salt Fest in Charleston, West Virginia, is a vibrant celebration of Appalachian heritage, held annually at the historic J.Q. Dickinson Salt-Works. This free, family-friendly event brings together local artisans, musicians, and food vendors for a day filled with community spirit and cultural pride.

Event info at [www.jqdsalt.com/salt-fest/](http://www.jqdsalt.com/salt-fest/)



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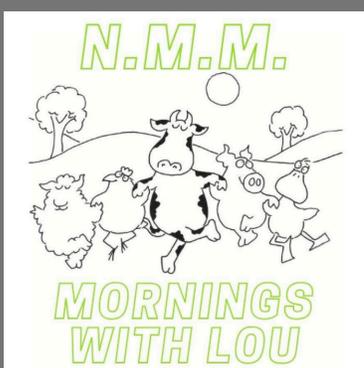
# MIC CHECK

## TOP 8 WITH EMILY



WTSQ's own Emily Beane digs through the noise to bring you her Top 8 – a handpicked list of artists and songs you actually need to hear. From underground gems to indie heavy-hitters, Emily's picks blend sharp taste with serious range. This edition features gritty post-punk anthems, dreamy psych-pop, and even a touch of jazz and IDM weirdness. Highlights include "Signs" by Midwife, "Max Potential" by Nourished by Time, "Roll The Dice" by Smerz, "Retrograde" by Preoccupations, and "Bitch Heart" by Frankie Cosmos. You'll also find "Curse (from the corner of the room)" by Water-Mall, "Moonshiner" by The Wild Shoats, "Crime Wave" by New Candys, "from me to u (ft. Poppy)" by Babymetal, "Sugarcoated" by Rocket, and "Knee Play 4 (performed by Bruce Brubaker)" by Philip Glass. This curated list comes with a deep dive into a few standout bands, links to music videos, and an easy way to add it all to your Spotify. Trust us – your next favorite song is probably on this list.

## NEW MUSIC MONDAY



This week, Lou has handpicked a fresh lineup of 27 rising artists for your listening pleasure. Discover standout tracks like Second Life by BELOVED, New Threats From The Soul by Ryan Davis & the Roadhouse Band, Return by No Windows, Hey Baby by Florry, and Drifting by Phoebe Rings.

Head to our website to explore the full playlist and save it directly to your Spotify. Don't forget to check back every Monday for a brand-new batch of music—only on New Music Monday, curated by Lou.

## BILL LYNCH W/ MAYA DE VITRY

Singer-songwriter Maya de Vitry shares how her mom's love of folk music shaped her path and inspired a lifelong connection to acoustic sounds. Now based in Nashville, de Vitry has rekindled the joy of playing for fun through intimate Sunday jam sessions with friends. Maya de Vitry took the stage last weekend at Mountain Stage—read the full story to learn more about her roots, musical community, and off-the-grid adventures.

Interview can be found at :

[wtsq.org/news/songwriter-maya-de-vitry-still-loves-to-jam-84](https://wtsq.org/news/songwriter-maya-de-vitry-still-loves-to-jam-84)



# WITHIN THE STATION



## NELSONVILLE MUSIC FESTIVAL TAKING PLACE IN NELSONVILLE, OH JUNE 20TH - 22ND.

You can win 2 general admission tickets to  
this year's festival!

Note:

Non-transferable

Parking & Camping passes are not included

How to Enter:

Visit our [Contest Page on WTSQ.org](#) and tell us  
which artist performing at this year's festival  
you're most excited to see. That's it!

Entries close Thursday, June 15th at MIDNIGHT!

Winner announced Friday during The Morning Mix  
with Mya.

Don't miss your shot at one of the best festivals in  
the region!

Event info at  
[nelsonvillefest.org](http://nelsonvillefest.org)

## ⚡ HAPPY BIRTHDAY, MYA ROSS! ⚡



Wishing a spectacular 50th birthday to the incredible Mya Ross on May 14! As the vibrant voice behind Morning Mix with Mya on WTSQ, Mya brightens the airwaves every weekday from 10 a.m. to noon with handpicked playlists that span Indie, Soul, Punk, New Wave, Alternative, and beyond. From Local Focus Tuesday to Women Who Crush It Wednesday and Flashback Friday, her passion for music and community shines through every show. As WTSQ's Director of Community Engagement, Mya's impact goes far beyond the mic. Here's to the journey, the soundtrack, and many more amazing years ahead.

Happy Birthday, Mya! 🙌

**POWER COMMUNITY RADIO –  
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TODAY**

Since 2015, WTSQ 88.1 FM has been a lifeline for music lovers and the Charleston community, bringing independent, non-commercial radio to the airwaves. From alternative to punk, funk to folk, and everything in between, our passionate volunteers curate diverse programming that keeps WTSQ vibrant and unique. We've supported local musicians, broadcast from major community events, and expanded our reach with Charles Tunes and a brand new community Podcast Studio- all because of you.



FULL PROGRAMMING INFORMATION AND STREAMING ONLINE AT [WTSQ.ORG](http://WTSQ.ORG)  
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	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY		SATURDAY	SUNDAY
7 AM	<b>MORNINGS WITH LOU</b>					7 AM	RADIO SURVIVOR	HONKY TONK HOLIDAY
8 AM	<b>DEMOCRACY NOW!</b>					8 AM	DEAD AIR	PHONOMELET
9 AM	<b>THE MORNING MIX W/MYA</b>					9 AM	FLOWER POWER	TROP ROCK W/SAILOR ROB
10 AM	<b>THE AFTERNOON SHOW W/JOSH</b>					10 AM	BREAKING DOWN THE PRESSURE	TAILGATE SPORTS SHOW
11 AM						11 AM	OTTO DJ	MOUNTAIN STATE UPDATE
NOON						NOON	ALL SKATE	SHANNON'S STASH
1 PM						1 PM	BLACK DOG BLUES	THE CROW'S NEST
2 PM						2 PM	OTTO DJ	CRUSIN' THE BOULEVARD
3 PM	OTTO DJ	OTTO DJ	OTTO DJ	OTTO DJ	OTTO DJ	TRAFFIC JAMS	FRIDAY VIBES	WINELIGHT
4 PM	POWER POP HOUR	THE BEER FRAME	SIT N' SPIN	DRIVE TIME W/LORA	B FRIDAY	FRIDAY NIGHT POP UP PARTY	FRIDAY VIBES	NEVER MISS A SUNDAY SHOW
5 PM	DEALER'S CHOICE	THE BRIDGE	HEARTSMILES	90% 90S 10% OF THE TIME	FRIDAY VIBES	ESSENTIAL HOUSE RADIO SHOW	OTTO DJ	CRUSIN' THE DECADES
6 PM	THE VINYL FRONTIER	THE CROSSFADE	GROUP E	2 GUYS, 1 SHOW	FRIDAY VIBES	OTTO DJ	OTTO DJ	
7 PM		WELCOME THE NIGHT	FUNKY 16 CORNERS	CERTIFIED STEADY	FRIDAY VIBES	OTTO DJ	OTTO DJ	
8 PM		REVOLT INTO SOUND	OTTO DJ	BOTTOM OF THE POPS	FRIDAY VIBES	OTTO DJ	OTTO DJ	
9 PM					FRIDAY VIBES	OTTO DJ	OTTO DJ	
10 PM					FRIDAY VIBES	OTTO DJ	OTTO DJ	
11 PM					FRIDAY VIBES	OTTO DJ	OTTO DJ	
MIDNIGHT					FRIDAY VIBES	OTTO DJ	OTTO DJ	
1 AM					FRIDAY VIBES	OTTO DJ	OTTO DJ	

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**TURN IT UP:  
UNDERWRITER  
SPOTLIGHT**



At J.Q. Dickinson Salt-Works in Malden, West Virginia, seventh-generation salt-makers and siblings Nancy Bruns and Lewis Payne have revived their 200-year-old family tradition. With a shared love of food, farming, and heritage, they craft small-batch finishing salt from the ancient Iapetus Ocean, trapped deep beneath the Appalachian Mountains. The result is a pure, mineral-rich salt that elevates any dish—genuine Kanawha Salt, rooted in history and made with care. Their picturesque location also serves as a unique event venue, hosting everything from weddings and farm-to-table dinners.

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