



# Media Contacts - Southeast Texas

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Newspapers		
Company	Contact	Notes
<b><u>Beaumont Enterprise</u></b> P.O. Box 3071 Beaumont, TX 77704 C/O: Live Music Scene	Send information (place, address, phone number, time, dates, bands, kind of music, admission costs) in writing by noon by Friday one week before publication to Kathy Moujaes, Live Music, Weekend, Beaumont Enterprise, P.O. Box 3071, Beaumont, Texas, 77704 or e-mail <a href="mailto:kmoujaes@beaumontenterprise.com">kmoujaes@beaumontenterprise.com</a> .	Space does not always permit listing all events submitted. Photos and other publicity materials will not be returned.
<b><u>The Examiner</u></b> 470 Orleans St. – Suite 1006 Beaumont, TX 77701 Tel: 409.832.1400 – regular listing Fax: 409.832.6222 – regular listing	<b>Jim King – Entertainment Reporter</b> Tel: 409.896.5555 ext 361 Fax: 409.896.5599 <a href="mailto:Kingoftheroad@gt.rr.com">Kingoftheroad@gt.rr.com</a> <a href="http://www.JimKingofTheRoad.com">http://www.JimKingofTheRoad.com</a>	Prints on Wednesdays Deadline Fridays at 5PM Send CDs or Press Kits c/o Jim King
<b><u>The Orange Leader</u></b> 200 W. Front Street Orange, TX 77630	Contact: Margaret Toal Tel: 409.883.3571 Fax: 409.883.6342	Prints on Thursdays. Have info a week early.
<b><u>Port Arthur News</u></b> 549 4 <sup>th</sup> Street Port Arthur, TX 77640	Contact: Darragh Doiron Tel: 409.727.1695 Fax: 409.985.6128	C/O: Live Entertainment
<b><u>Orange County News</u></b> 1507 W. Park Avenue Orange, TX 77630	Todd Sonnier, Editor	
<b><u>Mid County Chronicle</u></b> 2112 Nederland Avenue Nederland, TX 77627	Entertainment Editor	
<b><u>Hardin County News</u></b> P. O. Box 8240 Lumberton, TX 77657	Rachel Cox, Editor	
<b><u>Jasper Newsboy</u></b> P. O. Drawer 1419 Jasper, TX 75951-1419	Willis Webb, Editor	

# Radio Stations

Company	Contact	Notes
<b>Gulf Coast Public Radio</b> KVLU 91.3 FM (Lamar University)	<u>send discs to</u> John Fulbright 2505 Liberty Beaumont, Texas 77702  <a href="http://www.kvlu.org">http://www.kvlu.org</a>  409.880.8164 409.838.7001	<b><u>Eclectic Programs</u></b> ?? Playlist (Sat. afternoons) ?? The Flipside (Sat. night 10pm) ?? Needledrop (sat 9pm) ?? The Space Capsule (Friday at 9pm) ?? Earth Tones (Friday 11pm)  KVLU is a diverse station that includes classical, jazz, news, entertainment and college radio genres.
<b>Clear Channel Communications</b>	Jami "Candy" Landis Tel: 409.896.5555 ext 367 bigdogcandy@excite.com	Manages 3 radio stations in Southeast Texas
<b>Cumulus Radio</b>	Contact: Patty Parfait (Promotions Director)	Manages 3 radio stations in Southeast Texas
<b>KKMY 104.5</b> (Pop/Rock Music) <b>P.O. Box 5488</b> <b>Beaumont, TX 77726</b>	Tel: 409.896.5555 Fax: 409.896.5566	
<b>KLVI AM 560</b> (Talk Radio)	Don Briscoe Tel: 409.896.5555	
<b>KD-97</b> (Country Music)	Tel: 409.833.3697	
<b>KYKR 95.1</b> (Country Music)	Carl Becker Tel: 409.896.5555 ext. 158 Fax: 409.896.5599	
<b>FOX NEWS RADIO</b> <b>KOLE - 1380 AM</b> (Talk Radio)	409.835.1340	

## TV Stations

Company	Contact	Notes
<b>KFDM Channel 6</b>	Gina Hensen – (Promotions Director) Tel: 409.895.4662	Possible Press: Morning show, Live at 5, Community Calendar
<b>KBMT Channel 12</b>	Morning Show Tel: 409.833.7512	
<b><u>KBTv-4 News</u></b> 6155 Eastex Frwy Ste: 300 Beaumont, TX 77706	Contact: Assignments Manager, Shane Allen ( <a href="mailto:sallen@kbtv4.tv">sallen@kbtv4.tv</a> ) Phone: 409-840-4444 Fax: 409-899-4639	

## Arts Organizations

Venue	Contact	Category	Comments
<b><u>The Art Studio, Inc.</u></b> 720 Franklin Beaumont, Texas 77701	409.838.5393 <a href="http://www.artstudio.org/">http://www.artstudio.org/</a>	All Genres of Art and Music	Clay, studio rentals, photography, painting, Live music – outdoor and indoor stage
<b><u>Southeast Texas Music and Arts Revue</u></b> 7595 Village Lane Beaumont, Texas 77713	Contact: Milton Bonura Axmon1974@aol.com	All Genres of Art and Music	SETMAAR.COM Best Arts and Music Site in the area with MP3s, Reviews, and more.
<b><u>Local Music Guide</u></b> 560 Concord - Vidor, TX 77662	Tommy Mann 409.769.9899	Website	Localmusicguide.net
<b><u>Beaumont Convention &amp; Visitors Bureau</u></b> 801 Main Street, Suite 100 Beaumont, TX 77704	Contact: Kathi Hughes Tel: 409.880.3749 Email: khughes@ci.beaumont.tx.us		
<b><u>Beaumont Music Commission</u></b> P.O. Box 7469 Beaumont, TX 77726-7469	Contact: Kathy Theall Tel: 409.755.3565	Classical, World, Musicals	For more information visit: <a href="http://www.BeaumontMusic.org">http://www.BeaumontMusic.org</a>

# Southeast Texas Live Music Venues

Venue	Contact	Genre	PA	Comments
<b><u>The Logon Café</u></b> 3805 Calder Ave Beaumont, TX 77706	Contact: Jason Spencer Tel: 409.832.1529 Tel: 409.833.6950 Fax: 409.838.6816 Email: jason@logoncafe.net	All	Yes	Cyber Café, Streaming Audio of Original Material Only / Streaming Video of every show, Digital Recording, Live music 4-5 nights each week, Outdoor Show Thurs-Sat, Closed on Sundays. Drummers need brushes or hot-rods, staff will control levels. Non-smoking inside.
<b><u>The Art Studio, Inc.</u></b> 720 Franklin Beaumont, Texas 77701	409.838.5393 <a href="http://www.artstudio.org/">http://www.artstudio.org/</a>	All Genres of Art and Music		Clay, studio rentals, photography, painting, Live music – outdoor and indoor stage
<b><u>The Vortex</u></b> 2530 North 11th Street Beaumont, Texas 77703	Bar Phone: 409.892.5766 Office Phone: 409.924.7424  <a href="http://www.thevortexonline.com/">http://www.thevortexonline.com/</a>	All	Yes	Bar hours: Monday - Saturday 04:00pm to 02:00am
<b><u>Changing Times</u></b> 2590 N. 11 <sup>th</sup> Beaumont	409.892.4130	Blues/rock	Yes	Bands
<b><u>Crockett Street Entertainment District</u></b> 490 Park Street # 200 Beaumont, TX 77701	Contact: Christina Delgadillo Tel: 409.832.2944 ext 104	All	Yes	Crockett Street serves up more than a great dining experience and night on the town, it offers live music, outdoor festivals and so much more. Be sure to tell Christina Delgadillo that The Logon Café sent you... thanks.
<b><u>Antones</u></b> 240 Crockett Street Beaumont, TX 77701	409.833.9113 409.833.1087	Rock, Blues, Funk, Soul, Jazz.	Yes	Bands only.
<b><u>Dixie Dance Hall</u></b> 234 Crockett Street Beaumont, TX 77701	409.833.3090	Country	?	
<b><u>The West</u></b> 6445 Calder Avenue Beaumont, TX 77706	C.C. McKinnis 409.363.2627	Blues/rock	No	Popular Bar in West End, Small stage, very crowded on weekends.
<b><u>The Handlebar South</u></b> 8601 9th Ave. Port Arthur, TX	C.C. McKinnis 409.363.2627	Blues/rock	No	Bands
<b><u>The Hoffbrau</u></b> 2310 N. 11th St. Beaumont	409.892.6911	Acoustic	Some	2-3 P
<b><u>Pace Setter Lounge</u></b>	409.866.5377	Karaoke	Some	Karaoke

6358 Phelan Blvd. Beaumont				
<b><u>Grind Daddy's</u></b> 4438 Dowlen Rd. – Suite 108 Beaumont	409.892.6768	Acoustic	No	No bands
<b><u>BG's</u></b> I-10 and 9th St Beaumont	409-892-9060	Country		Bands
<b><u>Jazzy Café</u></b> 2610 Magnolia Beaumont	409.832.6090			
<b><u>The Landing Bar and Grill</u></b> 8075 College Beaumont	409.860.3207			
<b><u>Carlo's Restaurant</u></b> 2570 Calder Beaumont	409.833.0108	Acoustic	No	Lounge Style No Bands
<b><u>Stingaree Marina Restaurant</u></b> Crystal Beach HWY Crystal Beach	409.684.2731	Friday Karaoke	No	Special Occasions
<b><u>Bob's Sports Bar</u></b> Crystal Beach Hwy Crystal Beach	409.684.5929	Acoustic		Bands Questionable
<b><u>The Bottle Shop</u></b> 8176 9th Ave. Nederland, TX	409.722.9300	Mix-Covers		Bands
<b><u>The Parrot Head Pub</u></b> 550 Pleasure Island Blvd Port Arthur, TX	C.C. McKinnis 409.363.2627			
<b><u>The Embers Club</u></b> 3519 N. Twin City Nederland, TX	409.722.2121			
<b><u>Liberty Opera House</u></b> 1816 Sam Houston Ave. Liberty, TX	C.C. McKinnis 409.363.2627	Country/ Gospel	Yes	Friday-Saturday
<b><u>Sharky's</u></b> Crystal Beach Hwy Crystal Beach, TX	409.684.5508		No	Special Occasions
<b><u>Old Quarter Acoustic Café</u></b> 413 - 20th Street Galveston, Texas 77550	Wrecks Bell 409-762-9199 409-737-4915	All	Yes	

## Production / Booking Agents

### Turnkey Productions

9302 Terri Lane  
Orange, TX 77632

Contact: C.C. McKinnis  
Tel: 409.745.1631  
Cell: 409.363.2627  
Email: [ccev@ev1.net](mailto:ccev@ev1.net)

Entertainment Booking, Mobile DJ  
Service, Event Promotion,

## Louisiana Coast Venues

Venue	Contact	Genre	PA	Comments
<b><u>Rikenjaks</u></b> 329 Broad Street Lake Charles, LA 70601	C.C. McKinnis 409.363.2627	Everything except Country	Yes	
<b><u>OB's Bar &amp; Grill</u></b> Lake Charles, LA	C.C. McKinnis 409.363.2627	Blues / Rock	No	
<b><u>Grant Street Dance Hall</u></b> Lafayette, LA	C.C. McKinnis 409.363.2627	All but Country	No	
<b><u>The Brickhouse</u></b> Houma, LA	C.C. McKinnis 409.363.2627	Blues / Rock	No	* Will hire production if needed.
<b><u>The Brickhouse</u></b> Lake Charles, La	C.C. McKinnis 409.363.2627	Comedy, Rock, Blues	No	* Will hire production if needed.

## Houston Area Live Music Venues

Venue	Contact	Genre	PA	Comments
<b><u>Kemah Boardwalk</u></b> Kemah, Texas	Frankie Randazzo 409.363.2052	All	Some	City boardwalk overlooking water. Owned by Landry's Restaurants, Inc. Several Clubs
<b><u>Sherlock's Pub</u></b> (5 locations)	Frankie Randazzo 409.363.2052	All	No	

# Houston Area Media Contacts

Venue	Contact	Genre		Comments
<b><u>HOUSTON CHRONICLE</u></b> 801 Texas Avenue <b>Houston, TX 77002</b>	Music/Entertainment Editor			
<b><u>PREVIEW</u></b> HOUSTON CHRONICLE 801 Texas Avenue <b>Houston, TX 77002</b>	Music/Entertainment Editor			
<b><u>HOUSTON PRESS</u></b> 1621 Milam, Suite 100 Houston, TX 77002	Music Editor			
<b><u>PEARLAND JOURNAL</u></b> 2206 E. Broadway, Suite A Pearland, TX 77506	Entertainment Editor			
<b><u>THE RICE THRESHER</u></b> MS-524, P. O. Box 1892 Houston, TX 77005-1892	Entertainment Editor			
<b><u>THE DAILY COUGAR</u></b> Room 151, Communication University of Houston Houston, TX 77204	Entertainment Editor			
<b><u>HOUSTON COUNTY COURIER</u></b> P. O. Box 551 Crockett, TX 75835 hccnews@lcc.net	Larry Lamb, Asso. Editor			
<b><u>THE HUNTSVILLE ITEM</u></b> 1409 10th Street Huntsville, TX 77320	Entertainment Editor			
<b><u>KIVY-1290AM/92.7-FM</u></b> 403 S. 5th Street Crockett, TX 75835	Events Director			