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## Headlining Acts Announced For Richardson's Wildflower! Arts & Music Festival

Tickets go on sale March 15 at 10 a.m. for North Texas' Largest Outdoor Music Event

**RICHARDSON, TX–March 1, 2018** – Richardson's 26<sup>th</sup> annual **Wildflower!** Arts & Music Festival will once again host an impressive lineup of award-winning performers across a variety of genres including, alternative, country, pop, rock, folk and more.

Considered the largest musical festival in North Texas, **Wildflower!** will be held May 18-20 at the Galatyn Park Urban Center.

Headliners include:

## Friday, May 18:

Kool & the Gang - Methodist Richardson Amphitheater Stage Spoon - Plaza Stage Eve 6 - Plaza Stage Starship featuring Mickey Thomas - Methodist Richardson Amphitheater Stage Radney Foster - Singer Songwriter Stage Keith Harkin - Singer Songwriter Stage Graceland Ninjaz - Bud Light Stage Infinite Journey - Methodist Richardson Amphitheater Stage

## Saturday, May 19:

Goo Goo Dolls - Methodist Richardson Amphitheater Stage
Jimmy Eat World - Plaza Stage
Lifehouse - Methodist Richardson Amphitheater Stage
Switchfoot - Plaza Stage
Gin Blossoms - Methodist Richardson Amphitheater Stage
John Ford Coley - Singer Songwriter Stage
Max & Heather Stalling - Singer Songwriter Stage
Rich Girls - Bud Light Stage

## Sunday, May 20:

Reckless Kelly - *Methodist Richardson Amphitheater Stage*A Thousand Horses - *Methodist Richardson Amphitheater Stage*Trout Fishing in America - *Singer Songwriter Stage* 



**Goo Goo Dolls** 



**Kool & the Gang** 



Spoon



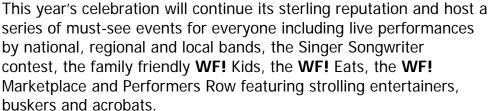
**Jimmy Eat World** 

In addition, The Ultimate Eagles Tribute – On the Border, will perform daily at Hill Hall in the Eisemann Center.

**Tickets for the 2018 Wildflower!** Arts & Music Festival are available for purchase beginning March 15, 2018 at 10 a.m.

Single day tickets, good for entry Friday or Saturday during the festival weekend, can be purchased in advance from the festival's website for \$30. Tickets purchased at the gate are \$40. Three-day tickets can be purchased online only for \$65. Sunday tickets can be purchased online for \$15 and \$20 at the gate. Kids tickets are \$5 at the gate and online for ages 5-12. Kids 4 and under are free.

Over the years, **Wildflower!** has grown to become one of the most recognized and anticipated musical events in North Texas. What began as a small springtime community event to celebrate the wildflowers planted throughout the city quickly "blossomed" after only the second year when national headlining entertainers were added. Today the festival boasts six performance stages, four outdoor and two inside the Eisemann Center, where more than 80 musical acts are showcased.



**Wildflower!** will also feature a Battle of the Bands contest, the Budding Talent Competition, and the Art Guitar Auction.

For complete, up-to-date event information, visit <a href="www.wildflowerfestival.com">www.wildflowerfestival.com</a> or call 972-744-4580, or follow <a href="Wildflowerfestival">Wildflowerfestival</a> or <a href="Twitter via @WildflowerFest">Twitter via @WildflowerFest</a>. Follow us on #WAMfest2017.

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Switchfoot



**Reckless Kelly** 



Eve 6



Starship featuring Mickey Thomas

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