



Midtown Coffeehouse

Spring 2011 Schedule







January 27 Aaron and Andrew Pop/Rock

With his soaring vocals and incredible energy he captivates those in attendance, then he connects with his audience on a personal and intimate level engaging them on another level that most artists do not. Momentum is growing with every show, overflowing with a tremendous amount of entertainment, Creating a unique atmosphere that people want to be apart of over and over again. www.ourstage.com/profile/austinkyle

The Connecticut based duo, Aaron and Andrew, have a diversified appeal that has allowed them to perform at colleges, clubs and listening rooms throughout the east coast. They combine the musical landscapes of Snow Patrol and Coldplay with the lyrical optimism of the Fray and traces of the Postal Service's electronic sounds.

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house has been overfilled and not everyone has had a chance to

perform. Therefore, this semester there will be at least two "All Night Open Mic" evenings and February 10th is the first. So get

up your courage, bring a few friends, and take the stage.

February 3 PAC Sponsored Austin Kyle

Singer / Songwriter





February 10 All Night Open Mic Various Artists

One of the outstanding small student jazz groups from WCSU's fantastic jazz program will give a performance of both original compositions and jazz standards.

February 17 WCSU Jazz Ensemble



Opening Act: Drew Mazur at 8:45pm



February 24 Post No Bills Contemporary Country

Headed by singer/songwriter George Vega, Orguesta Afinke is the #1 up and coming salsa band of Union County, NJ. come out and enjoy some salsa time!!

Post No Bills is a contemporary Country music group made up of all WestConn students. Started in 2010 by two jazz majors and voice major, the group has an extensive musical background that they use to Constantly enhance and tighten their sound, which means with them, music is never boring.

Opening Act: Tyler Augustine Davis @8:45pm - COMEDY

LASO Sponsored

March 3 Orquestra Afinke



March 10 PAC Sponsored Chris Ayer

Acoustic / Folk Rock / Indie

"Ayer's effort has it all—tight arrangements, excellent musicality and imaginative lyrics. If you're looking for great music, this is the place indeed."

Salsa

- Performing Songwriter Magazine

The feature act for the evening has not been determined. It will probably be an all night open mic/game night. Bring a friend, bring a game, or borrow one of the games available at the Coffeehouse every night. Either way, it will be fun.

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Spring Break —No Coffeehouse



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The versatile, Harlem-based artist's mix of heartfelt and hard-hitting piano driven songs and dynamic ambition has led her to become a popular presence in the music scene in New England, where she regularly wins over new listeners at New York venues or on the streets of Boston. She has appeared and performed on Fox, ABC and NBC regional news segments.



PAC Sponsored April 14 Five Times August **Indie**

Do you enjoy a nice cup of coffee? Do you like listening to good music? Do you like to hang out with your friends and drink coffee and listen to good music? Well, you don't have to go far to do just that! Alumni Hall is right on the Midtown Campus and there's a

Coffeehouse almost every Thursday night.



April 28 Martini Glass A Capella

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All around musical talent and veteran open mic performer, Amanda Forker is not new to the Coffeehouse. A current student at WestConn, she takes the stage for the first time as the feature performer with her Musical Theater Extravaganza.



May 12 Parallel Fifths A-Capella

March 24







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April 7 Cheryl Engelhardt

Singer / Songwriter



There are few artists in the music industry that can hold the title "independent" with as much depth as Brad Skistimas of Five Times August. The 26 year old singer/songwriter has passed up opportunities with major labels to go at his career alone.

April 21 Live Band Karaoke Karaoke **ZBT** Sponsored Open



Martini Glass is one of WestConn's three A Capella groups and is made up entirely of female WestConn students. If you have not yet heard them, you should make a point of coming to this coffeehouse, they are spectacular!

Pinney Hall sponsored

Amanda Forker's

Musical Theater Extravaganza



Opening Act: Adam Calderone at 8:40pm

The last Coffeehouse of the semester is sure to be fun. Come down and relax as you listen to the Parallel Fifths. The semester is almost over and you need to get your mind set to study for finals. It will be a memorable evening to be sure.