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Reel Big Fish headline Spring Weekend

S ka-punk musicians Reel Big Fish will perform at St. Bonaventure University at 8 p.m. Thursday, April 28, in the

favorite.

Based in Huntington Beach, Calif., Reel Big Fish was originally a trio comprised of vocalist/guitarist Aaron Barrett, bassist Matt Wong and drummer Andrew Gonzales. At that stage, the group was a conventional rock band with pop-metal leanings that covered both classic rock and Top 40 songs. After several months, the band discovered ska and decided to add horn players. Reel

Reilly Center Arena to kick off the traditional Spring Weekend.

A ticket sales-date has not yet been set, but prices will be \$20 for the public and \$15 for students and members of the University community.

"The St. Bonaventure

community is excited to have such a highenergy band as Reel Big Fish performing at SBU," said Steve Plesac, director of student activities. "They're sure to provide an entertaining jump into Spring Weekend."

Reel Big Fish is a Southern California ska-punk band known for its hyperkinetic stage shows, juvenile humor, ironic covers of new wave pop songs and metallic sounds of ska. The band's music became mainstream in the summer of 1997, when the single "Sell Out" became a modern rock radio and MTV into place.

This new and final lineup of Reel Big Fish recorded their debut album, Everything Sucks, in 1995, and released it themselves. Everything Sucks became a word-of-mouth underground hit in ska-punk and college circles. Following its success, the band signed with the indie label Mojo Records. The label president, Jay Rifkin, and former Oingo Boingo bassist, John Avila, co-produced Turn the Radio Off, Reel Big Fish's first album for Mojo.



Big Fish had a difficult time maintaining a stable horn section. and it took several years before their final lineup featuring Tavis Werts on trumpet, Scott Klopfenstein also on trumpet and vocals and Grant Barry and Dan Regan both on trombone, fell



BSU to host Black History Month celebration, dinner

Celebrate Black History Month with the Black Student Union in the Robert R. Jones Board of Trustees Room, Doyle Hall, from 5 to 8 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 20.

There will be buffet style dining (Southern cuisine) and refreshments while students

share the speeches, poetry and music of their favorite African American leaders.

For your entertainment, there will be a performance by the SBU Step Team. Attire is business casual and the price of entry is \$3 for students and \$4 for faculty and staff.



Scrabble Challenge

Jamestown Community College's Cattaraugus County Campus will host the fifth annual Scrabble Challenge in JCC's reception room (adjacent to the Cutco Theater) on Feb. 19 to benefit Literacy Volunteers of Cattaraugus County, Inc.

Check-in begins at 10:30 a.m. Players can warm up with a practice round from 11:30 to 11:45 a.m. The official game begins at noon. Teams of six will play two 20-minute games. An entry fee and/or pledges — a minimum of \$25 per person or \$125 per team — is required at registration. Additional pledges or funds may be paid at check-in.

For more information, to register, to make a donation of cash or prize materials, contact Lucia Scotty at ext. 7631, Joann McAndrew at 372-8627 or Janene Dunn at 376-7507.

Poker Championship

A No-Limit Texas Hold 'Em Poker Championship will be held in the Doyle Dining Room at 11 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 19.

This tournament is open to students, staff, faculty and their families.

The tournament is sponsored by the SBU Finance and Investments Club, and will offer \$1,200 of noncash prizes.

Registration is \$25 and players can register on Monday, Wednesday or Friday from 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. from Feb. 7 through Feb. 16.

For more information, e-mail babcocas@sbu.edu.

CAB Movies on SBU Channel 9

Monday, 2/14: Sweet November Tuesday, 2/15: Remember the Titans Wednesday, 2/16: Troy Thursday, 2/17: The Cookout Friday, 2/18: Collateral

Movie Showtimes Nightly: 7:30 p.m., 10:30 p.m. & 1:30 a.m.

Battle of the Bands

Interest Meeting 8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb 15 Reilly Center basement Room 29

For those interested in participating in a battle of the bands this spring at SBU



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
- Women's Basketball vs. Duquesne 12 p.m. RC Arena	- Evening Away at Mt. Irenaeus - Valentine's Day	15
Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
 - CAB movie 'Alfie' ft. Jude Law 7:30 p.m. Murphy Auditorium Free Admission - Evening Away at Mt. Irenaeus 	17	 - CAB movie 'Alfie' ft. Jude Law 7:30 p.m. Murphy Auditorium Free Admission - Weekend Away at Mt. Irenaeus - Stations of the Cross 3 p.m. University Chapel
	Saturday	
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