

PHILLY COMEDY  
**ALL-STAR  
CELEBRATION**  
THERE'S SOMETHING IN THE WOODER...

**THURSDAY, JULY 29<sup>TH</sup> - 7 PM**

LINCOLN FINANCIAL FIELD

## HEADLINER



### **BIG JAY OAKERSON**

Big Jay Oakerson is one of the most beloved and easily recognizable comedians in New York City. His easy charm and dirty delivery endear him to audiences every night. Jay's comedy career spans two decades and a journey from "comic's comic" to mainstream fame. Beginning as a standout in the Philadelphia comedy scene, Jay quickly became a favorite among other comedians after his move to New York City. He's no stranger to the rest of America, either, regularly headlining across the country and playing festivals including Bonnaroo, Jager's Korn tour, RockStar Energy Drink's Mayhem Fest, Gathering of the Juggalos and Funny or Die's Oddball Festival. Jay has also been featured on This Is Not Happening with Ari Shaffir, Comedy Underground with Dave Attell, FX's Louie, Inside Amy Schumer, and Late Night with Jimmy Fallon & Conan.

Jay co-hosts "The Bonfire" on Comedy Central Radio Sirius XM 95 alongside Dan Soder Monday through Thursday 6-8pm EST. He is also the co-host of two wildly popular podcasts - "The Most Offensive Podcast on Earth" Legion of Skanks with Luis J. Gomez and Dave Smith and The SDR (Sex, Drugs & Rock & Roll) Show with Ralph Sutton both on The Gas Digital Network.

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Jay's debut hour special "Big Jay Oakerson: Live At Webster Hall" premiered on Comedy Central in 2016 & was filmed at the legendary music venue in New York City providing the perfect heavy metal vibe for the show. Jay's comedy is raw, compelling and honest to the core, as he takes viewers on a journey of brutal truths. His second special premiered in 2018 as part of "The Degenerates" on Netflix filmed in Las Vegas. He has 3 albums on Comedy Central Records, The Crowdwork Sessions: What's Your F@#king Deal?! Volumes 1 & 2 recorded live at The Stand & The Village Underground that capture Jay's raunchy, off-the-cuff essence with a full hour of crowd work. They join Jay's first album, An American Storyteller, a one-hour onslaught of unbridled awesomeness and raunchy rock n' roll hilarity.

Oakerson has hosted 2 seasons of "What's Your F@#king Deal?! Crowdwork & Off The Cuff Comedy" on Seeso. Jay asks the audience to let go of pretension and leave egos at the door as he leads a pack of comics in a completely improvised show based on interactions with the crowd. The atmosphere is loose and no-holds-barred, so you'll see a side of the performers you've never seen before.

Longtime fans of Jay's will also remember him as Neil, the sexually ambiguous owner of a NYC rock club, on IFC's Z-Rock, and from his appearances on Comedy Central's Premium Blend, Comedy Central Presents and Tough Crowd with Colin Quinn. He's wowed audiences at the prestigious Just For Laughs Montreal festival an impressive four times, both on The Nasty Show and with his solo show, The American Storyteller. And he's a fan favorite guest on Sirius XM's Bennington (previously Ron & Fez).

## FEATURING:



### CRAIG SHOEMAKER

What comedian do you know that has 2 Emmys, appeared on Broadway and was voted “Best Male Standup” at the American Comedy Awards? That’s right, it’s “The Lovemaster” Craig Shoemaker! Best known for his engaging, relatable standup and iconic baritone-voiced character, The Lovemaster, Craig has also recurred on hit television shows such as “Parks & Recreation” and “The Bold & The Beautiful.” Craig’s latest 90- minute standup special, “Daditude,” aired prime time for three months on SHOWTIME Network. The Los Angeles Times praises him, saying; “Shoemaker is insightful and amusing ... we are moved beyond laughter to tears.” His one-hour stand-up special “Unzipped” aired

on Comedy Central to mass acclaim and the live CD was on the Billboard Top 20 for six weeks! Craig has also been featured as a voiceover artist, voicing multiple characters in hits such as Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2 and the upcoming animated show Big Foot, Little Foot. Currently, Craig hosts the hilarious and one-of-a-kind podcast “Laugh it Off” that deals with today’s problems through laughter. The podcast takes the #35 spot on iTunes, and continues to rise! Guests of the show have included Samuel L. Jackson, Chris Harrison, Adam Carolla, Tom Bergeron and Hall & Oates. In 2003, Craig used his exceptional talent as a comedian to help found the Laughter Heals Foundation, which is his nonprofit organization dedicated to using laughter as a healing modality. Craig’s diverse talents and multi-dimensional ability to entertain in an amusing and relevant way is one act you do not want to miss.



### AUNT MARY PAT

Aunt Mary Pat first came onto the scene in early 2018 through a viral video after the Historic Eagles Super Bowl win! Since then, she has performed more than 100 unique shows for thousands of people. In early 2019, after a successful Kickstarter campaign she released her debut comedy album “Talk of the Township.” It hit #5 on the iTunes comedy charts. The album featured three #1 iTunes comedy singles.

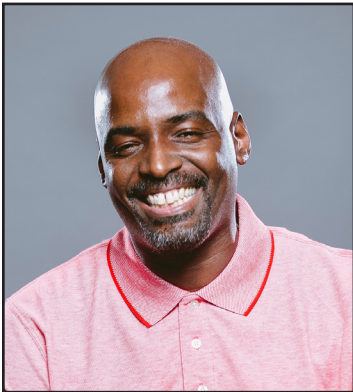
Aunt Mary Pat has been recognized as Delaware’s Readers’ Choice best entertainer 2019 and Best of Delco’s 2019 for best comedian. Her catch phrases have become synonymous with the Philadelphia region. She recently released a successful Christmas album called “Mary Friggin Christmas.” She will embark on her first national tour in 2020 called “The Fish Outta Woodier Tour:” Aunt Mary Pat enjoys raising funds for local LGBTQ+ fundraisers.



## **ANNIE LEDERMAN**

Annie recently wrote and produced on Showtime's WHO IS AMERICA? She played the voice of Cheryl alongside JB Smoove in GRAND THEFT AUTO V. Her story on Comedy Central's THIS IS NOT HAPPENING has over 1.8 million views. She was a cast member on MTV's GIRL CODE, a regular panelist @ MIDNIGHT, CHELSEA LATELY, COMEDY KNOCKOUT, and featured on THE SOUP INVESTIGATES, and ADAM DEVINE'S HOUSE PARTY. Annie played Ron Livingston's wife in the Sundance darling, THE LONG DUMB ROAD as well as guest starring roles on TruTV's THOSE WHO CAN'T and ADAM RUIIN'S EVERYTHING. She starred in WE HAVE ISSUES, a pop-culture talk

show on E! with co-host Julian McCullough. In addition, Annie starred and wrote, STAND UPS, a scripted Comedy Central pilot, produced by Dan Powell (co-creator of INSIDE AMY SCHUMER). She also wrote for IMPRACTICAL JOKERS and Fuse's animated/ live-action series SUGAR AND TOYS. She is a paid regular at The Comedy Store and tours worldwide as a stand-up comedian. You can hear her never stop talking on her podcast, Meanspiration. on the All Things Comedy network.



## **TU RAE**

Tu Rae is two words:  
Exceptional.  
Comedian.

Tu Rae is a stand up comedy artist and a veteran of the stage. Beginning at Philadelphia's famed Laff House Comedy Club, Tu Rae is an accomplished comedian & writer. A Stand Up NBC Finalist & HBO's Comedy Wings Champion, with numerous television appearances including Comics Unleashed, "Gotham Live" on Comedy Central, HBO's "All Def Comedy" Starz "First Amendment Standup" & Fox's "Laughs Tv".

TuRae has been selected to entertain crowds annually on celebrity cruises such as "Soul Train Cruise" and Tom Joyner's "Fantastic Voyage" cruise.

ComedyByTuRae Events; his production company, created a record label and produced two live comedy albums

- Tu Rae "Live at the Atlanta Comedy Theater"
- Tu Rae "A Comedy Album".

ComedyByTuRae produces the successful weekly comedy showcase @SoulComedy; & the Throwback Comedy Jam. Tu Rae is the lead instructor of Philadelphia Comedy College. Tu Rae's quick wit and sharp point of view makes him a favorite on television shows like Fox's "The Q" Podcasts like "Dope Dealers" "Advice From A FukBoi" "The Life Is Funny Keep Laughing" Podcasts and his comedy is heard on SiriusXM and Tidal, Pandora & the LOL Network.

## WITH SPECIAL GUEST STARS:



### ELEANOR J. KERRIGAN

Eleanor J. Kerrigan is the latest in a long line of historically funny women who cut their teeth at the World Famous Comedy Store. Starting out as a waitress there, Eleanor learned the ropes of comedy, all the while making the best comics in the country laugh, in the kitchen of the club. It would take several years and lots of pushing from one of her biggest fans, Andrew Dice Clay, to finally get her to take her comedic talents to the stage. After co-starring with him in "Dice Undisputed", Dice invited Eleanor to go on the road with him to promote the show. "I'm an actress not a stand up!" she replied. After seeing her one woman show, Andrew would no longer take no for an answer.

"You're hysterical and everyone should know that!" he said, and Eleanor's been

performing stand up in clubs and theaters around the country ever since. Her hilarious take on life comes from her unique experiences growing up street-savvy in South Philly, as one of 10 children in a very Irish-Catholic family. She paints an uproarious portrait of her life experiences, beginning with her childhood in a three bedroom row home and moving to her adventures as an adult living in L.A... Eleanor's shoot-from-the-hip take on life is both refreshing and exciting. She's not afraid to give the audience a piece of her mind and they love her for it. Eleanor is also a graduate of the esteemed Joanne Baron and D.W. Brown acting studio in Santa Monica, California, following in the footsteps of acting greats such as Halley Berry and Patrick Dempsey. She's had audiences rolling as one of the motorcycle riding, pool cue wielding tag team called "Harley's Angels" on UPN's "Women of Wrestling" and has made countless appearances on other major networks such as Nickelodeon, VH1, Howard Stern & HBO's Entourage, The Blue show on Showtime. Also catch her on The Ringers on Comedy Central with Bill Burr. Hear her share those crazy Comedy Store Stories as Co-host of the Comedy Store podcast. Eleanor Kerrigan is certainly one to watch & will be touring the country with her brazen brand of humor. Don't miss her!



### COLE COSBY

Cole Cosby is a 24-year-old comedian born in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and raised in the small town of Sicklerville, New Jersey. Cole has performed with several professional comedians in shows ranging from Philadelphia to South Jersey all the way to New York City! This includes opening for Turae Gordon, Eleanor Kerrigan, Clint Coley, Josh Johnson and the legend Sinbad. He is a Helium Comedy Club 2018 Philly's Phunniest Semifinalist, and has also performed at several comedy clubs like Punchline Philly, the Stress Factory, and Broadway Comedy Club.



## **STEVE SIMEONE**

Steve Simeone developed his unique high-energy approach to storytelling by competing for laughs with his two brothers around his family dinner table. His positive, family-friendly comedy has delighted audiences around the world and made him a regular at Hollywood's most famous comedy clubs.

In 2014 Steve made his Comedy Central debut on Gabriel Iglesias' "Stand Up Revolution" and since, has been featured multiple times on the network's "This Is Not Happening" storytelling show hosted by Ari Shaffir. His comedy is heard regularly on SiriusXM radio and his albums "What's Up Nerds?" and "Jabba" both reached number one on Apple iTunes and GooglePlay charts.

Steve has performed at The New York Comedy Festival and the prestigious "Just For Laughs" Festival in Montreal. You can see him in national commercials for Miller Lite beer and Little Tykes toys. Steve's comedy was also chosen for Honda's national "Summer Cheerance" radio campaign.

Steve started podcasting by co-hosting a show with WWE legend Roddy Piper and is a regular guest on Ari Shaffir's "Skeptic Tank" and "The Church of What's Happening Now" hosted by Joey Diaz.

Steve invites you to listen to his own podcast "Good Times" and become one of his buddies!