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ELEMENT things to do in Rockford: Jan. 2025



Frosty Fridays Public Skate Sessions

Friday nights weekly, 7:00-9:00PM
Carlson Ice Arena, 4150 N. Perryville Rd.
Loves Park, IL 61111
Join us for a fun **Friday night of ice skating with music** by a DJ at Carlson
Ice Arena. Tickets are \$10, and include
skate rental. Food specials will be
available at our concessions. **icerockford.com/public-skate**



BMO Center: Disney on Ice presents Mickey's Search Party

Friday, Jan 17, 7:00PM
398-300 Elm St, Rockford, IL
Join Mickey Mouse and his friends at
Disney on Ice presents Mickey's Search
Party, an adventure filled with worldclass skating, high-flying acrobatics and
unexpected stunts! See Mickey, Minnie,
Donald, Goofy, and stars from Moana,
Coco, Frozen, Toy Story, Aladdin,
Beauty and the Beast, and The Little
Mermaid. *Note: Costumes not permitted
for guests 14 years & older.
bmocenter.asmrockford.com

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The Music Box: An Evening with Ryley Walker

Saturday, Jan 4, 2025, 8:00PM
218 E State St, Rockford, IL 61104

Ryley Walker began his career in the early 2010s after moving from Illinois' provincial town of Rockford and settling into Chicago's independent scene. After a slew of cassette and vinyl releases, Tompkins Square put out his debut album in 2014, which was then followed up when the Dead Oceans released Primrose

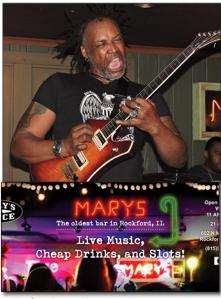
Green a year later. His most recent album, Course in Fable, was released on his own Husky Pants Recordings label in 2021.
Tickets from \$25.14. This is an 18+ event.



RSO: Mozart Meets Mahler Saturday, Jan 18, 7:30-9:30_{PM}

Coronado Theater, 711 N. Main Street, Rockford, IL 61103
Yaniv Attar, conductor; Michele Lekas, violin; Rebecca Swan, viola; Laura Strickling, soprano. Mozart, Sinfonia Concertante; Mahler, Symphony No. 4. RSO's own concertmaster Michèle Lekas and principal viola Rebecca Swan are the featured soloists on Mozart's Sinfonia Concertante. Mahler infused the classical ideals of the past into his Symphony No. 4, making it a perfect companion to Mozart. asmrockford.com/event/mozart-meets-

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Mary's Place Live Music: Pistol Pete Returns

Saturday, Jan 11, 8:00 PM 602 N Madison St, Rockford, IL Local guitar great, **Pistol Pete**, returns to Mary's Place, on Saturday, January 11th at 8:00 PM! marysplacebar.com/



BMOCenter: Jo Koy Just Being Koy Tour

Friday, Jan 24, 2025, 8:00pm 398-300 Elm St, Rockford, IL Jo Koy has become one of today's top stand-up comedians, rising from performances in a Las Vegas coffee house to sold-out shows worldwide. In 2022, Koy launched his Funny Is Funny World Tour, starting with a soldout show at Seattle's Climate Pledge Arena and ending at the Tacoma Dome. His shows continue to break records. His relatable humor, drawn from his colorful family, resonates with diverse audiences. bmocenter.asmrockford. com/event/jo-koy%3a-just-being-koytour/tm_vv1a7zk7ygkdqlvmp/