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Article 4: KFF 2017 Line Up

Most festivals present three days of amazing artists, perhaps a menu of thirty performances for audiences to enjoy. The Kerrville Folk Festival stands apart.



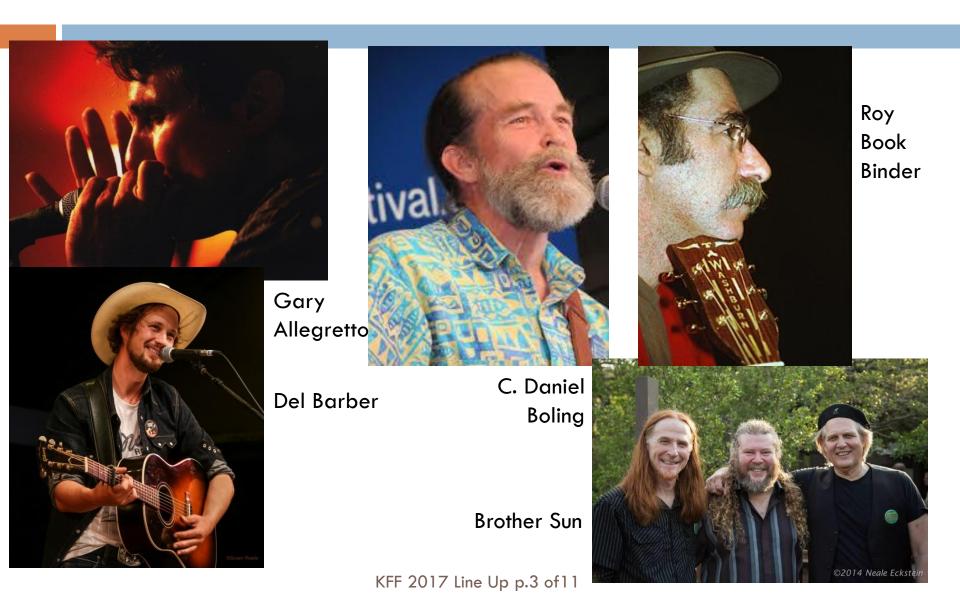
Our festival features not thirty artists, but over the course of 18 days showcases over 100 artists!

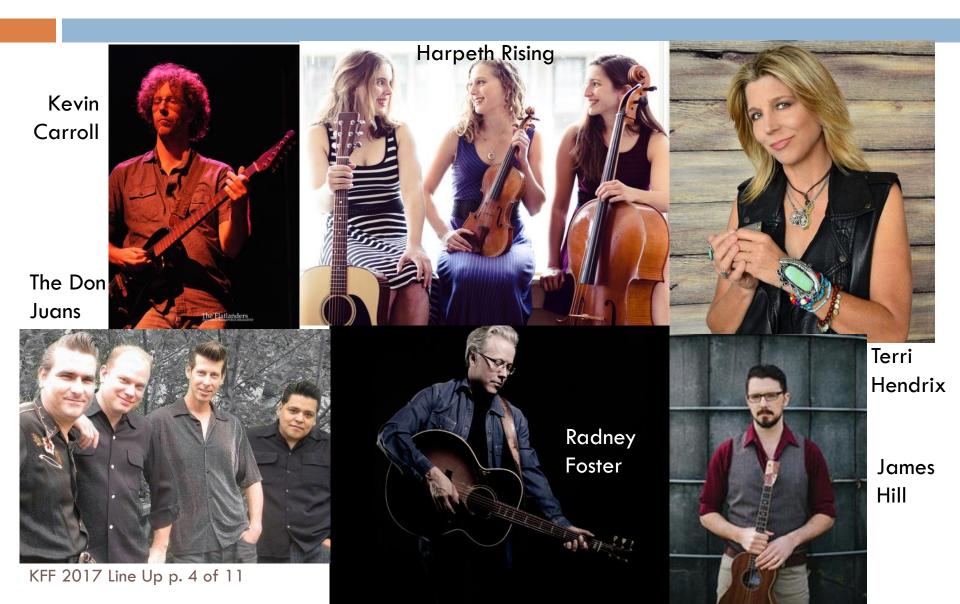
It is a feast! And the 2017 festival line up is tasty. It is still a work in progress, but this list of artists we hope provides you with incentive to purchase your tickets now!



About tickets ... the KFFF Board of Directors places value in maintaining the festival as a family event. Children under 12 will continue to be admitted for free with their parents, and beginning in 2017, the festival is offering a half price discounted ticket for children between the ages of 13 and 18 when attending with their parents.

Following are some of the artists on the 2017 line up (In alphabetical order):







Rev. Robert B. Jones



Kathy Mattea



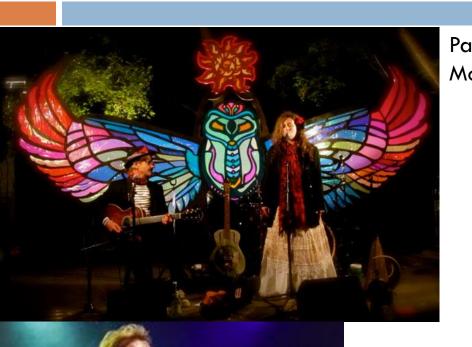
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Drew Nelson



Johnny Nicholas



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The Peterson Brothers

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Shake Russell & Michael Hearne



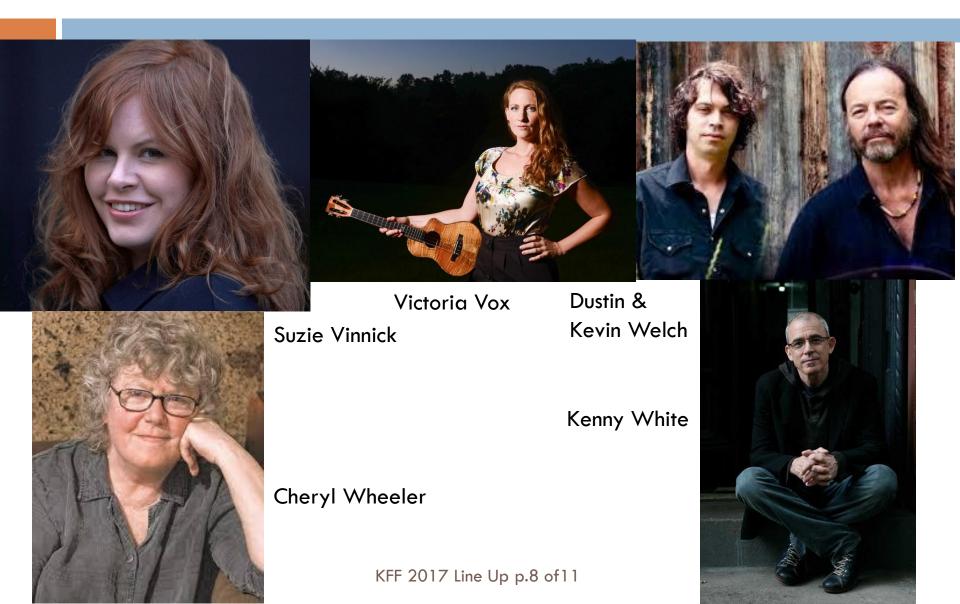


Cosy Sheridan

B. Sterling

Verlon Thompson









Some of these artists are legendary at Kerrville, having touched us with many magical performances over the years — Roy Book Binder, Kathy Mattea, Johnny Nicholas, Tom Paxton, Shake Russell & Michael Hearne, Cosy Sheridan, Verlon Thompson, Trout Fishing in America, Cheryl Wheeler, Dan Navarro, Terri Hendrix, Kevin & Dustin Welch, and Kenny White.

Some won our hearts with their first festival appearances – Del Barber, Harpeth Rising, The Peterson Brothers, and B. Sterling. And of course, we are delighted to welcome back home to our stage, C. Daniel Boling, Brother Sun, James Hill, Rev. Robert B. Jones, and, Rob Roy Parnell, along with a number of new faces!





Special plans are coming together to pay tribute to one of Texas' Legends, Guy Clark, who left us just this past year and his close friend, Townes Van Zandt, on this the 20th anniversary of his passing. They have both been major influences for the names we all know so well and many of the young artists writing now. For this tribute, we will feature the "names" and the young artists in equal measure because that path kff 2017 Line Up p.11 of 11 is what we honor.