

BIG SHOT

Big Shot

Saturday August 16th, 8:00 PM

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BIG SHOT New York's World Class Billy Joel Experience. BIG SHOT is without a doubt the most musically satisfying BILLY JOEL tribute band on the scene today. The act is fronted by the amazing vocals of Singer/Songwriter and Piano Man, Michael DelGuidice. Michael is a well-known and respected Long Island musician, committed to the accurate reproduction of Billy Joel's repertoire. He has the innate ability to capture the essence of the heart and soul of Billy's music. This is the band to see if you want the closest thing to a Billy Joel concert. On any given night Michael and the band will astonish you with versions of other artists including the Beatles, Paul McCartney, Elton John, Journey and many others.

BIG SHOT is comprised of 6 musicians from Long Island and NYC whose collective resumes are a who's who of the music industry. JOHN SCARPULLA on Saxophones/Vocals and Percussion (Michael Bolton, Hall and Oats, Tower of Power and more), WADE PRESTON ..boards and Vocals from Billy Joel's Tony Award winning Musical on Broadway", KEN CINO on Guitar and Vocals, NICK DIMICHINO on Bass from the band Nine Days and SAL DiVITTO on Drums who is the brother of Billy's longtime drummer Liberty DiVitto. Making frequent appearances and by special request, BIG SHOT can also be booked with RICHIE CANNATA or MARK RIVERA both from the Billy Joel Band. When you hear one of those signature Billy Joel saxophone leads, that's Richie Cannata. He performed on Billy's albums Songs In The Attic, 52nd Street, Stranger, Glass Houses, Turnstiles, River Of Dreams and 2000 Years-The Millennium Concert. Cannata was the original saxophonist in Billy Joel's band from 1974 to 1985 and recently toured with Billy again in 2006. He also regularly tours with the Beach Boys.

For Billy Joel fans and music fans, the choice is clear. If you want to hear songs recreated that were written, arranged, and performed by Billy by a smokin' band, or if you just want to see one of the best live rock bands performing today, look no further than BIG SHOT. "It's uncanny." Billy Joel said. New York Times- "It's a homage to me." Mr. Joel said in a telephone conversation from Boston. "Just to think that they can sustain a lot of appearances based on my music is great. "A friend called me and told me to listen to this band that was playing on local TV, and I said 'That's me,' Mr. Joel said "They said 'No, it's this band,' and they had a hard time convincing me it wasn't me. It's uncanny." Since their formation in 1999 BIG SHOT have created a buzz among Billy Joel fans in the New York City, CT, NJ, PA area; packing BB Kings, The Bottom Line, and The China Club with high energy shows; for an audience liberally sprinkled with fellow musicians, celebrities, and fans alike.

Mulchays on Long Island, Penn's Peak and The Caesars Properties in PA, Toad's Place in CT. The last 5 summers they have performed at numerous fairs, festivals, cities, townships and villages in New York, CT, NJ, PA to literally thousands, including an outdoor concert in CT for over 15,000 people. So, for Billy Joel fans (and music fans), the choice is clear: If you want to hear songs recreated that were written, arranged, by Billy, and performed by some of the top musicians from Long Island and NYC; or if you just want to see one of the best live rock bands performing today, look no further than BIG SHOT