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Club 321 enlivens downtown Worcester's contemporary music scene Music series begins fall schedule with crowd-pleasing Will Dailey on Thursday, September 28

September 15, 2023 (Worcester, MA)—Boston-based singer-songwriter <u>Will Dailey</u> will launch this fall's Club 321 on **Thursday, September 28,** with his enticing vintage pop and rock vibe. Known for his crowd-pleasing, infectious melodies and insightful lyrics, Dailey will be accompanied by drummer Dave Brophy. Throughout the evening, patrons can also enjoy a beer tasting by <u>Redemption Rock Brewing</u> and browse an art exhibit sponsored by <u>Juniper Rag</u>, an independent Massachusetts art and lifestyle magazine.

<u>Club 321</u> is located in Washburn Hall on the second level of Mechanics Hall, 321 Main Street, Worcester. Performances begin at 7:00 p.m., with doors opening at 6:15 p.m. Tickets are \$20 purchased in advance; \$25 at the door. Ticket holders must be at least 18 years old. Seating includes cabaret-style tables and some theaterstyle. A cash bar and light refreshments are available. To learn more and purchase tickets, visit <u>mechanicshall.org/club321</u>.

A cross between a jazz club and a coffeehouse, Club 321 is a live music series at Mechanics Hall featuring an eclectic blend of musicians performing Americana, jazz, world music, blues, and more. <u>Mechanics Hall</u> partners with <u>WICN 90.5 FM</u> to present Club 321 on select Thursday evenings throughout the year. Club 321 is sponsored by <u>Reliant Medical Group</u>.

Upcoming Club 321 performers include: **October 12**—violinist <u>Majid Khaliq</u>, with his eclectic blend of styles and influences, from European classical, jazz, and hip-hop; and **November 16**—<u>Organ Fairchild</u>, the hottest new act on the jam band scene and garnering national attention for their music and story.

"Club 321 is starting its second year as a downtown live music experience with a variety of amazing performers, and we're very excited to welcome Will Dailey back for our first event this fall," said Kathleen Gagne, executive director of Mechanics Hall. "The blend of music and the relaxing ambience in Washburn





Hall make for an enjoyable night out for live music lovers."

"Will's performance last April left jaws hanging in Club 321. He's a mesmerizing singer/ songwriter, and we knew immediately that we needed to bring him back for another Club 321 show," said David Ginsbury, general manager for WICN 90.5 FM.

The accessible entrance to Mechanics Hall is located on Waldo Street. Elevators are located in the ground-floor lobby and provide access to the second and third floors. Those who need assistance can contact the Mechanics Hall Ticket Office, Monday through Friday from 9:30am to 4:30pm, by calling 508-752-5608.

About Will Dailey

Singer-songwriter Will Dailey's sound has been described as having a rich vintage vibe with an appreciation of AM rock, pop and big hooks—and lyrics that are introspective and penetrating. Dailey's latest full-length LP, released in 2018, is *Golden Walker;* he released an EP (extended play recording), *Pattern of Destruction*, in 2020. *National Throat*, released in 2014, met with high praise, with over 8 million plays on Spotify and a top 20 ranking on Billboard Heat Seeker chart. *National Throat* won Album of the Year in the Boston Music Awards, New England Music Awards, and Improper Boston Magazine.

Dailey, a three-time winner of the Boston Music Award for Best Singer/Songwriter and two-time winner for Male Vocalist, also won Artist of the Year in 2014. Dailey's music has been featured on over 50 television programs and films, and he has toured around the world, sharing stages with many notable artists including Eddie Vedder, Neil Young, Willie Nelson, Dave Matthews, and John Mellencamp. Learn more about Will Dailey.

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