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BLUES TRAVELER 30th Anniversary Tour

16-Date Run Includes Historic Florida Theatre | February 11 2018
General Public on sale Friday, October 13 at 10am



Jacksonville, Fla- Blues Traveler has announced dates for their 30th Anniversary Tour continuing through winter 2018. The winter leg kicks off January 26 at House of Blues in Boston and will come to the historic Florida Theatre on Sunday, February 11, 2018 at 7pm.

Tickets are on sale for Friends of the Florida Theatre at the Ensemble Level and today. Florida Theatre eclub members can use their code word to purchase tickets on Thursday, October 12 at 9am. Tickets for the general public go on sale Friday, October 13 at 10am.

Tickets are \$25.00 - \$45.00, and can be purchased by calling the Box Office at 904.355.ARTS(2787), at floridatheatre.com or in person at 128 E. Forsyth Street.

Keyboardist Ben Wilson says, "Time to load up the gear and get the BT party bus rolling! We are pumped to be back on the road and rocking out for all the BT fans out there!"

Blues Traveler -- John Popper (lead vocals, harmonica), Chan Kinchla (guitar), Tad Kinchla (bass), Brendan Hill (drums), and Ben Wilson (keyboard) -- have a proven reputation for their improvisational live shows and tireless touring. With a total of 12 studio albums -- four gold, three platinum and one six-times platinum -- they have sold more than 10 million combined units worldwide, and played more than 2,000 live shows in front of more than 30 million people. Their hit "Run-Around" is the longest-charting radio single in Billboard history, and earned them a Grammy® for Best Rock Performance by a Duo or Group with Vocals.

The group's most recent release, *Blow Up The Moon*, was its first collaborative album. Keeping an open-minded perspective on making music, the unique and successful process enlisted a range of artists across the musical spectrum, representing country, pop, reggae and hip-hop.

The Florida Theatre's 2017 season is sponsored by Community First Credit Union. For a complete list of upcoming season events, visit floridatheatre.com.

[Florida Theatre](#) : From ballet and opera to contemporary pop, jazz, rock, country and blues the nonprofit Florida Theatre offers 200 cultural and entertainment events annually for every taste and age. More than just an entertainment center, The Florida Theatre is also home to graduations, awards ceremonies, lectures, business meetings and charity events that support the community's schools, churches, hospitals and civic groups. As an anchor to downtown development along the beautiful St. Johns River, The Florida Theatre draws 250,000 people to Jacksonville's center each year. The magnificently restored Florida Theatre is recognized as one of the finest concert venues in the Southeast. It is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The Florida Theatre holds special memories for four generations. From the Vaudeville acts and silent films of its earliest days to today's blend of performances of all kinds, The Florida Theatre has served as Jacksonville's premier entertainment center since 1927.