

Treefort Music Fest

March 25 - 29, 2020 | Downtown Boise, Idaho

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TREEFORT MUSIC FEST REVEALS COMPLETE 2020 LINEUP

The festival announced an additional 208 artists, bringing the lineup to 500 bands

BOISE, IDAHO —February 6, 2020 — Treefort Music Fest has revealed a flurry of details surrounding the ninth annual festival, happening March 25-29, 2020 in downtown Boise. Most notably is the third and final wave of artists, which brings an additional 208 names to complete the 2020 Treefort Music Fest lineup at 500 artists. The festival also revealed details for Artfort, Dragfort, Filmfort, Foodfort Tastes, as well as open registration for the Treefort Cadets youth volunteer program.

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YOB, YUMI ZOUMA, SNBRN, HAYWYRE, SUMMER CANNIBALS, GEORGIA, C.W. STONEKING, FLEETMAC WOOD, LUZ ELENA MENDOZA & THE CAMAS HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR, LE SHIV, GRUPO ADIKTOS, SHARLESE, TEJANO OUTLAW, STREET FEVER, LED, THE BLACK TONES, CIENEGA DE ZACAPU, THE BLIND SUNS, BRAIDED WAVES, and many more.



"This year is a big one. Not only is it the largest number of bands we've ever had at Treefort, it's also the broadest representation we've had with artists from all over North America, Latin America, and countries around the world — plus the widest age range amongst artists," said Eric Gilbert, Treefort festival director. "It shows that Treefort is on the radar of artists all over the globe and we're excited to welcome them to Boise and to the pop-up community and creative hub that Treefort has grown into."

Discover the third and final wave of artists at treefortmusicfest.com/2020-wave3. Dive into the full Treefort 2020 lineup at treefortmusicfest.com/lineup or on the Treefort Music Fest app. Tickets for the upcoming festival are on sale now at treefortmusicfest.com/tickets. Treefort is for everyone!

2020 FORT NEWS

ARTFORT revealed nearly 40 artists bringing live performances, mixed media installations, showcases and more to Treefort Music Fest. Performance Art at Treefort 2020 includes an immersive dance theatre tour on a party bike turned sad bar with Los Angeles-based dance duo **WHYTEBERG**, collaborative movement experiences with Brooklyn choreographer **Brendan Duggan**, and local performing arts troupe **LED** performing multiple times in unexpected places throughout the fest where audience members will find themselves in the middle of it all. All pop-up experiences will feature dancers from **Ballet Idaho**.

Throughout the festival and downtown Boise, mixed media installations will pop up from local artists **Tony Caprai**, **Ashley Dreyfus**, and **Sector Seventeen**, as well as regional artists like **Wokeface**, **Pono**, **Deity** and more. Treefort Gallery will return with new pieces from **Bleeding Torch Fellowship**, **Jeffrey Pish**, **Jess Mudgett**, **Brigette Nelson**, **Heather Tomlinson**, **Animoscillator**, and **Create X Ruin**.

Artfort will also feature two local art showcases: **Interfaith Sanctuary Showcase**, which will feature works from ten local artists from Interfaith Sanctuary, and **Trópico 208 Showcase**, which will feature works from six local Latino artists paired with live shows from bands hailing from Brazil, Netherlands, Bahamas, and Mexico.

Artfort will take place March 25-29, 2020 at various locations throughout Treefort Music Fest. For more information on artists, locations, and events visit treefortmusicfest.com/artfort-2020.

DRAGFORT made its debut in 2019 as "The Fort of Drag" and will return in 2020 with five days of Queens, Kings, panels, workshops, ballroom performances and more. Dragfort will welcome headliner **AJA**, rapper and genderqueer artist, to perform at the **Dragfort Extravaganza**, and headliners **Brandon Harrison**, founder and father of the Kiki House of Flora in Portland, OR, and **Daniel Girón**, father of the Kiki House of Ada in Portland, OR, to host the **Dragfort Kiki Ball** and lead workshops and talks on ballroom culture and fundamentals.

Dragfort will feature performances by dozens of Queens from Boise, as well as several all-ages events including **Drag Queen Story Time**, **Drag Brunch**, an evening of **all-ages drag performances**, and an **all-ages pop up ball with Corevette Collective**.

Dragfort will take place March 25-29, 2020 and is open to anyone with a Treefort wristband. All events at The Balcony are 21+. To see the full lineup, events, and learn more about Dragfort, visit treefortmusicfest.com/dragfort-2020.

FILMFORT announced two additional headlining feature films and a handful of short films to complete its 2020 lineup. Headlining feature films include **Danny Madden's Beast Beast**, an unsettling exploration of adolescence, performance, and identity, and **Redoubt**, an epicly esoteric art house film that was filmed in the Sawtooth Mountains by Boise native **Matthew Barney**.

Filmfort also released a final wave of short films, which includes **A.B.O.V.E** by local filmmaker **Zach Voss**, **Gorilla**, a short film by locals **Kyle Morck** and **LED** and more.

Filmfort will take place March 26-28, 2020 and is open to anyone with a Treefort wristband or Filmfort badge. To learn more about Filmfort 2020 films and events, visit treefortmusicfest.com/filmfort-2020.

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FOODFORT revealed two tasting events in addition to its featured dinner, **An Evening with Fat Rice**. Foodfort will bring together prominent local chef **Sarah Kelly of Petite 4** and celebrity chef **Hugh Acheson** to create a five-course collaboration dinner. The intimate dinner will be held at Petite 4 on Saturday, March 28 from 5-8pm and is open to anyone aged 21+, with or without a festival wristband. Tickets are \$175 and include optional wine pairing. Only 46 seats available.

Street Eats, a tasting event inspired by night markets around the world, will return to Foodfort on Thursday, March 26 from 5-8pm in Alefort. Chefs from local eateries will create small plates for Street Eats, including **Madre, Petite 4, Hyde House, Adelfa's Comida Cubana, Mai Thai** and more, with dessert provided by **Figgy Bakes** and **the STIL**. Gluten free and vegan options will be available. Beer and wine will be available for purchase. Tickets are \$35 and are open to all-ages with or without a festival wristband.

Learn more about Foodfort Tastes chefs, events and buy tickets at treefortmusicfest.com/foodfort-2020.

KIDFORT announced open registration for the **Treefort Cadets**, a youth volunteer program that gives kids a chance to help out behind the scenes of Treefort. The Treefort Cadets program is \$40 and includes a five-day U21 pass, a Treefort Cadets shirt, mentorship from Treefort staff and access to Treefort Music Fest events. Registration opens Thursday February 6 and is open to anyone in grade 7-9. Limited spots available. Must be available March 20-29, 2020.

More information and registration at treefortmusicfest.com/kidfort.

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About Treefort Music Fest

Conceived as an extension of the current momentum in the Boise music scene and art scene at large, our vision is that Treefort will provide the opportunity for Boise to play host to the national and regional music scenes while showcasing the local up-and-coming talent. Treefort Music Fest was proudly recognized as the Cultural Ambassador for the City of Boise 2015-2017.

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