

# DAN GABEL AND BANDS SCHEDULE MARCH TO AUGUST 2026

Events listed in **BOLD** are highlighted shows  
*Events listed in Italics* are private or limited public availability  
 Revised March 15, 2026 Information subject to change. Please consult local listings.

Date	Time	Event/Band	Address
<b>3/12 to 3/15</b>		<b>Songbook Studio retreat</b>	<b>Kerhonksen, NY</b>
3/15	5:00pm	100th Anniversary: Robert Goddard	Ecotarium, Worcester, MA
3/16	6:00pm	<i>PRIVATE</i>	<i>Worcester, MA</i>
3/18	7:00pm	<i>PRIVATE</i>	<i>Schenectady, NY</i>
<b>3/20</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Swingin' Fridays with Dan Gabel</b> <b>New venue. Comp parking at 40 Pleasant St. (attached garage). No cover/no minimum.</b>	<b>VUE, 446 Main St., Worcester MA</b>
3/21	7:00pm	Swing into Spring Dan Gabel, lead trombone, with the New Hampshire Jazz Orchestra and Vintage Vocal Quartet	St. Anselm College, Manchester, NH
3/26-3/27	-	<i>PRIVATE</i>	<i>Canton, OH</i>
3/28	6:30pm	<i>PRIVATE</i>	<i>New Paltz, NY</i>
<b>3/30</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Jazz Night</b> <b>Dan Gabel, featured guest artist, with the Worcester Youth Big Band. FREE.</b>	<b>Grafton Auditorium, 22 Providence Rd., Grafton MA</b>
<b>4/3</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Swingin' Fridays with Dan Gabel</b> <b>New venue. Comp parking at 40 Pleasant St. (attached garage). No cover/no minimum.</b>	<b>VUE, 446 Main St., Worcester MA</b>
<b>4/4</b>	<b>6:00pm</b>	<b>The Music of Mancini</b> <b>Dan Gabel, trombone soloist with Jukebox Saturday Night (Big Band)</b>	<b>Firehouse Center, 1 Market Sq, Newburyport, MA</b>

## NY, PA, NJ TOUR

4/9	2:00pm	<i>PRIVATE</i>	<i>New York, NY</i>
<b>4/10</b>	<b>7:00pm</b> <i>Tix: \$20</i>	<b>New Orleans Jazz</b> <a href="https://deerheadinn.com/">https://deerheadinn.com/</a>	<b>Deer Head Inn, 5 Main St, Delaware Water Gap, PA</b>
4/11	2:30pm	<i>PRIVATE</i>	<i>Staten Island, NY</i>
<b>4/11</b>	<b>10:00pm</b>	<b>Orleans Kids</b> <i>Reservations: <a href="https://www.stmazie.com/events/jazz-with-the-orleans-kids/">https://www.stmazie.com/events/jazz-with-the-orleans-kids/</a></i>	<b>St. Mazie, 345 Grand St, Brooklyn, NY</b>

4/12 2:00pm Orleans Kids Tri-State Jazz Society, 29 Warwick Road, Haddonfield, NJ  
Tickets: \$20 <https://www.tristatejazz.org/>

4/13 9:00pm Swing Dance 102 Norfolk St, New York, NY  
*No cover* <https://www.backroomnyc.com/>

## FLORIDA TOUR

4/14 7:00pm PRIVATE - Big Band/Swing Night Palm Beach, FL

4/16 7:00pm PRIVATE Stuart, FL

4/18 5:00pm Liberty Plaza Music Series 2200 Liberty Ave, Miami Beach, FL  
Free admission. <https://globalartsproject.org/> Allyson Briggs and Dan Gabel Quartet

4/20 3:00pm PRIVATE

## NEW ENGLAND

4/21 7:00pm Jazz Night Dever Stage, Western Ave, Westfield, MA  
Westfield State Big Band, Prof. Dan Gabel, conductor

4/26 12:00pm Hot Jazz Brunch Lou's, 13 Brattle St., Cambridge MA

4/28 6:00pm PRIVATE Pleasant Valley, Sutton, MA

4/28 to 5/1 CAPE COD JAZZ FESTIVAL  
*featuring students from Cape and the Islands. All-Star Big Band conducted by: Dan Gabel*

4/30 7:00pm All Cape and Islands Jazz Festival Concert. 100 Cable Rd, Eastham, MA

5/2 4-7pm Kentucky Derby Party Limani Seaport, 100 Northern Ave Boston, MA

5/3 2:30pm American Revolution 250 Baptist Church, 1213 Putnam Pike, Chepachet, RI  
*FREE* Dan Gabel and his Orchestra (6-piece)

5/4 7:00pm Swing into Spring St. Johns, 378 Main St. Shrewsbury, MA  
Worcester Youth Big Band, Dan Gabel, director.

5/16 9:00am Commencement - Amity St. Brass Quintet St. Anselm College, Manchester NH

5/17 4:00pm Spring Gala Mechanics Hall, Main St., Worcester MA  
*Adv. tix* Worcester Youth Orchestra, [www.worcesteryouthorchestras.org/](http://www.worcesteryouthorchestras.org/)

5/25 10:00am PRIVATE Southborough, MA

5/28 7:30pm Swing Dance - PRIVATE Concord, MA

<b>5/31</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Big Band Reunion</b> Worcester Youth Big Band and Alumni, Dan Gabel, director.	<b>St. Johns, 378 Main St. Shrewsbury, MA</b>
6/3	7:00pm	Wolverine Jazz Band	Riverwoods, 12 Riverwoods Dr, Exeter, NH
6/5	5:00pm	Commencement - Amity St. Brass Quintet	MA School of Law
6/7	4:00pm	<i>PRIVATE</i>	<i>Wayland, MA</i>
6/11	5:00pm	St. Francis/Trinity Health Fundraiser	West Hartford, CT
<b>6/12</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Glenn Miller Festival</b> Info: <a href="https://www.glennmiller.org/2026-festival">https://www.glennmiller.org/2026-festival</a> <b>Tommy Dorsey Orchestra</b>	<b>Clarinda, Iowa</b>
6/18	5:30pm	<i>PRIVATE (Berry Festival)</i>	<i>Worcester, MA</i>
6/23	7:00pm	<i>PRIVATE</i>	<i>New York, NY</i>
6/24	6:00pm	America 250th Big Band show	Union Club, NY, NY
6/27	1:00pm	<i>PRIVATE (wedding)</i>	<i>Clinton, MA</i>
<b>7/1</b>	<b>6:30pm</b>	<b>Big Band on the Bandstand</b> <i>FREE/open to the public</i> <b>The Abletones Big Band with Craig Robbins</b>	<b>1 Washburn Sq., Leicester MA</b>
<b>7/1</b>	<b>7:30pm</b>	<b>America 250th Big Band Show</b> Tix: \$35/60 Allyson Briggs, Dan Gabel and Orchestra	<b>Palladium Theatre, St. Petersburg, FL</b> <a href="https://tinyurl.com/yfnkxvff">https://tinyurl.com/yfnkxvff</a>
<b>7/3</b>	<b>7:45pm</b>	<b>Concert and Fireworks</b> <i>FREE</i> Dan Gabel with the Massachusetts Symphony Orchestra	<b>Institute Park, Worcester, MA</b>
7/4	TBA	TBA - Independence Day - Big Band Concert	
7/9	7:00pm	<i>PRIVATE</i>	<i>Thompson, CT</i>
7/22	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Big Band on the Bandstand</b> <i>FREE</i> <b>Dan Gabel and his Orchestra</b>	<b>Bandstand, West Brookfield, MA</b>
7/25	7:00pm	A Swingin' Affair (big band)	Hingham, MA
<b>7/29</b>	<b>7:00pm</b>	<b>Summer Concert</b> <i>FREE</i> <b>Dan Gabel and his Orchestra</b>	<b>1 Lyman St., Westboro MA</b>
<b>7/30</b>	<b>6:00pm</b>	<b>Big Band on the Bandstand</b> <i>FREE</i> <b>Dan Gabel and his Orchestra</b>	<b>Bandstand, Main St., Sturbridge, MA</b>

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| 8/2  | <b>3:00pm</b>                | <b>America 250th Big Band Show</b><br>Allyson Briggs, Dan Gabel and Orchestra<br>Tix: \$37/47 <a href="https://bluebamboocenterfortheartsinc.ticketspice.com/america-together-in-harmony">https://bluebamboocenterfortheartsinc.ticketspice.com/america-together-in-harmony</a> | <b>Blue Bamboo Center for the Arts</b><br>460 E New England Ave, Winter Park, FL |
| 8/11 | <b>7:00pm</b>                | <b>Big Band on the Bandstand</b><br><i>FREE/open to the public (if rain, moves indoors for residents)</i>   | Southgate, 30 Julio Dr. Shrewsbury MA<br><b>Dan Gabel and his Orchestra</b>      |
| 8/12 | 7:00pm                       | A Swingin' Affair (big band)  | Plymouth, MA   |
| 8/23 | <b>6:30pm</b><br><i>FREE</i> | <b>Big Band on the Bandstand</b><br><b>Dan Gabel and his Orchestra</b>  | <b>Bandstand, Washington St., Norwood MA</b>                                     |

## SAVE THE DATE:

*September 18 and 19: Big Band Weekend returns to the Framingham History Center  
Framingham, MA*

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**October 14 - 18: Upstate NY/Catskills/Walton NY Tour**