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Fiddlers ReStrung, Waterbound Summer Tour of the Great Lakes presented by Mason County District Library, Ludington Area Arts Council, and Hart Area Public Library

LUDINGTON—Fiddlers ReStrung, a 15-piece string ensemble made up of students from Saline (MI) High School, will bring their unique blend of American Bluegrass, Celtic fiddle, popular folk, Appalachian Step-dancing and Progressive Acoustic music to free performances on July 7 in Ludington and Hart.

The local stops are part of Fiddlers ReStrung's annual summer tour. This year's tour is called, Waterbound, honoring not only a song on their upcoming CD, but also acknowledging their visit to each of the Great Lakes. From Sunday June 27th through Friday July 9th, ReStrung will perform at 10 venues in Ontario, Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Michigan.

The group will perform on Wednesday, July 7 at 1 p.m. at the Ludington Area Center for the Arts and at 7 p.m. the Hart Area Public Library. The concert in Hart is on the lawn next to the Hart Area Public Library, so be sure to bring lawn chairs and blankets.

Restrung's concert in Ludington is co-sponsored by the Mason County District Library and the Ludington Area Center for the Arts. The performance is free and all ages are welcome, but donations are always welcome. No tickets are needed – just show up for the fun!

ReStrung consists of students at Saline High School, all of whom share in producing a unique ensemble truly their own. Working alongside leadership, students craft their own arrangements and help make organizational decisions. This collaborative ownership grants ReStrung an authentic creative edge that is clearly visible from the striking energy they portray on stage. Students are chosen based not only on musical talent, but personal maturity as well. They balance a demanding performance schedule while maintaining high standards in other school activities, sports, and academics.

For more information about the Ludington performance, contact the Ludington Area Center for the Arts at 231-845-2787 or the Mason County District Library at 231-843-8465. The Center is located at 107 S. Harrison in downtown Ludington. Parking for Center events is available in the public lot south of the Center at the corner of Harrison and Loomis Streets.

The Hart Area Public Library is located at 415 State Street in downtown Hart. For more information, call the library at 231-873-4476 or go to their website: www.hart.lib.mi.us/.

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