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LEWIS BLACK ANNOUNCES JOKE'S ON US FALL 2018 TOUR DATES



**BARBARA B. MANN PERFORMING ARTS HALL AT FSW
OCTOBER 19**

TICKETS ON SALE FRIDAY, APRIL 20 AT 10AM

LOS ANGELES (April 17, 2018) – Following the highly successful Spring 2018 leg of his *THE JOKE'S ON US TOUR*, Lewis Black has added Fall 2018 dates to his *THE JOKE'S ON US TOUR*.

Dates to include Barbara B. Mann Performing Arts Hall at FSW Friday, October 19 at 8PM. Tickets go on sale Friday, April 20 at 10AM at the Box Office, online at www.bbmannpah.com or call 239-481-4849.

The Fort Myers date is presented by LiveNation and PFM.

LEWIS BLACK, GRAMMY Award-winning, stand-up comedian, is one of the most prolific and popular performers working today. He executes a brilliant trifecta as a stand-up comedian, actor and author. Receiving critical acclaim, he performs more than 200 nights annually, to sold-out audiences throughout Europe, New Zealand, Canada and the United States. He is one of a few performers to sell out multiple renowned theaters, including Carnegie Hall, Lincoln Center, Brooks Atkinson Theatre, New York City Center, the Main Stage at the Mirage in Las Vegas and most recently, a sold-out Broadway run at the Richard Rodgers Theatre in New York City.

His live performances provide a cathartic release of anger and disillusionment for his audience. He is a passionate performer who is a more pissed-off optimist than a mean-spirited curmudgeon. Lewis is the rare comic who can cause an audience to laugh themselves into incontinence while making compelling points about the absurdity of our world.

LEWIS BLACK came into national prominence with his appearances on *THE DAILY SHOW* in 1996. Those appearances on *THE DAILY SHOW* led to comedy specials on HBO, Comedy Central, Showtime and Epix. In 2001, he won Best Male Stand-Up at the American Comedy Awards. He has released eight comedy albums, including the 2007 GRAMMY Award-winning *The Carnegie Hall Performance*. He won his second GRAMMY Award for his album *Stark Raving Black* and has published three bestselling books: *Nothing's Sacred* (Simon & Schuster, 2005), *Me of Little Faith* (Riverhead Books, 2008) and *I'm Dreaming of a Black Christmas* (Riverhead Books, 2010). In 2012, he performed eight sell-out shows at Richard Rodgers Theatre on Broadway as well as did one of his two HBO Specials BLACK ON BROADWAY. In 2015, Black notably voiced the character "Anger" in the Academy Award winning film from Pixar, "Inside Out."

Additionally, Lewis Black does a live streaming show on Audible called THE RANT IS DUE. There is behind-the-scenes moments from the Lewis Black tour bus, as well as occasional phone calls to the people behind the rants. From hate for pickles to disdain for online dating, this show channels the rage of 300 million neighbors and truly has something for everybody. More show info can be found [here](#).

Fall 2018 Spring routing can be found below.

FALL 2018 LEWIS BLACK – THE JOKE'S ON US TOUR

<u>Show Date</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>Venue</u>
Thursday, October 04, 2018	Akron, OH	Akron Civic Theatre
Friday, October 05, 2018**	Indianapolis, IN	Murat Theatre @ Old National Centre
Saturday, October 06, 2018	Chicago, IL	Chicago Theatre
Friday, October 12, 2018	Atlantic City, NJ	Music Box @ The Borgota Casino
Friday, October 19, 2018	Fort Myers, FL	Barbara B. Mann Performing Arts Hall-FSW
Saturday, October 20, 2018	Orlando, FL	Dr. Phillips Center for the Performing Arts
Sunday, October 21, 2018	Coral Springs, FL	City Arts Centre
Friday, November 02, 2018	Atlanta, GA	Cobb Energy Performing Arts Centre
Saturday, November 03, 2018	Greensboro, NC	Cone Denim Theatre
Thursday, November 08, 2018	Providence, RI	Providence Performing Arts Center
Friday, November 09, 2018	Boston, MA	Boch Center Shubert Theatre
Sunday, November 11, 2018	New Haven, CT	Shubert Theatre
Friday, November 16, 2018	Westbury, NY	Westbury Theatre

Thursday, November 29, 2018	Madison, WI	Orpheum Theatre
Friday, November 30, 2018	Minneapolis, MN	Pantages Theatre
Thursday, December 06, 2018	Oklahoma City, OK	Hudiburg Chevrolet Center
Friday, December 07, 2018	Wichita, KS	Orpheum Theatre

**Denotes show went on sale on 4/13/18

For more information visit: lewisblack.com, facebook.com/lewis-black or tweet @TheLewisBlack

Performance Date & Time: Friday, October 19 – 8PM*
Ticket Prices: \$66* \$46* \$36* \$25*

*All shows, dates, times and ticket prices are subject to change.

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