

ELTON

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McANINCH ARTS CENTER

Oct 3, 2026

Welcome to the McAninch Arts Center!



Dear Friends,

It is always a joy to welcome you to the McAninch Arts Center. Each season, our stage becomes a home for extraordinary artistry from around the world, and we are thrilled to share these experiences with you. From unforgettable music and breathtaking dance to thought-provoking theatre and laugh-out-loud comedy, our touring performances bring the very best of the arts right here to DuPage County.

Your presence here is more than just attending a show—it is a celebration of the arts and a vital part of keeping them alive in our community. Every ticket purchased, every standing ovation, and every shared moment in this theater helps us fulfill our mission to make the arts accessible, engaging, and transformative.

As you enjoy today's performance, I encourage you to explore everything the MAC has to offer—from our gallery exhibitions and educational programs to our local and international collaborations. Whether this is your first visit or your fiftieth, we are honored to share this experience with you and look forward to making you feel right at home.

If you enjoy coming to the MAC, the greatest help you can offer us is to share your experiences with friends and neighbors. Word-of-mouth is one of the most powerful ways to keep the arts thriving in our community. If there is anything we can do to make your experience more enjoyable, please do not hesitate to let us know.

We look forward to entertaining you this evening, and we thank you sincerely for your support of the MAC.

With warm regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Diana'.

Diana Martinez

Associate Vice President, Cultural Arts & Community Affairs
Executive Director, McAninch Arts Center

McAninch Arts Center
at College of DuPage
presents

Elton Rohn

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the Illinois Arts Council Agency.



Sat, Oct 3, 2026, 7:30p
Belushi Performance Hall

ABOUT THE SHOW

Combining the look, the feel, and the sound of a real Elton John show, the show features full harmonies and all musicians playing and singing 100% live (no backing tracks). This world-class show has headlined over 400 events across the United States, Canada, and Barbados. The energy is high, the music is familiar and the audience is engaged. Elton John has the widest possible demographic, and the band has played to tens of thousands of Elton John fans, many who sing along to the fabulous catalogue of music. Enjoy!

PROFILES



Ron Camilleri's (Elton Rohn) musical background includes working as a record company executive with WEA and CBS/Sony during the 1980s and '90s. A multi-instrumentalist and songwriter, Camilleri has also written original music for television and documentaries. A longtime Elton John fan, he now heads up Elton Rohn, bringing together his years in the music industry with his passion for Elton John's music.



Sammy B is a seasoned versatile guitarist/vocalist and multi-instrumentalist who has played alongside many Canadian artists both on recordings and live including Terry Watkinson (formerly with Max Webster) and Ronnie Hawkins. He has also been active in various musical projects including his own band Antlers, jazz combo Mo Vista and guilty pleasure hits band WKTELL Orchestra. Sam has always been a great admirer of the amazing guitar parts and tones of Elton's long-time guitarist Davey Johnstone.



John Ingles (Lawrie) is a multi-instrumentalist/vocalist/songwriter. On any night in Toronto, you will likely find Lawrie playing piano or bass or guitar and singing with The Soul Maître D's, William K-TELL Orchestra and many other bands. Lawrie also keeps the band laughing with his penchant for lightning fast puns. He and his keyboards are an essential part of making every Elton Rohn live show sound like an original Elton recording. Lawrie is also credited with giving Ron Camilleri the nickname "Elton Rohn."

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Matthew Marren is a multi-instrumentalist and singer/songwriter who has performed with Elton Rohn for 13 years. He has written, performed and recorded six albums of original material. Marren has performed with several Toronto-based bands since 1982, including William K-Tell Orchestra alongside fellow Elton Rohn bandmates Lawrie and Sam.



Lester McLean is a Toronto-based vocalist, songwriter and versatile multi-instrumentalist who plays saxophone, guitar, bass and percussion. He has released four albums of original music and was a founding member of the funk-fusion band Colour of Soul. He is also a long-time member of Toronto band Grooveyard. Over the years, McLean has performed with artists including Colin James, Ron Sexsmith, Dan Hill, and Jim Cuddy.

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Your Gift to the MAC

- Brings nationally and internationally renowned artists to our community
- Supports our SchoolStage program that annually offers affordable arts experiences to thousands of schoolchildren
- Provides students and community members the opportunity to interact with artists
- Enhances quality of life in our community

Without the generous support of the Friends of the MAC, we would not be the beacon for the arts in DuPage County. We gratefully thank our friends, and we invite others to join them.

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Donor may choose to direct gifts to the Arts Center Endowment or the MAC-tastic Treat Seats – Tickets for Kids & Families Endowment. Donations made to these MAC Endowments, our “savings accounts,” go into principal secured, invested accounts that will provide ongoing support for arts programs and arts accessibility for years to come.

The McAninch Arts Center and the College of DuPage Foundation can also provide you with information on planned giving options, gifts of stock, IRA Charitable Rollovers and other giving opportunities.

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- Smoking is not permitted in the theater or on campus.
- For your comfort and security, all backpacks and large bags must be checked.
- Please turn off all cell phones and any other alarms while in the theater.
- Emergency phone number at COD Police Department for after-hour calls is (630) 942-2000.
- Latecomers seated at discretion of the House Manager.
- Groups of 10 or more may contact (630) 942-3026 or grouptix@cod.edu to arrange for group discounts.
- If you notice a spill in the theater, please notify an usher.
- McAninch Arts Center volunteers are people who assist the house staff in areas of ticket taking, ushering and general management during performances. To get involved, call (630) 942-3705.
- **For Americans With Disabilities Act** accommodations, call (630) 942-2141 (voice) or (630) 858-9692 (TDD).
- **Infrared Assistive Listening Devices:** For audience members who desire audio amplification of performances, headsets with individual volume controls are now available. You may check out the headsets at the Box Office with a driver's license. *Underwritten by a generous gift from The Knowles Foundation.*

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