



Boyz II Men Headline Budweiser Superfest at MGM Grand Garden

LAS VEGAS — Pop/R&B superstars Boyz II Men will headline Budweiser Superfest at the MGM Grand Garden, Friday, August 4. The Pop/R&B festival will also feature new sensations TLC, Mary J. Blige and Montell Jordan.

Tickets priced at \$50 and \$35 are on sale now through all Ticketmaster outlets or at the MGM Grand Garden box office. To charge by phone call Ticketmaster at 702-474-4000.

Boyz II Men, a Philadelphia based band who burst onto the scene nearly three years ago with their hit album *Cooley High Harmony*, will feature

their current hit album *II* on the tour.

They made history with the song "End of the Road," which was written by Babyface and held the No. 1 position on the popular music charts for 13 weeks, eclipsing Elvis Presley's most successful chart performance "Jailhouse Rock." Their first single off the "II" album, "I'll Make Love To You," surpassed "End of the Road" and tied Whitney Houston's remake of "I'll Always Love You" when it remained No. 1 on the pop music charts 14 weeks.

Show time for the concert is 8:00 p.m.

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For three years, the band has performed at several Strip and off-Strip properties including the MGM, Boulder Station,

Luxor, and Aladdin. Each booking has been warmly received by a loyal local following. The band has traveled extensively throughout the

United States with stays in Milwaukee, Los Angeles, Indianapolis, and Detroit.

Their cascade blend of music (See Next Movement, Pg 21)



Some members of Next Movement grew up together in Chicago, Ill. which explains their uncanny ability to react musically to each others cues. Photo By Savoy/LVS-Voice

Taking A Ride On Eddie Murphy's "Metro"

HOLLYWOOD - Emmy Award-winning director Thomas Carter has signed on to helm the buddy action-comedy "Metro" starring Eddie Murphy, sources said Thursday.

Murphy plays a wisecracking cop/hostage negotiator. His rookie partner has yet to be cast. The project is slated to go before the cameras in March.

Murphy currently is shooting "The Nutty Professor."

Thomas, who most recently wrapped "Divas," a two-hour musical drama movie for Fox TV, also helmed Hollywood Pictures' 1993 release "Swing Kids." He won an Emmy for directing ABC's "Equal Justice," which he created.

His TV directorial credits also include "A Year in the Life," for

which he won an Emmy in 1987 for best miniseries, and "Hill Street Blues," which earned him a Directors Guild of America award in 1985.

"Metro," a spec script written by Randy Feldman ("Tango and Cash"), was purchased by Caravan in a preemptive bid for \$1 million in February.

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