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The Isley Brothers to Complete the 2025 Live at the Garden Season Lineup on September 19

Memphis, TN, August 1, 2025 —The Memphis Botanic Garden is thrilled to announce that The Isley Brothers will officially complete the Live at the Garden 2025 lineup, following the unfortunate cancellation of the Steve Miller Band's tour, which impacted 31 performances nationwide, including the September 19 date at Radians Amphitheater.

The Isley Brothers will take the stage at Radians Amphitheater on September 19, rounding out a season that has already seen electric performances from Third Eye Blind (June 21) and Parker McCollum (July 18), with Darius Rucker (August 23) and ZZ Top (September 6) still to come. Now celebrating its 25th anniversary season, Live at the Garden continues to deliver world-class entertainment in Memphis' most iconic outdoor venue.

"We couldn't be more excited to welcome The Isley Brothers to the Live at the Garden stage," said Jamison Totten, Director of Live at the Garden & Radians Amphitheater. "This band is the perfect way to cap off our milestone 25th season with incredible energy and wide appeal. Our team has worked tirelessly to ensure every show this summer has been a top-tier experience for our patrons, and we're confident this final concert will be the grand finale our audience deserves. Thank you to all of our fans for your patience and enthusiasm as we pivoted to deliver an unforgettable season."

The Isley Brothers stand alone in the history of American music as a band with an unparalleled impact on the likes of the Beatles and Ice Cube. With a chart-topping presence spanning eight consecutive decades, from the '50s to the present day, they have etched their place as one of the most influential groups in the history of popular music.

Originating as a teenage gospel quartet in the mid-'50s, formed by the eldest Isley Brothers — O'Kelly, Rudolph, Ronald, and Vernon — their musical journey took a tragic turn when Vernon, aged 13, met an untimely end while riding his bike. Undeterred, the remaining three brothers, spurred by their parents, relocated to New York City in 1957 to embark on a rock 'n' roll career. The inaugural fruit of their collaboration was the iconic "Shout!" — a massive hit with enduring popularity, featured on the Animal House soundtrack and likely playing at events worldwide.

From their debut single and album in 1959, the Isley Brothers continually redefined their music and its genre, dominating the black music charts like no other. With notable figures such as Jimi Hendrix and Elton John joining their ranks as backing musicians, the Isley Brothers crafted a legendary discography. Their journey included early rock 'n' roll success, a stint with Motown Records, and a prolific independent phase with T-Neck Records, reshaping R&B along the way. Their repertoire encompasses diverse works, from the underrated Givin' It Back to soul-funk masterpieces like 3+3 and Go For Your Guns, and even ventures into glitter rock with Brother, Brother, Brother. They embraced disco with Winner Takes All and later produced one of the finest quiet storm albums, Between The Sheets. Transitioning to the '90s with baby-making jams, a triumphant 2001 comeback (Eternal), and the 2006 release Baby Makin' Music, the Isley Brothers prove there's an album for every mood.

Inducted into the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame in 1992 alongside former guitarist Jimi Hendrix, the group achieved Songwriter's Hall of Fame induction in 2022 and received a GRAMMY Lifetime Achievement Award in 2014. Boasting millions of records sold, sixteen Top 40 albums, and sold-out arenas worldwide, their impact is indelible. In 2022, their latest studio album, Make Me Say It Again Girl, garnered critical and commercial success, featuring collaborations with Beyoncé, Earth Wind & Fire, El DeBarge, and Snoop Dogg. Undeniably, the mighty Isley Brothers continue to captivate audiences, proving that more than 60 years after teaching us how to "Shout," they remain eternal living legends in the realm of music.

Concertgoers are encouraged to bring lawn chairs, blankets, and coolers for a relaxed outdoor experience. A wide variety of food trucks and bars will be onsite, along with a convenient pre-order catering option. For added convenience, **free shuttle service** will be provided from Hilton Hotel Corporate Headquarters to the venue from **5 pm to midnight** on each show night.

The concert series is also proudly supported by **Title Sponsor** Regions Bank, **Legacy Sponsor** Duncan Williams Asset Management, alongside **Presenting Sponsors** AutoZone, FedEx, Gossett Motor Cars, The Lilly Company, Mahaffey Event & Tent Rentals, ProShow Systems, and TruGreen.

Ticket Information:

- Table and Season Ticket Holders: No action is needed. Tickets will automatically be updated to reflect the new concert.
- Individual Lawn & Pit Tickets: Starting at \$70 (plus applicable fees)
- Public On Sale Date: Monday, August 4, at 10 am Central Time via Ticketmaster
- Purchase Tickets: https://www.ticketmaster.com/event/1B0062FE97853A02

For more information and full event details, visit liveatthegarden.com or radiansamp.com, or contact the Memphis Botanic Garden Box Office at boxoffice@radiansamp.com or (901) 636-4107.

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