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AudioFeed, an incredible new music festival, is springing up like a stalk of corn on a flat Illinois field. In a day and time where music festivals seem to be dying out, there is one that defies the times and chooses to begin instead of end.

AudioFeed respects the history of music festivals and even credits its inception to another influential festival. The Cornerstone music festival that existed in the same region for nearly 30 years played an important role in AudioFeed's formation.

Many of the artists that played at Cornerstone have signed on to support the new AudioFeed festival. Over 60 bands and artists will play on four separate stages. A couple of talkers are also planned for the event.

AudioFeed will take place July 5-7 at the Champaign County Fairgrounds in Urbana (1302 N. Coler Ave 61801). Music starts at Noon each day and will continue beyond midnight. Campers can arrive on the  $4^{th}$ , otherwise, registration and check-in begins at 10 a.m. on the  $5^{th}$ .

RV spots are available but limited. There should be no shortage of space for those who plan on tent camping. For those needing a room, there are plenty of hotels in the area. More info can be found on the website: <a href="www.audiofeedfestival.com">www.audiofeedfestival.com</a>. There is also a promo available at: <a href="http://youtu.be/LCZY5Gi1Qwg">http://youtu.be/LCZY5Gi1Qwg</a>.

Tickets for the whole festival are on sale now for \$40 and \$50 at the gate. One day passes are \$25.

Notable bands include: The Choir, Listener (New album coming out June 18th), Maylene & The Sons of Disaster, Sean Michel, Glenn Kaiser Band, Ami Moss & The Unfortunate, Cantalouper (albums produced by Dave Bazan of Pedro the Lion, and Kramer of Galaxy 500 ect.), The Soil & The Sun (NPR top 100 bands to see at South by Southwest this year, big deal from Grand Rapids), Robert Deeble (West Coast legend from Seattle), Dead Artist Syndrome (First full band set in over 10 years, very important late 80's early 90's goth band), Bill Mallonee of Vigilantes of Love (named one of the top 100 living song writers by PASTE magazine, has been covered by Rolling Stone and the New York Times), Denison Witmer (Asthmatic Kitty artist, has often toured and performed with Sufjan Stevens and is on his label), Michael Roe of the 77's backed by the Choir, The Skies Revolt, Lauryn Peacock, Spoken Nerd, hushpad, the Burial, 6'10" (acoustic Flatfoot 56), The Scurvies, Brandon Reid, Max Simmons, Hope for the Dying, Grave Robber, Leper, Nathan Stiteler, Jeff Elbel+Ping, Harry Gore, Beards, Lessons, Noah James, Timbre (Harpist, played for Jack White and Tom Jones) and many more on the website.

Shane Pippin – Revivalist from Kentucky, Preston Sprinkle (co wrote Erasing Hell with Francis Chan, professor at Eternity Bible College), and Steve Hindalong (song writing seminar, from the Choir, and Lost Dogs, wrote "God of Wonders" the third day/caedmons call song), and Shaun Hayes (3D Speed Chalk Champion, and motivational speaker) are the main speakers.