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COMEDY FESTIVAL

Hamptons Comedy Festival, through Sunday, August 20. Call 212-396-2015 for locations and times.

Hamptons Comedy Festival

Need a laugh? Check out the "2nd Annual Hamptons Comedy Festival" at Bridges Restaurant and Bar in Bridgehampton on Thursday, Au-

gust 9; Friday, August 10; Saturday, August 11; and Saturday, August 18.

Comic all-stars from HBO, Comedy Central, NBC's "Conan O'Brien" and CBS's "Letterman" shows will appear at a dinner/comedy show at 8 p.m., and a late night show at 10 p.m. Some of this year's expected comics are Eddie Brill, Angela LaGreca, Louis Ramey, Jodie Wasserman, Ellen Loyd and Patrick Borelli.

Tickets for the dinner/comedy show, which includes a three-course dinner, are \$50. Arrive at the restaurant by 6:45 p.m. to be seated. Tickets for the late-night show cost \$20. Proceeds from the festival will be split between the Prostate Cancer Research Fund and the Breast and Ovarian Cancer Research Fund at Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center.

For more information, call (212) 396-2015, or visit the web site, www.hamptonscomedyfestival.com

BRIDGES RESTAURANT

Bridgehampton (537-9105)

Second annual Hamptons Comedy Festival on Thursday, August 9, though Saturday, August 11; **Gospel Brunch with Renee Howard** on Sunday, August 12, at 2 p.m.

Strange Fruit: The Goddess Party, an evening of magic and mystery every Sunday at 8 p.m.

HAMPTONS COMEDY FEST

New York comedians perform at Bridges Restaurant, Sag Harbor Turnpike, Bridgehampton, opening night on Thursday, August 9, at 8 p.m. Show runs through August 18. Call (212) 396-2015. Proceeds will benefit Memorial Sloan Kettering cancer research.