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TOP STORY

Cage the Elephant to perform on WKU's South Lawn

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Fans of Bowling Green-formed rock band Cage the Elephant hoping for a homecoming will get their wish Saturday with a show at Western Kentucky University.

The band will perform at 4:30 p.m. on WKU's South Lawn before the Hilltoppers' first home football game of the season. Fans with game tickets and students with valid student IDs will be admitted into the show for no additional charge.

Tickets for the game, which begins at 6:30 p.m., can be purchased online at WKUTickets.com or by calling the WKU Ticket Office at 270-745-5222.

News of the show broke during a recent Twitter exchange between WKU President Timothy Caboni and the Grammy Award-winning band.

After Caboni tweeted a video of himself cruising around campus listening to the group's hit "Ain't No Rest for the Wicked," he later invited the band to come to a WKU football game and play the song live.

WKU's South Lawn is directly across from Houchens-Smith Stadium. Normal tailgating rules will apply with one exception: tailgating tents will not be allowed on the lawn during the show. Tailgating will be allowed across campus and tailgating opens campuswide at 8 a.m.



Free parking is available at the University Boulevard Lot, Creason Lot and Russellville Road West Lot next to Arby's, according to the university. Additionally, a free trolley service will be available beginning at 4 p.m. from the Stadium Park Plaza parking garage to campus. It will return to the garage immediately after the game.

Hilltopper Athletic Foundation members with reserved parking spaces can still use their spaces, including those in the South Lawn and Avenue of Champions parking lots. However, the university is requesting fans budget extra time and expect delays when visiting campus due to expected increased attendance around the game and performance.

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