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**Rock Legends Moody Blues Kick Off Tour at Cal Poly June 7, 8**

SAN LUIS OBISPO, CALIFORNIA – The Moody Blues are one of the most enduring and beloved rock bands in music history. With a career that spans the late 60's to present and worldwide album sales of nearly 80 million, The Moody Blues have generated a legendary list of hit songs.

With almost four decades' worth of classic rock hits to showcase, The Moody Blues will be embarking on a new 2005 nationwide summer tour, which begins June 7 and June 8 here at the Christopher Cohan Center.

Cal Poly Arts and Otter Productions, Inc. present the new Center Stage musical event; curtain time for both concerts is 8 p.m.

The Moody Blues' music is widely regarded as some of the most ground breaking and innovative of our time and original band members Justin Hayward, John Lodge and Graeme Edge carry on their magical musical legacy to generation after generation, year after year.

Coinciding with the tour, Universal Records has released a new Moody Blues greatest hits package entitled "Gold" -- a double-CD set of original re-mastered recordings, with titles such as "Tuesday Afternoon," "Your Wildest Dreams," "Nights In White Satin," "Ride My See Saw," "Legend Of A Mind," "Voices In The Sky," "Lovely To See You," "The Voice," "Gemini Dream," "Gypsy (Of A Strange And Distant Time)," and many more.

Tickets for the Center Stage performance range from \$50 - \$85 and may be purchased at the Performing Arts Ticket Office, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays. To order by phone, call 805/756-2787; to order by fax: 805/756-6088. Order on-line at [www.pacslo.org](http://www.pacslo.org).

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