

# RUTH ECKERD HALL

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### THE AUSTRALIAN PINK FLOYD SHOW RETURNS TO RUTH ECKERD HALL ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9 AT 8 PM

#### *BIG PINK GREATEST HITS WORLD TOUR 2009*

**Tickets go on sale this Friday, June 26 at noon**

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**June 22, 2009, Clearwater, FL** – The greatest rock music ever written comes to life again as the stunning Australian Pink Floyd Show returns to Ruth Eckerd Hall on Friday, October 9 at 8 pm for the first time since their sold-out performance in October 2008. Tickets go on sale this Friday, June 26 at noon.

*Big Pink Greatest Hits World Tour 2009* promises to be the band's biggest show yet, featuring music from *Wish You Were Here*, *Animals*, *Dark Side of the Moon* and *The Wall*.

The show is a phenomenon. What started out more than ten years ago in Adelaide, Australia, has evolved into a truly magnificent sound and light spectacle performed for hundreds of thousands of people at major venues around the globe.

David Gilmour (Pink Floyd's guitarist) is a fan himself, having witnessed The Australian Pink Floyd Show three times. He joined thousands of Pink Floyd fans in London at the famous Royal Albert Hall for what was described as a show that truly embraced the Floyd legacy.

These Aussie kindred spirits have amassed a dedicated crew of more than twenty like-minded obsessives, all addicted to the gloriously pioneering psychedelia of Gilmour, Waters, Barrett, Wright and Mason.

Floyd fans who haven't yet witnessed the show are seriously missing out. Believe the hype; it's as good as everyone says it is.

This performance will mark the band's fourth appearance at Ruth Eckerd Hall, all of which have sold-out.

Reserved tickets priced at \$68.00 and \$50.50 will be available at the Ruth Eckerd Hall Ticket Office located at 1111 McMullen Booth Road in Clearwater, by calling 727.791.7400 or by logging onto [www.rutherfordhall.com](http://www.rutherfordhall.com). The Ruth Eckerd Hall Ticket Office is open Monday through Saturday, from noon to 6 pm and one hour prior to showtime.

*Designed by the prestigious Frank Lloyd Wright Foundation, Ruth Eckerd Hall is known for its 2,180-seat, acoustically perfect auditorium. Artists from America and around the world, ranging from classical, rock, opera, Broadway, jazz, pop and more are included in the stellar lineup of more than 200 performances a year.*

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