

'Straight Talk' expressed

Celebrating its CD release with a big show tonight is **Electric Laser People**, a band that says on its website, "We play music to make you jump and to make you smile and to make you shake your hands. . . . We don't like labels, but it's safe to say that we're a band." To get more specific, the act makes 1980s-inspired dance rock with a good beat and hooks a crowd can sing to. The new disc is called "Straight Talk on Raising Kids." The key track is "The Makeout Song," a humorous anthem that should appeal to Beastie Boys fans. The show, which also features JoyEngin, the Lavas, and Bad Flirt, starts at 9. Tickets: \$7. *T.T. the Bear's Place, 10 Brookline St., Cambridge, 617-492-2327. ttthebears.com* [Meredith Goldstein]



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DINING

Have your fill of numbers

Some important numbers to know in regard to tonight's **7th Annual Taste of Beacon Hill**: 21, 75, 26, and 9. Twenty-one is for the 21st Amendment, the Beacon Hill spot for burgers, pints, and more. Seventy-five is for 75 Chestnut, a haven off Charles Street for upscale comfort food. Twenty-six is for Bin 26 Enoteca, a neighborhood spot for Italian fare. Nine is for No. 9 Park, the home of plates (right) designed by Boston master chef Barbara Lynch. All of those restaurants and more will bring food to the feast tonight. Some other important numbers to know: it runs from 6:30 to 9:30; tickets are \$65 in advance and \$85 at the door. *Taj Hotel, 15 Arlington St., 617-720-7888. beaconhillonline.com* [M.G.]



THEATER

The magnificent 'Seven'

Evidently, these boys don't know about match.com. In "**Seven Brides for Seven Brothers**," Adam goes to town to get his wife, marries Milly the same day, and brings her home to the log cabin where his six younger brothers also live — it's no wonder that Milly wants them to get married. Adam comes up with the idea to have his siblings kidnap women for wives. Things go wild from there at the **North Shore Music Theatre**. Dancing, singing, and kidnapping continue through June 17; tonight's antics are at 7:30. Tickets: \$35-\$70; 25 percent discount for children; 10 percent discount for seniors. *North Shore Music Theatre, 62 Dunham Road, Beverly, 978-232-7200. nsmt.org* [June Wolff]



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SOUND CHECK

Daddy Yankee moves beyond Reggaeton

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