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**$5 Comedy Garage on 6/21**

**Pittsfield, MA**– Berkshire Theatre Group (BTG) welcomes Jourdain Fisher to the $5 Comedy Garage (located in the Colonial lobby) on Thursday, June 21 at 7:30pm. This event is sponsored by Pittsfield Cooperative Bank.

Jourdain Fisher is a New York based comedian who was born and raised in North Carolina. Jourdain has been a part of various festivals, including The New York Comedy Festival, Laughing Skull Festival and Laugh Your Asheville Off. Jourdain was also a back-to-back winner of The Ultimate Comic Challenge, a finalist in The Carolina’s Funniest Competition and a finalist at this year’s NBC Stand Up Showcase. Jourdain is currently a writer and actor on BET’s sketch comedy show, *50 Central*.

Join us at The Comedy Garage, hosted by Madelyn Gardner, for only $5, The Comedy Garage presents acclaimed comedians from near and far. After the show, head down the street to Methuselah Bar & Lounge and show your Comedy Garage ticket for a $5 beverage.

We suggest early arrival for this event. It is general admission, first come, first served.

Tickets to Jourdain Fisher are $5. Please note, to avoid a $6 order fee, please call the Box Office at 413-997-4444 or purchase your tickets in person at The Colonial, 111 South Street, Pittsfield, MA. Ticket Offices are open Monday-Saturday 10am-5pm, Sunday 10am-2pm or on any performance day from 10am until curtain.

**About Berkshire Theatre Group**

The Colonial Theatre, founded in 1903, and Berkshire Theatre Festival, founded in 1928, are two of the oldest cultural organizations in the Berkshires. In 2010, under the leadership of Artistic Director and CEO Kate Maguire, the two organization merged to form Berkshire Theatre Group (BTG). Berkshire Theatre Group’s mission is to support wide ranging artistic exploration and acclaimed performances in theatre, dance, music and entertainment. Every year, BTG produces and presents performances to over 68,000 attendees and, through our Educational Program, serves over 13,000 Berkshire County schoolchildren annually. BTG’s celebrated stages reflect the history of the American theatre; they represent a priceless cultural resource for the community.