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BOULEVARD CASINO PRESENTS
**KENNY SHIELDS AND
STREETHEART
& HEADPINS**

**LIVE AT THE RED ROBINSON SHOW THEATRE
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31**

Kenny Shields along with former members of his band Witness, Craig Kaleal, Spider Sinneave and Gutheil teamed up with former Great Canadian River Race members Paul Dean (Scrubaloe Caine) and Matt Frenette to create Streetheart in 1976 and were soon signed to Atlantic Records in 1977 by Gary Muth. Their debut, *Meanwhile Back In Paris* sold 100,000 copies. After Dean and Frenette left in 1978 to form Loverboy, John Hannah and Herb Ego joined the group. Two more albums followed before the band switched to Capitol Records. Jeff Neill replaced Hannah on guitar for 1981's *Drugstore Dancer* and 1983's *Dancing with Danger* both of which went platinum in Canada. The band split up in the mid-80's but during their successful career, they accumulated six gold albums ... four of which went on to sell platinum. They then reunited for some festival tours in 1996 with the original line-up at the exact same time as Dean and Frenette were doing double duty with Loverboy. If you haven't seen Kenny Shields and Streetheart lately, you owe it to yourself to see that after three decades and a million records sold, what made the band so special then is still so clearly evident today.

Originally formed by Brian MacLeod and Ab Bryant as a sort of "side project" from Chilliwack, Headpins was rounded out by drummer Bernie Aubin and singer Darby Mills. The band's first album, *Turn It Loud* was released on the independent Solid Gold Records in 1982 and featured "Don't It Make Ya Feel" which turned the FM stations upside down as did the title track backed by "Breakin' Down," "People" and "Winnin'." The album went on to sell over a quarter-million copies in Canada alone and was certified double platinum making it one of the most successful debut albums by a Canadian group ever. The band came back in 1983 with their follow-up, *Line Of Fire* which featured "Feel It (Feel My Body)," "Don't Stand In The Line Of Fire," "Mine All Mine" and "Celebration" helping the album reach platinum status. Their third album *Head Over Hills* was released in 1985 and included such hits as "You're Only Afraid Of The Dark," "Be With You," "Chain Gang" and "The Danger Zone." In 1992, the rock world was saddened when MacLeod lost his bout his cancer. The group got back together a few years later and the result was unanimous ... people still love the magnetism that only Headpins can bring to a party.

**TICKETS ON SALE THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9 @ 10:00 AM
DOORS: 7:00 PM SHOW: 8:00 PM**

Tickets: \$34.50 (+ Service Charge & Facility Fee) – Cabaret Seating
Tickets available at all Ticketmaster Outlets or charge-by-phone (604) 280-4444 or order on-line at www.ticketmaster.ca . Ages 19 years and over

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