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Purdue Student Government announces Grand Alternative concert

WEST LAFAYETTE, Ind. – April 13, 2009 – Augustana and Wale will co-headline the annual Grand Alternative concert to kick off Grand Alternative week on Sunday, April 19 at 5:00 p.m. on Slayter Hill.

Colin Munroe, who is touring with Wale, will open the show.

The concert has traditionally been held the Sunday before Grand Prix and has previously featured acts such as The Roots and Switchfoot.

Augustana, an established American rock band, are best known for their singles, “Boston” and “Sweet and Low”. Their most recent album, *Can’t Love, Can’t Hurt*, was released in April 2008. Wale, a rising hip-hop artist, has created a buzz with the release of his single, “Nike Boots” and has been featured singing with Lady Gaga in “Chillin’”. He plans to release his first album this summer.

In an effort to unite the campus, Purdue Student Government has chosen these two acts to appeal to a wide variety of students.

The concert, rain or shine, is free and open to all Purdue students, faculty and staff.

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