

Walt Whitman

In his timeless and tremendously timely 1860s essay *Democratic Vistas*, found in the Library of America volume *Walt Whitman: Poetry and Prose* (public library), **Walt Whitman** writes:

Music, the combiner, nothing more spiritual, nothing more sensuous, a god, yet completely human, advances, prevails, holds highest place; supplying in certain wants and quarters what nothing else could supply.

I'm reading these for the first time like you... and really enjoying them... hope you are too!

Francis

Always Have Fun!!

For the week of January 20th to January 26th, 2025

AROUND THE RESTAURANTS AND BARS

MONDAY



Adelita Bar & Grill

Ernesto Hernández world class guitar player, rare performance NO cover!!! Monday (tomorrow). 6pm to 8pm. Don't miss it!!

A poster for an "OPEN MIC" event. The text "OPEN MIC" is in large white and yellow letters. Below it, "EVERY MONDAY" is in yellow, and "Let your inner Star out!" is in white. The background shows a band performing on stage. At the bottom, there is a logo for "El Patio" and the address "NIÑOS HEROES 68 CHAPALA JAL. 45900". The time "5:00 PM -7:30 PM" and "RESERVATIONS 376 765 3817" are also listed. The "Donkhatto" logo is in the bottom right corner.

A poster for an event featuring "Inamic Gaona at Mel's Casa Social". The text "EVERY MONDAY 5PM-7PM" is at the top. Below it, "Inamic Gaona at Mel's Casa Social" is written in a cursive font. The phone number "332-823-1507" and address "44 Zaragoza Ajijic" are listed. The bottom left shows two margaritas in glasses with lime wedges. The bottom right features a photo of a man playing guitar and the text "Join us \$35 pesos Margaritas".

Tuesday

COMEDY BENEFIT!

An hour of Comedy & Storytelling with T D Lake
In an enjoyable evening that includes dinner

All this to benefit Centro Educativo Jaltepec
a charity transforming women for life!



Tuesday, January 21, 2025 • Cash bar 6 - 8:30 pm
Entertainment 6:30 - 7:30
Dinner at 7:30 pm

La Bodega de Ajijic Restaurant
16 de Septiembre #124

TICKETS \$500 pesos in advance per person

email: chiemima@gmail.com for Tkts.

“Bluegrass & Beyond” w/ Jeffree White & Jan Reimers



duo w/ guitar, mandolin & vocals

Tuesdays noon-2pm

at the Huerto Cafe: *Hidalgo 212 in Riberas del Pilar*

Expert mandolinist Jan Reimers and multi-instrumentalist Jeffree White share a love of bluegrass, but also much more music than that! They present a variety of instrumental & vocal music, inspired by David Grisman's "Dawg music", vintage swing, fiddle tunes, exotic waltzes, Latin rhythms, some classic rock, and traditional bluegrass with vocal harmonies -- and plenty of lively, hot pickin'!

You can find several videos in a playlist on YouTube (search band name or our names).

WEDNESDAY



OPEN MIC

La Bodega de Ajijic

EVERY WEDNESDAY
5:00 pm to 7:30 pm

All musicians and singers are welcome to have fun and make new musical connections

16 de septiembre
#24 Ajijic Jal.45920

376 766 1002

Minimum spend 100 pesos

Donkhatto

The poster features a vibrant illustration of three musicians: a woman in a white top and orange pants playing a yellow guitar, a man in a blue jacket and orange pants playing a yellow trumpet, and a man in a blue jacket playing a drum set. The background is a dark purple with a spotlight effect on the musicians.



Jonathan Guzman
At La Cima del Copal
At 3:30 'til 6:30 PM



SPEAKEASY
V3. 22-01-25
Luis Shatter

LA COCHERA CULTURAL
7:00 - 10:30 PM
DJ SET
PREVENTA \$150 incluye bebida
DÍA DEL EVENTO \$230

The poster has a black background with large, colorful abstract shapes in shades of pink, teal, and orange. The text is in a bold, white, sans-serif font.

Chatterley's
RESTAURANT & BAR

Juan Castañon
JAZZ GUITAR

Come join us every Wednesday. Enjoy jazz guitar with our atmosphere and great food.

From 5:30 to 7:30pm

Enjoy our specials with live music

Smoky Sunset **A Taste of Peru** **Passion Cake**

reservations appreciated

come join us! ☎ 33 32 28 46 56

📍 Zaragoza #307b, Chapala, Centro

Camaleón Bar

TOK'DOS

miércoles
9pm
no cover

constitucion 29 Ajijic

Thursday



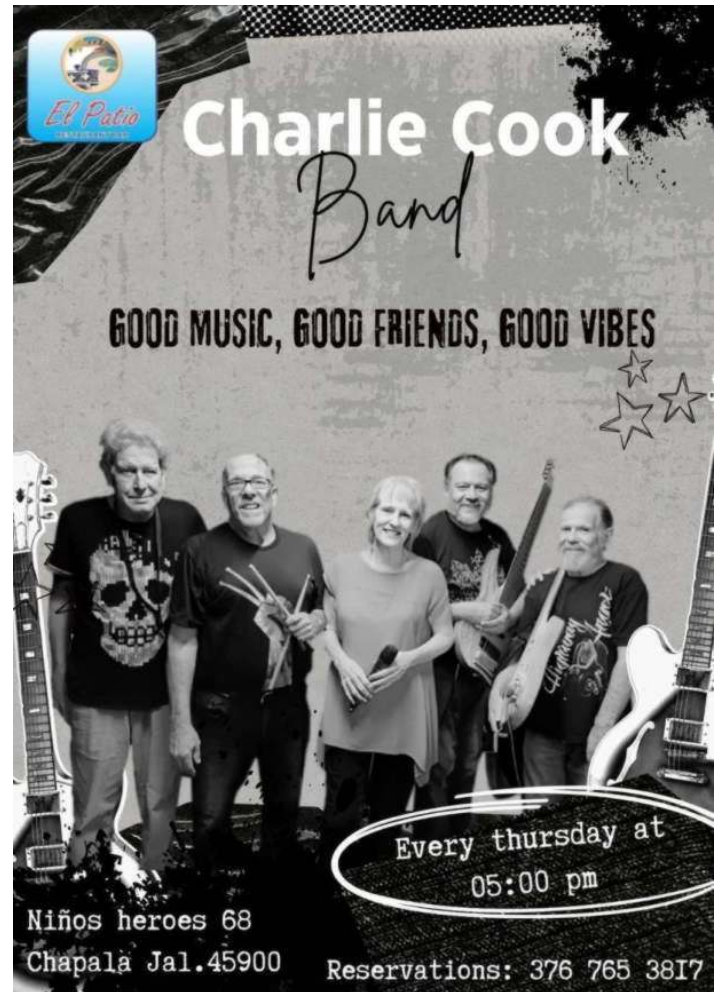
The Street Dogs
Sentido
RESTAURANT

Art Lajambe
Chelo Gonzalez
Sergio Casas

January 23, 2025
5:00 - 7:00pm

4to Sentido Restaurante
Chulavista 89, San Antonio Tlayacapan

CLASSIC ROCK, COUNTRY & 50's/60's



Charlie Cook
Band

GOOD MUSIC, GOOD FRIENDS, GOOD VIBES

Every thursday at
05:00 pm

Niños heroes 68
Chapala Jal.45900

Reservations: 376 765 3817



KRISTINA TREJO
PIANO EN AJIJIC

Pasta Trenta Viernes 8:30pm
Sol y Luna Domingo 10 a.m.



BRUND'S PRESENTS

BLACK STRING
SERENADES & STEAKS

EVERY THURSDAY | FROM 6 TO 7:30 PM

BRUCE



JUEVES 23 DE ENERO

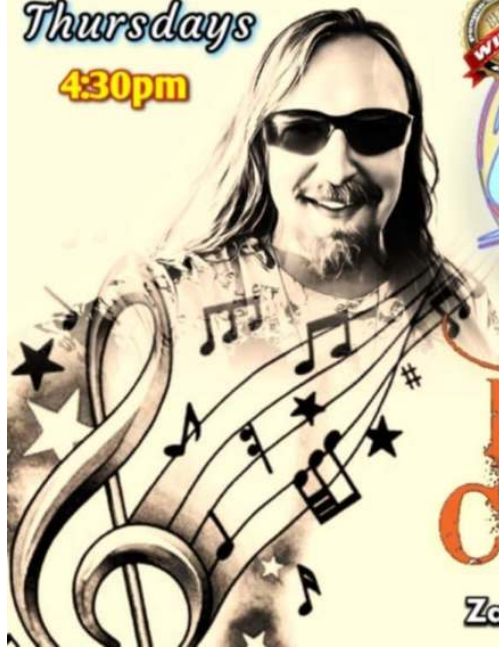
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LA CASA DE ROMERO Y JULIETA

Thursdays

4:30pm



Daniel Cordero

Zaragoza #44, Ajjic

La Cima del Copal

Jueves Héctor Uribe
3:30 pm



Thursday

6 PM

Reservations: +52 376 766 1002 100P

16 de septiembre 124, Ajjic 45920

I WISH I COULD SEE //
DESEARÍA PODER VER A

BLACK HOLE SUNSHINE

ALTERNATIVE AND MODERN ROCK
COVERS FROM THE 90S AND BEYOND
// VERSIONES DE ROCK ALTERNATIVO Y
MODERNO DE LOS 90 EN ADELANTE

JAN 23 | 7 PM



**\$100
COVER**

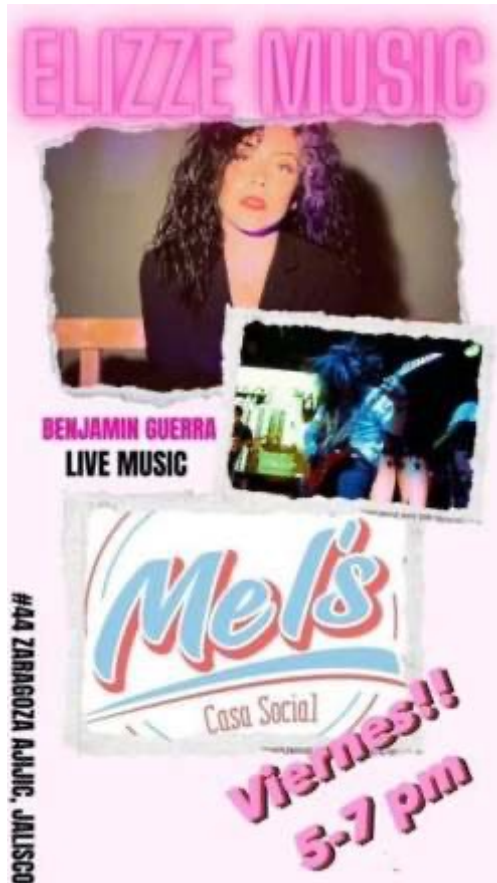
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PEMEX | RESERV. 3767660452

**DRINK SPECIALS
// PROMOCIONES
EN BEBIDAS !!**

- ▼ CARRIE'S DOUBLE
COSMO / \$75
- THE DUDE'S WHITE
RUSSIAN / \$60
- CUBA LIBRE / \$60



Friday



Come to the ultra beautiful [La Cima del Copal](#) up on the cliff on the mountainside of restaurant row just before San Juan Cosala... This is [Soul Train](#) and they'll be entertaining you between 3:30 and 6:30 PM... you won't want to miss them!

Piano Friday Lunches @ the Huerto Cafe



with Jeffrey White

Multi-instrumentalist Jeffrey White (Bluegrass & Beyond, Black Sapphire, Old Souls, Cosmic Marbles) performs an eclectic presentation on piano in his unique whimsical fashion for your listening pleasure. You might hear early jazz songs, pleasant & fun takes on 20th century popular music, some exotic gems from around the world, and even film soundtrack numbers!

Jeffrey may or may not sing, depending on the vibe of the scene.

Huerto Cafe is a lovely outdoor cafe with excellent food & drinks and friendly service, amidst gardens, cats, and artwork. *It's in Ribera on the carretera next to "It's Kinda Bazar"*.

11:30am-1:30pm

Visit www.jeffreewhite.com, "Jeffrey White's Music Page" on Facebook, & playlist "Jeffrey playing piano" on YouTube.

Saturday

Elmo & Sergio's
Birthday Bash & Jam!!
 Scallion's reopening!
 Jammers welcome!!!
Sat. Jan. 25th 7pm
at Scallion's!
 Blvd. Jin XI, 117. Ajijic
 +52 376 766 2301

Scallion
Ajijic Bistro

Romeo y Julieta
 MÚSICA EN VIVO
 ROMEO Y JULIETA
 RESTAURANT
 VÍCTOR DANIER VALDÉS
 TODOS LOS SABADOS
 De 6:00 A 8:00
 Dirección: Paseo Ramón Corona 12 A. Chapala, Jalisco.
 Teléfono : 33 1255 3226

MUSICA EN VIVO
Renee Mixic
 Interpretando
 rocks, en inglés y español
SABADO
9 a 11
OPEN MIC
Pibe's gallery
 HIDALGO 96, PUERTAS DEL PUERTO, 45906 SAN ANTONIO TLAYACAPAN, JAL.

Lake Chapala Orchestra
 Presents:
The Great Romantics
 Guest Soloist:
 Angélica Olivo (Violin)
 PROGRAM
 Tchaikovsky: Violin Concerto
 Sibelius: Symphony No. 5
One Concert Only
Saturday, January 25
 at 2:00 pm
 All tickets for Friday, January 24 will be honored at the concert on January 25
 The Lake Chapala Orchestra
 Conducted by Michael Reason
 Tickets: \$400
 Reservations:
 LCCOtickets@gmail.com
 lakechapalaorch.com
 Poster Design by Tracey Adams Email: carousellcc@icloud.com

NOTE!!!... Different Venue!!!

Jazz
Lakeside
Series

SPECIAL CONCERT

JAN 25TH. 2PM

SANTIAGO VON

Saxophonist (CDMX)
Cannonball Adderley tribute

With

Marc Fabbriatore

Piano

Juan Castañón

Guitar

Freddy Adrián

Bass

Armando Curiel

Drums

TICKETS \$250

RESERVATIONS

WATSAPP | 3331301303

INDEPENDENCIA 37A AJIJIC CENTRO

House
concerts



Inamic Gaona at El Charro

Colón 16, Centro
Ajijic

Every
Saturday
10AM-12PM



JANUARY 25TH

FRAD

**ELECTRIC SHOW
AT
LABODEGA**



AJJIC
MUSIC
SESSIONS

PRESENTS:

1 Year Anniversary Concert

JAZZ QUARTET EVENING

Trumpet - Arne Wernink
Double bass - Freddy Adrián
Drums - Miguel Soto
Piano and voice - Sofía Ramírez

JAN. 25

6:00pm

QUINTA LOS CABALLOS
Camino Real #53,
La Floresta.

TICKETS \$300.00

RESERVATIONS:
33-3495-5279
33-1190-8896



@ajjicmusicsessions

@quinta_loscaballos

MESÓN
DON
QUIJOTE Presents;

Wesley Fields

SATURDAY
25th
6 PM



Zaragoza 29 -Ajjic Centro - 33 1451 4156

Sunday

SUNDAYS 6:30



No cover charge

Reservations: +52 376 766 2301

Next to El Torito in Bugambilias, Ajijic



LA BODEGAS de AJIJIC
Sunday January 26th 5:00 pm
16 de Septiembre # 124
Centro Ajijic

reservations recommended!

 33 1443 2143

NO COVER

\$100 peso
minimum



CARRERA CHAPALA-JOCOTEPEC #30 AJIJIC

LIVE MUSIC



BENJAMIN GUERRA



ISRAEL ANGULO

DOMINGOS
3 A 5 PM



KEVIN REAL



**REGGAE
ROCK
CUMBIA**

LOS NIÑOS DE SANTA MARÍA SANTA

Miguel Zúñiga Bar 503

TODOS LOS DOMINGOS	NO COVER 08:00 PM
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INDEPENDENCIA 131A, SAN ANTONIO T.

Sunday 3-6pm

Iron Horse
Bar & Grill

Daniel Cordero **All Day!**

NFL

NO COVER

Juan Castañón / solo guitar

PASTA TRENTA

Sundays 5pm

Be entertained by the exquisite music of Father and Son, Chuny and JuanPi Medeles, While enjoying

Sunday

Brunch!

AT CASA DEL SOL

FROM 9.30AM UNTIL 2.00PM \$350 PIP

Casa del Sol Inn

Please reserve early:
mariana@casadelsolinn.com

Javier Mina #7 Ajijic, México 376-766-0050

Upcoming Events



**REVISIT THE BEATLES
"GET BACK" CONCERT
WITH THE "ROOFTOP" ROMEOS**

 **Monday, Jan. 27**

Doors open at 2 p.m.
Concert begins at 3 p.m.
At El Bar Co.

**\$500 pesos
per person**

Tickets available at
www.programaninos.com

*Raffle for original
Cavern Club t-shirts*
FULL BAR, LIMITED MENU AVAILABLE

Concert proceeds benefit
Niños Incapacitados



Steve Ballmer presents
Concerts in the Park

PURA VIDA!




MARIACHI CONCERT

**GRUPO BELLA
ESCUELA DE MARIACHI
AJIJIC**

Benefit for Escuela de Mariachi Pedro Rey of Ajijic

MARIACHI
"Pura Vida"

**JANUARY 28
4:30 PM**

Tuesday, January 28
Concert starts 4:30 pm
VIP \$500
General \$350
Show at Lake Chapala Society

Tickets available at:
the Lake Chapala Society
Office 10:00 am - 2 pm
Monday through Saturday,
or at LakeChapalaSociety.com




WENDY LAURIER SINGS THE HITS OF CAROLE KING AND KAREN CARPENTER

TUES. FEB 4 AT LCS -- CONCERT AT 5 P.M.,
DOORS OPEN AT 4

VIP tickets \$600 MXN; General \$400 MXN

**Purchase tickets at
www.programaninos.com**




TRIBUTE TO

ABBA

THURSDAY FEB 6 AT 5:30 PM

PRODUCED BY
DANIEL CELIS

STARRING
GINA IBARRA & ALE MATUS

Steve Ballmer presents
Concerts in the Park

**AFTER THE SHOW, THE PARTY CONTINUES!
DANCE TO THE RHYTHM ALL NIGHT LONG!**




Tickets available at the Lake Chapala Society
Office 10am - 2pm,
Monday through Saturday
or at LakeChapalaSociety.com

TABLAO FLAMENCO

Internacional



ÁGUEDA SAAVEDRA
PAULINA RUÍZ
SOLEÁ GOLLÁS
EMILIA GÁLVEZ
FERNANDO MARTÍNEZ

9 de Febrero
18:00 HRS

La Cochera Cultural
Javier Mina #49, Ajijic



EVENTO CON CAUSA A BENEFICIO DEL
MAESTRO *Pedro Rey*




MARIACHI
Los Galleros
de Danny Rey

Invitados Especiales:
MARIACHI CORONA, MARIACHI MÉXICO SON,
MARIACHI NUEVO CHAPALA,
Mariachi Infantil de la Escuela Pedro Rey
Fernando López Hernández

JUEVES 13 DE FEBRERO DEL 2025 / 8:00 PM / BOLETO: \$500

El FARO
EVENTOS
Libramiento Chapala-Ajijic 45900



Fri. Feb. 14th, 7pm

Valentine's Day
Fundraiser for
Mama Cleo's Boy's
Home




The Romeos
Lake Chapala's Superband

**ALL WE NEED
IS I. ❤️ VE!**

**\$600 admission
Dinner included**

Reservation Required
+52 376 7662301,
+53 33 25986705



SAVE THE DATE

HAPPY
Valentine's Day

WITH
Old Souls Band

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 14 4PM - 7PM

CHAPALA MEXICO AMERICAN LEGION POST 7
MORELOS 114, CHAPALA



SPECIAL DINNER & LIVE MUSIC
TICKETS AVAILABLE SOON

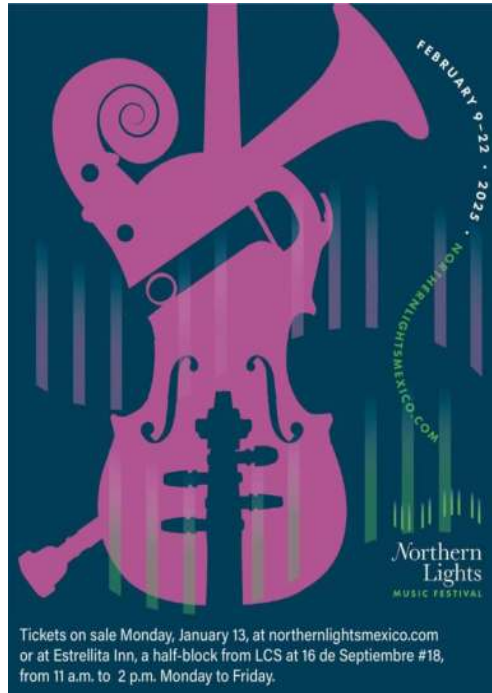
Encuentro Internacional de Jazz Ajijic



*Sebastián Domínguez
Lucas Martínez
Pablo Loaiza
Gil Ríos
Eleazar Soto*

16 de Febrero / 18:00 HRS
La Cochera Cultural Javier Mina #49, Ajijic.

Special Events



FEBRUARY 9-22 · 2025 ·
NORTHERN LIGHTS MEXICO
NORTHERNLIGHTSMEXICO.COM

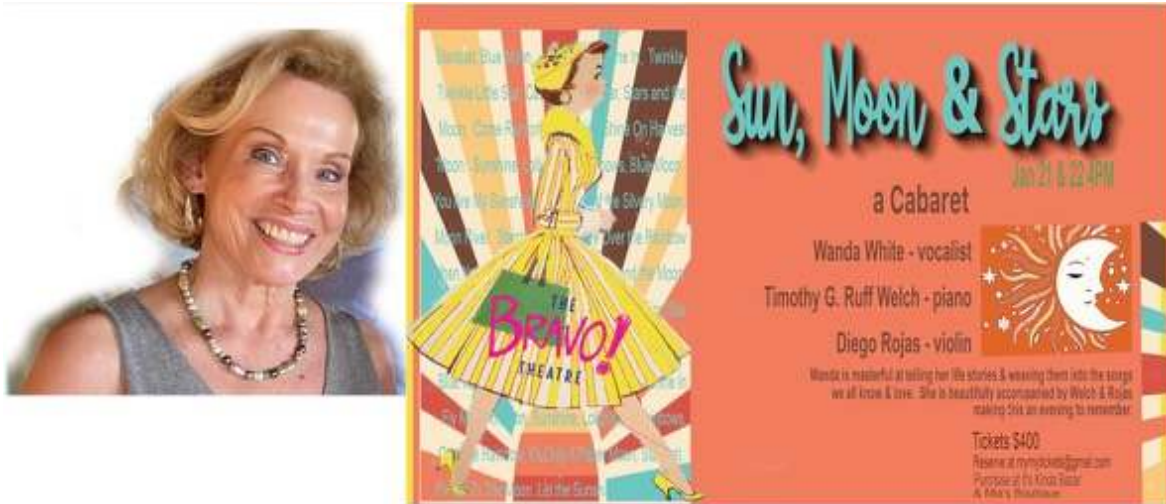
Northern
Lights
MUSIC FESTIVAL

Tickets on sale Monday, January 13, at northernlightsmexico.com
or at Estrellita Inn, a half-block from LCS at 16 de Septiembre #18,
from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday to Friday.



Some of the musicians performing.
Tickets for Festival Series events at the Auditorio must be purchased through their authorized ticket vendor, Boletia (14% service charge on each event). Boletia does not provide the ability to purchase tickets for multiple events in the same transaction.
You may purchase tickets for all other events with CASH from our box office at Estrellita B&B, Septiembre 18, next door to the Lake Chapala Society. (Monday through Friday 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.). No service fee will be charged.

Live Theatre



WANDA WHITE'S ANNUAL CABARET

with Tim Welch at the Piano and Diego Rojas on the Violin

One audience member called Wanda White "the quintessential girl singer." Another says, "Audiences are charmed by her sparkling personality and seduced by her singing."

What sets Wanda's shows apart from the crowd are her song choices, rich, nostalgic, and fun standards, and her personal stories. With a touch of her disarmingly authentic southern drawl, she makes the songs tell the stories of her life, magically transposing her stories and well-known songs into something personal for us. Her easy charm and the musical talents of Timothy G. Ruff Welch (Piano) and Diego Rojas (Violin) make for a lovely, relaxing evening with nostalgia and humor.

Tickets are 400 pesos

Show Dates:

Tuesday, January 21 at 4:00 pm

Wednesday, January 22 at 4:00 pm

Tickets are also available at It's Kinda Bazar...And Kinda Not.

and

Mia's Boutique

COME OUT AND AUDITION FOR THIS
TERRIFIC COMEDY!



LAKE SIDE
LITTLE THEATRE

2024
2025

MAIN STAGE

AUDITIONS
Thursday, January 23, 2025*
Auditions 10 am - 1 pm
Callbacks: January 24

SEASON
60

Grand
HORIZONS
BY BETH WOHL
DIRECTED BY
SUKI O'BRIEN

GRAND HORIZONS, A TONY-NOMINATED COMEDY, IS A HILARIOUS, HEARTBREAKING COMMENTARY ON MARRIAGE, FAMILY, AND THE WISDOM THAT COMES WITH AGE - OR NOT.

MAY 2-11, 2025

Looking for: 3 women & 4 men

For scripts, sides and other audition information, email
grandhorizonsauditions@lakesidelittletheatre.com

GRAND HORIZONS is presented by special arrangement with Broadway Licensing, LLC, servicing the Dramatists Play Service collection. (www.dramatists.com)

Allen W. Lloyd Drive, San Antonio Tlayacapan 376 766 0954 www.lakesidelittletheatre.com

Lakeside Little Theatre welcomes and encourages everyone interested in acting, new or experienced, to attend auditions for any of this season's plays

Grand Horizons, a Tony-nominated comedy, is a hilarious, heartbreaking commentary on marriage, family and the wisdom that comes with age -- or not.

Auditions:

Thursday

January 23, 2025

Callbacks: January 24.

Contact email below if you have a schedule conflict

Registration at 10:00 am

Auditions at the theatre

Starting at 10:30 am

Looking for:

3 women and 4 men

For scripts, sides and other audition information



KEEP ON LAUGHING

By: Paul Elliott

Fri. Jan. 24th

Sat. Jan. 25th

Sun. Jan. 26th

BARE STAGE THEATRE

“A master class in comedic storytelling”

Directed by: Roxanne Rosenblatt



Photo Credit: Jack Voller

L-R: Sally Jo Bartlett, Mark Donaldson, Linda Freeman, Rob Ferron, Pamela Johnson and Kathleen Pharis

Tickets \$200 pesos Fri. \$300 pesos Sat. & Sun.

Showtime 4:00 pm

Reservations:

barestagetheatre2018@gmail.com

#19 San Lucas, Riberas del Pilar

<https://www.facebook.com/barestagetheatre2018>

Door & bar opens 3:00 pm. seats held until 3:50 pm.
HCAP parking is in front & parking lot across the street.



LAKESIDE LITTLE THEATRE

2024 2025

National
Theatre
Live

FLEABAG

WRITTEN AND PERFORMED BY
PHOEBE WALLER-BRIDGE
DIRECTED BY
VICKY JONES

A rip-roaring look at some sort of woman living her sort of life. The hilarious, award-winning play that inspired the BBC's hit TV series Fleabag, was captured live on stage from London's West End.



SAT SUN
JAN JAN
25 26
4 PM



Auditorio Nacional

BY EXPERIENCE

AVIVA



Allen W. Lloyd Drive
San Antonio Tlayacapan
(376) 766 0954
lakesidelittletheatre.com

Tickets online
lakesidelittletheatre.com
350 pesos
(Cuota de Recuperación)

Box Office: 1 hour before every show, PLUS 10:00 to Noon, Wednesday & Thursday during opening week and the week of the run of each MainStage Show
Email: tickets@lakesidelittletheatre.com



On stage February 21- March 4, 2025, the Tony Award winning musical - humorous, heartbreaking and inspirational - based on Cervantes' Don Quixote, about one man's refusal to give up his impossible dream.

LAKE/SIDE
LITTLE THEATRE

2024
2025

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MAINSTAGE

Man of La Mancha

Written by Dale Wasserman

Music by Mitch Leigh Lyrics by Joe Darion

The heartbreaking and inspirational Tony Award winning musical, based on Cervantes' Don Quixote, about one man's refusal to give up his impossible dream.

Directed by
Dave McIntosh & Ann Swiston

Music Director: Cindy Youell

Original production directed by Albert Marre

feb 21 - Mar 4, 2025

500 pesos
Coata de recuperación

Evenings 7:30 pm - Matinees 4:00 pm
Saturday, Sunday, Monday & Tuesday shows are matinees

Set in the context of the Spanish Inquisition, *Man of La Mancha* is presented as a play-within-a-play. We encounter historical author Miguel de Cervantes in prison, awaiting trial by the Inquisition. When his fellow prisoners try to take Cervantes' belongings from him, including his manuscript, Cervantes proposes a trial in which he proves the merit of the manuscript through a reenactment, enlisting his fellow prisoners as characters in his play. Together, they tell the story of the aged Alonso Quijana who believes himself to be a knight errant, names himself Don Quixote, and pursues an obsessive quest to attain an impossible dream. Against all odds, Quixote and his trusty squire Sancho Panza take to the road in a quest to chivalry, and seek out the good and innocent in a world filled with darkness and despair. Through the story, all the prisoners – at least for a moment – are transformed.

Man of La Mancha features such stirring songs as "I, Don Quixote", "Dulcinea" and the now-famous standard, "Quest" – more famously known as "The Impossible Dream."

The original 1965 Broadway production ran for 2,328 performances and won five Tony Awards, including Best Musical. The musical has been revived four times on Broadway, becoming one of the most enduring works of musical theatre

Calling all fun-lovers!... get your great entertainment right here at Lakeside!

Take care and have a great week!

See you somewhere... SOON!

Francis Dryden

PS – If you run onto any events I've missed or know of some thing coming up that has **LIVE ENTERTAINMENT**, please have someone from the group or the venue send me a message. Thanks for subscribing and if you want to unsubscribe my e-mail address is: **francis.dryden@gmail.com**.

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