



2014/15
SEASON

FIREHOUSE

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The Firehouse Arts Center is dedicated to inspiring passion through the arts. With world-class performing and visual arts, exciting interactive programs for all ages, and a state-of-the-art venue, we combine the sophistication of the culturally rich Bay Area arts landscape with the hospitality and intimacy of our own home town.



FIREHOUSE ARTS CENTER BOX OFFICE

Tickets may be purchased for events scheduled at both the Firehouse Arts Center and the Amador Theater at the Firehouse Box Office. Group discounts of 15% are offered for most purchases of ten or more tickets made at the same time for the same event. Gift certificates are available online, by phone or at the Box Office.

TICKETS ONLINE:
www.firehousearts.org

TICKETS at the BOX OFFICE:
 4444 Railroad Avenue, Pleasanton

TICKETS BY PHONE:
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BOX OFFICE HOURS:
 Wed - Fri 12-6 PM • Sat 10 AM - 4 PM

HARRINGTON GALLERY HOURS
 Wed - Fri 12-5 PM • Sat 11 AM - 3 PM & 1 hour prior to performances



Become a member of the Firehouse Arts Center

The Firehouse Arts Center is more than just your intimate hometown theater, it is your local connection to the world of literary, visual and performing arts. As a member, you will enjoy a variety of exclusive member benefits while experiencing all that the Firehouse Arts Center has to offer. Choose a membership package that is right for you!



Price: \$50

- 15% Discount at select downtown merchants
- 4 - Free Drink Vouchers good at any show
- Firehouse Sticker
- Subscription to bi-monthly Firehouse Newsletter
- Recognition in Program for Annual Recognition Dinner
- 2 for 1 Promotional emails for day-of-show tickets (certain shows apply)



Price: \$125

All of the benefits of the Cast Members Level PLUS:

- 10% Discount on most ticket purchases
- Firehouse Tote Bag
- 2 - Additional Drink Tickets (6 total)
- Invitation to Wine & Cheese Reception prior to start of season - Saturday, September 6



Price: \$200

All of the benefits of the Cast Member and Director Level PLUS:

- Firehouse Acrylic Tumbler
- 2 - Additional Drink Tickets (8 total)
- Invitation for 2 for the Annual Recognition Dinner (Dinner served in Cabaret style in the theater)
- Meet and Greet with select artists

(Membership is good for one year from date of purchase)

For more information or to purchase a Firehouse Arts Center Membership visit www.firehousearts.org/memberships



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PACIFIC COAST REPERTORY THEATRE

Pacific Coast Repertory Theatre (PCRT) is proud to present the 2014-2015 Season of Musicals. Subscription packages are now available for this exciting upcoming musical series. Purchase the same number of tickets for each of the three shows in the 2014 - 2015 season and receive a 15% subscriber discount. You will also enjoy reduced processing fees, have preferential seating to shows, share in Friends of Subscribers, and have exchange privileges for subscribers only.

With Friends of Subscribers, you can purchase additional tickets to any of the PCRT Season of Musicals performances at a discount of \$3 off per ticket for family and friends by calling or visiting the box office.

SINGIN' IN THE RAIN

November 7 - 23, 2014 *See page 12*

1920's Hollywood is the setting for this zany, light-hearted romantic comedy about the early days of sound film, when many a movie studio found itself scrambling to salvage the career of its chipmunk-voiced silent picture star.



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FOREVER PLAID & THE TAFFETAS

January 30 - February 15, 2015

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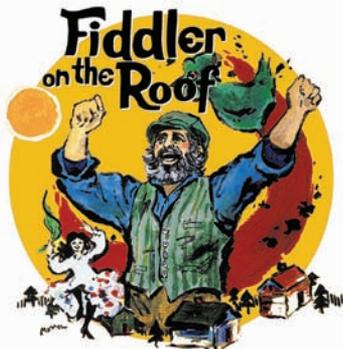
The Taffetas pays tribute to the Girl Groups of the 50s, as four young women prepare for their own opening night concert.

FIDDLER ON THE ROOF

April 17 - May 3, 2015 *See page 20*

A musical theater tradition and winner of 10 Tony Awards when it debuted in 1965. This show never fails to touch audiences worldwide with its humor, warmth and honesty.

Subscription packages are available by phone, at the box office during box office hours or online by selecting "Subscriptions".



CIVIC ARTS STAGE COMPANY

FAMILY THEATER PERFORMED BY LOCAL YOUTH



Disney's
MY SON PINOCCHIO JR.
at the Amador Theater
December 12 - 21, 2014

This new musical, which retells the familiar Disney story from Geppetto's perspective, features the beloved classic songs "When You Wish Upon a Star" and "I've Got No Strings," alongside a host of new songs by Stephen Schwartz, tackling timely issues about what it means to be "the perfect child." *See page 13*

DR. DOLITTLE JR.
September 26 - October 5, 2014

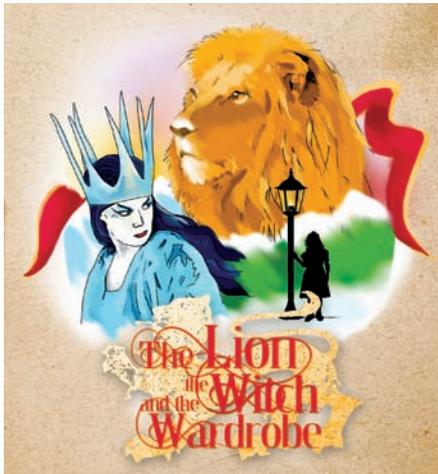
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At the **AMADOR THEATER**



**THE LION, THE WITCH
AND THE WARDROBE**
March 6 - March 15, 2015

This new dramatization of the C.S. Lewis classic, set in the land of Narnia, faithfully recreates the magic and mystery of Aslan, the great lion, his struggle with the White Witch, and the adventures of four children who inadvertently wander from an old wardrobe into the exciting, never-to-be-forgotten Narnia. *See page 18*



2014 - 2015 SEASON

POP/ROCK: LISA LOEB

Singer/Songwriter/Actress/Author

Saturday, September 6 • 8 PM

\$25 - \$35

Grammy-nominated, platinum-selling, No.1 hit artist (for *Stay, I Missed You*) kicks off Firehouse Season Five with a bang! With a dynamic career including music, film, TV, and award-winning literature, Loeb hits the Firehouse stage with her glorious pop/punk rock sound. Her latest album release, produced by friend and colleague Chad Gilbert of New Found Glory, is "a raucous, upbeat album with fresh perspective and a cool arsenal of strong new material." Come party!



Pleasanton Town Hall

LECTURE: AN EVENING WITH ARCHITECT CHARLES HUFF, AIA **Museum on Main Ed Kinney Lecture Series**

Tuesday, September 9 • 7 PM **General \$10**
Members \$5 **Students & Teachers with ID \$3**

Join Pleasanton Architect Charles Huff in a presentation on the architecture of Historic Downtown Pleasanton. Huff will discuss the architecture, renovation, and restoration projects of key Pleasanton structures over the years.

Tickets may be purchased at the Museum on Main or by calling (925) 462-2766.

ROCK: PABLO CRUISE

Climb Aboard the Good Ship Pablo Cruise!

Friday, September 12 • 8 PM

\$40 - \$50

Performing their mega hits *Whatcha Gonna Do When She Says Goodbye*, *Love Will Find A Way*, and many more. To hear the band on records is one thing, but to experience them live is an exhilarating event! Original members Dave Jenkins, Cory Lerios, and Steve Price, with Larry Antonio on bass perform the honest, real, down-to-earth vocals that IS Pablo Cruise!





TRIBUTE: TOP SHELF

Motown...and more!

Sunday, September 14 • 3 PM

\$15 - \$25

A hit-filled musical journey through the sounds of Motown and beyond, featuring songs from Stevie Wonder, The Temptations, The Four Tops, Smokey Robinson... and many more!

This group has become a Bay Area musical and entertainment tradition, known for their high-energy performances, engaging personalities, soul-stirring vocals, and audience participation, making every show a memorable experience.

FAMILY THEATER:

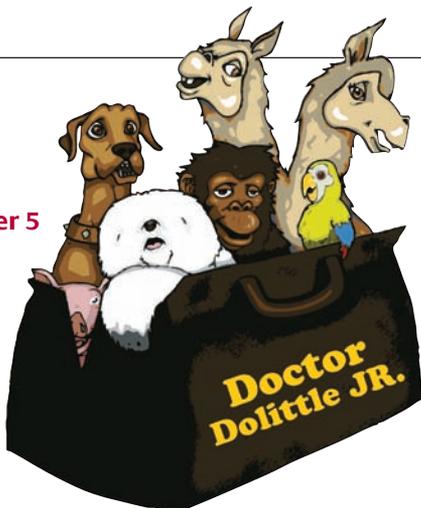
Civic Arts Stage Company presents
DR. DOLITTLE JR.

Friday, September 26 - Sunday, October 5

Friday • 7:30 PM Saturday • 2 & 7:30 PM

Sunday • 2 PM \$6 - \$18

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GALLERY:

**PLEASANTON ART LEAGUE
MEMBERS' EXHIBITION**

Saturday, September 27 -

Saturday, October 25

Reception:

Monday, September 29 • 7 - 9 PM

PAL members will be back again at the Harrington for the group's fifth annual exhibit at the Firehouse Arts Center. This popular show will feature a large variety of new artwork by Tri-Valley fine artists.



WORLD-FUSION: QUATTRO
Latin + Pop + Jazz + Classical
Saturday, October 11 • 8 PM
\$18 - \$28

Latin Grammy-Nominated for Best New Artist, Quattro is composed of four highly-respected solo performers from diverse musical genres, melded into the dynamic group that everyone is talking about. Paying homage to the well-loved classics, plus fresh new compositions. "Beautiful harmonies and lyrics with incredible rhythms." Experience the passion and energy live on stage at the Firehouse!



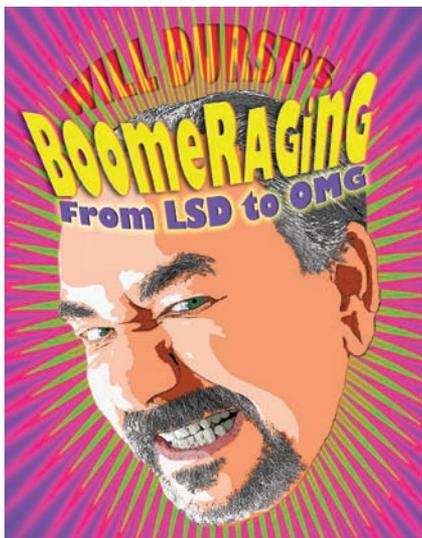
CABARET: THE WORLD OF WEBBER
Tribute to the Songs of Andrew Lloyd Webber
Friday, October 10 • 8 PM
Sunday, October 12 • 2 PM \$15 - \$25

The Hit Musical Revue returns to The Firehouse, celebrating the songs and musicals of Broadway composer Sir Andrew Lloyd Webber. Performed in intimate Cabaret style, the show includes classics like "Music of the Night" (*The Phantom of the Opera*), "Memory" (*Cats*), "Don't Cry for Me Argentina" (*Evita*), as well as selections from many of his other shows including *Jesus Christ Superstar*, *Sunset Boulevard*, and *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*. The stellar cast features Musical Theatre veterans Tielle Baker, Kelly Brandeburg, and Kyle Martin, with Evan Alparone at the piano.

JAZZ: HALIE LOREN
...the Next "Big Thing"
in Jazz Vocalists
Thursday, October 16 • 8 PM
\$15 - \$25

Known for her amazing interpretation of radiantly re-imagined classics, as well as her sparkling, genre-defying original compositions, Loren just keeps finding herself at the top of the Billboard, iTunes, Amazon, and all the jazz charts! Coming to the Firehouse with her long-time band mates Matt Treder (piano), Mark Schneider (bass), and Brian West (drums).





COMEDY:

WILL DURST IN BOOMERAGING

From LSD to OMG

Friday & Saturday, October 17 & 18 • 8 PM

\$20 - \$30

The latest from Durst. A rollicking celebration of the maturation of the "Boomer Nation". Ably assisted by his genial wit and trusty overhead projector, Durst presents his first one-man show since the acclaimed "Elect to Laugh," which ran for 41 weeks in San Francisco in 2012. He's written 3 books, appeared on TV 800+ times, released 5 CDs, told jokes in 14 countries. Oh, and as an added special treat: "The Meaning of Life". Sure to sell-out.

CONCERT BAND:

PLEASANTON COMMUNITY

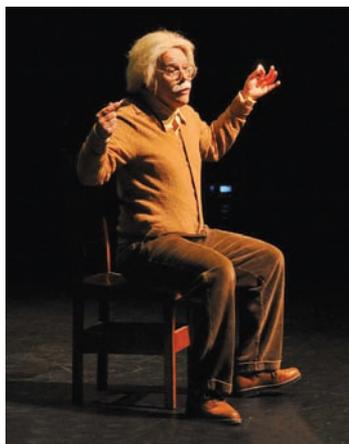
CONCERT BAND

"S is for..."

Sunday, October 19 • 2 PM

FREE EVENT!

A march by Schubert, a polka by Stravinsky, a march by Sousa and a concerto by Strauss. These are a few of the songs from the cleverly planned program of composers whose last name begin with the letter "S". Come join our local community band for this wonderful family concert!



LECTURE:

AN EVENING WITH ALBERT EINSTEIN

Museum on Main Ed Kinney Lecture Series

Tuesday, October 21 • 7 PM

General \$10

Members \$5

Students & Teachers with ID \$3

The 2014 Lecture Series closes with Broadway and film actor Duffy Hudson in a highly anticipated return performance to Pleasanton as Albert Einstein, the great scientific thinker who revolutionized physics.

Tickets may be purchased at the Museum on Main or by calling (925) 462-2766.

SENIORS:

The Senior Players present **ALWAYS A BRIDESMAID**

October 24 - 26

Friday & Saturday • 7:30 PM

Sunday • 2 PM

Adults: \$10 Children: \$5

The Senior Players return to the Firehouse Main Stage for their annual comedy performance. In this hilarious comedic romp, find out how determined four friends can be, as they try to keep the promise they made at their Senior

Prom to be in each other's weddings...no matter what! Hop on this marriage-go-round for a laugh-out-loud journey as these women navigate the choppy waters of love and matrimony.



TEEN/YOUTH: CREATURES OF IMPULSE

Teen Improv Troupe presents **NIGHTMARE**

A Live Improvised Horror Show!

October 30 - November 1

Thursday & Saturday • 7:30 PM Friday • 9 PM*

General: \$10 Students: \$5

Celebrate the opening of Creatures of Impulse's 5th Season at the Firehouse by seeing all three nights of the only improvised teen horror show in the Bay Area. Audiences ages 14 and older can join us for a special 9 PM performance of Nightmare on Halloween night!

**Special late night anniversary performance; ages 14 and up only.*

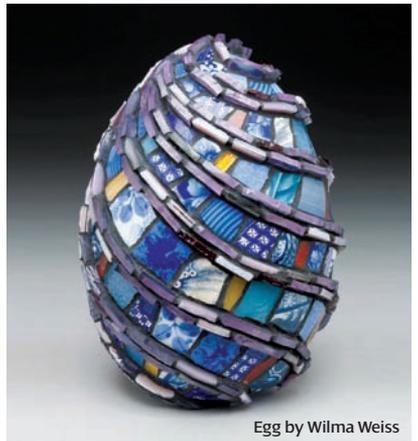
GALLERY:

INTERPLAY: TEXTURE & LUMINOSITY **An Exhibition of Mosaic Art**

Friday, November 7 - Saturday, December 13

Reception: Thursday, November 6 • 7-9 PM

Invitational exhibit featuring twenty Bay Area and National artists, including Wilma Weiss, Michael Kruzich, Glynnis Kaye and Laurel True, co-founder of the Institute of Mosaic Art. The exhibit will feature a variety of classical and contemporary settings in stained glass, smalti, glass and ceramic tile.



Egg by Wilma Weiss

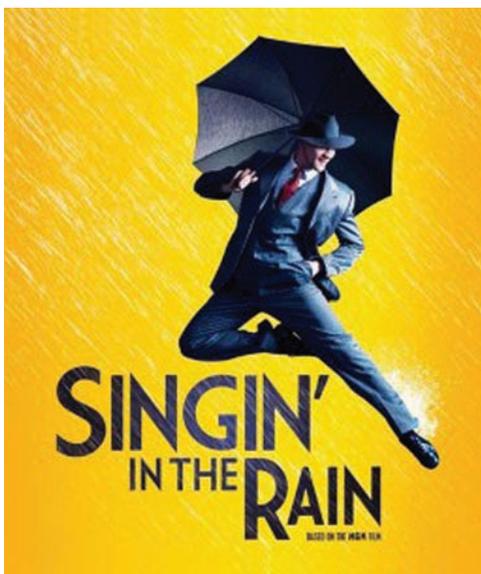
MUSICAL THEATER:
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SINGIN' IN THE RAIN

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Sunday • 2 PM

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TEEN/YOUTH:
2nd ANNUAL HOLIDAY
YOUTH MUSIC FESTIVAL:
Featuring Local Youth Musicians

Saturday, November 29 • 2 PM

General: \$10 Students: \$5

Enjoy musical performances by local youth and teens set to a storyline inspired by everyone's favorite holiday "Scrooge."

HOLIDAY/ROCK:
DECEMBER PEOPLE
Holiday Rock'n' Roll Favorites

Saturday, November 29 • 8 PM

\$25 - \$35

Something classic, something Christmas, familiar – yet totally original! This high-octane group of five of the finest musicians from some of the world's biggest bands (including Boston's lead guitarist Gary Pihl), presents a family-friendly classic rock holiday show for all ages. Enjoy a stocking-full of familiar seasonal songs in the styles of the top rock bands of our time. Christmas carols with a big joyous twist! Benefiting local food banks. Join the party!





CONCERT BAND:
**PLEASANTON COMMUNITY
CONCERT BAND**
Holiday Concert
Sunday, November 30 • 2 PM
FREE EVENT!

Join the Community Band for their annual holiday event, celebrating seasonal sounds from around the world. This is always a very popular program, so please come early to claim your seat!

TEEN/YOUTH: CREATURES OF IMPULSE
Teen Improv Troupe presents
HOLIDAY SHORTS: A Long Winter's Tale
An Interactive Holiday Improv Show!

Thursday & Friday, December 4 & 5 • 7:30 PM
General: \$10 Students: \$5

Join Creatures of Impulse for a Firehouse Arts Center holiday tradition! Your suggestions will inspire holiday themed games, scenes, and improv fun in the first act. The audience will then vote for which short scene that Creatures of Impulse will make into an entire improvised "play" in the second act.



FAMILY THEATER: Civic Arts Stage Company
Disney's MY SON PINOCCHIO JR.

At the Amador Theater

December 12 - 21 \$6 - \$18

Friday • 7:30 PM

Saturday • 2 & 7:30 PM

Sunday • 2 PM

This new musical, which retells the familiar Disney story from Geppetto's perspective, features the beloved classic songs "When You Wish Upon a Star" and "I've Got No Strings," alongside a host of new songs by Stephen Schwartz, tackling timely issues about what it means to be "the perfect child."

Disney
**MY SON
PINOCCHIO**
JR

**AT THE
AMADOR
THEATER**



JAZZ/PIANO:
DAVID LANZ
"Forever Christmas" with Special Guest
Vocalist Kristin Amarie

Friday, December 12 • 8 PM \$18 - \$28

Grammy-nominated contemporary instrumental legend David Lanz has enthralled music lovers around the world for decades. He returns to the Firehouse with a very special Holiday Concert, featuring his beloved classics (such as *A Whiter Shade of Pale*, *Cristofori's Dream*, *Dark Horse*) plus wonderful newly composed and arranged pieces. Joining him is the angelic-voiced Kristin Amarie. An evening of transcendent music with the Maestro and his muse.

HOLIDAY/ROCK:
CLOSE TO YOU
"Christmas with the Carpenters"

Saturday, December 13 • 8 PM

\$15 - \$25

With songs like *We've Only Just Begun*, *For All We Know*, and *Rainy Days and Mondays*, The Carpenters left an indelible mark in the hearts and minds of the culture and music of the 70s and 80s. Their story and legacy lives on. Michelle Whited leads the popular Close to You musical group which pays tribute to The Carpenters with a stunning presentation, recreating the signature sound which made them so distinctive. In addition to other songs including *Top of the World*, *I Won't Last a Day Without You*, *Superstar* and of course, *Close to You*, this special holiday presentation also features selections from The Carpenters' holiday album, "Christmas Portrait."



POP/ROCK/TRIBUTE:
"HAPPY BIRTHDAY ELVIS!"
The "Early Elvis" Tribute Show
with Jim Anderson & The Rebels

Saturday, January 3 • 8 PM \$15 - \$25

Jim Anderson is not an "Elvis Impersonator." He is, however, thought by many to be the best interpreter of "Early Elvis" around.

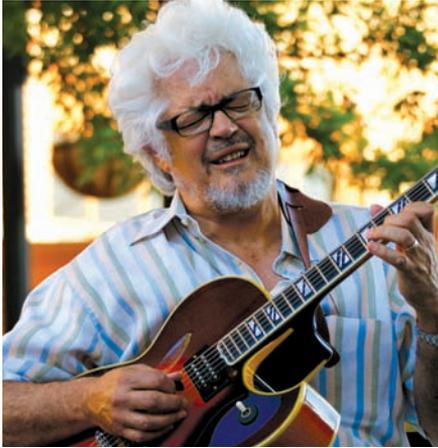
From *Heartbreak Hotel* and *Hound Dog* to *Don't Be Cruel* and *Jailhouse Rock*, these are the songs that keep the legend alive. Jim Anderson, along with his rockin' band, The Rebels, recreates the sound, the songs and the memories of Elvis Presley. Join the crowds in Memphis and fans all over the world to say... "Happy Birthday Elvis!"

POP/ROCK:
MARC COHN

**Grammy-winner for
“Walking in Memphis”**

Friday, January 9 • 8 PM \$35 - \$45

After winning a Grammy for his soulful ballad “Walking in Memphis,” Marc Cohn solidified his place as one of this generation’s most compelling singer/songwriters, combining the precision of a brilliant tune-smith with the passion of a great soul man. He’s a natural storyteller, balancing the exuberant with the poignant, and able to distill universal truth out of his often romantic, drawn-from-life tales.



JAZZ/GUITAR:
LARRY CORYELL

Guitar’s Godfather of Fusion

Saturday, January 10 • 8 PM \$28 - \$38

With 85 albums and counting, over the past 45 years, Larry Coryell continues to be hailed as the consummate performer, recording artist, composer, innovator, and teacher. Composer of orchestral and chamber works, acclaimed session musician with Jimmy Webb, the 5th Dimension, Chick Corea, and John McLaughlin, Coryell is a true Renaissance musician who excels at all musical styles. If you love guitar, you won’t want to miss “guitar god” Coryell in live performance.

GALLERY:
WATER+COLOR
California Watercolor
Association’s 45th
National Exhibition

Thursday, January 15 -
Saturday, February 21

Reception: Thursday, January 15
6-8 PM

This national juried exhibition was a hit at the Harrington Gallery two years ago, and will be back again with more amazing watercolor paintings by nationally recognized artists. Juried by Eric Wiegardt, signature member, AWS, NWS.



Painting by Eric Wiegardt



CLASSICAL: SONIC ESCAPE
Daredevils with Instruments

Friday, January 16 • 8 PM \$15 - \$25

This virtuoso trio of elite Julliard graduates: Shawn Wyckoff, flute, Maria Kaneko Millar, violin and Nan-Cheng Chen, cello are known across the globe for their riveting performances utilizing the music, mind, voice, and story, to reshape the live music experience. From classical masterpieces to ground-breaking original works, folk music to pop-fusion, bluegrass, and beyond, Sonic Escape offers an imaginative, interactive, smile-inducing night of radiant music-making on the highest level. An absolutely magical experience!

CABARET:
GOLDEN FOLLIES

A Sparking Las Vegas Style Revue!

Sunday, January 18 • 2 PM

\$15 - \$25

Talent, glamour and sparkling entertainment, they are the Golden Follies! These senior performers ages 55-90 rock the stage with their high energy, stylish choreography, beautiful costumes and radiant smiles. They tap, kick and strut to memorable music from Nightclub to Broadway, Sinatra to Bubl  with a touch of Bruno Mars keeping us on trend. This exciting revue will both dazzle and surprise you.



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January 31 & February 6, 14 • 8 PM

February 8 • 2 PM



***No Show Feb 1st — 2 Shows on Jan. 31st!**

TEEN/YOUTH:
CREATURES OF IMPULSE
Teen Improv Troupe
presents **IMPROV FACE-OFF**
The Funniest Competition
of the New Year!

Thursday - Saturday,
February 19 - 21 • 7:30 PM
General: \$10 Students: \$5

Creatures of Impulse will share the stage for three nights of scenes, games, and improv high-jinks. You are in for three different nights of pure fun with an interactive format that gives the audience a chance to win prizes!



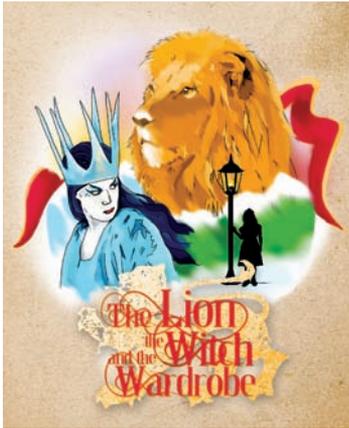
COUNTRY/TRIBUTE:
STRAIT COUNTRY: A Tribute to the
“King of Country” GEORGE STRAIT
Featuring Nashville Recording Artist
Buck Ford & his Pure Country Band
Sunday, February 22 • 2 PM \$15 - \$25

Nashville recording artist Buck Ford and his *Pure Country Band* showcase George Strait’s unique style of western swing music, bar-room ballads, honky-tonk style, fresh, yet traditional Country Music, in this show which features Strait’s trademark sounds of pedal steel guitar and fiddle. *Strait Country* takes you through the career of this living legend, and is the ultimate compliment to “The King of Country Music,” George Strait!

VOCAL:
SWINGLE SINGERS
Versatile A Cappella from London
Friday, February 27 • 8 PM
\$25 - \$35

Celebrating their 50th anniversary, the London-based Swingle Singers are legendary in the world of a cappella. From performing at La Scala to sound tracks for *Sex and the City* and *Glee*, the seven young and versatile voices of today’s Swingle Singers set the standard for vocal agility while pushing the boundaries of musical innovation. From arias by Bach to tunes by Sting and the Beatles, from Latin Jazz to Rock ‘n’ Roll!





FAMILY THEATER:
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& THE WARDROBE**

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GALLERY:
ORDER & CHAOS:
Abstract Exhibit

Saturday, March 7 -

Saturday, April 11

Reception: Tuesday, March 10

7-9 PM

Seven Bay Area artists collaborate in an early spring exhibit of colorful, dynamic, and diverse abstract paintings. Work from Yao-pi Hsu, Rajiv Khilnani, James Ong, Donna Orme, Zoya Scholis, Vera Tchikovani, and Karen Wong will be represented.



Anything Goes by Karen Wong



TEEN/YOUTH:
YOUTH MUSIC FESTIVAL
Yea for the 90s!

Saturday, March 21 • 2 & 7:30 PM

General: \$10

Students: \$5

Time to tell the story of the 90s through music and an insane amount of pop culture references. Local youth and teen musicians and vocalists will take you on a musical journey from 1990-1999.

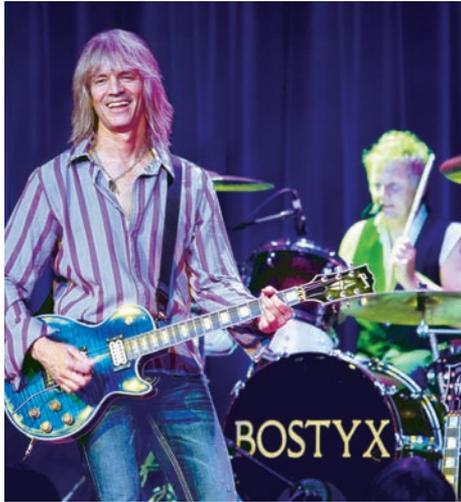
TRIBUTE:

KIT & THE KATS

Put a Nickel in the Jukebox!

Sunday, March 22 • 3 PM \$25 - \$35

A delightful romp through all the hits from 1958-63: a little R&B, a little Pop, a little Rock 'n' Roll! Three singers, a four-piece band, and vintage video clips take us back to the days of teen idols, slow dancing, bouffant hairdos and pompadours! *Peggy Sue*, *The Twist*, *Mama Said*, *Johnny Angel*, and many more. Featuring the extraordinary stage talent and vocals of recording artist Laura Ellis. Harmony, humor, and musical hijinks. Bring your own memories and leave with new ones!



ROCK: BOSTYX

All the Hits of Boston & Styx

Featuring David Victor of Boston

Friday & Saturday, March 27-28 • 8 PM

\$30 - \$40

Pure classic rock. The cream of today's rock musicians performing the best-loved and most memorable hits of these two legendary, American powerhouse rock groups. Featuring current Boston lead singer David Victor, the voice of Boston's chart-topping mega-hit *Heaven on Earth*. The music includes Boston's *More Than a Feeling*, *Peace of Mind*, *Amanda* and Styx', *Come Sail Away*, *Babe*, *The Best of Times*, *Mr. Roboto*, and many more. Sure to sell out.

CABARET:

"EASTER PARADE" IN CONCERT

A Celebration of Irving Berlin's Academy-Award Winning Musical Score from the Classic Holiday Film

Saturday, April 4 • 2 & 7:30 PM

\$15 - \$25

Celebrate the joy of the Easter Holiday Season with this new production saluting one of Irving Berlin's most memorable film scores. Presented in intimate cabaret style, this fresh and fun revue revisits favorite songs which have endured through generations including *Steppin' Out With My Baby*, *Shakin' The Blues Away*, *A Couple of Swells*, *It Only Happens When I Dance With You* and, of course, the classic *Easter Parade*. This delightful show, like the film itself, is a treat for audiences of all ages – and a perfect way to celebrate the holiday.



IN CONCERT



WORLD MUSIC: CRAICMORE
Contemporary Traditional Celtic Music
Friday, April 10 • 8 PM \$15 - \$25

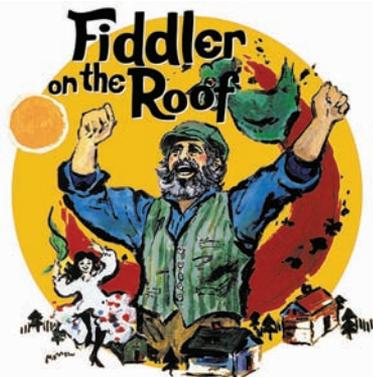
Fans all over the world love Craicmore! Rough translation from the Irish: "big fun." With a deep respect for Celtic music and traditions combined with a willingness to explore other musical influences, Craicmore brings Gaelic joy to concert halls around the world. Nancy Johnson, John MacAdams, Sean FayCullen, Dave Champagne, a stage full of instruments and spot-on vocals.

THEATER: FIDDLER ON THE ROOF
Pacific Coast Repertory Theatre

April 17 - May 3 \$6 - \$18
Friday & Saturday • 8 PM Sunday • 2 PM

Winner of 10 Tony Awards in 1965 and still touching audiences worldwide today with its humor, warmth and honesty, "Fiddler on the Roof" is a musical theatre tradition!

Set in the little village of Anatevka, the story centers on Tevye, a poor dairyman, and his five daughters. With the help of a colorful and tight-knit Jewish community, Tevye tries to protect his daughters and instill them with tradition in the face of changing social mores and the growing anti-Semitism of Czarist Russia. Rich in historical and ethnic detail, this universal theme cuts across barriers of race, class, nationality and religion, leaving audiences crying tears of laughter, joy and sadness.



Painting by Denise Oyama-Miller

GALLERY: FRESH WORKS V Open Juried Exhibit
Saturday, May 2 - Saturday June 6
Reception: Saturday, May 2 • 1 - 3 PM

Always a favorite and very well attended. Open to emerging and established artists who reside or work in the greater Bay Area.

DEADLINE FOR ENTRIES: Wednesday, March 18.

TEEN/YOUTH: CREATURES OF IMPULSE
Teen Improv Troupe presents
TRI-VALLEY HIGH: INTERGALACTIC
A Totally Improvised Sci-Fi Musical!

May 7 - May 9 Thursday - Saturday • 7:30 PM
General: \$10 Students: \$5

Watch as Creatures of Impulse takes teen improv out of this world! Your suggestions will inspire a teen sci-fi musical each night. They don't know what, when, or how they will sing throughout the night... but they will! Come and see all three nights guaranteed to send you into outer space!



OPERA: ANTHONY KEARNS

Ireland's Foremost Tenor

Sunday, May 10 • 3 PM \$30 - \$40

Famed member of *The Irish Tenors*, the multi-platinum recording and concert trio, Kearns is lauded around the globe for his sold-out solo recitals, stunning opera performances, and high-profile invitational appearances. Dubbed "Best Irish Tenor" by the Irish Music Association, "Ireland's foremost tenor" by Ireland's Ambassador Michael Collins, and "voice-of-the-century" by Opera Naples Artistic Director Steffanie Pearce, Kearns' high notes are glorious and his interpretations sublime.



Blue Stars take you back to a simpler time – when the music told stories with rhythms that got you up on your feet! These gals know how to entertain, celebrating songs from the 40's and 50's - including their tribute to The Andrews Sisters.

TRIBUTE: SUPER DIAMOND

First-Class Tribute to Neil Diamond

**Friday & Saturday, May 29 & 30 • 8 PM
\$30 - \$40**

This group delivers a high-octane Neil Diamond tribute show that rocks! A band of truly kindred spirits, Surreal Neil and Super Diamond perform regularly in San Francisco and all over the U.S., with a national fan base that proves their popularity. Come revel with all those wonderful road-trip favorites including *Sweet Caroline*, *September Morn*, *Cracklin' Rosie*, *Coming to America*, *Hello Again*, *I Am...I Said*, and so many other iconic hits.



OPERA:

LIVERMORE VALLEY OPERA

**Sunday, May 31 • 2 PM
\$35 - \$40**

With the success of their one-act operas last season, Livermore Valley Opera returns to the Firehouse Arts Center with a new short program, complete with projected English subtitles. A reception following the show allows patrons to mingle and meet the artists.





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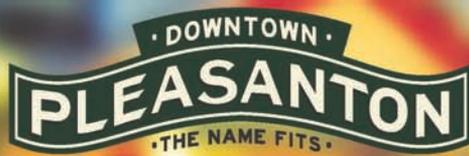
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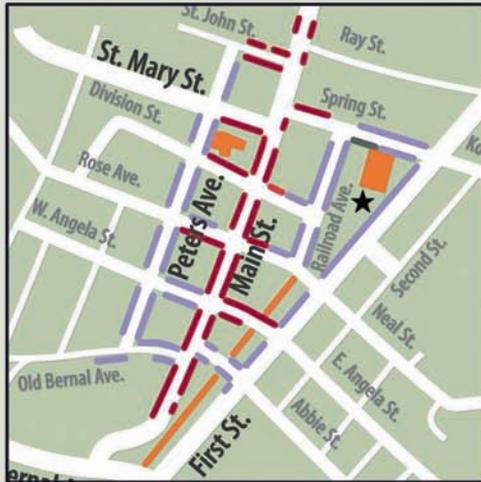
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...and we are still open! Enjoy a tasty bite to eat or a delicious cocktail at one of these 10 Downtown establishments open after 10pm!

- *Baci Bistro & Bar – 500 Main Street*
- *Cellar Door – 4469 Railroad Avenue*
- *Farmhouse Eatery & Bar – 600 Main Street, Suite G (on Division St.)*
- *Fernando's Restaurant – 348 St. Mary Street*
- *Handles On Main – 855 Main Street*
- *Lokanta Mediterranean Grill & Bar – 443 Main Street*
- *Main St. Brewery & 828 Bites & Brews – 828 & 830 Main Street*
- *New York Pizza – 690 Main Street*
- *Redcoats British Pub & Restaurant – 336 St. Mary Street*
- *The Rose Hotel – 807 Main Street*

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