Jazz Jubilee Central Coast

2026 Musicians and Venues

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Featured Shows

Central Coast Schools Big Band Blowout
Oct 24 at Cuesta Performing Arts

The Big Band Blowout features big bands from five schools: Cuesta College, Cal Poly, Allan Hancock College, Atascadero High School, and Paso Robles High School. A great chance to see what the local schools are doing to promote jazz.

Blue Street with Carl Sonny Leyland
Oct 24 at The Siren
Oct 25 at Pismo Veterans Hall



2025 marks the 42nd anniversary of the Blue Street Jazz Band, a true force of integrity, stability, and professionalism on the Dixieland Jazz Circuit. The Blue Street Jazz Band was established in 1983 by trumpet player Forrest Helmick and is currently under the leadership of trombonist Dave Ruffner. The band features the singing of Sherri Colby. Forrest passed away in December 2024,

Blue Street has been one of the most innovative groups in traditional jazz. Original songs and creatively conceived arrangements have been the hallmark of the band along with the musical expertise displayed by each individual member on their respective instrument. Traditional jazz is the cornerstone on which the band was built, but with their eclectic musical taste and versatile musicianship, the band is adept at playing Swing, Mardi Gras, Folk Songs, Marches, Waltzes, Latin Music, and Hymns. The band is capable of playing entire sets devoted to the music of Kid Ory, Jelly Roll Morton, Sidney Bechet, the History of Jazz, and Louis Armstrong. Audiences particularly enjoy the band's Sunday morning gospel programs.

The band has a mixture of full-time professional musicians along with some very accomplished part-time players. The front-line features Dave Ruffner on trombone and Justin Au on trumpet. You can find Dave playing trombone on Bourbon Street in New Orleans. Justin grew up with the genre, is a music educator in the Sacramento area and plays regularly with all the hot bands. He is one of the Au Brothers, all of whom play music on the trad jazz circuit. The rhythm section consists of drummer Rick Canfield, bassist Sam Rocha and Matt Bottel on guitar and banjo. Rick is a

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retired music teacher. He builds fine stringed instruments. Sam is a full-time musician in the Bay Area and performs nationwide with the Hot Club of San Francisco and other groups. Matt spent time in New Orleans playing banjo and designs major computer programs for major corporations and state governments. Special guest Carl Sonny Leyland will be sitting in on piano for the October shows. He is a pianist and vocalist of international renown. (More about Sonny below in this issue) The band's vocalist, Dr. Sherri Colby-Bottel, is the Program Director and co-faculty, International Honors Program/A Program of SIT Study Abroad.

Since the early 1990s, the band has played every major jazz festival in the United States and has performed in Canada, Mexico, and Europe as well. The band has recorded twenty-five albums and seven videos.

High Sierra Reunion Jazz Band October 25 at Pismo Veterans Hall

The popular HIGH SIERRA JAZZ BAND retired after 44 years in April 2019. However, as it turned out, overwhelming enthusiasm demanded continuation in one form or another. The band continued as the HIGH SIERRA SEVEN until December 2023, after which the band morphed into the SIERRA STOMPERS. Recently, another modification resurfaced as SOUNDS LIKE HIGH SIERRA. All the time the music featured hard-driving West Coast style jazz for which the HIGH SIERRA JAZZ BAND was famous.

The HIGH SIERRA REUNION BAND, especially reformed for this event, is proud to perform at the 50th Anniversary of the JAZZ JUBILEE CENTRAL COAST on October 25, 2026, in Pismo Beach.



Pieter Meijers (Leader, Vocal, Reeds), also on clarinet and soprano sax, was the leader of the Isotope Stompers (1971-81), was a member of the Nightblooming Jazzmen (1983-96) and led the High Sierra Jazz Band (1999-2021) and the High Sierra Seven (2021-2023). He is now retired and lives in San Diego.



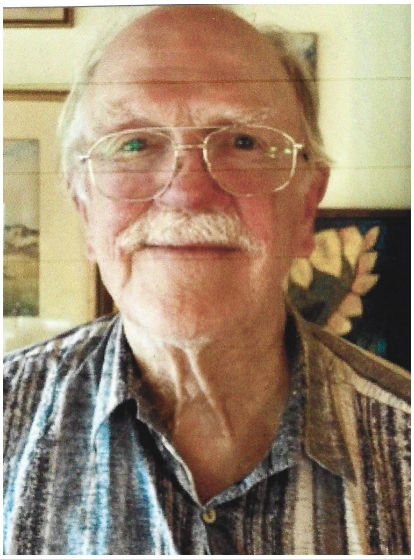
Katie Cavera (Banjo/Guitar) has made a name for herself on the West Coast and in Europe playing 20's and 30's traditional jazz. She specializes in four-string banjo and sings in the 20's pop style of Helen Kane and Ruth Etting. Her credits include working with Jug Band legend Jim Kweskin and Jim Cullum's Jazz Band at The Landing in San Antonio, Texas. She also held a residency at the Opera Comique in Paris, France from 2006 - 2009. She currently lives in Los Angeles and works at Disney California Adventure where she is the first Female musician to be hired in

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the Five & Dime Band.

Paul Hagglund (Tuba) was first introduced to early jazz at a live ragtime performance in St. Louis on a family trip at the age of 5. A keen performing interest in West Coast Revival jazz of the 1940s and 50s was fostered by discovery of the Firehouse Five Plus Two and Lu Watters' Yerba Buena Jazz Band as a young teen playing tuba, trombone, and euphonium in middle and high school ensembles, continuing with Seattle University's pep band. He performed with the Uptown Lowdown Jazz Band from Seattle from 2008 to 2015 and has played with the High Sierra Jazz Band, Sierra Seven, Sierra Stompers and Brian Holland and the Ragabonds since 2017.



Bruce Huddleston (Piano) majored in music at Whittier College in 1962, has played as a professional musician most of his life. He retired from the High Sierra Jazz Band that performed for 42 years and now plays weekly gigs with a vocalist and plays occasional gigs in Three Rivers, his home.



Marc Caparone (Cornet) has been listening to classic jazz his entire life and is dedicated to keeping the traditions of the great early jazz trumpet players alive. His specialties are the jazz trumpet styles of the 1920's and '30s, and he also has a deep interest in jazz history that started when he began collecting records as a teenager. Marc has performed with many groups around the world including Hal Smith's Rhythmakers, Narvin Kimball's All Stars, Carl Sonny Leyland, Dave Stuckey's Hot House Gang and the Hoot Owls, Clint Baker's New Orleans Jazz Band, the Reynolds Brothers, the High Sierra Jazz Band, The Western Swing All Stars and Barbara Dane and with bands led by his wife, vocalist Dawn Lambeth. In addition to leading his own groups he has also put together groups to back up blues legends Little Charlie Baty and Duke Robillard. In 2022 he was inducted into the Western Swing Society Hall of Fame. Marc is a regular member of the Holland-Coots Quintet, and Carl Sonny Leyland's Boogie Woogie Boys and leads the Sierra Stompers and the Back O Town All Stars.

Riley Baker (Drums) was raised in a musical household with his mother in jazz radio and father a musician. He picked up the drums when he was about 6 years old and by 12 was playing professionally with his father's jazz band. While Riley was in middle school, he picked up the Tuba and by High school was already a proficient

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classical soloist. Also in high school, Riley picked up the Trombone and Upright Bass. Riley then moved to Los Angeles, California to study Jazz Trombone at California State Northridge. While at University, Riley developed an interest in arranging and composition and was commissioned to do transcriptions for Nick Rossi's Jazzopaters band as well as music directing for other bands. Riley spends most of his time preforming with acts that include Jonathan Stout and his Orchestra, The Four Freshmen, The Los Angeles Jewish Symphony, Dave Stuckey and his Hot House Gang, Natalie Mendoza and her Tiger Five, Michael Gamble and his Rhythm Serenaders and many more. Riley currently resides in Los Angeles where he freelances on Upright Bass, Tuba, Drums and Trombone.



Howard Miyata (Trombone) has been the Trombone player with the High Sierra Jazz Band touring for thirty years at jazz Festivals across the US and Europe, And also in the Sierra Seven, The Sierra Stompers and Sounds like High Sierra ! Miyata also performs with Cheryl Thurston's Vintage Jazz Band and He is also the tuba player for the Au Brothers Jazz Band. Miyata is the Associate Director of the Pacific Brass, a British style brass band one of only four in the state of California. His trombone playing can be heard in the atmosphere music on Buena Vista Street at Disney's California Adventure. (With Neely's Royal Society Jazz Orchestra)





For all ticketed shows in one place: www.my805tix.com/e/jazz-jubilee-26
Shows without a link are free.

For individual ticketed shows:

Cal Poly Fall Jazz Concert
October 23:
music.calpoly.edu/calendar/jazz/

Big Band Blowout
October 24:
cuesta.universitytickets.com/w/event.aspx?id=1731

Bruce Forman & the Central Coast Jazz All-Stars
October 24:
my805tix.com/e/bruceforman-bash

Blue Street with Carl Sonny Leyland
High Sierra Reunion Jazz Band
October 25:
my805tix.com/e/jazzconcert-basinstreetregulars-bluestreet

Robert Lopez Trio
October 25:
sensoriopaso.com/

Carmen Staaf
October 26:
my805tix.com/?q=carmen+staff



Pianist Jamaal Baptiste - Oct 15
Nelbap Duo - Oct 16
at Anderson Social



Jamaal Baptiste is a pianist, composer, arranger, and ethnomusicologist. He holds a BM and MM in jazz studies from the Indiana University (IU) Jacobs School of Music as well as an MA and Ph.D. in ethnomusicology from IU. Baptiste is also the Assistant Professor of Jazz Studies at Cal Poly in San Luis Obispo, California.

Baptiste has collaborated with esteemed practitioners of Caribbean and Latin American popular music in the United States and contributed to several albums by Grammy nominated artists Michael Spiro and Wayne Wallace. Notably, he recorded on their album Canto América (2017), which was nominated for Best Latin Jazz Album. Other notable artists with whom Baptiste has performed include Gary Bartz, Avery G. Sharpe, Ronnie Burrage, Greg Osby, Carol Sudhalter, Lenora Zenzalai Helm, Wayne Wallace, Dave Stryker, Steve Houghton, Ed Saindon, Jamey Aebersold, and Rob Dixon. Baptiste is an original member of the Batuquê Trio with drummer Andy Smith and bassist Natalie Boeyink. With this trio, he recorded the album Transparency (2015). He is also a co-founder of the NelBap Duo with saxophonist/clarinetist Ana Nelson, and is also a member of Carlos Bislip's Aruban Jazz Collective.

Ana Nelson is a clarinetist, saxophonist, and musical composer in the Nelbap Duo with Jamaal Baptiste. She is the recipient of the prestigious Presser Graduate Award from Indiana University, which supported the recording of her 2022 debut album, Bridges. The album charted on both the Roots Music Report and JazzWeek Top 100. Nelson has performed with the Louisville Orchestra, the Buselli-Wallarab Jazz Orchestra, Michael Spiro, and funk legend Bootsy Collins. She has also appeared as a featured artist with the Columbus Indiana Philharmonic, Cal Poly Symphony and University Jazz Band, and the IU New Music Ensemble. In 2020, she received the Earl Hines Outstanding Soloist Award, presented by Wynton Marsalis at Jazz at Lincoln Center. Nelson holds degrees from Oberlin Conservatory and Indiana University and currently teaches applied saxophone, jazz styles, and music appreciation at Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo. She also serves on the applied music faculty at Cuesta College, co-founded the Virtual Woodwind Academy, and maintains an active private studio.

Frank Gary Band
October 16 at Madonna Inn

Big Band music for dancing and listening.

Les Rose
October 16 at McClain Cellars

Les Rose is hardly new to the Basin Street Regulars. For over 20 years he brought his Dos Pueblos and Santa Ynez HS jazz bands to the Sunday sessions and the Jubilee By The Sea and has performed at the Jubilee with Ulysses and the Three Local Clarinets showcase. Born and raised in New York City, Les earned a Master of Arts degree in Music



Education from Brooklyn College and soon became one of the busiest performing musicians on Broadway, in jazz, and in the society ballroom scene. A move to Los Angeles in 1984 propelled Les into the Hollywood studios and performances with the top band leaders of the day. From 2002 until his retirement in June of 2016, Les served as instrumental music director for Dos Pueblos High School, building a successful program in concert band, marching band, orchestra, and leading his jazz ensembles to first place finishes in the 2009 and 2016 Reno Jazz Festival. He has since created and maintained a Jazz Club at Santa Ynez HS that has just completed its ninth year. Along with teaching, Les continues to maintain an active schedule of performing, and his latest project , "Ready for Benny" is a perfect example.

Cuesta Jazz!
October 16 at Linnaea's Cafe

Jazz quintet with saxophone, two guitars, bass and drums playing classic jazz and funk at Linnaea's Café.

The Cardinal Jazz Duo (Rhonda and Jeff)
October 17 at Crumbles Café

Husband and wife team Jeff and Rhonda Cardinal play traditional and other types of jazz as well as some Americana. Jeff plays bass, trumpet and trombone and Rhonda plays banjo uke and alto saxophone. Both of them sing. Come see them perform songs that they enjoy while switching instruments as they play.



Dylan Johnson
October 18 at Parchetto Bistro

Electric and acoustic bassist Dylan Johnson has been a mainstay of the Central California music community for over 25 years. In addition to having performed extensively on the West and East Coast of the US, he holds a master's degree from SUNY Purchase Conservatory of Music and completed his undergraduate work at Berklee College of Music. Currently based on the Central Coast of California, he performs regularly with Inga Swearingen, Charlie Shoemake, and often accompanies touring jazz artists in addition to projects in many other styles. He is currently the Director of Jazz Combos at Cal Poly San Luis Obispo and teaches music history and applied music at Cuesta College in San Luis Obispo, CA.

Jazz Vespers Concert Series featuring The Jazz Alley Review
October 18 at First Presbyterian



The Jazz Vespers Concert Series returns with The Jazz Alley Review, a septet based on the Central Coast. The septet plays most styles of jazz from traditional to hard bop, jazz/ rock and fusion. The band includes Lee

Irwin (saxophone), Ron Phillips (trombone), David Johns (trumpet), Charlotte Belyea (saxophone), Craig Updegrove (piano), Travis Harms (bass) and Rob Price (drums).

The West Origin Trio with Sarah Pillow
October 18 at Adelina's Bistro
October 20 at The Mark Bar & Grill



SLO native Sarah Pillow is bringing her joyful jazz to California with her vibraphonist husband, Marc Wagnon and West coast jazz luminaries Tony Green (L.A.) on bass and Jim Mussen (Berkeley) on drums. They'll be making two SLO County stops on their tour - Adelina's Bistro in Nipomo on October 18 and The Mark in San Luis Obispo on October 20. Sarah will be singing songs from her new album, 'Wanderer' as well as some interesting new arrangements of classic tunes from the Great American Songbook.

The G2 Project
October 18 at Anderson Social

The G2 Project is a modern jazz performance collective located on the Central Coast of California. Their somewhat ambiguous moniker encourages musical experimentation and harmonic exploration both in the studio and on stage. Whether it's solo piano or a trio format, The G2 Project is constantly pushing the accepted boundaries of this American art form known as Jazz.

Jeff Elliott
October 18 at Madonna Inn

Jeff Elliott – on trumpet and piano– has had "jazz is in his veins" since his father, clearly a wise man, bought him a real trumpet in 1963. Back in the 1960s, Jeff's father made sure Jeff heard the records of Chet Baker, Miles Davis, Stan Getz, Jonah Jones, the high standard bearers and blowers of jazz then. In high school, he dreamed of being a rock star, even if the school sat him in its orchestra's first chair, as first trumpet. As Jeff matured, playing with his and other bands and appearing night after night with West Coast clubs out on the Pacific shores, his ears began to hear a fresh style of music. That style is not to be put in words here. It is best defined in your ears.



Libertine Jazz Jam
Oct 19 at The Libertine Brewing

Open to musicians of all skill levels. Jazz Night – live jazz in a relaxed, intimate setting

The SLO Rugcutters
October 19 at Madonna Inn

The SLO Rugcutters have been making Lindy Hop happen in San Luis Obispo since 2000, providing music for the dancing crowd.

MiniNova
October 21 at The Siren



MiniNova is an electrifying band hailing from the sun-kissed shores of California's Central Coast. With their first recording, they burst onto the music scene, captivating audiences with their unique blend of funky Latin rock. Led by Scott Martin, who handles saxophone, vocals, and composition duties, MiniNova infuses their sound with infectious grooves and irresistible energy. Kenny Lee Lewisadds his mesmerizing guitar skills and soulful vocals, while also contributing to theband's compositions. Jim Stromberg's dynamic drumming and percussion work provide a solid foundation, accompanied by his compelling vocals and songwriting abilities. Completing the lineup is Dave Keif, whose mastery of the bass and knack for composition adds depth and richness to MiniNova's sound. Together, these talented musicians create an unforgettable sonic experience that will make you dance, groove, and lose yourself in their music

Pianist Larry Arone
October 22 at Anderson Social

Anderson Social welcomes pianist Larry Arone, who will be exploring the full compendium of traditional jazz standards, as well as modern Latin compositions and interpretations.

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Cal Poly Fall Jazz Concert
Oct 23 at Cal Poly Performing Arts

The Cal Poly Fall Jazz Concert will feature selections exploring the diverse styles that have influenced 20th- and 21st-century jazz performance. From swing and hard bop to Latin American and Caribbean traditions, soul, and funk, the program highlights the music of composers and bandleaders Charles Mingus, Thad Jones, Mongo Santamaría, and others whose contributions continue to influence jazz today. The concert will include performances by the University Jazz Band, Jazz Lab Band and Jazz Combos, as well as original compositions and arrangements by Cal Poly students.

Mariachi Autlence
October 23, 30 at Maya Restaurant

Mariachi Autlence was founded by band leader Pablo Martinez. He had always

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wanted a band, and in 2012 he took action. First on board were his brother and son, but more family members joined along the way and now there are 9 members. Pablo's taste is eclectic. Besides traditional Mariachi music, he dabbles in other genres including bluegrass and show tunes. Mariachi Autlence chooses their songs depending on the type of event for which they're playing. Performances at times resemble operettas or musicals, with the entire band singing in harmony. Their high level of musicianship and talent are not an accident. They rehearse twice a week and play most Friday nights at the Maya Restaurant in Santa Maria. It's a pleasure to welcome Mariachi Autlence one again to our Jubilee, an expansion from Traditional Jazz and representative of this favorite

Robert Lopez and Friends
October 23 at Linnaea's Cafe

Lopez has studied with acclaimed jazz masters including Ron Escheté and Charlie Shoemake. Depending on the venue, he also performs under the moniker "Robert Lopez and Friends," often collaborating with other local musicians like violinist Ben Geil and pianist Andrew Sedley

Guitarist Bruce Foreman
October 24 at Mt Carmel Lutheran

Bruce Foreman is widely regarded as one of the top jazz guitarists in the world today. He has appeared at the Monterey Jazz Festival over 20 times. Along with a hectic touring schedule, Bruce has 18 recordings as a leader and countless sideman recordings (with Ray Brown, Bobby Hutcherson, Richie Cole, etc).

The Starlight Dreamband
October 24, 31 at Madonna Inn

The Starlight Dream Band is comprised of some of the finest musicians on the California Central Coast. Presenting top quality dance music with a more than casual nod to the great American standards, The Starlight Dreamband performs various styles of highly popular music.

Spearheaded by Robert Alberts and Mitch Latting, Starlight Dreamband plays the 4th and 5th Saturdays of each month at the Madonna Inn in San Luis Obispo, California. SDB has also performed at the Pismo Jazz Festival. For your listening and dancing pleasure...The Starlight Dreamband



Dawn Lambeth
October 24 at Anderson Social

Dawn Lambeth possesses that rare gift of making a difficult art look easy. Her sweet melodic and rhythmic singing effortlessly draws audiences in. Other artists feel necessary to "create" new melodies and obscure original melody, as if Gershwin needs improvement. Dawn likes to recognize the original tune and sing the lyric so that listeners can enjoy them as much as

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she does. When Dawn steps up to the microphone, she's having a good time – one that she happily shares with listener. Her voice is special – a beautiful instrument, lending itself easily to elation or the bittersweet feelings so often found in the songs of the great period – and she brings deep feeling to her music, without ever emoting or overacting. Dawn doesn't imitate anyone, but the memorable singers we all know resonate through her own singular approach; gentle and unaffected.

Dawn has appeared on recordings, winning praise from reviewers on both coasts, and she has performed at over a dozen renowned jazz festivals in the US and in Japan.

Ed Hite
October 24 at Crumbles Cafe

Ed Hite's musical journey began in Santa Maria, CA where, as a child, he started on the accordion. Devotion to guitar came during his early teen years, after listening to Andres Segovia and Chet Atkins. Ed's first guitar teacher, Rex Gallion, was responsible for his love of jazz after an audio introduction to a Joe Pass/Herb Ellis duet. Says Ed: *"I have had the privilege and great honor of taking lessons from local guitarists Rex and Von Gallion (they both gave me a strong musical foundation in which to work with), jazz guitarists Ron Anthony, John Collins, Alan deMause, Peter Sprague, Bill Thrasher and vibraphonist Charlie Shoemake."*

Ed has played in solo, duo, trio, and quartet settings, his favorite of which is the Eloquent Quarter Jazz Quartet. Additionally he has recorded for the Pacific Conservatory of Performing Arts (PCPA), as well as performed in orchestras and numerous big bands, including (of course) Central City Swing.

Guitarist Adam Levine
October 25 at Parchetto Bistro

Guitar master Adam Levine's original compositions are distilled from elements of jazz, rock and Afro-Cuban rhythms and deliver an experience filled with heart, passion, joy and originality for an unforgettable evening of jazz well done.

Robert Lopez Trio
October 25 at Sensorio

Robert Lopez on guitar is joined by Baba Elefante on bass and Steve Dixon on drums. Lopez has studied with acclaimed jazz masters including Ron Escheté and Charlie Shoemake. Depending on the venue, he also performs under the moniker "Robert Lopez and Friends," often collaborating with other local musicians like violinist Ben Geil and pianist Andrew

The Groove Collective
Oct 25 at Fin's Seafood Bar & Grill

With over 100 years of music and performing experience, The Groove Collective was formed this past January 2024. Led by music producer and vocal artist Gerald Purify.

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Having played drums and keys for artists around the country, Gerald decided to take these elements along with other world class musicians, to then form The Groove Collective. The Groove Collective focuses on R&B, Soul, and Funk music. Currently Gerald along with TGC is in the studio working on an EP titled Love Letters. A tribute to that first feeling when you realized you found that special someone in your life. The project is scheduled to be released in February. The Groove Collective can be seen up and down the coast spreading their message of love and romance, singing catchy hooks, and groovy melodies.

Carmen Staaf
October 26 at Anderson Social



The great music legend Herbie Hancock calls Carmen Staaf "*a consummate jazz pianist with equal talent in composition, orchestration and arranging.*" Carmen's musical resume is truly impressive: She was the pianist and Musical Director for NEA Jazz Master Dee Dee Bridgewater for over eight years, and has performed everywhere from the Village Vanguard (with the Vanguard Jazz Orchestra as well as with John Zorn), to Lincoln Center as a guest soloist with the Lincoln Center Jazz Orchestra with Wynton Marsalis, to recordings with Natalie Merchant (*Keep Your Courage*) and Lila Downs (*Pecados Y Milagros*).

She was honored as a Fellow at the prestigious Thelonious Monk Institute, where she studied with Wayne Shorter and Herbie Hancock. Later, she was tapped, with Herbie's approval, to transcribe his performances and consult on his course for masterclass.com.

Carmen has played at many famous music venues including Carnegie Hall, the Kennedy Center, the Newport and Monterey Jazz Festivals, the Playboy Jazz Festival (where she performed in a two-piano setting with Herbie Hancock and Wayne Shorter), International Jazz Days in Paris and at the White House, and throughout Europe, Latin America, Morocco, India and Japan. She has performed for leaders including the Obamas, the Grand Duke of Luxembourg, and Mayor Mamdani.

The SLO County Jazz Federation
October 27 at The Mark Bar & Grill

The SLO County Jazz Federation presents regular jazz jam sessions at The Mark (673 Higuera) every 2nd and 4th Tuesday, 7-9 pm. The house rhythm section is Craig Updegrove on piano, Ken Hustad on bass and Darrell Voss on drums. All ages are welcome, both players and listeners. Hope you can join us and support the time-honored tradition of the jam session. Taco Tuesday special, other food and full bar available for purchase.

NO(w) Beauty Show
October 28 at Boyd Hall

Recognized as one of the most distinctive voices in contemporary jazz, NO(w) Beauty is a French-American quartet co-led by four of the most acclaimed musicians on today's

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scene. Their first album, released in 2023, was a revelation and received numerous distinctions. Hermon Mehari on trumpet, Enzo Carniel on piano & synthesizers, Damien Varaillon on bass, and Stéphane Adsuar on drums & percussion.

Guitarist Tom Bethke
October 29 at Anderson Social



Tom Bethke is a lifelong Musician, Guitarist, and Composer who has spent most of his professional career working in Los Angeles, and is currently splitting time between the LA music scene and the California Central Coast. Tom's virtuosity enables him to perform in a wide range of styles and situations as a soloist or in an ensemble setting. He has recorded numerous scores for TV and Film, as well as being taped for countless live shows for stage and theatre. Tom is a member of ASCAP, a published composer and has played on countless industry recordings. The diverse range of artists and composers he has worked with include Sir James Galway, Joel Gray, Jewel, Jan Hammer, Van Dyke Parks, Katherine McPhee, Najee, Micheal Bolton, Thelma Houston, Bernadette Peters, Henry Mancini, Les McCann, Gary Morris, Juice Newton, Dinah Carroll, Steve Wariner, Joe Williams and Michael Wolff, and many more.

Pianist Andrew Sedley
October 30 at Four Sisters Ranch

Encore Jam
Nov 1 at SLO CTE Foundation

This jazz jam will be open to all ages!

About the Venues

Mt. Carmel Lutheran Church
1701 Fredericks St
San Luis Obispo, CA

You don't have to be Lutheran. You don't have to have faith all figured out. No matter where you are on your spiritual path, you are welcome here.

Mt. Carmel Lutheran is located a few blocks from California Polytechnic State University, just off Grand Avenue in San Luis Obispo. We are a congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, a community of faith that is built around a strong belief in God as made known to us in Jesus Christ.

https://mtcarmelslo.org/

Maya Mexican Restaurant
110 S. Lincoln St
Santa Maria, CA

The #1 Mexican Restaurant on the central coast.

Here at the Maya Mexican Restaurant we are a full-service Mexican Restaurant offering breakfast, lunch and dinner with a variety of different meals, including our famous Menudo, Pozole, Burritos, Enchiladas, Tacos, Caldo De Pollo, and much more!

With over 53 years serving the beautiful Central Coast, we have perfected our food and our customer service. We make it our guarantee to make each customer leaving full, happy and with a smile on their face.

The Mark Bar & Grill
673 Higuera St
San Luis Obispo, CA

The Mark opened its doors in 2018 and has quickly become one of SLO's favorites. Our hand-crafted cocktails, quality dining, drink specials, and fun atmosphere have made The Mark a fixture of the Central Coast. (the specials on margheritas and AMFs on tap aren't bad either)

A family owned and operated bar that combines good food, good people, and good times is a dream come true for us. Cheers!

https://www.themarkslo.com/

Adelina's Bistro at Trilogy
1645 Trilogy Parkway
Nipomo, CA

Trilogy® at Monarch Dunes is a community open to all ages located near San Luis Obispo in the town of Nipomo, California. All homeowners within Trilogy® at Monarch Dunes are Members of the Monarch Club, which includes Adelina's Bistro, The Market Place, and Sandalwood Spa, all of which are open to the Members and non-Members. The Clubhouse is a beautiful and intimate event room located inside the Monarch Club facility.

https://www.monarchduneshoa.com/

Cuesta Performing Arts Center
3000 Education Drive
San Luis Obispo, CA

Located on the Cuesta College campus along Highway 1, the CPAC is a state-of-the-art facility that includes two incredible venues: a 400 seat main stage theater and a 100 seat experimental theater.

Join us for unparalleled student performances by our nationally distinguished Performing Arts programs, concerts by Grammy award winners, and philanthropic efforts by our local community.

https://www.cuesta.edu/student/campuslife/cpac/index.html

Pismo Beach Memorial Veterans' Hall
780 Bello Street
Pismo Beach, CA

Operated by the Pismo Beach Facilities and Recreation Department

https://www.pismobeach.org/100/Facilities

Parr Winery
3776 Santa Rosa Creek Road
Cambria, CA

We are growers and makers of: Phelan Farm, Brij, and Ponti wines. Enjoy these organically grown wines in our tasting room or gardens, located at the winery and vineyards 5 minutes from downtown Cambria. Reservations recommended, walk-ins welcome. Always family and pet friendly.

https://www.parrwines.com/

Performing Arts Center SLO
1 Grand Avenue
San Luis Obispo, CA

The Performing Arts Center San Luis Obispo is a state-of-the-art venue operated in partnership between Cal Poly, the City of SLO, and the Foundation for the Performing Arts Center.

https://www.pacslo.org/

First Presbyterian Church
981 Marsh Street
San Luis Obispo, CA

We are more than just an old stone church on the corner of Marsh and Morro. We are an inclusive, caring community that comes together each week to hear the teachings of Jesus Christ and celebrate the grace of God. We are a safe place where strangers become friends, the wounded can find spiritual care, and the skeptic can ask questions. We live as the hands and feet of Jesus Christ, serving others in our community and around the world.

https://fpcslo.org/

Boyd Hall
Allan Hancock College
800 S College Drive, Building F
Santa Maria, CA

A beautiful new performance facility located inside the Fine Arts Building on the College Campus.

https://www.hancockcollege.edu/boydhall/index.php

McClain's Tasting Room
1623 Mission Drive, Unit B
Solvang, CA

Enjoy a luxury wine-tasting experience in Solvang in front of our 36-foot-long fire pit and fall in love with our relaxing couches, and a beautiful bar. We offer unique blends, crisp whites, and amazing award-winning wines from the Santa Ynez Valley. Artisan popcorn, cheese & charcuterie too. A "hip" modern industrial luxury vibe that is a cross between a New York "Soho" music venue and a beautiful "Napa Valley" tasting lounge. Hang outside and soak in the warm sun and relax in the cool breezes or step up to the bar for a glass of the good stuff. We offer live Jazz and Blues music on most weekends and an inviting lounge-like atmosphere with a patio. If you love art, wine, and great service... then stop by to be amazed

https://www.mcclaincellars.com/

Parchetto California Bistro
1234 Park Street
Paso Robles, CA

Nestled in the heart of Paso Robles, CA, Parchetto (pronounced Par-kett-o) offers an exquisite dining experience, blending the elegance of fine dining with the ambiance of casual cuisine. From the moment you step into this charming environment, you will be welcomed by a warm inviting, atmosphere that harkens back to a different time. The décor combines elements that were restored from a century ago with contemporary touches that exude elegance without pretense.

At Parchetto, impeccable service and sumptuous cuisine come together to create a dining experience that is both sophisticated and comfortably relaxed.

https://parchettobistro.com/

Sensorio
4380 CA-46
Paso Robles, CA

When the sun goes down in the hills of Paso Robles, the lights come up at Sensorio, one of California's largest immersive art exhibitions.

Walk easy paths through more than

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100,000 glowing bulbs, like bioluminescent flowers from a jewel-toned fantasy land. Explore several solar-powered exhibits that merge light and music technology with dreamy color in a sensory experience you have to see to understand. From magical family moments to unforgettable date nights to unique corporate events, let Sensorio illuminate your evening.

https://sensoriopaso.com/

The Siren
900 Main Street
Morro Bay, CA

The Siren is Morro Bay's hottest sports bar & grill and live music spot. Dancing, billiards & eats! This vibrant and historic venue is the perfect unpretentious hang out were you can hear a variety of local artists, as well as the nation's hottest touring bands. Catch a great show in our kickback beachy atmosphere. Enjoy a generous Signature Cocktail or a local draft favorite, the outdoor patio with fire pit is your place to chill by The Bay. Rhythm & Booze. Good food. And good friends!
NOTICE: YOU MUST BE 21 YEARS OF AGE TO ENTER

https://thesirenmorrobay.com/

SLO CTE Foundation Center
1030 Railroad Street, Suite A
Paso Robles, CA

A non-profit organization aimed at improving the lives and economy of our community by supporting and inspiring transformative education opportunities within San Luis Obispo County. Our efforts support three proven initiatives: SLO Partners, The Arts, and K-12 Technical Education. The Encore Center is a multi-use facility operated as a joint venture between the San Luis Obispo County Office of Education and the SLO Career and Technical Education Foundation.

The Madonna Inn
100 Madonna Road
San Luis Obispo, CA

Discover the Madonna Inn - a legendary destination in San Luis Obispo, California since 1958. We proudly offer 110 uniquely themed guest rooms, world-class dining, famous cakes, boutique shopping, luxurious spa treatments, and unforgettable experiences on-property and beyond!

Located halfway between San Francisco & Los Angeles, Madonna Inn is situated in the heart of San Luis Obispo - minutes away from Downtown SLO and Central Coast Wine Country!

https://www.madonnainn.com/

Libertine Brewing Company
1234 Broad Street
San Luis Obispo, CA

The Libertine Brewing Company was born in 2012 as a bold alternative to traditional American lagers, bringing a fresh wave of craft beer culture to California's Central Coast. It all started at The Libertine Pub on the Embarcadero in Morro Bay—one of the original craft beer bars in San Luis Obispo County. Here, locals and visitors alike were introduced to the world of Double IPAs, Barrel-Aged Stouts, and Belgian Sours.

By 2014, we took the leap into brewing our own Wild Ales, evolving into a fully operational brewery. Today, The Libertine is

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more than just a brewery—it's a hub for creativity and connection. With a full bar, coffee shop, restaurant, and a stage for live music, entertainment, and events we've become a cornerstone of our community.

While much has changed since those early days, one thing remains constant: our passion for crafting authentic farmhouse beers and creating a space that's as unique as the people we serve.

Come experience it all.

See you at the L!

https://libertinebrewing.com/

Crumbles Café, Bakery, and Coffee Shop
1635 S. Broadway
Santa Maria, CA

Crumbles is a friendly locally owned Café, Bakery and Coffee Shop. Our Café serves fresh breakfast and lunch dishes. Our chicken and waffles, omelettes, biscuits and gravy, french dips, club croissants and mexican dishes are all very popular. Our pies, cinnamon rolls and pastries are made in house and can't be beat. We serve lattes, mochas and other espresso drinks. We buy quality ingredients and always pride ourselves on providing excellent customer service. Come in and enjoy a meal in a nice clean environment, pick up something from our bakery or grab a truly tasty coffee. We always look forward to serving you!"

Linnaea's Cafe
1110 Garden Street
San Luis Obispo, CA

It all began in 1984 when Linnaea Phillips created a gathering place for conversation, music, social events, and, of course, sharing good food and drink. With the help of many friends, her vision of a classic coffee house became a reality, and one of the first 2nd wave coffee establishments on the West Coast was born. Almost 40 years later, Linnaea's Cafe is still a beloved fixture of downtown San Luis Obispo and a popular place for both locals and out-of-towners. Linnaea's remains a popular showcase for rising local artists and host to a variety of musical performances, poetry readings, art installations, jazz jams, and other events.

https://linnaeascafe.com/

Fins Seafood Bar and Grill
25 West Grand Avenue
Grover Beach, CA

Where Grand Meets the Sand.

Enjoy ocean view dining in a warm, family-friendly setting. As a family-owned and operated restaurant for over 20 years, we take pride in delivering exceptional service and ensuring every guest feels at home. Our dedicated team, many of who.have been with us since the beginning, embodies our commitment to hospitality and customer satisfaction.

There's plenty to discover here! Take your time exploring our website to learn more about us, browse our menu, and see what makes Fin's special. We hope you enjoy your visit and invite you to reach out or stop by for a meal with a view.

https://www.finsbarandgrill.com/



Anderson Social
951 Monterey Street
San Luis Obispo, CA

Before it was Anderson Social, it was the Anderson Hotel—opened in 1923 with a grand dinner dance, fresh florals in the lobby, and piano performances by the owner's daughter-in-law. Built for the next generation, it drew in locals, out-of-towners, and anyone with a taste for elegance and entertainment. Nearly a century later, we're bringing the story back to life—with a few new chapters of our own.

https://anderson.social/

Four Sisters Ranch Winery and Vineyard
2995 Pleasant Road
San Miguel, CA

Enjoy wine tasting in a beautiful outdoor setting with spectacular wine country views! Sip and relax with friends as the music sets the tone for a perfect summer afternoon.

https://www.foursistersranch.com/

Oxford Suites Arroyo Grande
651 Five Cities Drive
Pismo Beach, CA

The Oxford Suites in Arroyo Grande is offering BSR special rates throughout the year. Click on this link to access the discounts: https://reservations.oxfordsuitespismobeach.com/book/dates-of-stay?Adults=x&Children=x&identifier=BSR

If there are any problems accessing this special rate, please e-mail Brianna Alvarado at briannaa@oxfordsuites.com

Cal Poly Performing Arts Ctr
1 Grand Avenue
San Luis Obispo, CA

Also known as the Performing Arts Center San Luis Obispo - see Page 13 for details.



Can't make it this year? Check Out Our Videos!

Did you know that we have an extensive library of videos from shows from as early as 2006? Go to our YouTube channel and click on "Videos" and you will be able to access hundreds of videos from years gone by. To access them, go to

pismojazz.com and scroll down until you see the link for the BasinStreetRegulars YouTube Channel. Or, go directly to: youtube.com/user/BasinStreetRegulars. You can also see it on our Facebook page, facebook.com/BasinStreetRegulars under videos.

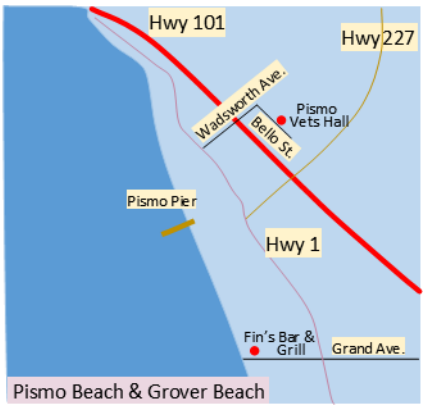
We also have a Pismo Jazz Jubilee channel. We have stopped using it in favor of the BSR channel, but there are still videos available to view on it as well. Here is the link: youtube.com/@pismojazzjubilee3102/videos

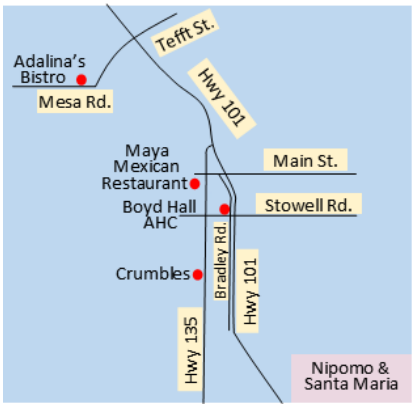
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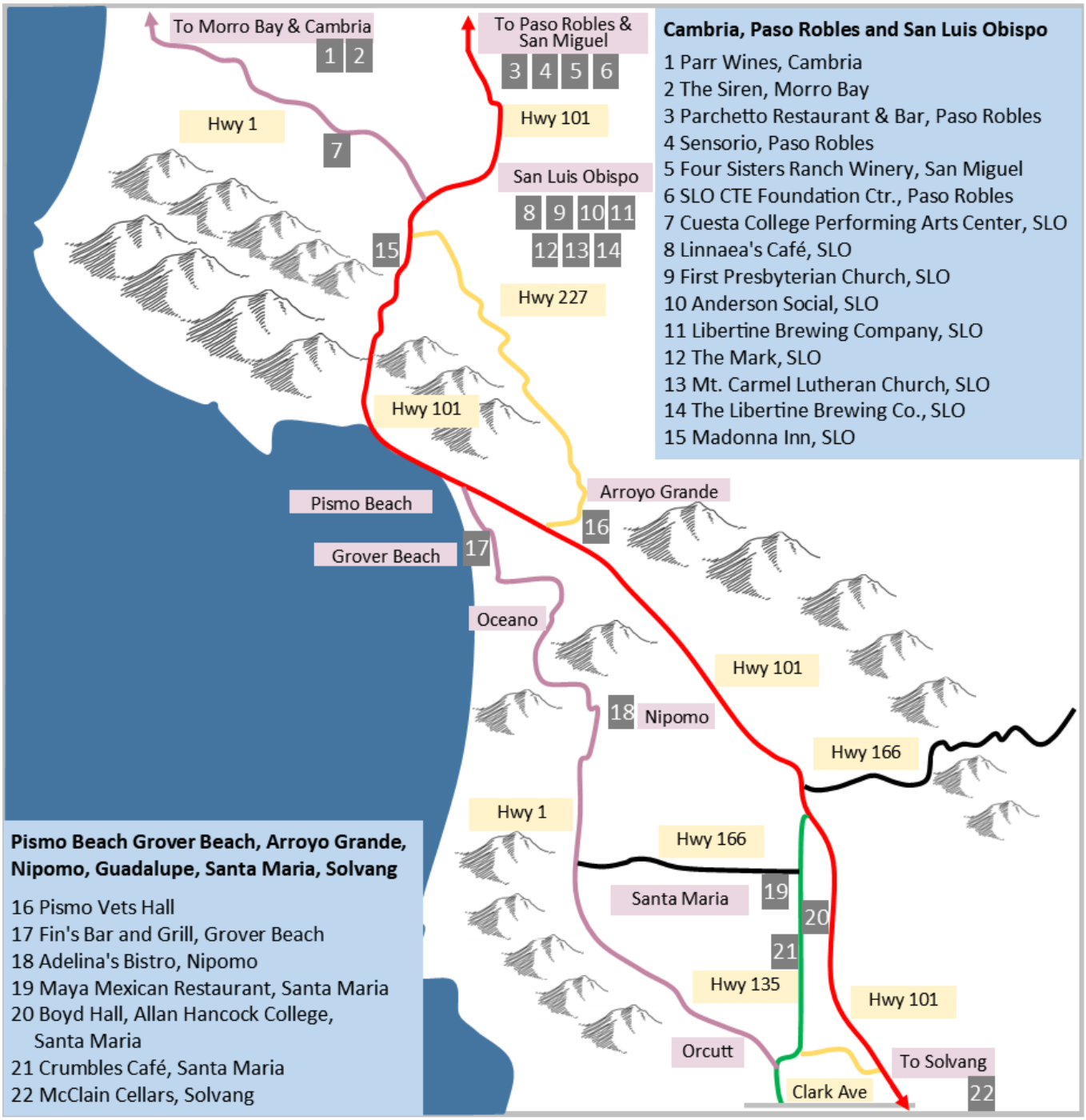


Date	Time	Musician	No.	Venue	Address
Oct 15	6:30 PM	Pianist Jamaal Baptiste	10	Anderson Social	951 Monterey St, SLO
Oct 15	7 – 10 PM	Robert Alberts Quintet	15	Madonna Inn	100 Madonna Rd, SLO
Oct 16	6:30 PM	Nelbap Duo	10	Anderson Social	951 Monterey St, SLO
Oct 16	7 – 10 PM	Frank Gary Band	15	Madonna Inn	100 Madonna Rd, SLO
Oct 16	5:30 – 8:30 PM	Saxophonist Les Rose	22	McClain Cellars	1623 Mission Dr, Unit B, Solvang
Oct 16	6 – 8 PM	Cuesta Jazz!	7	Linnaea's Cafe	1110 Garden St, SLO
Oct 17	2 – 4 PM	The Cardinal Jazz Duo	21	Crumbles Cafe	1635 S. Broadway, Santa Maria
Oct 18	1 – 3 PM	The True Stories	1	Parr Wines	3776 Santa Rosa Creek Rd, Cambria
Oct 18	11 – 2:30 PM	Dylan Johnson	3	Parchetto Bistro	1234 Park St, Paso Robles
Oct 18	4 PM	Jazz Vespers Concert Series	9	First Presbyterian	981 Marsh St, SLO
Oct 18	3 - 5 PM	The West Origin Trio	17	Adelina's Bistro at Trilogy	1645 Trilogy Pkwy, Nipomo
Oct 18	7 – 10 PM	Jeff Elliot	15	Madonna Inn	100 Madonna Rd, SLO
Oct 18	7 PM	The G2 Project	10	Anderson Social	951 Monterey St, SLO
Oct 19	7 – 9 PM	Libertine Jazz Jam	14	The Libertine Brewing Co	1234 Broad St, SLO
Oct 19	8 – 10 PM	Rugcutters Swing Dancing	15	Madonna Inn	100 Madonna Rd, SLO
Oct 20	7 – 9 PM	Sarah Pillow, West Origin Trio	12	The Mark Bar & Grill	673 Higuera St, SLO
Oct 21	7 PM	MiniNova	2	The Siren	900 Main St, Morro Bay
Oct 22	7 PM	Pianist Larry Arone	10	Anderson Social	951 Monterey St, SLO
Oct 23	7:30 PM	Cal Poly Fall Jazz Concert	11	Cal Poly Performing Arts Ctr	1 Grand Ave, SLO
Oct 23	6 PM	Mariachi Autlence	19	Maya Restaurant	110 S. Lincoln, Santa Maria
Oct 23	6 – 8 PM	Robert Lopez + Friends	7	Linnaea's Cafe	1110 Garden St, SLO
Oct 23	7 PM	The G2 Project	10	Anderson Social	951 Monterey St, SLO
Oct 24	1 PM	Central Coast Schools Big Band Blowout	7	Cuesta Performing Arts Ctr	3000 Education Dr, SLO
Oct 24	2 – 5 PM	Blue Street with Carl Sonny Leyland	2	The Siren	900 Main St, Morro Bay
Oct 24	7:30 PM	SLO County Jazz Federation	13	Mt Carmel Lutheran Church	1701 Fredericks St, SLO
Oct 24	7 – 11 PM	The Starlight Dreamband	15	Madonna Inn	100 Madonna Rd, SLO
Oct 24	7 PM	Dawn Lambeth	10	Anderson Social	951 Monterey St, SLO
Oct 24	2 – 4 PM	Ed Hite	21	Crumbles Cafe	1635 S. Broadway, Santa Maria
Oct 25	11 – 4:30 PM	Blue Street and High Sierra Reunion	16	Pismo Beach Vets Auditorium	780 Bello St, Pismo
Oct 25	11 – 2:30 PM	Guitarist Adam Levine	3	Parchetto Bistro	1234 Park St, Paso Robles
Oct 25	6:15 – 9:15 PM	Robert Lopez Trio	4	Sensorio	4380 CA-46, Paso Robles
Oct 25	2 – 5 PM	The Groove Collective	17	Fin's Seafood Bar & Grill	25 West Grand, Grover Beach
Oct 26	6:30 PM	Carmen Staff	10	Anderson Social	951 Monterey St, SLO
Oct 27	7 – 9 PM	Jazz Fed Jam Session	21	The Mark Bar & Grill	673 Higuera St, SLO
Oct 28	7:30 PM	NO(w) Beauty Show	20	Boyd Hall at Hancock College	800 S. College Dr, Bldg F, Santa Maria
Oct 29	7 – 10 PM	Dawn Lambeth + Robert Alberts Quintet	15	Madonna Inn	100 Madonna Rd, SLO
Oct 29	7 PM	Guitarist Tom Bethke	10	Anderson Social	951 Monterey St, SLO
Oct 30	5 – 7 PM	Andrew Sedley	5	Four Sisters Ranch Winery	2995 Pleasant Rd, San Miguel
Oct 31	7 – 11 PM	The Starlight Dreamband	15	Madonna Inn	100 Madonna Rd, SLO
Nov 01	1 – 4 PM	Encore Jam (Open to all ages!)	6	SLO CTE Foundation Center	1030 Railroad St, Suite A, Paso Robles









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