



Here's Elmo! Let's Give Him a Hand!

Well it's almost time for Elmo to head for Guadalajara for his medical procedures and some more help to finance this is still required.

The functions in support of him have been very well attended and we all thank you for your kind participation but a little more would be deeply appreciated.

I keep the account open at O'Rourke's in the Laguna Mall just for these terrible things that occur with some of the very fine entertainers here at Lakeside.

You can still jump in and give Elmo a hand by making a donation to Account Number 5057575 at the bank right next to Black's Coffee Gallery at the mall north of Walmart... we'll all be glad you did!

Thanks to all that have so far... we still have some to go!

Francis

## **Always Have Fun!!**

## For the week of February 20th to February 26th, 2023

#### AROUND THE RESTAURANTS AND BARS

#### **MONDAY**



EL PATIO, CHAPALA hosts the best open mike around from 5:00 to 7:30 PM EVERY MONDAY. Perform so lo,or with the band, it's all go od! Bringing copies of lyrics/ch ords is a huge help if using the band for back up. Come share your talents with a truly supportive crowd!

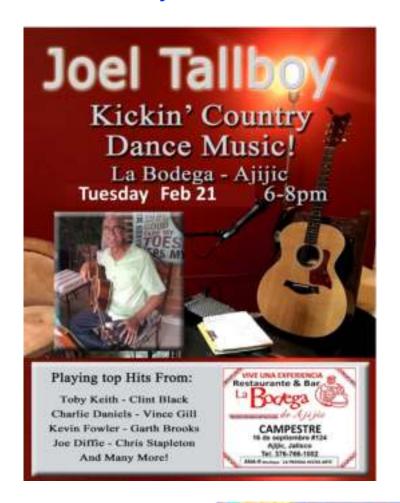




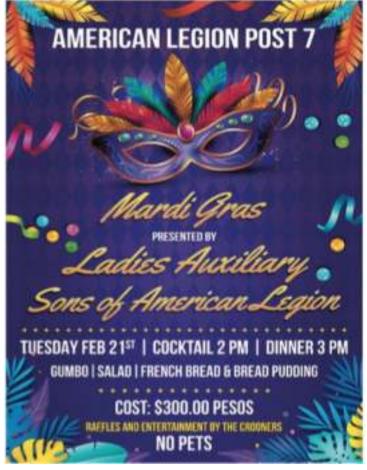


Sweet Harmony will play 3-6 Monday at the American Legion Post 7 Chapala.

## **Tuesday**











Jonathan Guzman At Scallion Ajijic Bistro From 6:30 to 8:30 PM



# "Bluegrass & Beyond" w/ Jeffree White & Jan Reimers



## duo w/ guitar, mandolin & vocals

Tuesdays 11:30am-1:30pm

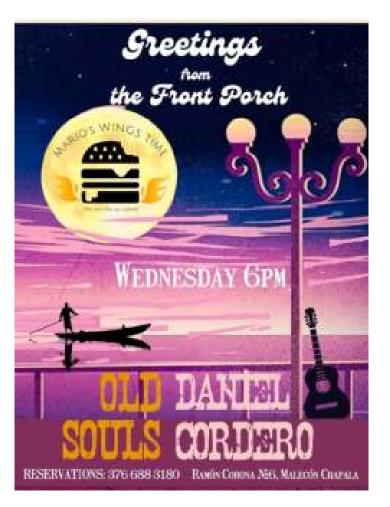
at the Huerto Cafe: Hidalgo 212 in Riberas del Pilar

Expert mandolinist Jan Reimers has performed weekly at the Huerto for about a year, accompanied by several of the area's best talents; now he joins forces with newcomer multi-instrumentalist Jeffree White, who founded and led bluegrass collective Train River and gypsy jazz group Hot Club of Hawthorne in Portland, OR.

Expect a mix of instrumental & vocal music, with different flavors inspired by David Grisman's "Dawg music", vintage swing, fiddle tunes, beautiful waltzes, some classic rock, and traditional bluegrass with vocal harmonies -- and plenty of lively, hot pickin'!



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

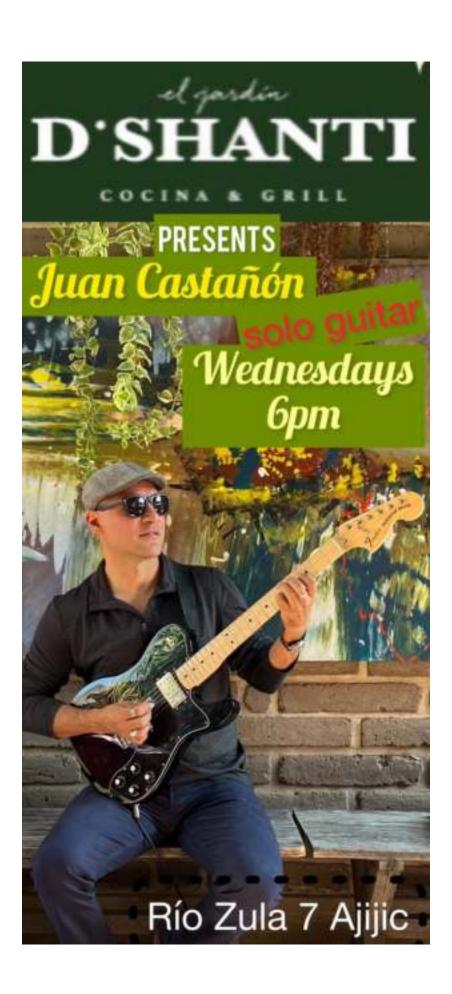


Open Mic
Miercoles — Wednesday
5 a 7:30



Ven a disfrutar tu talento y Divertirte. Come and enjoy your talent and have fun.





## Piano Night @ Emmanuel's <u>Cantina</u>



## by Jeffree White

Wednesdays 6-8pm

Multi-instrumentalist and new transplant to Ajijic, Jeffree White performs an eclectic presentation on piano & vocals in his unique whimsical fashion for your listening pleasure.

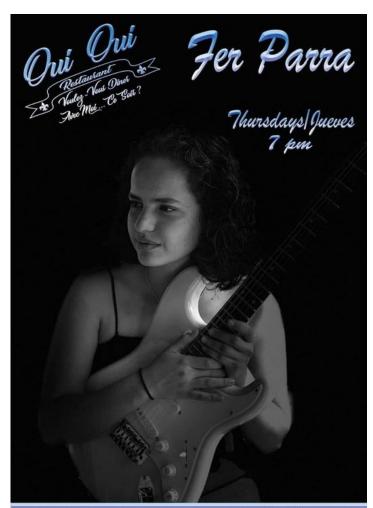
You might hear early jazz songs, pleasant & fun takes on 20<sup>th</sup> century popular music, some exotic gems from around the world, and even film soundtrack numbers!

Emmanuel's will have a creative & casual menu, and a full bar.

Visit www.jeffreewhiteproductions.com & "Jeffree White's Music Page" on Facebook, and "Jeffree playing piano" on YouTube.

on the Carretera in West Ajijic, just east of Fresh Market & Hola Market.

## **Thursday**



Grest Food, Fine Wines, Full Bar & Good Music - Full Catering & Event Services
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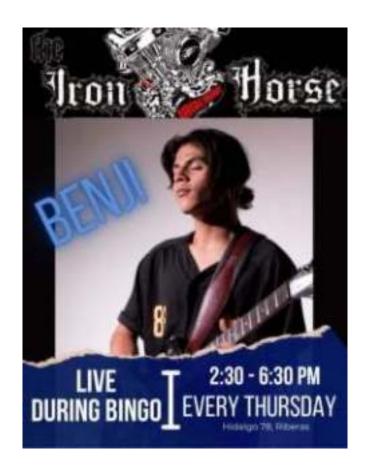




Jonathan Guzman

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At Adelita Bar & Grill Thursday from 6 to 8 PM Ver y good dance music!





Blue Jay Slim & The Blues Machine is back at 4to Sentido on Feb 23rd 4:30 to 6:30pm.

They are Sergio on bass & vocals, Christian on keyboards, Javier on guitar and vocals, Chelo on drums & vocals, Todd on sax, Wayne on trumpet and Slim on guitar and vocals.

Tickets available 150 MXN, tickets will go very fast, come for yours. 4to Sentido is located at Hidalgo 31-376, in San Antonio Tlayacapan next to The San Antonio Hospital.



# All the way from Muskegon, Michigan Ruth and Max Bloomquist in Concert

Following their passion for music, Ruth and Mas perform their style of Acoustic Americans with roots in Folk, Disagrass, and Country music. Known for her songeriting as well as her striking also voice, Ruth was a winner of Merlefest's Claric Austin Songeriting Competition in 2009 with her Grapal offering, By The River The pair's all original 2010 release, Turn Back a Fage, reached No. 3 on the Folk DJ Airplay Chart with 4 songs in the top 100 for that year. Since March 2010 they have performed more than 130 live-streamed concerns both independently and with others. Meanwhile, Ruth has continued writing with a rese recording coming soon. Just Google them to hear a sample of their musici

Come hear them live at the home of Steve and Wendy Edmonds

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AND/OR

At the home of Dan and Cheryl Dover-Laff

Address #40 Codomices, Chapala Haciendas 2

Tucaday, February 28th at 5:00 pm.

Suggested Donation \$2,00p

Maps on Reverse

Seating is limited, so please RSVP to: went 1096@gmail.com

### Steve and Wendy Edmonda, #5 Calle Monaco, Chapala



## **Friday**







Experience the textures of European music mixed with the textures and elements of the music born in Lake Chapala

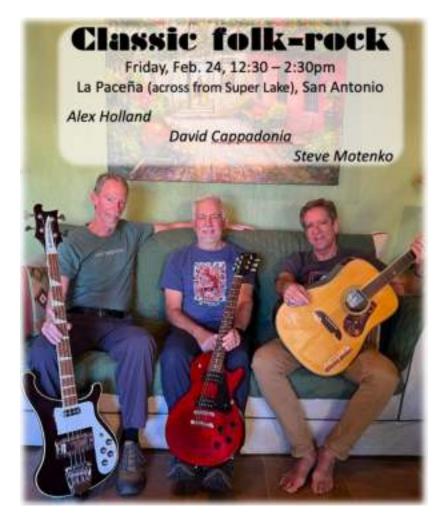
#### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH

ADMISSION AT 5:30 - DRINKS AND SNACKS
WITH CONCERT FOLLOWING AT 7:00

Reserve seating at info@casadelsolinn.com



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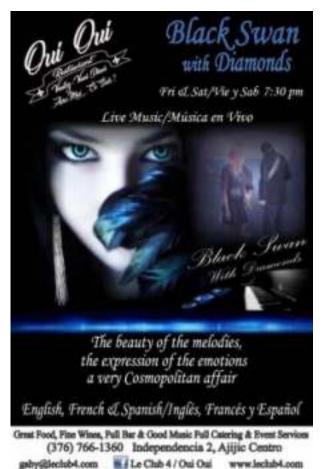


If you're into the legendary singer-songwriters of the 70s and beyond (James Taylor, Jimmy Buffett, Jackson Browne, Gordon Lightfoot, Dan Fogelberg, Jim Croce, etc.) come enjoy live music – along with a gourmet seafood lunch – at La Paceña Restaurant in San Antonio Tlay, this Friday, Feb. 24, from 12:30 – 2:30. The yet-unnamed trio, featuring Alex Holland on bass and David Cappadonia and Steve Motenko on vocals and guitars, will bring the classic singer-songwriters alive – and add a few originals. All tips go to FoodBank Lakeside.





S callion Ajijic Bistro





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

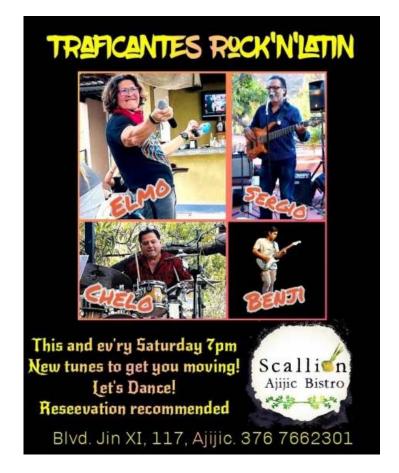
PM... you won't want to miss them!

## **Saturday**



Blue Jay Slim & The House of Blues will be kickin' out da blues on Saturday February 25rd starting at 3pm at El BarCo Skybar. Please join Chris Cuevas Ibarra on guitar and vocals, Sergio Casas on bass and vocals, Chelo Gonzalez on drums, Jim Pansa on harmonica, and Slim on guitar and vocals

Make your reservations by calling 376-766-0452 or go to El Barco Ajijic on Facebook and send a message.

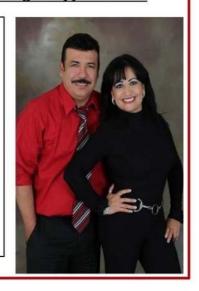


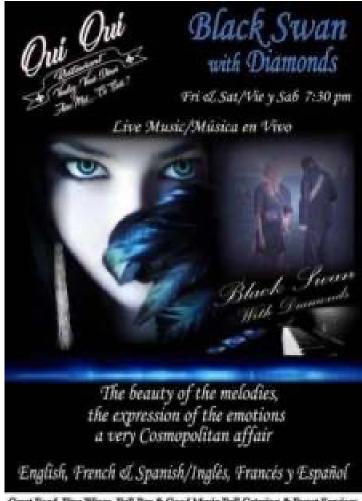


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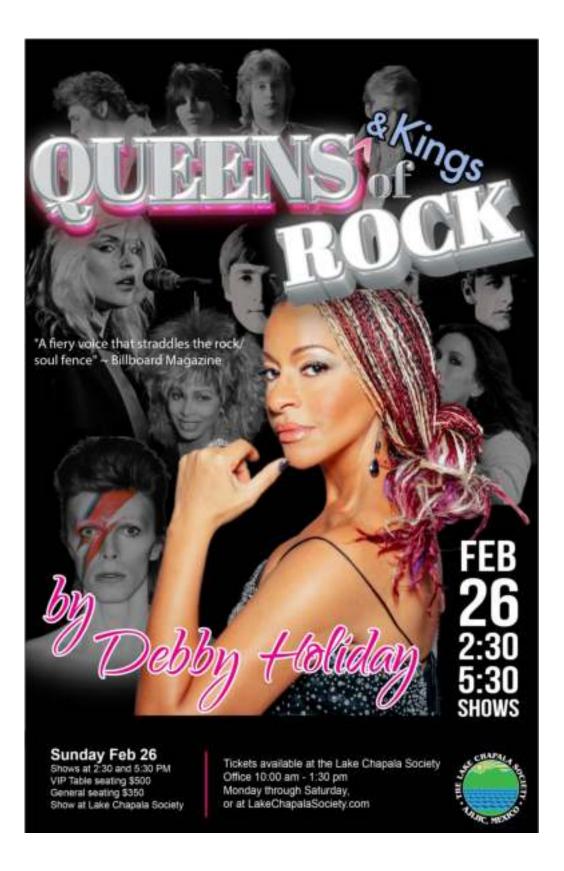
Pagina Web: labodegadeajijic.com.mx

Sábado 8:30PM Cover \$50 MN





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## **Sunday**







## Domingos de Mariachi

Mariachi Ajijic.



Feb. 5, 19 & 26

5 to 6 PM

Cover \$60. o' (or)

Minimo de \$200.00



16 de Septiembre 124, Ajijic,

Tel 376-766-1002

## **Upcoming Events**



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Suggested Donation \$200p Maps on Reverse Seating is livited, so please RSVP to: wex1509b@gssl.com

### Dan and Chenyl Dover-Laff #40 Codornices, Chapala Haciendas, Chapala





We're Baaaaack!



**Hola Orchestra Supporters.** 

After our successful concerts with Saul Ibarra this past weekend we immediately offered audience members advanced booking to our next concert! Now we want to make booking available to everyone on our mailing list. If you have already responded with ticket reservations you do not have to read any further! However, if you want to secure a seat read on!! I know the concerts are 3 months away but we have already had reservations for 140 tickets which is half the available seats!!

The next concerts are on Friday March 31 and Saturday April 1 at 3pm at Lakeside Presbyterian Church.

We have another exciting program which includes Beethoven's Symphony No. 5 and the Bruch Violin Concerto No.1 featuring Chris Wilshere as our soloist. You do not want to miss this one!

I suggest you get your reservations in to secure your seat. Tickets are \$300. Just send an email to LCCOtickets@gmail.com stating which day and how many tickets. We will have the physical tickets during February and will let you know when and where to pick them up. Remember that this past concert sold out within 5 days of announcing it!

It just remains for me, on behalf of the orchestra, to wish you all the best of the season and a Happy New Year.

We will see you in 2023 for another year of great music!

Michael Reason Artistic Director Lake Chapala Orchestra

## **Live Theatre**





## SIDE BY SIDE BY LAKESIDE

DIRECTED BY ANN SWISTON
ASSIST. DIRECTOR: DAVE MCINTOSH
MUSIC: GARY WAYNE YOUNG
CHOREOGRAPHY: ALEXIS HOFF

FEB 17 - 28, 2023

A MUSICAL ADVENTURE, bringing songs, both new and familiar, from musicals around the world to the shores of Lake Chapala!

Performance Dates: February 17-28, 2023

MATINEES ON FEBRUARY 18, 19, 25, 26, 27 & 28 are at 4 pm
(No show on Monday, February 20)

#### **NEW FEATURE AT LLT**

Hearing assistance is now available for use during our shows. First come, first served. A deposit of 500 pesos is required, which will be refunded to you when you return the headset.

Enquire at the box office upon arrival at LLT for the show



## The Cast!!!

#### A Musical Revue

Our stellar cast of 24, accompanied by Lakeside newcomer, Gary Wayne Young, is sure to delight with music from well-known musicals of Stephen Sondheim, Andrew Lloyd Webber, and Rogers and Hammerstein. We are delighted to be showcasing the talents of many artists you already know and a number of talented singers new to the area.

Get your tickets now for the best available seats, because sales pick up quickly for our annual music event.

#### **Performance times:**

Evenings 7:30 p.m.

Matinees 4:00 p.m. on February 18,19, 25, 26, 27 & 28

Tickets for Side by Side by Lakeside are 400 pesos – you can get them by:

Visit the LLT box office one hour before curtain on performance days or Wednesdays and Thursdays, 10 a.m. to noon, the week the show opens and the week of performance (February 15 & 16 as well as February 22 & 23).

## Jonas and Barry in the Home



By Norm Foster

Fri. Feb 24th, Sat. Feb. 25th & Sun. 26th

THE STATE THEATRE

"Humour with Heart"
Directed by Sharon Jarvis



Cast: Brian Kaulback, Florette Schneile & Peter James
Curtain at 4:00 pm. Tickets are \$200 to join in the fun.
Sales are brisk so RESERVE NOW at
barestagetheatre2018@gmail.com.

We are located at #261 on the mountain side of the Carretera in Riberas del Pilar across from the Catholic Church.

Door and Bar open at 3:00 pm. Seats are held till 3:50 pm. Auditorium curtains will be open for air flow.

Please Like, Follow & amp; Share our Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/barestagetheatre2018/

BUT PLEASE RESERVE using our gmail address above. Thx.

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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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