

Shrine Club Ribfest revival rocks

By Dale Hoyt Palfrey

The Lake Chapala Shrine Club (LCSC) came roaring back with its first post-pandemic Ribfest, held Wednesday, March 1 at Chapala's lakefront Villa Encantada events center.

A full house of around 400 guests relished tucking into the sumptuous BBQ ribs catered by Adelita Bar and Grill and dancing to the golden oldie tunes of Los Romeos band during the Shriners' main annual fundraising event,

Special guests in attendance included this year's LCSC poster boy Immer Rodríguez Macias and his family, and scores of Shriners visiting Chapala from different parts of Mexico.

More than a dozen of those in the dining crowd walked away with vouchers for door prizes donated by local restaurants and other businesses, and one lucky ticket holder was awarded 11,350 pesos in cash for a cut in the sellout 50/50 raffle.

All proceeds went into the Shrine Club kitty to support disabled children from the lakeside area.

The Shriners International pediatric healthcare system operates 18 hospitals and medical centers in the United States, plus one in Mexico City and another in Montreal, Canada. The Mexico City facility ranks



Chapala Shrine Club veteran member Perry King gave a warm welcome to 2023 poster boy Immer Rodríguez Macias and his younger brother Elam. The boys and their parents enjoyed the event from a front row table.

number one in patient care, serving an average of 80,000 youngsters per year who require specialized treatment for orthopedic conditions and burn injuries.

Last year, LCSC funding covered travel expenses to the Mexico City hospital for 76 patients and their families, as well as local treatments for two more youngsters. Expenditures



Adelita Bar and Grill never fails to please with its tender and juicy BBQ ribs, accompanied by tasty sides of baked beans and coleslaw.



Helados Italia from San Nicolás de Ibarra dished out gelato in a variety of flavors for guests attending the Shriner's Club fundraiser.

totaled 440,250 pesos. Since 2006 the local club has spent more than 5.5 million pesos aiding 2,358 children and adolescents afflicted with diverse disabilities.



Los Romeos played favorite golden oldies to get the Ribfest crowd up and dancing throughout the afternoon.

Always Have Fun!! For the week of March 6th to March 12th, 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 ba nd, it's all go od! Bringing copies of lyrics/ch ords is a huge help i f using the band for back up. Come share your talents with a truly supportive crowd!



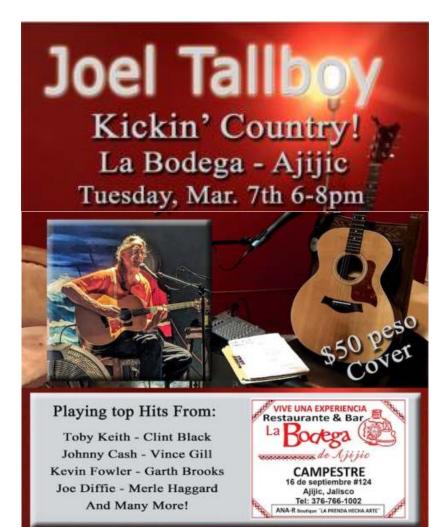
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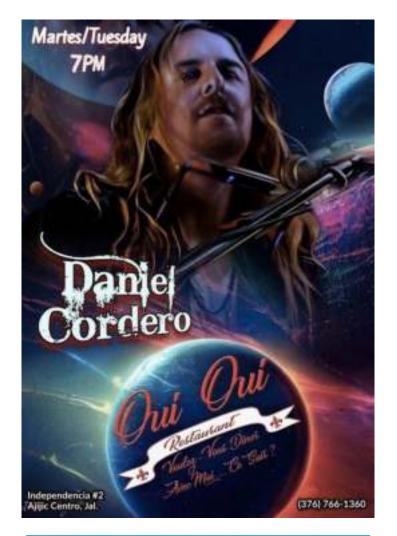




Sweet Harmony will play 3-6 Monday at the American Legion Post 7 Chapala.

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

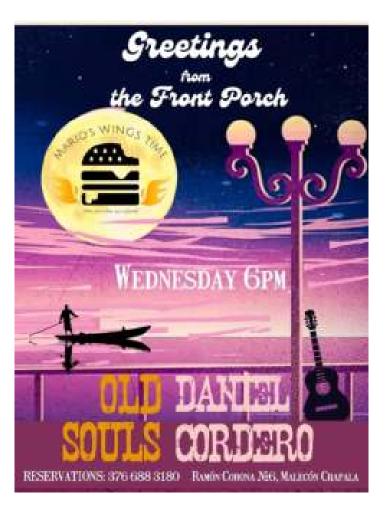
Expert mandolinist Jan Reimers has performed weekly at the Huerto for about a year, accompanied by several of the area's best talents; now he joins forces with newcomer multi-instrumentalist Jeffree White, who founded and led bluegrass collective Train River and gypsy jazz group Hot Club of Hawthorne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

WEDNESDAY



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

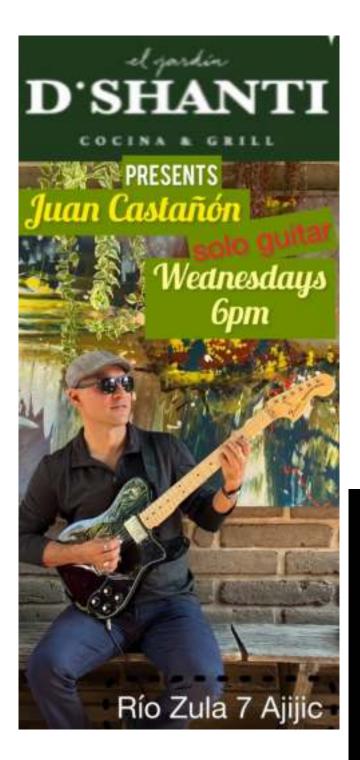


Open Mic Miercoles — Wednesday 5 a 7:30



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









Piano Night @ Emmanuel's Cantina



by Jeffree White

Wednesdays 6-8pm

Multi-instrumentalist and new transplant to <u>Ajijic</u>, 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 20th 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.

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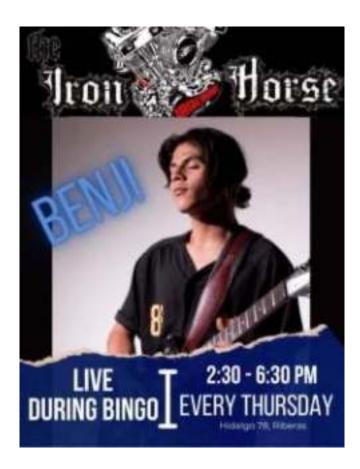




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At Adelita Bar & Grill Thursday from 6 to 8 PM Ver y good dance music!



La Bodega Presents Michael & Teri Conn

Thursday March 9th 6-8 P.M.

with SERGIO CASAS - Bass Guitar JIM PANSA - harmonica

Cover - \$100

and ... it's Michael's Birthday!

Friday









Acompaña a Black Sapphre Jazz, Distrute munica en ven en La Alemana, con AUTETICA gCOMIDA ALEMANA! Viernes

(Friday)

00 pm

No Cove



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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





A AFTERNOON OF Data Bar, 86B González Gallo, San Antonio Tlayacapan Doors Open 5:30PM, Showtime 6PM (Jood & Drinks Available for Purchase) Featuring: A L'air Ballet & Studio, Ajjiic Sky Dance, Chapala • Ocodance – AND MOREL Presented By: Judi Edelen Texest 3350 pesos, Available at Mana's,

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for an exciting performance

Snacks & Beverages available 6:00 pm Performance begins at 7:00 pm \$500 p|p

Reserve Now! Purchase Tickets IN ADVANCE at the hotel (Cash Only)

Javier Mina #7 Ajijic, México

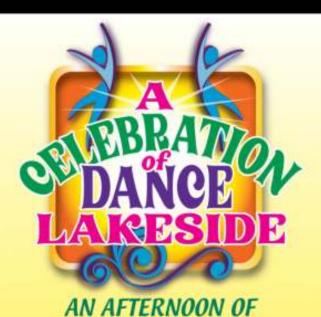
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Join Casa del Sol

Casa del Sol Inn







Dance Delights! March 11&12, 2023 Mama's Musical Bar, 86B González Gallo, San Antonio Tlayacapan Doors Open 5:30PM, Showtime 6PM (Food & Drinks Available for Purchase)

Featuring: A L'air Ballet & Studio, Ajijic Sky Dance, Chapala • Ocodance – AND MORE!

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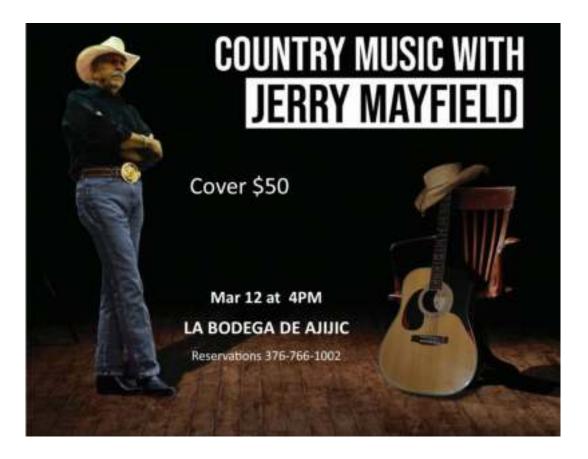


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Upcoming Events



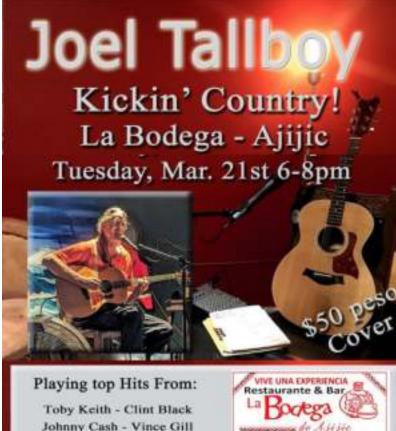
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St Patrick's Day Friday, March 17th

Served noon to closing Pea Soup Your choice: Manix Corned Beef and Cabbage, or Chicken Florentine, or Shrimp Teriyaki all served with Scalloped Potatoes, Green Beans, and Corn Souffle Mango Mousse for dessert \$420 p/p drinks and tip not included

Ricardo and Blanca entertain 6 = 9 pm Reserve now! space goes fast!!





Toby Keith - Clint Black Johnny Cash - Vince Gill Kevin Fowler - Garth Brooks Joe Diffie - Merle Haggard And Many More!







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Live Theatre





directed by Suki O'Brien

March 24 - April 2, 2023

Underwritten by Sandra Jakubek in memory of Peggy Lord Chilton

In parallel tales of obsession, musicologist Katherine Brandt attempts to uncover the motivation behind Beethoven's Diabelli Variations, a series of 33 variations on an ordinary waltz by a composer he felt was beneath him.

Performance Dates: March 24 - April 2, 2023 Evenings 7:30 p.m. Matinees 4:00 p.m. on March 25, 26, April 1 & 2

(No show on Monday, March 27)

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.



Front: Rob Stupple, Randy Warren, Ken Yakiwchuk Rear: Ricardo del Toro, Diana Rowland, M.A.Bruneau, Donna Burroughs

About the Play

A mother coming to terms with her daughter. A composer coming to terms with his genius. And, even though they're separated by 200 years, these two people share an obsession that might, even just for a moment, make time stand still. Drama, memory and music combine to transport you from present-day New York to nineteenthcentury Austria in this extraordinary American play about passion, parenthood and the moments of beauty that can transform a life.

Tickets for *33 Variations* are 350 pesos – you can get them by:

• Visiting the LLT box office one hour before curtain on all performance days, or 10 a.m. to noon, Wednesdays and Thursdays, during the week the show opens and the week of performance (March 22 & 23 as well as March 29 & 30).

Book your own band

Black Sapphire Jazz Smooth jazz and swing Contact Evaristo Leytte at (331) 064-9410 Or e-mail: leytte@gmail.com https://www.facebook.com/blacksapphirejazz

Latinitos Lounge

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The Shriners thank you for your support of the Annual Rib Fest held on March 1st... it was a very successful BLAST!

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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