



Virginia Woolf

In her early twenties, Virginia Woolf found a very different kind of exaltation in music. In a lengthy 1903 diary entry titled “A Dance at Queen’s Gate” from *A Passionate Apprentice: The Early Journals, 1897–1909* (public library), the 21-year-old writer recounts the particularly intoxicating effect of dance music (which, at the time, involved violins) during a wild night on the

That is the quality which dance music has — no other: it stirs some barbaric instinct — lulled asleep in our sober lives — you forget centuries of civilization in a second, & yield to that strange passion which sends you madly whirling round the room — oblivious of everything save that you must keep swaying with the music — in & out, round & round — in the eddies & swirls of the violins. It is as though some swift current of water

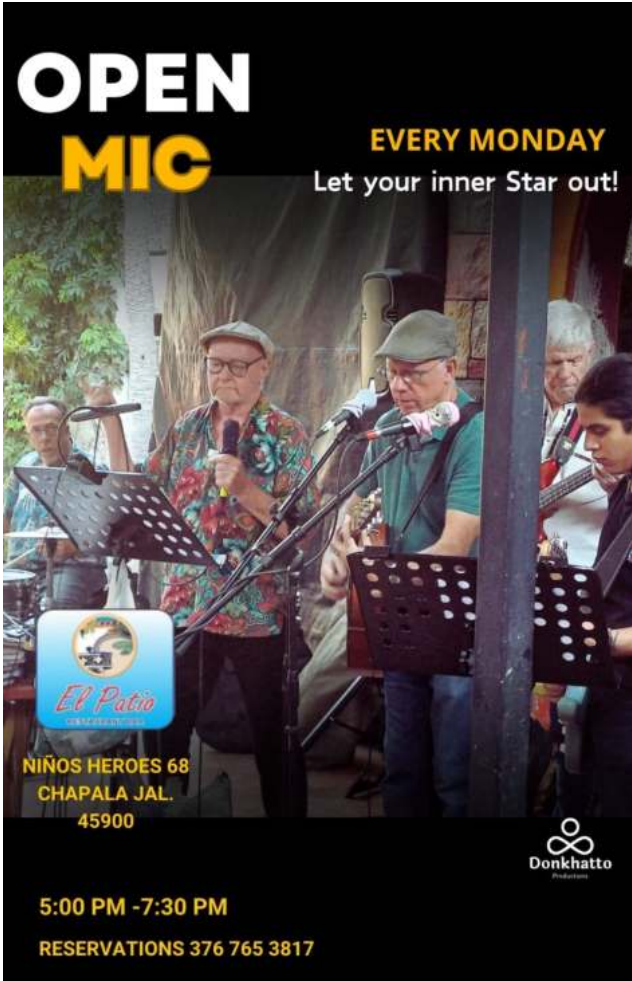
Merry Christmas to you and yours!... Francis

Always Have Fun!!

For the week of December 23rd to December 29th, 2024

AROUND THE RESTAURANTS AND BARS

MONDAY



OPEN MIC EVERY MONDAY
Let your inner Star out!

El Patio
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CHAPALA JAL.
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RESERVATIONS 376 765 3817

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Nostalgic Carols Singalong, fun readings, prizes, and gifts from Santa's elf helpers!

Old-Time Christmas Carol Singalong!

A Special Christmas Event at the
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Lyrics provided

Monday, Dec. 23
3pm-5:30pm
Joyfully produced by
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Joy is Everywhere!



EVERY MONDAY 5PM-7PM

Inamic Gaona
at
Mel's Casa Social

332-823-1507
44 Zaragoza Ajijic

Join us
\$35 pesos
Margaritas



CHRISTMAS CABARET
Monday, Dec 23rd - 5 PM
Just 150 pesos cover!

FEATURING HOLIDAY MUSIC BY:
TIM JOHNSON KRISTINE LEIGH
BRIAN MATHERS CHRIS PHILIPSON
MARGARET STRICKLETT PATRICK TROTTER
& WAYNE WATSON

Producer: Kristine Leigh Director: Brian Mathers

Join us at La Estacion
Hidalgo 75, Riberas Del Pilar
(Above Panchos)

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED
33 2623 9841

LA ESTACION



Adelita bar & grill
Traficantes trio
Mon. 23 6pm.

FRAD



LAST ACOUSTIC SHOW OF THE YEAR

AMERICAN LEGION POST 7

DECEMBER 24TH

1:00-3:30 PM

NO RESERVATIONS
FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED

INFO:
3332366104

MORELOS 114,
CHAPALA CENTRO,
45900
CHAPALA, JALISCO.

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




duo w/ guitar, mandolin & vocals

Tuesdays noon-2pm


at the Huerto Cafe: Hidalgo 212 in Riberas del Pilar

Expert mandolinist Jan Reimers and multi-instrumentalist Jeffree White share a love of bluegrass, but also much more music than that! They present a variety of instrumental & vocal music, inspired by David Grisman’s “Dawg music”, vintage swing, fiddle tunes, exotic waltzes, Latin rhythms, some classic rock, and traditional bluegrass with vocal harmonies -- and plenty of lively, hot pickin’! You can find several videos in a playlist on YouTube (search band name or our names).

La Bodega 
de Nijie

JOEL TALLBOY

ACOUSTIC CLASSIC ROCK




**EVERY TUESDAY
6-8 PM**

PLAYING TOP HITS FROM:

- Elton John-The Beatles-Eagles
- Van Morrison- Paul Simon
- Fleetwood Mac- Bob Dylan-Steve Miller-The Who
- The Amazing Rhythm Aces- And many, many more!

\$50 PESOS CONSUMO MINIMO



WEDNESDAY



La Bodega 
de Ajijic

OPEN MIC

Every Wednesday 5:00 pm to 7:30 pm

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

16 de septiembre #24 Ajijic Jal.45920  376 766 1002



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

Chatterley's
RESTAURANT & BAR

Juan Castañon
JAZZ GUITAR

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

From 5:30 to 7:30pm

Enjoy our specials with live music

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

reservations appreciated

come join us! ☎ 33 32 28 46 56

📍 Zaragoza #307b, Chapala, Centro

Comaleón
Cuba

TOK'DOS

miercoles
9pm
no cover

constitucion 29 Ajijic

Thursday

THURSDAYS
THIS
DECEMBER

RENEE MUXIC

NO
COVER

MUSIC
Live
MUSIC

@HUERTO CAFÉ DELI
12 PM
HIDALGO #212 RIBERAS DEL PILAR

El Patio

Charlie Cook
Band

GOOD MUSIC, GOOD FRIENDS, GOOD VIBES

Every thursday at
05:00 pm

Niños heroes 68
Chapala Jal.45900
Reservations: 376 765 3817

KRISTINA TREJO
PIANO EN AJIJIC

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

BRUNO'S PRESENTS

BLACK STRING
SERENADES & STEAKS

EVERY THURSDAY | FROM 6 TO 7:30 PM

La Cima del Copal

Jueves 3:30 Pm

Héctor Uribe



**RULE #1:
IS THAT
YOU
GOTTA
HAVE
FUN**

Thursdays
4:30pm



WINNER

Mel's
Casa Social

Daniel Cordero

Zaragoza #44, Ajijic

Let's Have Fun

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Friday

GOOD TIME
OLD TIME
MUSIC

FRIDAY THE 27TH FROM 5-7 PM

THE
DOCTOR FUN
One - Man Travelling Medicine Show

Me's
Casa Social

RESERVATIONS
376 766 2301
NO COVER

Scallion
Ajiic Bistro

PRESENTS

Old Souls Band

AMERICANA
MUSIC
IN AJIJIC

Scallion
Ajiic Bistro

BOULEVARD DE JIN XI 117 AJIJIC

Piano Friday Lunches @ the Huerto Cafe



with Jeffrey White

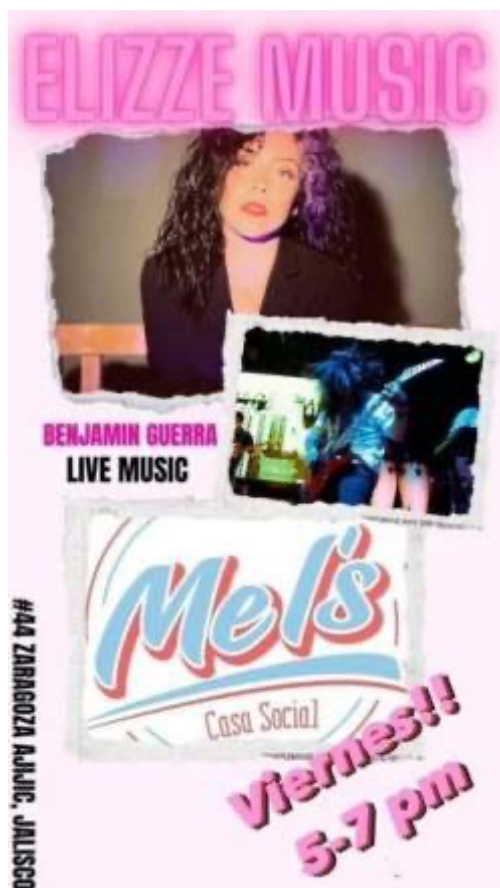
Multi-instrumentalist Jeffrey White (Bluegrass & Beyond, Black Sapphire, Old Souls, Cosmic Marbles) performs an eclectic presentation on piano in his unique whimsical fashion for your listening pleasure. You might hear early jazz songs, pleasant & fun takes on 20th century popular music, some exotic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

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

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

11:30am-1:30pm

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



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

Ev'ry Saturday at 7pm
Traficantes Rock'n'Latin

Scallion
Ajiije Bistro

Cumbia, Salsa
Rock, Latino
Baileongo!

No cover



Bldv Jin X6 117, Ajiije
Ph: 376 7662301

MUSICA EN VIVO
Renee Mixic
Interpretando
rocks en inglés y español

SABADO
9 a 11

OPEN MIC
Pibe's gallery

WICALLO 96, RIBESAS DEL PILAR, 45906 SAN ANTONIO TLAYACAPAN, JAL.



Romeo & Julieta

MUSICA EN VIVO


ROMEO Y JULIETA
RESTAURANT

VÍCTOR DANIER
VALDÉS

TODOS LOS SABADOS
De 6:00 A 8:00

Dirección: Paseo Ramón
Corona 12 A, Chapala,
Jalisco.
Teléfono : 33 1255 3226

SABADO 28
DICIEMBRE
3:00 PM



**THE
PRETTY
BOYS**
+ ALE SOTO

**Iron
Horse**
Bar & Grill
Chapala Jalisco Mexico

Posada De Miguel Zona Bar 503

28 de Diciembre

Cena gratis con tu consumo

A partir de las 6 de la tarde

SELVA NEGRA

Y VAMPREZTO

The poster features a vibrant background of a nightclub scene with purple and blue stage lights and a crowd of people. The text is overlaid in various colors and fonts, including pink, red, white, yellow, and blue.

HAVE
FUN!

Sunday

GARY LANZ BAND

SUNDAYS 6:30
on the Scallion Channel

Scallion
Ajjic Bistro

No cover charge
Reservations:
+52 376 766 2301
Next to El Torito in Bugambillas, Ajjic

Logo of Scallion Ajjic Bistro, featuring a green leaf and a bowl of food.

CARRETERA CHAPALA-JOCOTEPEC #30 AJJIC

LIVE MUSIC

BENJAMIN GUERRA

ISAEL ANGULO

DOMINGOS
3 A 5 PM

KEVIN REAL

ELIZZE MUSIC

BAJA NORTE
FOOD BAR

Logo of Baja Norte Food Bar, featuring a stylized blue and green shape.

**REGGAE
ROCK
CUMBIA**

LOS NIÑOS DE SANTA MARÍA SANTA

Miguel Zúñiga Bar 503

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

Sunday 3-6pm

Iron Horse
Bar & Grill

Daniel Cordero **All Day!**

NFL

NO COVER

Juan Castañón / solo guitar

PASTA TRENTA

Sundays 5pm

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

Sunday

Brunch!

AT CASA DEL SOL

FROM 9.30AM UNTIL 2.00PM \$350 PIP

Casa del Sol Inn

Please reserve early:
mariana@casadelsolinn.com

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

Upcoming Events

ALWAYS
HAVE
FUN

PRE NEW YEARS DANCE PARTY DEC. 30 | 8PM

GRIZZ PIÑA
& **THE FUNKY BAND**



OPEN JAM AT THE END OF THE SHOW | MUSICIANS NO COVER!!

EL BAR.CO AJIJIC \$500 RESERV. 376 766 04 52

New Year's Eve

Cena Show

Celebra con nosotros la llegada de año nuevo 2025

INCLUYE:
 Música en vivo
 Copa vino espumoso para brindis
 12 uvas
 Crema de calabaza con crotones.
 Medallón de filete de res Roquefort, puré de papa, verduras salteadas.
 Salmon a las hiervas finas, puré de papa y espárragos
 Pollo a la parmigiana, pure de papas y verduras salteadas.
 Pastel de Chocolate

Cupo Limitado

31 Dic a partir de las 9 PM.

\$1,150 p/p

Ricardo & Blanca

Restaurante & Bar
La Bodega
 de Ajijic
 Mariscos, carnes y pastas
 16 de septiembre #124
 Ajijic, Jalisco
 Tel: 376-766-1002
 labodegadeajijic@gmail.com

AMERICAN LEGION

NEW YEARS EVE EVENT
 SPONSORED BY:

INTERCAM BANCO
 LAESTE MEDICAL GROUP

MUSIC BY:
BLUE CADILLACS
 DECEMBER 31ST 2024
 2 pm to 5 pm - dinner served at 3 pm

ALL YOU CAN EAT
 LARGE SHRIMP
 FRIED CHICKEN
 SWEET CORN ON THE COB
 POTATO SALAD
 DESSERT
 VEGETARIAN MEAL (AVAILABLE)

RAFFLES & SILENT AUCTION
\$400.00 PESOS
PROCEEDS GO TO LOCAL VETERANS
 NO PETS - NO REFUNDS - NO CARRY OUT

MARIO'S RESTAURANT

NEW YEARS EVE

2025

3 COURSES MENU
 CHOICE OF:

1ST COURSE
 LOBSTER & SHRIMP BISQUE SOUP
 OR
 CLAM CHOWDER SOUP

2ND COURSE
 ROASTED TURKEY ROULADE
 STUFFING, GRAVY, CRANBERRY SAUCE, MASH
 POTATO, CORNBREAD, MIX VEGETABLES
 OR
 FILET MIGNON
 COGNAC DEMI-GLACE, GARLIC OVEN ROASTED
 BABY POTATOES, WILTED GREENS

3RD COURSE
 BASQUE BURNT CHEESE CAKE
 OR
 CLASSIC PUMPKIN PIE
 CHAMPAGNE, GRAPES, 2025 PARTY CELEBRATION KIT

31ST DEC 2024 | HIDALGO 22, AJIJIC, CENTRO
 INSIDE THE HOTEL
 CASA YOLLÖTZIN

SPECIAL MENU & LIVE MUSIC
\$975.00 P/P
 DRINKS AND TIPS NOT INCLUDED

MAKE YOUR RESERVATION MUST PREPAID
 TEL: 37676 64642 CEL: 3339530586

Adelita New Years Party

Horarios 12pm - 1am

Nuestro menú regular completo disponible todo el día mas especiales

Our full regular menu available all day plus chef specials

Musica en vivo Live Music at 8pm
Los Traficantes!! \$150 pesos cover

Adelita Bar & Grill cel **332-184-4645**

NEW YEAR'S EVE

DINNER AND DANCE

GARY LANZ BAND

Also ELMO's Surprise Band and a DJ

Dinner only \$790 p/p includes Soup, Flank Beef, Roasted Chicken, or Grilled Salmon, and New York Cheesecake.

Reservations:
+52 376 766 2301
DEC. 31 6:30 - 2025

Next to El Torito in Bugambilias, Ajijic

New Year 2025

El BarCo Ajijic

Tekila Blues

Special Menu (Optional)
Cover \$300 pesos

9:00 p.m.

Oriente 33A, Ajijic, Jal.
Reser. 376 766 0462

NEW YEAR'S EVE

Dinner

Tuesday December 31st

Live music by

ELMO

Benji, Isael & Kevin

&

GARY LANZ BAND

\$790 p/p

*Dj starts 6:30pm and live music 8:00pm.

Reservation Required!

Blvd. Jin XI, 117 Ajijic
Ph: +52 376 7662301

*Includes champagne & our house limoncello, also grapes.

ANAVETS MEXICO UNIT #19 AND THE AMERICAN LEGION POST 7

Invite you to join us for the

New Year's Day Levee

Wednesday January 1st, 2025
2:00 at the
American Legion in Chapala

This is a Canadian Tradition that ANAVETS would like to share with our American and Mexican friends.

Moose Milk will be served.
If you don't know what that is, come out and try it!

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

www.anavetsmexico.org anavets.mexico@gmail.com


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New Freedom Chorale
with Cindy Paul & Geoff Shuey

Starts Jan. 3

Sing hits from the 60's with others who love them too!

20 peso cover
get yourself free!



60's Singalong!

LIVE accompaniment on two guitars, jammers welcome!

Lyrics to 120 songs are provided.

Write CindyPaul2@gmail.com or text or call 331 437 7281 for more info.

At **CLUB POSITIVO**, 217 San Lucas in Riberas.

FRIDAYS
3:30-5PM

COMEDY BENEFIT!

An hour of Comedy & Storytelling with T D Lake
In an enjoyable evening that includes dinner
All this to benefit Centro Educativo Jaltepec
a charity transforming women for life!



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

La Bodega de Ajjic Restaurant
16 de Septiembre #124

TICKETS \$500 pesos in advance per person
email: chiemima@gmail.com for Tkts.

Lake Chapala Orchestra

Presents:



The Great Romantics

Guest Soloist:
Angélica Olivo
(Violin)



PROGRAM
Tchaikovsky: Violin Concerto
Sibelius: Symphony No. 5

Friday, January 24
at 7:00 pm

Saturday, January 25
at 2:00 pm

Lakeside Presbyterian Church
250 San Jorge,
Riberas del Pilar

The Lake Chapala Orchestra
Conducted by
Michael Reason

Tickets: **\$400**
Reservations:
LCCOtickets@gmail.com

lakechapalaorch.com

Poster Design by Tracey Adams Email: carouselccc@icloud.com




REVISIT THE BEATLES "GET BACK" CONCERT

WITH THE "ROOFTOP" ROMEOS

 **Monday, Jan. 27**

Doors open at 2 p.m.
Concert begins at 3 p.m.

At El Bar Co.

Tickets available at
www.programaninos.com

Raffle for original
Cavern Club t-shirts

FULL BAR, LIMITED MENU AVAILABLE

Concert proceeds benefit
Niños Incapacitados



Special Events

Ayuda a celebrar la navidad a una familia.

Help a family celebrate Christmas.



Cena por familia de 4 personas: Pollo rostizado con salsas, tortillas y una Coca Cola de 2.50 lt. Por \$225.00

Dinner for a family of 4 people: Roasted chicken with sauces, tortillas and a 2.50 lt Coca Cola for \$225.00

Se las entregaremos en el restaurante de 1:30 a 3 el 24 de diciembre, tenemos 80 familias necesitadas.

We will give them to them from 1:30 to 3 on December 24, in the restaurant we have 80 families in need.

Donaciones 16 de Septiembre #124, Ajijic.



AUDITIONS

Las Voces del Lago 2025 Spring Concerts

Auditions for new members and Nova Lux will take place starting at 10:00 am on January 14 and 15, 2025 at Lakeside Presbyterian Church, Riberas del Pilar.



To Arrange an Audition, contact Ken Turner 2 weeks prior to auditions. Email Ken at kenturnertenor@gmail.com

Rehearsals for the Women's Chorus begin on Monday, January 20 at 2:00 pm; rehearsals for Nova Lux begin the same day at 3:00 pm



Rehearsals for the Mixed Chorus begin on Tuesday, January 21 from 1:00- 4:00 pm.

All rehearsals take place at Lakeside Presbyterian Church.

Live Theatre



BARE STAGE THEATRE

"Black Comedy at its Best"

**Fri. Dec 27, Sat. Dec 28
& Sun. Dec 29**

Directed by:
Rosann Balbontin

Cast: Mark Donaldson, Fred Koesling, Kathleen Pharis, Lynn Phelan, Phil Rylett, Rob Stupple, Patrick Trotter, & John Ward

The Ladykillers

by Graham Linehan



Tickets are 300p Sat. & Sun but ONLY 200p on Fri. We now offer 'hearing assist' headsets (reserve ahead) Contact Reservations now at barestagetheatre2018@gmail.com **Save the Date!** Jan. 24, 25, 26, *Enter Laughing Again*, by Paul Elliot, directed by Roxanne Rosenblatt

Location: #19 San Lucas, Riberas del Pilar. Look for directional signs from hwy. HCAP parking is in front & parking lot across the street.

Door & bar opens 3:00 pm. Curtain at 4:00 pm, seats held until 3:50 pm. All bar proceeds go to Operation Feed. (Our theatre is a scent-free location, please do not wear scent). Please see our Facebook page, <https://www.facebook.com/barestagetheatre2018> & sign up on our new



LAKESIDE LITTLE THEATRE

2024 2025

The Metropolitan
Opera

CHAPALA
OPERA *Guild*

SAT **SUN** **MON**
DEC **DEC** **DEC**
21 **22** **23**
4 PM

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The Metropolitan
Opera

CHAPALA
OPERA *Guild*

SAT **SUN** **MON**
JAN **JAN** **JAN**
4 **5** **6**
4 PM

WOLFGANG AMADEUS MOZART

THE MAGIC FLUTE



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

350 pesos
Online:
lakesidelittletheatre.com

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



**LAKESIDE
LITTLE THEATRE**

**2024
2025**

MAIN STAGE

AUDITIONS

SEASON
60

Thursday & Friday, January 9 & 10, 2025
Auditions 10 am - 1 pm

IT'S ONLY A **PLAY**

by
TERRENCE McNALLY
directed by **PAUL KLOEGMAN**

MARCH 28 - APRIL 6, 2025

"... without a doubt hilariously, sidesplittingly funny - these are among the funniest lines to roll off a stage in years ...!"
(The New York Times)

Looking for: 2 women & 5 men

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

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

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



**LAKESIDE
LITTLE THEATRE**

**2024
2025**

**A SPECIAL EVENT
REPRISING LAST SUMMER'S
HIGHLY-PRAISED DRAMA**

FACING EAST

JANUARY, 2025
FRIDAY 10 7:30 PM
SATURDAY 11 4:00 PM
SUNDAY 12 4:00 PM



**WRITTEN BY
CAROL LYNN PEARSON**

**DIRECTED BY
COLLETTE CLAVADETSCHER**

FACING EAST is presented by special arrangement with Leicester Bay Theatricals

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400 pesos
Cuota de recuperación

Reserved Seating - McIntosh Auditorium
Allen W. Lloyd Drive, San Antonio Tlayacapan



AUDITIONS

TINY BEAUTIFUL THINGS

By Nia Vardalos

Based on the book by Cheryl Strayed

Directed by David Gassner

SEVERAL ACTORS NEEDED

Flexible Casting

Auditions via

Video Submission

For detailed information & instructions
including sides, please email:

auditions@thebravo.org

Rehearsals begin Monday, January 13th

Performing March 14-16 & March 21-23, 2025

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CATHY LADMAN

PLUS:

LISA GEDULDIG

AMERICAN COMEDY AWARDS'
BEST FEMALE STAND-UP
HBO ONE NIGHT STAND

AND 10 APPEARANCES ON

THE TONIGHT SHOW

JANUARY
18TH - 19TH
2025

HAVE FUN!

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I am ready for a great week... how about you?

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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MERRY
Christmas