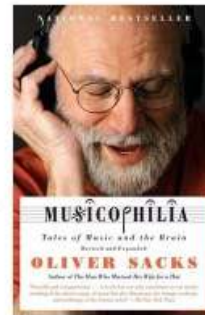




**Oliver Sacks**

Nearly a century and a half later, **Oliver Sacks** captured this supreme spiritual sustenance of music in ***Musicophilia: Tales of Music and the Brain*** (*public library*), which remains the most stimulating inquiry into the source of music's power ever written. Reflecting on a particularly trying moment for the human spirit — the days following the September 11 attacks — Dr. Sacks writes:



On my morning bike ride to Battery Park, I heard music as I approached the tip of Manhattan, and then saw and joined a silent crowd who sat gazing out to sea and listening to a young man playing Bach's Chaconne in D on his violin. When the music ended and the crowd quietly dispersed, it was clear that the music had brought them some profound consolation, in a way that no words could ever have done.

Always Have Fun!!

For the week of January 27th to February 2nd, 2025

AROUND THE RESTAURANTS AND BARS

MONDAY



**Adelita bar & grill**  
**Traficantes trio**  
**Mon. 27 6pm.**  
whatsapp 332 184 4645



**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](http://www.programaninos.com)

Raffle for original  
**Cavern Club t-shirts**  
FULL BAR, LIMITED MENU AVAILABLE  
Concert proceeds benefit  
Niños Incapacitados



EVERY MONDAY 5PM-7PM

*Inamic Gaona*  
at  
*Mel's Casa Social*

332-823-1507  
44 Zaragoza Ajijic



Join us  
\$35 pesos  
Margaritas



**OPEN MIC** EVERY MONDAY  
Let your inner Star out!



  
NIÑOS HEROES 68  
CHAPALA JAL.  
45900

5:00 PM -7:30 PM  
RESERVATIONS 376 765 3817





Tuesday



**The Street Dogs**  
 Art Lajambe Chelo Gonzalez Sergio Casas

CLASSIC ROCK, 50'S/60'S & COUNTRY

*Scallion Ajijic Bistro*  
 Boulevard De Jun XI117, 45920 Ajijic

Tuesday, January 28, 2025  
 6:30pm - 8:30pm



Reserve your seats early!!

Reservations: [37 6766 2301](tel:3767662301)



Steve Balfour presents  
*Concerts in the Park*

# PURA VIDA!

**MARIACHI CONCERT**  
 GRUPO BELLA  
 ESCUELA DE MARIACHI  
 AJIJIC


Benefit for Escuela de Mariachi Pedro Rey of Ajijic

**JANUARY 28**  
 4:30 PM

**MARIACHI**  
 Pedro Rey

Tuesday, January 28  
 Concert starts 4:30 pm  
 VIP \$500  
 General \$350  
 Show at Lake Chapala Society

Tickets available at  
 the Lake Chapala Society  
 Office 10:00 am - 2 pm  
 Monday through Saturday,  
 or at [LakeChapalaSociety.com](http://LakeChapalaSociety.com)



## “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).*



WEDNESDAY

**OLD SOULS BAND**  
*Jorge's Place*  
WEDNESDAYS 6PM

CARRETERA PTE. 36, AJIJIC

The advertisement features a black and white photograph of a man in a cowboy hat sitting in a car. In the background, a building with a sign that says "JORGE'S PLACE" is visible.



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

**OPEN MIC**

La Bottega   
de Ajijic

**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  Minimum spend 100 pesos



The advertisement features a colorful illustration of three musicians: a woman playing guitar, a man playing guitar, and a man playing drums. The background is dark purple with a spotlight effect.

**Lakeside Jazz Trio**

  
Ajouter un sous-titre

  
ISA VELLA  
COCINA DE AUTOR  
AJIJIC SINCE 1997

**Wed**  
**29 jan**  
**6 Pm**  
**no cover**

Encarnacion Rosas 34-1  
Ajijic Centro

Reservations  
**376 766 2970**

The advertisement features a photograph of three musicians playing jazz instruments: guitar, bass, and trumpet. The background is a green wall with a chain-link fence. There are yellow starburst graphics scattered around the photo.

**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

**Camaleón Bar**

**miércoles**  
**9pm**  
**no cover**

**TOK'DOS**

constitucion 29 Ajijic



Thursday

Thursdays  
4:30pm

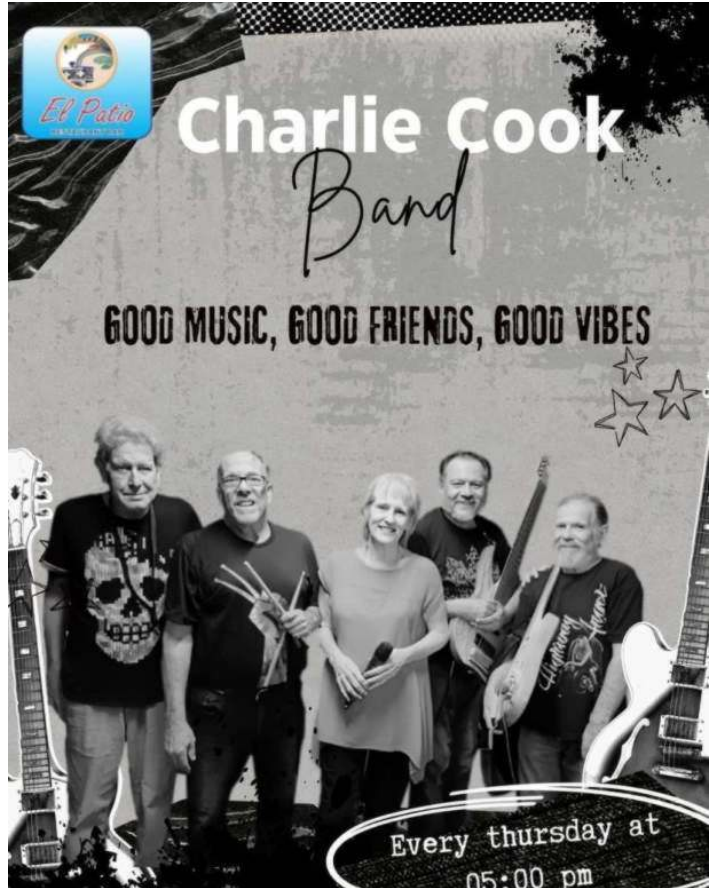


**Mel's**  
Casa Social

**Daniel Cordero**

Zaragoza #44, Ajijic

A promotional poster for Daniel Cordero's performance. It features a photograph of Daniel Cordero, a man with long hair and sunglasses, playing an electric guitar. The background is yellow with musical notes and stars. The text includes 'Thursdays 4:30pm', the 'Mel's Casa Social' logo with a 'WINNER' seal, the name 'Daniel Cordero' in a stylized font, and the address 'Zaragoza #44, Ajijic'.



**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

A promotional poster for the Charlie Cook Band. It features a black and white photograph of the five band members standing together with their instruments. The text includes the band name 'Charlie Cook Band', the slogan 'GOOD MUSIC, GOOD FRIENDS, GOOD VIBES', the performance schedule 'Every thursday at 05:00 pm', the venue 'Niños heroes 68', the address 'Chapala Jal.45900', and the phone number 'Reservations: 376 765 3817'. There is also a small logo in the top left corner that says 'El Patio'.

**La Cima del Copal**  
Jueves Héctor Uribe  
3:30 pm



A promotional poster for Héctor Uribe's performance at La Cima del Copal. It features a photograph of Héctor Uribe, a man with long hair and glasses, playing a green electric guitar and singing into a microphone. The background is dark with blue lighting. The text includes the venue name 'La Cima del Copal', the day and performer 'Jueves Héctor Uribe', and the time '3:30 pm'.

BRUNO'S PRESENTS

**BLACK STRING**  
SERENADES & STEAKS



EVERY THURSDAY | FROM 6 TO 7:30 PM

A promotional poster for Black String's performance at Bruno's. It features a photograph of two men, one older and one younger, looking upwards. The text includes 'BRUNO'S PRESENTS', the band name 'BLACK STRING', the theme 'SERENADES & STEAKS', and the performance schedule 'EVERY THURSDAY | FROM 6 TO 7:30 PM'.

Friday



ELIZZE MUSIC

BENJAMIN GUERRA  
LIVE MUSIC

Mel's  
Casa Social

Viernes!!  
5-7 pm

#44 ZARAGOZA APLIC, JALISCO



Tuesdays  
&  
Fridays  
6pm

Solo Guitar

Teocintle



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!

## 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 20<sup>th</sup> 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 Ribera on the carretera next to "It's Kinda Bazar"*.

11:30am-1:30pm

Visit [www.jeffreywhite.com](http://www.jeffreywhite.com), "Jeffrey White's Music Page" on Facebook, & playlist "Jeffrey playing piano" on YouTube.



*Willy Zavala y Rousy Jáu*  
Piano y voz

**Viernes**  
**31 Enero,**  
**7:30 pm**

# La Serenata

Carretera Poniente  
# 33  
Las Salvias  
Ajijic, Jalisco.

# Traveler

## Classic Folk-Rock

*Beatles, Simon & Garfunkel,  
James Taylor, Gordon Lightfoot,  
Jimmy Buffett, Jackson Browne,  
& more... plus originals*



Chulavista 89, San Antonio  
1 block west of San Antonio Hospital  
Reservations: 33 4669 3622

**Friday, Jan. 31**  
**4:30-6:30pm • No cover**



# Saturday



**FRAD**  
ELECTRIC SHOW  
At  
*La Bodega*  
JANUARY 31ST | 6:00 PM  
LIMITED SEATS  
GET YOUR TICKETS IN ADVANCE  
150MX  
MUSIC FEE



*Romeo y Julieta*  
MÚSICA 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



MUSICA EN VIVO  
*Renee Mixic*  
Interpretando  
rocks, en inglés y español  
SABADO  
9 a 11  
OPEN MIC  
*Pibe's gallery*  
RICALDO 96, PUEBLAS DEL PILAR, 45906 SAN ANTONIO TLAYACAPAN, JAL.



**Inamic Gaona**  
at  
**El Charro**  
Colón 16, Centro Ajjic  
Every  
Saturday  
10AM-12PM



Sunday

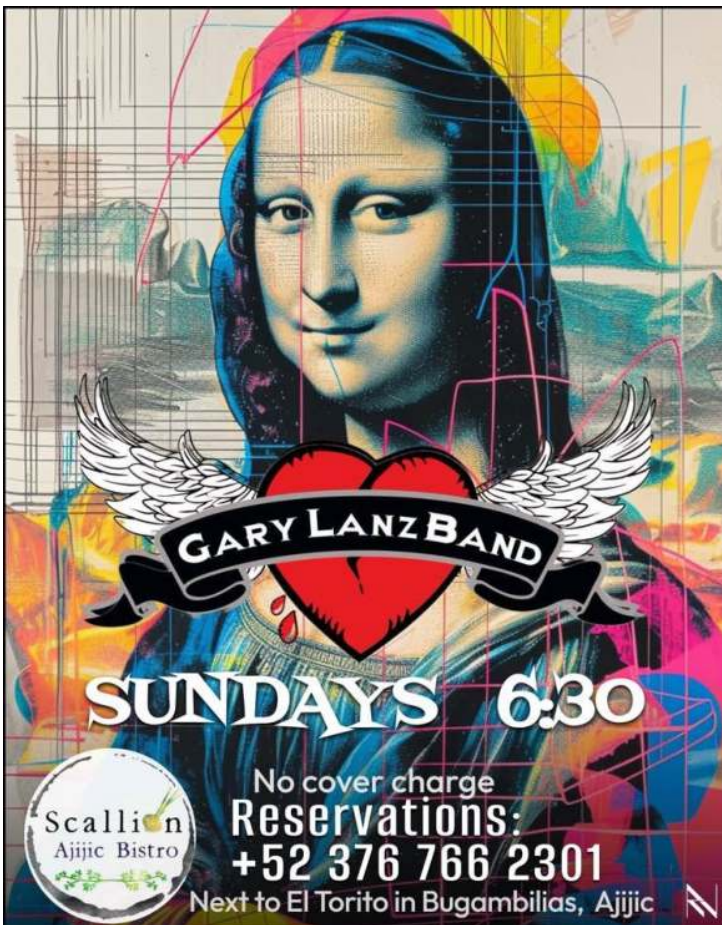
*Jorge's Place*  
*Presents*

**Blue Jay Slim**  
*& The Blues Machine*

**Sunday Feb. 2nd**  
**3pm**



Carretera Pte. 36, Ajijic Cover 100 pesos



**GARY LANZ BAND**

**SUNDAYS 6:30**

No cover charge  
**Reservations:**  
**+52 376 766 2301**

Next to El Torito in Bugambillas, Ajijic

Scallion  
Ajijic Bistro

CARRERA CHAPALA-JOCOTEPEC #30 AJIJIC

**LIVE MUSIC**



ISAEL ANGULO



KEVIN REAL

BENJAMIN GUERRA

**DOMINGOS**  
**3 A 5 PM**

**ELIZZE**  
**MUSIC**

**BAJA NORTE**  
FOOD BAR



**REGGAE  
ROCK  
CUMBIA**

**LOS NIÑOS DE SAN JOSÉ MARÍA SAN JUAN**

**Miguel Zúñiga Bar 503**

<b>TODOS LOS DOMINGOS</b>	<b>NO COVER</b>
<b>08:00 PM</b>	

**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](mailto:mariana@casadelsolinn.com)

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



# Upcoming Events

Concierto homenaje a  
*Vicente Garrido*  
A musical tribute



**Centro Cultural J.J. González Gallo**  
Av. González Gallo #1500, Centro, Chapala.

«El padre del bolero moderno»

Domingo 02 de febrero  
Sun, Feb 02

12:30 h

Entrada libre / Free entry.

**Intérpretes / performers:**  
Sofía Ramírez, Joaquín García,  
Miguel Soto y Arne Wernink.



## LIVE in Concert

TUESDAY FEB 4

WENDY LAURIER SINGS  
THE HITS OF CAROLE KING  
AND KAREN CARPENTER



UNDER THE TREES OF  
THE LAKE CHAPALA  
SOCIETY

5 PM - 6:30 PM  
DOORS OPEN AT 4  
PM.

**TICKETS**



VIP \$600 MX

GENERAL ADMISSION \$400 MX



TICKETS AVAILALE AT

[WWW.PROGRAMANINOS.COM](http://WWW.PROGRAMANINOS.COM)

A benefit for Niños Incapacitados

TRIBUTE TO  
**ABBA**  
THURSDAY FEB 6 AT 5:30 PM  
PRODUCED BY  
DANIEL CELIS  
STARRING  
GINA IBARRA & ALE MATUS

After the show, the party continues!  
DANCE TO THE RHYTHM ALL NIGHT LONG!



Tickets available at the Lake Chapala Society  
Office 10am - 2pm,  
Monday through Saturday  
or at [LakeChapalaSociety.com](http://LakeChapalaSociety.com)



# TABLAO FLAMENCO

*Internacional*



ÁGUEDA SAAVEDRA  
PAULINA RUÍZ  
SOLEÁ GOLLÁS  
EMILIA GÁLVEZ  
FERNANDO MARTÍNEZ

9 de Febrero  
18:00 HRS

La Cochera Cultural  
Javier Mina #49, Ajijic



EVENTO CON CAUSA A BENEFICIO DEL MAESTRO *Pedro Rey*




MARIACHI

## Los Galleros

de Danny Rey

*Invitados Especiales:*  
MARIACHI CORONA, MARIACHI MÉXICO SON,  
MARIACHI NUEVO CHAPALA,  
Mariachi Infantil de la Escuela Pedro Rey  
Fernando López Hernández

JUEVES 13 DE FEBRERO DEL 2025 / 8:00 PM / BOLETO: \$500

**El FARO**  
EVENTOS

Libramiento Chapala-Ajijic 45900



**Fri. Feb. 14th, 7pm**

Valentine's Day  
Fundraiser for  
Mama Cleo's Boy's  
Home




## The Romeos

Lake Chapala's Superband

**ALL WE NEED IS I. LOVE!**

**\$600 admission  
Dinner included**

**Reservation Required**  
+52 376 7662301,  
+53 33 25986705



**SAVE THE DATE**

HAPPY  
*Valentine's Day*

WITH  
**Old Souls Band**

**FRIDAY FEBRUARY 14 4PM - 7PM**

**CHAPALA MEXICO AMERICAN LEGION POST 7**  
MORELOS 114, CHAPALA



SPECIAL DINNER & LIVE MUSIC  
TICKETS AVAILABLE SOON



Join to  
**MARY'S ISLAND**



to celebrate

**VALENTINE'S DAY**

Viernes 14 de febrero, 2025  
 4:00 - 6:00 PM  
 Menú especial  
 4to Sentido

**COVER \$150**  
 INCLUYE COCTEL DE BIENVENIDA

Reservaciones 3346693622 o en pág. Facebook "4to Sentido"

LA ESTACION SOURDOUGH PIZZA & BAKERY  
 PRESENTS:

**Valentine's Day  
 CONCERT**

MUSIC BY

**MAESTRO  
 PAUL SILVERMAN  
 -PIANO-  
 VICTOR VALDÉS  
 -BARITONE-**

DIEGO MEDELES - DANCE  
 KRISTINE LEIGH - DANCE

RSVP REQUIRED LIMITED SPACE

PERFORMANCE FROM 6PM TO 8PM  
 AND DANCING TILL 9:00PM



**COVER P/P \$200**  
**RSVP 33 2623 9841**



RIVERAS DEL PILAR HIDALGO #75  
 SECOND FLOOR ELEVATOR AVAILABLE

HAPPY  
*Valentine's Day*

**ELIZÉ  
 MUSIC**

NOS VEMOS EN

VIERNES  
 14 FEB

5:30 A  
 7:30 PM




HIDALGO #261 RIBERAS DEL PILAR  
 45906 CHAPALA, MEXICO

**Valentine's Day Dinner**

Friday, February 14, 5-9pm

**Entertainment by Sweet Armony 6-8pm**  
 Appetizers • Caprese Salad  
 Choice of Petite Lobster Tails, Chateaubriand with Bernaise Sauce  
 or Manix Chicken Roll, all served with mashed potatoes,  
 corn soufflé and asparagus. Chocolate Strawberries for dessert.  
 \$600 pesos p/p (drinks and tip not included)  
 By paid reservation only. Cash, non refundable.

www.manixajijic.com  
 Carretera Pte. 111, Ajijic  
 376 766 0061 / 331 065 0725

**Restaurant Manix II**







The Northern Lights Music Festival

Presents

Special Valentine's Day Concert

February 14<sup>th</sup>

Festival House  
7:30 PM  
\$1,400



## You're Alike, You Two

Join us this Valentine's Day for an unforgettable evening of music, romance, and indulgence. Celebrate the rising star Caity Gyorgy, whose stunning vocals are captivating audiences worldwide, alongside the brilliant pianist, arranger, and Juno Award-winner Mark Limacher. Together, they bring to life their acclaimed album, *You're Alike, You Two*, in an intimate and rare acoustic performance. Backed by Mark on piano and a quartet of strings, these exclusive arrangements promise a night of pure artistry. Following the concert, savour exquisite desserts and champagne in the elegant setting of the Festival House. With only 80 tickets available, this is a truly one-of-a-kind exclusive experience you won't want to miss.

Tickets at [northernlightsmexico.com](http://northernlightsmexico.com) and at Estrellita Inn, Septiembre 18, Ajijic, 11-2 Mon.-Fri.

## Encuentro Internacional de Jazz Ajijic



Sebastián Domínguez  
Lucas Martínez  
Pablo Loaiza  
Gil Ríos  
Eleazar Soto

16 de Febrero / 18:00 HRS  
La Cochera Cultural Javier Mina #49, Ajijic.



### MUSICOS

Gio Figueroa: Drums

Marc Fabricatore: Piano

Humberto Rivera:  
Keyboards and Accordion

Diego Franco: Tenor Sax

Jonathan Barocio:  
Double bass and electric bass

Chucho López:  
Direction and Trumpet

Alfredo Balboa:  
Audio Engineer

**CHUCHO LOPEZ**  
**CONCERT**  
DINNER SHOW  
7 MARCH 2025

16:30 PM

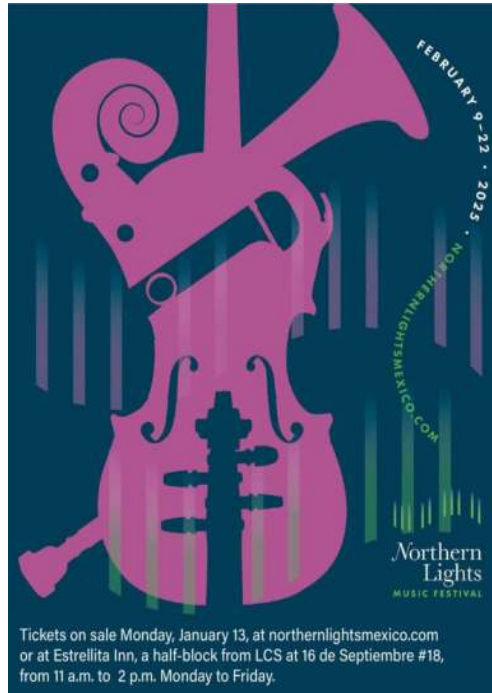
Hotel  
NUEVA POSADA

Donato Guerra #9 Ajijic Jalisco  
Tel.: 376-76-61-344 and 376-76-61-44

Three course dinner  
The cost is \$1000.00 for hotel reservations.

ENTRY COST  
\$1,000.00 pesos

# Special Events



FEBRUARY 9-22 · 2025 ·  
NORTHERN LIGHTS MUSIC FESTIVAL  
NORTHERNLIGHTSMEXICO.COM

Tickets on sale Monday, January 13, at [northernlightsmexico.com](http://northernlightsmexico.com)  
or at Estrellita Inn, a half-block from LCS at 16 de Septiembre #18,  
from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday to Friday.



**Some of the musicians performing.**  
Tickets for Festival Series events at the Auditorio must be purchased through their authorized ticket vendor, Boletia (14% service charge on each event). Boletia does not provide the ability to purchase tickets for multiple events in the same transaction.  
You may purchase tickets for all other events with CASH from our box office at Estrellita B&B, Septiembre 18, next door to the Lake Chapala Society. (Monday through Friday 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.). No service fee will be charged.



## Live Theatre



### *The 10 Minute Play Festival*

The BRAVO! Theatre is excited to announce its 10 Minute Play Festival. An entire play...start, middle, climax, resolution, and ending...all in 10 minutes. One of the most entertaining nights of theatre. Our program of nine plays was selected from over 400 scripts sent to us by playwrights in nine countries. An amazing lineup awaits!

This great evening of entertainment features six directors and fourteen actors, including both lakeside veterans and some new faces too. Chances are you'll see at least one of your friends on stage! Come out and support them.

***Tickets are 350 pesos***

#### ***Show Dates:***

Friday, February 7 at 7:30 pm

Friday, February 14 at 7:30 pm

Saturday, February 8 at 4:00 pm

Saturday, February 15 at 4:00 pm

Sunday, February 9 at 4:00 pm

Sunday, February 16 at 4:00 pm

Tickets are available at It's Kinda Bazar...And Kinda Not.

The BRAVO! Theatre is located at 441 Hidalgo in Riberas Del Pilar, just west of S&S Auto. Doors open one hour before showtime, so come early to mingle and enjoy a drink in our bar and lounge.





On stage February 21- March 4, 2025, the Tony Award winning musical - humorous, heartbreaking and inspirational - based on Cervantes' Don Quixote, about one man's refusal to give up his impossible dream.

**LAKE/SIDE**  
**LITTLE THEATRE**

2024  
2025

SEASON  
60

MAINSTAGE

**Man of La Mancha**

Written by Dale Wasserman  
Music by Mitch Leigh Lyrics by Joe Darion

The heartbreaking and inspirational Tony Award winning musical, based on Cervantes' Don Quixote, about one man's refusal to give up his impossible dream.

Directed by  
Dave McIntosh & Ann Swiston  
Music Director: Cindy Youell

Original production directed by Albert Marre

feb 21 - Mar 4, 2025

500 pesos  
Coata de recuperación

Evenings 7:30 pm - Matinees 4:00 pm  
Saturday, Sunday, Monday & Tuesday shows are matinees

Set in the context of the Spanish Inquisition, *Man of La Mancha* is presented as a play-within-a-play. We encounter historical author Miguel de Cervantes in prison, awaiting trial by the Inquisition. When his fellow prisoners try to take Cervantes' belongings from him, including his manuscript, Cervantes proposes a trial in which he proves the merit of the manuscript through a reenactment, enlisting his fellow prisoners as characters in his play. Together, they tell the story of the aged Alonso Quijana who believes himself to be a knight errant, names himself Don Quixote, and pursues an obsessive quest to attain an impossible dream. Against all odds, Quixote and his trusty squire Sancho Panza take to the road in a quest to chivalry, and seek out the good and innocent in a world filled with darkness and despair. Through the story, all the prisoners – at least for a moment – are transformed.

*Man of La Mancha* features such stirring songs as "I, Don Quixote", "Dulcinea" and the now-famous standard, "Quest" – more famously known as "The Impossible Dream."

The original 1965 Broadway production ran for 2,328 performances and won five Tony Awards, including Best Musical. The musical has been revived four times on Broadway, becoming one of the most enduring works of musical theatre



**And away we go again!**

**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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