



I was 12 years old... When I said that to my Dad!

My Dad had a band and put me in music lessons when I was 8 years old and at 12 I joined his band. One of the first things he told me was, “Never play for free”!... I never have except for some jam sessions later on in life.

\$100.00 a night down here is 2,000 Pesos and I can guarantee you there are plenty of players not getting that today. Everybody involved gets paid but the people that get the audience are kind of shorted.

The bad part is that a lot of people don't really care as long as they have a good time. At least be kind with the Tip Jar... I watch all kinds of people head out of a club and walk right by the tip jar... don't be unkind!

Francis

Always Have Fun!!

For the week of May 12th to May 18th, 2025

AROUND THE RESTAURANTS AND BARS

MONDAY



**OPEN
MIC**

EVERY MONDAY
Let your inner Star out!


El Patio

NIÑOS HEROES 68
CHAPALA JAL.
45900

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


Donkhatto



**AMERICANA/BLUES
Soiree**

MAY 12TH // 7 PM // VILLA 1927 CHAPALA


VILLA 1927
ART HOTEL



EVERY MONDAY 5PM-7PM

*Inamic Gaona
at
Mel's Casa Social*

332-823-1507
44 Zaragoza Ajijic

Join us
\$35 pesos
Margaritas

Tuesday

Joel Tallboy

Live Music



Every Tuesday 6-8pm

La Bodega - Ajijic
16 de Septiembre #124

WEDNESDAY



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



Jazz
Lakeside
Series

Xocolatl Organ Trío

Wes Montgomery Tribute Concert



Wednesday

MAY 14

Doors 5pm

Music 6pm

Marc Fabbriatore

/organ

Juan Castañón

/guitar

Armando Curiel

/drums



Casa del Arte



COXALA GRÁFICA

Tickets \$500 / includes 1 drink

Reservations 3331301303

Avenida del pilar 8A / Riberas del Pilar

Open Mic

Miercoles — Wednesday

5 a 7:30



Ven a disfrutar tu talento y Divertirte.

Come and enjoy your talent and have fun.



16 de septiembre #124
Ajijic, Jalisco

Tel: 376-766-1002

labodegadeajijic@gmail.com

Thursday

THE SOUL BLUES REVIVAL
feat. Grizz Piña

LIVE


THURSDAY MAY 15 5:00 PM




Javier Sergio Grizz Chelo Jim



CHULA VISTA 89
SAN ANTONIO TLAYACAPAN
33 4669 3622
\$150 peso cover

 PRESENTS:



CHARLIE COOK
Band

GOOD MUSIC, GOOD FRIENDS, GOOD VIBES

EVERY THURSDAY AT 5PM

NIÑOS HEROES 68
CHAPALA JAL 45900

RESERVATIONS 376 765 3817

 PRESENTS


BLACK STRING
SERENADES & STEAKS



EVERY THURSDAY | FROM 6 TO 7:30 PM

Adelita bar & grill

every los jueves 6:00 pm



come to
enjoy good
music and
really
delicious
food

JONATHAN GUZMÁN

duet



Thursday
4:30 - 6:30

Mel's

Casa Social

Daniel Cordero

Zaragoza #44, Ajijic



La Cima del Copal

Jueves 3:30 pm

Héctor Uribe



REC

3dB
128BIT
AUTO

00:06:18

MÚSICA EN VIVO

PACO CASAS

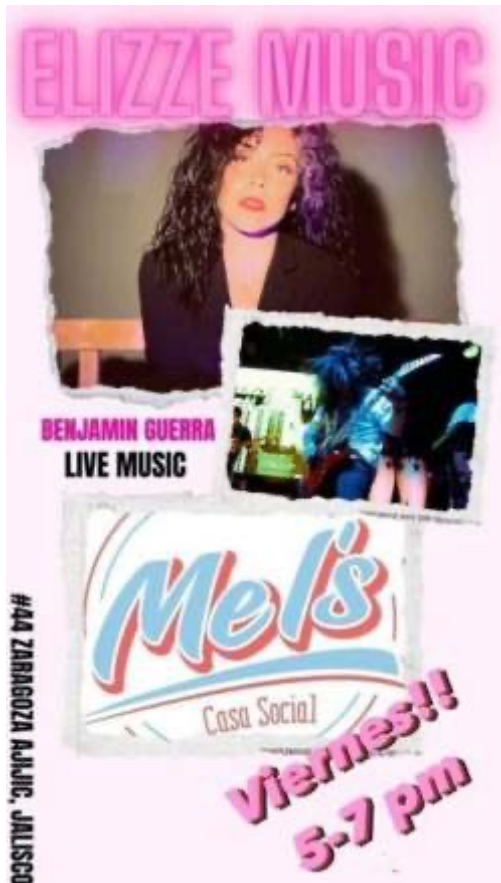
Jueves

7:00PM

Carretera poniente 524
Reservas 376 7661121



Friday



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!



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, May 16

4:30 - 6:30pm • No cover

All tips will be donated to Lakeside Friends of the Animals

"Bluegrass & Beyond"

w/ Jeffree White & Jan Reimers



duo w/ guitar, mandolin & vocals

Friday, May 16, 12:00pm-2:00pm

at the Huerto Cafe:

Hidalgo 212 in Riberas del Pilar

Jan & Jeffree perform bluegrass and related genres on mandolin, guitar & vocals, from elegant instrumentals to lively barn-burners, all combined with Huerto Cafe's delicious food and excellent service.

Saturday

Every Saturday at 7pm
Traficantes Rock'n'Latin

Rock, Funk
Cumbia, Cuban
Bailongo!
New Tunes in
the oven!

No cover!

Pza. Bugambillas next to El Torito .
+523767662301



MÚSICA EN VIVO

ROMEO Y JULIETA
RESTAURANT

VÍCTOR DANIER VALDES
TODOS LOS SABADOS
De 6:00 A 8:00

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



Saturday
7:30 pm

café
La Serenata
Bistro & bohemia

Reserv.: 33 1140 0901
NO COVER

PRESENTA

BLACK
SAPPHIRE®
JAZZ SOUNDS



Sunday



No cover charge

Reservations: +52 376 766 2301

Next to El Torito in Bugambillas, Ajijic



**REGGAE
ROCK
CUMBIA**



LOS NIÑOS DE SANTA MARIA SAYING

Miguel Zúñiga Bar 503

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

**Sunday
3-6pm**



Daniel Cordero

Iron Horse

Bar & Grill



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

THE VERY ROOTS OF BLUES!



Please join Casa del Sol and the powerful Escarabajo Blues Band for Dinner and an Electric Concert showcasing the great Blues Pioneers

Eric Slim Miller's powerful voice and masterful guitar
Omar Ramirez's electrifying keyboard
Archie Salsedo's rhythmic energy on drums
Alfonso Fuentes' deep groove on bass
And our own "Chuco" Soto wailing on his sax

Friday, May 23rd \$790
Dinner at 5:00 Performance at 7:00

To reserve call Mariana at 376 766-0050
With a deposit of \$390
Javier Mina #7 Ajijic, México

 Casa del Sol Inn

MEMORIAL DAY
IN MEMORY OF ALL WHO SERVED

★ MONDAY, MAY 26TH ★

SERVICE AT 10 AM AT THE CEMETERY LOCATED AT CALLE VENUSTIANO CARRANZA #26
FOLLOWING AMERICAN POST 7 | MORELOS #114 CHAPALA
-DOORS OPEN AT 1:00 PM-
-DINNER SERVED AT 3:00 PM-
LIVE MUSIC
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm: Jeffree White
3:30 pm - 5:30 pm: Detour Ahead - Country Band

MENU
JERSEY MEAT LOVERS CLUB SANDWICH & CHIPS
NORTHERN STYLE BAKED BEANS
CLASSIC APPLE CRISP WITH VANILLA ICE CREAM
VEGETARIAN SANDWICH - OPTIONAL

| NO PETS ALLOWED | SMOKING IN DESIGNATED AREA ONLY |
TICKET PRICE ARE \$300 PESOS OR \$250 PESOS WITH YOUR LEGION MEMBERSHIP ID
PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT LEGION FACILITIES | RAFFLE DRAWINGS 50/50

CASA DEL SOL PROUDLY WELCOMES THE RETURN
OF DANCER RODRIGO ROBLES
AND HIS INTIMATE FLAMENCO RECITAL:

DE VUELTA



With the skilled guitar of **Fernando Martinez**,
the beguiling singing of **Santiago Maisterra**
and the attentive percussion of **Emilia Gálvez**

You are invited to share this profound journey
from the darkest depths of pain
to the joy and beauty of life
through the transformative strength of the human spirit

SATURDAY, APRIL 26TH
DINNER WILL BE SERVED FROM 5:00 - 7:00PM
THE PERFORMANCE BEGINS AT 7PM

Price \$790 Reserve with \$390 deposit
by calling Mariana at 376 766 0050
mariana@casadelosolinn.com
for seating and menu choices

 Casa del Sol Inn
376-766-0050 Javier Mina #7 Ajijic, México

Jazz Night
With
ARI LOYOLA
Jazz Quintet

Enjoy a great evening with food,
drinks and live music!

THURSDAY MAY 29 TH 6:00PM
Ticket \$200
Available at Jardin Restaurant and The Ajijic Spot
(Includes a Beer or Soda)

Snack and dinner menu available!
Information and Reservations at 376 766 0039.

 **THE AJIJIC SPOT STAGE**
Jardín Norte 2b, Centro, Ajijic. Main Square.
(Come in through Restaurant El Jardín)



*To
Benefit*



Presents



THURSDAY, May 29, 2025

@ El Bar Co



SHOWTIME: 7:00 PM

Tickets: \$500 MXN

Doors open at 5:30 PM

Reserve your tickets! Email: Ajijic.Cabaret@gmail.com

Ticket Pickup & Payment: @ El Bar Co

Thursday & Friday, May 15 & 16

2:00 - 4:00 PM

Dinner selection available for purchase at ticket pickup

Special Event!!



Featuring the Very Best of Puerto Vallarta
3 Days of Music, Culture & Celebration!

Get ready for an unforgettable 3-day music extravaganza in the heart of Lakeside! The Concerts in the Park Jubilee brings together top Vallarta and International musicians, electrifying performances, and vibrant cultural acts for a high-energy celebration like no other.

From classic favorites to fresh new sounds, enjoy live performances, local flavors, and community spirit in a one-of-a-kind setting. Whether you're dancing, singing along, or just soaking it all in—this is the ultimate musical weekend you don't want to miss!

Come for the music. Stay for the magic. Celebrate this very special event June 6, 7 & 8 in the lush gardens of the Lake Chapala Society.

Each evening a different show.

Friday, June 6 - A Tribute to the Music of Lady Gaga with special guests, dancers, videos, and costumes

Saturday, June 7 – The Dance Party – with Music by the Live Band Monaco, Vocals by Dany Celis and Roy Cruz

Sunday, Jun 8 – Vallarta's Top New Show – PINK! With special guests, dancers, videos, and costumes

All main shows start at 7:00pm. There will be a VIP preshow celebration each evening for VIP ticket holders at 6:00 until 7:00.

Tickets:

VIP to a single show \$500p (\$25 US, that's 30% off Vallarta prices for same show)

VIP 3 Show Package \$1,250

General Tickets \$400

Don't miss out, buy your tickets online <https://lakechapalasociety.com> or in the LCS office Mon to Sat 10-2

Live Theatre



Spanish language play with English subtitles!

Lakeside Little Theatre's community outreach is already underway! We are planning a very special event on May 17 to promote the work of a young Mexican theatre group from Tonalá, not too far from Ajijic. The teens in the program have been chosen to compete in a children's theatre festival in Germany in late June. They will need to raise funds to cover a variety of expenses: passport applications, airline tickets, food while in airports. Luckily the accommodation and food while at the festival are covered by their participation. Please mark your calendars and you can already buy a ticket to one of the two performances by going to our website for the event Pequeños Creadores.

If you have any issues using the online ticketing or would like to donate to their cause, reply to this email for assistance and further information. While the production is in Spanish, they will be projecting English subtitles on the screen so that everyone can enjoy the show.

The production is loosely based on the novel "Journey to the Center of the Earth" and is used as an analogy of the development from child to adolescence, with the latter being the center of the earth. Please support these young actors and see what should be a unique show. This is the first time we are using the concept of subtitles for a production, and it is an excellent opportunity for them to make sure that all goes well with an audience prior to their participation in the competition.

You are invited to socialize at our Angel Terrace Bar, which will be open starting one hour before show time.

The fun and great entertainment just keeps going on and on... jump in and have fun!

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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