

Pasa Calendar

ARTS. ENTERTAINMENT. CULTURE. compiled by Pamela Beach

› THE WEEK



July 3-9: Bryony Bensly's *Wonderland* exhibit at Meyer Gallery › Per the gallery, Bensly's work is a juxtaposition of conceptual ideas and realism, manifesting in surreal imagery with a narrative that focuses on our internal and external life. Her current body of work looks at our interdependence, responsibility, and attitudes toward nature, wildlife, and the environment. Artistic influences range from Asian religious art to postmodernism. *Alice's Tea Party* is included in Bensly's show.

3 FRIDAY

Assassins, Spies and the Manhattan Project

› Docent-led walks focusing on local sites of clandestine activities. 10:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m. \$20-\$30, no charge for ages 12 and under. New Mexico History Museum, 113 Lincoln Avenue; sfnm.co/tours.

Baby Weekend › Balkan boom-bap and Turkish-trap rhythms, with Billy Juan on trumpet, percussion, and vocals, Ickymac on turntables, Bryant Letellier on trombone, and special guest Void. 8 p.m.-midnight. No cover. Farafina Santa Fe, 720 St. Michael's Drive, Suite 3F.

BAR(d) speakeasy Shakespeare: Hamlet

With Emily Rankin as Hamlet. Donations accepted. 5:30-9 p.m. Tumbleroot Alegría, 2791 Agua Fria Street; iscsantafe.org.

Cabaret › A cautionary tale about rising fascism and dangers of political apathy set in the final days of the Weimar Republic in 1930s Berlin. 7:30 p.m. Thursdays-Saturdays, 2 p.m. Sundays through August 9. \$21-\$106. Santa Fe Playhouse, 142 E. De Vargas Street; santafeplayhouse.org.

Chat Noir Cabaret › Charles Tichenor. 6-9 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays. Los Magueyes, 31 Burro Alley.

Entreflamenco Summer Season › Antonio Granjero and Estefania Ramirez. 6:15 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays through August 30. \$25-\$50. El Flamenco Cabaret, 135 W. Palace Avenue. 505-209-1302; entreflamenco.com.

First Fridays › Extended hours on the First Friday of every month. 5-7 p.m. Free admission New Mexico residents. Georgia O'Keeffe Museum, 217 Johnson Street. 505-946-1000; okeeffemuseum.org.

Madame Butterfly › Lee Blakeley's acclaimed production adds realism and lyricism, revived this season by Melanie

Bacaling. 8:30 p.m. Santa Fe Opera, 301 Opera Drive; santafeopera.org. See story, page 30

Phenomenomaly › Interactive experience throughout the exhibition, filled with mysterious characters, glowing creatures, giant puppets, and custom music; featuring local performers. 1-5:30 p.m. Thursdays-Sundays through August 9. \$32-\$39. Meow Wolf, 1352 Rufina Circle; tickets.meowwolf.com.

Santa Fe Opera backstage tours › One-hour walks focusing on the architecture and history of the company. 9 a.m. \$10. Santa Fe Opera, 301 Opera Drive; santafeopera.org.

Summer Scene › Black Uhuru and Mister Kali. 7 p.m. Santa Fe Plaza; lensic360.org.

ART OPENINGS

Everlove › Pard Morrison sculptures. Through August 1. Reception 5-7 p.m. Charlotte Jackson Fine Art, 554 S. Guadalupe Street; charlottejackson.com.

Land of Rest › Paintings by Sophia Heymans. Through August 9. Reception 5-8 p.m. The Valley, 616 1/2 Canyon Road; thevalleytaos.com.

Abandoned › Photographic group show exploring vacated and forgotten spaces. Reception 5-7 p.m. Dusk Gallery, 129 W. San Francisco Street; duskphotogallery.com.

Querencia: Finding One's Place in Nature › 90th-anniversary retrospective of works by the oral historian, writer, film and radio producer Jack Loeffler. Reception 5-8 p.m. H+H Arts, 662 1/2 Canyon Road; h-and-h.org.

Is There a Horse on Your Roof? › Watercolors by Zahra Marwan. Through August 2. Reception 5-7 p.m. Hecho a Mano, 129 W. Palace Avenue; hechoamano.org.

4 SATURDAY



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Contra Dance › Beginners, singles, and kids welcome. Lessons 6:30 p.m. followed by dancing. \$10. The Odd Fellows Hall, 1125 Cerrillos Road; folkmaids.org.



7/3: Photographic exhibit opening at Dusk Gallery › The photographic group exhibit showcasing the quietude of vacated spaces includes works by Ksenia Winnicki, whose résumé lists her 15-plus years as a writer, photographer, and publishing professional. Winnicki's focus is landscape, wildlife, and street photography, but her interest in photographing abandoned buildings and locations is demonstrated in her photograph *Sunset by the Sea (Spray)*.

Daniel Ward Electric Trio › Ward on electric and flamenco guitars, John Bartlit on drums, and Milo Jaramillo on bass. 7 p.m. \$22-\$40. Unit B, 821 W. San Mateo Road; unitbsantafe.com.

Entreflamenco Summer Season › Antonio Granjero and Estefania Ramirez. 6:15 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays. \$25-\$50. El Flamenco Cabaret, 135 W. Palace Avenue. 505-209-1302; entreflamenco.com.

Fourth of July celebration › Live music, drone show, food trucks, and fireworks display. 4-10:30 p.m. Free shuttle 6-11 p.m. Franklin E. Miles Park, 1027 Camino Carlos Rey.

The Magic Flute › Directed by Christopher Luscombe in his company debut, featuring the look of Victorian pantomime, with Josh Lovell as Tamino, Joëlle Harvey as Pamina, Jeni Houser as the Queen of the Night, and

Alexander Köpeczi as Sarastro, all company debuts. 8:30 p.m. \$52-\$368. Santa Fe Opera, 301 Opera Drive; santafeopera.org. See story, page 36

Market Music › A French Salon: Music of Versailles; violinists Elizabeth Blumenstock and Carla Moore, viola da gambist Mary Springfels, and harpsichordist Charlotte Mattax. Noon. Donations accepted. New Mexico School for the Arts, 275 E. Alameda Street; severallfriends.org.

Pancakes on the Plaza › Breakfast, vintage car show, arts & crafts vendors, live entertainment, and activities. 7 a.m. \$12-\$40. Santa Fe Plaza.

Santa Fe Wine Festival › Samples and glasses of selections from New Mexico-based wineries. Noon today and Sunday. \$9.70-\$20.33. El Rancho de las Golondrinas, 334 Los Pinos Road; golondrinas.org.

5 SUNDAY

Arts Alive! › Free drop-in activities. Today, artist Jacob Meders (Mechoopda-Maidu) leads a silk-screening workshop. Bring a T-shirt. Noon-5 p.m. Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, 704 Camino Lejo. 505-982-4636; wheelwright.org.

Doug Montgomery › Selections from the Great American Songbook. 6:30-9 p.m. Sundays and Mondays. Free. Rio Chama Steakhouse, 414 Old Santa Fe Trail; riochamasantafe.com.

Santa Fe Wine Festival › Samples and glasses of selections from New Mexico-based wineries. Noon. \$9.70-\$20.33. El Rancho de las Golondrinas, 334 Los Pinos Road; golondrinas.org.

6 MONDAY

Darin Savage › Classical guitarist. 6:30-8 p.m. Mondays. TerraCotta Wine Bistro, 304 Johnson Street; terracottawinebistro.info.

Doug Montgomery › Great American Songbook. 6:30-9 p.m. Sundays and Mondays. Rio Chama Steakhouse, 414 Old Santa Fe Trail; riochamasantafe.com.

Southwest Seminars › Wade Campbell of Boston University on Place-Based Histories of Chuska Mountains, Navajo Nation. 6 p.m. \$20. Sky Cinemas Midtown, 1020 Midtown Calle Central; southwestseminars.org.

Summer Scene › Dance bands Los Texmaniacs and Felix y Los Gatos. 6 p.m. Santa Fe Plaza, Downtown; lensic360.org.

7 TUESDAY

Pat Malone › Jazz guitarist. 6:30-8 p.m. Tuesdays. TerraCotta Wine Bistro, 304 Johnson Street; terracottawinebistro.info.

Summer Scene › Baile Nuevomexicano and Lone Piñon, Tíos Míos, and Lucy Salazar. 6 p.m. Santa Fe Plaza; lensic360.org.

8 WEDNESDAY

International Folk Art Market community celebration › The free event begins with an artist procession followed by a performance by Colombian musician Yeison Landero. 6 p.m. Santa Fe Railyard, S. Guadalupe Street and Paseo De Peralta; folkartmarket.org.

Madame Butterfly › Lee Blakeley's acclaimed production lends realism and lyricism, revived this season by Melanie Bacaling. 8:30 p.m. Santa Fe Opera, 301 Opera Drive; santafeopera.org. See story, page 30

New Mexico Governor's Mansion tours › Free docent-led walk-throughs noon, 1, and 2 p.m. by appointment the second and fourth Wednesdays monthly. Contact Kirstin Griffin, 505-476-2800 or kirstin.griffin@gsd.nm.gov. New Mexico Governor's Mansion, 1 Mansion Drive. 505-476-2800; nmgmf.org.

Summer Scene › Colombian accordionist Yeison Landero. 7 p.m. Santa Fe Railyard, 1612 Alcadesa Street; lensic360.org.

Summer Tablao Flamenco Wednesdays › La Compania Chuscales y Mina Fajardo, including dancer Monze Díaz and singer Gretchen Williams; 7:30 p.m. \$15-\$25. Teatro Paraguas, 3205 Calle Marie; teatroparaguasnm.org.

Wavves › Rock band with Nathan Williams, Alex Gates, Stephen Pope, and Ross Traver. 7 p.m.-midnight. \$28-\$33. Meow Wolf, 1352 Rufina Circle; lensic360.org.

9 THURSDAY

ART Santa Fe › Regional, national, and international exhibitors. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. through July 11. \$20 at the door. Santa Fe Community Convention Center, 107 W. Marcy Street; redwoodartgroup.com.

SAR Music at Dusk: Lara Manzanera Trio › Traditional New Mexico music singer-songwriter, violinist-vocalist Jordan Wax, and bassist-vocalist Tany Nuñez. 6 p.m. \$9.85-\$17.85. School for Advanced Research, 660 Garcia Street. 505-954-7213; sarweb.org.

Summer Scene › Moby Dick and Big Suitcase. 6 p.m. Santa Fe Plaza; lensic360.org.

OUT OF TOWN

ALBUQUERQUE

New Mexico Shakespeare Festival › *Julius Caesar* 7:30 p.m. Sunday, July 5 and 10; *The Winter's Tale* 7:30 p.m. Thursday, July 9 and July 11. Free admission. Veteran's Memorial Park, 1100 Louisiana Boulevard SE. 505-697-8435; nmshakes.org.

SANTA ANA PUEBLO

Stables at Tamaya Rodeo › Weekly competitions presented by Tamaya Horse Rehab. 7 p.m. Thursday, July 9. \$10-\$20. Hyatt Regency Tamaya Resort & Spa, 1300 Tuyuna Trail; tamayahorserehab.com.

ESPAÑOLA

From the Pueblos to the Pacific › *Westward Explorations Across Indian Country During New Mexico's Spanish, Mexican & American Eras, 1776-2026*; through November 4. Reception 1-4 p.m. Friday, July 3. Historian Joseph P. Sánchez in conversation with regional library directors 2:30 p.m. Bond House Museum, 706 Bond Street; facebook.com/sghsbondhousemuseum.

LOS ALAMOS

Fourth of July Spectacular › Performances by Los Alamos Community Winds, Radio Blast, and Matchbox Twenty Two; plus, drone show and fireworks display. 4-10 p.m. Overlook Park, Overlook Road.

TAOS

The Mavericks & Friends › Outdoor concert during the Taos Hometown Fourth of July celebration. 4:30 p.m. Red Willow Park, 211 Paseo Del Pueblo Norte; taos.org. See story, page 16

› ON VIEW

Ongoing gallery and museum exhibits

SANTA FE

Daniel Cooney Fine Art › 1 Lena Street, Suite F5; danielcooneyfineart.com › *Bob Mizer: Athletic Model Guild Catalogue Boards*, handmade by the photographer and publisher; through July 25.

El Zaguán › 545 Canyon Road, 505-983-2567; historicssantafe.org › *The Broom Room*, work by fiber artist Julia Tait Dickenson; through July 25.

Evoke Contemporary › 550 S. Guadalupe Street; evokecontemporary.com › *Snackadora*, paintings by Irene Hardwicke Olivieri; through July 25.

Kouri + Corrao › 3213 Calle Marie; kouricorrao.com › *Kill the Fatted Calf*, five-year-anniversary group show of contemporary works; through August 8.

LewAllen Galleries › 1613 Paseo de Peralta; lewallengalleries.com › *Color Says It All*, paintings by John Little (1907-1984); through July 25.

Pie Projects Contemporary Art › 924-B Shoofly Street; pieprojects.org › *Judy Tuwaletstiya: Incantations*, mixed media; through July 18.

Strata Gallery › 125 Lincoln Avenue, Suite 111; stratagalleriesantafe.com › *Sixth Annual Group Exhibition*, contemporary works by gallery artists; through July 17.

Tai Modern › 1601 Paseo de Peralta; taimodern.com › *Nakatomi Hajime bamboo art*; through July 25.

MUSEUMS & ART SPACES

SANTA FE

Georgia O'Keeffe Museum › 217 Johnson Street, 505-946-1000; okeeffemuseum.org › *Tewa Nangeh/Tewa Country*, contemporary works by artists, scholars, and culture bearers from the six Tewa Pueblos of Northern New Mexico; through September 7.

IAIA Museum of Contemporary Native Arts › 108 Cathedral Place, 505-983-8900; iaia.edu /mocna › *Paper Trails: Unfolding Indigenous Narratives*, works by Canadian and U.S. artists; through July 12 › *Building Worlds: Ken Fury and Gary Medina Cook*, jewelry designs and experimental video art confronting centuries of enslavement, forced assimilation, and ongoing lack of federal recognition; through January 3, 2027.

Museum of Indian Arts and Culture › 710 Camino Lejo, 505-476-1269; indianartsandculture.org › *Stars, Stripes, and First Americans*; Indigenous-created artifacts that sport the American flag or a reference to it; through March 7, 2027 › *Makowa: The Worlds Above Us*, group show; through August 17.

Museum of International Folk Art › 706 Camino Lejo, 505-476-1204; moifa.org › *Appearances Deceive*, embroidery by Policarpio Valencia; through July 26 › *Truths Be Told: Artists Activate Traditions*, group show; January 17, 2027 › *Multiple Visions*, works by Alexander Girard.

New Mexico Governor's Mansion › 1 Mansion Drive, 505-660-1415; nmgmf.org › Works on loan from museums by Gerald Cassidy, William Penhallow Henderson, Gustave Baumann, and more. Public and private tours available. Contact Kirstin Griffin, at 505-476-2, Kirstin.Griffin@gsd.nm.gov.

New Mexico History Museum and Palace of the Governors › 113 Lincoln Avenue, 505-476-5200; nmhistorymuseum.org › *Chimayó: A Tradition of Faith*, photographs of pilgrimages; through May 2027 › *A Question of Power*, documentation of Sarah Jane White, Lucie A. Willie, and Molley Hogue's pivotal roles in halting the proposed Desert Rock coal-fired power plant on the Navajo Nation; through June 27, 2027.

New Mexico Museum of Art › 107 W. Palace Avenue, 505-476-5072; nmartmuseum.org › *Paul Burlin: An American Modernist in the Southwest*; through November 29.

New Mexico Museum of Art Vladez Contemporary › 404 Montezuma Avenue, 505-476-5062; nmartmuseum.org/vladez-contemporary › *Lucy R. Lippard: Notes From the Radical Whirlwind*, objects tracing Lippard's career and contributions; through August 9 › *Continuum: Blindfall, First Strike* › works by Eric Garcia and Virgil Ortiz envisioning Pueblo and Spanish legacies through clay, imagery, and form. See story, page 22

Nuevo Mexicano Heritage Arts Museum › 750 Camino Lejo, nmheritagearts.org › *The Carson Phenomenon: A Colcha Cottage Industry*; through October › *New Mexico Stories*, works from the collection; through December.

SITE Santa Fe › 1606 Paseo de Peralta; 505-989-1199; sitesantafe.org › *Indian Theater: Native Performance, Art, and Self-Determination since 1969*, group show; through September 7. See story, page 26

Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian › 704 Camino Lejo, 505-982-4636; wheelwright.org › *Emmi Whitehorse, Intimate Landscapes Part I*, exhibit chronicling the artist's work from 1990s to 2020s, through October 3 › *Silver Honors Stone*, work by Santo Domingo jeweler Julian Lovato (1925-2018); through October 17.

ALBUQUERQUE

Albuquerque Museum › 2000 Mountain Road NW, 505-243-7255; cabq.gov/culturalservices/albuquerque-museum › *The Woods Before Sunrise: Environment and Place in New Mexico's Black Contemporary* is the third installment in a trilogy of environment-focused exhibitions; through October 18.

Tamarind Institute › UNM campus, 2 Central Avenue SE, 505-277-3901; tamarind.unm.edu › **PUBLIC ACCESS: TAMARIND EDITIONS ACROSS THE US**, prints reflecting the enduring role of public institutions in preserving and stewarding the work of artists that deepen, challenge, and diversify American life and culture from 1965 to 2025; through September 25.

CERRILLOS

Box Studio & Sculpture Garden › 3453 N.M. 14; boxstudiosculpturegarden.com/nm-sculpture-garden › *Painted Ponies*, sculpture by Kevin Box, inspired by origami artist Te Jui Fu › **ORIGAMI IN THE GARDEN**, sculpture by Jennifer Box and Kevin Box; through October.

STAR CODES

THERE COULD BE A REVOLUTION, confrontation, a string of accidents, or just some great fireworks this weekend. Sparks can fly as Mars conjuncts Uranus, an aspect that echoes the Mars-Uranus conjunction in Gemini, which also occurred 250 years ago, just before July 4, 1776. Along with this sparkler of an aspect, Mercury is retrograde and encourages us to slow down and be safe.

Mars conjuncts Uranus about every two years. Uranus, the planet of electric, chaotic change, is now in Mercury-ruled Gemini, sign of the twins, where both brilliant innovation and the bifurcation of truth, partisan politics, and a split between perspectives can cause troubles. Uranus takes 84 years around the zodiac and was in Gemini during the American revolution, Civil War, and World War II. Robust dialogue, a potential Geminian gift, can bring its healing.

With Mercury retrograde, this conjunction can lower impulse control and bring both mechanical malfunctions and mechanical genius. Let's think through consequences of any sudden impulse to toss that firecracker, insult or inspire, or ask someone to "hold our beer and watch this." Prioritize safety, sanity, and joy.

FRIDAY, JULY 3: Join the crowd, find a parade, see the fireworks together as the moon in collective Aquarius opposes dramatic Venus in Leo. Don't get dragged into unnecessarily polarized arguments; it can be tempting, there will be bait, but we don't have to go there. Enjoy a potentially wild night as Mars conjuncts Uranus, but put peaceful safety first.

SATURDAY, JULY 4: People could wake up either ready for a fight or to kick back, relax, and have a good picnic as Mars conjuncts Uranus while the moon enters sensitive Pisces. Accidents are more likely in the morning; enthusiasm grows during the day but watch for alcohol-related problems tonight. Prioritize safety with pyrotechnics and take care of sensitive people and animals tonight.

SUNDAY, JULY 5: We can make things happen as Mars trines Pluto but must ask if they're good or just provocative things. Think carefully about goals and whether this action takes us closer. Engage important discussions to repair the past and prepare for the future as the moon trines Mercury. Take a deep breath this evening; it's going to be a busy week.

MONDAY, JULY 6: Be grown-ups, face some limitations squarely and creatively, feel empowered, but be wise about asserting authority over others as the sun squares Saturn under a fiery Aries moon which aspects and energizes Jupiter, Uranus, Neptune, Pluto and Mars. As things begin to move, let's watch where we're going and put this momentum to good use.

TUESDAY, JULY 7: Expect some uncertainty, a sense of personal doubt, second guessing as Neptune stations retrograde. Instead of spinning in circles, bring focus to the next practical step as the moon conjuncts Saturn. Delays may be fortuitous; look for something structural or foundational that needs repaired before proceeding.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 8: Morning can be positively emotional or flammable as the Aries moon trines Venus. If feeling rushed, ask if the push is necessary. Afternoon calms down as the moon enters Taurus and squares Jupiter; think deep, not fast. Find some peach ice cream and enjoy the deliciousness of summer.

THURSDAY, JULY 9: The mood becomes less emotionally volatile and offers more opportunities to heal as Venus enters Virgo. Don't focus on mistakes; instead focus on what is growing, healing, blossoming, what unfolds with love. Be open to healthy new connections tonight.

Learn more about astrologer Heather Roan Robbins at roanrobbins.com.

› THE PLANNER

A guide to performances & events for the weeks ahead



7/17: Chris Botti at the Lensic › Having topped the jazz charts on numerous occasions over his nearly 30 years of recording, earning multiple gold and platinum records and collaborating with some of the major names in jazz, Botti's 2026 world tour heralds in a fresh start for the trumpeter, with his return to a more stripped-down form of jazz. His first album in more than a decade, *Vol. 1*, released in 2025, focused on acoustic jazz. "I turned 60 in 2022, at a time that seemed like a restart for so many things in the world," Botti says. "I wanted to strip away all the orchestral arrangements and special guests and focus more on my playing, the playing of my band, and these jazz classics that we always love playing on stage."

JULY

35th Annual Music Under the Stars Salsa y Más › Ivon Ulibarri & Cafe Mocha dance band. 7:30 p.m. \$17.13-\$27.78. Albuquerque Museum, 2000 Mountain Road NW; out-postspace.org.

7/10 High Desert Bluegrass Festival › Patio stage: Central Avenue String Band, Stray Dawgs, and Glorieta Pines; main stage: Squash Blossom Boys, Shady Groove, and Foggy Memory Boys. 4 p.m. \$25-\$30. Tumbleroot Alegría, 2791 Agua Fria Street; tumblerootbreweryanddistillery.com.

7/10 Russ Green › Blues singer-songwriter/producer. 7 p.m. doors 5:30 p.m. \$15.07-\$45.71. Unit B, 821 W. San Mateo Road; unitbsantafe.com.

7/10 Storytelling Hour in the Garden › Hopi silversmith Ruben Saukkie Sr. (descendant of potter Maria Martinez) explains the mythology behind symbols used in indigenous cultures. 5:30 p.m. \$10-\$30. Olive Rush Historic Artist Home & Garden, 630 Canyon Road; oliverush.org.

7/10-25 The Tempest › Incite Shakespeare Company Santa Fe presents Shakespeare's tale of revenge and forgiveness. July 10-12, 18, 19, 24 and 25. \$0-\$35. Lab Theater, 1213 Parkway Drive, Suite B; icssantafe.org.

7/10-11 ART Santa Fe › Regional, national, and international exhibitors. Free tickets online through Wednesday, July 8. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. \$20. Santa Fe Community Convention Center, 201 W. Marcy Street; redwoodartgroup.com.

7/11 Kipp Bentley and The Night Letter Orchestra › Celebrating the release of his new record *Night Letter*, with vocalist Nathan Dunton, pianist James Raymond, bassist Jon Gagan, percussionist Mark Clark, violinist Karina Wilson, and guitarists Jon Graboff and Jono Manson. 7 p.m. \$22-\$40. Unit B, 821 W. San Mateo Road; unitbsantafe.com.

7/11 MOMIX › The modern dance company known for blending dance and acrobatics with light, costumes, and prop illusion in *Botanica Season 2*. 8 p.m. \$45-\$125. Lensic Performing Arts Center; aspensantafeballet.com.

7/12 Delbert Anderson, Lara Manzanara, and Jono Manson › The jazz trumpeter, bilingual singer, and singer-songwriter perform in the round. 5 p.m. \$20-\$25. Engine70 Studios, 528 Jose Street; southwestrootsmusic.org.

7/14 Peter Gelb: An Opera Conversation › The Metropolitan Opera's general manager reflects on his career with Daniel Jacobs, Pro Musica general director, and introduces a complementary screening of *The Opera House* documentary. 5-9 p.m. \$35. Center for Contemporary Arts Santa Fe; sfnm.co/pgelb.

7/16 James McMurtry › Touring in support of *The Black Dog & the Wandering Boy*. 7 p.m. \$32.50-\$37.50. The Bridge, 37 Fire Place; lensic360.org.

7/16 Santa Fe Chamber Music Festival › Violinist Leonidas Kavakos and pianist Enrico Pace; music of Beethoven, Stravinsky, Mozart, and Franck. Advance ticket sales. 6 p.m. St. Francis Auditorium, 107 W. Palace Avenue; santafechambermusic.com.

7/17 Chris Botti › The trumpeter/composer on his world tour. 7:30 p.m. \$80-\$116. Lensic Performing Arts Center; lensic.org.

7/17-8/2 Hamlet › Incite Shakespeare Company small-cast performance with music and storytelling. July 17-August 2. \$35 suggested donation. Lab Theater, 1213 Parkway Drive, Suite B; iscsantafe.org.

7/18-8/9 Chamber Music at San Miguel Chapel › Season opener: Violinist Elizabeth Young and tenor John Tiranno perform music of J.S. Bach, Ysaye, Verdi, and a premiere by composer Luke Gullickson. 3-4:15 p.m. \$15-\$35. San Miguel Chapel, 401 Old Santa Fe Trail; chambermusicatsanmiguelchapel.com.

7/18 Dave Scott › The trumpeter pays tribute to Freddie Hubbard, Roy Hargrove, and Lee Morgan. 7:30 p.m. \$17.64-\$22.95. Paradiso, 903 Early Street; paradisosantafe.com.

7/18 Mary Gauthier › Folk singer-songwriter. 7:30 p.m.-midnight. \$33-\$55. San Miguel Chapel, 401 Old Santa Fe Trail; ampconcerts.org.

2026 IAIA BENEFIT & AUCTION

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Les Namingha
(Hopi-Tewa, Zuni)

Cannupa Hanska Luger
(Mandan, Hidatsa, Arikara, Lakota)

Kent Monkman
(ocēko-sīpiy [Fisher River Cree])

and more

Photos left to right: Les Namingha, *Continuum*, photo courtesy of King Galleries; Cannupa Hanska Luger, *The Illustrated Adventures of Thunder*; Kent Monkman, charcoal study for *Knowledge Keepers (Boy Chopping Wood with Nun)*. Photography courtesy of the artist unless noted otherwise.

7/18 Paul Oakenfold + The Chrystal Method › Double bill with DJ and electronic-music duo Scott Kirkland and Ken Jordan. 7 p.m. \$45-\$51. The Bridge at Santa Fe Brewing Company, 37 Fire Place; lensic360.org.

7/18 Rufus Wainwright › The pop singer-songwriter performs solo in New Mexico on his world tour. 7:30 p.m. \$59-\$89. Lensic Performing Arts Center; lensic360.org.

7/23 Orrin Evans Trio › Triple Grammy Award-winning jazz pianist. 7 p.m. \$35-\$50. Unit B, 821 W. San Mateo Road; santafemusiccollective.org.

7/24 Frank Leto & PANDemonium › Percussion-led Afro-Cuban sextet. 7 p.m. \$24-\$45. Unit B, 821 W. San Mateo Road; unitbsantafe.com.

7/25 BODYTRAFFIC › Contemporary dance company. 8 p.m. \$45-\$125. Lensic Performing Arts Center; aspensantafeballet.com.

7/25 Rumelia Collective › Balkan-music quartet. 7 p.m., Unit B, 821 W. San Mateo Road, \$24-\$45; unitbsantafe.com.

7/31 Beach Bunny & The Beths › American pop-punk band and New Zealand indie-rockers. 7 p.m. \$39-\$44. The Bridge, 37 Fire Place; lensic360.org.

7/31 Complexions Contemporary Ballet › Blending a Beethoven Concerto, Lenny Kravitz, and new choreography by Aspen Santa Fe Ballet. 8 p.m. \$45-\$125. Lensic Performing Arts Center; aspensantafeballet.com.

AUGUST

8/1 Round Mountain › World music-driven duo Robby Rothschild and Char Rothschild. 7 p.m. \$25-\$34. Unit B, 821 W. San Mateo Road; unitbsantafe.com.

8/1 Zeitgeist Dance Theatre › Season premiere featuring contemporary choreography by Livona Ellis (Vancouver, Canada), Francisco Gella (Santa Fe), Vladimir Conde Reche (Brazil/Albuquerque), Jessica Miller Tomlinson (Chicago), and Madison Falconer (Los Angeles/Traverse City, Michigan), with international and New Mexico dancers. 7:30-9 p.m. \$28-\$86. Lensic Performing Arts Center; lensic.org.

8/6 Bad Medicine › P.C. Verrone's dark comedy about a Native American couple's new home in a seemingly picture-perfect community. Runs through August 30. 7:30 p.m. \$15-\$60. Santa Fe Playhouse, 142 E. De Vargas Street; santafeplayhouse.org.

8/6-9 Whitehawk Antique Indian & Ethnographic Art Show › Exhibitions illustrating stylistic influences historic pieces have on contemporary art. Noon-9 p.m. \$20.33-\$175. Santa Fe Community Convention Center, 201 W. Marcy Street; whitehawkshows.com.

8/7-23 Dichos en Nichos › Sage Vogel's ensemble-driven play adapted from his book of the same name. 7 p.m. \$15-\$30. Teatro Paraguas, 3205 Calle Marie; teatroparaguasnm.org.

8/8 John Rangel Quintet › Featuring saxophonist Chris Powe, trumpeter Robby Beasley, led by the pianist. 6:30 p.m. \$195. Dave's Jazz Bistro, 112 W. San Francisco Street; santafeschoolofcooking.com.



7/18: The Lensic presents Rufus Wainwright › In addition to being a celebrated contemporary pop singer, Rufus has made a name for himself in the classical world. His much acclaimed first opera, *Prima Donna*, premiered at the Manchester International Festival in July 2009. In 2023, he embarked on a journey to his family folk roots with his Grammy-nominated album *Folkocracy* featuring reinvented folk duets with artists like Chaka Khan, Brandi Carlile, John Legend and Anohni, and many more. Wainwright performs solo in Santa Fe as part of his world tour.

8/8 St. Elizabeth Shelter's Community Day › Concert by dance band Nosotros, food trucks, face-painting, and outdoor games. noon-4 p.m. \$25-\$40. The Bridge, 37 Fire Place; sfnm.co/seshelter.

8/8 Santa Fe Beer Festival › Local craft beer vendors and food trucks; ages 12 and under free admission. Noon-6 p.m. \$9.70-\$43.70. El Rancho de las Golondrinas, 334 Los Pinos Road; golondrinas.org.

8/16-23 Santa Fe Opera Apprentice Scenes › Fully staged performances by apprentice singers in a concert format accompanied by piano August 16 and featuring the Santa Fe Opera Orchestra August 23. \$5-\$32. Santa Fe Opera, 301 Opera Drive; sfnm.co/SFOapprentices2026.

8/28 Santa Fe TradFest › Annual three-day celebration of traditional music, with on-site camping and a bunk house. 4 p.m. \$25-\$80. Bishop's Ridge Camp & Retreat Center, 7855 Old Santa Fe Trail; santafetradfest.org.

SEPTEMBER

9/5 Dominique Fils-Aimé › Canadian jazz singer-songwriter. 7:30 p.m., \$44. Lensic Performing Arts Center; lensic.org.

9/9 Mavis Staples and Nathaniel Rateliff › Rocker Rateliff performs solo, followed by Staples and her band. 7 p.m. \$56-\$146. Santa Fe Opera, 301 Opera Drive; lensic360.org.

9/10 Blossoms & Bones Ghost Ranch Music Festival › Including Sylvan Esso, Violent Femmes, Arlo Parks, and Slow Pulp. Through September 12. 3 p.m. \$135-\$270. Ghost Ranch, 280 Private Drive, Abiquiu; lensic360.org.

9/12-13 Santa Fe Renaissance Faire › Performances by the Clan Tynker circus-arts family and the Order of Epona jousts. 10 a.m.-5 p.m. \$17.14-\$27.76. El Rancho de las Golondrinas, 334 Los Pinos Road; golondrinas.org.

9/22 Santa Fe Wine & Chile Fiesta › Food and wine tastings, seminars, and cooking demonstrations with local chefs. Through September 27. 3 p.m. Fort Marcy Park Magers Field, 490 Bishops Lodge Road; santafewineandchile.org.

9/23 Robert Plant › With Saving Grace and Suzi Dian. 7:30 p.m. \$49-\$159. Santa Fe Opera, 301 Opera Drive; lensic360.org.

OCTOBER

10/2 Patton Oswalt › Comedian known for his observational humor. Check for ticket availability. 7:30 p.m. \$66-\$96. Lensic Performing Arts Center; lensic360.org.

10/26 Julian Lage Quartet › Jazz guitarist, with keyboardist John Medeski, bassist Jorge Roeder, and percussionist Kenny Wollesen. 7:30 p.m. \$50-\$78. Lensic Performing Arts Center; lensic.org.

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