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■ **Contra Costa Civic Theatre** -- "The Dining Room," by A.R. Gurney Jr., closing today, 2 p.m. A comedy about the American upper-middle class. \$7. 951 Pomona Ave., El Cerrito. 510-524-9132.

■ **Expression Theatre Ensemble** -- "No Exit," closing today, 2 p.m. \$12 general; \$10 children and seniors. Clean Comedy Company, 2363 Boulevard Circle, Suite 106, Walnut Creek. 415-775-5658, 925-943-6252.

■ **Odyssey Players** -- "Much Ado About Nothing," closing tonight, 8 p.m. \$13 general; \$10 children. Live Oak Theatre, 1301 Shattuck, Berkeley. 925-689-2208.

■ **West of Broadway** -- "Forty-Second Street," closing Thursday. For ages 8-18. Tuesday and Wednesday, 7 p.m.; Thursday, 2:30 and 7 p.m. Call for location and prices. 510-793-2966.

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▪ **Harmony Players and Company** -- "Singin' in the Rain," closing Saturday. The musical with songs by Arthur Freed and Nacio Herb Brown, based on the 1952 film starring Gene Kelly and Debbie Reynolds. Today, 2:30 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 8 p.m. \$15 general; \$12 students and seniors. 32623 Alvarado Blvd., Union City. 510-487-2343, [www.harmonyplayers.com](http://www.harmonyplayers.com).

▪ **Staged Hereafter** -- "Romeo & Juliet," closing Saturday. Twist on the classic becomes a battle of the sexes between the Capulets (all women) and the Montagues (all men.) Call for show times and prices. South Berkeley Community Church, 1802 Fairview St., Berkeley. 510-464-1117.

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## This week

▪ **Playhouse West** -- "Starting Here, Starting Now," Friday-July 22. The musical revue features the works of Richard Maltby Jr. and David Shire. Thursdays-Saturdays, 8 p.m.; Sundays, and 2 and 7 p.m. \$16-\$20. 1345 Locust St., Walnut Creek. 925-942-0300.

▪ **Shotgun Players** -- "Iphigenia in Aulis," Friday-Aug. 12. A prequel to the "Oresteia" trilogy. John Hinkel Park, Oakland. Special performances July 7: Mosswood Park in Oakland and July 8: John McLaren Park in San Francisco. Call for dates and show times. Free. 510-655-0813, [www.shotgunplayers.org](http://www.shotgunplayers.org).

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## Coming up

▪ **Los Medanos College** -- "Twelfth Night," July 6-15. Fridays and Saturdays, 7:30 p.m.; Sundays, 4 p.m. \$10 general; \$5 students. School performance, July 12, 9:30 a.m. \$5. 2700 E. Leland Road, Pittsburg. 925-277-4371.

▪ **Willows Theatre Company And Pavilion Associates** - "Mountain Days: The John Muir Musical," July 12-22. Thursdays-Sundays, 8 p.m. \$10-\$20. Waterfront Park,

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- **Lorraine Hansberry Theatre** -- "Twelfth Night," by Shakespeare, closing today, 2 p.m. \$25-\$30 general; discounts for students, groups and seniors. 620 Sutter St., S.F. 415-474-8800.
  - **Mason Street Theatre** -- "Shear Madness," based on the play by Paul Portner, adapted by Marilyn Abrams and Bruce Jordan, closing today, 3 and 7:30 p.m. A comic whodunit with audience participation set in a unisex hair salon. \$34. 340 Mason St., S.F. 415-982-5463, [www.shearmadness.com](http://www.shearmadness.com).
  - **The Shelton Theatre** -- "Oh, Progeny!," closing today, 2 p.m. A story that explores the ups and downs of raising children. \$20-\$22 general; \$15 students and seniors. 533 Sutter St., S.F. 415-601-3499.
  - **Phoenix Theatre** -- "Gun-Shy," by Richard Dresser, closing Saturday. An off-beat domestic comedy about a co-dependent couple who should never have divorced. Tonight, 8 p.m.; Thursday-Saturday, 8 p.m. \$18 general; \$15 students and seniors. 655 Geary St., S.F. 415-567-3005.
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## Opening this week

- **Climate Theatre/Solo Mio/Writers Who Act** -- "The John," Monday-June 27. Director and actor Bob Ernst presents the final installment of this solo performance series. \$20. Maritime Hall Basement Bathroom, S.F. 415-978-2345.
- **American Conservatory Theater** -- "Texts for Nothing," by Samuel Beckett, Thursday-July 15. Directed and performed by Bill Irwin. Call for show times. \$15-\$61 general; \$11-\$38 previews through Tuesday. Geary Theater,

415 Geary St., S.F. 415-749-2228, [www.act-sfbay.org](http://www.act-sfbay.org).

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## Coming up

- **42nd Street Moon** -- "The Cat and the Fiddle," by Jerome Kern and Otto Harbach, July 6-22. The 1931 musical about a stormy romance between an American jazz composer and a Romanian classical composer in Brussels. Thursdays and Fridays, 8 p.m.; Saturdays, 6 p.m.; Sundays, 2 p.m. \$22-\$25 general; \$15 previews July 4 and 5, 8 p.m.. Eureka Theatre, 215 Jackson, S.F. 415-255-8207, [www.42ndStMoon.com](http://www.42ndStMoon.com).
  
- **Magic Theatre** -- "Betty Rules," July 6-29. The premiere of a new revue from Betty, the hit all-girl rock band. Wednesdays-Saturdays, 8:30 p.m.; Sundays, 2:30 p.m.; previews Wednesday-July 5. \$25-\$30. Building D, Fort Mason Center, Third Floor, Buchanan Street and Marina Boulevard, San Francisco. 415-441-8822, [www.magictheatre.org](http://www.magictheatre.org).
  
- **Bare Bones Theatre** -- "Burn This," by Lanford Wilson, July 13-Aug. 12. An exploration of love and the unexpected ways we fall. Fridays-Sundays, 8 p.m. \$15. The Next Stage, 1620 Gough St., S.F. 415-359-0880.
  
- **ODC Theater** -- "Talking With Angels," July 19-July 29. The true story of the spiritual awakening of four artists, three of them Jews, who lived in Nazi-occupied Hungary. Thursdays-Saturdays, 8 p.m.; Sundays, 7 p.m. \$15-\$20. 3153 17th St., S.F. 415-863-9834.
  
- **Free Range Theatre Company** -- "The Complete History of America (abridged)," by Adam Long, Austin Tichenor and Reed Martin, July 21-Sept. 1. Fridays, 8 p.m.; Saturdays, 7 and 10 p.m.; Sundays, 7 p.m.; previews July 19-20, 8 p.m. \$20. Shelton Theatre, 533 Sutter St., S.F. 415-267-7661.
  
- **American Conservatory Theater** -- "Fool Moon," July 22-Aug. 12. Created by and starring New Vaudeville clowns Bill Irwin and David Shiner, featuring The Red Clay Ramblers. \$15-\$61 general; \$11-\$38 previews July 20 and 21. Geary Theater, 415 Geary St., S.F. 415-749-2228, [www.act-sfbay.org](http://www.act-sfbay.org).

Film

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## This week

- **Pacific Film Archives** -- "The Face of Another," tonight, 5:30 p.m. "Los," Tuesday, 7:30 p.m. "Filial Fixations," Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. The Soviet Collection, Thursday-Friday. Featuring "Days of the Eclipse," 7 p.m. Thursday and "A Spring for the Thirsty," 9:30 p.m. "Three by Arthur Peleshian," 7:30 p.m. Friday and "Ivan's Childhood," 9 p.m. Call for complete schedule. New PFA Theater, 2575 Bancroft Way, Berkeley. 510-642-1412, [www.uampfa.berkeley.edu/pfa](http://www.uampfa.berkeley.edu/pfa).
  
  - **Parkway Speakeasy Theater** -- "Center of the World" and "Mummy Returns," through Wednesday. "Bridget Jones's Diary," through Thursday. Thrillville Honeymoon Show featuring "She Devils on Wheels," Thursday, 7:30 and 10 p.m. With the Devil-ettes live on stage. \$10. NuReel.com Big Tease Film Festival, through June 24. Thirty-second snippets of NuReel winners precede scheduled feature films. \$5 unless otherwise noted; two-for-one admission Wednesdays. 1834 Park Blvd., Oakland. 510-814-2400, [www.picturepubpizza.com](http://www.picturepubpizza.com)
  
  - **University of Creation Spirituality** -- Explorations in Sacred Cinema with Kevin Peer, documentary filmmaker, Friday, 7-9 p.m. \$10 donation. 2141 Broadway, Oakland. 510-835-4827.
  
  - **Berkeley Film Festival** -- Saturday, 1 p.m. Featuring "The Good War and Those Who Refused to Fight," "Just Crazy About Horses," "Los Romeros: The Royal Family of Guitar," "In Between the Notes," "The Old Spaghetti Factory," and "KPFA on the Air." Free. Berkeley Arts Festival Gallery, 2200 Shattuck Ave., Berkeley. 510-486-0411, [www.berkeleyartsfestival.com](http://www.berkeleyartsfestival.com).
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## Coming up

- **Paramount Theatre** -- Paramount Movie Classics presents "The Phantom of the Opera," June 29, 8 p.m. A silent film accompanied by the Wurlitzer organ. \$5. 2025 Broadway, Oakland. 510-465-6400.

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## This week

- **4 Star Movie Theatres** -- "Himalaya," "Cop on a Mission," "Hit Team," "The Day I Became a Woman," "Smell of Camphor, Fragrance of Jasmine" and "Requiem for a Dream," through Tuesday. 2200 Clement St., S.F. 415-666-3488.
- **San Francisco Black Film Festival** -- Through today. This event showcases films that celebrate black independent films and filmmakers. There will also be panel discussions and workshops on the black entertainment industry. Venues include the Delancey Street Theater, 600 Embarcadero and the Bayview Opera House, 4705 Third St. Call for schedule of screenings. San Francisco. 415-346-0199, 877-467-1735, [www.sfbff.org](http://www.sfbff.org).
- **San Francisco International Lesbian & Gay Film Festival** -- Through June 24. The 25th-anniversary edition features two new venues for its screenings. Films will show at the Castro Theatre, 429 Castro St.; the Yerba Buena Center for the Arts Theater, 700 Howard St.; and the Herbst Theatre, 401 Van Ness Ave. In addition to the films, panel discussions and presentations will survey the state of contemporary gay cinema. Call for a complete schedule of screenings. \$8.50. San Francisco. 415-703-8650, [www.frameline.org](http://www.frameline.org).
- **French Film Club** -- Through Aug. 7. French films shown every Tuesday with English subtitles. Tuesday, 7 p.m.: "Mina Tannenbaum" (1995; directed by Martine Dugowson). A drama tracing four decades in the lives of two Jewish women living in Paris. \$5. Alliance Francaise, 1345 Bush St., S.F. 415-775-7755, [www.afsf.com](http://www.afsf.com).
- **"Real to Real: Buddhism and Film"** -- Through Sept. 21. A twice-monthly showcase of Buddhist-influenced films from around the world which blurs the boundaries between East and West, old and new, sacred and profane. Friday, 7:30 p.m.: "Blue," introduced by Michael Wenger. \$7 per

film; \$70 for series of 12 films. Trustees Auditorium, Asian Art Museum, Golden Gate Park, S.F. 415-863-3133, 415-379-8879, [www.sfzc.org](http://www.sfzc.org).

■ **"Midnight Mass With Hostess Peaches Christ"** -- Through Aug. 4. The fourth annual summer series features well-known and obscure cult film favorites shown every Friday at midnight. Saturday: "Friday the 13th," directed by Sean S. Cunningham. The original slasher favorite. Naked sleeping-bag races optional. \$7. Landmark's Bridge Theatre, 3010 Geary Blvd., S.F. 415-751-3213, [www.peacheschrist.com](http://www.peacheschrist.com).

■ **"Uncommon Courage: Patriotism and Civil Liberties"** -- Saturday, 1 p.m. This film tells the story of the Military Intelligence Service during World War II and the occupation of Japan. Many MIS members were Japanese-Americans fighting abroad while their families were interned in the U.S. Free. Cowell Theater, Fort Mason Center Building A, Buchanan Street and Marina Boulevard, S.F. 415-921-5007, [www.njahs.org](http://www.njahs.org).

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## Coming up

■ **Castro Theatre** -- "Sing-A-Long Sound of Music," June 29-July 7. Daily, 7:30 p.m.; Saturdays and Sundays, 2 p.m. \$20-\$22.50 general; discounts for children, seniors and disabled. 429 Castro St., S.F. 510-601-8932, [www.singalonga.com](http://www.singalonga.com).

■ **Mechanics' Institute** -- CinemaLit Film Series, featuring "Nora," June 29, 6:30 p.m. With introduction by Professor John Bishop. 57 Post St., S.F. 415-393-0100, [www.milibrary.org](http://www.milibrary.org).

■ **Exploratorium** -- "Behind the Screen: Making Motion Pictures and Television," extended through Aug. 26. "Kumar Talkies," July 7, 2 p.m. A portrait of the one-cinema-house town of Kalpi in northern India. McBean Theater. Call for a complete schedule events and movie screenings. \$9 general; \$7 seniors and college students; \$5 disabled and ages 6-17; \$2.50 ages 3-5; free children under age 3; free first Wednesday of each month. 3601 Lyon St., S.F. 415-563-7337, [www.exploratorium.edu](http://www.exploratorium.edu).

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## This week

- **Rafael Film Center** -- "Juliet of the Spirits" and "Himalaya," through Thursday. "Time and Tide," Friday-June 28. \$7.50 general; \$4.75 ages 12 and under, ages 60 and older and matinees; \$4.50 members. 1118 Fourth Street, San Rafael. 415-454-1222, [www.rafaelfilmcenter.org](http://www.rafaelfilmcenter.org).
- **Film Night in the Park 2001** -- Through Sept. 22. June shows start at 8:45 p.m. Saturday: "The Wizard of Oz." June 30: "Dr. Strangelove." Hamilton Field Amphiteater, Hamilton Parkway, Novato. \$4 general; \$2 children. 415-453-4333, [www.filmnight.org](http://www.filmnight.org)

Classical

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## This week

- **Berkeley Arts Festival Gallery** -- Sarah Cahill, piano, today, 4 p.m. A performance of the nine preludes of Ruth Crawford in celebration of her 100th birthday, along with works by Johanna Magdalena Beyer. Free. 2200 Shattuck Ave., Berkeley. 510-486-0411.
- **Golden Gate Boys Choir and Bellringers** -- Spring Concert, today, 2:30 p.m. \$12 general; \$6 ages 14 and under and ages 55 and older. Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, 2808 Lakeshore Ave., Oakland. 510-887-4311.
- **Berkeley Symphony Orchestra** -- "Shostakovich, Brahms, and Rohde," Thursday, 8 p.m. \$19-\$35. Zellerbach Hall, Bancroft Way between Telegraph and Dana, UC Berkeley. 510-841-2800, [www.berkeleysymphony.org](http://www.berkeleysymphony.org).
- **Sonos Handbell Ensemble** --Saturday-July 1. Mezzo-soprano Frederica von Stade (starring only in June 29 and July 1 show) will perform "Runaway Child," based on the life and stowaway adventures of Catalonian child prodigy Isaac Albéniz. Saturday, 7:30 p.m.: St. Andrew's Episcopal

Church, 13601 Saratoga Ave., Saratoga. June 24, 4 p.m.: Lafayette-Orinda Presbyterian Church, 49 Knox Drive, Lafayette. June 29, 7:30 p.m.: Kofman Auditorium, 2200 Central Ave., Alameda. July 1, 4 p.m.: First Unitarian Church, 1187 Franklin St., S.F. 415-883-0727.

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## Coming up

- **Pro Art Symphony Orchestra** -- June 24, 2 p.m. Featuring Jon Nakamatsu, piano. \$34-\$38 general; \$32-\$36 seniors; \$24 children. Dean Leshner Regional Center for the Arts, 1601 Civic Drive, Walnut Creek. 925-943-7469.
  
- **San Francisco Chamber Singers** -- "Lands of the Midnight Sun," June 24, 7:30 p.m. A program by Scandinavian and Baltic composers. \$25 general; \$15 students. Unitarian Universalist Church of Berkeley, 1 Lawson Rd., Kensington. 415-771-3352, [www.sfchambersingers.org](http://www.sfchambersingers.org).
  
- **Diablo Symphony** -- Independence Day Celebration, July 1, 7:30 p.m. A program of Gershwin, Tchaikovsky, Sousa, Morton Gould and others under the direction of Joyce Johnson Hamilton. \$8-\$18. Dean Leshner Regional Center for the Arts, 1601 Civic Drive, Walnut Creek. 925-943-7469, [www.dlrca.org](http://www.dlrca.org).

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## This week

- **Davies Symphony Hall** -- Jackie Norman, tonight, 6 p.m. A Father's Day gospel concert. \$20-\$65. 201 Van Ness Ave., S.F. 415-864-6000.
  
- **Grace Cathedral** -- "Kitka Women's Ensemble," tonight, 5:30 p.m. Program of Renaissance and New Age music. \$15-\$25. Grace Cathedral, 1100 California St., S.F. 415-621-7900,
  
- **The Pocket Opera** -- Today, 2 p.m.: Performance of

Giuseppe Verdi's last opera, "Falstaff." \$27 general; \$13 youths. Florence Gould Theater, Palace of the Legion of Honor, Lincoln Park, S.F. 415-575-1100, [www.ticketweb.com](http://www.ticketweb.com)

- **San Francisco Opera** -- "Simon Boccanegra," by Giuseppe Verdi, Donald Runnicles conducting, through June 30. Sung in Italian with English Supertitles. "La Traviata" by Giuseppe Verdi, Marco Armiliato conducting, through June 30. Sung in Italian with English Supertitles. Call for show times. "Aida," by Giuseppe Verdi, Patrick Summers conducting, through July 1. Sung in Italian with English Supertitles. Call for show times. \$23-\$165. War Memorial Opera House, 401 Van Ness Ave., S.F. [www.sfopera.org](http://www.sfopera.org).
  
- **San Francisco Symphony** -- "Mozart Festival," Wednesday-June 30. "Homage to Prague," Thursday, 8 p.m. Program of Don Giovanni and Symphony No. 38. "From Opera Stage to Concert Hall," Friday, 8 p.m. Mezzo-soprano Frederica von Stade performs Mozart's last three symphonies. "Late Studies in Muted Tones," Saturday-June 24. Saturday, 8 p.m. June 24, 2 p.m. Program of Mozart's Clarinet Concerto and Overture to "The Magic Flute." "The Extreme Mozart," June 28, 8 p.m. Program overture to "The Marriage of Figaro." "Requiem," June 29-30, 8 p.m. Program includes the Piano Concerto No. 27. \$15-\$80. Davies Symphony Hall, 201 Van Ness Ave., S.F. 415-864-6000.
  
- **Yerba Buena Center for the Arts** -- "Wuornos," by Carla Lucero, Friday-June 24. A controversial new opera profiling Aileen Wuornos, a female serial killer now on death row. Friday, 8 p.m.; Saturday, 2 and 8 p.m.; June 24, 4 p.m. \$30-\$60. 701 Mission St., S.F. 415-978-2787.
  
- **San Francisco Chamber Singers** -- "Lands of the Midnight Sun," Saturday, 8 p.m. A program by Scandinavian and Baltic composers. \$25 general; \$15 students. First Unitarian Church, Franklin and Geary streets, S.F. 415-771-3352, [www.sfchambersingers.org](http://www.sfchambersingers.org).
  
- **San Francisco Choral Artists** -- Magen Solomon directing, Saturday, 8 p.m. The "Old Wines in New Bottles" concert is an exploration of madrigals from the Renaissance through the 20th century by this 22-voice chamber choir. \$17 general; \$14 students, seniors and the disabled. St. Gregory's Episcopal Church, 500 DeHaro St., S.F. 415-979-5779, [www.sfca.org](http://www.sfca.org).

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- **Golden Gate Opera** -- "Carmen in the Park," June 24, 1 p.m. Selections from Bizet's "Carmen." Free. Golden Gate Park Bandstand, S.F. 415-388-7827.
  
- **San Francisco Opera** -- Performance of Puccini's "Suor Angelica" and "Gianni Schicchi," July 8 and 15. July 8, 2 p.m.: Pre-performance lecture, 11 a.m. Free. Sigmund Stern Grove, 19th Ave. and Sloat Blvd., S.F. July 15, 2 p.m.: \$28-\$38. College of Marin Theater, 835 College Ave, Kentfield. 415-565-6427, [www.sfopera.org](http://www.sfopera.org).
  
- **San Francisco Symphony** -- July 1, 2 p.m.: "A Midsummer Night's Dream," "The River" and "The Butterfly Lovers Concerto." Free. Sigmund Stern Grove, 19th Avenue and Sloat Boulevard, S.F. July 4, 8 p.m.: "Red, White and Blues." A program of Sousa marches and Duke Ellington stompers. \$18.50-\$31. Shoreline Amphitheater, Mountain View. July 6, 8 p.m.; July 7, 2 p.m.: "Bugs Bunny On Broadway." July 12, 8 p.m.: Tchaikovsky Showcase. Program of "Romeo and Juliet" and Polonaise from "Eugene Onegin." \$7.50-\$54. July 13, 8 p.m.: An Evening with Natalie Cole and the Symphony. \$15-\$67. July 14, 8 p.m.: Latin Rhythms, featuring Vivendo de Pao and Luis Enrique. \$15-\$30. Davies Symphony Hall, 201 Van Ness Ave., S.F. July 14, 7:30 p.m.: Symphony in Sonoma. Outdoor program of Barber, Tchaikovsky and Liszt, with fireworks display and wine. \$95. Sonoma-Cutrer Vineyards, Russian River Valley. 415-864-6000.

Concerts

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- **Concerts in the Park** -- Today, June 24, July 1, 8, 15 and 22, 2:30 p.m. Featuring the Hayward Municipal Band. Free. Memorial Park, 24176 Mission Blvd., Hayward. 510-881-6733.
- **City of Concord Music at Noon Concerts** -- Concerts begin at noon. Candela, Wednesday. Free. Todos Santos Plaza, Willow Pass Road, Concord. 925-671-3464.

- **Swans Blues Song Series** -- Every Wednesday in June, 5-7 p.m. Wednesday: Mike Skinner, Thunder City. Free. Ninth and Washington, Swans Market Courtyard, Oakland. 510-836-2227.
- **City Center Summer Concerts** -- Thursdays, 5 p.m., through Sept. 27. Thursday: Lady Biana. June 28: Roy Tyler and New Directions. Free. City Center Plaza, 12 Street, Oakland. 510-628-8490.
- **City of Concord Music and Market Concert Series** -- Thursdays, 6:30 p.m., through Aug. 30. Baguette Quartet, Thursday. Free. Todos Santos Plaza, Willow Pass Road and Grant Street, Concord. 925-671-3464, [www.CommunityConcerts.com](http://www.CommunityConcerts.com).
- **Oakland's "Summer Sounds" Concert Series** -- Thursdays, 5-6:30 p.m. Thursday: Lady Bianca. Blues and boogie woogie. Free. City Center Plaza, 12th Street and Broadway, Oakland. 510-628-8490 or [www.oaklandcitycenter.com](http://www.oaklandcitycenter.com)
- **Summer Noon Concerts 2001 in Berkeley** -- Every Thursday through July, noon-1 p.m. Thursday: Capoeira Arts Cafe. Free. Downtown Berkeley BART Plaza, Berkeley. 510-549-2230.
- **Wente Vineyards "Concerts at the Vineyards"** -- Through Sept. 11. Reservations required. The Doobie Brothers, Thursday, 8:30 p.m. Concert terrace seating: \$59; outdoor dinner and concert: \$159; restaurant dinner and preferred seating: \$189. Wente Vineyards, 5565 Tesla Road, Livermore. 925-456-2424.
- **Gordon Parks Tribute** -- Friday, 8 p.m. Featuring Gordon Parks, Isaac Hayes and the Oakland East Bay Symphony. \$35-\$200. Paramount Theater, 2025 Broadway Ave., Oakland. 510-625-8497.
- **The 2001 Alameda County Fair** -- Friday-July 8. Friday: Lee Ann Womack. Saturday: David Clayton-Thomas with Blood, Sweat and Tears. Court of 4 Seasons - - Performances begin at noon. "Blues Festival," Saturday. With Sonny Rhodes, Lydia Pense and Cold Blood, Ron Joseph and Stepping Stones, Alvon Johnson and His Allstars, and more. Concerts free with fair admission. \$5-\$7 general; \$4 seniors; \$3-\$4 ages 6-12; free ages 5 and under. Valley and Pleasanton Avenues, Pleasanton. 925-426-7600, [www.AlamedaCountyFair.com](http://www.AlamedaCountyFair.com).
- **Berkeley Public Library South Branch** -- Gregory Joe Bledsoe and the "Source of Light" Band, Saturday, 2:30 p.m. A concert of fusion, reggae, pop and inspirational music. Sponsored by the Friends of the library. Free. 1901 Russell St., Berkeley. 510-644-6860.
- **Cal State Hayward Concert In The Hills** -- Joyce Cooling, Saturday, 8 p.m. Free. Cal State Hayward, Contra Costa Campus, 4700 Ygnacio Valley Road, Concord. 925-602-6700, [www.concertinthehills.org](http://www.concertinthehills.org).
- **University of Creation Spirituality** -- Jazz and Arts Concert, Saturday, 8-10 p.m. Featuring the sounds of local jazz musicians, poetry and dance. \$12-\$15. 2141 Broadway, Oakland. 510-835-4827.
- **Womensing Benefit Performance** -- Saturday, 3 and 8 p.m. The 60-voice chorus with the Dimensions Dance

Theater will perform "Adiemus I & II." \$18-\$25. Oakland Scottish Rite Center, 1547 Lakeside Dr., Oakland. 925-798-1300.

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- **Berkeley Arts Festival** -- Just Friends Jazz Quintet, June 25, 8 p.m. Donald Robinson Trio, June 26, 8 p.m. Con Alma vocal jazz sextet, June 28, 8 p.m. Donation. Festival Gallery, 2200 Shattuck Ave., Berkeley. "Free Jazz on the Pier," July 1, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Featuring the Christy Dana Quartet. Free. Berkeley Pier, foot of University Avenue and Seawall Drive, Berkeley. 510-486-0411, [www.berkeleyartsfestival.com](http://www.berkeleyartsfestival.com).
- **Chronicle Pavilion -- Maze**, featuring Frankie Beverly, Patti Labelle, Keith Sweat, June 29, 6:30 p.m. \$31.50-\$63.50. **Sade**, July 17, 7:30 p.m. \$33-\$68.50. **KFRC Ultimate Oldies Party**, featuring Tommy James, the Turtles, Herman's Hermits, the Buckingham's and Gary Puckett, July 21, 7 p.m. \$18.25-\$37.50. **R. Kelly**, Sunshine Anderson, Syleena Johnson, July 29, 7 p.m. \$32.75-\$53.25. **Yes Symphonic Tour**, July 31, 8 p.m. \$21.75-\$48.25. **Depeche Mode**, Aug. 3, 8 p.m. \$30.25-\$68.25. **Roxy Music**, Aug. 5, 7:30 p.m. \$38.25-\$78.25. **Lloyd's Blues Music Festival**, featuring B.B. King, Buddy Guy, John Hiatt, Tommy Castro, Aug. 12, 4 p.m. \$22.75-\$43.25. **Aerosmith**, Fuel, Aug. 14, 7:30 p.m. \$33.25-\$78.25. **Stevie Nicks**, Aug. 15, 7:30 p.m. \$28-\$68. **JVC Jazz Festival**, Aug. 19, 4 p.m. \$24.50-\$39.50. **Ringo Starr & His All Starr Band**, Aug. 31, 8 p.m. \$18.25-\$48.25. **matchbox twenty**, Train, Sept. 25, 7 p.m. \$32.75-\$48.25. **Alan Jackson**, Oct. 7, 7 p.m. \$25.75-\$48.25. 2000 Kirker Pass Road, Concord. 925-685-8497.
- **Greek Theatre -- Phil Lesh & Friends**, The Disco Biscuits, Les Claypool's Frog Brigade, June 29, 7 p.m.; June 30, 5 p.m.; July 1, 1 p.m. \$30. **Ani DiFranco**, July 6, 8 p.m. \$31. **Trey Anastasio**, July 13 and 14, 7 p.m. \$32.50. **Jill Scott**, 8 p.m. July 27, 8 p.m. \$32.50-\$50. **The String Cheese Incident**, Aug. 3-4, 7 p.m. \$29.75. **Widespread Panic**, 7 p.m. Oct. 12-13, 7 p.m. \$28.75. UC Berkeley, Hearst and Gayley avenues. 415-421-8497.
- **Julia Morgan Center for the Arts** -- "Kourosh Taghavi: the Beauty of Iranian Music and Stories of its Origins," July 1, 2 p.m. \$10 general; \$5 children. 2640 College Ave., Berkeley. 925-798-1300, [www.juliamorgan.org](http://www.juliamorgan.org).
- **Paramount Theatre -- Rhythm of Love Tour**, featuring Will Downing, Chante Moore, Jonathan Butler, July 5, 8 p.m. \$32.50-\$50. **Nina Simone**, July 11, 8 p.m. \$45.25-

- \$75.25. **George Benson**, Chris Botti, Aug. 10, 8 p.m. \$29.75-\$42.75. 2025 Broadway, Oakland. 415-421-8497.
- **Champions on Stage** -- July 7, 1 p.m. Featuring the Blue Devils marching band and the Cadets of Bergen County. \$12. Dean Leshner Regional Center for the Arts, 1601 Civic Dr., Walnut Creek. 925-689-2918.
  - **Precision West** -- July 7, 5:30 p.m. Featuring the Blue Devils marching band, the Cadets of Bergen County and the Santa Clara Vanguard. \$10-\$15. Viking Field, Diablo Valley College, 321 Golf Club Road, Pleasant Hill. 925-689-2918.
  - **Oakland Arena -- 'N Sync**, July 21 and 22, 7:30 p.m. \$29.75-\$65.75. **Eric Clapton**, Doyle Bramhall II and Smokestack, Aug. 11, 7:30 p.m. \$47.50-\$89.50. **Madonna**, Sept. 5 and 6, 8 p.m. **sold out.** **Janet Jackson**, 112, Oct. 9, 7:30 p.m. \$39.75-\$91.25. 7000 Coliseum Way, Oakland. 762-BASS.
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## SAN FRANCISCO

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## This week

- **Masonic Auditorium** -- Max Roach Quartet, tonight, 7 p.m. \$20-\$48. 1111 California St. at Taylor, S.F. 762-2277, 415-776-1999, [www.sfjazz.org](http://www.sfjazz.org).
- **San Francisco Free Folk Festival** -- Today, noon. The 25th annual event gathers musicians from around the Bay Area. This year's performers include Shay and Michael Black, Shahrzad Dance Ensemble, the World Harmony Choir, Gunnar Madsen of The Bobs and the acoustic "mayhem" of the Waybacks. Free. Roosevelt Middle School, 460 Arguello, S.F. 510-287-9095.
- **See Alice Run Concert** -- Today. The 5-mile run through Golden Gate Park finishes with a Hootie and the Blowfish performance. Call for times. Free. Speedway Meadow, Golden Gate Park, S.F. 415-759-2690.
- **Great American Music Hall -- Mouse on Mars**, Prefuse 73 (7 p.m. show only), Vert (10:30 p.m. show only), Monday, 7 and 10:30 p.m. \$14. **Nickel Creek**, All Wrecked Up, Tuesday, 8 p.m. \$12. **Smog**, Wednesday, 9 p.m. \$12. **Ron Sexsmith**, Eileen Rose, 8 p.m. Friday, 8 p.m. \$10-\$12. 859 O'Farrell St., S.F. 415-885-0750.

- **Yerba Buena Gardens** -- Spirit of Music Festival, Monday-Saturday and June 25-29, 12:30 p.m. Featuring thirteen international music groups. Free. Mission Street between 3rd and 4th streets, S.F. 415-543-1718.
  
- **Maritime Hall** -- David Crosby, Taos Hum, Dean Del Ray, Tuesday. Acoustic rock. \$22-\$25. Beatnuts, Missin' Linx, Greg Nice, Friday. \$18-\$20. Gregg's Eggs, Vince Welnick, Roy Rogers with members of Zero, Jerry's Kids, Taos Hum, Saturday. Groove-funk. \$15-\$18. Doors at 8 p.m. unless noted otherwise. 450 Harrison St., S.F. 415-974-6644.
  
- **The Warfield** -- **Coldplay**, Granddaddy, Wednesday, 8 p.m. **sold out**. **KMEL House of Soul**, featuring Tamia, Lil' Mo, Jimmy Cozier, Tank, Eric Sermon, Friday, 8 p.m. **sold out**. 982 Market St., S.F. 415-421-8497.
  
- **Slim's** -- **Lloyd Cole & the Negatives**, Thursday, 9 p.m. \$20-\$22. **Supersuckers**, M.I.R.V., Friday and Saturday, 9 p.m. \$15. 333 11th St., S.F. 415-522-0333.
  
- **Fillmore** -- **Live Nude Bands**, featuring Zen Guerrilla, The Hail Marys, Black Kali Ma, Bonfire Madigan, Sleepytime Gorilla Museum, Gun & Doll Show, The Pre-Teens, PBR Street Gang, Friday, 8 p.m. \$12.50. **Mike Clarke's Prescription Renewal**, featuring Mike Clarke, Charlie Hunter, Fred Wesley, Robert Walters, B-Side Players, Saturday, 9 p.m. \$25. 805 Geary St. 415-421-8497.
  
- **SFJAZZ Outdoor Concert Series** -- Through Oct. 10. Transamerica Redwood Park Summer Music Series, through Aug. 24. Marcio Faraco, Friday, noon-1 p.m. Transamerica Redwood Park, 600 Montgomery St. S.F. 415-788-7353, [www.sfjazz.org](http://www.sfjazz.org).
  
- **Bimbo's 365 Club** -- **Bjorn Again**, Saturday, 9 p.m. \$20. 1025 Columbus Ave., S.F. 415-474-0365, 762-BASS.

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## Coming up

- **Fillmore** -- **Guided by Voices**, June 24, 8 p.m. \$17.50. **Michelle Shocked**, June 29, 9 p.m. \$20. **El Tri**, El

Bandera, July 6, 9 p.m. \$35. **Shuggie Otis**, July 7, 9 p.m. \$25. **Sam Bush**, July 13, 9 p.m. \$20. **Dark Star Orchestra**, July 20, 9 p.m. \$18.50. **Shawn Colvin**, July 21, 9 p.m. \$28.50. **Echo & the Bunnymen**, The Rosenbergs, July 22, 9 p.m. \$22.50. **Warren Zevon & his Band**, July 26, 9 p.m. \$25. **Stereophonics**, Sept. 8, 9 p.m. \$18.50. Show originally scheduled for May 14. 805 Geary St. 415-421-8497.

- **San Francisco Pride 2001** -- Marga Gomez and Meshell Ndegeocello, June 24, noon-7 p.m. Free. Nectar Productions Women's Stage, Golden Gate Avenue between Hyde and Leavenworth streets, S.F. 650-742-9144, [www.sfpride.com](http://www.sfpride.com).

- **Slim's -- Dennis Quaid & the Sharks**, June 24, 8 p.m. \$20-\$22. **Jesse Winchester & Jerry Douglas**, June 28, 8 p.m. \$20. **The Coup**, June 30, 9 p.m. \$12. **Pain and Suffering Tour**, featuring Stereomud, Spike 1000, Endo, July 1, 8 p.m. \$5. **Consolidated**, July 3, 9 p.m. \$8. **Heaven Tonight III: A Cheap Trick Tribute**, July 6, 9 p.m. \$10. **The Ocean Blue**, July 7, 9 p.m. \$14. **Faxed Head**, July 8, 8 p.m. \$8. **Bratmobile**, July 11, 9 p.m. \$8-\$10. **Mover**, July 12, 9 p.m. \$7. **Common Sense**, July 14, 9 p.m. \$12-\$14. **Saliva**, July 16, 7:30 p.m. \$12-\$14. **Teenage Fanclub**, July 20 and 21, 9 p.m. \$17. **Mermen**, July 27, 9 p.m. \$12-\$14. **Box Set**, 9 p.m. July 28, 9 p.m. \$13-\$14. **The Business**, Agnostic Front, July 29, 8 p.m. \$10-\$12. **Good Riddance**, Aug. 3, 8 p.m. \$10. **O.A.R.**, Aug. 4, 9 p.m. \$10. 333 11th St., S.F. 415-522-0333.

- **Great American Music Hall -- Pink Martini**, Three Leg Torso, June 25 and 27, 9 p.m. \$16-\$18. **The New Pornographers**, The Plus Ones, June 26, 9 p.m. \$12. **The Ex**, The Black Heart Procession, Erase Errata, June 28, 9 p.m. \$12. **Pride and Joy**, June 29, 9:30 p.m. \$13. **Red House Painters**, Vaportrail (July 1 show only), Built Like Alaska (July 2 show only), July 1 and 2, 9 p.m. \$15. **Sex Mob**, Will Bernard & Motherbug, Scott Amendola Band, July 5, 9 p.m. \$12. **Unwound**, Rainer Maria, Juno, July 6 and 7, 9 p.m. \$13. **Peter Himmelman**, July 8, 8 p.m. \$15. **Our Lady Peace**, Shades Apart, July 9, 9 p.m. \$15. **Cradle of Filth**, Nile, God Forbid, July 10, 8 p.m. \$25. **Mike Doughty**, July 11, 9 p.m. \$15. **Phish Tribute Album Party**, with Merl Saunders & His Funky Friends, Ten Ton Chicken, July 12. **sold out**. **Vinyl**, Tea Leaf Green, July 13, 9 p.m. \$13.50. **Rovo**, featuring Yamamoto of the Boredoms, Live Human, Subarachnoid Space, Zmrzlina, July 14, 8 p.m. \$12. **White Stripes**, Von Bondies, Waxwings, July 15, 9 p.m. \$15. 859 O'Farrell St., S.F. 415-885-0750.

- **Bimbo's 365 Club -- Butch Whacks & the**

**Glasspacks**, June 28-30, 8:30 p.m. \$25-\$35. **Bebel Gilberto**, July 5 and 6, 9 p.m. \$25. **Roomful of Blues**, July 7, 9 p.m. \$17. **Ocean Colour Scene**, July 10, 8 p.m. \$13-\$15. **Los Amigos Invisibles**, July 13, 9 p.m. \$18. **The White Stripes**, Holly Golightly, Von Bondies and Waxwings, July 14, 9 p.m. \$15. **Rachid Taha**, July 21, 9 p.m. \$15. **Charlatans UK**, July 28, 9 p.m. \$20. 1025 Columbus Ave., S.F. 415-474-0365, 762-BASS.

- **Fandangos: Songs And Dances of Early California**-- June 30, 2 p.m. In the tradition of fiestas celebrated in the ranchos of upper California throughout the Spanish and Mexican periods. \$15-\$18. Presidio Officers' Club, Moraga and Graham streets. S.F. July 1, 4 p.m.: Vallejo Naval and Historical Museum, 734 Marin St., Vallejo. 415-431-4234.

- **Pier 30/32 -- The Van's Warped Tour 2001**, featuring Fenix TX, H2O, Less Than Jake, Me First & The Gimme Gimmes, Rancid, A.F.I., Bouncing Souls, 311, Newfound Glory, Pennywise, Good Charlotte and others, June 30, noon. \$25.50-\$28. S.F. 415-421-8497.

- **The Warfield -- G3**, Joe Satriani, Steve Vai, John Petrucci, June 30, 8 p.m. \$30-\$35. **Rammstein**, Crossbreed, July 5, 8 p.m. \$21.50-\$25. **Air**, Sebastien Tellier, July 9, 8 p.m. \$22.50-\$28.50. **Sugar Ray**, Uncle Kracker, The Start, July 21, 8 p.m. \$30. **Lucinda Williams**, 8 p.m. July 26, 8 p.m. \$25-\$28.50. **Jim Breuer**, July 28, 8 p.m. \$24.50-\$26.50. 982 Market St., S.F. 415-421-8497.

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## This week

- **Villa Montalvo** -- "A Walk Down Abbey Road," Monday-Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. A salute to the Beatles featuring Alan Parsons, Ann Wilson of Heart, John Entwistle of the Who and Todd Rundgren. Call for ticket prices. **Keb' Mo'**, Thursday, 7:30 p.m. \$32-\$42. Tom Jones, Friday, 8 p.m. \$40-\$60. Garden Theater. 15400 Montalvo Road, Saratoga. 408-961-5800.

- **Center Stage** -- David Grisman Quintet, Saturday, 7 p.m. \$30 general; \$25 members. Swig Field, Osher Marin Jewish Community Center, 200 N. San Pedro Rd., San Rafael. 415-444-8000, 415-478-2277.

- **Russian River Blues Festival** -- Saturday-June 24, 11

a.m. A two-day celebration of blues music with performances by Etta James and the Roots Band, Shemekia Copeland, Deborah Coleman, Rosie Ledet & The Zydeco Playboys, Keb' Mo', Lucky Peterson, Clarence Brown & Gate's Express, Roomful of Blues, The Persuasions and others. Call for a complete schedule of performers. \$40-\$45 per day; \$75-\$85 weekend. Johnson's Beach, Guerneville. 510-655-9471,

[www.russianriverbluesfest.com](http://www.russianriverbluesfest.com).

- **Shoreline Amphitheatre -- New Orleans by the Bay**, Saturday-June 24, noon-7:30 p.m. Featuring the Funky Meters (Saturday) and Bonnie Raitt (June 24). \$15. 1 Amphitheatre Parkway, Mountain View. 415-421-8497.
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## Coming up

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- **Shoreline Amphitheatre -- Radiohead**, Beta Band, June 27, 7:30 p.m. \$38.50. **Tim McGraw**, Kenny Chesney, June 28, 8 p.m. \$28.50-\$78.50. **Ozzfest 2001**, featuring Black Sabbath, Marilyn Manson, Slipknot, Papa Roach, Linkin Park, Crazy Town and others, June 29, 11 a.m. \$43.75-\$73.75. **San Francisco Symphony**, with Etta James, July 4, 8 p.m. \$26-\$31. **Godsmack**, Deftones, Puddle of Mud, July 17, 7 p.m. \$25-\$38.50. **Sade**, July 18, 7:30 p.m. \$33.25-\$68.75. **Area: One**, featuring Moby, Outkast, New Order, The Roots, and others, July 31, 3:30 p.m. \$43.50-\$73.50. **Wotapalava**, featuring Pet Shop Boys, Soft Cell, The Magnetic Fields, Rufus Wainwright, Aug. 3, 6 p.m. \$29.50-\$79.50. **Depeche Mode**, Aug. 4, 8 p.m. \$29.50-\$68.50. **Aerosmith**, Fuel, Aug. 8, 7:30 p.m. \$33.50-\$78.50. **Journey**, Peter Frampton, John Waite, Aug. 10, 6:30 p.m. \$22.50-\$48.50. **Lloyd's Blues Music Festival**, featuring B.B. King, Buddy Guy, John Hiatt, Tommy Castro, Aug. 11, 5 p.m. \$16.75-\$45.25. **Stevie Nicks**, Aug. 14, 7:30 p.m. \$28.25-\$68.25. **Barenaked Ladies**, The Proclaimers, Sarah Harmer, Aug. 16, 7 p.m. \$25-\$45. 1 Amphitheatre Parkway, Mountain View. 415-421-8497.
- **Sacramento Valley Amphitheatre -- Ozzfest 2001**, featuring Black Sabbath, Marilyn Manson, Slipknot, Papa Roach, Linkin Park, Crazy Town, and others, June 27, 11 a.m. \$40.25-\$75.25. **Tim McGraw**, Kenny Chesney, June 29, 7:30 p.m. \$25-\$70. **Depeche Mode**, Aug. 1, 8 p.m. \$28.25-\$53.25. **Aerosmith**, Fuel, Aug. 12, 7:30 p.m. \$33.25-\$78.25. **Barenaked Ladies**, the Proclaimers, Sarah Harmer, Aug. 15, 7 p.m. \$19.50-\$38. 2677 Forty Mile Road, Marysville. 415-421-8497.
- **Concert for the Homeless** -- July 3, 4 p.m. Featuring

everyone's favorite '80s band, the Bangles. \$10 general, free kids age 5 and under. Discovery Meadow, Guadalupe River Park, Woz Way and San Carlos St., San Jose. 408-294-2100.

■ **San Jose Arena -- Pantera**, Slayer, Static X, Morbid Angel, Skrape, July 23, 6 p.m. \$40.25. **Backstreet Boys**, Shaggy, Krystal, Aug. 13, 7:30 p.m. \$38.75-\$124.75. **Janet Jackson**, 112, Oct. 8 and 10, 7:30 p.m. \$38-\$88. At the Compaq Center. 525 W. Santa Clara St., San Jose. 415-421-8497.

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Dance

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## This week

- **The Ruth Botchan Dance Company** -- "More Matters of Life and Death," tonight, 8 p.m. The performances include the world premiere of Botchan's "Iris, Blue Each Spring" set to "Six Japanese Songs" played by the Mirage Ensemble. \$15 general; \$12 youth and seniors. Western Sky Studio, 2525 Eighth St., Berkeley. 510-848-4878.
  - **Julia Morgan Center for the Arts** -- Mahea Uchiyama Center for International Dance, today, 2 p.m. "Dance Mosaic: Celebrating Diversity" features 100 performers of multicultural dance and music. \$10-\$15 general; \$5-\$12 children, students and seniors. 2640 College Ave., Berkeley. 925-798-1300, [www.juliamorgan.org](http://www.juliamorgan.org).
  - **Dean Leshner Regional Center For The Arts** -- "Spring Showcase," Friday and June 24, 7 p.m. Classical ballet repertoire presented by the California Ballet Academy. 1601 Civic Drive, Walnut Creek. 925-943-7469, [www.dlrca.org](http://www.dlrca.org).
  - **Ashkenaz** -- "West African High Life Band Dance Party," Saturday, 9 p.m. Following the CD release concert with Baba Ken Okulolo and the Nigerian Brothers. A dance lesson is available with Comfort Akosua Mensah. \$12. 1317 San Pablo Ave., Berkeley. 510-525-5054, 510-594-1400, [www.ashkenaz.com](http://www.ashkenaz.com).
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## Coming up

- **Diablo Ballet** -- "Diablo Ballet Under the Stars," July 3, 8 p.m. A program of "Bach de Trois," by Nikolai Kabaniaev, "Walk Before Talk," by K.T. Nelson, a selection from "Swan Lake." and "Dancing Miles," by Kelly Teo with fireworks finale. Free. Pavilion, 2000 Kirker Pass Rd., Concord. 925-943-1775.

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## This week

- **Dance Mission Theater** -- The S.F. Lesbian and Gay Dance Festival, through July 1. "Queer Dance: Sex and Comedy," through tonight, 8 p.m. Featuring KT Nelson, Brian Fisher, Laura Bernasconi, Tara Brandel, Sara Sean Dorsey, and others. "Moveable Feast/Commissioned Works," Friday and June 24 and June 29-July 1, 8 p.m. Featuring Yannis Adoniou, Jesselito Bie, Krissy Keefer, and others. \$15-\$17. Panel Discussions: Art and Politics/The Politics of Art, today, 4 p.m. Shotwell Studios, 3252A 19th St., S.F. "Body Image and Dance," July 1, 4 p.m. SOMARTS, 934 Brannan St., S.F. 415-273-4633.
- **San Francisco Ethnic Dance Festival** -- Through June 24. Three weekends of performances by 30 Bay Area dance companies. Call for a complete schedule of performers. Today and June 24, 2 p.m.; Saturday, 2 and 8 p.m.; \$20-\$30 general; \$37.50-\$75 subscription. Palace of Fine Arts, 3301 Lyon St., S.F. 415-392-4400, [www.worldartswest.org](http://www.worldartswest.org).
- **Footloose** -- "Studly," Wednesday-June 30. Lisi DeHaas' one-woman show is a comedy-drama-dance piece about a woman who realizes her father is gay -- and so is she. Part of the National Queer Arts Festival. \$12-\$15. Wednesdays-Fridays, 8 p.m.; no performance Saturday. Venue 9, 252 Ninth St., S.F. 415-289-2000, [www.ftloose.org](http://www.ftloose.org)
- **ODC/ San Francisco** -- "Monk at the Met: Feast of Souls," Thursday-July 1, 8 p.m. The premiere of Sara Shelton Mann's latest work about life and death. Post-performance reception, Thursday. \$18. ODC Theater, 3153 17th St., S.F. 415-863-9834, [www.odcdance.org/theater](http://www.odcdance.org/theater)

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## Coming up

- **Summerfest/Dance 2001** -- 10th Anniversary Season Program, July 11-22. Gala Celebration Performance, July 11, 6 p.m. with champagne reception. Featuring choreography by KT Nelson, Cathleen McCarthy, Joan Lazarus, Su Li-Jue, Remy Charlip and Janice Garrett. \$15-\$200. Program I: July 13 and 14, 8 p.m.; July 15, 2 p.m. Featuring choreography by Sonya Delwaide, Kate Weare, Rapt, Mary Carbonara and Katherine Warner. Program II: July 20 and 21, 8 p.m.; July 22, 2 p.m. Featuring choreography by Laura Elaine Ellis, Mel Wong, Lea Wolf, Robert Moses, Randee Pauve and Michael Lowe. \$15 general; \$13 students and seniors. Cowell Theater, Bay and Buchanan streets, S.F. 415-441-3687.

Museums

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## This week

- **Richmond Museum of History** -- Special Event -- "Introduction to Richmond History," today, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. A bus tour of historic sites in Richmond led by the museum's assistant curator, Shelby Sampson. The tour will feature World War II homefront sites. Tour leaves from Ferry Point. Reservations required. \$20 includes lunch at the museum. 400 Nevin Ave., Richmond. 510-235-7387.

- **The Oakland Museum of California** -- "Half Past Autumn: The Art of Gordon Parks," Saturday-Sept. 23. Exhibition brings together for the first time Parks' work as photojournalist, filmmaker, novelist, poet and musician. Features more than 220 photographs, along with Parks' books, films, music and poetry. \$6 general; \$4 students and seniors; free ages 5 and under and members; second Sundays free to all. Wednesdays-Saturdays, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sundays, noon-5 p.m.; open until 9 p.m. first Friday of the month. 1000 Oak St., Oakland. 888-625-6873, [www.museumca.org](http://www.museumca.org).

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## Coming up

- **Judah L. Magnes Museum** -- "Ancestral Ascent," by Greek American artist Sophia Tsavalas, "Re-counting," by Iranian American artist Taraneh Hemami and "a new twist in time," opens June 24. Free. Sundays-Thursdays, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. 2911 Russell St., Berkeley. 510-549-6950, [www.magnesmuseum.org](http://www.magnesmuseum.org).

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## This week

- **California Historical Society Museum** -- "The Big Orange: California Citrus Label Art," Saturday-Sept. 30. The exhibit features rare examples of citrus-crate art dating from the early 1900s to the 1950s. \$3 general; \$1 students and seniors; free ages 5 and under. Tuesdays-Sundays, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. 678 Mission St., S.F. 415-357-1848, [www.calhist.org](http://www.calhist.org).
  - **California Palace of the Legion of Honor** -- "Henry Moore: Sculpting the 20th Century," Saturday-Sept. 16. Over 100 sculptures, including works in bronze, wood and stone, and 80 works on paper will be on display indoors and outdoors. \$8 general; \$6 seniors; \$5 ages 12-17; free ages 11 and under; free to all second Wednesday of the month. Tuesdays-Sundays, 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Lincoln Park, 34th Avenue and Clement Street, S.F. 415-863-3330, [www.thinker.org](http://www.thinker.org).
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## Coming up

- **Asian Art Museum of San Francisco** -- "Zen: Painting and Calligraphy, 17th-20th Centuries," opens June 27. Sixty-six works created by Japanese monk-artists of Zen's later days. \$7 general; \$5 seniors; \$4 ages 12-17; free ages 11 and under; free to all the first Wednesday of each month. Tuesdays-Sundays, 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m.; first

Wednesday of the month, 9:30 a.m.-8:45 p.m. Golden Gate Park Music Concourse, S.F. 415-379-8801, [www.asianart.org](http://www.asianart.org).

Galleries

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## Last chance

- **Bedford Gallery** -- "Irene Pijoan: A Mid-Career Retrospective, 1980-200," closing today. Exhibition includes figurative reliefs, frescoes, oil paintings, works on paper, collages and paper cutouts. Donation. Tuesdays-Sundays, noon-5 p.m.; Thursdays-Saturdays, 6-8 p.m. 1601 Civic Drive at Locust Street, Walnut Creek. 925-295-1417.
  
- **East Bay Open Studios 2001** -- Closing today. Over 400 participating artists will open their studios to the public for two weekends. Saturdays and Sundays, 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Free. The Map and Directory is available from Pro Arts Gallery, 461 Ninth St., Oakland, 510-763-9425. A virtual tour of the event is available at [www.proartsgallery.org](http://www.proartsgallery.org).
  
- **West Berkeley Senior Center** -- "Exhibit of 15 Artists' Works," closing today. A variety of media will be on display during the Pro Arts East Bay Open Studios. Free. Saturday and Sunday, 11 a.m.-6 p.m. 1900 Sixth St., Berkeley. 510-569-4810.
  
- **The Bade Museum** -- "Alive in Her: Icons of the Goddess," closing Tuesday. Photography, collage and paintings by Joan Beth Clair. Tuesday-Thursday, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Pacific School of Religion, 1798 Scenic Ave., Berkeley. 510-848-0528.
  
- **Pleasanton Art League** -- Annual spring show, closing Friday. Bank of America, 337 Main St., Pleasanton. 925-462-6360.
  
- **A.C.C.I. Gallery** -- "The Landscape Show," closing Saturday. An exhibition of works by California artists representing the natural and organic environment. Call for hours. 1652 Shattuck Ave., Berkeley. 510-843-2527.

- **Moraga Art Gallery** -- New spring show closing Saturday. Paintings, sculptures, photographs, prints, jewelry and cards. Tuesdays-Saturdays, noon-5 p.m. 570 Center St., Moraga. 925-376-5407.
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## Opening this week

- **Pacific Wildlife Gallery** -- Art exhibition and sale of "Contra Costa Landscapes," Monday-July 3. Wine-and-cheese reception Saturday, 5-8 p.m. 925-228-5460. Sponsored by the Muir Heritage Land Trust and California Watercolor Association. 3420 Mt. Diablo Blvd., Lafayette. 925-283-2977.
  - **The Fig Tree Gallery** -- "An Alfresco Exhibit," Saturday-June 24, 11 a.m.-sunset. Sculpture by Martin Metal, photography by Marianne Robinson, and paintings by Tom Schultz. Thursday-Saturday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. and by appointment. 2599 Eighth St., Berkeley. 510-540-7843.
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## Coming up

- **Ardency Gallery** -- "The Lives of Leaves: New Works by Ivy Jacobsen," June 28-July 28. Mixed media etchings, oil on canvas and diptych. 709 Broadway, Oakland. 510-836-0831.
- **Bedford Gallery** -- "Real People, Real Places," July 1-Aug. 26. The photographs by Allen Spore are portraits of people in his suburban community, Moraga. A companion exhibit, "California's Contra Costa County," displays more than 100 photographs, each taken by a different photographer, showing his or her own Contra Costa County community. Reception, July 1, 3-5 p.m. Donation. Tuesdays-Sundays, noon-5 p.m.; Thursdays-Saturdays, 6-8 p.m. 1601 Civic Drive at Locust Street, Walnut Creek. 925-295-1417.

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## Last chance

- **Officers' Club Exhibition Hall** -- "Unseen Treasures: Imperial Russia and the New World," closing today. \$10-\$12 general; \$6-\$8 children, students and seniors. Wednesday, 11 a.m.-9 p.m.; Thursday-Monday, 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Presidio Main Post, 50 Moraga Ave., S.F. 800-965-4827, [www.atthepresidio.org](http://www.atthepresidio.org).
  - **Somarts** -- "Lesbian ConneXion/s," closing Saturday. A traveling photo exhibit that features images created by European lesbian artists. Wednesday-Sunday, noon-7:30 p.m. 415-552-7709. Free. Call for hours. 934 Brannan St., S.F. 415-440-7148, [www.apiculturalcenter.org](http://www.apiculturalcenter.org), [www.queerculturalcenter.org](http://www.queerculturalcenter.org).
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## Opening this week

- **Haines Gallery** -- "Kaboom!" Thursday-July 21. A group exhibition inspired by cartoon culture. Reception, July 5, 5:30-7:30 p.m. Free. Call for hours. 49 Geary St., Fifth Floor, S.F. 415-397-8114, [www.hainesgallery.com](http://www.hainesgallery.com).

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## This week

- **Circus Chimera** -- Through today, 1:30 and 4:30 p.m. Circus show features aerial contortion, juggling, tumbling, balancing, flying trapeze and jump roping. Camp Parks Army Base, Dublin. 888-663-7464.
- **Alameda County Fair** -- Friday-July 8. The Kids' Park includes pony rides, amusement rides, games and crafts. Fair hours: Monday-Thursday, 11 a.m.-10 p.m.; Friday-Sunday, 10 a.m.-10 p.m.; July 4, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Carnival Hours: Daily, noon-midnight. Entry Gates at Valley and

Pleasanton avenues, Alameda County Fairgrounds,  
Pleasanton. 925-426-7600, [www.AlamedaCountyFair.com](http://www.AlamedaCountyFair.com).

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## Coming up

- **Berkeley-Richmond Jewish Community Center** -- Uncle Eye, June 24, 2 p.m. A performance by the children's entertainer to raise funds for his television pilot. \$10 general; \$7 children. 1414 Walnut Ave., Berkeley. 510-848-0237, [www.uncle-eye.com](http://www.uncle-eye.com).
- **Julia Morgan Center for the Arts** -- Kid Kaleidoscope and the Puppet Players, June 24, 2 p.m. Handmade puppets, masks, shadow puppets and slides. \$10 general; \$5 children. 2640 College Ave., Berkeley. 925-798-1300, [www.juliamorgan.org](http://www.juliamorgan.org).

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## This week

- **Make\*A\*Circus** -- Opening Day in the Park, today, noon. Celebration features a circus performance, "Penelope Puddles' Problematic Playground." Free. Sharon Meadow, Golden Gate Park, S.F. 415-242-1414, [www.makeacircus.org](http://www.makeacircus.org).

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