







Dec 3 & 4 from 10am-2pm La Bodega de Ajijic Pre-registration required: bonevoyagedogrescue.com





Gonna be a very different Christmas... For old Santa this year!

I've kind of lost track... but I believe this is my 16th year playing Santa in Canada and 5th year here in Mexico. I've got 10's of thousands of great memories of bringing a little happiness to kids and grown-ups during that time.

I played in most of the malls in Edmonton, Canada but mostly Southgate Mall that brought thousands to my huge stand for photos with Santa. On days off (not many from about mid-November until Christmas Eve), I visited homes, hospitals, schools and even did a big sales meeting for the Apple Store for their staff... sort of a pump for the last week of Christmas sales. I went to many bars (no, Santa does not drink) and evening parties where people gathered at Christmas time... a truly thrilling and rewarding privilege I got and enjoyed virtually every minute of it for those years.

I start growing my beard on August 9th yearly as my wife's birthday is August 8th and it's the last she sees of me until I get the whole works taken off as soon after Christmas as possible... I really don't like beards!... shhhhh... that's a secret!

Even with the Covid thing I still started the beard and yesterday (I wait until after Thanksgiving) i published my Kris Kringle Facebook page again but all I have going so far is this Thursday and Friday doing a fundraiser for Bone Voyage for the great job they do finding loving homes for lost, abandoned and stray puppies... we're going to have photos with puppies and Santa as per the poster above... and we're going to raise a bunch of money I am sure... positive in fact!

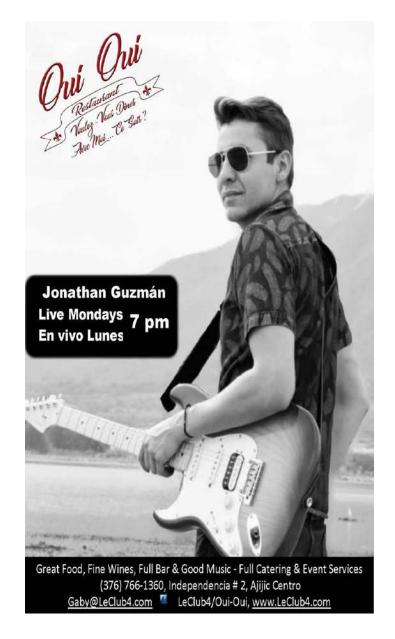


"Always Have Fun!"

For the week of November 30th to December 6th, 2020

AROUND THE RESTAURANTS AND BARS

MONDAY



Please use Gaby@LeClub4.com for reservations
Or phone (376) 766-1360 (use all 10 digits again!)
Phone and check for new times or Cancellations?



Have a nice brunch or lunch at **Huerto Café** in Riberas and catch **The Jazz Duet** with **Juan Castañón** on guitar and **Gilberto Rios** on bass starting at **Noon**. Reservations can be made at **(376) 108-0843** or on WhatsApp at **(331) 094-6717**.



Look who's on top of Santa's Chair! (Edmonton 2013)



376 -766-1002



Adelita Bar & Grill presents Los Traficantes del Ritmo

Featuring Chelo, Sergio and Chris

Half price Margaritas during the show! Free valet parking!

Call **(376) 766-0097** for reservations From **6** to **8 PM**.

TUESDAY

See and hear the **Juan Castañón Jazz Trio** at **Meraki Bistro** at Ocampo 20 in Ajijic starting at **6 PM**.



Great Food, Fine Wines, Full Bar & Good Music Full Catering & Event Services (376) 766-1360 Independencia 2, Ajijic Centro gaby@lechub4.com

GO Bistro has LIVE MUSIC for you from **6:30** to **8:30 PM...** They have bands available but having problems with gig changes. The restaurant is north of the Carretera on Marcos Castellanos and you can phone for reservations and more information at **333–502-6555**.

Juan Castañón Jazz Trio will be playing some classics at **Meraki Bistro** at Ocampo 20 in Ajijic starting at **6 PM.** With Juan will be **David Calvario** on bass and **Alex Medeles** on drums.

WEDNESDAY



Don't ya dare miss out on a great couple of hours with the very talented Jonathan Guzman starting at 3:30 to 6:30 PM at La Cima del Copal. You can phone (387) 761-0405 for reservations. And I have used another new photo to remind you...don't forget your camera... what a setting! The restaurant is located just at the west end of "restaurant row"... you will see the big palapa up on the cliff on the mountain side of the Carretera. Just as you round the last bend make a right!

Hear and see the smooth and soothing solo jazz guitar wizardry of **Juan Castañón** at **Teocintle Restaurant** every Wednesday at **6 PM**.

Open Mic

W/ Aloha Rock Wednesday 5:00 PM No Cover





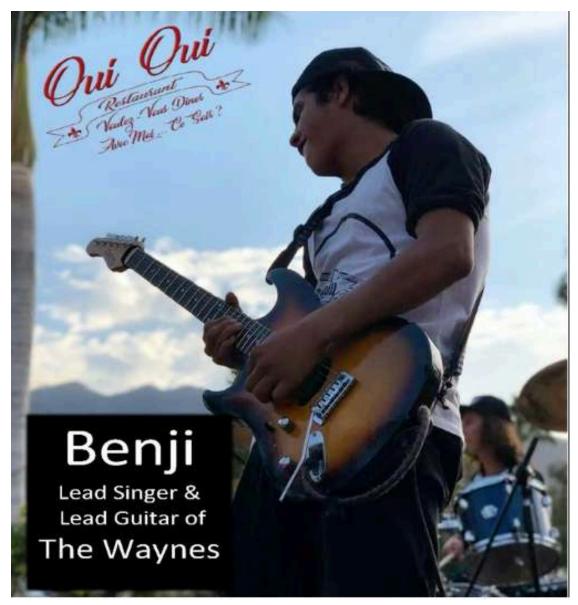
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THURSDAY



4 to 6 PM

½ price Margaritas during the show
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La Cima del Copal presents Hector Uribe From 3:30 to 5:30 PM

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FRIDAY



Have a nice brunch or lunch at **Huerto Café** in Riberas and catch **The Jazz Duet** with **Juan Castañón** on guitar and **David Perez** on bass starting at **11:30 AM**. Reservations can be made at **(376) 108-0843** or on WhatsApp at **(331) 094-6717**.

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Don't miss **Black Swan with Diamonds** at **Oui Oui** with their show under the patio. The stage is well distanced from the audience. Avoid disappointment, reserve at **376-766-1360** Seating is limited... **also Saturday!**

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Iron Horse Saloon presents **Traficantes del Ritmo**At 7:30 PM



Come to the ultra beautiful **La Cima del Copal** up on the cliff on the mountainside of restaurant row just before San Juan Cosala... This is **Soul Train** and they'll be entertaining you between **3:30** and **6:30 PM...** you won't want to miss them!

SATURDAY

Here's a fun way to hear some good music and do a little shopping too! Join **Juan Castañón** and his Jazz Trio at **Pancho's Deli Market** starting at **6 PM**.



16 de septiembre #124 Ajijic, Jalisco Tel: 376-766-1002 labodegadeajijic@gmail.com

Presenta a Ricardo y Blanca

Sábados 8:00PM Cover \$50 MN





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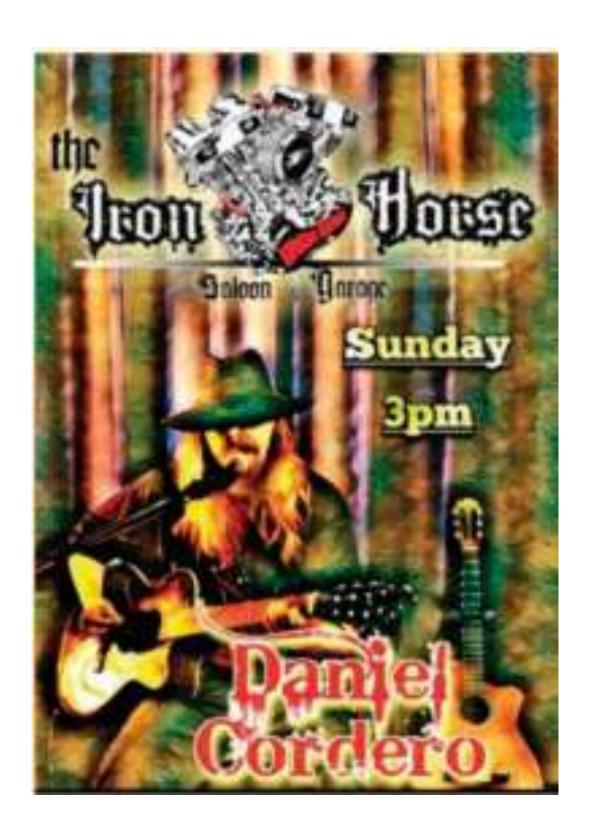
SUNDAY



You're going to enjoy these guys!!!

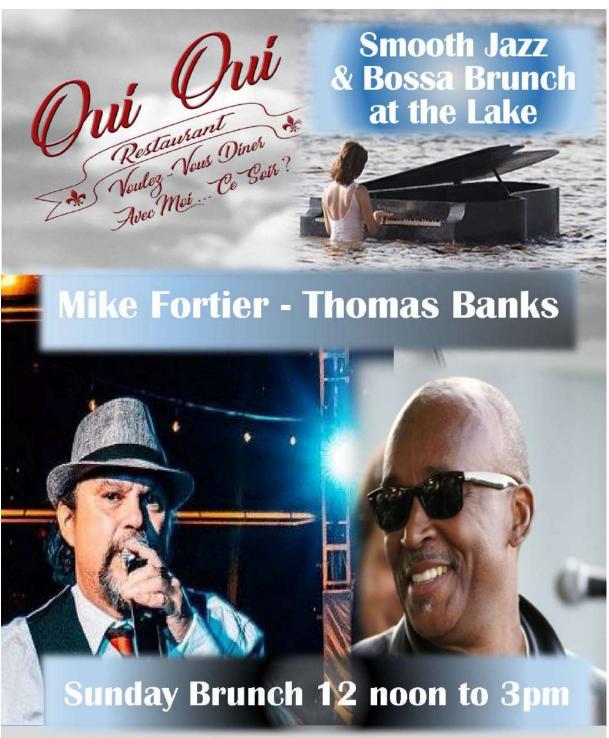


The Sunday Jam is back on at our new venue La Bodega in Ajijic! We provide the PA, mics, and Dan might even let you play his drums if you behave! Remember to bring your mic cover... a clean sock wil do. We have a binder full or charts, but if you want to do something a little outside of centre, email us ahead of time at aloharockmusic@gmail.com. Bring your picks and sticks, and come sing your thing! Call (376) 766-1002 as social distancing is in place and there was a great "socially distanced" crowd there tonight!





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Upcoming Events

Hola Orchestra Supporters

We hope you are all well despite the pandemic restrictions.

As you are aware the orchestra has been unable to rehearse since the pandemic crisis began back in March.

Life without live music is a hard thing to live with for most of us so we have formed a 12 piece chamber ensemble from orchestra members with a view to mounting small, socially distanced performances.

We have found a venue that is perfect for this kind of concert, one that is open on two sides thereby creating an excellent airflow for audience and musicians alike. The venue has a license from the municipality to present small artistic productions at no more than 35% capacity.

We experimented with this a month ago giving two concerts where a small audience was temperature checked, given hand gel and with everyone wearing a mask during the performance. Each seat was 1.5 meters apart in each direction. It was a success from all angles and we are now delighted to inform you that we will be mounting a Christmas concert next month where we can all enjoy some seasonal cheer. Let's face it we all deserve some of this!

The concert dates are:

Friday December 11 at 3pm Saturday December 12 at 3pm

The venue is the Unitarian Fellowship/Bare Stage facility at 261 Hidalgo (which is the Carretera mountainside) Riberas.

Seating is limited to 35 people only per performance and reservations must be made in advance via email. There is no admission charge and no physical tickets will be issued. If you would like to reserve seats please send an email to lccotickets@gmail.com or mjrmusic01@gmail.com. Please state which day you would like and how many seats you would like to reserve. Because seating is limited it will be first come first served. All successful reservations will receive a confirmation email.

The concerts will feature seasonal music/readings and our guest singer will be the very talented Laura Medina. In addition we will celebrate the 250th birthday of Beethoven with a special arrangement of his Fidelio Overture. (Beethoven's birthday falls on December 17 2020).

The orchestra looks forward to sharing the joy of live music and a celebration of the season with the community.

Best regards
Michael Reason
Conductor
Lake Chapala Community Orchestra

Book your own band

The Great American Songbook
Francis Dryden Phone
(376)765-4619

E-Mail: francis.dryden@gmail.com
All the top tunes from the '40's to the '80's

Dos Juntos

Karen Procter and Michael Leisenbach Phone: (331) 838-5201

E-Mail: saxofyl@hotmail.com

Facebook: Mike Leisenbach Mike and Karen have a wide repertoire.

Latinitos Lounge

Juan Castañón
Phone: (376)766-4959
Cell (331)130-1303
Facebook:
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Latin, jazz, funk, you name it.

Teresa Trigiani

Singer/Songwriter – plays coffeehouses, cafes and bars Cell: (331) 540-8947 E-Mail:lilikoipassion80@gmail.com. Eclectic folk, jazz, blues and originals.

Flor de Quetzal

Latin American music, bolero, bossa nova, samba Cell phone/Whatsapp: 331-792-9526
Classical guitar, voice, piano (can add percussion and bass) Eddie Lara and Sofia Ramírez flordequetzalmusica@gmail.com

The Whippersnappers
Lively all-occasion dance & party band
Charlie Cook Cell (331)-967-3002
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Pauline Proulx Cell (332) 622-6959

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Daniel Cordero

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Dan Elliot cell: (332) 236-3287

Dirty Black Beans

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Next Wave

Live 70s, 80s & 90s Pop Rock Dance Music Contact Rich Birkett at: rich@lakechapalaguide.com Or cellphone: (333) 393-0245

Here's another great week of entertainment at Lakeside... every where I go (and we go out a lot!) the venues are following protocols and people are having a great time!

Now more than ever, make sure to call ahead as the places are at about 1/3 capacity... everyone is smiling and having a good time and that's what counts... enjoy LIVE entertainment!

See you somewhere... SOON!

Regards, Francis Dryden

PS – If you run onto any events I've missed or know of something coming up that has **LIVE ENTERTAINMENT**, please have someone from the group or the venue send me a message. Thanks for subscribing and <u>if you wish to **unsubscribe** my e-mail address is: **francis.dryden@gmail.com**.</u>

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