



I Scored on ‘em all! And glad I did!

This meme pretty well tells the story... I agree with everything on the list.

Will take time: Yup... I started music lessons at 8 years of age and started playing my Dad's band at 12... but I also joined a Canadian Legion Pipe and Drums band at 12 because it was THE place to learn what are known as rudiments... the are 26 of them and man it make for an awful lot of work and practice.

Will take passion: There is just no way a person could practice that hard and long and not be passionate about what they were doing.

Will take creativity: You just can't spend that much time on anything else in life and new ideas from the things you learned kept coming up.

Will take dedication: I postponed my first marriage for one week because a huge out-of-town gig came up that I had to play at.

Will take perserverence: I played pretty regularly up until I was over 80... I still go to a jam once a month and love to get asked to "sit-in"

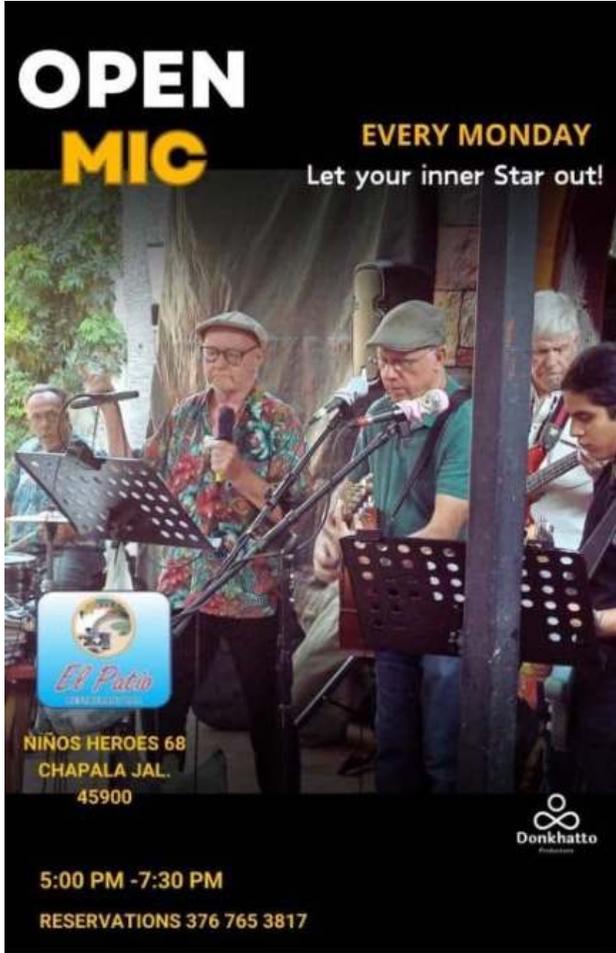
Francis

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For the week of February 23rd to March 1st, 2026

AROUND THE RESTAURANTS AND BARS

MONDAY

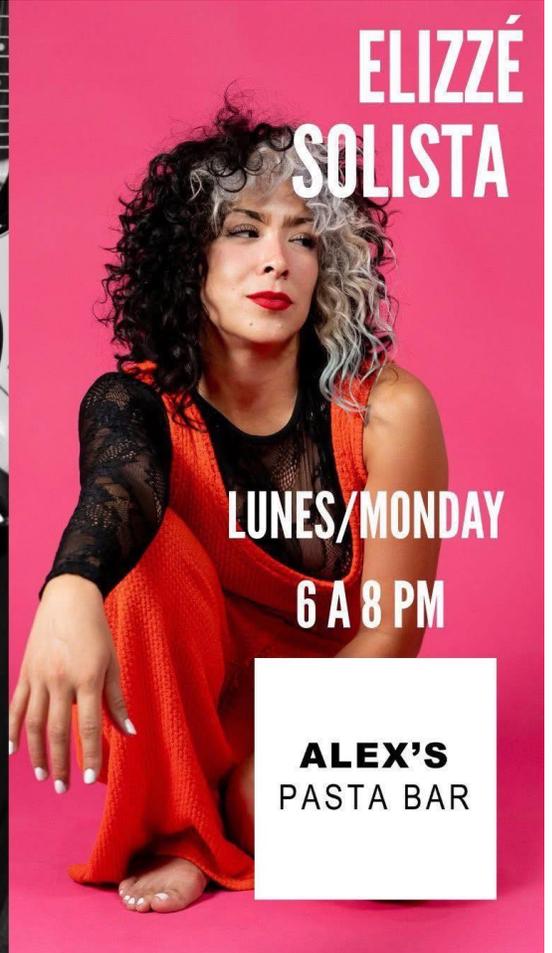


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LUNES/MONDAY
6 A 8 PM

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Margaritas

Tuesday

THE ROLLING STONES



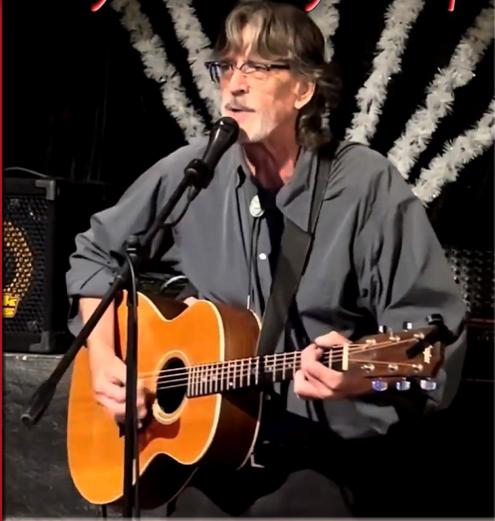
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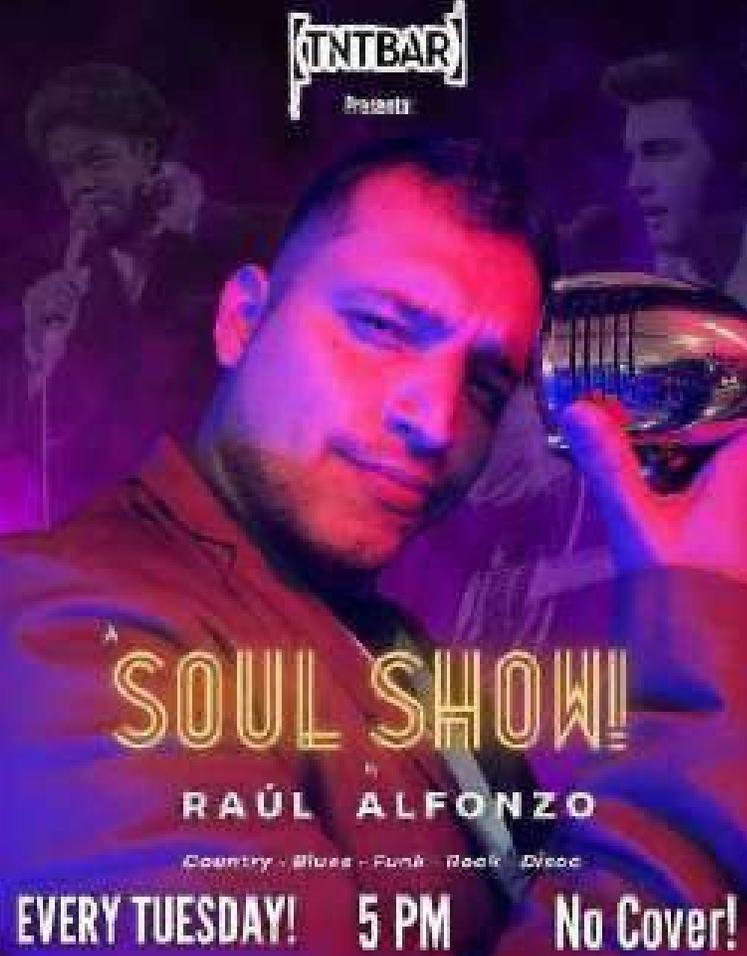


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Wednesdays**

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Happy Hour 2x1 drinks
1:00 to 4:00 pm

Open Mic
Miercoles — Wednesday
5 a 7:30



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Come and enjoy your talent and have fun.



16 de septiembre #124
Ajijic, Jalisco
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Thursday

THIRSTY THURSDAYS!
LIVE MUSIC

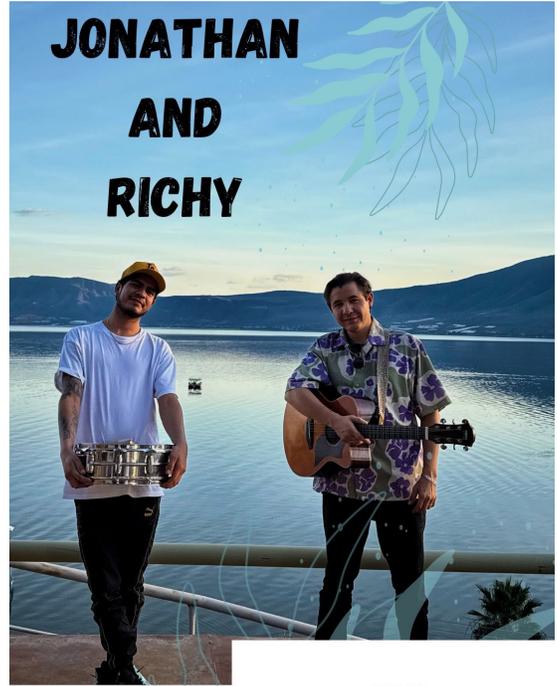


LANZ BAND
Ajijic's FUN Band!

THURSDAYS
3:30 - 5:30

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By Blue Rose Bistro
Cali-Mex Restaurant

LA FIESTA - RES. 376 688 4176
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thursday
9:00 pm



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FEB. 26**
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Feb. 27th
7pm

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Traficante
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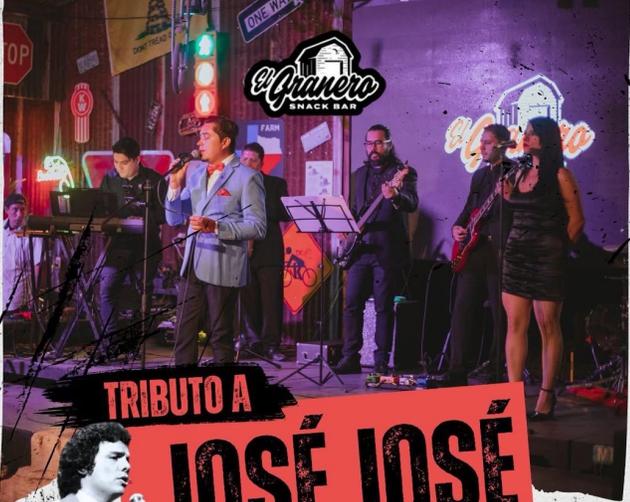
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Chapala Centro
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Saturday



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JOSÉ JOSÉ

Interpretado por: **CARLOS COLUNGA**

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Steve Ballmer presents
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The Ballet Folklórico Nuevo Jalisco and Colectiva Pardo-Heli & Oniric present “Kopalli” on Sunday, March 1, with shows at 1 and 5 p.m. at the Centro Para la Cultura y las Artes de la Ribera. This fictional story is based on Quetzalcótl and Kukulcán, the plumed serpent, and reminds us of the importance of living in harmony with Mother Earth and the living creatures on it. Tickets, 500 pesos, are available at boletia.com and the box office.

Upcoming Events



PRESENTS:

The Street Dogs

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

Tuesday, March 3, 2026
6:30pm - 8:30pm

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Reservations: 376 766 2301
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Our guest singer Clara Faure !



Starting at 6 pm

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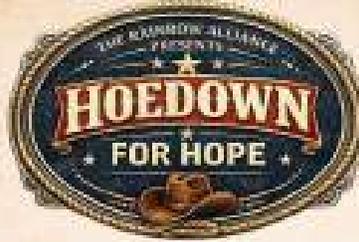
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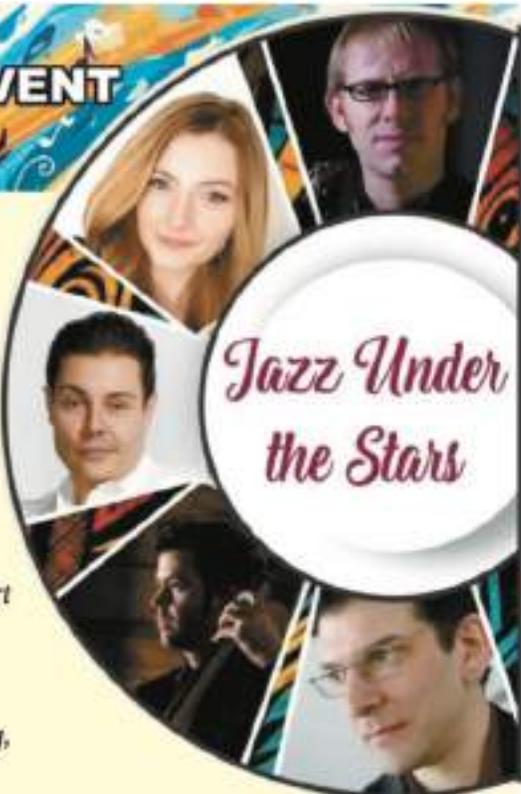


OFF-FESTIVAL EVENT

FEB. 28TH | **La Nueva Posada Hotel**
6:00 p.m.
\$1,700 pesos

Tickets available at Nueva Posada Hotel **ONLY** at any time of the day.

Join us for an unforgettable night at the Nueva Posada Hotel: an elegant outdoor dinner paired with a world-class jazz concert beneath the night sky. Saxophonist Richard Underhill, vocalist Caity Gyorgy, pianist Mark Limacher, and drummer Daniel Barnes come together for improvisation, and intimate musical storytelling. A perfect blend of fine dining, starlight, and extraordinary jazz.



Jazz Under the Stars



The Northern Lights Music Festival continues with tickets still available for four concerts at the Auditorio de la Ribera (CCAR). Friday, February 20, 7:30 p.m., the Gala Concert features full chamber orchestra performances of Beethoven and Shostakovich; Tuesday, February 24, 7:30 p.m., don't miss the Swing and Strings Jazz Concert with Juno Award winners Caity Gyorgy and Richard Underhill; Thursday, February 26, 4 p.m. is the concert *Souvenirs of Light and Shadow* featuring works by Mendelssohn and Tchaikovsky; and Saturday, February 28, 4 p.m., the Festival Orchestra performs Bach: *The Brandenburg Concertos*. Tickets for these performances are available at La Nueva Posada from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and online at northern-lightsmexico.com. A final *Jazz Under the Stars* dinner/concert at La Nueva Posada concludes the festival on Saturday, February 28, 6 p.m. Tickets for that show are available at La Nueva Posada at any time of day.

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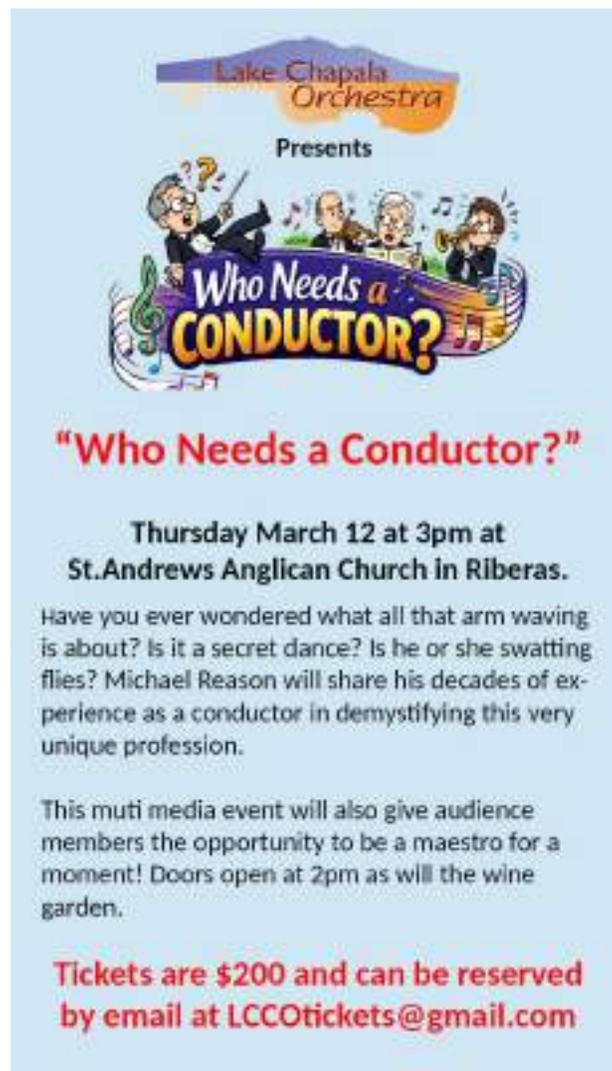


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**Tickets are \$200 and can be reserved
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Clubhouse Terraza, San Juan Cosala

Music/Música Dancing/Baile
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Music by/música por CODIGO

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Take care and have a great week!

See you somewhere... SOON!

Francis Dryden

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