For nearly three decades, the Lancaster Performing Arts Center (LPAC) has delivered the highest quality arts and entertainment to the Antelope Valley’s ever growing, culturally diverse community. As this esteemed theater enters its 2018-2019 season, the parallels drawn between the lives and interests of attendees and LPAC’s exceptionally varied line-up are undeniable.

This season, music concerts will shine in the spotlight at LPAC. Audiences will be treated to the richness of Latin American music and culture when Los Ángeles Azules takes the stage; and transported back to the golden eras of swing, jazz and blues with the musical stylings of Postmodern Jukebox, Kenny G and John Pizzarelli. Nostalgic sounds from familiar performers include the Alan Parsons Live Project and Starship featuring Mickey Thomas. Incredible re-creations of bygone eras include disco with Night Fever, the rock invasion with British Rock Royalty and favorite Motown hits with the Temptations Revue. Country enthusiasts will enjoy contemporary hits from acclaimed solo artists LeAnn Rimes and Travis Tritt.

In addition to remarkable music performances, stand-up comedy will take center stage as David Spade, Tim Meadows and The Spouse Whisperer fill the theater with laughter. Moreover, audiences of all ages will be thrilled by unique and visually captivating feats of acrobatics, as the vast array of talent presented at LPAC acts as an awe-inspiring catalyst for our Valley’s youth and their engagement with the performing arts.

With distinct pride and pleasure, I invite every community member to visit the Lancaster Performing Arts Center this season and experience nothing short of the extraordinary showmanship which residents and visitors have come to expect from our world-class theater over the years. We look forward to yet another unforgettable season for the entire family.

R. Rex Parris
Mayor, City of Lancaster

The Lancaster Performing Arts Center Foundation dates back prior to the grand opening of the Lancaster Performing Arts Center (LPAC) in 1991, and we now celebrate our 29th year of enhancing the lives of our citizens. The primary mission of the Foundation during this time has been to guarantee the opportunity for our region’s youth to enjoy the world-class entertainment available in their own backyard. In this capacity, the Foundation has helped provide more than 400,000 students the opportunity to experience live performances in a beautiful venue. The Foundation also assists in keeping the LPAC up to date by providing enhancements and upgrades to ensure the facility is beautiful and the technology innovative.

I can speak from first-hand experience, as I was once a grade school student who walked to performances at the new theater. The excitement as we entered the facility and the thrilling performances left me with a lifelong passion for the arts. Today, watching the anticipation on children’s faces as they approach the theater and continuing until the final curtain, still provides a heartwarming and thrilling experience. Each time the curtain rises; there is an opportunity to provide an all-new and exciting journey for hundreds of impressionable youth.

The Lancaster Performing Arts Center Foundation counts on its supporters, the citizens of our Valley, whose passion and commitment to the arts inspires them to make a difference in their community. The educational opportunities for more than 15,000 students each year rely on the generous donations of people like you that help bring outstanding shows to the theater, as well as provide tickets and transportation for students who may not otherwise be able to attend these shows.

Please consider becoming a partner or renewing your commitment to support the arts by visiting lpacf.org for more information.

Thank you,

R. Steven Derryberry, President

FROM THE LPAC FOUNDATION PRESIDENT

A MESSAGE FROM MAYOR R. REX PARRIS
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**ARTS FOR YOUTH**

The Lancaster Performing Arts Center’s Arts For Youth program serves approximately 15,000 students each year and exists to expose local Antelope Valley students to the performing arts. These specially discounted performances offer unique opportunities for educators to integrate the arts into their curriculum and lesson plans. All Arts for Youth performances align with Common Core State Standards and provide an enjoyable, high quality, curriculum-based learning experience for students of all ages.

Assistance with funding for student tickets and transportation is available through the generous support of the Lancaster Performing Arts Center Foundation. Please contact the LPAC Box Office at (661) 723-5950 or visit www.lpac.org for more information.

**Bring performing arts experiences to your school!**

Providing opportunities for students of all ages to experience and appreciate the performing arts, the Arts For Youth outreach and workshop programs go hand-in-hand with enhancing educational development. Each season, the LPAC offers outreach and workshop opportunities at no cost to participating schools. Past outreach experiences include improv workshops with the Missoula Children’s Theatre, Antelope Valley Ballet and a jazz workshop with local musician Lee Matalon. Sessions are limited. For more information, please visit www.lpac.org.
DAVID SPADE  
Saturday, September 8 | 8 p.m.  
The Lancaster Performing Arts Center opens our 27th season with the multi-talented comedian, actor, writer and television personality, David Spade. Rising to fame as a cast member of Saturday Night Live, where he developed the famous Hollywood Minute reporter segments, Spade went on to star in movies such as Joe Dirt, Tommy Boy and Grown Ups. Join us as we open the 2018-19 season with one of the premier comedians in the world today. Sponsored by Lancaster Choice Energy.  
davidspa.de  
$79, $59, $54

ALAN PARSONS LIVE PROJECT  
Friday, September 14 | 8 p.m.  
It was Alan Parsons' genius as a sound engineer for Pink Floyd’s Dark Side of the Moon which gained him the attention of the music world, and has since enjoyed unprecedented success as a producer, songwriter and performer. This 11-time Grammy Award nominee, Les Paul Award winner and progressive rock icon performs his greatest hits including “Games People Play”, “Eye In The Sky”, “I Wouldn’t Want To Be Like You” and “Don’t Answer Me.” You will not want to miss this legend of the music world. Sponsored by the Antelope Valley Press.  
alanparsons.com  
$79, $59, $54

BIG BAD VOODOO DADDY  
Friday, September 21 | 8 p.m.  
Celebrating 25 years of high-energy swing, Big Bad Voodoo Daddy (BBVD) shows no signs of slowing down, still generating unmatched excitement from their loyal fans. As BBVD approaches their 3,000th live performance, the irresistible urge to move and groove to the masters of the Big Band sound is as strong today as it was during their launch in the early 1990s. BBVD will once again have you dancing the night away with Louis, Louis, Louis, a musical celebration of Louis Armstrong, Louis Jordan and Louis Prima. A fusion of jazz, swing and Dixieland accompanied by brassy horns, catchy rhythms and robust vocals; the quintessential Big Bad Voodoo Daddy.  
bbvd.com  
$45, $40

KENNY G  
Saturday, September 22 | 8 p.m.  
In a recording career that spans almost three decades and 23 albums, Grammy Award-winning saxophonist Kenny G has grafted elements of R&B, pop and Latin to a jazz foundation, solidifying his reputation as the premiere artist in contemporary jazz. Since the early 1980s, his combination of unparalleled instrumentals and indelible melodies has resulted in sales of more than 75 million records worldwide. With hits “Songbird”, “Don’t Make Me Wait for Love”, “Forever in Love” and “That Moment”, Kenny G has cemented his place as one of the most iconic musicians of our time.  
kennyg.com  
$99, $79, $74
**LOS ÁNGELES AZULES**
Sunday, September 23 | 7 p.m.

Known as the creators of the symphonic cumbia sound, the Los Ángeles Azules have conquered thousands of fans in Mexico, Latin America and the U.S. with hit songs including “Cómo te voy a olvidar”, “Las maravillas de la vida”, “Mi niña mujer” and “Entrega de amor” among others. In 2017, this chart-topping act played on the Coachella Stage at the Coachella Valley Music and Arts Festival, making it the first time a traditional cumbia group has played at the popular festival.

losangelesazules.com.mx
$89, $64, $59

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**NIGHT FEVER**
**AN EVENING OF THE BEE GEES**
Friday, October 5 | 8 p.m.

_Night Fever–The Bee Gees Tribute_ is the largest production of Bee Gees music in the world. For more than a decade, the all-Canadian cast has been touring North America, Europe and Russia, recreating the look and sound of one of the greatest periods in music history. _Night Fever_ captures the full history of the Bee Gees and the disco era, with classics “More Than a Woman”, “Jive Talking”, “How Deep Is Your Love”, “You Should Be Dancing”, “Stayin’ Alive” and many more of your favorite dance hits. So break out the bell-bottoms, platform shoes and leisure suits for a night of 1970’s fun at the LPAC.

$29, $24, Youth $10

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**STARSHIP FEATURING MICKEY THOMAS**
Saturday, October 13, 8 p.m.

The voice of Mickey Thomas propelled Starship through the 80s and 90s, scoring an immediate number one hit with “Jane”. With a new sound and powerful new vocals, the group continued to record an amazing string of hits including “No Way Out”, “We Built This City”, “Sara”, “Nothing Gonna Stop Us Now” and “Find Your Way Back”. These hits and more - going all the way back to Jefferson Airplane - come alive for one incredible night at the LPAC. *Sponsored by the Antelope Valley Press.*

starshipcontrol.com
$55, $44, $39
CIRQUE MECHANICS
42 FT – A MENAGERIE OF MECHANICAL MARVELS
Friday, October 19 | 8 p.m.
Returning to the LPAC after their sold out performance of Pedal Punk, Cirque Mechanics present their latest invention: 42 FT - A Menagerie of Mechanical Marvels. Dare to leap into the big top and experience a unique mechanical interpretation of the traditional and historic one-ring circus, a forty-two-foot ring full of thrills, laughs and excitement. 42 FT is full of adventures, showcasing a galloping mechanical metal horse and a rotating tent frame for strongmen, acrobats and aerialists.
cirquemechanics.com
$29, $24, Youth $10

THE AMAZING BUBBLE MAN
Sunday, October 21 | 3 p.m.
The Amazing Bubble Man has been thrilling audiences around the world for over 30 years with the art, magic, science and fun of bubbles. An Edinburgh Fringe Festival favorite, Bubble-ologist Louis Pearl explores the breath-taking dynamics of bubbles, combining comedy and artistry with audience participation - and enough spellbinding bubble tricks to keep everyone mesmerized!
amazingbubbleman.com
$14, Youth $8

DEAD MAN’S PARTY–OINGO BOINGO & DANNY ELFMAN TRIBUTE
Wednesday, October 31 | 7:30 p.m.
Leave Your Body at the Door!
The Halloween Party of the year comes to the LPAC with Dead Man’s Party, the original and best Oingo Boingo tribute in the world. Oingo Boingo was renowned for their Halloween concerts (retiring after the 1995 show), and Dead Man’s Party picks up where they left off. With hits “Weird Science”, “No One Lives Forever”, “Dead Man’s Party” and many more, the band has kept the classic vibe of the legendary Oingo Boingo shows alive for more than 16 years! The group is fashioned after the original line-up including a three-piece horn section, guitar, bass, keys, drums and a front-man so convincing that Danny Elfman has endorsed and even appeared with the band. All dressed up with no place to go? Not anymore...the party is here at the LPAC! Sponsored by the Antelope Valley Press.
deadmansparty.com
$24, $19
DENNIS DEYOUNG: THE GRAND ILLUSION 40th ANNIVERSARY ALBUM TOUR
Friday, November 2 | 8 p.m.
In 1977, rock history was made upon the release of The Grand Illusion album. Dennis DeYoung and The Music of Styx celebrate that history by performing the album in its entirety plus many Top Ten hits including “Lady”, “Babe”, “Come Sail Away”, “Renegade” and “Blue Collar Man”. Join this legendary singer, songwriter, keyboardist and composer for a celebration of the album that remains a staple on classic rock radio stations worldwide.
dennisdeyoung.com
$79, $59, $54

TRAVIS TRITT
Thursday, November 8 | 7:30 p.m.
Enjoy a special evening with Grammy and Country Music Association Award-winning country legend, Travis Tritt. This intimate performance is punctuated by Tritt’s stories and anecdotes about his life and musical influences. Performing some of his biggest hits, including “T-R-O-U-B-L-E”, “It’s a Great Day to Be Alive” and “Best of Intentions”, Travis Tritt brings his award-winning songs to life during this truly memorable experience. Sponsored by the Antelope Valley Press.
travistritt.com
$49, $44

IN THE MOOD
Friday, November 9 | 7:30 p.m.
In The Mood is a celebration of the 1930’s and 40’s Big Band era, at a time when all Americans were listening and dancing to the same kind of music. With the sensational 13-piece String of Pearls Big Band Orchestra and fabulous In The Mood Singers and Dancers, the great melodies and lyrics of those bygone days are presented in a musical revue that is jazzy, sentimental, rhythmic, nostalgic and patriotic – all at the same time. In The Mood is as authentic as it gets; a testament to a timeless era in American history.
inthemoodlive.com
$34, $29, Youth $10

WHICH ONE’S PINK
Saturday, November 10 | 8 p.m.
After a sold out performance in 2017, Which One’s Pink, the world’s preeminent Pink Floyd tribute band, returns to the Lancaster Performing Arts Center with the look, sound and sensational showmanship of the original masters of the “visual” experience. Since 1997, Which One’s Pink has recreated that timeless era of The Dark Side of the Moon and The Wall with classics “Money”, “Time”, “Comfortably Numb” and “Another Brick in the Wall” - made famous by rock legends Roger Waters and David Gilmour. Sponsored by Lancaster Choice Energy.
whichonespink.com
$29, $24

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THE KINGSTON TRIO
Saturday, November 17 | 8 p.m.
Beginning with their formation in 1954 and spearheading the folk music movement of the early 1960s, The Kingston Trio was described as “the undisputed kings of the folk singing rage by every yardstick”. Today, the legacy continues with founding member Nick Reynolds’ son Josh Reynolds, cousin Mike Marvin and Tim Gorelangton. Same great songs, same great sound – including hits “Tom Dooley”, “Where Have All the Flowers Gone”, “M.T.A.”, “Scotch and Soda” and “Greenback Dollar”. Don’t miss the Kingston Trio’s first appearance at LPAC in more than a decade. Sponsored by the Antelope Valley Press.

thekingstontrio.com
$34, $29

SCOTT BRADLEE’S POSTMODERN JUKEBOX
Sunday, November 25 | 7 p.m.
Featuring a rotating collective of virtuosic vocalists combined with sizzling stage presence, Postmodern Jukebox performs pop music in a time machine, reimagining Top 40 hits by artists such as Beyoncé, Journey, Foo Fighters and more with classic, Gatsby-esque glam and a contagious energy second to none. Their eclectic mix of modern and vintage hits repurposed as jazzy, piano-led tunes from a bygone era include Radiohead’s alt-rock hit “Creep”, Lorde’s single, “Royals” and Taylor Swift’s “Shake it Off”. So break out the flapper dresses and fedoras and get ready to enter an alternate universe where new is old and old is new again.

postmodernjukebox.com
$69, $49, $44

“[The Kingstone Trio] one of the foundation stones of the pop folk boom of the late 1950s.”
- The New York Times
celebrate the holidays at lpac!

FRANK CAPRA’S
IT’S A WONDERFUL LIFE
PRESENTED BY CEDAR STREET THEATRE
Friday, November 30 | 8 p.m.
Saturday, December 1 | 8 p.m.
Sunday, December 2 | 2 p.m.
George Bailey has so many problems he is thinking about ending it all - and it’s Christmas! While the angels discuss George, we see his life in flashback. As George is about to jump from a bridge, he ends up rescuing his guardian angel, Clarence - who then shows George what his town would have looked like if it hadn’t been for all his good deeds over the years. It’s a Wonderful Life is a feel-good story that the whole family can enjoy for the holidays.

cedarstreettheatre.com
$22, Senior $18, Youth $14

THE NUTCRACKER
PRESENTED BY THE ANTELOPE VALLEY BALLET
Saturday, December 8 | 2 & 7 p.m.
Sunday, December 9 | 2 p.m.
AV Ballet’s 20th Anniversary season at the Lancaster Performing Arts Center begins with a celebration of their 20th production of The Nutcracker. The best known and most beloved of all AV Ballet productions, this Christmas tradition has been seen by tens of thousands. Clara’s holiday journey with her Nutcracker through a battle filled with rats, a magical snowstorm and her visit to an enchanted confection created castle has become a mainstay in our community.

antelopevalleyballet.org
$30, $25, Youth $15

LEANN RIMES CHRISTMAS SHOW
Sunday, December 16 | 7 p.m.
Winner of two Grammys®, three ACMs, one CMA, 12 Billboard Music Awards and one American Music Award, LeAnn Rimes has been a star since her first hit “Blue” at the age of 13. Now she’ll bring her You and Me and Christmas tour to Lancaster this December. Don’t miss this evening of joy-filled holiday classics, soulful favorites and greatest hits! LeAnn says, “I love everything about the holidays and want to share the magic and joy of the season with my fans. I look forward to playing some of my favorite Christmas classics for music lovers in an intimate, cozy setting.”

Sponsored by the Antelope Valley Press.
leannrimesworld.com
$89, $64, $59

(661) 723-5950 | LPAC.ORG
TIM MEADOWS
Saturday, January 12 | 8 p.m.
This all-star comedy show will be headlined by Tim Meadows, one of the longest-running cast members in the history of Saturday Night Live, where he crafted some of the series’ most memorable characters during his 10 years on the popular late night show. Meadow’s characters included Leon Phelps, The Ladies’ Man and Lionel Osbourne, host of the fictional public affairs show, Perspectives, as well as uncanny impressions of OJ Simpson, Ike Turner and Sammy Davis Jr. Meadows has appeared in several feature films, most notably Grown Ups and Grown Ups 2. Join us for a star-studded evening of comedy featuring Tim Meadows. Sponsored by Lancaster Choice Energy.
tim-meadows.com
$25, $20

A TEMPTATIONS REVUE
FEATURING BARRINGTON “BO” HENDERSON
Saturday, January 19 | 8 p.m.
Grammy Award winner and former lead singer of the Temptations, Barrington “Bo” Henderson brings the unforgettable songs of Motown to life in this hit revue. This dynamic show spans more than a decade of Temptations classics, and includes some of the most iconic songs in pop music history including “My Girl”, “Papa Was a Rollin’ Stone”, “Get Ready”, “Ain’t Too Proud To Beg”, “Just My Imagination”, “I Wish It Would Rain” and many more. Sponsored by the Antelope Valley Press.
$29, $24, Youth $10

THE FROG PRINCE
PRESENTED BY MISSOULA CHILDREN’S THEATRE
Friday, February 1 | 7 p.m.
Deep in the royal swamp, a lonely Frog retrieves a golden ball for Princess Prim in exchange for friendship and comfort. The spoiled princess doesn’t want to live up to her part of the bargain and puts her royal Knights on alert. And so the trouble begins. Luckily, Frog gets some good advice from Ollie the wise old Aspen tree, the well-read Alligator and the kindly Swamp Things. Even the Queen, kindly Princess Proper and spunky Princess Peppey get involved and, despite the trouble caused by the nasty Venus Fly Traps, all ends happily.
Our hero becomes a Prince and he discovers that it is not what you are but who you are that counts.
Students of all ages are encouraged to audition the Monday prior to the performance and must be available for a student show Friday morning. Visit lpac.org for details.
$15, Students $5

mctinc.org
SUPER DIAMOND
THE NEIL DIAMOND TRIBUTE
Saturday, February 2 | 8 p.m.
The best of Neil Diamond comes alive as Super Diamond perfectly recreates the classics from the legendary crooner. For more than 25 years, vocalist Randy Cordero and his five-member band have been touring the world, playing for enthusiastic audiences in celebration of Neil Diamond’s musical legacy. With 38 of Neil’s songs in the Top Ten of the Billboard Adult Contemporary charts, Super Diamond has an abundance of hits to choose from, including “Sweet Caroline”, “Song Sung Blue”, “America” and “Yesterday’s Songs”. Come enjoy an evening with Super Diamond – where you will know all the words by heart.
superdiamond.com
$49, $29, $24

THE SPOUSE WHISPERER
Saturday, February 9 | 8 p.m.
With Valentine’s Day around the corner, what better way to learn about relationships than an evening out with comedian Mark Cordes, aka The Spouse Whisperer. This comedic journey starts with “love at first sight”, ends at “til death do us part” and covers all of the ups and downs in between. This fast-paced, hysterical and enlightening performance is perfect for either date night or girls’ night out.
markcordes.com
$24, $19

FROZEN SING-A-LONG
Saturday, February 16 | 5 p.m.
Join us for an afternoon of dress-up, Disney princess magic and a sing-along screening of epic proportions at this very special interactive screening of Disney’s beloved musical, Frozen, one of the “coolest” animated hits of all-time! Be part of the adventure and sing your heart out as Anna, Kristoff and Olaf journey to find Elsa and work to end her icy spell. All your favorite Frozen songs, such as “Love is an Open Door”, “Do You Want to Build a Snowman” and “Let it Go” will be subtitled so you can sing along and become part of the magic! Sponsored by the Antelope Valley Press.
$12, Youth $8

ORLEANS
Friday, February 22 | 8 p.m.
Now entering their 41st year of live performances, Orleans’ numerous iconic hits include “Still the One”, “Dance With Me” and “Love Takes Time”. The 70’s pop/rock band has produced an impressive body of work, spanning 16 albums and nearly as many DVDs. Co-founder Lance Hoppen, along with long-standing members Lane Hoppen, Fly Amero and Charlie Morgan were recently re-joined by co-founder John Hall, back from a sabbatical as a United States Congressman, in order to carry on the legacy that began 40 years ago.
orleansonline.com
$30, $25, Youth $10

(661) 723-5950 | LPAC.ORG
THE CLAIRVOYANTS
Saturday, February 23 | 8 p.m.
The Clairvoyants, Thommy Ten and Amelie van Tass, began amazing audiences worldwide in 2011 soon after the Austrian duo first met and perfected their “second sight” performance. In 2014, they performed in the show The Illusionarium by Jeff Hobson, followed by a featured spot in The Illusionists, the largest touring magic show in the world. They have since toured Australia, Mexico and the Middle East with The Illusionists 2.0, The Illusionists - Live From Broadway, and The Illusionists - Turn of the Century. In 2016, they rose to finalists out of 100,000 contestants on America’s Got Talent, astonishing audiences around the world. Witness their unique talents live on stage in this don’t-miss stop on their current U.S. and European tour.
theclairvoyantslive.com
$39, $34

DERIK NELSON AND FAMILY
Friday, March 1 | 8 p.m.
Siblings Derik, Riana and Dalten Nelson have been performing together since childhood and bring their signature smooth, three-part vocal harmonies only a family can deliver. Stars of Glee, The Voice and How I Met Your Mother, The Nelson Family presents a concert experience featuring pristine sound, a state of the art light show and an integrated 20-foot video display. Derik’s interactive “clones” are featured on a five screen video wall where the multiple “Derik clones” paint a wall of sound with limitless sonic possibilities by each playing a different instrument. This innovative technical marvel designed by Dalten, uses the latest in audio/video technology to take audiences on an aural and visual journey through time, space, an impressive array of landscapes and musical settings.
deriknelson.com
$24, $19, Youth $10
REDUCED SHAKESPEARE COMPANY
THE COMPLETE WORKS OF WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE
ALL 37 PLAYS IN 97 MINUTES!
Friday, March 8 | 8 p.m.
The Reduced Shakespeare Company returns with the original and timeless classic - The Complete Works of William Shakespeare featuring all 37 Plays in 97 Minutes! The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (abridged) presents an irreverent, fast-paced romp through the Bard’s plays. London’s longest-running comedy was featured for nine years at the Criterion Theatre, then presented at the Kennedy Center and throughout the United States. Join these madcap men in tights as they weave their wicked way through all of Shakespeare’s comedies, histories and tragedies in one wild and memorable ride that leaves audiences breathless and helpless with laughter.
$29, $24, Youth $10

LA SANTA CECILIA
Saturday, March 9 | 8 p.m.
Mexican-American phenomenon La Santa Cecilia make their LPAC debut with a unique blend of artistry, including influences from cumbia, bossa nova and boleros. With their name based upon the patron saint of musicians, Saint Cecilia, is it any wonder that this quintet also combines Afro-Cuban, Mariachi, rock, blues, Bolero, Rancheras, Norteñas and jazz into one spectacular evening of entertainment? Taking audiences on a journey through love, loss and everyday struggles, the band has become the voice of a new bicultural generation in the United States, fully immersed in modern music, but still close to their Latin-American influences and Mexican heritage.
lasantacecilia.com
$35, $30

“La Santa Cecilia exemplifies the modern-day creative hybrid of Latin Culture, rock and world music.”
-KCET

(661) 723-5950 | LPAC.ORG
JOHN PIZZARELLI  
Saturday, March 30 | 8 p.m.  
Grammy nominated guitar and vocal virtuoso John Pizzarelli has been breathing new life into the Great American Songbook for more than 40 years. He has become one of the most recognizable voices in contemporary jazz for his interpretations of classic standards, romantic ballads and the cool jazz flavor he brings to his performances and recordings. The diversity of his performances includes works by George Gershwin, Nat King Cole, Frank Sinatra, James Taylor, Natalie Cole, Paul McCartney, Joni Mitchell, Neil Young and the Beatles. John has performed on America’s most popular television shows such as The Tonight Show with Jay Leno, David Letterman, Conan and the Macy’s Thanksgiving Day Parade.

johnpizzarelli.com  
$39, $34, Youth $10

THE HILLBENDERS PRESENTS THE WHO’S TOMMY, A BLUEGRASS OPRY  
Friday, April 5 | 8 p.m.  
Ever since I was a young boy, I played the silver ball…

While not a standard bluegrass lyric, this line is known by all from the biggest rock opera of all time, The Who’s Tommy. Forty-five years after its original release, this rock classic has now been realized as a full-length bluegrass tribute featuring Springfield, Missouri’s The HillBenders. Originally composed by guitarist Pete Townshend as a rock opera, Tommy tells the story of a deaf, dumb and blind boy, including his experiences with life and the relationship with his family. With a perfect mix of virtuoso musicianship and rock star vocals, audiences will hear banjo, dobro, mandolin, bass and guitar played with the same energy and vision as The Who performed with a full rock band and orchestra.

hillbenders.com  
$24, $19

ONE NIGHT IN MEMPHIS  
Friday, April 12 | 8 p.m.  
There’s a whole lot of shakin’ going on!  
Get ready for a night of rockabilly, country, gospel and pure 1950’s rock and roll with One Night in Memphis. This high-energy concert will take you back to December 4, 1956, the night the stars aligned when four of the biggest names in early rock and roll – Elvis Presley, Carl Perkins, Jerry Lee Lewis and Johnny Cash – gathered together for an impromptu jam session at the legendary Sun Studios in Memphis.

presleyperkinslewiscash.net  
$29, $24, Youth $10

BRITISH ROCK ROYALTY  
Saturday, April 13 | 8 p.m.  
The greatest bands in British rock history come alive with the best of Pink Floyd, The Who, Queen and Led Zeppelin all performed in a live, faithfully-accurate light, sound and video spectacular. An all-star rock band fronted by vocalist and producer Brody Dolyniuk (Zeppelin USA) presents the songs as you want to hear them...bold and in your face, yet true to the original recordings. It’s like getting four concerts in one! From “Comfortably Numb” and “Kashmir” to “Bohemian Rhapsody” and “Pinball Wizard”, British Rock Royalty takes you on a tour of musical history. Sponsored by the Antelope Valley Press.

britishrockroyalty.com  
$49, $29, $24

“Mr. Pizzarelli conveys a contagious enjoyment that transports you to a place where worries recede.”  
-New York Times
MARIACHI SOL DE MEXICO
Saturday, May 4 | 8 p.m.
Unprecedented, unrivaled and uninhibited, the impact of Jose Hernandez and his Sol de Mexico band on mariachi and all music is undeniable. Since 1981, Hernandez’ charismatic arrangements and signature trumpet playing made the group an instant and lasting success performing at sold out halls from New York’s Lincoln Center to Viña del Mar in Santiago, Chile. They have also played for four U.S. Presidents including several performances at the White House. The versatility of Sol de Mexico is evident in their collaborations with the Beach Boys, Willie Nelson, Vicente Fernandez, Selena, Jose Feliciano and a record-breaking concert tour with the one and only, Luis Miguel.
soldemexicomusic.com
$59, $35, $30

ALICE IN WONDERLAND
PRESENTED BY THE ANTELOPE VALLEY BALLET
Saturday, May 11 | 7 p.m.
Sunday, May 12 | 2 p.m.
Join Alice as she follows the white rabbit down the rabbit hole into the magical world of Wonderland. This imaginative production careens through the wacky world of Wonderland where Alice meets a smorgasbord of perplexing characters performing an array of dance styles. Experience hip-hop moving Tweedles, a modern Caterpillar, a tap dancing Mad Hatter and a wildly mad tea party to match the wit and whimsy of Lewis Carroll’s timeless story.
antelopevalleyballet.org
$30, $25, Youth $15

DAMN YANKEES
PRESENTED BY CEDAR STREET THEATRE
Friday, May 24 | 8 p.m.
Saturday, May 25 | 8 p.m.
Sunday, May 26 | 2 p.m.
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cedarstreettheatre.com
$25, Youth & Senior $22

KENNY CETERA’S CHICAGO EXPERIENCE
Saturday, June 1 | 8 p.m.
All Chicago, all the time. Featuring former Chicago member and younger brother of Peter Cetera, Kenny Cetera’s Chicago Experience stars the contributing vocalist for Chicago 17, which remains the band’s top all-time grossing album. Kenny and his seven-piece horn section bring you all the classics from the heyday of the legendary group. Come hear some of the greatest hits of all time, including “25 or 6 to 4”, “Hard Habit to Break”, “Saturday in the Park” and “Colour My World”. Sponsored by Lancaster Choice Energy.
$31, $26, Youth $10
ANTELOPE VALLEY COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT

SAXOPHONE SYMPHONETTE
Saturday, September 15 | 8 p.m.
Nellie and Lou Bozigian Family Theatre
Join Lee Matalon and friends for an evening of great jazz in an intimate, cabaret style setting. Featuring the Antelope Valley’s finest musicians, the Symphonette will have you dancing the night away with some of the greatest swing tunes in an evening of entertainment you do not want to miss.
$18

CONTEMPORARY DANCE 6
PRESENTED BY THE ANTELOPE VALLEY BALLET
Friday, March 15 | 7 p.m.
An evening of new choreographic works by artists of the Antelope Valley Ballet, Contemporary Dance 6 features works by AV Ballet Mistress Tracie Marks and Artistic Director Kathleen Burnett. With minimal scenery and technical effects, this production highlights the beautiful movement capable by the human body. A mixture of ballet and modern dance, the Contemporary Dance series presents shorter ballets that are thematic, personal works of the choreographer.
antelopevalleyballet.org
$20, $15, Youth $11

ANTELOPE VALLEY JAZZ ENSEMBLE
Saturday, March 16 | 8 p.m.
The Antelope Valley Jazz Ensemble, under the direction of Lee Matalon, takes the Main Stage at the Lancaster Performing Arts Center once again for an evening of some of the greatest Big Band hits through the years. Featuring Sharon Roberts and Devon Rushing, the Ensemble takes you back to the heyday of jazz and swing, when bandleaders such as Benny Goodman, Tommy Dorsey and Les Brown were in their prime. If you like to dance, join us for an entertaining evening from a bygone era.
$25, $20
¡VIVA LPAC!

LOS ÁNGELES AZULES
domingo, el 23 de septiembre | 7 p.m.
Conocidos como los creadores del sonido sinfónico de la cumbia, Los Ángeles Azules han conquistado a miles de admiradores en México, América Latina y los Estados Unidos, con éxitos incluyendo “Cómo te voy a olvidar”, “Las maravillas de la vida”, “Mi niña mujer” y “Entrega de amor” entre otros. En el 2017, ellos se presentaron en el festival Coachella de Música y Artes del Valle de Coachella, por lo que es la primera vez que un grupo de cumbia tradicional toca en el festival popular.

losangelesazules.com.mx
$89, $64, $59

LA SANTA CECILIA
sábado, el 9 de marzo | 8 p.m.
El fenómeno mexicano-americano La Santa Cecilia hace su debut en el LPAC con una mezcla que incluye influencias de cumbia, bossa nova y boleros. Con su nombre basado en la patrona de los músicos, Santa Cecilia, sorprende que este quinteto también combine afrocubano, mariachi, rock, blues, bolero, rancheras, norteñas y jazz en una noche espectacular de entretenimiento. Llevando al público a un viaje a través del amor, la pérdida y las luchas cotidianas, la banda se ha convertido en la voz de una nueva generación bicultural en los Estados Unidos inmersa en la música moderna, pero aún cerca de sus influencias Latino Americanas y herencia Mexicana.

lasantacecilia.com
$35, $30

MARIACHI SOL DE MEXICO
sábado, el 4 de Mayo | 8 p.m.
Sin precedentes, sin rival y sin inhibiciones, el impacto de José Hernández y su banda Sol de México en el mariachi y toda la música es innegable. Desde 1981, los arreglos carismáticos de Hernández y el toque característico de la trompeta hicieron del grupo un éxito instantáneo y duradero actuando en salas vendidas desde el Lincoln Center de Nueva York a Viña del Mar en Santiago de Chile. También han tocando para cuatro presidentes de EE. UU. Incluyendo varias actuaciones en la Casa Blanca. La versatilidad de Sol de México es evidente en sus colaboraciones con los Beach Boys, Willie Nelson, Vicente Fernández, Selena, José Feliciano y una gira de conciertos récord con el único Luis Miguel.

soldemexicomusic.com
$59, $35, $30

Una nueva serie de presentaciones que muestra las ricas tradiciones y las fusiones contemporáneas de la música latinoamericana.

A new performance series showcasing the rich traditions and contemporary fusions of Latin American music. For English descriptions of these performances, please see pages 5, 13 and 15.
CEDAR STREET THEATRE

JOIN US as Cedar Street Theatre proudly presents five new productions. See page 9 for a description of the holiday production It’s a Wonderful Life.

MEL BROOKS’ YOUNG FRANKENSTEIN – THE MUSICAL
Friday, Oct. 26 & Nov. 2 | 8 p.m.
Sat., Oct. 27 & Nov. 3 | 2 & 8 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 28 & Nov. 4 | 2 p.m.
Nellie and Lou Bozigrant Family Theatre
Grandson of the infamous Victor Frankenstein, Frederick Frankenstein (pronounced “Fronken-steen”) inherits his family’s estate in Transylvania. With the help of a hunchbacked sidekick, Igor (pronounced “Eye-gore”), and a leggy lab assistant, Inga (pronounced normally), Frederick finds himself in the mad scientist shoes of his ancestors. “It’s alive!” he exclaims as he brings to life a creature to rival his grandfather’s. Eventually, of course, the monster escapes and hilarious situations abound.

$22, Youth & Senior $20

CHILDREN OF EDEN
Friday, February 8 & 15 | 8 p.m.
Saturday, February 9 & 16 | 8 p.m.
Sunday, February 10 & 17 | 2 p.m.
Nellie and Lou Bozigrant Family Theatre
From the composer and lyricist of Godspell and the co-director of Les Misérables comes a joyous and inspirational musical about parents, children and faith...not to mention centuries of unresolved family business! Based freely on the Genesis stories of Adam, Eve, Noah, their children and their “Father”, Children of Eden offers a frank, heartfelt, tuneful, charming and often humorous look at the pleasures and pains of parenting. Children of Eden is appropriate for all ages.

$18, Youth & Senior $16

ALFRED HITCHCOCK’S THE 39 STEPS
Friday, April 5 & 12 | 8 p.m.
Saturday, April 6 & 13 | 8 p.m.
Sunday, April 7 & 14 | 2 p.m.
Nellie and Lou Bozigrant Family Theatre
A comedy thriller, Alfred Hitchcock’s The 39 Steps is packed with nonstop laughs and more than 150 eccentric characters (played by four actors). The play concerns a man with an ordinary life who meets a woman with a strong accent who says she is a spy. When he takes her home, she is murdered. Soon, a mysterious organization, “The 39 Steps” is hot on the man’s trail in a nationwide manhunt that climaxes in a death-defying finale. A riotous blend of virtuoso performances, The 39 Steps amounts to an unforgettable evening of pure pleasure.

$20, Youth $14, Senior $18,

DAMN YANKEES
Friday, May 24 | 8 p.m.
Saturday, May 25 | 8 p.m.
Sunday, May 26 | 2 p.m.
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$25, Youth & Senior $22
THE AMERICUS BRASS BAND
Sunday, September 16 | 2 p.m.
Celebrate America’s heritage with music and song from a century of American military bands including a special salute to veterans and service members. From Civil War quick steps to Sousa marches and Glenn Miller swing, experience music that inspires us all!

$37

CAMARADA
Sunday, January 27 | 2 p.m.
Enjoy a “classics to Tango” program featuring flutist Beth Ross Buckley, violinist David Buckley, Brazilian cellist Lars Heofs and pianist Dana Burnett. Share the joy of this invigorating performance of musical masterworks with a program that charms and intrigues the audience.

$30

KIT AND THE KATS
Sunday, March 3 | 2 p.m.
Kit and the Kats brings the music of the ‘50s and ‘60s to life in this entertaining and energetic showcase. Laura Ellis stars as Kit, backed by two male Kats vying for her attention, as well as a smooth four-piece band. Join us for a memorable afternoon of song, dance, romance and audience interaction – a cannot miss for those who love early rock and roll.

$37

ENCORE SAXOPHONE QUARTET
Sunday, April 14 | 2 p.m.
Founded and led by internationally renowned saxophonist Douglas Masek, the Quartet performs original compositions and arrangements that bridge styles from classical to modern jazz. The Quartet’s unique blend of innovative programming and informational narrative transports the audience on a distinctive musical journey.

$30

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JOIN NOW & SAVE!
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Bob was here
Step inside Zelda’s 750 West for a unique night out at the Lancaster Performing Arts Center.
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