



Sept 24 is the deadline for October's issue: send arts news to rnewsham@cityofventura.net •Click here for all events (9pg)
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CINEMA & VIDEO

1. **Ventura Film Society** www.venturafilmsociety.com 7:15pm •9/9 Cutie and the Boxer (USA) Oscar nominated doc about 2 Japanese artists living in New York <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YXS6Aby5AUg> •9/23 César Chávez about UFW founder and social activist <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CtDUTt8ggeA>
2. Brooks Institute 5301 N Ventura Ave <http://www.brooks.edu/> visual journalism classes start 9/2
3. California Lutheran University Film Series http://www.callutheran.edu/arts_events.php
4. Century Riverpark 16 special screenings <http://www.cinemark.com/movies.aspx?flag=NCM> •See below for Met Opera schedule •9/16 7pm National Theatre Live: A Streetcar Named Desire •10/2, 5 & 9pm Tim Rice's new musical From Here to Eternity •4 live performances on screen from Moscow's renowned Bolshoi Ballet • 10/26 Yuri Grigorovich's The Legend of Love • 12/21 The Nutcracker • 1/25 Swan Lake •3/8 Romeo and Juliet www.fathomevents.com/
5. Cinemark Classic Film Series <http://www.cinemark.com/cinemark-classic-series> Su 2pm & Wed 2 & 7pm •9/7 & 9/10 2 & Scarface •9/21 & 9/24 Dr Sraugelove •9/28 (also 7pm) & 10/1 Gone with the Wind •10/5 & 10/8 MASH
6. Fathom Events [see Century Riverpark 16] 9/16 7pm National Theatre (London) Life: A Streetcar Named Desire •10/2, 5 & 9 From Here to Eternity musical •4 live performances on screen from Moscow's renowned Bolshoi Ballet • 10/26 Grigorovich's Legend of Love • 12/21 The Nutcracker • 1/25 Swan Lake •3/8 Romeo & Juliet www.fathomevents.com/
7. Get ArtSmart <http://www.cityofventura.net/getartsmart> #new series begins in October
8. Hollywood Heritage Paramount Ranch "Silents under the Stars" <http://hollywoodheritage.org/> Jul/Aug 3rd Sundays 7:30pm
9. Insomniac Cinema www.insomniaccinema.com Thursdays 7:30pm Regency Buenaventura <http://www.regencymovies.com/main.php?theaterId=14> •Tickets in Advance <http://www.regencymovies.com> •9/4 North By Northwest •9/11 The Shawshank Redemption •9/18 A Hard Day's Night •9/25 Sixteen Candles •10/2 Little Shop of Horrors •10/9 The Shining •10/16 Poltergeist •10/23 Shaun of the Dead •11/6 Breakfast at Tiffany's •11/13 Unforgiven •11/20 The Ten Commandments (1956)
10. Libbey Bowl (Ojai) www.libbeybowl.org/ 8pm free family movies during summer •9/27 A Hard Day's Night 50th anniversary remastered screening by Ojai Film Society at 7:30, Sgt Pepper, a Beatles tribute band, performs at 5 pm
11. Metropolitan Opera "Live in HD" Century Riverpark <http://www.cinemark.com/movies.aspx?flag=NCM> Sat 9*9:30**9:55am & Wed 6:30pm •10/11 & 10/15 Verdi's Macbeth (Anna Netrebko 3:15) •10/18 & 10/22 Mozart's Le Nozze di Figaro (James Levine 3:50) •11/1 & 11/5 Bizet's Carmen (Anita Tachvelishvili 3:40) •11/22 & 11/26 Rossini's Il Barbiere di Siviglia (3:25) •12/13* & 12/17 Wagner's Die Meistersinger von Nürnberg (James Levine 6:00) •1/17 & 1/21 Lehár's The Merry Widow (Renée Fleming 3:00) •1/31 & 2/4 Offenbach's Les Contes d'Hoffmann (Vittorio Grigolo 3:45) •2/14** & 2/18 Tchaikovsky's Iolanta / Bartok's Bluebeard's Castle (Anna Netrebko 3:40) •3/14 & 3/18 Rossini's La Donna del Lago (Joyce DiDonato and Juan Diego Flórez 3:30) •4/25** & 4/29 Mascagni's Cavalleria Rusticana / Leoncavallo's Pagliacci (Marcelo Álvarez 3:30)
12. Music Academy of the West www.musicacademy.org •check website for special screenings
13. National Theatre Live www.ntlive.com (London) •9/16 7pm A Streetcar Named Desire (see Century Riverpark above)
14. Ojai Film Festival <http://www.ojaifilmfestival.com/> Nov 6-13, 2014
15. Ojai Film Society www.ojaifilmsociety.org Sa/Su 4:30pm •schedule TBD due to broken water main damaging the theatre
16. Oxnard Film Society www.oxnardfilmsociety.org 3:30 & 6:30pm Mondays •9/15 Ilo Ilo (Singapore) •9/29 Horses of God (Morocco) •10/6 The Amazing Catfish
17. Plaza Playhouse Films www.plazatheatercarpinteria.com/ •9/6 Mrs. Doubtfire •9/13 To Have and Have Not •9/20 Danny Briere & The Benevolent Dictators (live music) •9/27 The Wrecking Crew screening with Denny Tedesco
18. Roxy Camarillo http://sregmovies.com/loc_roxy11.asp Su 1pm & Wed 6:30pm •ballet, opera & theater on screen •9/10 7pm Duran Duran Unstaged directed by David Lynch •9/28 & 10/1 Two Gentlemen of Verona Royal Shakespeare Company Live •10/5 & 10/8 A Streetcar Named Desire National Theatre Live from London's Young Vic starring Gillian Anderson •10/12 & 10/15 Prokofiev's War & Peace opera live from Russia's Marinsky Theatre
19. Santa Barbara International Film Festival <http://sbiff.org/> Jan-Feb 2015
20. Ventura Film Society www.venturafilmsociety.com see first listing under "Cinema"



DANCE

1. All American Ballet School & Company www.aaballet.org fall intensive program
2. Aloft Dance <https://www.facebook.com/1793aLoft?fref=ts> interdisciplinary performing arts / dance consortium
3. Arthur Murray Ventura Dance Studios www.arthurmurrayventura.com Ventura – Santa Barbara – Thousand Oaks
4. Ballet Academy Ventura www.balletacademyventura.com register for fall schedule
5. Barranca Vista Center Dance www.cityofventura.net/recreation ballet, tap, Polynesian, ballroom, belly, line classes
6. Civic Arts Plaza Performances www.CivicArtsPlaza.com
7. Fathom Events at Century Riverpark cinemas <http://www.cinemark.com/movies.aspx?flag=NCM> •4 live performances on screen from Moscow’s renowned Bolshoi Ballet • 10/26 Yuri Grigorovich’s The Legend of Love • 12/21 The Nutcracker • 1/25 Swan Lake •3/8 Romeo and Juliet www.fathomevents.com/
8. Footworks Youth Ballet www.oakleyballet.com
9. House of Dance 3007 Bunsen Ave Suite E/F, Ventura www.pmhouseofdance.com (805) 650-2719
10. Libbey Bowl (Ojai) www.libbeybowl.org/ •9/12 & 9/13 7pm State Street Ballet: Beauty and the Beast. Adapted from Jean Cocteau’s 1925 film and Tchaikovsky’s score by Emmy Award-winning choreographer Robert Sund with colorful backdrops, masks and stunning costumes and virtuoso performances by State Street’s dancers.
11. Pacific Festival Ballet at Civic Arts Plaza <http://pacificfestivalballetcompany.com/>
12. Performing Arts Education Centers of Las Virgenes-Calabasas <http://thepaecs.org/> 818.591.1209 x1 •
13. Roxy Camarillo http://sregmovies.com/loc_roxy11.asp Su lpm & Wed 6:30pm •ballet, opera & theater on screen •flyer http://sregmovies.com/images/20140606_roxy.jpg

FESTIVALS

1. Area Festival Calendar <http://californiafairsandfestivals.com/July%20Festivals.htm>
2. Buena Ventura Art Association <http://www.buenaventuragallery.org/> • Sept 13-14 “Ventura Art & Street Painting Festival” at Ventura Harbor Village (see “Visual Arts” for details)
3. Kingsmen Shakespeare Festival www.kingsmenshakespeare.org •July & August 2015
4. Midsummer Eve Wine Festival •3rd Sat Aug Rotary Special Olympics benefit 818.378.8999 www.thousandoaksrotary.org
5. Music Academy of the West summer festival www.musicacademy.org •June-August 2015
6. Ojai Day, 9/18 children’s activities, vendors, food & music <http://www.ojaiday.com/>
7. Ojai Playwrights Conference summer new works festival •Aug 2015 <http://www.ojaiplays.org/playwrights2014.aspx>
8. Ojai Storytelling Festival <http://www.ojastoryfest.org/> May 1-3, 2015
9. Paint Ventura <http://www.paintventura.com/> April 2015
10. Pier Under the Stars” 10/4 benefit for the historic Ventura Pier tickets available on line at www.brownpapertickets.com or call 1.800.838.3006. Visit www.pierintothefuture.com for more.
11. The Nature Conservancy www.nature.org/california www.naturalist-for-you.org monthly hikes to Ormond Beach (East & West), Hanson Tract (Santa Clara River West) & Peto Tract (Santa Clara River East)
12. Ventura Art and Street Painting Festival at Ventura Harbor •9/13-9/14 10am-5pm It’s “Arts in the Park” featuring lawn exhibits of paintings, street painters creating vibrant murals on the sidewalks along the docks, and live music all weekend <http://www.ventura-usa.com/calendar-of-events/index.cfm?EventID=7805>
13. Ventura Botanical Gardens <http://www.venturabotanicalgardens.com/> •Chile trip in October • 10/5 Brunch in the Gardens fundraiser 11:30am live entertainment and a private tour.
14. Ventura County Fair •July/August 2015 <http://www.venturacountyfair.org/>
15. Ventura County West Halloween Oktoberfest, The Collection at River Park, Oxnard •10/18 <http://www.venturacountywest.com/ventura-county-events-calendar/ventura-county-events/5732-halloween-oktoberfest>
16. Ventura Marathon Beach Party www.venturamarathon.com www.venturabeachparty.com •9/6-7
17. Ventura Music Festival www.venturamusicfestival.org April-May 2015

LITERARY ARTS

1. Arcade Poetry Series <http://www.carnegieam.org/arcade-poetry-series.html> begins in Jan 2015
2. Art Tales poetry & short story contest www.cityofventura.net/arttales opens in fall 2015
3. EP Foster Library •Get “Ex Libris” monthly enews of book sales, speakers, special events and literary activities at <http://us2.campaign-archive1.com/?u=ed945f6d3a86da4abeecd72bb&id=317c3db94f&e=adc9365290>



- Book Sales •9/13 Literacy Fair • 9/27 Historic Dudley House •FosterCon2015 Call for exhibitors, comic book & science fiction authors, vendors and artists for 2/28-3/1 festival: call Heather Seaton or Sara Roberts 805.641.4413
- Heart Print word of mouth on paper young writer workshops with Phil Tagart 1st & 3rd Mondays 4-6 pm
- 1st/2nd/3rd Thursdays Open Mic Poetry 7:30pm host Phil Taggart <http://www.vencolibrary.org/calendar> featured poets:
- 9/4 Lynne Thompson •9/11 Diana Raab •10/2 Florence Weinberger •10/9 no reading • 10/16 David Oliveira • 10/30 Susan Florence •11/6 Jean Colonomos •11/13 Chrissy Yost •11/20 Christina Pages •12/4 Mary Kay Rummel •12/11 Chris Buckley •1/15 Jules Nyquist & John Roche •1/29 Shelba Cole Robison
- Citizens for Peaceful Resolutions Topping Room monthly meeting 3-5pm •9/7 The State of Campaign Finance Reform
- 4. Oxnard College Literature, Arts & Lecture Series <http://www.oxnardcollege.edu/> 1-2pm free OCPAC Performing Arts Center 4000 S Rose Ave <https://www.facebook.com/OCPAC> •Amy Edwards aedwards@vcccd.edu 805.986.5800 x1943
- 10/1 poet Jimmy Santiago Baca "Singing at the Gates: Poems from Prison and other Lives"
- 10/8 "Six Weeks on the Throne: The Tale of a Stowaway" author Rick Frey
- 10/29 poet Ellen Bass "Sex, Death, and the Human Comedy: A Poetry Reading and the Making of a Poem"
- 11/26 OC English Professor Anthony Rodriguez analyzes two totalitarian societies portrayed in George Orwell's 1984 and Aldous Huxley's Brave New World •4/29 poet Bruce Weigl
- 5. Roxy Camarillo http://sregmovies.com/loc_roxyl1.asp Su 1pm & Wed 6:30pm •ballet, opera & theater on screen •9/28 & 10/1 Two Gentlemen of Verona Royal Shakespeare Company Life
- 6. Shelley Savren new poetry newsletter sign up at www.shelleysavren.com/news
- 7. VACE Ventura Adult Community Education at Sheridan Way School •Instructor Chris Bond •Th 6-7:30pm • Fri: 8:30-9:30 am Free Introductory Standard Chinese (Mandarin) begins 9/5 www.vace.com/common/pdfs/vace08.pdf

MUSEUMS

1. **Museum of Ventura County (MVC) & Agricultural Museum (MVCAM)** www.venturamuseum.org
MVC: •dm Spaulding: A Sculptural Retrospective features over 25 mostly bronze works from his estate and on loan from private collections, the exhibit covers each chapter of his life
 •9/13 opens "Beisbol: From the Barrios to the Big Leagues" • Covers Ventura County's 1920-30s Mexican baseball leagues, WWII/Korea military teams, 60s Little/Pony Leagues, high school teams and professional leagues, including Carlos Luis Hall (Ventura Juniors) break through to the Cincinnati Reds to play two World Series.
 • George Stuart Historical Figures "Diamonds Are Forever exhibit" thru 9/28
 • FREE First Fridays for Families 1-3pm 9/5 "Crown Jewels" kids craft their own royal head ware
MVCAM: •9/5 Music at the Ag "The Delfinos" in concert 7:30-9:30pm rockin' rhythm and blues; Confusion Catering food truck following Santa Paula's monthly Main Street Cruise Night 5-8pm
 • FREE First Sundays for Families 1-3pm 9/7 Make water conservation posters for a museum exhibit
 •CALL TO ARTISTS Art About Agriculture Exhibit at MVCAM & Santa Paula Art Museum •Opening Reception 11/8
 •Exhibit 11/8-1/28 •Enter by 9/25 John Nichols/Ag Art Alliance 805.525.7804 agartalliance@gmail.com or Jennifer 805.525.5554 info@SantaPaulaArtMuseum.org
2. Albinger Archaeological Museum, 113 E. Main St., located next to Mission San Buenaventura, open by appointment only brochure: <http://www.cityofventura.net/files/file/comm-service/AlbingerBrochure.pdf>
3. California Museum of Art Thousand Oaks (Civic Arts Plaza West) www.cmato.org Bill Mercer bmercer@cmato.org 805.409.3598 •9/17 6:30pm Tales from the Road: art appraiser John Buxton •Thousand Oaks Library Community Room 140 E Janss Rd
4. Carnegie Art Museum CAM <http://www.carnegieam.org/> • thru 9/15 "Ryo" De Smidt (CAM Studio Gallery) •9/10 7pm "Date to Create: mixed media workshop with Donna Lowry" •9/7-11/23 "The Painted Line: Works on Paper and Canvas by Julia Pinkham" •9/6 4-6pm artist reception
5. Historic Dudley House events <http://www.dudleyhouse.org/> •open house First Sundays of each month 1-4pm • 9/7 historic recording series: X-Minus One (9/21/55) and 1925 to 1929 recordings of the Coon-Sanders Orchestra
6. Olivias Adobe <http://www.cityofventura.net/oliviasadobe> • Sa/Su 11am-4pm docent tours •Music under the Stars: Saturdays 7:30pm •9/6 Lisa Haley & the Zydekats www.cityofventura.net/mus •1pm blues Sundays •9/7 Karen Lovely www.venturacountybluessociety.org
7. Oxnard Historical Farm Park •1251 Gottfried Pl www.oxnardfarmpark.org Saturday farmers market 9am-12pm



8. Santa Paula Art Museum <http://www.santapaulaartmuseum.org/> 805.525.5554 •thru 11/2 60 California Art Club Artists "Quintessential California" en plein air

MUSIC

1. Bell Arts Factory <http://bellartsfactory.org/> •Tues 7pm proyecto JAROCHO all ages, instruments provided, \$6
2. Cabrillo Music Theatre <http://www.cabrillomusictheatre.com/> •11/14-23 Memphis the Musical 2015: •1/23-2/8 Company •4/17-26 Mary Poppins the Broadway Musical •7/17-26 Oklahoma
3. California Lutheran University Music Department www.callutheran.edu/music 805-493-3306
4. Camerata Pacifica <http://www.cameratapacifica.org> concerts in four locations: •9/11-16 concert: Mozart Flute Quartet No. 1 in D Major-K.285; Harbison String Trio-WORLD PREMIERE; Schubert Piano Trio No. 2 in E-Flat Major-D.929 • next program:10/10-16
5. Channel Islands Chamber Orchestra <http://www.cichamberorchestra.org/> •10/11 & 10/12 Mozart & Beethoven
6. Civic Arts Plaza Performances www.CivicArtsPlaza.com See also "Dance" and "Theatre" listings. •
7. Composers Datebook daily email <http://info.americanpublicmediagroup.org/LP=87>
8. Fresh Roasted Concerts <http://www.ptgo.org/fresh.html> 2014-2015 Season in three locations:
 Matilija Auditorium, Ojai: •9/12 7:30pm Eric Bibb singer-songwriter-guitarist heir to Lead Belly, Woody Guthrie & Odetta •11/10 7:30pm Moscow Nights & the Golden Gate Dancers old Russian folklore through music, song, and dance
 Center for Spiritual Living 101 S Laurel St Ventura: •11/15 7:30pm Metales M5From Delhi to Dublin •3/14 7:30pm Julia Fordham Postcards from the Global Village •4/25 7:30pm David Lindley / Billy Jonas "neo-tribal hootenanny"
 Scherr Forum Theatre, Thousand Oaks: •10/15 7pm Cirque Zuma Zuma traditional African dance, song & music with acrobats •12/12 7:30pm Christmas in Ireland with Lúnasa and guest singer Karen Casey •1/28 7pm The Golden Dragon Acrobats in "Cirque Ziva" SEE ALSO PERFORMANCES TO GROW ON under "Theatre"
9. High Street Arts Center <http://www.highstreetartscenter.com> •until 9/21 Guys & Dolls musical • 10/31-11/23 Cinderella drama •12/5-15 Christmas Magic! •2/6-3/8 Annie musical •4/10-5/3 Frost/Nixon drama •5/29-6/28 Dreamgirls musical
10. Hillcrest Center for the Arts <http://www.hillcrestarts.com> •9/1 Labor Day Concert
11. Libbey Bowl (Ojai) •9/3 7pm Travis Brass Quintet •9/12 & 9/13 7pm State Street Ballet: Beauty and the Beast. Adapted from Jean Cocteau's 1925 film and Tchaikovsky's score by Emmy Award-winning choreographer Robert Sund with colorful backdrops, masks and stunning costumes and virtuoso performances by State Street's dancers •10/3-4 World Music Festival with Jayme Stone and his quintet, and Bassekou Kouyate from Mali taking listeners on a journey of spellbinding music, "From Africa to Appalachia". Nevenka, a women's choir fully costumed and singing songs of Eastern Europe full of beautiful harmonies, also performs. Both nights include all performers in a world music jam. •10/11 An Evening with Jim Messina with Rusty Young Sittin' In <http://www.messinaatthebowl.org/>
12. Los Robles Master Chorale <http://www.losroblesmasterchorale.org/> •11/15 7:30pm: Handel's Messiah •11/16 2:30pm: Meddiah Sing-Along •12/20 7:30pm A Joyful Noise •3/15 4pm: Durufle: Requiem, Ralph Vaughan Williams Mass in G minor, vommissioned work by Jasper Randall •5/8-10 with New West Symphony: Mozart Great Mass in C Minor, K.427 •5/30 7:30pm: Across the Shores
13. Metropolitan Opera Live in HD Series – see "Cinema" for schedule
14. Music Academy of the West summer festival www.musicacademy.org •June-August 2015
15. Music Under The Stars <http://www.cityofventura.net/mus> summer concert series--see Olivas Adobe below
16. New West Symphony <http://www.newwestsymphony.org> •20th anniversary opening in October
17. Ojai Concert Series-Dancing Oak Ranch <http://www.ojaiconcertseries.com/> 805/665-8852 info@ojaiconcertseries.com •9/20 "Genticorum" Franco-Celt Quebecois •10/16 "Socks in the Frying Pan" 7pm at The Ojai Valley Woman's Club
18. Ojai Music Festival <http://www.ojaifestival.org/> •June 11-14, 2015
19. Ojai World Music Festival <http://www.ojaiworldmusic.org> •10/3-10/4 Bassekou Kouyate, Jayme Stone, Nevenka singing songs of Africa, Banjo and Eastern Europe – see Libbey Bowl listings
20. **Olivas Adobe Music under the Stars:** Saturdays 7:30pm •9/6 Lisa Haley & the Zydekats www.cityofventura.net/mus • 1pm blues Sundays •9/7 Karen Lovely www.venturacountybluessociety.org
21. Oxnard College Performing Arts Center <https://www.facebook.com/OCPAC>
22. Performing Arts Education Centers of Las Virgenes-Calabasas <http://thepaecs.org/> 818.591.1209 x1 •
23. Plaza Playhouse www.plazatheatercarpinteria.com/ •9/20 Danny Briere & The Benevolent Dictators (live music) •9/27 The Wrecking Crew music documentary screening with Denny Tedesco



24. Roxy Camarillo http://sregmovies.com/loc_roxy11.asp Su 1pm & Wed 6:30pm •ballet, opera & theater on screen •9/10 7pm Duran Duran Unstaged directed by David Lynch •10/12 & 10/15 Prokofiev's War & Peace opera live from Russia's Marinsky Theatre
25. Theater League www.CivicArtsPlaza.com 805.449.2775 •12/4-7 Disney's BEAUTY AND THE BEAST •1/15-18 CAMELOT •2/11-12 Stomp •3/12-15 BUDDY The Buddy Holly Story •3/5-15 Old Jews Telling Jokes •4/9-12 CHICAGO
26. Ventura Baroque Chamber Players www.venturabaroque.org perform in 3 locations in Ventura and Oxnard. Contact Lou Pruneda, Music Director at (805) 827-8722 or LPruneda2g4@aol.com
27. Ventura College Performing Arts Center
http://www.venturacollege.edu/college_information/college_events/performing_arts.shtml
28. Ventura County Blues Society •Sundays at Olivas Adobe 1pm •9/7 Karen Lovely www.venturacountybluessociety.org
29. Ventura County Jazz Calendar of live jazz event in all county cities at <http://www.venturacountyjazz.com/>
30. Ventura Music Festival tickets 805.648.3146 or www.venturamusicfestival.org •10/16 7:30pm Philharmonia Quartett Berlin performs an all-Beethoven program at Ventura College Performing Arts Center, 4700 Loma Vista Road. "What's the Score?" Pre-Concert Lecture by Artistic Director Nuvi Mehta at 6:45pm
31. WAV Theater Gallery Concerts www.WAVartists.com •performances <http://www.wavartists.com/performance.html>

THEATER

1. **Rubicon Theatre Company** www.rubicontheatre.org •2014 season finale: •9/6-28 Conviction: world premiere of a Rubicon Theatre Plays-in-Progress drama about a charismatic teacher a student accuses of misconduct. 2014/15 Season:
 - 10/15-11/16 2 Pianos 4 hands: Two actors and two pianos grace the stage as fifteen years of piano playing unfolds a dazzling range of characters embellished with music by Bach, Beethoven and Jerry Lee Lewis.
 - 1/21-2/15 The Last Five Years: A compelling musical with a thrilling pop score by Jason Robert Brown (Songs for a New World), takes us backward and forward in time through the joys and sorrows of young love.
 - 3/4-29 The Search for Signs of Intelligent Life in the Universe: Stephanie Zimbalist makes her triumphant Rubicon return to the Rubicon stage in this insightful tour-de-force encounter with intergalactic visitors. •4/15-5/10 TBA
 - 5/27-6/21: Noël Coward's Blithe Spirit: a cynical writer doing research invites an eccentric clairvoyant to his home to conduct a séance but he finds himself haunted by the ghost of his beautiful and petulant first wife.
 - 9/2-27 Ben This extraordinary one-person play captures the colorful Franklin on the eve of a historic decision.
 - 10/21-11/15 My Fair Lady (2 Piano Version: intimate, chamber version of the legendary Lerner and Loewe classic follows the transformation of Professor Henry Higgins, an arrogant and attractive phonetician who makes a bet that he can transform a "deliciously low" flower girl (Eliza Doolittle) into a lady by teaching her to speak more beautifully.
2. Cabrillo Music Theatre <http://www.cabrillomusictheatre.com/> •11/14-23 Memphis the Musical 2015: •1/23-2/8 Company •4/17-26 Mary Poppins the Broadway Musical •7/17-26 Oklahoma
3. Camarillo Skyway Playhouse <http://www.skywayplayhouse.org> •until 9/14 Fences •10/3-11/9 Jesus Christ Superstar
4. Civic Arts Plaza Performances <http://civicartsplaza.com/cap/> see also "Dance" and "Music" listings •8/27-9/21 My Son the Waiter: A Jewish Tragedy ("hilarious comedy")
5. Conejo Players Theatre <http://www.conejoplayers.org/> •8/29-9/20 The Diary of Anne Frank
6. Elite Theatre Co www.elitetheatre.org •9/26-11/2 David Mamet's November •11/21-12/21 YoHoHo Pirate's Christmas
7. Fairy Tales in the Park free performances for families at Barranca Vista Park, 7050 Ralston St, Ventura 2nd Saturdays 4pm •9/13 Snow White •bring picnic, blankets, low chairs
8. Flying H Group 6368 Bristol Rd <http://www.flyinghgroup.com/> 805.901.0005 •acting workshops & performances
9. High Street Arts Center <http://www.highstreetartscenter.com> •8/22-9/21 Guys & Dolls musical • 10/31-11/23 Cinderella drama •12/5-15 Christmas Magic! •2/6-3/8 Annie musical •4/10-5/3 Frost/Nixon drama •5/29-6/28 Dream Girls musical
10. Goldstar Events www.goldstar.com sign up to receive announcements of discounted theatre events in your area
11. Hillcrest Center for the Arts <http://www.hillcrestarts.com> •9/5-21 The Fantastics
18. Kingsmen Shakespeare Festival www.kingsmenshakespeare.org •June-August 2015
19. Performances To Grow On <http://www.ptgo.org/adventures.html> 805.646.8907 adventures in the performing arts
 - weekday field trips to the theater for students K-12 10am & 12 pm •10/3 The Jayme Stone Ensemble music at Libbey Bowl •10/15 Cirque Zuma Zuma (Thousand Oaks) African dance, music, acrobats •11/20 Hand Shadows World of Wonder with Leland Faulkner 2015: •1/28 Cirque Ziva Chinese Golden Acrobats •2/13 Junie B. Jones musical by



TheatreWorks USA •2/18 Flat Stanley by Dallas Children's Theatre •3/13 Classical Jam CJ Storms the Castle intro to classical music •4/16 Click, Clack, Moo by Theatreworks USA • 5/1 Ojai Storytelling Festival www.ojastoryfest.org
SEE ALSO FRESH ROASTED CONCERTS UNDER "Music"

20. Performing Arts Education Centers of Las Virgenes-Calabasas <http://thepaecs.org/> 818.591.1209 x1 fall 2014 season
12. Plays 411 www.plays411.com sign up to receive announcements of discounted theatre tickets in your area
13. Metropolitan Opera Live in HD Series – see "Cinema" for schedule
14. Moorpark College Performing Arts Center www.moorparkcollege.edu/PAC or http://www.moorparkcollege.edu/current_students/performing_arts/index.shtml
15. Ojai Art Center Theater <http://www.OjaiACT.org> •8/29-9/21 Of Mice and Men •11/28-12/21 A Holiday Surprise
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20. Santa Paula Theater Center www.santapaulatheatercenter.org 805.525.4645 •9/5-10/12 Heroes (comedy) 3 WWII veterans escape their humdrum existence in retirement •11/14-12/21 The Game's Afoot/Holmes for the Holidays
21. Senga Classic Stage Company <http://www.sengaclassicstagecompany.com> www.franciscabeach.com/
22. Simi Valley Cultural Arts Center <http://www.simi-arts.org> •9/20-11/1 9 to 5 •11/22-12/20 A Christmas Carol
23. Teatro de las Americas www.teatrodelasamericas.org 805.983.2876 •9/5-6 La infamia/Infamy •10/31-11/15 Las patas de hilo
24. Theater League www.CivicArtsPlaza.com 805.449.2775 •12/4-7 Disney's BEAUTY AND THE BEAST •1/15-18 CAMELOT •2/11-12 Stomp •3/12-15 BUDDY The Buddy Holly Story •3/5-15 Old Jews Telling Jokes •4/9-12 CHICAGO
25. VC Onstage <http://vconstage.com/> Ventura County theater arts webzine also on Facebook
26. Ventura County Gilbert & Sullivan Repertoire Company <http://www.vcgsrc.org> • 9/26-10/19 The Mikado 2015: •3/5-29 Iolanthe
27. Young Artists Ensemble <http://www.yaeonline.com> •11/7-23 The Sound of Music

USEFUL LINKS

1. Downtown Ventura Partners/Organization get "This Weekend Downtown" emails <https://app.e2ma.net/app2/audience/signup/1361130/1359034.6246586/?v=a>
2. VC Onstage <http://vconstage.com/> Ventura County theater arts webzine also on Facebook

VISUAL ARTS

1. Art City Studios <http://www.artcitystudios.com/>
2. Bell Arts Factory <http://bellartsfactory.org/> Exhibit: •Fitness & Dance Classes •Art classes for youth, teens & adults •free weekly youth art program •Open studios & galleries •Tool Room Gallery at Bell Arts curated by the Museum of Ventura County <http://www.venturamuseum.org> "Rebar" works by Erik Reel opens 11/7
3. Barranca Vista Center 7050 Ralston St •classes in visual arts, dance, specialty & fitness www.cityofventura.net/recreation
4. Brooks Institute 5301 N Ventura Ave <http://www.brooks.edu/>
5. Buenaventura Art Association at 4 locations: <http://www.buenaventuragallery.org/>
 - Buenaventura Gallery • thru 9/6 Journeys through Peace "people, landscapes & story" watercolors by Laura Walter meet the artist 9/5 5-8pm •9/9-10/4 "Essential Ingredients: an exhibition of paintings by Gail Pidduck" 15 canvases inspired by reading "The School of Essential Ingredients" by Erica Bauermeister •9/13 5-7pm artist reception •10/3 5-8pm meet the artist •9/23-11/1 BAA 6th Annual Watercolor and AquaMedia Open Competition entry deadline 9/13
 - Harbor Village Gallery •9/3-10/28 Member Show •9/13-14 "Ventura Art & Street Painting Festival" •Apply by 9/6: organizer/artist Frank "Kimo" Mitchell challenges area large-format painters and graffiti artists to "Think big, think fast" and send in their 8.5x11 sketches to create 4'x7' art panels (stretched gesso linen on wooden frames) for auction during BAA's Sept 13-14 "Ventura Art & Street Painting Festival" at Ventura Harbor Village, a FOOD Share benefit.



- Community Memorial Hospital First Floor Lobby •thru 10/19 “A Wrinkle in Time: Milestones” and “Caregivers: Volunteers Assisting the Elderly and the wonderful work they do”
- EP Foster Library •thru 10/26 Library Member Show
- Workshops •11/13-14 Into the Flow: An Abstract Painting/Mentor Workshop with Maureen Chatfield
- 6. California Lutheran University art exhibits http://www.callutheran.edu/arts_events.php
- William Roland Gallery of Fine Art www.callutheran.edu/rolland •thru 10/2 The Beautiful: Contemporary Images of America •Kwan Fong Gallery in Cal Lutheran University’s Soiland Humanities Center M-Sa 8a-8p •
- 7. City of Ventura Art Classes www.cityofventura.net/recreation
- 8. City of Ventura Public Art Program new streetscape murals installed throughout Ventura <http://www.cityofventura.net/press-release/ventura-streetscape-mural-project-turns-streets-art-gallery>
- 9. First Fridays Ventura <http://s232036650.onlinehome.us/template.php?pg=1> gallery crawl 6-9pm firstfridaysventura@gmail.com
- 10. Focus on the Masters www.focusonthemasters.com •Learning to See youth outreach •Tuesday Artist Spotlight Series 6pm •9/9 Susan Tibbles •9/19 6-10pm For the Love of Art FOTM 20th anniversary celebration at Pierpont Inn fundraising dinner, visual tributes, music performances • tickets 805.653.2501
- 11. Fox Fine Jewelry, 560 E Main St art gallery <http://www.foxfinejewelry.com/art-gallery/> 805. 652.1800 •thru 11/2 “Visions from the Third Planet” works by Steve Cook
- 12. galerie102 102 W Matilija St Ojai www.galerie102.com •thru 9/14 Cycles and Spires paintings by James Wills and sculpture by Elisa Berry Fonseca
- 13. Gallery 525 (Ojai) <http://www.gallery525.com/>
- 14. Gallery1880 <http://www.gallery1880.com>
- 15. Green Art People <http://www.GreenArtPeople.com> •Wed: short attention span theater, music & art •upcycle art supplies Tu-Sa 10-5 •Growing Art People children's program
- 16. Hillcrest Center for the Arts <http://www.hillcrestarts.com> •
- 17. McCallion Lobby & Gallery at VCCF Nonprofit Center Center for Nonprofit Leadership, 4001 Mission Oaks Blvd. Camarillo, CA 93012
- 18. Ojai Art Center Art 646-0017 ojaiartcenter@aol.com •9/14 1-3pm artist reception for Stripes!! Work by P.T. Tiersky 9/5-10/3 exhibit
- 19. Ojai Studio Artists Tours •10/11-13 tickets www.ojastudioartists.org
- 20. Oxnard College McNish Gallery www.oxnardcollegeart.wordpress.com 4000 S Rose Ave •9/2-10/24 “In the Company of Myrtle” exhibit by Curtis Lemieux & Amy Green •9/2 5-8pm artist reception/lecture cmorla@vcccd.edu (805)986-5800, ext. 1929
- 21. Red Brick Gallery <http://www.redbrickart.com/> •Painting Parties
- 22. 643 Project Space <http://www.643projectspace.com/> •
- 23. San Buenaventura Artists’ Union (1) see “New Ventura Arts Forum” under “Deadlines for Artists” below (2) Watch a video of the August 23rd “Art on the Street 2 exhibit (and Poetry on Demand)” performed in Figueroa Plaza with support from the Downtown Ventura Organization and City of Ventura: www.youtube.com/watch?v=2_bdlRoPCek
- 24. Satwiwa Native American Indian Culture Center Newbury Park (Santa Monica Mountains) until 9/28 Silvia Huerta-Whetherbee pen & ink flora & fauna images
- 25. Stoneworks Studio <http://www.stoneworksstudios.com/> galleries, classes, First Fridays Ventura
- 26. Studio 1317 ceramics & sculpture <http://www.studio1317.com/> •
- 27. Ventura County Arts Council <http://www.VenturaCountyArtsCouncil.org> •curated & competitive exhibitions •Art Stars •Classroom mini-grants •Calls for entries: •Collaborations 8/23-10/8 submissions reception 9/20, 5:30pm •Bigger Is Better: 3 floors of VERY large artwork thru 10/8 •Familiar Phrases 10/11-9/26 submissions due 9/27 & reception 10/25, 5:30pm •County Employee Exhibit 11/29-1/14 applications due 11/22 and reception 12/13, 5:30pm
- 28. Ventura County Camera Club www.VenturaCountyCameraClub.com meets monthly at 7pm •
- 29. Ventura County Potters’ Guild Gallery <http://www.vcpottersguild.com> •



30. Vita Art Center @ Bell Arts <http://www.vitaartcenter.com/> •art classes
31. Ventura/Santa Barbara Watch & Clock Association • Mike Schmidt 805.988.1764 eaglecreekclocks@msn.com
www.NAWCC-ch190.com
32. WAV Working Artists Ventura <http://www.WAVartists.com> •exhibits First Fridays

DEADLINES: CALLS FOR ARTISTS

1. New "Ventura Arts Forum" convenes 5 pm, Tuesday, September 30 @ Ventura City Hall Atrium, 501 Poli Street
The San Buenaventura Artists' Union and the City of Ventura invite all arts groups to send representatives to a new quarterly forum be held at rotating host locations with the goal of networking, collaborating and designing effective and respectful arts advocacy plans. Please let us know who your representative is and if he or she will be able to attend the forum: name, title, phone and email address. To RSVP and for more information, contact Marsha de la O at deloam@roadrunner.com or Denise Sindelar at dsindelar@cityofventura.net.
2. Arroyo Arts Collective www.arroyoartscollective.orgartist opportunities
3. Bell Arts Factory studios Contact Jim Rice: jimnrice@yahoo.com or 310/628-0892
4. Buenaventura Art Association www.BuenaventuraGallery.org see "Visual Arts" above for various calls for artists
5. CaFE™ www.callforentry.org artist opportunities
6. City of Ventura Photo Contest www.cityofventura.net/photocontest enter by Nov 1
7. City of Ventura Public Art opportunities applications online at <http://www.cityofventura.net/artopps>
 - Year round: Think Outside the Box <http://www.cityofventura.net/artopps>
 - Year round: Coastal Communities Cancer Center
http://www.cityofventura.net/files/file/community_services/RFP-CancerCenterArt2012-13.pdf
8. Museum of Ventura County cash grants for Ventura County artists/art students: apply by 9/30 www.venturamuseum.org
9. Museum of Ventura County Agricultural Museum call to artists "Art About Agriculture" see "Museums" listings
10. Ventura Water Take I online short film contest www.watertakeI.com enter by Nov 1
11. Ventura County Arts Council see "Visual Arts" for calls for entry