15th Festival Napa Valley starts this week

The 15th Festival Napa Valley begins this week with concerts from chamber music and symphony to rock, pop and jazz.

For some reason, probably because some of its events are so elegant, many people think Festival Napa Valley is expensive and exclusive. Nothing could be further from the truth, and each year it becomes more accessible.

This year they are presenting free concerts in the amphitheater at the CIA at Copia at 11 a.m. every day from July 13 through July 24.

Festival Napa Valley’s Blackburn Music Academy musicians join Frost School faculty and guest artists for an admission-free chamber series Wednesday, July 14 through Tuesday, July 20 and Saturday, July 24 at 11 a.m. at Jackson Family Wine Amphitheater at CIA at Copia.

Walk-up seating is available as space allows.

You can find the details at festivalnapavalley.org. Reserve with the Festival Napa Valley Box Office via boxoffice@festivalnapavalley.org or 707-346-5052.

Tickets to the evening concerts at Charles Krug and Copia are only $15.

Here are the evening concerts this week:

- July 16: Opening night with Lisette Oropesa at Charles Krug Winery (sold out)
- July 17: Saturday at the Symphony at Copia. The program includes the West Coast premiere of “Chrysalis Extended,” written by the festival’s composer-in-residence and 2019 Miss America Nia Imani Franklin, and a new concerto by Cuban pianist Aldo López Gavilán. Concerts are at 6 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Of course, they also have patron dinners and special events that help pay for the free and discounted concerts. One example is the Arts for All Gala headlined by Jennifer Hudson. It takes place on July 18 at Nickel & Nickel.

2021 Classical Arts Film Festival selections made

The Jarvis Conservatory has selected the films for the fifth annual celebration of International Classical Arts in film Aug. 26 to 28.

You can see the selections at www.jarvisconservatory.com. They will be shown in four film blocks over three days. Tickets are $15 per block. Save 20% with the festival pass.

The Jarvis Conservatory, 1711 Main St., Napa
Wine tasting and drinking

Vine Star Wine Bar opens in St. Helena

Vine Star Wine Bar has opened in the former Yao Wine tasting room in south St. Helena. The building and business are owned by Jay Behmke. It will be open on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, from noon to 7 p.m. for the foreseeable future.

It operates with a Type 42 Wine and Beer Public Premises permit, which is typically used to operate as a bar serving wine, beer, other non-alcoholic drinks, along with a food menu, but not full meals.

Vine Star Wine Bar will also be a wine shop and espresso bar, serving coffee, pastries and other breakfast foods from morning to early afternoon. It will offer other baked goods, chocolate, ice cream and desserts, too.

The property does not have a commercial kitchen, and they will not prepare food on site but buy prepared foods from licensed restaurants or catering companies.

In addition, it will sell products such as clothing, luggage, home furnishings, paintings, sculpture and other art works.

It plans to host live jazz, folk and classical music without amplification on Friday and Saturday evenings.

The wines served are from a wine list of 12 to 24 wineries. At least 75% of the wines will come from Napa Valley wineries and feature Napa Valley appellations.

During the day, they will offer flights of different wines. They also plan tastings of chocolates and coffee.

In the evening, Vine Star will be a traditional wine bar, where customers can order wine by the glass and small plates.

Vine Star Wine Bar, 929 Main St., St. Helena

Hospitality and education at Cuvaison Winery

The Cuvaison hospitality team will preview new experiences available at its estate on Saturday, July 17, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.

This event includes three mini-experiences: a hike through the vineyards with 2020 Pinot Noir Rosé; a food and wine pairing with 2019 Sauvignon Blanc, En Cigar and 2019 Pinot Noir, Pommard and a seated tasting of three Cuvaison red wines paired with cheeses.


Cuvaison, 1221 Duhig Road, Napa, 707-942-2455
**Cabernet Classic coming to Meritage**

The first Cabernet Classic will be held at The Meritage Resort and Spa in Napa from Thursday, Aug. 19 through Saturday, Aug. 21. It will benefit the Patron Foundation. The celebration follows the Chardonnay Classic held in May. I mentioned it June 14, but here are more details.

It brings together Master Sommeliers, wine aficionados, industry experts and wineries and will include more than 20 expert-led tastings of 100s of wines.

The weekend kicks off with “Cabernet Sauvignon Seen Through the Eyes of the Antinori Family” on Thursday morning.

Each day’s activities will feature one premier tasting after lunch
- Thursday: Around the World with Cabernet
- Friday: Retrospective of Cabernet Sauvignon
- Saturday: Legends of Bordeaux and Napa

Throughout the weekend guests are invited to taste other varieties.

See details of the schedule at www.meritagecollection.com.

Tickets start at $700 for day passes and $2,000 for weekend passes at www.cabernetclassic.com.

Guests can also buy passes for just the Grand Tasting for $300 where they will be able to experience 30 of the weekend’s wines and meet with the winemakers.

The event will donate $25,000 to the SommFoundation to help provide scholarships for the next generation of winemakers, master sommeliers and wine experts.

Find more information at MeritageResort.com and VistaCollinaResort.com.

**Fayard Winery joins Vintner’s Collective**

Fayard Winery is the latest company to join the wineries pouring and selling wines at Vintner’s Collective tasting room in downtown Napa. Julien Fayard was the director of winemaking for Philippe Melka for a decade.

Vintner’s Collective, 1245 Main St., Napa, 707-255-7150, www.vintnerscollective.com

**Chuckle of the day**

A local winery sent out this pitch, assuming that writer would be impressed that its offerings are so expensive and exclusive.

It’s serving a lunch that costs $500 per person and includes a five-course menu crafted by a chef from Healdsburg’s Single Thread Farm. Each bite will be paired with 96–100-point wines from the winery.

The release notes: “It’s only fitting that Napa’s most exclusive tasting experience is the brainchild of the valley’s most exclusive brand, (xxxxx) known as the Hermes of wine...The owner has five coveted vineyard plots in Napa [Valley?] (One shares a fence line with Screaming Eagle[!]), and the wines are not sold in any stores or found on any wine lists.”

And I’d never heard of the “most exclusive” winery.
Food and restaurants

More rumors on new restaurants in the Riverfront

Rumors, but fairly credible ones, tell me that the Basalt space in the Riverfront will become another restaurant from Masaharu Morimoto but with more of a pan-Asian flare like Morimoto Asia in Hawaii.

Matt Cordeiro from Corderio’s is reportedly taking over the old Pear space for a seafood restaurant.

Assuming that’s true, that leaves two spaces to go – the former Fratelli and the Corner.

Solage opens Picobar, a new contemporary Mexican restaurant

Auberge Resorts’ Solage in Calistoga has opened Picobar, a poolside restaurant serving modern Mexican cuisine. It joins the existing Solbar restaurant on site.

Executive chef Gustavo Rios has designed the resort’s second restaurant as a fusion of his two homes: coastal Ensenada, Mexico and Northern California’s wine country.

Its name “pico” means “peak” and the menu focuses on seasonal dishes with ingredients from local and regional purveyors.

The restaurant is part of a comprehensive $30 million property renovation that includes new suites and a redesign of the guest rooms and the pool deck and Solbar’s outdoor lounge just before the tony Four Seasons resort opens across the Trail.

www.aubergeresorts.com/solage, 755 Silverado Trail, Calistoga,

Meet Monday Bakery & Café

Monday Bakery has reinstated its lunch program with a weekly rotating lunch menu featuring local flavors of soups, salads, pasta, grilled sandwiches, toasts and more.

See www.mondaybakery.com/cafe. It’s open 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. daily except Wednesday.

707-699-2960, 1412 Second St., Napa

Wilfred’s Tiki Bar

Wilfred’s Tiki Bar is hoping to open in August in the old Burger Fi space on First Street, Napa, where Napa Creek meets the Napa River. The general manager is Michael Cobb, who ran High Roller Tiki Lounge in Solvang.

Chick-fil-A skipping Napa

The Register reports that the Chick-fil-A restaurant proposed for Soscol Square won’t be coming to Napa after all.

The company isn’t talking but the proposed outlet faced vocal opposition from many community members because of its long support for anti-LGBTQ efforts.

In truth, Napa isn’t that big a market anyway, and we’re pretty well known for preferring independent restaurants.

A Kohl’s department store will anchor the proposed development with other stores.
News from Yountville

Some news from last Thursday’s Yountville Sun:

Tina Stevens, a shop selling travel clothing for women has opened in space formerly occupied by Senses by JCB. Cornerstone Cellars will join Stevens in that space come September.

Pancha’s Bar remains closed but hopes to open after refrigeration issues are corrected. Girard Winery closed its tasting room across the street from Pancha’s and Ciccio; the winery now has a tasting room in its full winery south of Calistoga on Dunaweal Lane. (Nearby Sterling Vineyards there remains closed due to damage from the fire last year.)

Also gone is Hunter Gatherer in the same shopping complex owned by Hillstone Restaurant Group, which operates R+D Kitchen and Kelly’s Fuel and Provisions. Also, we haven’t heard a date for the opening of the burger joint next to Priest Ranch replacing Protea, and it’s looking likely that Perry Lang’s steakhouse will not reopen. Finally, the Napa Valley Performing Arts Center at Lincoln Theater remains closed though Napa Valley Museum has reopened.

The arts

Add to the RAD Wall

Young people are invited to practice creating murals in public on Our RAD Wall, a Rail Arts District (RAD) Napa education program. Participants can collaborate on a design, work individually or with mentors to design and paint in predefined spaces on the wall. Supplies, guidance, supervision and equipment will be provided. They'll meet at Devine Paint Center, 971 Lincoln Ave., Napa.


Music in Napa Valley

Ace & Vine adding music and brunch

Ace & Vine is the latest restaurant in the valley to schedule music regularly. It features a band for new Saturday and Sunday brunches from noon to 3 p.m. The card club action is separate from the restaurant and deck, where you can eat and enjoy the music.

Ace & Vine, 505 Lincoln Ave., Napa, aceandvine.com

Musicians appearing this week in Napa Valley (See details)

Justin Diaz

Farm at Carneros Sunday, July 18, 6 to 9 p.m.

Justin Diaz is a Napa native who spent many years abroad and now is back in the valley playing classic tunes from multiple decades and genres at local venues. He has extensive experience providing high quality atmosphere for events, performing the music of Sinatra, John Mayer, Sade, James Taylor, Al Green and many more.
Carlos Herrera

Farm at Carneros Tuesday, July 13, 6 to 9 p.m.

Carlos Herrera plays Latin music encompassing diverse styles from colonial roots to popular influences, with emphasis on music from Latin America. He plays rumba, bossa, boleros, salsa, merengue and a blend of Cuban rhythms.

Herrera is noted for his guitar music and vocals as well as his improvisations and ability to extemporize.

He hails from Costa Rica where he began his music career at an early age. After many years performing around Latin America with his band, he moved to the U.S., and now lives in Sonoma Valley. He plays solo and with his band at wineries, weddings and private functions.

Rose Winters

Andaz Wednesday, July 14, 5 to 9 p.m.

Songwriter, singer and keyboardist Rose Winters has embraced her adopted hometown of Napa. She performs growling, sassy blues, heartfelt R&B, current hits and classic rock with energy and fun (and a repertoire of a thousand songs.) She also plays jazz, world and alternative music.

She has performed at five-star hotels in California and on stages around the world. She also appears at weddings, reunions, corporate events and wineries, performing both solo and with a full band.

Classes and education

July food enthusiast classes at Upper Valley Campus of Napa Valley College

Classes for food fans continue in person at the Upper Valley Campus of Napa Valley College:

- Saturday, July 24, 10 a.m. to noon: Bubbles & Brunch Vegetarian Style by sommelier Traci Dutton and chef instructor Elena Sirignano. Join in on the fun as you learn while watching them prep, cook and serve a delicious, eye opening vegetarian meal without having to get up at the crack of dawn. Pre-registration is required. $250 per 2-person pod.

- Saturday, July 31, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.: Knife Skills: Making the Cut, taught by chef Savanna Petri. Great cooking is more than great recipes — it’s about techniques. In this essentials class, you will learn several basic knife skills and fundamental cuts that will boost your kitchen confidence. You will make salsa to enjoy with fresh tortilla chips, and at the end of class, you’ll take home unused cuts. $160 per 2-person pod.

Belle Rhodes Teaching Kitchen, Napa Valley College, Upper Valley Campus, 1088 College Ave., St. Helena, 707-302-2452, UVC_StHelena@napavalley.edu,
www.napavalley.edu
New director at the SBDC
Cathy Balach (shown) has been appointed director of the Napa-Sonoma Small Business Development Center Mary Cervantes, who served as director since 2014, retired in June, leaving a legacy of accomplishments at the center, which provides low and no-cost services for the business community.
Cathy Balach MBA, MIM, has more than 10 years of experience consulting and mentoring small businesses for the SBDC. She is an expert in online marketing and has worked with hundreds of start-ups and growing businesses for the SBDC in industries including retail, food businesses and nonprofits.
Prior to her work for the SBDC, she launched and managed three businesses in the San Francisco Bay Area. With this new position, she is stepping down as president of Vinjoy Marketing Consulting, which will continue to offer website and online marketing to the North Bay.
Napa-Sonoma SBDC services include one-to-one expert business advising on nearly all aspects of business — marketing, operations, human resources, accounting, and financial management.
The Napa-Sonoma SBDC also offers educational workshops for small business startup and growth. Added last year to provide up-to-date pandemic, loan and grant information is the ongoing SBDC Facebook Live show, which includes interviews with successful business owners and tips from SBDC advisors. This show is offered every other Tuesday in English at 10 a.m. and in Spanish at 11 a.m. at Facebook.
Learn more about the Napa-Sonoma SBDC at www.napasonomasbdc.org.

French conversation classes via Zoom
L'Alliance Française de Napa Valley offers French conversation classes via Zoom with an engaging and experienced teacher. Learn French conversation in themed subjects with small classes and a fun atmosphere.
For more information, call Malek le prof at 707-363-4313 or visit www.afnapa.com

This week in Napa Valley
Dinner and Moonshine Movie Theater in Calistoga
Every Friday, Saturday and Sunday night is Dinner & Movie Night at Mount View Hotel & Spa’s Moonshine Theater. Dine first at the outdoor Palm Tree patio, then enjoy a mystery or romantic movie as you relax in the paired antique movie chairs, all distanced for comfort and safety.
Here are the films this week:

- Friday, July 16: Letters to Juliet
- Saturday, July 17: 13 Going on 30
- Sunday, July 18: Thelma & Louise

See the schedule at mountviewhotel.com.
Mount View Hotel and Spa, 1457 Lincoln Ave., Calistoga, 707-942-6877
Cameo Cinema

Here are this week’s movies at Cameo Cinema in St. Helena:

Monday: closed
Tuesday, July 13:  
*Summer of Soul*, 5 and 7:45 p.m.
Wednesday, July 14:  
*Summer of Soul*, 5 p.m.
Benefit: *Los Hermanos/The Brothers*, 7 p.m.
Thursday, July 15:  
*Summer of Soul*, 5 and 7:45 p.m.
Friday, July 16:  
*Black Widow*, 2, 5 and 7:45 p.m.
Saturday, July 17:  
*Black Widow*, 2, 5 and 7:45 p.m.
Sunday, July 18:  
*Black Widow*, 2, 5 and 7:45 p.m.

There won’t be a drive-in movie this week at Charles Krug Winery, which hosts Festival Napa Valley, but there will be a special benefit showing of *Los Hermanos* at the Cameo.

All movies and showtimes can change. See [www.cameocinema.com](http://www.cameocinema.com) for information.

Cameo Cinema, 1340 Main St, St. Helena

Suppertime meals this week

Here is Suppertime’s menu this week. If you sign up for multiple meals, they deliver free. They will deliver individual meals to your Napa home for $5, $8 in Yountville:

This week’s soup is creamy tomato, and the big salad is Chinese chicken.

- Monday, July 12: Chicken-fried steak with mashed potatoes and cut corn, $28, or grilled chicken with rice and veggies, $18
- Tuesday, July 13: Tomato basil chicken on noodles with veggies, $18, or meatloaf meal, $18
- Wednesday, July 14: Pork sliders with coleslaw and macaroni salad, $24, or tri-tip sandwich or meal, $18
- Thursday, July 15: Chicken fajitas with fruit salad, $22, or turkey and works $20
- Friday, July 17: Shrimp stir fry on rice with asparagus and tomatoes, $24, or fish & chips with coleslaw, $18
- Saturday, July 18: Corned beef and cabbage with carrots and potatoes, $24, hamburger and fries, $18

Suppertime, 101 S. Coombs St., Napa, [www.suppertimeinnapa.com](http://www.suppertimeinnapa.com), maursav@aol.com

Live Music at JaM Cellars this week

The music at JaM Cellars now requires reservations and costs $10. It’s 8 to 10 p.m.

- Thursday, July 15: Jared Harper
- Friday, July 16: Full Chizel
- Saturday, July 17: Black Cat Bone

JaM Cellars, 1460 First St., Napa, 707-265-7577, [www.jamcellars.com/Events](http://www.jamcellars.com/Events)
What’s happening at Feast It Forward?
Thursday is Vinyl night at Feast it Forward in Napa from 4 to 7 p.m. Buy food from Oxbow District restaurants or the food truck on site and take 10% off bottles from Feast It Forward’s wineries
Friday and Saturday, meet winemakers for free tastes from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Buy bottles and glasses of wine plus wood-fired pizzas from 4:30 to 7 p.m.
Sunday is Open Mic from 2 to 5 p.m. A guest hosts and plays a few numbers.
The Yard by Feast it Forward, 728 First St., Napa, www.feastitforward.com

Mike Greensill’s afternoon concerts
Local favorite Mike Greensill usually hosts an online concert of his piano jazz on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 3 p.m.
“Like” his Facebook posts to get details about when he’s playing. Tune him in on www.facebook.com.
You can tip him via PayPal to mike@mikegreensill.com.

Monday, July 12
Read For Racial Justice: The Undocumented Americans
Napa Bookmine has partnered with Jenna Sanders, co-creator of the Feminist Book Club, and Gabriela Fernandez of the People’s Collective for Change for a new workshop opportunity in 2021: Read for Racial Justice. It starts at 6:30 p.m. today, July 12.
Inspired by the growing social justice movements seen across the country, and in an effort to become better community members, Read for Racial Justice was designed to be a consciousness-raising community workshop for people of all ages. Get details on getting involved at www.napabookmine.com

Tuesday, July 13
Tree walks at Fuller Park
UC Master Gardeners of Napa County offers free guided tree walks at Fuller Park in Napa from 10 a.m. to noon on the second Tuesday of each month until Oct. 12. That includes this week.
You must pre-register at ucanr.edu, and space is limited to seven people per walk.
The book, Trees to Know in Napa Valley, will be for sale for $15 cash or check only.

Poetry Book Club: How to Dress a Fish - Abigail Chabitnoy
Bookmine’s July Poetry Book Club pick is How to Dress a Fish by Abigail Chabitnoy on July 13 at 7 p.m.
This is a virtual event. You must fill out this form to participate.
This is a free event. No purchase is necessary to attend, but you can buy the book ahead of time at napabookmine.com.
Copperfield’s Napa book club: *Hamnet* by Maggie O'Farrell
Join Copperfield’s Napa store manager Mikayla Norwich on the second Tuesday of every month (Tuesday, July 13) at 6 p.m. for an online book club hosted by the Napa store. The subject of the discussion will be *Hamnet* by Maggie O'Farrell.
Register through Eventbrite or contact Norwich at mnorwick@copperbook.com or 707-252-8002. Get 15% off this month’s book when you use code HAMNET15 during online checkout.
See [www.copperfieldsbooks.com](http://www.copperfieldsbooks.com) to order the book.

Painting cats: watercolor classes with Diane Pope
Diane Pope teaches a class in painting cats in watercolor from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on the rooftop at Jessel Gallery under tents for shade on Tuesday, July 13.
She will bring reference photos, help you with the design and guide you through the process of painting.
The class is limited to 10. The cost is $50 per class or $160 for a four-class punch card. RSVP to Diane Pope at spinpope@sbcglobal.net or 707-483-4926.
Jessel Gallery, 1019 Atlas Peak Road, Napa

**Wednesday, July 14 – Bastille Day**

![Bastille flag](image)

**Bastille Day at Auberge du Soleil**
Auberge du Soleil will celebrate the French Revolution with a number of offerings throughout the day. *Joyeux quatorze juillet!*
Linger over apéritifs such as a French 75 in the Bistro and Bar, or indulge in executive chef Robert Curry’s multi-course prix fixe Bastille Day menu in The Restaurant. Each course is paired with French wines selected by wine director Kris Margerum. The price is $185 with wine pairing $82.
[aubergedusoleil.aubergeresorts.com](http://aubergedusoleil.aubergeresorts.com), Auberge du Soleil, 180 Rutherford Hill Road, Rutherford

**Bastille Day in Yountville**

Bouchon Bakery and Bouchon Bistro will offer specials for Bastille Day:
Bouchon Bistro will be open as usual for Wednesday, noon to 9 p.m. They will serve Bastille Day-inspired specials such as whole roasted pig, salmon en croute, tomato tarts and grilled merguez in festive décor. Enjoy live accordion music from noon to 2 p.m. for lunch and 6 to 8 p.m. for dinner. They'll also offer face painting from 12:30 to 4:30 p.m.
Bouchon, 6534 Washington St., Yountville, 944-8037, [www.thomaskeller.com/bouchonyountville](http://www.thomaskeller.com/bouchonyountville)
Bouchon Bakery will offer red, white and blue macarons in red raspberry, white vanilla bean and blueberry cheesecake, all with cream cheese filling.
Bouchon Bakery, 6528 Washington St., Yountville, 944-2253, [www.thomaskeller.com/bouchonbakeryyountville](http://www.thomaskeller.com/bouchonbakeryyountville)
Dropout + Wade at Cadet
Vintners from Dropout and Wade wines will be at Cadet Wine and Beer Bar on Wednesday, July 14, starting at 5 p.m. Jon Keyes is the winemaker of both wines. Dropout features Albariño and Mourvèdre.
Former basketball player Dwyane Wade has always been a wine lover. When he decided to start a winery, he looked to Keyes to make rosé, Chenin Blanc and Cabernet.
Cadet Wine + Beer Bar, 930 Franklin St., Napa

Pint Night with Almanac Beer Co.
Tra Vigne Pizzeria and Restaurant presents Pint Night with Almanac Beer Co. on Wednesday, June 14, from 5 to 7 p.m.
Only andoor seating is available for this party, as they have a private event on the patio. Come down early to make sure you get a seat and your glass.
1016 Main St., St. Helena, 707-967-9999, www.pizzeriatravigne.com

Get with It at Kennedy Park
Live music is returning to The Taproom at Kennedy Park each Wednesday night this summer with Get with It featured on July 14. All shows start at 6 p.m. Enjoy dancing, cold drinks and a tasty menu.
The Taproom at Kennedy Park, 2295 Streblow Drive, Napa

Napa Valley Writers presents: How to Evoke Emotion in Every Scene
Napa Valley Writers will host author, manuscript editor and writing coach Jordan Rosenfeld on a Zoom meeting on Wednesday, July 14 from 7 to 9 p.m. She will present “How to Evoke Emotion in Every Scene.”
From fast-paced thrillers to literary novels, readers need to connect to characters. This session will help writers use sensory cues, powerful imagery, character demonstration and other tools to evoke the emotion that hooks readers and creates deep, compelling characters.
Register via www.napavalleywriters.net and view at zoom.us.
Hannah Wallenbrook is July’s member reader.
Napa Valley Writers, a branch of the California Writers Club, currently holds meetings via Zoom. The cost is $5; it’s free for students with ID. For more information, contact publicity_nvw@outlook.com or see www.napavalleywriters.net.
**Los Hermanos/The Brothers at the Cameo Cinema**

A benefit screening of *Los Hermanos/The Brother* at the Cameo Cinema is on Wednesday, July 14. This screening is in conjunction with Aldo López-Gavilán’s performance at Festival Napa Valley, which is sold out. If you didn’t get tickets for the concert, here is your opportunity to meet this artist and support a group that gives so much back to their community. Following the movie, Rick Swig will moderate a Q&A with Aldo López-Gavilán and the producers of the film, Marcia Jarmel and Ken Schneider.

All ticket proceeds will benefit Our Town St. Helena. They work to make small-town living accessible to everyone.

Buy tickets at cameo cinema.com. 1340 Main St., St. Helena.

**Thursday, July 15**

**Listen to NapaLife on KVON**

On Thursday mornings, I join Barry Martin’s Wine Country Today program on KVON to discuss the latest in food, wine, entertainment and more. We highlight the biggest news of the week and update NapaLife’s coverage for the weekend. Sometimes we talk about upcoming events, too.

Catch the program at 1440 kHz AM or www.kvon.com between 7:30 and 8 a.m.

**Yountville Locals Day**

Enjoy special Yountville Locals Day offers every Thursday. Anyone in Yountville that day is a local.

See the deals at yountville.com/localsday.

**B12 Love Napa to celebrate grand opening**

B12 Love Bay Area Vitamin Injection and IV Infusion Lounge will celebrate its grand opening from 5 to 9 p.m. on Thursday, July 15, with discounted services from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., a ribbon-cutting ceremony by the Napa Chamber of Commerce at 5:30 p.m. and an evening of food, drinks, music and giveaways.

B12 Love, 1428 Second St., Napa

Email emily@b12love.com for more information.

**Sharing Your Family History**

Napa Valley Genealogical Society presents “Sharing Your Family History: Ideas from the Experts” online on Thursday, July 15, at 1:30 p.m.

Learn about different ways of sharing your family history findings with your family through this recorded virtual presentation.

Publishing expert Penny Stratton provides tips for organizing your materials for a variety of formats.

Register through Napa Valley Genealogical Society at napagensoc.org. There’s no charge.
Shakespeare Napa Valley and di Rosa present Shakespeare Summer Stroll
Shakespeare Napa Valley will conduct a walking tour through the world of Shakespeare during a short hike at di Rosa Center for Contemporary Art on July 15 to 17.
Jennifer King, artistic director of Shakespeare Napa Valley and chair of arts and humanities at Napa Valley College, said the event is “likely the first live theatrical performance the Napa Valley has seen since the start of the pandemic.”
The presentation will include moments from The Tempest, Romeo and Juliet, Much Ado About Nothing, Hamlet, Macbeth and A Midsummer Night’s Dream.
The opening on Thursday will feature wine and food pairings and a reception for those making a $65-plus donation.
The performances on Friday and Saturday from 6 to 8:30 p.m. will require a minimum $5 donation. Those who donate $30 will receive a glass of wine and light snacks.
All donations will be distributed to Shakespeare Napa Valley and di Rosa.
The final show on Sunday will be a matinee from 2 to 3:30 p.m. for free for those with paid admission to di Rosa, di Rosa members and Napa Valley College students with ID. Sunday’s afternoon show will not include food or wine pairings.
di Rosa Center for Contemporary Art, 5200 Sonoma Highway, Napa, 226-5991, www.dirosaart.org

Bookmine book Club: The Story of Silence
Bookmine Book Club’s pick for July is The Story of Silence by Alex Myers, which it will discuss on July 15 at 6:30 p.m.
It’s a knightly fairy tale of royalty and dragons, of midwives with secrets and dashing strangers in dark inns. Taking the original French legend as a starting point, The Story of Silence is a rich, multilayered new story for today's world, sure to delight fans of Uprooted and The Bear and the Nightingale.
No purchase is necessary to attend, but if you're interested you can buy the book at www.napabookmine.com.
This is a virtual event. You must fill out this form to attend.

Accessory dwelling unit webinar
The nonprofit Napa Sonoma ADU Center presents a free webinar on accessory dwelling unit building with local experts on Thursday, July 15, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. via Zoom.
The Napa Sonoma ADU Center is focused on helping local homeowners catalyze their accessory dwelling unit projects.
St. Helena Summer Concert Series with Planet Groove
St. Helena’s summer concert series returns to Lyman Park on the last four Thursdays in July from 6 to 8 p.m.
Planet Groove performs on Thursday, July 15.
Lang & Reed Winery will pour wines by glass. There will be no food trucks on site this year.
See www.sthelena.com.
Lyman Park, 1498 Main St., St Helena

Friday, July 16
Downtown Napa Walking Tour
Napa County Historical Society presents a walking tour of downtown Napa on Friday, July 16 from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Covering more than a dozen landmarks across eight blocks of downtown, the tour guides will tell the stories of the people who designed and worked in these buildings. Tickets are $35 for members and $45 for non-members at napahistory.com. Meet at Goodman Library, 1219 First St., Napa
They are offering an add-on experience of a $30 wine tasting at the new Mia Carta Napa Valley tasting room next to the Goodman Library.

St. Helena Farmers’ Market
The St. Helena Farmers’ Market is held in Crane Park every Friday from 7:30 a.m. to noon, rain or shine, through Oct. 29.
The wearing of masks is now optional. Market shoppers who have not been vaccinated are encouraged to wear a mask while at the Farmers’ Market.
St. Helena Farmers’ Market board members will offer samples of stone fruit from market growers from 9:30 to 11 a.m.
Napa County Supervisor Diane Dillon will host an emergency preparedness information table from 7:30 a.m. to noon.
Bring the kids to the kids’ story time by market educator Amanda Tuttle at 9:30 a.m.
David Moreland from A&Bee Provisions will talk at 10:30 a.m. on “The Beehive” describing what goes on in the hive throughout the year.
Artisan vendors this week include Brav, Golden Sunset Candles, Hiroko Ishida Ceramics, Napa Dog, Napa Valley Leathercraft, Sherri Gallagher Designs and Soltherepe Beauty.
Bring knives and garden tools for sharpening by The Perfect Edge. Pick up a coffee and pastry at Naysayers Coffee Roasters next to the market under the redwood trees.
Except for bona fide service animals, dogs are prohibited at the market.
For the latest about St. Helena Farmers’ Market, visit www.sthelenafarmersmkt.org, or check its pages on Facebook, NextDoor and Instagram or via its newsletter.
Napa City Nights
Napa City Nights returns to Veterans Memorial Park with The Pat Jordan Band, The Highway Poets and Michelle Lambert (left to right) on Friday, July 16, from 6 to 10 p.m.
The amphitheater is along the Napa Riverwalk Promenade, an easy walking from restaurants and shops. Nearby public parking is available. Bring a blanket and a picnic basket and enjoy free entertainment for the whole family.
www.napacitynights.com, Veterans Memorial Park Amphitheater, corner of Third and Main streets, Downtown Napa

Park & Play in American Canyon
Park & Play is back in American Canyon with an in-person event on every other Friday from 5 to 7 p.m. They will be rolling into five neighborhood parks with live music from Clarence Mamaril, new play activities and visits from local food trucks, including Heritage Eats and Kona Ice. Mark your calendars and plan a fun family picnic night at Main Street Park on Friday, July 16.
Main Street Park, 6040 Eucalyptus Drive, American Canyon, www.acparks.org

Music on the terrace at Merryvale Vineyards
Brian Coutch performs on the tasting terrace at Merryvale Vineyards in St. Helena on Friday, July 16, from 5 to 7 p.m. There’s no admission charge.
Sticky Business BBQ will sell food, and Merryvale wines will be available by the bottle.
Merryvale Vineyards, 1000 Main St., St. Helena, 707-963-7777, www.merryvale.com

Saturday, July 17
Calistoga Farmers Market
Calistoga Farmers Market is 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturdays at the Sharpsteen Museum Plaza and Community Center at 1311 Washington St.
The Calistoga Market operates year-round. It offers vegetables and fruits, free-range eggs, honey, dried fruit and nuts, herbs, olive oil and cut flowers, as well as fresh seafood, meat, smoked salmon, crepes, quiches and fruit pies. www.calistogafarmersmarket.org
Napa Farmers Market
The Napa Farmers Market takes place Tuesday and Saturday mornings at 1100 West Street (at Pearl).
The Friends of the Market fundraising drive is closing in on its final weeks. This initiative aims to build a diverse community of donors to help support the ongoing food assistance and community educational programs. Donations of any size are welcome, but friends who give $100 or more before July 31 will receive a Friend of the Market canvas shopping bag. To become a Friend of the Market, access vendor details and maps, or sign up for the newsletter, visit www.napafarmersmarket.org.
The main market entrance is at the southwest corner of Pearl and Yajome, but you can also now enter the market from West Street.
Hours are 8 a.m. to noon. While still strongly encouraged for unvaccinated folks, masks are now optional and shoppers can eat and drink.
Except for bona fide service animals, dogs are prohibited at the market.
The Market’s CalFresh match and collection of donations for the local food bank continue, but live music remains suspended.
For details, maps and to sign up for the newsletter, visit www.napafarmersmarket.org.

Tour de Yountville with Guy Buffet
Walk, drive or ride your bike to Gallery at the Yountville Community Center on Saturday, July 17, from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. to meet French-American artist Guy Buffet and see his collection of whimsical paintings.
Enjoy the show and be the first to buy his new print release titled Tour de Yountville. Dates for this special collection are July 17 through Aug. 13.
The gallery is open Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. as well as select evenings and weekends.
Email inquire@guybuffet.com or visit www.yountvillearts.com for specific dates, times and to make an appointment.
Yountville Community Center, 6550 Yount St., Yountville

Best of the Valley wine tastings
Taste the best of Napa Valley wine on The Mansion Terrace at Silverado Resort and Spa from noon to 2:30 p.m. every Saturday until July 31.
Taste wines from local wineries paired with bites prepared by Chef Rodrigo. Wines poured are from St. Supéry, Patz & Hall, Hartford Russian River, Neyers and Caymus.
The cost is $79 plus tax per person at www.eventbrite.com.
Silverado Resort and Spa, 1600 Atlas Peak Road, Napa
The Art of Raising Succulents
The UC Master Gardeners of Napa County host a Zoom workshop titled “The Art of Raising Succulents” on Saturday, July 17, at 9:30 a.m.
Learn how to make a healthy home for succulent plants in your garden, on your patio or in your home.
Get suggestions for designing with succulents in your landscape and in containers.
Learn how to propagate succulents for gifts or for more glory in your garden. Sign up at ucanr.edu
For more information go to napamg.ucanr.edu or find them on Facebook or Instagram as UC Master Gardeners of Napa County.

Makers Market open air artisan faire
Makers Market open air markets are held in First Street Napa on the third Saturday of each month, including July 17, Aug. 21, Sept. 18, Oct. 16, Nov. 20, and Dec. 18.
The artisan faire features sustainably crafted jewelry, home décor, apothecary goods, CBD products, plants, glass, artwork, stationary, candles, leather goods and more, sold by the artists.
Adjacent to the open-air artisan faire is the Makers Market store showcasing creations from more than 100 local artists plus music.
Makers Market, 1300 First St., Napa, 707-637-4637, makersmarket.us

Larry Vuckovich online
Internationally famed jazz pianist (and Calistoga resident) Larry Vuckovich usually live streams music on Saturday, but confirm at his Facebook page as he sometimes plays on Sunday.
Subscribe at youtube.com.
You can tip him through PayPal at www.paypal.me.

Cakebread Cellars celebrates inaugural Chardonnay Day
Cakebread Cellars has come a long way since its first vintage of Napa Valley Chardonnay in 1973, and the entire Cakebread Cellars team will celebrate their first Chardonnay Day from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, July 17.
Reserve a 90-minute spot to enjoy wine and food pairings (red wine, too) from the resident chefs.
They’ll also have live music and special appearances at the home ranch in Rutherford.
The price is $175 at www.Cakebread.com.
Cakebread Cellars, 8300 St. Helena Highway, Rutherford, 963-5222
Jarvis Conservatory reopens
Jarvis Conservatory reopens Saturday, July 17 with See You Up There (Au revoir là-haut) at 3 and 7 p.m.
Albert Duponet wrote, directed and stars in the French drama film, adapted from the 2013 novel, The Great Swindle by Pierre Lemaitre.
It’s part of the Leticia Jarvis Art Films Series of international and documentary films
Jarvis Conservatory, 1711 Main St., Napa, 707-255-5445
www.jarvisconservatory.com

Cadet annual summer bash glows
Cadet Wine + Beer Bar holds its annual summer bash on Saturday, July 17, beginning at 6 p.m.
They are talking everything that glows; neon and light-up everything. They are ready to shake off 2020 and party.
They’ll charge $20 at the door. Venmo will be accepted.
Slap some glitter on your face, light-up shoes on your feet and come hit the dance floor.
Cadet Wine + Beer Bar, 930 Franklin St., Napa

Sunday, July 18

Artisan market at Vista Collina
Vista Collina hosts an artisan market on Sunday, July 18. It’s their version of a farmer’s market, with wine and live music to follow.
The market focuses on Napa Valley artisans and purveyors of culinary essentials.
Shop from noon to 3 p.m., then enjoy live music from local artist Michelle Lambert, food from food trucks, and wine tasting at the nine sites.

Local band Mama Said plays at Charles Krug
Most of the bands featured in the Blue Note Road Trip concerts at Charles Krug Winery are national, but Northern California-based, female-fronted Mama Said plays at 7 p.m. on Sunday, July 18.
Mama Said has a retro sound inspired by classic rock of the late ‘70s and early ‘80s and the classic rock revival of the early ‘90s: hard rocking drums, bass, power chords and high-flying solos Derek Bromley, Jen Knight, Latifa Reeves and Jim Anderson, join Joe Shotwell and Alan Parks to form Mama Said.
Upcoming events

Bottlekock presents benefit concert for Alaina's Voice Foundation
BottleRock Presents, Blue Note Entertainment and Another Planet Entertainment present a benefit concert by Matt Nathanson for Alaina's Voice Foundation and local mental health support services in Napa Valley.
The "One Valley, One Heart" concert is on Sunday, Aug. 15 on the Oxbow River Stage in Napa at 6 p.m.
Alaina Housley was a victim in the mass shooting on Nov. 7, 2018 at Borderline Bar in Thousand Oaks, California. She lived a full but short life in Napa before heading to Pepperdine University.
Tickets are $25 per person. Tickets go on sale at 10 a.m. tomorrow at www.alainasvoice.org, where you can also get more information on Alaina 's Voice.

ZD Summer Wine Celebration
The deLeuze family and ZD Wines hosts their ninth annual charity event, the Summer Wine Celebration, on Saturday, July 24. It benefits the Teen Center at Boys & Girls Clubs of Napa Valley.
The Summer Wine Celebration will include ZD wines and food from Di Filippo’s Wood-Fired Pizza and Taco Addiction food trucks. Kona Ice will serve ice cream. And no party would be complete without live music.
They offer two times to choose from, 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. or 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.
Tickets are $100 each at www.eventbrite.com. Tickets are expected to sell out quickly.
ZD Wines, 8383 Silverado Trail, Rutherford

Napa Valley Guitar Festival
Napa Valley' Music Associates presents the inaugural Napa Valley Guitar Festival of music from around the world featuring six master guitarists in a benefit concert for Napa Valley Music Associates Scholarship Fund
It will be held at First Presbyterian Church in Napa on Sunday, July 25 at 4 p.m.
The artists are Eric Symons, Pat Imbimbo, MarcTeicholz, Matthew Grasso, George Benton England and Florante Aguilar.
Light refreshments will be available during intermission while meeting the artists.
CDs will be for sale following the concert.
Tickets are $15 for adults, $10 for seniors and students.
Tickets are available at www.napavalleymusicassociates.org, 707-322-8402 or at the

Whetstone Wine Cellars harvest party
Whetstone Wine Cellars will hold its annual harvest party on Sunday, Sept. 19, from 4 to 8 p.m. with live music by Maggie Rose on the lawn and a southern supper from Southside.
Your first glass of Whetstone wine is included.
Tickets are $75 at www.whetstonewinecellars.com, 707-254-0600
Whetstone Wine Cellars, 1075 Atlas Peak Road, Napa
# NapaLife’s live music this week in Napa Valley

This is a listing of music offered at venues in Napa Valley. Most are free. Royln Hiatt’s Napa Muse page on Facebook is a good source for last-minute listings.

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**NapaLife’s calendar of future events**

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