

FREIGHT & SALVAGE

2024 SEPTEMBER & OCTOBER

FRIDAY-SATURDAY,
OCTOBER 18-19, 2024

WOVEN VERSES

Poetic
Resistance
& Resilience



thefreight.org



LEARN TO PLAY AT THE FREIGHT

FALL | CLASSES: SEP 8 - OCT 18

ALL classes are \$175 for a 6-week series of hour and fifteen minute classes.
Masks may be required for some in-person education events.

ONLINE

ZOOM LINKS for online classes are sent to registrants after payment.

MONDAYS STARTING SEPTEMBER 9

7:30PM **How to Make a Great Arrangement**
8:00PM **Fiddle Repertoire**

TUESDAYS STARTING SEPTEMBER 10

5:30PM **Rank Beginner Clawhammer Banjo**
6:00PM **Intro to Indian Vocal Percussion**
6:30PM **French Café Songs**
7:00PM **Clawhammer Banjo Repertoire & Technique**
7:00PM **Great Songs for Jamming**

WEDNESDAYS STARTING SEPTEMBER 11

7:00PM **Intermediate Ukulele**

THURSDAYS STARTING SEPTEMBER 12

5:30PM **Intro to Mountain Dulcimer**
5:30PM **Advanced Ukelele**
6:30PM **Songwriting Masterclass**
7:00PM **Beginning Ukulele**

WORKSHOPS

Africanisms in American Country Music w/Joe Zavaan Johnson
September 7 | 11AM | FREE

Hip-Hop is Folk Music w/ Najee Amaranth and Amani Jade
October 11 | 11AM | FREE

IN-PERSON

WEDNESDAYS STARTING SEPTEMBER 11

5:30PM **The Joy of Singing**
5:30PM **The Beatles Guitar**
7:00PM **Expanding Folk Repertoire**
7:00PM **Strum & Sing**
8:30PM **Swing Guitar**

THURSDAYS STARTING MAY 9

5:30PM **Beginning Guitar**
7:00PM **Guitar for Advanced Beginners**
7:00PM **Rhythm Guitar Skill Building**
8:30PM **Jams Well With Others**

FRIDAYS STARTING MAY 9

1:30PM **Singing with Zoe Ellis**
5:30PM **Joy of Singing**

JAMS

SUNDAYS | 3PM-5PM | \$10

9/1 **Swing Jam**
9/8 **Old Time Jam**
9/15 **Hip-Hop Cypher \$5+**
9/29 **Community Drumming \$5+**
9/29 **Country/Bluegrass Jam**
10/6 **Swing Jam**
10/13 **Old Time Jam**
10/27 **Country/Bluegrass Jam**



This new program enhances and enriches the study of California history via live performances of the state's diverse musical traditions in school classrooms and auditoriums.

Through dynamic presentations consisting of musical repertoire and historical information, Freight & Salvage teaching artists help students viscerally connect with their Social Studies lessons in a new and multidimensional way.
goldenstateofsong.com

THE FREIGHT BOX OFFICE IS OPEN FRIDAY AND SATURDAY FROM 4PM-9PM, 2 HOURS BEFORE SHOWS, AND 1 HOUR BEFORE BOBBY McFERRIN & MOTION: CIRCLESONGS

Tickets are available for purchase in person at our box office, via the phone, online, and by mail order. For complete ticket information visit: thefreight.org

ACCESSIBILITY

The Freight is an accessible venue. For info about accommodations, talk to our box office staff or visit thefreight.org/access

GETTING HERE

The Freight is bartable

We recommend taking BART to the Downtown Berkeley station. For other public transit, bicycle parking, driving directions and parking, go to thefreight.org/visit

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The sound system in the lobby and the Littlefield Listening Room is composed of speakers and amplifiers exclusively designed and installed by Meyer Sound Labs of Berkeley. The projector and screen are gifts from Celia Ramsay. Digital mixer is a gift from Bob Whitfield. Additional equipment gifted by Bob Nelson.



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SEPTEMBER

Linda Tillery and the East Bay Allstars:
Celebrating her 76th Birthday
SUN SEP 1 | 7PM



Sam Reid and the Human Hands

THU SEP 5 | 8PM
Led by accordionist, pianist, and composer Sam Reid, the Human Hands is an innovative collective of acoustic musicians exploring the crossroads of folk, jazz, and classical music

T Bone Burnett
FRI SEP 6 | 8PM
SAT SEP 7 | 8PM | SOLD OUT
Legendary Oscar - and Grammy-winning composer-producer-songwriter



EMEL

SUN SEP 8 | 7PM
Tunisian-American singer-songwriter, composer, performer and producer whose electronic music is loaded with North African references, complex rhythms, and light-dark atmospheric juxtaposition

Martin Taylor & Alison Burns

FRI SEP 13 | 8PM
Award-winning Jazz singer, Alison Burns, and Grammy-nominated Jazz guitarist, Martin Taylor, join for a concert inspired by the diversity of our planet's plant and animal life



Shelley Doty X-tet

SAT SEP 14 | 8PM
Not only does Shelley rule on both acoustic and electric guitar, she also sings with fluid grace and writes songs filled with swagger, tenderness, and joy


Feng E

WED SEP 18 | 8PM
A young ukulele sensation from Taiwan known for his intricate renditions of pop songs on YouTube, turning heads and stealing the hearts of some of the biggest stars in the world



Berkeley Old Time Music Convention
THU SEP 19 | 7PM **Cedric Watson, Bigfoot, & Clean Heat**
FRI SEP 20 | 7PM **Maria Muldaur & Her Old Timey Pals, The Onlies, Black Banjo & Fiddle Fellows**

Jenny and the Mexicats

SUN SEP 22 | 7PM 
Combining Jazz, Flamenco, Folk, and Rockabilly for a musical adventure which varies from dance songs to sensitive moments



Hot Tuna - Acoustic Duo

LIVESTREAM AVAILABLE
SEP 26 - 28 | 8PM
The musical partnership of Jorma Kaukonen and Jack Casady began during their time with Jefferson Airplane, and endures with well-honed and solid power

Masters of Hawaiian Music: George Kahumoku Jr., Led Kaapana, & Jeff Peterson
SUN SEP 29 | 7PM



Berkeley SYMPHONY
Classical at the Freight

Berkeley Symphony Chamber Music: Advocates & Influencers

MON SEP 30 | 8PM
Clara Schumann
Piano Trio in G minor, Op 17
Caroline Shaw
Concerto for piano and strings
Joaquin Turina
Piano quartet in A minor, Op 67

THEMES & VARIATIONS

AMERICANA & ROOTS

Sam Reid and the Human Hands Sep 5
T Bone Burnett Sep 6 & 7
Over the Rhine Oct 22

CELTIC

Dàimh Oct 10

CLASSICAL

Berkeley Symphony Chamber Music Sep 30

COUNTRY

Black Opry Revue Oct 4

DANCE

EMEL Sep 8

HAWAIIAN

Masters of Hawaiian Music Sep 29

JAZZ

Martin Taylor & Alison Burns Sep 13

Sean Mason Quartet Oct 13

UC Jazz Oct 21

Hot Club of San Francisco Oct 27

LATIN

Jenny and the Mexicats Sep 22

Las Guaracheras Oct 11

Cumbia de Los Muertos ft. Discos Resaca Oct 25

OLD TIME

Berkeley Old Time Music Convention Sep 19 & 20

POP

Feng E Sep 18

ROCK & ROLL

Shelley Doty X-tet Sep 14

Hot Tuna Acoustic Duo Sep 26 - 28

SPECIAL EVENT

Linda Tillery and the East Bay Allstars Sep 1

Woven Verses Oct 18 & 19

Lisa Vogel Book Release Celebration Oct 20

The Sampaguitas & Friends Oct 26

VOCAL

Choir! Choir! Choir! Oct 5 & 6

OCTOBER

Black Opry Revue

FRI OCT 4 | 8PM

Through support for Black artists in country music and adjacent genres, Black Opry strives to make safe and inclusive spaces for Black artists and fans.



HALLELUJAH

AN EPIC ANTHEMS SING-ALONG!



Choir! Choir! Choir!
Hallelujah: An EPIC
Anthems Sing-Along!

SAT OCT 5 | 8PM

SUN OCT 6 | 7PM

Dàimh

THU OCT 10 | 8PM

Dàimh, the Gaelic word for Connection, perfectly describes the musical interplay between the individual band members of this electrifying West Highland group



RAÍCES: A SERIES CURATED BY JOHN SANTOS

Las Guaracheras



FRI OCT 11 | 8PM

This all-women salsa sextet uplifts the female voice within Afro-Latin music with shows that irresistibly inspire dancing, singing, and cultural reflection



Sean Mason Quartet

SUN OCT 13 | 7PM

This celebrated pianist melds the intricacies of Jazz with diverse musical elements, showcasing a remarkable breadth of style



Woven Verses: Poetic Resistance Resilience

FRI OCT 18 & SAT OCT 19 | 8PM

A Freight & Salvage produced project featuring new compositions by Iranian singer Mahsa Vahdat and arranged by Atabak Elyasi, inspired by Mahsa's life in exile, her deep connection to Iran, and dedication to preserving Iranian music.

Lisa Vogel Book Release Celebration - Bay Area Mini Michigan Love Fest

LIVESTREAM AVAILABLE

SUN OCT 20 | 2PM



UC Jazz

MON OCT 21 | 8PM

Join us for an evening of first-rate Jazz with the three top ensembles from UC Jazz, featuring both originals and standards from the Jazz repertoire

Over the Rhine

TUE OCT 22 | 8PM

The songs of this supremely talented musical couple burst at the seams with loss, lament, and resilient hope



RAÍCES: A SERIES CURATED BY JOHN SANTOS

Cumbia de Los Muertos ft. Discos Resaca

Ritmos Tropicocosmos & DJ Sizzle Open

FRI OCT 25 | 8PM

Bay Area collective heating up dance floors with a unique blend that captures the essence of cumbia while infusing it with hip-hop and oldies

The Sampaguitas & Friends: Journeys of A Third Culture

with Vangie Buell, Theresa Calpotura, Melissa Cruz, Genesis Fermin, Kaisahan AfroCubalintang, and more

SAT OCT 26 | 7PM



Hot Club of San Francisco

SUN OCT 27 | 7:30PM

This ensemble celebrates the music of Django Reinhardt and Stephane Grappelli's pioneering Quintette du Hot Club de France while breathing new life into the music with innovative arrangements of classic tunes and original compositions

BREAK OUT
YOUR DANCING
SHOES!

SHOWS WITH
THIS ICON HAVE
AN OPEN DANCE
FLOOR!



BOBBY McFERRIN & MOTION: CIRCLESONGS



MONDAYS AT 12PM

SEPTEMBER: 9, 16, 23, 30



OPEN MIC

7:30PM | FREE

SEPTEMBER 9
OCTOBER 7



THE MOTH STORYSLAM

7PM

SEPTEMBER 4, OCTOBER 9

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