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UPCOMING EVENTS

April Second Sunday Sunday, April 5th at 3:00 p.m.



Catch up with friends at our monthly signature event: **MAX TGIF**.

Join us on Friday, April 5th, from 6:00 to 8:30 pm for our monthly signature event, TGIF at the **Hyatt Embarcadero Eclipse Bar** (Atrium Lobby Level). The Eclipse Bar is one of our favorite places to meet and celebrate the first Friday of the month.

This TGIF promises to be a great way to visit with old friends, make new friends, and unwind at the end of the week.

There is no admission fee and a no-host bar.

MAX TGIFs attract anywhere from 100 to 200 men. With attendees running the gamut in age and interests, it's definitely a diverse group. We always go out of our way to make everyone, especially newcomers, feel welcome, so if you've never joined us before, this is the perfect opportunity to be introduced to some new people.

RSVP on Meetup [here](#), or if you prefer, RSVP on the website [here](#).

April Second Sunday Sunday, April 14th at 3:00 p.m.



Join us at [Finn Town](#) for our April **Second Sunday**! Enjoy conversation, cocktails, and snacks thanks to the wonderful team at one of our favorite Castro hotspots. MAX Board member Jerry Tusan will be hosting this event and we'll have our own private space at the back of the restaurant.

RSVP on Meetup [here](#) for a fun Sunday afternoon! Or if you prefer, RSVP on the website [here](#). There is no cover charge.

You'll no doubt walk away with a new friend or two!

Smuin Ballet: The Best of Smuin and World Premiere by Amy Seiwert Saturday, April 22nd at 6:30 p.m.



Join MAX for an evening with the Smuin Ballet, San Francisco's premier contemporary ballet company.

On the bill for this evening's performance is Dance Series 02, Smuin's final program of its 25th anniversary season. This program features The Best of Smuin, including the return of timeless Michael Smuin favorites such as "Unforgettable," "Foolish Things," and the red-hot chair solo "Fever". This showcase of classics is packed with the ol' razzle-dazzle, visually stunning effects, and twists that are Smuin's trademarks.

Dance Series 02 also features a highly-anticipated world premiere from master dance maker Amy Seiwert. This smashing new work will feature Seiwert's signature choreography, described by the San Francisco Chronicle as "keeping founder Michael Smuin's legacy of unabashed showmanship alive." As a choreographer, Seiwert has pushed the boundaries of dance by collaborating with artists of other disciplines and experimenting with its various forms and expressions from a classical base. Now Artistic Director of Sacramento Ballet, Amy Seiwert returns to help Smuin celebrate its quarter-century anniversary celebration.

For more information on this program, Dance Series 02, click [here](#).

Join us for a Pre-Show VIP Reception for MAX SF (appetizers and hosted bar) in the Yerba Buena Center for the Arts Backstage Green Room beginning at 6:30pm. Admission limited to 30 and RSVP is required. Show starts at 7:30pm.

Smuin Ballet is offering 20% off tickets for the MAX community for this performance! When purchasing tickets, enter the discount code **MAXGROUP**.

The performance we've picked still has good seat availability, but **now** is the time to purchase your tickets!

To purchase your tickets,

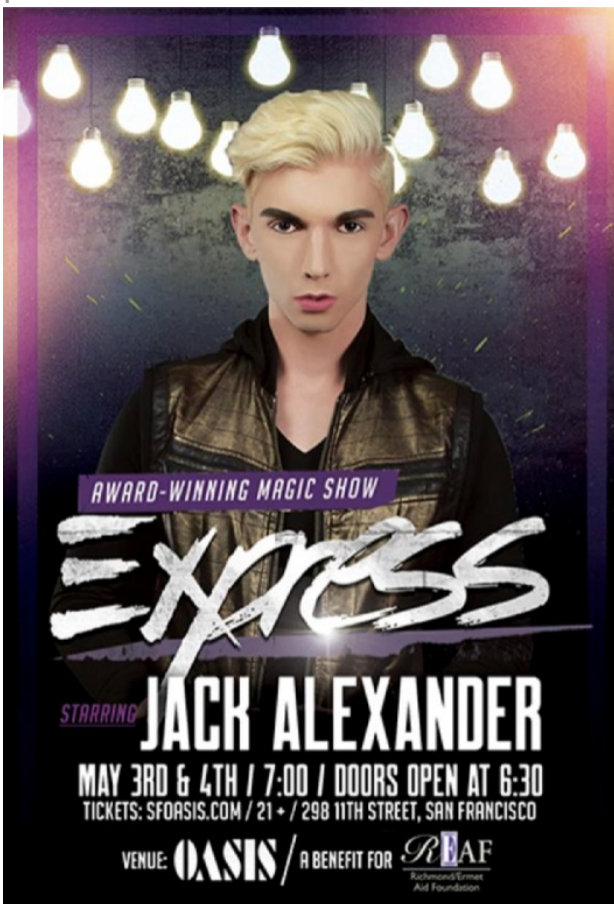
1. Click [here](#)
2. Enter the MAXGROUP code

3. Select the April 27th, 7:30 pm performance
4. Select the category of seats in the dropdown box under “Where would you like to sit?”
5. Select your seats and then click the “Buy Tickets Shown Above” button.
Note: This discounted price does not show up until you press this button.
6. Then click on the Checkout & Pay button.
7. Then, click [here](#) to register to attend the MAX SF pre-show VIP reception in the Backstage Green Room.

For any questions, please contact the event champion and MAX SF liaison to Smuin Ballet, MAX SF Board Member Nick Wade, at wade.nicky@yahoo.com.

Yerba Buena Center for the Arts
700 Howard St, San Francisco

Jack Alexander Magic Show *Express* Friday, May 3rd and Saturday, May 4th at 7:00 p.m.



Join MAX SF Community Partner Richmond/Ermet Aid Foundation (REAF) for a benefit show featuring award-winning and hottest upcoming magician, Jack Alexander. From the Las Vegas Strip and performances across the country, Jack Alexander is thrilled to be bringing his edgy brand of large-scale original illusions to the Bay Area.

Known for his charming personality and innovative shows, Jack brings humor and interaction with his audiences that make his performances entertaining and riveting from beginning to end.

With the large-scale original illusions, cast of four dancers, and Jack’s charming personality, *Express* is a

performance you will not want to miss!

Learn more about Jack Alexander and his show *Express* by clicking [here](#).

This show benefits REAF, a non-profit organization providing aid for HIV services, hunger programs, and support for homeless and disenfranchised youth.

General Admission: \$25; VIP Table Seating: \$45

To purchase tickets, please visit the OASIS May calendar by clicking [here](#).

Oasis
298 Eleventh St., San Francisco

SOLD OUT! Ashland Spring Getaway - Memorial Day Weekend Friday, May 24th - Monday, May 27th



UPDATE - This Trip is Now Sold-Out!

Coming Up: Ashland Labor Day Weekend Getway
See the next article for more information.

This Memorial Day Weekend, a group from MAX will journey on a four-day getaway to beautiful Ashland, Oregon, and the Oregon Shakespeare Festival. We will board our van on the morning of Friday, May 24th and begin a journey that includes theater, wineries, magnificent nature and small-town charm.

The all-inclusive package includes sampling Oregon wines while watching the sunset over the Rogue Valley, a historic trolley ride through nearby the gold rush town of Jacksonville, Oregon, and a half day trip to Deep Crater Lake National Park. We will return on Monday evening, with a lunch stop in the olive groves in Corning, CA.

We will attend three performances at the [Oregon Shakespeare Festival](#): the hilarious musical Hairspray, a new play based on Steinbeck's Grapes of Wrath, Mother Road, and one of Shakespeare's most beloved comedies, As You Like It. The package includes transportation, tickets, accommodations, and all local visits. Once again, we will have our own exclusive cottages at the Carlisle Garden Suites. You also have the option of seeing some of the other OSF productions and taking the backstage tour. Meals are not included, but very

affordable.

Space Available:

This trip was limited to 12 attendees and is now sold out!

For More Information:

Contact event host Lorenzo Taylor, Lorenzo_Max@aol.com.

PERFORMING ARTS TICKETS

SHN Discounted Theatre Tickets



SHN (Shorenstein Hays Nederlander) is the preeminent theatrical entertainment company in the Bay Area, bringing live entertainment experiences to San Francisco's premier venues, the Orpheum and Golden Gate Theatres.

As a special benefit for the MAX community, SHN has made the discount code "MAXSF SHN" available for 10% – 30% off many SHN performances. For Price Guides and Performance Calendars, call 1-888-746-1799, visit the SHN box office, or visit www.shnsf.com/online/article/corp-club.

Note: Discounts not available for all performances. Extent of discount depends upon day of the week and section within the theatre. Tickets subject to availability. Other restrictions may apply. No refunds, cancellations, or exchanges.

Please consider joining us for *Hamilton* on March 21st as described above in this newsletter. No discounts are offered for *Hamilton*.

For any questions, please contact the event champion and MAX SF liaison to SHN, MAX SF Board Member Nick Wade at wade.nicky@yahoo.com.

NCTC Discounted Theatre Tickets



The [New Conservatory Theatre Center](#) (NCTC) is the premier LGBTQ theatre center in San Francisco. The mission of New Conservatory Theatre Center is to champion innovative, high-quality productions for the queer and allied communities.

As a special benefit for the MAX community, NCTC has made the discount code “MAX” available for 20% off all NCTC theatre productions!

Click [here](#) for upcoming shows! Please consider joining us for *Steve* on Sunday, March 31st as described above in this newsletter.

If you are interested in championing a MAX event, please email me at paul.munro@maxsf.org.

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-- Paul Munro, Programs and Events Chair, MAX SF

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