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MAX Weekly Newsletter - April 9, 2020

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• Newly Added! MAX Does Easter: Don Your Easter Bonnet Online Party, Sunday, April 12th at 1:00 p.m.

Upcoming Events

- MAX Goes to the Opera Online: The Exterminating Angel Tuesday April 21st,
 7:00pm
- Newly Added! NEW! MAX Does Comfort Food Wednesday, April 22nd, 8:00–9:00 p.m.
- Newly Cancelled! Smuin Ballet Dance Series 02 Saturday April 25th, 7:30pm

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HAPPENING THIS WEEK

MAX Does Easter: Don Your Easter Bonnet Online Party Sunday April 12th at 1:00pm







Join MAX Palm Springs for an online party (via Zoom) for a fun afternoon to laugh and celebrate Easter, Passover, Springtime. Enjoy some mid-day fun activities (bonnet contest, movie trivia, music performance) with MAX members in SF and Palm Springs while drinking adult beverages. Mimosas, Bloody Marys, and other cocktails/mocktails will be expertly made by your favorite bartender – YOU! Be sure to tip generously! Then, put that cocktail (or a pitcher) in front of your desktop or laptop and settle in, wearing your most hilarious homemade hat or whatever you already have in your closet. We will vote for the most creative adornment. There will also be a "secret word" drinking game and a trivia quiz about the classic movie musical Easter Parade with Judy Garland and Fred Astaire. If you haven't seen it, watch it online (Google Play, Vudu, Amazon Prime) before the Zoom meeting, but we'll also see a few clips during the event. At the end of the party, a special musical guest will drop in to inspire us with live beautiful music. There is no charge for this event, but space is limited to 30 participants.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

All upcoming events can be viewed on the MAX SF website calendar.

Note: A Meetup account is *not required* to sign-up for any MAX SF event. **You always** have the choice to sign-up for any MAX SF event on our website <u>calendar</u>.

MAX Goes to the Opera Online: The Exterminating Angel Tuesday



MAX Goes to the the Opera Online: The Exterminating Angel, April 21st, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.

Join event co-champions Bruce Cecil and Michael Meehan online on Tuesday, April 21st at 7:00 p.m. to discuss the New York Metropolitan Opera's production of The Exterminating Angel.

The opera tells the story of a group of elegant socialites who gather for a lavish dinner party but find themselves unable to escape when it is time to leave. As the days pass, their behavior becomes increasingly erratic and savage. This critically acclaimed opera provides timely and fertile ground for conversation relating the experiences of the opera's characters to our own current lives, where we find ourselves trapped in our own physically isolated and restricted environments, day after day with no clear end in sight.

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NEW! MAX Does Comfort Food Wednesday, April 22nd, 8:00 – 9:00



In difficult times, we often turn to those go-to comfort foods to nourish our spirits and remind us of simpler times. Event Champions Lorenzo Taylor and Bruce Cecil will host this virtual meeting, where we will talk about our favorite mouthwatering "comfort foods" and perhaps a memory that eating this food brings back to us. We will also explore other foods that we turn to for healing, calming or aphrodisiacs. Hopefully, by the end of the meeting, each person will have an even longer list of comfort foods. There is no charge for this event, but space is limited to 30 participants.

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NEWLY CANCELLED! Smuin Ballet Dance Series 02 Saturday April 25th at 7:30pm

Smuin Ballet has now cancelled this performance due to the COVID-19 virus. If you already purchased tickets, Smuin Ballet should have sent you an email informing you of the cancellation and advising you of your options to either donate your ticket fee to the Smuin Ballet or receive a refund by check. You can also click <u>HERE</u>.

PERFORMING ARTS TICKETS

As a special benefit for MAX dues-paying members, several performing arts groups offer discounts for selected performances. If you are a MAX dues-paying member, read about these discount benefits here.

Note: You must be logged in to the MAX SF website as a dues-paying member to access the MAX Discount webpage (click the little person icon in the upper right corner of the MAX SF website to login.) If you forgot your password, click here. If you are a dues-paying member and have forgotten which email account you used for your membership, email concierge@maxsf.org.

Discounted tickets are currently available for:

- Smuin Ballet's April 25th 7:30pm performance of Dance Series 02
- All New Conservatory Theatre Center (NCTC) performances.
- Selected BroadwaySF performances (including discounted orchestra and

mezzanine level tickets through May 31st to Hamilton).

For any questions, please contact MAX SF Programs and Events Chair, Nick Wade at $\underline{\text{wade.nicky@yahoo.com}}$.

If you are interested in championing a MAX event, please email MAX SF's Programming Coordinator, Bruce Cecil, at $\frac{bkcstargazer@hotmail.com}{bkcstargazer@hotmail.com}$

- Nick Wade, Programs and Events Chair, MAX SF

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