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NEW THIS WEEK

St. Patrick's Day Celebration Sunday, March 17th at 3:00 pm.





Celebrate St. Patrick's Day with MAX!

This St. Patrick's Day join MAX for a fun St. Patrick's Day party. A traditional dinner of corned beef and cabbage with all the trimmings will be served. Desserts will be provided. The party will feature Irish Whisky drinks including Irish Coffee. Wine, beer and non-alcoholic beverages will be available.

The Village House and the Vineyard House are hosting this event for the MAX SF community. The Vineyard House Master and MAX SF Board member, Jerry Tusan, will be making his traditional homemade corned beef. The Village and The Vineyard Houses invite you to join them for this festive and tasty celebration.

\$30 for MAX SF dues-paying members; \$40 for non-members

Be sure to wear your green!

The party will be located at a private residence in San Francisco near Alamo Square. The address will be provided about a week before the event to registered guests. Please be sure to provide a valid email address to receive the directions.

Space is limited, so be sure to reserve your spot TODAY!

Click here to pay and reserve your spot by March 12th!

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



UPDATE - This Trip is Nearly Sold-Out!

Two Spaces Remain in a Shared Room

Join MAX for a four-day getaway to beautiful Ashland, Oregon, and the Oregon Shakespeare Festival over Memorial Day weekend. 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.

Our all-inclusive package includes sampling Oregon wines while watching the sunset over the Rogue Valley, an 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 <u>Oregon Shakespeare Festival</u>: the hilarious musical <u>Hairspray</u>, a new play based on Steinbeck's *Grapes of Wrath*, <u>Mother Road</u>, and one of Shakespeare's most beloved comedies, <u>As You Like It</u>. The package includes transportation, tickets, accommodations, and all local visits -- a \$900 value. 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 is limited to 12 attendees. This event sold out last year, so make your reservation early! The reservation deadline is Friday, March 15th.

Cost Options:

• \$400 per person, double occupancy (1 Shared Room Remains)

\$100 non-refundable deposit due by March 15th, with the balance due by April 30th.

To Sign Up:

Send a \$100 non-refundable deposit for each participant to Lorenzo Taylor by March 31, 2019.

- Pay by credit card at this link: paypal.me/MAX2OSF.
- Contact Lorenzo directly to pay by check.

For More Information:

Contact event host Lorenzo Taylor, Lorenzo Max@aol.com or email concierge@maxsf.org.

CLICK HERE TO RSVP

EVENTS THIS WEEK

February Third Thursday, February 21st at 5:30 p.m.



This Thursday join MAX SF at Beaux Bar from 5:30 pm to 8 pm for MAX's "Third Thursday". Join a superb crowd of gay men and their friends for food, conversation, and spectacular performances at the nearby piano. Tasty cocktails at happy hour prices! Appetizers provided!

Admission is \$5; complimentary for dues-paying members.

RSVP on Meetup here for a fun time! Or if you prefer, click here to RSVP on the website.

MAX Goes to the Theatre: *Late Company* Thursday, February 21st at 7:00 p.m.



Seats Still Available!

For Theatre fans, join MAX SF this Thursday at NCTC's production of Late Company.

Struggling to find closure after a family tragedy, Debora and Michael invite their son's bully and his family over for dinner. Pain, loss and rage all come to a head as the night evolves and there's enough blame for everybody to have a share. A juxtaposition of beautiful and brutal, *Late Company* is a transfixing hotbed of visceral tension dealing with the important topic of bullying among LGBTQ youth and teens.

Late Company is presented by the **New Conservatory Theatre Center** (NCTC), the premier LGBTQ theatre center in San Francisco.

For more information about joining MAX for this performance of *Late Company*, and for the 20% off *MAX discount code*, please click <u>here</u>.

Plan to arrive at 7:00pm to meet and greet fellow MAXers at the NCTC full bar.

Buy your tickets for the Thursday, February 21st, 8:00pm performance <u>here</u>. Then register <u>here</u> to let us know you'll be attending so we can prepare a name tag for the pre-show MAX meet and greet at the NCTC bar.

February Fourth at Finn Sunday, February 24th at 3:00 p.m.



This Sunday join us at Finn Town for our February **Fourth at Finn**! Enjoy a fun afternoon of conversation, cocktails, and cordiality thanks to the wonderful team at one of our favorite Castro hotspots.

MAX Board member Nick Wade will be hosting the event, and we'll have our own private space at the back of the restaurant. Come on down to relax and get to know other men in the MAX community in a friendly space.

The fun starts at 3 pm (ending at 5 pm). There is no cover charge.

RSVP on Meetup here for a fun Sunday afternoon! Or if you prefer, RSVP on our website.

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

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