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Welcome to the third edition of the Without Walls (WOW) Festival!

This year the city takes center stage.

This WOW Festival celebrates work created by extraordinary artists from around the globe and offers San Diegans vibrant and transformative theatre experiences that take place from the waterfront to greater Logan Heights. From intimate tours to large-scale installations; from hip-hop dance parties to fun activities for the whole family, the festival is a chance to see the city anew.

We invite you to explore the WOW Festival, whether for one performance or for all fifteen! Start your day at the San Diego Public Library or The New Children's Museum, make your way around downtown to the free performance installation *Model Home* at Horton Plaza Park, and end the night at Bread & Salt where the WOW Festival Club will become an after-hours gathering spot for audiences and artists to enjoy free performances, light bites, local craft beer and dance the night away.

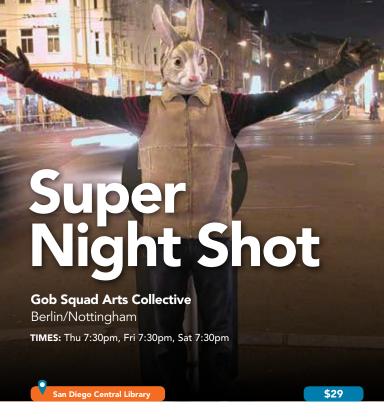
We invite you to experience the city like never before through the eyes of these incredible WOW artists.

Christopher Ashley

Artistic Director, La Jolla Playhouse

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Director, Without Walls Festival

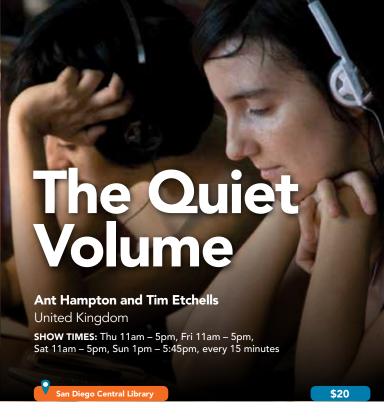


Super Night Shot is a magical journey through the night-time streets of San Diego. Full of unexpected surprises, the public become co-stars in a movie that celebrates unplanned meetings with strangers, serendipity and chance. Anything can happen, and usually does in Gob Squad's riveting multi-screen piece.

For 20 years, **Gob Squad Arts Collective** has been searching for new ways to combine media and performance, producing stage shows, video installations, radio plays, interactive live films and urban interventions.

Special thanks to: UCSan Diego Extension

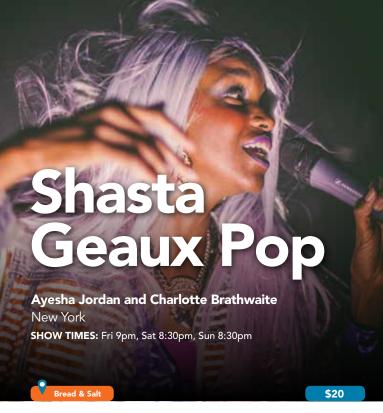
Run time: 85 min Ages 12+



Recorded instructions and a stack of carefully selected books direct patrons through this self-generated performance for two audience members sitting side by side. Taking cues from words both written and whispered, participants find themselves burrowing an unlikely path through a pile of books, exposing the strange magic at the heart of the reading experience.

Ant Hampton is a British artist and performance maker whose work has most often involved guiding people through unrehearsed performance situations. **Tim Etchells** is an artist and a writer based in the UK whose work shifts between performance, visual art and fiction.

Run time: 60 min Use of headphones. Ages 16+



Audiences are invited to celebrate the outrageously hilarious and completely uncensored *Shasta Geaux Pop*, as she brings her signature brand of basement get-down party to San Diego. Irreverent and uplifting, Shasta keeps it real with her gospel of laughter and free flowing emcee style to get this immersive underground Hip-Hop party jumping.

Co-Creators **Ayesha Jordan** and **Charlotte Brathwaite** met while living in The Netherlands and their successful individual careers both lie at the intersection of text, dance, music and performance art.

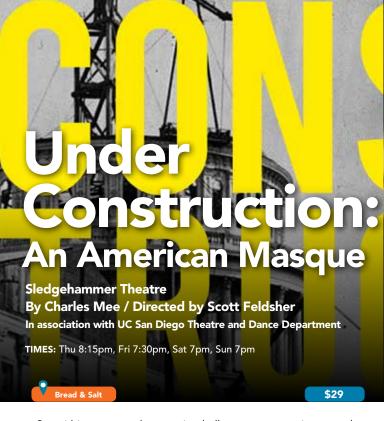
Run time: 80 min Ages 16+



A selection of stunning dance and performance works set for a 4-foot by 4-foot stage. Choreographers from both sides of the border take inspiration from the tiny stage to create work that is intimate and electrifying. 4x4 TJ Night takes dance off the proscenium stage and into the center of the room for a vibrant, immediate experience.

Founded in 2002, **Lux Boreal Dance Company** is a circle of choreographers and dancers from all over Mexico. They are part of a bi-national movement, taking place in the Tijuana – San Diego border region, reinforcing the bonds between artistic communities and diverse audiences.

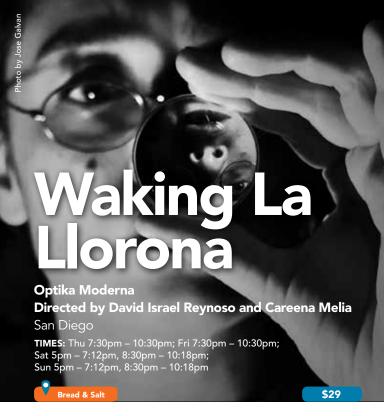
Run time: 65 min



Set within a pop-up banqueting hall, spectators are immersed in a collage of America — scenes, songs and dances inspired by both Norman Rockwell of the 1950s and by contemporary installation artist Jason Rhoades, juxtaposed side by side — then and now, the red states and the blue states, where we grew up and where we live today, in a piece that is, like America, permanently under construction.

Sledgehammer Theatre has been San Diego's premier alternative theater for over three decades. Known for their flamboyant, muscular, visually dense and provocative style, they have produced site-specific work throughout San Diego and around the country.

Run time: 80 min Ages 16+

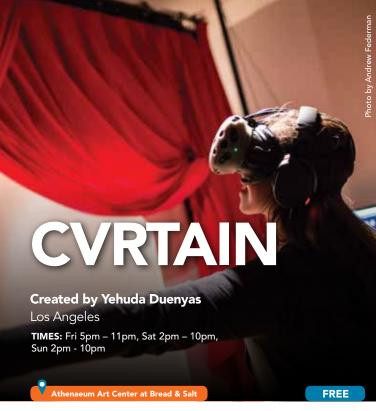


A multisensory, individual experience inspired by one of Mexico's darkest and most legendary tales. Each visitor will encounter the doctor and be guided through an experimental immersive exploration of *La Llorona*.

Optika Moderna is a ground-breaking, immersive company led by San Diego's David Israel Reynoso, the Obie Award-winning costume designer for the Off-Broadway runaway hit Sleep No More. At La Jolla Playhouse, he designed Liz Lerman's Healing Wars for La Jolla Playhouse's WOW Festival 2015, The Darrell Hammond Project and others.

Developed with support from The Old Globe and initially funded by the Creative Catalyst Grant of the San Diego Foundation.

Run time: 45 minUse of headphones. Not wheelchair accessible. Ages 18+



CVRTAIN is a virtual reality experience that puts you center stage in a beautiful theatre for your final curtain call. The piece is played with the gestures of performance, as guests bow, blow kisses, curtsy, and more, in order to get the audience to clap and cheer. The experience takes place on a proscenium installation where onlookers get to watch the participants, who ultimately perform to audiences, both virtual and real, at the same time.

Yehuda Duenyas is an artist, Experience Director, and founder of Emmy Award-winning Mindride, an artist-driven company specializing in next generation experiential art and entertainment.

> Run time: 4 min Ages 7+



Lily Padilla, Dylan Key and John BurnettLa Jolla

TIMES: Fri 5pm - 11pm, Sat 2pm - 10pm, Sun 2pm - 10pm

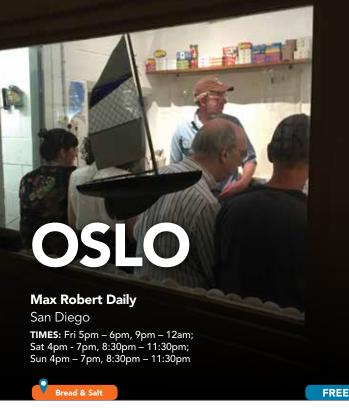


FREE

The world collapsed sooner than they thought. They were polite in gas lines, then vicious in grocery stores. They packed into a stadium, waiting for the authorities to say it was safe again. The authorities never came. Authority unraveled. Now, three families cling to each other, waiting for the world's end or rebirth in *And Then You Wait*, an immersive audio experience that gets close and talks to you in the dark.

UC San Diego graduate students **Lily Padilla** and **Dylan Key**make plays and gathering spaces for soulful interrogation
and embodied celebration.

Run time: 15 min No ticket required



The proprietor of Oslo's Sardine Bar was shipwrecked years earlier, when his Danish-flagged freighter, the crew, the Radio Free band, and the cargo of the finest sardines were all presumed lost. Until October 20 – 22. If enough people come dine, he may be able to get a life raft, or may just get more beer and decide to stay. Come for the fish and stay for the spontaneous performances.

Max Robert Daily is a San Diego artist who works in performance and visual art. He attended the Cotsen Center for Puppetry at CalArts and performs extensively in puppetry, mime, and clowning.

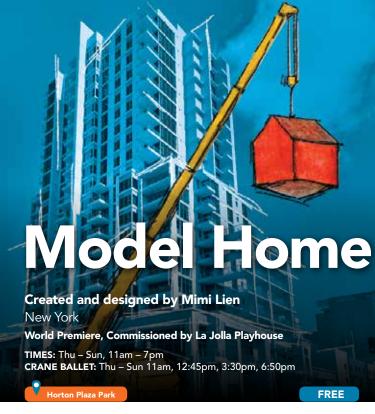
Run time: ongoing First come, first served



True uncensored stories from the lives of America's military, told in their own words, about the private and sometimes illicit escapes sought out by service members. Hilarious, surprising and honest to the core – featuring a different cast every night – this newest offering by So Say We All will defy any notions you have about our service members.

So Say We All is a proud San Diego-based 501c3 literary arts non-profit whose mission is to help people tell their stories and tell them better. The Incoming series strives to provide a forum for that — in print, on radio, and now, on stage.

Run time: 100 min Ages 18+



Model Home is an urban performative intervention situated in downtown San Diego, consisting of a pop-up neighborhood of brightly colored, archetypal houses, anchored by a large construction crane hoisting a house up high in the air.

Audiences are invited to peek into the inhabited homes and survey the interior landscapes. At once incongruous and familiar, the installation reflects the shifting infrastructure of a changing city, and asks, what makes a home?

Mimi Lien is a Tony Award-winning designer of sets and environments for theatre, dance and opera. Her work often focuses on the interaction between audience/environment and object/performer.

Run time: ongoing



In Among Us, the audience members are the protagonists, and the city is the stage. This walking tour takes you to places you may have passed many times, but invites you to view them through a different lens. The piece moves from observation to participation, culminating in a game of choice and affiliation that illuminates hidden social structures that define us.

Marike Splint is a Dutch director specializing in site-responsive and immersive theatre. She explores the relationship between people, places, and identity in sites ranging from wide open meadows to taxicabs, train stations and hotel rooms.

Supported by Dutch Culture USA / A program of the Consulate General

Run time: 90 min

Up to 2 miles outdoor walking; the performance ends approx. 1 mile from Horton Plaza Park. Use of headphones. Ages 16+



Faetopia will delight children and adults alike as it celebrates the art of Marionette puppetry in a spontaneous faerie flash mob that takes center stage. Twist is joined by the **San Diego Guild of Puppetry** and the UC San Diego percussion ensemble **red fish blue fish** in this whimsical, immersive new piece.

A MacArthur "Genius" Fellow, **Basil Twist** is an internationally-renowned puppetry designer and 2017 La Jolla Playhouse Artist-in-Residence. His work at the Playhouse includes Yoshimi Battles the Pink Robots and the 2015 WOW Festival's Seafoam Sleepwalk.

Run time: 10 min
Children free: adults \$13 for museum admission.



Developed in partnership between La Jolla Playhouse and The New Children's Museum, *The Quest 3.0* is an interactive family adventure that challenges participants to join the Society of Creative Thinkers as they embark on a great journey – exploring artifacts, gathering clues and solving peculiar puzzles – in order to discover a surprising truth.



Run time: 90 min
Reservation required. Children free; adults \$13 for museum admission.
Ages 6+



ArtPower presents a unique iteration of *In Plain Site*, a site-specific work created for the UC San Diego campus by Trisha Brown Dance Company. The company adapts Brown's signature works around the campus, honoring her commitment to the presentation of performances in non-traditional venues, a format she helped pioneer.

Trisha Brown was an iconic American choreographer and cofounder of postmodern dance. She formed **Trisha Brown Dance Company** in 1970, and the company has toured her work throughout the world.

Run time: 60 min

This performance takes place outdoors on grass/uneven ground.

Please wear comfortable shoes for walking.



Bread & Salt becomes a pop-up festival club, the perfect place to hang out with artists, audience members and visitors. Grab a pre- or post-show specialty cocktail or craft beer, delicious bites, and engage in invigorating conversations with friends new and old, while exploring different installations in the building. After 10pm, Bread & Salt transforms into an underground club featuring a different DJ every night. Come celebrate the festival and dance the night away.

Cash bar. Food available for purchase.

WOW Family Days

WOW Family Days is bursting with super-fun experiences for young audiences. All events take place in and around The New Children's Museum from 10:30am – 4pm on Saturday and Sunday.



Faetopia: A Faerie Flash Mob

This celebration of the art of Marionette puppetry will delight children and adults alike in a stunning, spontaneous faerie flash mob.

All ages, see page 16



The Quest 3.0

An interactive family adventure that challenges participants to gather clues as they embark on a great journey in order to discover a surprising truth.

Ages 6+, see page 17





Creation Stations

A host of hands-on art-making activities and creation stations in collaboration with partners Timken Museum of Art, the Mingei International Museum, Museum of Photographic Arts and The Home Depot.





All Ages

Special thanks to The Seth Sprague Educational and Charitable Foundation

Behind the Scenes

Curious to learn more? Join us in peeking behind the scenes of the artist process.

POST-PERFORMANCE CONVERSATIONS

Gob Squad's Super Night Shot

San Diego Central Library, Friday, October 20, immediately following the 7:30 performance

Trisha Brown's Dance Company's In Plain Site

UCSD: Stuart Collection, Saturday, October 21 and Sunday, October 22, immediately following the 5pm performances

TOURS

Bread & Salt Docent Tour

Saturday, October 21, 2:00 pm at Bread & Salt Running time is 60 minutes. RSVP encouraged.



Led by the curator of Bread & Salt, this tour invites you to learn more about the works by the artists in residence as well as the history and architecture of a former bread factory turned experimental art center.

ARTIST WORKSHOP

Gob Squad Workshop

Saturday, October 21

This three-hour free workshop offers an insight into the methodologies employed by Gob Squad (*Super Night Shot*) when creating new works. It will explore approaches to confessional performance using strategies involved in the making of Gob Squad's show *Dancing About*. Participants will create and present written text, spoken word, improvisational dance and more, in order to develop material around the personal and the political. **This has a limited capacity of 16, ages 16+. Application required.**

For more info, visit wowfestival.org.



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Daily Schedule Thursday, October 19

Ongoing Installations	Model Home	11:00 - 7:00		Horton Plaza Park
	PRODUCTION	TIME/DURATION		LOCATION
11:00 AM	Model Home Crane Ballet	11:00	5m	Horton Plaza Park
	The Quiet Volume	11:00, 11:15, 11:30 & 11:45	60m	Central Library
12:00 PM	Model Home Crane Ballet	12:45	5m	Horton Plaza Park
	The Quiet Volume	12:00, 12:15, 12:30 & 12:45	60m	Central Library
1:00 PM	The Quiet Volume	1:00, 1:15, 1:30 & 1:45	60m	Central Library
2:00 PM	The Quiet Volume	2:00, 2:15, 2:30 & 2:45	60m	Central Library
3:00 PM	Model Home Crane Ballet	3:30	5m	Horton Plaza Park
	The Quiet Volume	3:00, 3:15, 3:30 & 3:45	60m	Central Library
4:00 PM	The Quiet Volume	4:00, 4:15, 4:30 & 4:45	60m	Central Library
5:00 PM	The Quiet Volume	5:00	60m	Central Library
6:00 PM	Model Home Crane Ballet	6:50	5m	Horton Plaza Park
7:00 PM	4x4 TJ Night	7:00	65m	Bread & Salt
	Super Night Shot	7:30	85m	Central Library
	Waking La Llorona	7:30	45m	Bread & Salt
8:00 PM	Waking La Llorona	8:00	45m	Bread & Salt
	Under Construction	8:15	80m	Bread & Salt
9:00 PM	Waking La Llorona	9:00	45m	Bread & Salt
10:00 PM	Waking La Llorona	10:00	45m	Bread & Salt

Daily ScheduleFriday, October 20

Ongoing Installations	Model Home And Then You Wait CVRTAIN	11:00 - 7:00 5:00 - 11:00 5:00 - 11:00		Horton Plaza Park Bread & Salt Bread & Salt
	PRODUCTION	TIME/DURATION		LOCATION
11:00 AM	Model Home Crane Ballet	11:00	5m	Horton Plaza Park
	The Quiet Volume	11:00, 11:15, 11:30 & 11:45	60m	Central Library
12:00 PM	Model Home Crane Ballet	12:45	5m	Horton Plaza Park
	The Quiet Volume	12:00, 12:15, 12:30 & 12:45	60m	Central Library
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3:00 PM	Model Home Crane Ballet	3:30	5m	Horton Plaza Park
	The Quiet Volume	3:00, 3:15, 3:30 & 3:45	60m	Central Library
4:00 PM	The Quiet Volume	4:00, 4:15, 4:30 & 4:45	60m	Central Library
	Among Us	5:00	90m	Horton Plaza Park
5:00 PM	OSLO	5:00	ongoing	Bread & Salt
	The Quiet Volume	5:00	60m	Central Library
6:00 PM	4x4 TJ Night	6:00	65m	Bread & Salt
	Model Home Crane Ballet	6:50	5m	Horton Plaza Park
7:00 PM	INCOMING: Sex, Drugs and Copenhagen	7:00	100m	Border X Brewing
	Super Night Shot	7:30	85m	Central Library
	Under Construction	7:30	80m	Bread & Salt
	Waking La Llorona	7:30	45m	Bread & Salt

Daily ScheduleFriday, October 20

	PRODUCTION	TIME/DURATION		LOCATION
8:00 PM	Waking La Llorona	8:00	45m	Bread & Salt
9:00 PM	OSLO	9:00	ongoing	Bread & Salt
	Shasta Geaux Pop	9:00	80m	Bread & Salt
	Waking La Llorona	9:00	45m	Bread & Salt
10:00 PM	OSLO	10:00	ongoing	Bread & Salt
	Waking La Llorona	10:00	45m	Bread & Salt
	Festival Club	10:30	ongoing	Bread & Salt
11:00 PM	Festival Club	11:00	ongoing	Bread & Salt
	OSLO	11:00	ongoing	Bread & Salt



Daily Schedule Saturday, October 21

Ongoing Installations	Family Days Model Home And Then You Wait CVRTAIN	10:30 - 4:00 11:00 - 7:00 2:00 - 10:00 2:00 - 10:00		The New Children's Museum Horton Plaza Park Bread & Salt Bread & Salt
40.00.414	PRODUCTION	TIME/DURATION		The New Children's
10:00 AM	The Quest 3.0	10:00 & 10:45	90m	Museum
11:00 AM	Among Us	11:00	90m	Horton Plaza Park
	Faetopia	11:00	10m	The New Children's Museum
	Model Home Crane Ballet	11:00	5m	Horton Plaza Park
	The Quest 3.0	11:30	90m	The New Children's Museum
	The Quiet Volume	11:00, 11:15, 11:30 & 11:45	60m	Central Library
12:00 PM	Faetopia	12:00	10m	The New Children's Museum
	Model Home Crane Ballet	12:45	5m	Horton Plaza Park
	The Quest 3.0	12:15	90m	The New Children's Museum
	The Quiet Volume	12:00, 12:15, 12:30 & 12:45	60m	Central Library
1:00 PM	Faetopia	1:00	10m	The New Children's Museum
	The Quest 3.0	1:00 & 1:45	90m	The New Children's Museum
	The Quiet Volume	1:00, 1:15, 1:30 & 1:45	60m	Central Library
2:00 PM	Among Us	2:00	90m	Horton Plaza Park
	Faetopia	2:00	10m	The New Children's Museum
	In Plain Site	2:00	TBD	UCSD
	The Quest 3.0	2:30	90m	The New Children's Museum
	The Quiet Volume	2:00, 2:15, 2:30 & 2:45	60m	Central Library

Daily ScheduleSaturday, October 21

	PRODUCTION	TIME/DURATION		LOCATION
3:00 PM	Faetopia	3:00	10m	The New Children's Museum
	Model Home Crane Ballet	3:30	5m	Horton Plaza Park
	The Quest 3.0	3:15	90m	The New Children's Museum
	The Quiet Volume	3:00, 3:15, 3:30 & 3:45	60m	Central Library
4:00 PM	OSLO	4:00	ongoing	Bread & Salt
	The Quest 3.0	4:00	90m	The New Children's Museum
	The Quiet Volume	4:00, 4:15, 4:30 & 4:45	60m	Central Library
5:00 PM	Among Us	5:00	90m	Horton Plaza Park
	In Plain Site	5:00	TBD	UCSD
	OSLO	5:00	ongoing	Bread & Salt
	The Quiet Volume	5:00	60m	Central Library
	Waking La Llorona	5:00	45m	Bread & Salt
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10:00 PM	OSLO	10:00	ongoing	Bread & Salt
	Waking La Llorona	10:00	45m	Bread & Salt
	Festival Club	10:30	ongoing	Bread & Salt
11:00 PM	Festival Club	11:00	ongoing	Bread & Salt
	OSLO	11:00	ongoing	Bread & Salt

Daily Schedule Sunday, October 22

Ongoing Installations	Family Days Model Home And Then You Wait CVRTAIN	10:30 - 4:00 11:00 - 7:00 2:00 - 10:00 2:00 - 10:00		The New Children's Museum Horton Plaza Park Bread & Salt Bread & Salt
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10:00 AM	The Quest 3.0	10:00 & 10:45	90m	The New Children's Museum
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	In Plain Site	2:00	TBD	UCSD
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	The Quiet Volume	2:00, 2:15, 2:30 & 2:45	60m	Central Library
3:00 PM	Faetopia	3:00	10m	The New Children's Museum
	Model Home Crane Ballet	3:30	5m	Horton Plaza Park
	The Quest 3.0	3:15	90m	The New Children's Museum
	The Quiet Volume	3:00, 3:15, 3:30 & 3:45	60m	Central Library

Daily Schedule Sunday, October 22

	PRODUCTION	TIME/DURATION		LOCATION
4:00 PM	OSLO	4:00	ongoing	Bread & Salt
	The Quest 3.0	4:00	90m	The New Children's Museum
	The Quiet Volume	4:00, 4:15, 4:30 & 4:45	60m	Central Library
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	Festival Club	10:30	ongoing	Bread & Salt
11:00 PM	Festival Club	11:00	ongoing	Bread & Salt
	OSLO	11:00	ongoing	Bread & Salt

Partners



Border X Brewing is a Mexican-inspired craft brewery specializing in true Mexican flavors combined with traditional craft brewing techniques. As the only Latino, family-owned craft brewery in California, Border X Brewing's roots are firmly planted in the "Border Region." Music, art, food and craft beer intersect in new and exciting ways that are only possible when two unique and distinct

cultures cross and influence in both directions.

Partner Venue for: INCOMING: Sex, Drugs and Copenhagen



A former Weber Bakery turned community arts building, **Bread & Salt** is a 40,000 square-foot structure in Logan Heights filled with galleries and event spaces. It is a nexus of artists, artisans, designers and arts organizations. In its time, the Weber Bakery was a stalwart of the community. That which provided sustenance of body also

aspired to provide sustenance of soul, of community. That is what Bread & Salt aims to resurrect, to help to establish this area as a haven for artists, for creative thought, for inclusion and for diversity.

Partner Venue for: Shasta Geaux Pop | Under Construction | Waking La Llorona | 4x4 TJ Night | And Then You Wait | OSLO | Docent Tour | Gob Squad Workshop



Founded in 1899, the Athenaeum Music & Arts Library has a collection devoted to music and art and presents over 200 cultural events annually, including exhibitions, concerts and lectures. Studio art classes and printmaking are offered through the Athenaeum School of the Arts in La Jolla and the Athenaeum Art Center (AAC) in Logan Heights. The AAC is a multicultural community center with extensive education and outreach programs.

Partner Venue for: **CVRTAIN**, in their Bread & Salt studio space



With a vision of being the place for opportunity, discovery and inspiration, the San Diego Public Library is a hub for knowledge and lifelong learning. As the largest library system in the region, it serves a population of more than 1.3 million people. Learn about events at the San Diego Central Library @ Joan & Irwin Jacobs Common

and 35 community branch libraries, find links to resources or search for materials in the online catalog at sandiegolibrary.org.

Partner Venue for: Super Night Shot | The Quiet Volume



Located in the heart of Downtown San Diego,
Horton Plaza Park is a world-class urban plaza and
the region's newest outdoor entertainment venue.
From grand scale productions to intimate affairs,
the property offers unparalleled service to clients
and exceptional experiences for guests. Horton
Plaza Park is a central gathering area for Downtown

workers, resident and tourists and is the perfect location for special events, offering a sanctuary amid the energy and excitement of the Gaslamp District.

Partner Venue for: Model Home | Among Us



The New Children's Museum's mission is to stimulate imagination, creativity and critical thinking in children and families through inventive and engaging experiences with contemporary art. Serving San Diego for 30 years, The New Children's Museum brings families together in a rich educational environment that fosters creativity. The Museum collaborates with contemporary

artists on an ongoing basis, both for large-scale thematic exhibitions, individual installations and educational programs for children.

Partner Venue for: Faetopia: A Faerie Flash Mob | The Quest 3.0 | Family Days



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About La Jolla Playhouse



La Jolla Playhouse has long been known as an incubator for new plays and musicals. Productions such as the Tony Awardwinning Jersey Boys, Memphis, and Come From Away – for which Playhouse Artistic Director Christopher Ashley won the 2017 Tony Award for Best Director of a Musical – all had their world premieres at the Playhouse. San Diegans had the opportunity to see these amazing works first and provide feedback crucial to the new play development process. Since 1983, more than 30 Playhouse-born productions have gone on to continued life on Broadway. This track record, along such signature programs as Without Walls, have made La Jolla Playhouse the place to look for what's next in American theatre.

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