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2023-2024 CenterArts Season

First Season Announcement

CenterArts Presents Part One of the 2023-2024 season

ARCATA, June 30, 2023— Are you looking for a night out? Or perhaps a performance unlike any other? CenterArts has all of that and more in store with the first installment of our 2023-2024 season. Come join us and enjoy the best entertainment Humboldt has to offer!

CenterArts is delighted to host American indie pop duo **Sylvan Esso** on *Monday, August 28*. Blending elements of pop, electronic, and folk the duo fabricated a unique sound that incorporates catchy melodies, intricate electronic beats, and introspective lyrics.

Make your wildest teenage dreams a reality with the return of **The Emo Night Tour** on *Thursday, September 14*. Multiple DJs and a live band will be playing their best in a show where you will hear the hits and deep cuts from the likes of Taking Back Sunday, Fall Out Boy, Panic! At The Disco, My Chemical Romance, and many more.

Returning to Cal Poly Humboldt on *Thursday, September 21* with their wildly successful North American tour, Herederos (the Heirs), **Mariachi Herencia de México** and special guest GRAMMY®-winner La Marisoul (from the Mexican American band La Santa Cecilia) take mariachi music to new heights in this vibrant celebration of Mexican music and culture.

Accompany us *Sunday, October 1* and celebrate the only woman in the last 50 years to win a historic Gold Medal at the Van Cliburn International Piano Competition, **Olga Kern**. She is widely recognized as one of the greatest artists of her generation, captivating audiences and critics alike with her vivid onstage presence, dazzling technique, and keen musicianship.

Garnering critical acclaim and a dedicated fanbase while joyfully exploring a rich bluegrass history and together creating a musical experience that blends traditional roots music with a contemporary sensibility, heartfelt multi-instrumentalist singer/songwriter **Molly Tuttle & Golden Highway** showcase their musical talents *Saturday, October 7*.

Fun-loving four-piece **Pigeons Playing Ping Pong** driven by a relentless work ethic and ecstatic sound built their reputation on epic blissed-out concerts. Come experience the blending of addictive funk grooves with psychedelic jams and intoxicating energy *Sunday, November 12*.

We invite you to enjoy **The Peking Acrobats** on *Tuesday, January 23* as they push the limits of human ability and defy gravity in a family friendly evening full of impressive and limit-surpassing acrobatics guided by professionals who, for your families entertainment, will perform daring maneuvers and display their technical prowess.

Led by multiple Grammy award winner **George Kahunoko, Jr, and The Masters of Hawaiian Music featuring Daniel Ho and Tia Carrere** invite you to enjoy their uniquely Hawaiian styles of slack key guitar, ukulele, and songs both traditional and new on *Sunday, February 25*.

The real-time exuberance **Tommy Emmanuel** brings to every note of every song is contagious. He mixes elements of various genres into his music, including jazz, blues, folk, and classical, creating a unique and eclectic sound. Don't miss this North Coast favorite when he returns on *Tuesday, March 5*.

With a career in Irish music spanning 35 years, **Altan** has achieved legendary status in a genre that has been equally shaped by the band's influence and genius. Help us celebrate on *Saturday, March 9* and honor their latest album, *The Gap of Dreams*, displaying the roots of the band's music in Donegal folklore.

Step back in time and enjoy an enchanting evening on *Tuesday, March 12*, that guarantees an unforgettable, immersive concert experience that will transport you to the golden era of swing and big band music with **The World-Famous Glenn Miller Orchestra** led by Erik Stabnau.

Immanuel Wilkins comes to Cal Poly Humboldt *Sunday, April 7* showing us his dedication to the craft, innovative spirit, and commitment to pushing the boundaries of the genre making him a compelling figure in contemporary jazz, captivating audiences with his exceptional talent and artistic vision.

CenterArts Members can receive benefits such as discounted tickets, access to exclusive member presales, and more! For more information on becoming a CenterArts member, or to receive a free brochure with the current listing of events, call CenterArts at 707-826-3928. Information is also available online by visiting the CenterArts website at: <https://centerarts.humboldt.edu>.

For more information, please contact our Associate Director Michael Moore, Jr.
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EVENT	DATE/TIME/LOCATION	ADDITIONAL INFO
Sylvan Esso	Monday August 28, 2023 Van Duzer Theatre 8:00 PM	CenterArts: 707 826 3928 centerarts.humboldt.edu
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Mariachi Herencia de México	Thursday September 21, 2023 Van Duzer Theater 7:00 PM	CenterArts: 707 826 3928 centerarts.humboldt.edu
Olga Kern	Sunday October 1, 2023 Fulkerson Recital Hall 7:00 PM	CenterArts: 707 826 3928 centerarts.humboldt.edu
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Masters of Hawaiian Music with George Kahumoku Jr, Daniel Ho, and Tia Carrere	Sunday February 25, 2024 Fulkerson Recital Hall 7:00 PM	CenterArts: 707 826 3928 centerarts.humboldt.edu
Tommy Emmanuel	Tuesday March 5, 2024 Arkley Center For The Performing Arts 7:00 PM	CenterArts: 707 826 3928 centerarts.humboldt.edu
Altan	Saturday March 9, 2024	CenterArts:

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