

# VENUE MAP



## PARTICIPATING VENUES CONTINUED

**22 Slice of Light Gallery**  
9 W Figueroa St.

Join us for a magnificent evening at our photography gallery, featuring the natural beauty of earth and space. Every piece is captured by a Santa Barbara local, J K Lovelace. Enjoy fine wine as you explore our new holiday exhibit, "All's Well."



**23 Peter Horjus Studio & Gallery**  
11 W Figueroa Street (Walter Claudio Salon)

Peter Horjus Studio & Gallery presents "Graphic Abstractions" 20 - 11"x14" paintings on paper, \$280 each, a great gift for a friend... or for yourself. Come see how a graphic designer interprets an array of subjects in a simple, graphic and painterly way. Come early or shop the presale the day before.



**24 Finch & Fork**  
31 W Carrillo St. AFTER HOURS 8-10PM

Head over to Finch & Fork and enjoy \$1 Oysters\* and Happy Hour priced drinks all night. This month we also welcome our partners J Vineyards & Winery who will be offering tastings of their beautiful sparkling wines in our Hotel Lobby. \*Wine and Oysters are in limited supply so arrive early to avoid disappointment.



**25 Mary Kay West**  
3 W. Carrillo St. STE 209

Award winning artist and Artist Member of the California Art Club Mary Kay West will have an open studio and exhibit of current work featuring her renowned classical realist trompe l'oeil and bird compositions. She will also do a live painting demonstration from 6-7pm!



**26 Broc Ellinger Gallery**  
931 State Street AFTER HOURS 8-10PM

The BE Gallery is a brand new gallery on State Street in Santa Barbara across from the Apple Store. Local artist and photographer, Broc Ellinger, brings his world adventures and his life's work to Santa Barbara. Broc is a surfer and photographer, his work expresses a deep commitment to the human experience and captures life's vitality and vulnerability.



**27 Path Point**  
902 Laguna St.  
We invite you to join us for our Holiday Open House! We will be celebrating the incredible Artists that attend PathPoint programs. Beautiful works of art will be displayed throughout our facility. Come enjoy snacks, wine, and find the perfect holiday gift while learning about and supporting our PathPoint community!



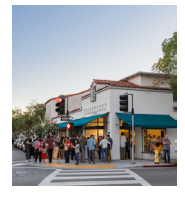
**28 The Blue Owl**  
5 W Canon Perdido St.  
The Blue Owl will present a jam on the first Thursday of each month. Hosted by guitarist Tony Ybarra, this Jam session will feature local jazz instrumentalists and vocalists. Backed by Santino Tafarella and Matt Perko, it will be a fantastic night of Jazz!



**29 SevTap Winery**  
814 State Street STE 38  
Come one, come all to SevTap Winery's First Thursday Event in Downtown Santa Barbara! To celebrate the vibrant atmosphere of this beautiful city, we are thrilled to offer our esteemed customers an exclusive deal: \$8 white, red or mulled wine by the glass. Enjoy the photography of Matt Bremen while engaging your senses with a glass of SevTap wine.



**30 The Eddy**  
137 E. De La Guerra St.  
The Eddy is hosting a night market featuring local artists, RZN wines, Rascal's vegan fare, and Sideyard vinegars. Stick around for the gift basket raffle.



**31 Santa Barbara Historical Museum**  
136 E De La Guerra St.  
Enjoy access after-hours with wine and music while you explore our galleries, including our latest exhibition, California Missions by Edwin Deakin. Entrance is free, bring a friend!



**32 Paint at Paseo**  
Peppermint Parlor, Paseo Nuevo across from Sephora  
Join us for a cozy night of art inside the Peppermint Parlor as we host Gio Herrera, a Santa Maria-based Oaxaqueno artist who draws inspiration from his cultural traditions, lifestyle, and nature. Gio will lead a 90-minute acrylic painting session, with all materials included, which you can gift to someone special or keep for yourself, free of charge!



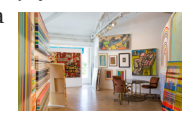
**33 Museum of Contemporary Art SB**  
Paseo Nuevo Upper Arts Terrace, 653 Paseo Nuevo  
MCASB invites you to celebrate the Holiday Season while supporting artists and MCASB. Join us for the first annual winter art sale and holiday party, 5-8pm Dec. 7th!



**34 Idyll Mercantile**  
703 Chapala St.  
We are kicking off the holidays with an Ugly-Sweater Themed 1st Thursday! We will have a live DJ, locally crafted Wine & Mead, AND 5 local artists selling their work. You won't want to miss it!



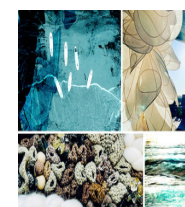
**35 Elizabeth Gordon Gallery**  
15 W Gutierrez St.  
Join us at Elizabeth Gordon Gallery in downtown Santa Barbara Thursday, December 7th from 5-8 to enjoy music, wine, cheese, and vibrant artwork by America Martin, Sherri Belassen, Rafael Gaete, Greg Miller, David Matthew King, and our newest artist Will Beger along with many more!



**36 Riviera Beach House**  
121 State Street  
Be the first to enjoy our new Fall/Winter exhibition in partnership with Museum of Contemporary Art Santa Barbara. This first installation of the MCASB Satellite at Riviera Beach House features local artists Stephanie Dotson and Madeleine Eve Ignon.



**37 Art & Soul**  
116 Santa Barbara St., STE C  
Immerse yourself in the natural beauty and movement of Coastal Edges: Life, Light, Flow - a collaborative show with local Fiber Artist and Sculptor, Kellen Meyer and Photographer and Fine Artist, John Baran. Opening reception 5-8pm at Art & Soul in the Funk Zone, through the patio at Lama Dog Tap Room.



## ENTERTAINMENT

**SBCC TROMBONE CHOIR**

1001 State Street, In front of the Amazon Building  
The Santa Barbara Trombone Society is an alliance of trombone players from SBCC, UCSB, Westmont College, local high schools, and community members of all ages, whose goals are to entertain and to educate people about the trombone. The 20+ member ensemble plays formal concerts regularly at SBCC, as well as other local venues.

**SB REVELS**

Between 33 Jewels and Bryant & Sons Jewelers  
Santa Barbara Revels presents a musical preview of The Revels: A Winter Solstice Celebration - "Tales from Ellis Island." This lively, colorful, and entertaining show is filled with seasonal songs, dances, and storytelling. With three performances at the Lobero Theatre on December 16th and 17th. Joined by special guests, the Pacific Sword Company, rehearse. It is proud to celebrate its first 10 years.

1st Thursday's are brought to you by:



**DOWNTOWN**  
SANTA BARBARA

Thank you for joining us!  
We look forward to seeing you next month on January 4th!

FREE  
ART MUSIC THEATRE



December

PASSPORT

Dec. 7th

2023

5-8pm



After-hour events 8-10pm!

**100 GRAND**

100 works of art for \$1,000 or less

100 GRAND ON DISPLAY AT SULLIVAN GOSS, IN DOWNTOWN SANTA BARBARA

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1<sup>st</sup> Thursday is an evening of art and culture in downtown Santa Barbara. On the first Thursday of each month, participating galleries and cultural art venues are open from 5-8pm offering the public free access to art in a fun and social environment. In addition, State Street comes alive with performances and interactive exhibits.

Use this Passport as a guide to all 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday destinations. All venues are open to the public 5-8pm.

● Participating Venues ● Performances

### Event Guidelines


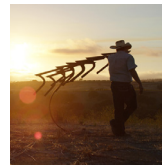

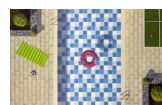

A number of venues are providing alcohol for your enjoyment this evening. In order to continue to offer this benefit we must ask that you follow some simple rules:

- » You must be 21+ to drink on the tour. Please be prepared to show I.D.
- » Alcohol may only be consumed inside the galleries and venues.
- » Please refrain from travelling between venues with any alcohol in your glass.
- » We reserve the right to refuse service to anyone.
- » To see our digital passport and find out more information about our events please visit our website at [www.downtownsb.org](http://www.downtownsb.org)

**DOWNTOWN SANTA BARBARA**  
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- 1 Voice Gallery**  
 La Cumbre Plaza, 121 South Hope Avenue  
 JIM BESS - THE FIRST 90 YEARS, a retrospective art exhibition and sale at Voice Gallery in La Cumbre Plaza. 1st Thursday reception on December 7th will include an auction of a painting as a fundraiser for the local non-profit organization Organic Soup Kitchen. Jim Bess, Well Planted acrylic painting, 24" x 24".  

- 2 SBIFF's SANTA BARBARA FILMMAKER SERIES**  
 SBIFF Education Center, 1330 State St.  
 We are featuring Alana Maiello's ESFUERZO. Taking the reins from his grandfather, a grandson is trapped between winemaking tradition and innovation, all while honoring his Mexican roots. Showtimes 5:30pm, 6:00pm, 6:30pm & 7:00pm. Runtime: 13 mins  

- 3 Santa Barbara Fine Art**  
 1321 State Street  
 "New Paintings" by Santa Barbara's iconic landscape artist, Richard Schloss, the only known living artist in Santa Barbara today, whose paintings are in 5 museums' permanent collections.  

- 4 Maune Contemporary**  
 1309 State Street  
 Please join us for "PISCINAS," a solo exhibition of oil paintings by Colombian artist, Esteban Ocampo-Giraldo. "PISCINAS" features Esteban's whimsical pool paintings, including fun elements one would associate with summer. Many of his pools include colorful floats, whimsical umbrellas, checkered tile, and perhaps a towel left on a lounge chair after a long day in the sun.  

- 5 Ensemble Theatre Company**  
 33 W. Victoria St.  
 Ensemble Theatre Company invites you to 1st Thursday at Ring of Fire: The Music of Johnny Cash! From the songbook of Johnny Cash comes this unique musical about love and faith, struggle and success, rowdiness and redemption, and the healing power of home and family. 1st Thursday participants can stop by our ticket office for buy one get one free tickets to our December 7th 7:30pm performance.  


- 6 CPC Gallery**  
 34 E. Victoria St.  
 Abstract artist Denise Carey presents "ARCHISCAPES". Her work draws from her experience as an architectural designer. Points, lines, planes, geometric shapes, and complex palettes perform an integrated visual story of conceptual spaces. Enjoy guitarist John Lyle's soulful vocals and original guitar compositions while sipping local wine from Stolpman Vineyards.  

- 7 Legacy Arts Listening Room** AFTER HOURS 8-10PM  
 1230 State Street  
 Legacy Art Santa Barbara welcomes you to our 1st year anniversary celebration! We are proud to continue showcasing the artworks of Susy and Carroll Barrymore together with 18 members of Santa Barbara Visual Artists. Tricia & Stan Evenson will have an ARTIST TALK, 4-5pm, followed by an SBVA RECEPTION, 5-8pm with harpist Laurie Rasmussen. LASB is also hosting the "After Hours" party, 8-10pm with a special feature performance by Lois Mahalia. Food and wine will be enjoyed. We look forward to celebrating with you!  

- 8 Kaarem**  
 1221 State Street #14  
 Join us at KAAREM for our Grand Opening Celebration happening during 1st Thursday, Dec. 7th! Enjoy art by Hope Okere, savor drinks from Sóng Cói Distillery, and indulge in a Creaminal ice cream pop-up.  

- 9 PALMA Colectiva**  
 1221 State Street. STE 7  
 Join PALMA Colectiva on Thursday December 7th from 5-8 pm in our new retail space as we celebrate the work of Venezuelan jewelry artist Monica Sordo and Mexican made, elevated everyday essentials from SLOAN all while sipping from YOLA Mezcal's new premium collection, PECHUGA.  

- 10 domecíl**  
 1223 State Street  
 Celebrate the grand opening of domecíl's new State Street location and the incredible photography of Joslyn Lawrence and Brian Kuhlmann whose work has become an archive of disappearing landscapes and a preservation project through traditional portraiture of trees.  


- 11 10 West**  
 10 W. Anapamu St.  
 HAPPY HOLIDAYS 2023: The eighth annual 10 West all-member show and pottery from Mata Ortiz, Mexico. Get a taste of all 28 gallery members' work and support the small village of Mata Ortiz, whose economy revolves around an artistic community of about 500 potters who make unique burnished, decorated pottery.  


- 12 Colette Cosentino Atelier + Gallery**  
 11 W Anapamu St.  
 For the FINAL 1st Thursday event of the year, Colette welcomes you to "Dreaming Is Free". A collection of paintings that are what dreams are made of. Small oil paintings in vintage seashell frames, large scale abstracts and seascapes, along with many unique one of a kind pieces, artfully designed block puzzles, art kits, ornaments and much more. A holiday party not to be missed. Wine will be served.  

- 13 Sullivan Goss**  
 11 E Anapamu St.  
 Join us for our biggest party of the year, the reception for our annual 100 Grand holiday exhibition. This year marks the show's 15th year. Come find a treasure for yourself or a loved one this holiday season. Also on view, Inga Guzyte, Nathan Huff, and our Winter Salon.  

- 14 Paradise Found**  
 17 E. Anapamu St.  
 We're having a Birthday Pawty! Come celebrate with us. Our beloved shop dog, Tucker, starts his 15th trip around the sun. Yum treats by Andersen's Danish Bakery, doggie party favors, a cake cutting, and some birthday bubbly. Shop The Dirty Dog Wash & Shop pop-up! There will be beautiful locally made ceramic fur baby bowls, leashes, collars and more.  

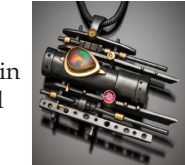
- 15 Santa Barbara Museum of Art**  
 1130 State Street  
 Join SBMA for a special performance by Quire of Voyces in Ludington Court at 5:30 pm. Then, enjoy Family 1st Thursday and Teaching Artist-led activities with botanical ghost prints in turquoise ink from 5:30 to 7:30 pm. Afterward, explore the current exhibitions until 8 pm. All free!  


- 16 Faulkner Gallery**  
 Public Library, 40 E Anapamu St.  
 The Santa Barbara Art Association presents its annual non-juried Holiday Show of diverse original artwork priced at \$500 or less by some of its 500 members.  

- 17 Ace Rivington**  
 1106 State Street STE A  
 Celebrating local history with Santa Barbara Vintage Photography, come see some of the most iconic Santa Barbara images from the last century in photograph, and Ace Rivington tee shirt form. Incredible holiday gifts. Wine served to help make your purchases easier.  

- 18 Gallery 113**  
 1114 State St. #8  
 Members of the Santa Barbara Art Association exhibit their original artwork here. The Artist of the Month is Suemae Lin Willhite who will be showing her paintings of Chinese landscapes. Featured artists include Marlise Senzamici, Karen Glancy, Lily Sanders, Darlene Roker, and Jerry Martin. Other members have pieces in the group show.  

- 19 Waterhouse Gallery**  
 1114 State Street #9  
 The Gallery features figurative works, interiors, and cityscapes, by some of today's finest nationally known local and Oak Group artists. Enjoy works by Ray Hunter, Derek Harrison, Wyllis Heaton, Camille Dellar, Ann Sanders, Thomas Van Stein, Nancy Davidson, Rick Garcia, Ellie Freudenstein, and Ralph Waterhouse.  

- 20 The Crafters Library** AFTER HOURS 8-10PM  
 9 E Figueroa St.  
 Stop by The Crafter's Library for an evening of fun with crafting, cocktails and karaoke! You can let your inner child out or your inner diva out or both at this fun and free event (cash bar).  

- 21 The Yes Store**  
 1100 State Street  
 Join us as we celebrate the holiday season. Enjoy snacks, beverages and the fine and whimsical jewelry of our featured artists Kevin and Deborah Healy, inspired by the beautiful colors of Santa Barbara. Looking for locally handmade gifts or something for yourself? Look no further than The Yes Store!  


DOWNTOWN SANTA BARBARA  
**HOLIDAY Happenings**

<b>SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY</b> NOVEMBER 25 ALL DAY SHOP LOCALLY OWNED AND OPERATED DOWNTOWN BUSINESSES	<b>1ST THURSDAY ART WALK</b> DECEMBER 7 5-8 PM 50 VENUES, LIVE HOLIDAY PERFORMANCES THROUGHOUT DOWNTOWN
<b>CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING</b> DECEMBER 1 5-8 PM 1317 STATE ST (IN FRONT OF ARLINGTON THEATRE)	<b>HOLIDAY MUSIC</b> DECEMBER 13 5-8 PM 900 BLOCK OF STATE ST (IN FRONT OF CHASE RESTAURANT)
<b>DOWNTOWN HOLIDAY PARTY</b> DECEMBER 4 5-8 PM BOBCAT LOUNGE, 11 W ORTEGA ST. RSVP ONLINE	<b>PRIME TIME BAND &amp; CONCERTS</b> DECEMBER 15 5-8 PM 1150 STATE ST + STATE STREET PROMENADE
<b>HOLIDAY MUSIC</b> DECEMBER 6 5-8 PM 900 BLOCK OF STATE ST (IN FRONT OF CHASE RESTAURANT)	<b>BIG BRASS TUBA XMAS</b> DECEMBER 16 12-2 PM 700 BLOCK OF STATE ST (STORKE PLACITA)

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