



A community united and  
inspired by the arts

## March 2024 ARTS News!

Dirty Cello is sold out! Individual concert series tickets for future concerts are now on sale!

If you are looking for art classes, visit the Carson Valley Art Association website, or local galleries like Gadzooks and East Fork Gallery in Gardnerville for information on upcoming classes. Carson Valley Arts Council also has information at our office about various local arts classes.

Filed your 2023 taxes and planning already how to save this year? Visit our website to learn how to save on taxes and support the Arts at the same time.

Community arts projects only happen if the Carson Valley Arts Council has volunteers to help plan and carry out the projects. You don't have to be an artist to volunteer. There is something for everyone! Call the CVAC office or check out our website.

YOU can join your neighbors and friends to support the arts in Carson Valley with your membership in the Carson Valley Arts Council. Visit our website or call our office or stop by for membership information and form.

## 2024 Calendar

Jan 30 – March 22 – Don Langson Exhibit, CVAC Copeland Gallery

March 1 - **Canceled** - Tahoe Adventure Film Festival Road Show

Mar. 8 – 2023-24 CVAC Concert Series Dirty Cello Concert - CVIC Hall

March 9 – Carson Valley Art Association Meet and Greet - Gadzooks

March 15 & 16 & 17- The Play that Goes Wrong - Carson Valley Community Theatre

March 22 & 24 & 25- The Play that Goes Wrong - Carson Valley Community Theatre

March 26 - April 26 - Douglas High Student Artists Exhibit

Friday, March 29 – Carson Valley Art Association meets monthly every Fourth Friday at the Carson Valley Methodist Church, 1375 Centerville Rd., Gardnerville, 1:30 PM

April 6 - Student Artist Reception – Copeland Gallery 1 -3 pm

March 29 - Toccata - St. Matthew Passion Gardnerville-Trinity Lutheran Church, Gardnerville.- 5:00 PM

April 5- 2023-24 CVAC Concert Series Quarteto Nuevo - CVIC Hall - 7 PM

April 26 & 27 - Genoa Western Heritage Days

May 10 – 2023-24 CVAC Concert Series David Jacobs-Strain & Bob Beach Concert - CVIC Hall - 7 PM



**Dirty Cello is sold out! No tickets at the door!**



**Quarteto Nuevo Performs  
in Minden April 5**

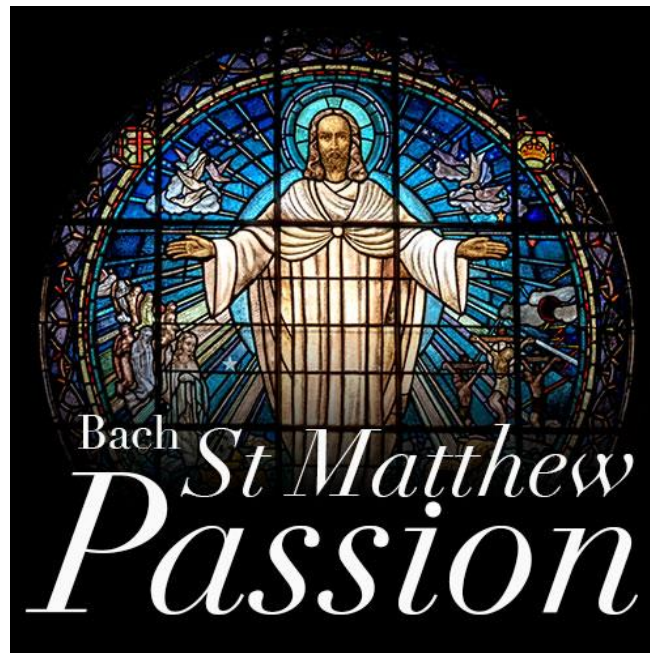
The Carson Valley Arts Council is pleased to present an evening with Quarteto Nuevo.

The band will perform at the CVIC Hall, 1602 Esmeralda in Minden, at 7 p.m. Friday, April 5, 2024.

Quarteto Nuevo merges western classical, eastern European folk, Latin and jazz with an organic feel that packs a wallop! The ensemble's razor-sharp precision is enhanced by jazzy interludes, lightly rumbling percussion motifs and mesmerizing rhythms.

Quarteto's master musicians create emotionally charged soundscapes with instruments and sensibilities that represent different world cultures. Their unique instrumentation—soprano saxophone/woodwinds (Damon Zick), cello (Jacob Szekeley), guitar (Kenton Youngstrom) and hand percussion (Felipe Fraga)—richly colors their wide-ranging repertoire.

Tickets are \$22 members, \$25 general audience, and kids under 18 are free with a paid adult ticket. Tickets are available at the Copeland Cultural Arts Center, 1572 US Hwy 395, Minden, online at [www.cvartscouncil.com](http://www.cvartscouncil.com), and by phone at 775-782-8207. Tickets will also be available at the door for \$28 if not sold out. For more information, visit [www.cvartscouncil.com](http://www.cvartscouncil.com).



Composed in 1727 and lost for over 100 years, Bach's *St. Matthew Passion* is widely regarded as one of the greatest masterpieces of Baroque sacred music.

The first performance of was given at the Leipzig *Thomaskirche*, on Good Friday of 1727. But Bach substantially revised his greatest, most complex liturgical work in 1736, and the Tahoe Symphony presentations are based on that version. The *St Matthew Passion*, in this form, was his last major composition for the Leipzig congregations.

The *St. Matthew Passion* was written for two separate Choirs, accompanied by two small Orchestras. In most Arias, only one Orchestra provides accompaniment. The Choirs are sometime separated, but more often sing in unison or antiphony - moving the story forwards, and also providing commentary on the events. At different times, the Choruses appear as an unruly mob, or quiet witnesses, or actual participants in the story.

The Douglas County performance is Friday, March 29 at 5 pm at Trinity Lutheran Church, 1480 Douglas Ave, Gardnerville, NV. All performances will be conducted by Maestro James Rawie.

To purchase tickets contact the Carson Valley Arts Council (CVAC) at 775-782-8207 or stop by the CVAC office at 1572 US Hwy 395, Minden, Monday to Friday 10 am to 1 pm. Tickets will also be available at the door 30 minutes prior to the concert.

General admission is \$30 for adults and \$25 for seniors (65+). Young persons, under age 23 (with ID), enjoy FREE admission. Premium seating is \$50 adults, \$45 for seniors (65+) and Youth (Under 23 with ID) is \$25. Preferred seating is \$40 for adults, \$35 for seniors (65+), and Youth (Under 23 with ID) is \$15. Tickets are also available at the door 30 minutes prior to the concert.

CARSON VALLEY COMMUNITY THEATRE PRESENTS

# THE PLAY THAT GOES WRONG

**HIGH SCHOOL EDITION**




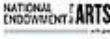
BY HENRY LEWIS, JONATHAN SAYER & HENRY SHIELDS  
A COLLABORATION WITH DOUGLAS HIGH SCHOOL • DIRECTED BY RENEE KALDOR

FRI & SAT 7:30 PM  
MARCH 15, 16, 22, 23


\*SPECIAL\*  
PAY WHAT YOU CAN NIGHT  
THURS. MARCH 21

SAT & SUN 2:00 PM  
MARCH 16, 17, 23, 24

**CVIC Hall • 1602 Esmeralda Ave. • Minden**  
\$18 seniors & students (\$23 at door) / \$21 general admission (\$26 at the door) / Group Rates available  
★ Premium seating available for an additional \$5 per ticket ★  
Box office opens March 1 - Mon & Fri 12 - 4pm - 1572 Hwy. 395 - 775.782.6622  
carsonvalleycommunitytheatre.org

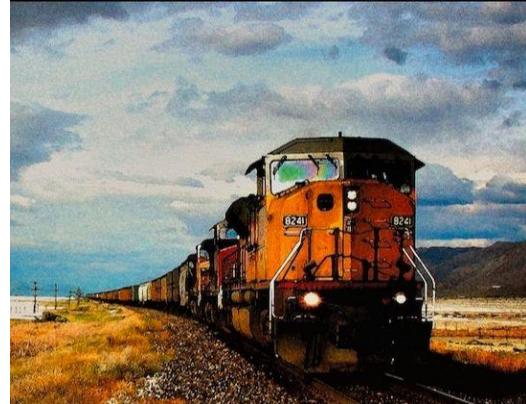
FOR TICKET INFORMATION  
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## Carson Valley Art Association

The CVAA has scheduled two workshops during the spring months. The first is “Curves Ahead Bracelet with Suzy Musil”. She will be demonstrating and teaching you to create your own fashionable beaded bracelet on Saturday, March 23, 2024, 10 AM at the United Methodist Church in Gardnerville. This workshop includes all materials. The cost for CVAA members is \$35; non-member price is \$65.

On Saturday, April 20, 10 AM, silk artist, Louise Noel will again demonstrate and teach the realm of silk painting. At the end of the workshop you will leave with a silk scarf and the materials and skill to make your own creation...a great opportunity to learn a new medium. The cost for CVAA members is \$120; non-member price is \$150 including all materials. This workshop will be at the United Methodist Church in Gardnerville. For more information visit CVAA [website](#).



## Photographer Don Langson at CVAC Jan. 30-March 22, 2024

Carson Valley Arts Council (CVAC) presents photographer Don Langson at the Copeland Gallery in Minden from January 30 through March 22, 2024. Carson Valley Arts Council will host an artist's reception for Don on Saturday, February 10 from 1 until 3 p.m. The reception is free and open to the public. Come and meet Don Langson.

Don's unusual talent comes from Don's study under the Masters of Photography such as Ansel Adams, Ralph Gibson, Paul L. Gittings Jr., Robert Heineken, George Krause, Nathan Lyons, Jerry Uelsmann, and Cole Weston to name a few.

Through Don's work viewers can instantly transport themselves to the location of the photo to experience the color, texture, mood and feelings of the environment. His photographs allow the viewer their own interpretation, their own memories and storytelling.

Don has taught photography in Texas and Nevada; is a founding member of the Professional Photographers Guild of Houston; and the Houston Photographic Society as well as a member of Friends of Photography in Camel, California. Don is also an accomplished printmaker. Don's current venture is interpreting the vast landscapes of the American West. The exhibit can be viewed Monday through Saturday 10 am to 5 pm. Don's work will be available for purchase.

Feel free to contact us for additional information or questions by calling the Carson Valley Arts Council office at 782-8207. Visit our website at [www.cvartscouncil.com](http://www.cvartscouncil.com) to learn more about CVAC and upcoming events. The Copeland Gallery is located at 1572 US Hwy 395, Minden (corner of Hwy 395 and County Road).



**WE NEED YOU!!** Time to become a sponsor for Carson Valley Arts Council events and concerts for 2024-25 season. Your business's name and logo can be in every concert program, on the CVAC website and promotions. It takes volunteers and sponsors and community support to make everything happen. An individual or a business or organization can become a member or sponsor for Carson Valley Arts Council concerts, arts outreach at schools, art exhibits, mini-grants for arts teachers, or community arts events. Call our office for more information or Visit our website at [www.cvartscouncil.com](http://www.cvartscouncil.com)

## Genoa Western Heritage Days

April 26 - 28, 2024

Brought to you by Friends of Genoa



Dave Stamey

### Town Hall Concerts

Friday, April 26, 7:30 p.m. \$45

*Dave Stamey  
Carin Mari*



Carin Mari

Saturday, April 27, 7:30 p.m. \$45

*Trinity Seely  
Sam Platts  
and The Plainsmen*



Trinity Seely



Sam Platts and  
The Plainsmen

Sunday, April 28  
9 a.m.

*Cowboy Church with Trinity Seely*

### Saturday Festival 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. FREE!

A Western American Art Show - Western Vendors & Makers  
Children's Activities - Living History with Chautauqua Performers  
Live Music - Ag in the Classroom - Cowboy Poetry  
Civil War Reenactments - PLUS the Horse Parade at 2 p.m.

**Progressive Dinner at Local Restaurants 4:30-6:30 p.m. \$40**

**Support the Event - Become a Heritage Sponsor!** \$150 per person - includes both concerts, 4 drink tickets, tax deduction, public recognition

Tickets go on sale **January 2, 2024!** Town of Genoa, 2289 Main Street, 775-782-8696; by mail to Friends of Genoa, PO Box 224, Genoa, NV 89411 (make checks out to Friends of Genoa); online at [www.genoanevada.org](http://www.genoanevada.org) or [EventBrite.com](http://EventBrite.com).



## Thank you 2022-23 Sponsors and Supporters

Special thanks goes to our sponsors for the Concert Series and the Art Studio Tour. Please thank all of our sponsors and supporters for making the ARTS important in our community. Nevada Arts Council, National Endowment for the Arts, WESTAF, Carson Valley Inn, Douglas County, BDR Construction, Coffee on Main, Record Courier, Sierra View Dental Center, Carson Valley United Methodist Church, Douglas Democrats/DCDemocratic Women, Breaux Accounting Group, Double J Auto, Mort's Auto Body, Custom Framing & Design, Art Gallery @ Prism, East Fork Gallery, Gadzooks, Genoa Gallery, Bike Habitat, Towns of Minden and Gardnerville, Carson Valley Visitor's Authority and Chamber of Commerce, the Smallwood Foundation, Heritage Bank, and Karen and Brian Fitzgerald.

Visit our website at [www.cvartscouncil.com](http://www.cvartscouncil.com)



### REDUCE TAXES, INCREASE IMPACT!

The IRA charitable rollover or Qualified Charitable Deduction (QCD) provides several benefits. If YOU are 70½ and older, you can transfer up to \$100,000 from a traditional IRA directly to a nonprofit each year. You pay NO taxes on the transfer and your gift counts dollar-for-dollar to support our important work in Carson Valley.

To benefit this year, your IRA Qualified Charitable Deduction needs to be made before December 31. Call your financial advisor or IRA administrator for more details on how to make the IRA charitable rollover work for you.

How It Works.... You have your IRA administrator simply write the QCD check to "Carson Valley Arts Council". The check can be given to you to deliver to the Carson Valley Arts Council or mailed directly to CVAC.

### MAJOR GIFT WITH MINOR EFFORT

Many people are discovering that they can make a big difference to help further our mission with QCD or IRA charitable rollover gift. For an added benefit consider designating our organization as a beneficiary of your IRA or in your estate plan. Thanks to you, our mission will continue . . .

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## Carson Valley Arts Council CONCERT SERIES 2023/2024

# DAVID JACOBS- STRAIN & BOB BEACH



SHOW 7 PM  
DOORS  
OPEN 6 PM

#ARTSINCARSONVALLEY

**FRIDAY  
MAY 10, 2024**

**CVIC HALL  
ESMERALDA AVE, MINDEN**

David Jacobs-Strain is a slide-driven country blues player and song poet from Oregon. His deep love of blues and roots music is evident in every one of the songs he writes. David Jacobs-Strain and Bob Beach are a multi-generational duo who has been performing together since 2010. <http://www.davidjacobs-strain.com>

**\$22 MEMBER; \$24 IN ADVANCE; \$27 AT THE DOOR; UNDER 18 FREE WITH PAID ADULT**  
PURCHASE INDIVIDUAL TICKETS: CALL 775-782-8207, [WWW.CVARTSCOUNCIL.COM](http://WWW.CVARTSCOUNCIL.COM)  
OR CVAC OFFICE LOCATED AT 1572 US HWY 395, MINDEN





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