39TH ANNUAL OB STREET FAIR & CHILI COOK-OFF • SATURDAY, JUNE 23 • 10AM-8PM

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Music, art, food and fun at 39th annual OB Street Fair & Chili Cook-Off

San Diego is fortunate to have many open-air events throughout the year, but nothing compares to the OB Street Fair & Chili Cook-Off. Now in its 39th year, with its mix of music, art, food and fun, as well as its location right at the edge of the beach, it’s simply hard to beat.

More than 70,000 people are expected to attend the event this year along Newport Avenue and its side streets. Four stages will provide entertainment, with an interactive fun zone, a two block long Artists Alley, featuring unique hand crafted items, a beachside beer garden and a community mural, among the events many highlights. It’s a kaleidoscope for the senses.

“The transformation of Newport Avenue is amazing,” said Ocean Mainstreet Association executive director Denny Knox. “It brings all different aspects of the community. There’s something for everybody, young and old, with great food and music as a big draw.”

Musical performers this year will include award-winning Americana / Jam band, The Moves Collective, top notch Grateful Dead tribute band, Electric Waste Band, and rising reggae favorite, Skyler Lutes.

“Something different we have not done before is adding a DJ to the beer garden on an elevated bar top,” said Ted Wigler, who books the event alongside Michael Head, and has been volunteering in that capacity for 15 years. “It will provide a bit more ambience in the beer garden when there’s transitions’ going on the stage.”

Additionally a pair of contests have been added to the day’s schedule. “There will be a 50-50 raffle with proceeds going to the Ocean Beach Elementary School to drawings that afternoon at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. as well as a corn hole tournament with the ability to win cash prizes,” he explained. Additional contests include the annual Hodad’s Burger Eating Competition.

Wigler’s reasons for getting involved are altruistic “I truly like to see a nice event fly in the community,” he said. “Before I began volunteering, I know they spent quite a bit of money paying an outside company to do this. I was booking the music at Winston’s and I figured it was a great way to give back to the community by saving them cash paying an outside buyer.”

Head concurs with Wigler’s sentiment. “My only motivation is to give back to OB,” said. “I kind of started my music career there, after a few years in LA, and it’s full circle situation with me back there and running the music for the OBMA, and all of their civic events.

“I also want to let people know that OB is more than just its reputation, maybe seen as a hippie town stuck in time – there’s a lot more to it than that. I want people to come from all over and have a new appreciation of what OB is all about. I’m just spreading the love,” Head said.

Wigler notes that each stage has a back line of musical gear, making stage transitions much smoother. “We have a full drum kit and bass rig, which saves a lot of time, it also helps condense vehicles as the drummer...
For chili lovers in San Diego, there is no doubt that the cook-off at the Ocean Beach Street Fair is the main event. There is never a shortage of activities on the day, but the one essential thing to do is visit the Chili Cook-Off, located at the foot of Newport Avenue, right next to the beach.

As much as it’s about the food, the cook-off is also lot of fun with boisterous chefs and their crew doing what they can to garner votes for their wares in a friendly competition.

You’ll want to get there early. While the tasting doesn’t start until 11 a.m. the line can start forming up to an hour earlier. Tickets for tasting and judging the various entrants chili is the same as last year: $2 for two servings or you can get a people’s choice ticket for $20, allowing you to sample chili from all the competitors.

Almost 20 entries will be represented, with contestants judged in two main categories, restaurant and amateur. Meanwhile, criteria is set to include consistency, smell, color and taste. Both meat and vegetarian chili will be available, but even with all those competitors the food goes fast. Another 60 gallons of committee chili will be provided by OB Surf Lodge, but even when added to the 10 gallons provided by each contestant, by 2 p.m., it’s all gone.

The Chili Cook Off is now in its 34th year, founded in 1984 by current OBMA board of directors’ member Mike Akey, with money raised by the event going to help fund Ocean Beach’s annual fireworks display.

Looking back over the decades of cook-offs, Akey admits to being amazed by the event’s longevity. “I never would have thought that something that started on one small street, with 15 cookers, would turn into an event with over 70,000 people,” he said. “It shows that OB can and does get together for a good and safe time.”

According to Akey, ingredients vary and the spice level can range widely, but with decades of experience behind him, he notes that “I used to think I could figure out what it takes to make a winner. But there are so many variables today, you just have to dig in and taste the various entries.”

Akey points out that some contestants do their best to draw support for their entries with outlandish costumes and themed booths. “Of course that sort of thing counts with both the public and the judges. We even have an award for that.

“Besides the awards for the chili, we also have something for the most enthusiastic entrant. It’s pretty straight forward when it comes to the most popular chili at the event. They have the longest lines.”

Besides the judges’ categories, other prizes awarded include “People’s Choice” and “Hottest Chili.” Winners will be announced on the Main Stage at 3:50 p.m.

Despite the hard work organizing the event for more than three decades, Akey has no plans for slowing down. “My role in all this is pretty straight forward,” he said. “My vote breaks ties and I do my best to keep judges happy.

“I’m a native of the area and this is still a lot of fun. It’s something that I like to do, so as long as I can do it I will,” he said good-naturedly.

Who’s got the best chili? Taste for yourself at the annual cook-off
OB Street Fair showcases some of the area’s best bands

While the OB Street Fair has much to offer attendees, music is the event’s top draw, with dozens of the area’s best artists, across genres, performing on four stages. Fittingly, this year’s official Street Fair theme is “Music & Art,” with a great line-up booked by Ted Wigler, who handled the main stage while performing the same duties at Winston’s, alongside Michael Head, of Cabeza Records, who booked the remaining stages.

The OB Street Fair takes pride in featuring many performers who either live in Ocean Beach or have strong ties to the area.

“The OBMA and Ocean Beach Town Council really care about music, and it shows,” remarked Head. “We look for diversity from year to year. We like to have a wide variety of styles—we include Americana/bluegrass, blues, rock, reggae and jam bands. We’ve had jazz bands, kids bands and even belly dancers. OB is open to everything, so why not give them everything?”

**MAIN STAGE**

First off, the Main Stage, located right at the edge of the beach, at the foot of Newport Avenue, has an impressive roster topped by Americana quartet, **The Moves Collective** (7 p.m.), who took home the 2018 San Diego Music Award for “Best Country or Americana Band.”

Other notables include classic rockers, **Stone Horse** (11 a.m.), featuring local heroes, Carlos Rodriguez (guitar) and Jeff Bloom (bass), reggae band, **Ease Up** (5:45 p.m.), who will be performing in support of their new EP “Return to Sender,” and **The Sure Fire Soul Ensemble**, a horn driven big band that’s sure to get the crowds up and dancing.

**92107 STAGE**

A few blocks over, the 92107 Stage features what is sure to be one of the event’s highlights, a closing set from Grateful Dead tribute combo, **Electric Waste Band** (6 p.m.). Also on hand will be **The Country Rockin’ Rebels** (5:45 p.m.), which includes lead guitar work from the event’s Michael Head, with an opening performance from **Travis Oliver** (10 a.m.).

**BACON SUN STAGE**

Meanwhile, the Bacon Sun Stage will feature an eclectic bill that includes local institution **Jefferson** and indie rockers **League of Liars** (1:30 p.m.), which includes two members, Michael Fairchild and Spikie Mike Mullenberg, who have gone on to side fame as members of infamous tribute band, The Spice Pistols.

**ARTISTS ALLEY STAGE**

Finally, the Artists Alley Stage will host seven bands including **Falling Doves** (11 a.m.), who recently recorded a 91X-FM Pyles Sessions / Loudspeaker segment with original Beatles drummer, Pete Best, and country combo, **Three Chord Justice** (3 p.m.).

Additionally, fair goers will have the opportunity to play music themselves. Local music school / studio, Rock ‘n’ Roll San Diego, will provide a musical petting zoo on Newport Avenue, allowing folks to try out various musical instruments. They will also offer a free, quick music lesson, giving anyone the chance to play classic rock tunes, such as “Smoke On The Water” or “Louie Louie,” alongside a live band.

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Children – and parents – will be happy with Wonderland Fun Zone offerings

By BART MENDOZA | The Beacon

What would a Street Fair be without a Fun Zone? The Ocean Beach Street Fair has one of the best, eschewing typical mechanical fair rides, for more interactive, inflatable fun. Offering something for all ages, from toddlers to the young at heart, the Kid Fun Zone is named for the legendary Ocean Beach theme park that once stood in the area that is now Dog Beach.

Parents will be happy to hear that in addition to activities for all ages, the area will also offer healthier snack options, as well as tables and chairs for parents to rest up while their children let off a little steam.

There will be a trackless train circling through the area for the younger set, but the 10 main attractions in the zone are meant for participation. Highlights include a 35 foot tall, pirate-themed 70-foot zip line, “The Swashbuckler,” which has participants “walking the plank.” It’s height gives the best view of the entire Street Fair, making it an ideal picture spot.

Meanwhile there will also be a “Coconut Tree Climb,” a variation on the popular rock climbing walls that sees participants scaling 30-foot high palm trees; as well as the return of Zorb Balls, basically large people-sized inflatable hamster wheels that can roll and bump each other.

“That’s always one of the most popular areas,” said OBMA office assistant Claudia Jack. “It’s always fun to watch folks trying out the different games and it seems to stay busy from set up to break down, especially the Coconut Tree Climb,” she said.

“The view from the top of that attraction must be amazing,” she said. “It’s definitely an area that people linger in, so we’ve tried to make it as user-friendly as possible, with tables and chairs for parents.”

Sean Walker, of EMS Attractions, who will provide the Fun Zone games, notes that while events like the Street Fair are a major part of their business, it was originally a sideline. “Our company owns and operates paintball parks on military bases,” he explained. “They asked us to provide kids activities at some of them and it has grown incredibly from there. While they work at many events every year, “The OB Street Fair is one of our favorite annual events,” Walker said “The whole thing has a good vibe, with a good mix of locals and people coming in for the fun. It feels more ‘local’ than some of the other similar events in town.”

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Find locally made crafts, clothes and more at Artists' Alley

Anyone looking for a unique gift idea, be it for a birthday, anniversary or the upcoming holiday season, need look no further than the OB Street Fair’s Artist Alley.

Located along two blocks of Cable Street, between Niagara Avenue and Santa Monica Avenue, with more than 75 artists in residence and its own trolley stop, Artists Alley is a wonderland of art treasures, inspiring household items and more. Ocean Beach has long been known as an artist-friendly community and that taps directly into what makes Artist Alley so special: they strive to focus on creators from the area, with the booths and spaces devoted exclusively to handmade items.

“’It’s all about one of a kind gifts,’” said OBMA executive director Denny Knox. “This area is one of the jewels at the Street Fair. You really can find something for all ages here, starting whether it’s for kids at the Young At Art (AA-11/12) booth, which has all kinds of interactive art that kids can do and it just builds from there. It’s such a colorful area and it’s always interesting to see what is new each year.”

Highlights for 2018 include the Air Plant Arts, with living plant sculptures and hangings, Poster Heaven, which offers silk screened items to paper in wood, with images ranging from classic surf scenes to numerous rock stars and The Art of Rizzo Michelle, which specializes in adorable animal items, from plush toys to magnets. Meanwhile, the youngest fair goers there is Lil Be, which features baby blankets and onesies.

“I’ve said it before, but that area is something we are really proud of,” said Knox. “It’s amazing to consider how it’s grown over the years and is now a major draw for both artists and everyone who attends the street fair,” she said.

For more information on this year’s Artists Alley’s vendors, visit oceanbeachsandiego.com.

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League of Liars

While indie rockers, League of Liars, do occasionally perform offbeat covers, such as Wall of Voodoo’s “Mexican Radio,” this is a band focused on classic sounding originals, mixing up rock, new wave, power-pop and post punk influences. Appearing at the Bacon Sun Stage (1:30 p.m.), the band includes Michael Fairchild (vocals/guitar), Spike Mike Muellenberg (bass), Tim Dowd (drums) and David Hamilton (lead guitar), all the bands members are solid players, but the bands MVP is Fairchild.

He is a manic and inspired performer, complete with custom rotary telephone microphone and an intense stage presence, the perfect frontman for the band’s edgy, but hook filled songs. Being in San Diego during summer, Fairchild notes there is little concern for weather conditions at an outdoor event.

“Most of our set lists are improvised depending on the feel of the audience, although when playing outside it’s easy to lean on the faster, more energetic songs,” he said. “It’s really hard to pull off a melancholy ballad with a face full of sunshine.”

Find out more at reverbnation.com/leagueofliars.

Skyler Lutes

Reggae fans will enjoy the music of OB resident Skyler Lutes, who performs at the Bacon Sun Stage (noon). Though he often plays solo, this will be a full band show, with an emphasis on rhythm and beat. Lutes has just released a new single, “Where This Goes,” from his latest album, “Tidelines,” featuring Evan Hawkins of reggae favorites, Through the Roots. The song nicely showcases Lutes melody heavy island sounds. Lutes excels at tunes that capture the feel of summer and pacific ocean breezes, radio friendly gems worthy of national attention.

Find out more at skylerlutesmusic.com.

The Dave Gilbert Band

While original music will be included, The Dave Gilbert Band is planning to feature choice covers during their 92107 Stage set (noon). Gilbert is a guitarist and OB resident, as well as a mainstay of the local music scene since the 1970s, with a vast repertoire of classic tunes, from rock ‘n’ roll favorites to pop standards.

“We want folks to enjoy the day and songs that they’re familiar with,” he said. “We choose songs that have more of an OB vibe. These crowds really know their stuff so you have to be on your game.” Find out more at facebook.com/DaveGilbertMusic.
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The Moves Collective, one of the highlights of 2017’s OB Street Fair, returns to the event for a second year, now elevated to Main Stage headliner. The past 12 months have been a heck of a ride for the four piece jam band, including touring through 11 states, the release of their latest album, “Endless Road” and then taking home the trophy for “Best Country of Americana Band” at the 2018 San Diego Music Awards.

Fronted by guitarist and OB resident, Tim Norton, the band includes Josh Nathan (drums), Isaac Lopez (bass) and Paul Chuey (sax, slide guitar, flute). Originally from Ashland, Mass., Norton found his way West in 2013 for pragmatic reason’s. “I drove across the country with my partner, Rae Irelan and we ‘settled’ on SD, where her family resides,” he explained. “I had been in the Northeast all my life and wanted to try something new and switch up my surroundings.”

The relocation has worked out well for Norton, with the SDMA win a nice cherry on the cake for all the band’s hard work. “It was truly surprising to win,” he said. “I got up there at the podium and just blankly mumbled something along the lines of ‘come see us at our next show – thank you – thank you!’ I felt pretty funny and it certainly caught me off guard.”

Norton likes his groups road trips, but he notes that nothing compares to San Diego and OB. “The support this band has seen at home in San Diego is truly incredible,” he said. “We wouldn’t be where we are without the community that surrounds this band.”

While Norton was thrilled with his combo’s SDMA win, he notes it’s hard to pigeonhole the Moves Collective’s music. “We’re influenced by bands like Phish, Leftover Salmon, String Cheese Incident,” he said. “Our sound is rooted in the jam band world, it bridges the gap between timeless Americana songwriting and groovy funk jaunts, slapped in the face with some bluegrass and then filtered through some sort of futuristic alien megaphone. We love to improvise and create new musical moments out of each song, each night, each set list.”

Moves Collective is prepping for more touring through the rest of the year and the recording of their third album, but in the meantime, Norton is happy to be playing at the Street Fair once again, especially as the event’s headliner, taking the stage at 7 p.m.

“It’s pretty remarkable, to be honest,” he said. “I fell in love with OB five years ago when I moved to San Diego. To have the opportunity to perform my original music – with such a loving cast of artists – in front of one of the most beautiful communities I’ve known and loved – is truly a privilege that I’m grateful for.”

What does he enjoy most about the event? “The diversity of the people, witnessing folks from all over as they come out to celebrate the start of summer,” he said. “It’s the ‘Summer of Love’ every year here.”

Find out more at themovescollective.com.
When it comes to volunteers, OBMA director Denny Knox doesn’t hesitate to cite their importance. “They are one of the most vital parts of the Street Fair, it just wouldn’t be possible otherwise,” she said. “On the day of the event over 170 volunteers will help out, working on everything from setting up booths to booking the music and everything imaginable in between. It’s their efforts that keep things running,” she said.

Ted Wigler, who co-books the event alongside Michael Head, agrees. “Truly if you’re going to mention anything about the street fair’s production, it’s important to thank all those volunteers who work so hard putting this thing together every year. People wake up at 1 a.m. the night before and don’t go to sleep until midnight the next night.”

Wigler nominates Kevin Rudnick who in addition to helping out at the Street Fair, also does sound at some of San Diego’s top venue’s, including the House of Blues, the Casbah and Winston’s. “He not only knows what’s going on with every band but also has the best time at this event, especially when it comes to helping out with the main stage transition from the Hodad’s hamburger eating contest into a band spot.”

“We try really hard to make this a destination event for all of San Diego and beyond,” notes Head. “Hundreds of volunteers work together throughout the event, and they are the ones that make it happen. Without them there is no street fair. So if you’re there and you see a volunteer, thank them. It’s probably because of them that you’re having such a good time,” he said.

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doesn’t need to arrive alone with a car full of drums and the bass player has the ability to show up with strictly his instrument.”

The OB Street Fair encourages interaction and that includes music, with local studio / music school Rock ‘n’ Roll San Diego, offering a free musical exploration zone of instruments, complete with on the spot lessons.

“We want to show that anyone can have fun and play music,” said Rock ‘n’ Roll San Diego owner Mark Langford. “Give us just a few minutes of your time and we’ll have you playing a classic song. Play solo or join in with our house band backing you.” He points out all age are welcome. “If you’ve always wanted to play an instrument, this is a great opportunity and it is loads of fun.”

For those artistically inclined, you can also take part in creating a community mural. Children and adults of all ages are welcome to purchase a $20 square at mural area on Bacon Street just south of Newport. After the Street Fair, the murals are sealed and installed in the community.

“That’s always a popular event,” Knox said. “The funds raised go towards installing the art, as well as maintaining the displays year round.

Additionally for ages 3-17, Artists Outpost will have a pair of booths in the Artists Alley section, offering fun activities such as face painting, a pottery wheel and other arts and crafts for youngsters to try out. “We’ve done this a few years now,” said owner Meryl Hamilton. “It’s wonderful how the entire community comes together for this event. It truly is a great gathering.”

For her part, Knox notes that organizers start work on the fair in January, but the months of hard work are all worth it come the third week of June. “We have 170 volunteers and unfortunately we don’t get to take in the fun quite the same way as the attendees do, but it is still very rewarding to see the happy faces throughout the day.”

Head agrees. “My favorite thing about the street fair is simply the people. All of the folks that attend from all over the county and the world really. Seeing the mix of people, mingling with the locals and all of the colors, sounds, sights and (dare we say) smells of OB. It all blends together to make a beautiful stew of people, cultures and ways of life. They all come together for this great OB event.”

Anyone wanting to avoid the parking and traffic mayhem near the fair itself has several options. For bicyclists, The San Diego County Bicycle Coalition will provide a free bike valet area on Bacon Street at Newport Avenue. Meanwhile those with cars can drop off their vehicles and grab a trolley, running from 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m., to the fair from either the Sunrunner lot at the corner of Pacific Highway and Sea World Drive or the lot near Robb Field at 2244 Bacon St. The trolley drops passengers off in the Artist’s Alley section of the street fair.
2018 MUSIC LINE-UP (also see back cover for schedule and stage locations)

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Beer Garden/OB Pier Parking lot at foot of Newport Ave

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MAIN STAGE:  
STONE HORSES - 11:00 - 12:00
We are Stone Horse, a San Diego based hard driving, ground pounding yet sophisticated Rock N Roll Band. Adhering to traditional Rock N Roll roots, our cover songs will get people on their feet but our originals is where we REALLY shine. If Rock that harkens from an era of true Musical Masters is what you’re looking for, look no further, Stone Horse will fit that bill! You’ll not just hear our tasty licks, you won’t just see our pretty faces, you’ll feel Stone Horse in your Rock N Roll Soul! It’s what we live for!

HANG ZERO’S - 12:30 - 1:20
Bomb Squad is a hard-hitting, aggressive, in-your-face funk trio that brings a party to the stage every time they play! They’ve opened for well respect-ed artists in the Funk/Jam worlds, including The Floozies, TAUK, Charlie Hunter, Spafford & Kweko (ft. members of Umphreys Mcgee and The String Cheese Incident).

BOMB SQUAD - 1:45 - 2:30
Stone Horse

SURE FIRE SOUL ENSEMBLE - 3:00 - 3:50
Bear witness to this raw, super funky, 8 piece powerhouse. The Sure Fire Soul Ensemble is the truth.

BAND OF GRINGOS - 4:20 - 5:20
B.o.G. is a true rockin’ power trio born and raised in Ocean Beach. With a big sound and classic vibe, their original music will transport you back in time.

EASE UP (REGGAE) - 5:45 - 6:30
Ease Up

THE MOVES COLLECTIVE - 7:00 - 8:00
The Moves Collective is a driving force in the US music scene, supporting ide-ologies, companies and non-profit groups that propel sustainability, community building and positivity for our future. Through our timeless musical experiences, we invite audiences to celebrate life, community, culture.  

92107 STAGE:
Bacon St. at Santa Monica Ave - OB Music, Roots, Rock, Jam

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BACON SUN STAGE:
Sponsored Raglan Public House
Bacon Street at Niagara Ave - Alternative, Rock, Reggae.

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ARTISTS ALLEY STAGE:
Cable Street between Niagara and Newport - Americana, Blues, Rock

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2018 MUSIC LINE-UP (also see back cover for schedule and stage locations)

and collaboration. As young leaders in today’s music industry and eco-revolution, we push boundaries creatively and consciously to promote limitless possibilities and remind audiences of the present moment. This ripple effect of awareness is our goal; inspiring our audiences to positively impact their local communities, to contribute positive change globally.

92107 STAGE:
TRAVIS OLIVER - 10:00 - 10:40
A well seasoned acoustic guitarist, singer and songwriter that specializes in flatpicking guitar and roots music. Travis’ performances strategically balance fiery guitar picking, tone filled melodies, heart felt ballads and witty song selections to entertain the listener and keep them wondering what will come next.

BROWN PARTY LIQUOR BAND - 11:00 - 11:40
DAVE GILVERT BAND - 12:00 - 1:00
THE MONEYMEN - 1:30 - 2:30
The Moneymen are a good time southern California blues-rock band. We feature a wicked tight rhythm section with Steve Tahmahkera on drums and Cody Christian on bass, as well as SD music veteran Michael Head on guitar and vocalist/harpist Kris Wott. Young, raw, and hailing from Akron, Ohio, Kris’ powerful vocals will impress listeners young and old. This combined with the experience, musical passion and dedication of the band make The Moneymen a unique, authentic and crowd pleasing musical experience.

SHAKEDOWN STRING BAND - 3:00 - 4:00
COUNTRY ROCKIN’ REBELS - 4:00 - 5:30
Country Rockin’ Rebels captures the essence of Americana by performing high-quality original songs written, sung, and played by duo Tristan Luhrs (vocals, acoustic guitar) and Michael Head (backing vocals, electric guitar). The duo are also joined by band mates Steve Tahmahkera (drums), Ted Stern (fiddle and pedal steel), Kris Wott (harp), and Tony Sandoval (electric bass). They perform country, rock and Irish influenced crowd favorites such as “Wagon Wheel,” “Shipping up to Boston,” and “Runnin’ Down a Dream”. CRR is also eclectic with cover tunes spanning from Elvis Presley, Tom Petty, Chuck Berry, and The Rolling Stones, to BB King, Chris Stapleton, Johnny Cash, and even Pink Floyd. Country Rockin’ Rebels has performed all over San Diego including House of Blues, the OB Street Fair, Art Around Adams/Adams Avenue Street Fair and the San Diego St. Patrick’s Day festival in Balboa Park.

ELECTRIC WASTE BAND - 6:00 - 7:00

BACON SUN STAGE:
HALF BLOOD - 10:00-10:40
JEFFERSON JAY BAND - 11:00 - 11:40
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SKYLER LUTES - 12:00 - 1:00
LEAGUE OF LIARS - 1:30 - 2:30
CARDINAL MOON - 1:30 - 2:30
Dawn Mitschele’s compelling voice grows into more expansive territory with her new project Cardinal Moon. The gifted singer-songwriter has joined forces with lyricist Alfred Howard and the accomplished musicians of The Redwoods Music label to amplify the intimacy of her solo work with picturesque tunes that range from bouncy blue eyed pop songs to immersive Southwestern ballads.

THE HIPS - 3:40 - 5:30
CRUCIAL BLENDS - 6:00 - 7:00

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Shake Down String Band

The Main Stage (Sponsored by Locul Craft) on the beach front, will be the site of a diverse line-up of bands

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