



## Weekend Line-Up Ticket Packages

### Welcome to Mendocino County's first Almost Fringe Festival!

This month-long festival is a celebration of all the creative happenings countywide, from artsy to agrarian. In order to shine the spotlight on all the communities within our vast geographic regions, each travel corridor of the county has a dedicated weekend. With over 60 events to choose from throughout the month of April, attendees will certainly find something that is sure to please and we encourage you to peruse our [comprehensive listing of events](#) to select the perfect happenings to fill your Mendocino County Almost Fringe Weekend.

### Weekend Line-Up Ticket Packages:

For those wanting a more streamlined experience, we've created one curated package per weekend to make your Almost Fringe entertainment seamless!

Below, you will find ticket packages for each weekend. (Prices listed are per person and vary according to ticket values of each event.) Details on each package can be found on the following pages.

**REDWOOD CORRIDOR - \$75** (March 31, April 1, 2 - Hopland, Ukiah, Willits)

**NORTH COAST - \$55** (April 7, 8, 9 - Mendocino, Fort Bragg)

**ANDERSON VALLEY - \$25** (April 21, 22, 23 - Yorkville, Boonville, Philo)

**SOUTH COAST - \$78** (April 28, 29, 30 - Elk, Pt Arena, Gualala)

### Lodging for your Almost Fringe Weekend:

Mendocino County offers some amazing lodging options throughout the county!

We have something for every taste at every price point.

Please [visit our website](#) to see for yourself!

**Come enjoy ART in the springtime with Wine, Waves & Wilderness.....**

To see a comprehensive listing of events for the entire month, go to [www.visitmendocino.com/fringe](http://www.visitmendocino.com/fringe).

For information or questions, please call Luz Harvey at (707) 964-9010 x 102 or [Luz@VisitMendocino.com](mailto:Luz@VisitMendocino.com)



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**REDWOOD CORRIDOR - \$75 (+ \$5.12 fee)**

**(March 31, April 1, 2 - Hopland, Ukiah, Willits)**

**Friday March 31:**

Ukiah:

**5:00-7:00PM Trash to Fashion & Art Clock Auction:** You've heard the term "trash to treasure", but how about "trash to fashion". This art exhibit features fashions and accessories constructed from previously used materials rescued from recycling, trash or thrift stores. This "fringy" event is coupled with a silent auction of unusual, whimsical, and artistic working Art Clocks created by local artists. Refreshments and Live Music!

**201 South State Street , Ukiah [www.cornergalleryukiah.com/](http://www.cornergalleryukiah.com/) free**

Hopland:

**7:00 – 9:00PM Comedy Show at Hopland Taphouse:** Enjoy an evening of Live Stand-Up Comedy at the Hopland Ale House! Hosting the show will be Casey Williams, featuring will be Steve Ausburne and the Headliner is Jill Maragos! All 3 comics are coming from Sonoma County! This is going to be a great night of food, beer and laughter!! 21 and over only.

**13351 US 101, Hopland [www.hoplandtaphouse.com](http://www.hoplandtaphouse.com) free**

**Saturday April 1:**

Willits:

**10:00AM – 12:00PM Draw til you Drop:** At Willits Center for the Arts, 24 Artists will start drawing, painting, quilting, mosaicing or collaging at 10 am and continue making ART for a minimum of twelve hours, as musicians and poets help inspire them. This is a fabulously fun event to watch...and a perfect fundraiser to help support the Willits Center for the Arts and the Arts Council of Mendocino County.

**71 E. Commercial St, Willits [willitscenterforthearts.org/](http://willitscenterforthearts.org/) free (donations welcome)**

Hopland:

**12:00-4:00PM Mendocino County Sparkling Wine Tasting at Terra Savia:** Enjoy this event by sampling some of Mendocino County's finest sparkling wines poured by at least local 10 wineries. While the bubbles tickle your taste buds, you'll feast Tomales Bay Oysters and other snacks. Stroll the loft-like tasting room and view local artwork in this edgy winery/gallery combo as Mendocino County kicks off the Almost Fringe Festival.

**14160 Mountain House Rd, Hopland [www.terrasavia.com](http://www.terrasavia.com) \$45 (negotiated price; reg \$65)**

Ukiah:

**8:00-10:00PM Green Day's American Idiot:** Mendocino College Theatre Arts presents Green Day's American Idiot! Green Day's powerhouse album is brought to life in this electric-rock musical of youthful disillusionment. This show features adult content, strong language, the use of fog, strobe lights and loud rock music.

**1000 Hensley Creek Rd, Ukiah [mendocinocollege.edu/AmericanIdiot](http://mendocinocollege.edu/AmericanIdiot) \$20**

**Sunday April 2:**

Ukiah:

**12:00-4:30PM Grace Hudson Museum – Wild Fabrications Quilt Exhibit:** Contemporary art quilts by members of the nationwide Studio Art Quilt Associates (SAQA) celebrating animals both real and fantastical, these textile pieces use unexpected materials and unconventional techniques.

**431 S. Main St, Ukiah [www.gracehudsonmuseum.org](http://www.gracehudsonmuseum.org) free**

**Friday April 7:**

Fort Bragg:

**5:00-7:00PM Self-Guided First Friday Art Walk – Downtown Galleries :** Stroll charming downtown Fort Bragg and experience the towns vibrant and lively art scene. Local galleries, studios and retailers will host the public, starting at 5:00PM with fun activities, refreshments, and convivial conversation. **Downtown Fort Bragg [fortbragg.com](http://fortbragg.com) free**

**8:00PM – Midnight “The Head is Rolling” 1 year celebration of the Sevr Head Gallery:** Join graffiti artist Benny Bones as he celebrates the one year anniversary of his art experiment, the Sevr Head Gallery! This evening will feature street art, live art, projection art, Live DJ and refreshments...Come ready to dance! This ticket package is good for night one of Bones’ three day pARTy! **542-D North Main St, Fort Bragg (707) 513-8272 \$8**

**Saturday April 8:**

Fort Bragg:

**7:00-9:00PM “Dave Berkman/ Dayna Stephens” @ Sequoia Room:** North Coast Brewing Company is an avid supporter of live music, especially JAZZ! **David Berkman** is an important part of the New York jazz community as an award-winning composer/bandleader (as a leader he’s appeared on numerous best records of the year, critic’s lists including the New York Times and the Village Voice among others.) **Dayna Stephens** has emerged as one of his generation’s most distinguished modern jazz tenor saxophonists and composers. The New York Times heralded Stephens as a “must see,” and wrote, “Everything flows with unusual flow fluency and makes you feel rewarded,” regarding his improvisational facilities. 13 and over only; must be accompanied by responsible adult.

**444 North Main St, Fort Bragg [www.northcoastbrewing.com](http://www.northcoastbrewing.com) \$20**

Mendocino:

**8:00PM – 12:00AM “Dystopian Prom”:** The sweet nostalgia of a high school prom superimposed over a gritty end of the world landscape....This prom is a one of a kind entertainment event featuring interactive survival games, DJ music, an occasional awkward ‘slow’ dance, circus performances and the much anticipated ‘Anti Prom King and Queen contest’. Dress your best and adorn with survival gear for the apocalypse of your choosing. Bring a sharpened sense of humor, get your dance on and party like there's literally no tomorrow! No host bar, games and vendors...21 and over only. at **Crown Hall 45285 Ukiah St, Mendocino [www.flynncreekcircus.com](http://www.flynncreekcircus.com) \$20**

**Sunday April 9:**

Fort Bragg:

**2:00-4:00PM “Spring Concert” Symphony of Redwoods:** Led by conductor Allen Pollack, the Symphony of the Redwoods concludes the season with two giants of the classical repertoire. The Third Symphony of Brahms, followed by pianist Spencer Myer, accompanied by the orchestra, performing Beethoven's Fourth Piano Concerto.

at **Cotton Auditorium, 500 N Harold St, Fort Bragg [www.symphonyoftheredwoods.org](http://www.symphonyoftheredwoods.org) \$7 (negotiated price; reg \$20)**



**Friday April 21:**

Philo & Boonville:

**11:00-5:00PM Various Exhibits and Open Studios:** Anderson Valley is home to an eclectic and talented group of artists. For this weekend, several are opening their studios to give you a ‘behind the scenes’ understanding of where and how they work, plus an opportunity to peruse their work firsthand. For a comprehensive list, see the links below. **free**

**7:00-9:00PM Mendocino County Museum Roadshow:** – Come experience this touring variety-style show of education, culture and theatre. Spotlighting Mendocino County history and talent, the performances draw from transcribed archives & other primary source material and use storytelling to connect our county’s diverse communities by bringing the museum ‘to the people’ in an imaginative and creative way.

9800 Hwy 128, Philo [www.mendocinomuseumroadshow.org](http://www.mendocinomuseumroadshow.org) \$20

**Saturday April 22:**

Boonville:

**10:00AM – Noon 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Goat & Wildflower Show:** Once again sharing the Mendocino County Fairgrounds with AV Unity Club’s Spring Wildflower Show, this Goat Show is not just about goats and goat cheese. GoatFest is a family fun celebration of springtime, community, and country living.

14400 Hwy 128, Boonville <http://avfoodshed.com/av-goat-festival/> \$5

**Noon – 1:30PM Fringe Food at Pennyroyal:** A visit to Anderson Valley would not be complete without a stop at Pennyroyal Farms! This weekend, their executive chef will be preparing a full menu of full and raw milk cheeses. Farm barn tours will be available for additional fee\* at 10AM and 2PM. \*=\$20 for adults; \$10 for children; kids under 5 free

14930 Hwy 128, Boonville [www.pennyroyalfarm.com](http://www.pennyroyalfarm.com) **free (Fringe Food only; Package does not include tour)**

Philo:

**1:30 – 3:30PM Photo Show at Navarro Vineyards:** Anderson Valley High School senior Chris Espinoza will be showcasing his artwork in the gardens of Navarro Vineyards. His photographs will also be available for purchase with proceeds going to the school’s photography department. Light appetizers and an extensive list of Navarro’s award winning wines available for tasting. 5601 Hwy 128, Philo [www.navarrowine.com/neighbors](http://www.navarrowine.com/neighbors) **free**

**3:30 – 6:00PM Almost Fringe Extravaganza at the Bewildered Pig:** Perfumers Fitzgerald and Guislain will perform an “Olfactory Art” piece -a fragrance made in the moment to capture the day. This performance is part of their *Plein Air Series*. To accent the experience there will be a Wildflower display; Live Cretan Music; Live Poetry/Rap and Handmade Jewelry; courtyard sculpture installation by Loraine Toth and Interior art by Juli Adams courtesy of Volakis Gallery. 1810 Highway 128, Philo [www.bewilderedpig.com](http://www.bewilderedpig.com) **free (appetizers & drinks will be available for purchase)**

**6:00-8:00PM Art and Opulence @ Scharffenberger Cellars:** Mendocino County artists Denver Tuttle and Julie Beardsley will exhibit their visually fascinating artworks at Scharffenberger Cellars for the month of April. Join them for this opening reception as the artist discuss their work. Bubbles will be poured compliments of Scharffenberger Cellars.

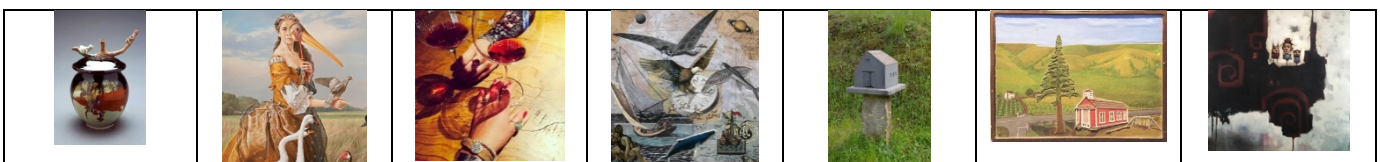
8501 Highway 128, Philo [www.scharffenbergercellars.com](http://www.scharffenbergercellars.com) **free**

**Sunday April 23:**

Philo & Boonville:

**11:00-5:00PM Various Exhibits and Open Studios:** See listing under Friday April 21 for more information. **free**

**Use these thumbnails for more information on Anderson Valley’s Various Exhibits and Open Studios**



**Friday April 28:**

Pt. Arena:

**7:00-9:00PM Blake Moore Poetry & Music @ 215 Main:** Accompanied by live music, Blake More performs her poetry using voice and movement. The author of two full-length books and one book of poetry, Blake's work has appeared in magazines and journals worldwide, including, Tokyo Time Out and Utne Reader.

**284 Main St, Pt Arena [www.coast-highway-artists.com/](http://www.coast-highway-artists.com/) free**

**9:00-11:30PM Zepparella @ Arena Theater:** Hailing from San Francisco, Zepparella is an all-female tribute band Drummer and founding member, Clementine states, "Our shows replicate the powerful, improvisational musical journey for which Zeppelin shows were renowned and we're intent on bringing alive the passion, the beauty, the aggression, the musicality of Led Zeppelin." **214 Main St, Pt Arena [www.arenatheater.org](http://www.arenatheater.org) \$20**

**Saturday April 29:**

Gualala:

**11:30AM –2:30PM Chowder Challenge & Jazz Mardi Gras Style:** Local chefs will vie for the title of "Best Mendonoma Coast Chowder" in the 14th Annual Chowder Challenge. This family-friendly midday event includes a concert of traditional New Orleans jazz performed once again by the ever-popular "Barnebey's Hot Four" of Sonoma County, returning to the Gualala Arts Center for the tenth straight year. Those wanting to work off their chowder tasting with dancing will find themselves toe-tapping and boot-stomping as the infectious beats of New Orleans pushes them towards the dance floor. **\$20**

**Gualala Arts, 46501 Old State Hwy, Gualala [gualalaarts.org/2017/04/chowder-challenge-chowder-jazz-2/](http://gualalaarts.org/2017/04/chowder-challenge-chowder-jazz-2/)**

**2:30 – 5:00PM A Tour of 3 Gardens:** This will be a garden lovers delight as you tour three of the South Coast's finest, [Frog Song Farm](#), the stonework showcase of the [Mullins Property in Anchor Bay](#), and Gualala Art's [Sculpture Garden](#). **\$18**

**5:00-7:00PM Keith Abrams Jazz:** Round the day out by unwinding to the cool jazz sounds of Keith Abrams and his jazz ensemble. **284 Main St, Pt Arena [www.coast-highway-artists.com/](http://www.coast-highway-artists.com/) free**

**Sunday April 30:**

Pt. Arena:

**11:00AM –4:00PM Picnic Day at Casari Ranch:** You'll enjoy a real down-home experience at Casari Ranch. This Almost Fringe shindig is jam-packed with good country activities. Schedule for the day includes 12:00- 1:00PM: Ranch BBQ featuring 100% grass fed lamb and seasonal veggies; 12:00 -3:00PM: Live music, farm animals, horse shoes, ranch bocce ball; 1 pm -3 pm Enjoy fun ranch games like bobbing for apples, burlap relay races, wheelbarrow races, egg toss, candy in the haystack and more! 3:00PM Guided Wool Mill Tour and 4:00PM Portable Wood Milling Demonstrations. This will be a fun and educational day full of great photo-ops!

**42900 Curley Lane, Point Arena <http://casariranch.com/> \$20**

