

22nd Annual



WILD & SCENIC[®] FILM FESTIVAL

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Grass Valley-Nevada City, CA

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SYRCL's 22nd Annual Wild & Scenic® Film Festival

Welcome to the 22nd annual Wild & Scenic Film Festival!

This year's theme, *Reel Action*, goes to the heart of Wild & Scenic: inspiring people through film to take action and make this world a better place for all living things.

For over two decades, our Festival has allowed us to engage with filmmakers and learn from activists and scientists about the subject matters presented on screen. In 2024, we will continue our mission to use film to ignite solutions and spark conversations. We are excited to share an array of experienced and emerging filmmakers with our audiences.

After over 20 years and nearly 1,000,000 pieces of paper, the festival program is going paper-free! This is another way we are taking *Reel Action* in our commitment to decreasing our environmental impact and lowering our carbon footprint. The program is available online as a digital PDF file. A print version will be available for review at Fest HQ and some venues.

We hope this year's films, panels, and workshops inspire you to continue fighting for a healthy and thriving planet. Thank you for seeking ways to impact our world positively and for letting SYRCL and Wild & Scenic be a part of that.

Aaron Zettler-Mann, *Executive Director*
Livia Campos de Menezes, *Festival Director*

Our Vision

SYRCL's Wild & Scenic Film Festival is a call to action. Our audiences are inspired, educated, and moved to join a growing groundswell for environmental protection and justice.

Wild & Scenic presents environmental and adventure films that illustrate the Earth's beauty, the challenges our planet faces, and the work communities worldwide do to protect their home. When the flagship festival ends, we take our films on tour to continue inspiring audiences throughout the year.



The Wild & Scenic Film Festival is produced by SYRCL, the South Yuba River Citizens League, and it's our nonprofit's largest annual fundraiser, helping to raise money for many year-round conservation projects. SYRCL has been uniting the community for four decades to protect and restore the Yuba River watershed.

We invite you to become a dues-paying member of SYRCL to help us amplify our voice, increase our impact, and continue our essential restoration efforts.

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For 22 years, our community has come together for SYRCL's Wild & Scenic Film Festival. It is because of the hard work of hundreds of volunteers that this event is such a tremendous success. They help us make the Wild & Scenic Film Festival the beloved community event it is. Please show our volunteers your gratitude when you see them working at a venue!



Watershed Pass \$350/\$345 members

Includes all films both in-person and virtual, special events including Dinner and a Movie night, and reserved seats.

Yuba Pass \$165/\$155 members

Includes all films sessions including 3D films, Saturday Morn Family-Friendly Films, Sunday Awards, and Monday Local's Night. Does not include Special Events, such as Dinner and a Movie.

Festival Pass \$150/\$140 members

Includes all film sessions **except** 3D films, Saturday Morn Family-Friendly Films, Sunday Awards, and Monday Local's Night.

Virtual Pass \$115/\$105 members

Includes all Virtual sessions.

Single Tickets

Sat/Sun Morn/Aft Sessions	\$25
Fri/Sat/Sun Eve Sessions	\$30
Thursday Eve, 3D Films	\$20
Saturday Morn Family-Friendly Films	\$20
Monday "Locals Night"	\$20
Saturday Night, 3-course Dinner and a Movie at The Stonehouse	\$125

For complete pass & ticket descriptions: WSFF.Eventive.org

Buy Tickets in Advance!

wildandscenicfilmfestival.org

We strongly encourage all attendees to purchase tickets and make session reservations in advance. While some tickets may still be available for purchase during the festival, your chances of seeing the films you want are best if you reserve the film sessions well in advance.

If still available, tickets also sold at our Fest HQs & Venue Box Offices:

Nevada City Headquarters

Seven Stars Gallery
210 Spring Street

Friday, Feb 16	12pm - 9pm
Saturday, Feb 17	9am - 9pm
Sunday, Feb 18	9am - 8pm

Grass Valley Headquarters

The Center for the Arts
314 Main Street

Friday, Feb 16	6pm - 9pm
Saturday, Feb 17	9:30am - 9pm
Sunday, Feb 18	9:30am - 8pm

The Fine Print: We strongly encourage all attendees to purchase tickets and make session reservations in advance. While some tickets may still be available for purchase during the festival, your chances of seeing the films you want are best if you reserve the film sessions well in advance.

All venues are first-come, first-served. We can guarantee you a seat at one of the venues, but not necessarily at the one you may prefer. If you are a Watershed, Yuba, or Festival Passholder, you can use your pass to reserve space at the sessions you plan to attend. You still need to arrive to the venue 15-30 min prior to the start time to be able to get a seat. If you do not arrive within 15 minutes from start time, your space will no longer be considered reserved and may be opened up for other attendees. If you arrive at a venue that is full, please check with the volunteers at the door for available seating at other venues.

How to Fest

For 22 years, the Wild & Scenic Film Festival (WSFF) has welcomed audiences to the scenic foothill towns in Nevada County, CA, for this annual event. We are excited for you to join us in-person for the festivities running from February 15-19.

For those who cannot join us in person, we offer a **virtual component running Feb 15-25**. To learn more about the virtual component, go to: watch.eventive.org/wsff

About the Sessions

We have programmed 114 environmental and adventure films, including six world premieres, one international premiere, one North American premiere, four U.S. premieres, eight West Coast premieres, and six California premieres. You can view these adventure and environmental shorts and features in 30+ themed sessions – some of which you can watch online. This makes your experience a cinematic journey as these sessions thoughtfully link subject matter, encouraging surprising connections.



What is a film session?

A film session is a grouping of films shown in blocks of approximately 2 - 2.5 hours. Some sessions may include elements such as a filmmaker panel, Q&A session, or introduction.

In-Person Screenings

You must buy tickets in advance to guarantee a seat at each screening. If you are a Festival Passholder, you can use your pass to reserve space at the sessions you plan to attend.

IMPORTANT: Even with a ticket/pass, you must arrive at the venue 15-30 min before the start time to guarantee your seat.

What is a "Rush Line?"

When a session is sold out, we say that the session is "at rush." This means that last-minute tickets might be available 15 minutes before the session starts.

If you want to attend a session that is "at rush", plan to arrive at the venue 30 minutes before and check with a volunteer to see if there are tickets available or if you need to wait in the "rush line" for a chance to buy last-minute tickets.

NOTE: if you do not arrive within 15 minutes from the start time and the theater is otherwise at capacity, your seat will no longer be considered reserved and will be opened up to attendees waiting in the "rush line" to buy last-minute tickets



I really want to see a certain film.

How can I make sure I get a spot?

Even with a pass, all in-person film session tickets must be reserved in advance. To ensure you will have a seat at a specific screening, we recommend you reserve your spot via Eventive as soon as you decide on a session.

To see where a film is screening, click on the Film Guide button at [WSFF.Eventive.Org](https://www.wsfestival.org/Eventive). Once you have selected the film you are interested in, you can find the list of when and where that film is screening under "Showings – select to order tickets:" Once you have found which Showing you would like to attend, click on the teal Order Tickets button at the top of that film session's page.

Looking for what is screening at a particular venue? Click on the Schedule button at [WSFF.Eventive.org](https://www.wsfestival.org/Eventive.org). Then click on the Filter Events button in the top right. You can then filter the schedule by venue by selecting the venue you'd like from the list.

What is the Activist Center?

Sponsored by Earthjustice, the Activist Center takes place at the City Hall in Nevada City and serves as a hub of know-how and inspiration. Activists of all experience levels and passions can learn more about specific topics presented in the festival films and innovative ideas about how to make a lasting difference. Emphasizing our commitment to inspiring activism, we proudly offer these workshops and panels for **FREE!**

How do I meet guest filmmakers and speakers?

One of the coolest things about Wild & Scenic is meeting the great people behind the films. This year, we will have various in-person events with guests in attendance, such as filmmaker Q&As, Fireside Chats, Coffee Talks, and more. Some of our filmmakers and special guests will also be facilitating panels and workshops at the Activist Center.

Accessibility

To increase the accessibility of our programming, all of our virtual sessions have the option to enable closed captions.



Need more info?

Go **HERE** for details on How-to-Fest (In-Person).

Virtual Screenings

This year, we are offering a virtual component composed of 8 sessions. All films are available on demand so you can watch a session anytime during the virtual festival window (February 15-25, 2024).

NOTE: Geographic restrictions and ticket caps may limit the ability to unlock some sessions. Where applicable, this information will be noted within each session in the **Virtual Catalog**.

To access films, you must “unlock” that session within the **Virtual Catalog** once it becomes available. You may also “pre-order” a session to register before it becomes available. Once you have unlocked individual session tickets, visit the **My Tickets** page for a complete list of the film sessions you’ve pre-ordered or unlocked.

I have slow internet - can I still attend?

Our virtual platform, Eventive, offers adaptive bitrate streaming, meaning that the resolution will adjust based on your internet speeds. That said, it all depends on your provider and their speeds, so expect similar results to what you experience when streaming other videos online.

Need more info?

Go [HERE](#) for details on How to Fest (Virtual)



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Getting Around Green

Ride the Wild & Scenic Shuttle Bus!

A FREE express shuttle bus runs between Nevada City and Grass Valley Friday, Saturday, and Sunday. It runs continuously and loops approximately every 15 min.



BUS STOPS

Nevada City: Broad St at Union St & Hwy 20/49 Bridge

Grass Valley: Center for the Arts

HOURS

Friday 6pm - 10:30pm

Saturday 9am - 10pm

Sunday 10am - 9:30pm

See the maps for shuttle stops, pgs 52-53

Eating and Drinking

Purchase or bring a WSFF Klean Kanteen or MiiR cup and receive a discount on coffee, beer, and wine at SYRCL run concessions; located at Nevada Theatre, Oddfellows Hall, and pop-up locations.

Bring utensils, plate, and napkin. We have compostables, if you forget, but bringing your own is much better. **Don't have reusable items?** Check out our Wild & Scenic bamboo utensil kits available for purchase at Festival HQ.



Bring a water bottle! No bottled water is sold at the festival. Please bring a reusable water bottle with you. Water fountains and fill-up stations are located at many venues, so refills are easy. **In the market for a new bottle?** Head to Festival HQ for options from MiiR and Klean Kanteen.

Thanks to our 2024 sponsor Green Mary for leading the 2024 greening efforts!

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Festival Headquarters

First Stop for the Weekend!

Nevada City Headquarters

Seven Stars Gallery

210 Spring Street

- Pick up your Festival Pass (*only at Seven Stars*).
- Purchase festival passes & tickets.
- Get info about the festival and directions to venues.
- Visit our Festival Shop for Wild & Scenic gear.
- Find out more about SYRCL and the Yuba River watershed.
- Learn more about our National Partners and their environmental and social impact initiatives.
- Meet our *On Tour* team and learn how to bring WSFF to your community.

NEVADA CITY HQ HOURS:

Friday
12pm - 9pm

Saturday
9am - 9pm

Sunday
9am - 8pm

GRASS VALLEY HQ HOURS:

Friday
6pm - 9pm

Saturday
9:30am - 9pm

Sunday
9:30am - 8pm

Grass Valley Headquarters

The Center for the Arts

314 West Main Street

- Purchase festival passes & tickets.
- Get info about the festival and directions to venues.
- Visit our Festival Shop for Wild & Scenic gear.
- Find out more about SYRCL and the Yuba River watershed.
- Learn more about our National Partners and their environmental and social impact initiatives.



Hungry? Thirsty?

Need a bite or a drink in
between film sessions?

Visit one of our
Featured Eateries

Nevada City:

Three Forks Bakery & Brewery

Grass Valley: MeZe Eatery



Media & Virtual Reality Lounges



Media Lounge Hours

Friday 4 - 5pm (On KVMR 6 - 6:30pm)

Saturday 12 - 5pm

Sunday 12 - 4pm

Media Lounge

**Nevada City Winery
321 Spring Street,
Nevada City**

Hosted by Elisa Parker

This year, the Media Lounge returns to the Nevada City Winery. Drop in for interviews with filmmakers and special guests attending Wild & Scenic. The Media Lounge helps kick off the festival with exclusive interviews with filmmakers and activists.

The Media Lounge is open Friday for special drinks at Happy Hour, 4 - 5pm. Keep your eye out for a live stream of this online as well. Tune into KVMR 89.5 FM for a broadcast from the lounge on Friday, 6 - 6:30pm. Stop by the Media Lounge to watch interviews Saturday, 12 - 5pm, and on Sunday, 12 - 4pm.

Our host, Elisa Parker, is the Co-Founder of See Jane Do; the Co-Creator, Project Director & Facilitator of 50 Women Can Change the World in Media & Entertainment; and the Co-Founder of Indivisible Women.

Virtual Reality Lounge

**Saturday & Sunday, 1 - 3pm
KVMR, 120 Bridge Street,
Nevada City**

The virtual reality lounge features *Sloth 360*, an incredible family-friendly film that will transport you to the Costa Rica jungles to spend time with one of the most beloved and iconic species on earth: the sloth.

The VR lounge is a free, first-come, first-served experience. Signup for the next available slot when you arrive at the lounge.



Fest Venue Guide

Check out the downtown maps on pg 52-53

Every year, the wonderful venues of Nevada City and Grass Valley become hallowed halls of inspirational Wild & Scenic films and connections. This year's venues are the Nevada Theatre, City Hall, The Stone House, and the Oddfellows Hall in Nevada City; and Sierra College, Center for the Arts, and the Del Oro Theatre in Grass Valley.

Nevada City



Nevada Theatre

401 Broad Street
This 150+ year old venue has plush chairs, a balcony, & snacks for sale. Seats 370.

City Hall

317 Broad Street
Home to our **FREE** Activist Workshops, sponsored by Earthjustice. Seats 100.



Oddfellows Hall

223 1/2 Broad Street
A hidden gem! This upstairs venue is accessible via a stair lift at the Spring St. door, if needed. **Tip:** Bring a chair pad. Seats 190.

The Stone House

107 Sacramento Street
This historic venue was built in 1857 and hosts an intimate screening space that seats 90.



Additional programming in Nevada City:

- Three Forks Bakery & Brewery (Coffee Talks)
- 425 Broad Street (Fireside Chats)
- Seven Stars Gallery (Festival HQ)
- Nevada City Winery (Media Lounge)
- Szabo Tasting Room (Art Exhibition)
- KVMR (Virtual Reality Lounge)

Grass Valley



Del Oro Theatre

165 Mill Street
This historic theater provides a classic film viewing experience in comfy seats. Seats 360.

Center for the Arts

314 W. Main Street
The Center is the hub for music and arts in Grass Valley. It is also home to the GV HQ and the Granucci Gallery. Seats 500.



Sierra College

250 Sierra College Drive
We're thrilled to be adding the modern Building N12 space with a large screen and padded seats at the Sierra College Nevada County Campus into the mix this year. Comfy seats and easy parking. Seats 250.

Additional programming in Grass Valley:

- Lucchesi Winery (Art Exhibition)
- Granucci Gallery at Center for the Arts (Art Reception + Art Exhibition)
- Studio at Center for the Arts (Youth Workshop)

Post Your Selfies!
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Thursday

Wild & Scenic Art Reception & Awards Ceremony

Join us for drinks, small bites, and community time at our annual Art Reception and Awards Ceremony.

Meet the 2024 art judges and celebrate the featured artists and award-winners.

Thursday, February 15, 4:30 - 6:30pm @ Center for the Arts in Grass Valley FREE

3D Films Session Take the whole family to our 3D Films Night! Featured films are *Arctic: Our Frozen Planet* and *Blue Whales: Return of the Giants*. Free popcorn provided by HHMI Tangled Bank Studios. **7:30pm, Del Oro Theatre, Grass Valley**

Friday

Welcome Ceremony Start the fest with a warm welcome, including beer from Sierra Nevada Brewing Co. and delicious small bites from the Stone House and wine from Haven Stead. Opening remarks from SYRCL staff, Nevada City Rancheria Nisenan Tribal Council member and spokesperson Shelly Covert, Nevada City Mayor Daniela Fernández, and California's Natural Resources Secretary Wade Crowfoot. **5 - 6:30pm, The Stone House, 107 Sacramento Street, Nevada City FREE**

Media Lounge Stop by for Happy Hour 4 - 5pm. Or watch a livestream of interviews on our social media channels, also 4 - 5pm. You can also tune in to KVMR 89.5 FM for a broadcast from the Lounge, 6 - 6:30pm, **Nevada City Winery FREE**

A promotional graphic for 'The Stone House' featuring a vintage movie projector. The projector is the central focus, with its lens glowing and film reels visible. In the top left corner is a circular logo with a stylized tree. The text is arranged on the right side of the image. A '10% DISCOUNT TO TICKET HOLDERS' badge is positioned above the main title. The main title reads 'THE STONE HOUSE OPEN FOR DINNER WEDNESDAY-SUNDAY 5 PM - 10 PM'. Below this, specific event details are listed for Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

10% DISCOUNT TO TICKET HOLDERS

**THE STONE HOUSE
OPEN FOR DINNER
WEDNESDAY-SUNDAY
5 PM - 10 PM**

2/16 FRIDAY
JOIN US FOR DINNER
5 PM-8 PM BEFORE EVENING SESSION

2/17 SATURDAY
WILD & SCENIC FILM FESTIVAL'S DINNER AND A MOVIE

2/18 SUNDAY 10 AM COFFEE HOUR
JOIN US FOR DINNER AFTER THE SHOW!

Coffee Talks

8:30 - 9:30am

@ Three Forks

211 Commercial Street
Nevada City

SATURDAY

Regenerative Farming & Cannabis Cultivation Practices

Join us for coffee and a conversation with Daniel Fink, owner of award-winning Down Om Farms located in the Sierra Foothills, to explore regenerative farming and cannabis cultivation practices. In this session, we will prepare for spring and explore best practices for environmentally conscious cannabis cultivation, as well as look at some current challenges and opportunities in the licensed cannabis cultivation space.

SUNDAY

Taking Action: Youth Activists

Join us for an intimate conversation with Jordan Hartzell, one of the founding members of The Farmlink Project, portrayed in the 2024 film, *Abundance: The Farmlink Story*. We'll talk about youth activism and explore youth-led solutions to food insecurity and wasted food. The Farmlink Project is a non-profit founded by 600+ college students and industry experts who have developed an innovative solution to alleviate hunger while limiting food loss and waste.

Special Events

Saturday

Coffee Talk "Regenerative Farming & Cannabis Cultivation Practices." See sidebar for info. **8:30 - 9:30am, Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co., Nevada City FREE**

Workshops Activists of all passions can learn more about the WSFF films' issues and ideas about how to make a difference. Emphasizing our commitment to inspiring activism, these workshops and panels are FREE thanks to our partner, Earthjustice. Pg 20 for specifics. **10am - 4pm, Activist Center, Nevada City's City Hall FREE**

EnviroFair Learn more about local, regional, and international organizations working to make a difference. **10am - 4pm, York Street, Nevada City FREE**

Media Lounge Live interviews with filmmakers, activists, and guests! **12 - 5pm, Nevada City Winery, FREE**

Get Outside "Walk the Talk: Learn about Financial Activism" with Nia Impact Capital while hiking Nevada City's Tribute Trail! More info page 24. **RSVP required: [WSFF.Eventive.org](https://www.wsff.org), 11:30am - 1pm, meet in front of the Nevada City Winery, 11:15am FREE**

Virtual Reality Lounge Featuring the family-friendly film, *Sloth 360*. **1 - 3pm, KVMR, Nevada City FREE**

Youth Workshops "Storytelling for Change". More info pg 26. **2:30 - 3:30pm, Activist Center, City Hall, Nevada City FREE**

"The Salmon Project." More info page 26. \$3.00. **Minimum age: 7. 3 - 4:30pm @ Studio, Center for the Arts, Grass Valley**

Fireside Chat "Outdoor Play & Emotional Development." See sidebar. **3:30 - 4:30pm, 425 Broad Street, Nevada City FREE**

Fireside Chats

3:30 - 4:30pm
@ 425 Broad Street,
Nevada City

SATURDAY Outdoor Play & Emotional Development

Jamshid Khajavi was born in Iran and immigrated to the US in his early twenties. He worked with deaf children for 17 years before becoming a counselor at a school in Seattle. His journey is depicted in the 2024 official selection, *Ultimate Citizens*. Join us for an intimate conversation with Khajavi, moderated by WSFF's long-time film advisor, Chuck Jaffee. They will discuss Khajavi's approach to using sports to teach kids about anger management, empathy, and self-esteem.

SUNDAY Inspiring Journeys

During the centennial year of the formation of the National Park Service, Brendan Hall sets out on a 10,000-mile exploration of the national parks with his best friend. Their adventure became a film, *Out There: A National Parks Story*, screening at the Nevada Theater Saturday, 6:30pm and online. Join the filmmaker and WSFF jury member, Jim Sano, as they share stories about their experiences visiting and working at the US national parks.

Dinner & A Movie A special event featuring a 3-course dinner paired with films. Limited seating - you must reserve your ticket with your Watershed Pass or purchase an individual ticket (while they last). **7 - 9pm, The Stone House, Nevada City**

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Sunday

Coffee Talk "Taking Action: Youth Activists." See sidebar. **8:30 - 9:30am, Three Forks Bakery & Brewing Co., Nevada City FREE**

Workshops See page 21. **10am - 4pm, Activist Center, City Hall, Nevada City FREE**

EnviroFair Learn more about local, regional, and international organizations working to make a difference. **10am - 4pm, York Street, Nevada City FREE**

Excursion "Sightless Climbing with Timmy O'Neill." Meet climber and filmmaker Timmy O'Neill and try climbing without using your sight. More info pg 24. \$3.00. **Limited Space. Reservation required. 10am - 12pm, Gold Crush Climbing Gym, Grass Valley**

Media Lounge Live interviews with filmmakers, activists, and guests! **12 - 4pm, Nevada City Winery, FREE**

Virtual Reality Lounge Featuring the family-friendly film, *Sloth 360*. **1 - 3pm, KVMR, Nevada City FREE**

continued



Special Events

Sunday continued

Fireside Chat "Inspiring Journeys." See sidebar. **3:30 - 4:30pm, 425 Broad Street, Nevada City** **FREE**

Award-Winners A selection of the 2024 WSFF award-winning films. Lineups announced Sunday. **6:30pm, Nevada Theatre, and 7pm, Center for the Arts**

Music That's a Wrap: A Wild & Scenic Dance Party. Wrap up the weekend with our guest DJ, Skratch Miyagi, who will play beats inspired by a selection of 2024 films playing on the screen. Presented by Sierra Nevada Brewing Co., featuring end-of-fest beer specials. **9 - 10:30pm, Oddfellows Hall, Nevada City** **FREE**

Monday

Local's Night Award Screening To honor and thank our hometown audience for 22 years of supporting WSFF, we will have a special discounted screening showing a selection of award-winning films. Join us for these special sessions! **6pm, Nevada Theatre, Nevada City, and 6:30pm, Del Oro Theatre, Grass Valley**



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Festival Art

Art Reception & Awards Ceremony

Thursday, Feb 15
4:30 - 6:30pm
Center for the Arts,
Grass Valley

Wild & Scenic Art Exhibition

The Wild & Scenic Film Festival and Nevada County Arts Council have again partnered to produce a Wild & Scenic Art Exhibition. Throughout the Festival, juried art can be viewed at the following venues:

Granucci Gallery at Center for the Arts, 314 W. Main Street, Grass Valley

Luchesi Mill Street Tasting Room, 128 Mill Street, Grass Valley

Szabo Vinyards, 316 Broad Street, Nevada City

Learn more about venue dates and times: wildandscenicfilmfestival.org/2024art

**Thank you to our 2024 Art Committee. And thank you to our Art Judges:
Piper Johnson, Pat Kemeny Macias, and MaryTess Mayall.**

Wild & Scenic Art Reception & Awards Ceremony

Join us for drinks, small bites, and community time at our annual Art Reception and Awards Ceremony. Meet the 2024 art judges and celebrate the featured artists and award-winners. Food provided by Meze and Backporch Market. **Thursday, February 15, 4:30 - 6:30pm, Center for the Arts in Grass Valley FREE**

2024 Official Artist

Brianna French

Each year our artwork breathes life into the theme and sets the stage for the year to come. The 2024 official artwork by Nevada County local, Brianna French, celebrates the 2024 theme of *Reel Action*. Says Brianna: "The Wild & Scenic Film Festival has captivated my attention every year. I've often thought I'd love to create the poster art. WSFF's commitment to highlighting environmental and social issues aligns with my core values as an artist, and I'm thrilled to contribute to their mission through art. I created a piece with this year's theme, *Reel Action*, in mind. I wanted to make something that felt captivating, whimsical, and hopeful. The artwork took shape with layers of geometric structures, weaving day and night, realistic and fantastic. Amidst this dreamscape, a little river otter looks out representing optimism and invitation. Humans on a bridge over the Yuba River are in the midst of conservation action, asking us to join the fight, their presence embodying the spirit of engagement. I hope the art serves as an invitation to step into this world of environmental action, to feel the magic of nature's beauty, and to embrace the optimism of positive change for our planet ... or at the very least that it inspires someone to go see some great films!"



Congratulations to our 2024 Festival Artists

View artists' work at: Szabo Vineyards in Nevada City, and the Lucchesi Tasting Room and the Granucci Gallery at the Center for the Arts in Grass Valley.

Alexander Diederich
Allison Kalt
Ameera Godwin
Angela Apostal
Anita DuPratt
Annette Wolters
Barbara McCabe
Betsy Lombard
C Tenaya Harvey
Casey Newton
Chris Crossen
David Wong
Denise Wey
Elany Prusa
Eli Rush
Ellen Davis
Eric Engles
Fred Finney
Holly Tornheim

Jacqui Ver Loren
van Themaat
Jennifer Ruggie
Jim Bair
Jody Alexander
John Seivert
Jonathan Finegold
Jori Phillips
Jude Bischoff
Julie Romano
June Anderson
Katharine Popenuk
Kathleen Kershaw
Kirk Keeler
Kurt Barton
LeeAnn Brook
Linda Galusha
Lisa Parsons
Marsha Stone



Granite Boulders in Pond, Yosemite by Kirk Keeler

Megan Enright
Michael Shea
Mieke Bles
Monica Hughes
Raven Westwood
Richard Swayze
Robert Stelson
Ron Kenedi
Rose Reis-Jackson
Rose Shulman
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Workshops

Join us to explore specific topics presented in this year's festival films and learn about innovative ideas that can make a lasting difference. If you're a budding filmmaker, take advantage of special workshops on filmmaking techniques and conversations with film festival programmers. Thanks to our partnership with Earthjustice, we proudly offer all these workshops and panels for **FREE**.

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Saturday

10 - 11am Impact Investing and Your Financial Plan

You already buy organic, shop local, and support SYRCL and Wild & Scenic. This workshop will provide steps to align your financial plan and investment portfolio with the environment and the causes you care about most. We'll trace the history of socially responsible investing from its roots to its current form of impact investing. Led by Scott Beesley, CFP

11:30am - 12:30pm The Creative Corps Model: How Artists, Culture Bearers, Museums, Galleries, and Other NGOs Can Save the Planet

Against a backdrop of food scarcity, the fight for fertile land and freshwater, the threat of fire, public health, and emergency preparedness in all its forms, artists and culture bearers, museums, galleries, and other NGOs are stepping up to raise awareness for critical issues and solutions, as bastions of public information, comfort, storytelling, and response.

1 - 2pm Healthy Rivers, Healthy Communities

Learn from one of California's foremost watershed experts how river conservation heals climate change, biodiversity loss, and social injustice. Dr. Ann Willis, California Regional Director at American Rivers, will share how efforts to protect and restore California rivers are paving the way to a more resilient future for nature and our communities. She'll discuss cutting-edge projects on nearby rivers and how we can use our voices for change.

2:30 - 3:30pm ALL AGES Storytelling for Change:

Earthjustice & Coyote Peterson in Conversation *(pre-recorded)*

Join Earthjustice for a pre-recorded conversation with Coyote Peterson, a YouTuber, wildlife educator, and host of Animal Planet's series *Coyote Peterson: Brave the Wild*, and Tim Preso, Managing Attorney of the Biodiversity Defense Program at Earthjustice. Moderated by Christian Anthony, Director, Digital Engagement, Earthjustice, this conversation for all ages will focus on the importance of educating the next generation of conservationists, and how storytelling can promote the protection of vulnerable species—with the help of public engagement, advocacy, and the law. Following the conversation, in-person participants can ask questions of storytellers and creators. *(Also available on Zoom - link [wsff.eventive.org](https://www.wsfj.org/eventive))*

3 - 4:30pm YOUTH WORKSHOP The Salmon Journey

@ Studio, Center for the Arts, Grass Valley The Salmon Journey Project fosters cross-cultural connections and raises environmental awareness while emphasizing the importance of interdependence and indigenous heritage. Participants will use visual elements, music, and playful expression to engage in a memorable exploration encompassing storytelling and communication across generations. \$3.00, [RSVP required at wsff.eventive.org/schedule](https://wsff.eventive.org/schedule). **Minimum Age: 7.**

3:30 - 4:30pm Supporting the Next Generation of Climate Stewards Through SYRCL's Field Science Program

SYRCL's Youth Field Science Programs engage high school students in local climate action and meadow restoration efforts. Students work with SYRCL's watershed science and education team to assist with on-the-ground restoration work. Join us for a panel discussion with former Youth Outdoor Leadership Opportunity (YOLO) Fellows and Earthwatch Institute Fellows to learn about their experiences in the program and their future goals in pursuing environmental stewardship.

Sunday

10am - 12pm

California's Watershed Healing: FREE Community Screening + Panel

Join us for this FREE screening of the 2024 official selection, *California's Watershed Healing*. After the film, stay for a panel discussion with the scientists and policymakers from the film facilitated by the SYRCL's Executive Director, Dr. Aaron Zettler-Mann. They will talk about how healthy forests are crucial to California's water supply, the challenges California faces with more extreme precipitation patterns, and opportunities for the future. [RSVP at wsff.eventive.org](https://wsff.eventive.org).

12:30 - 1:30pm Outdoors for All

From non-inclusive outdoor images to bodywear that does not reflect all body types, the outdoor industry is beginning to address these matters, which affect communities that often feel left out of planning and marketing around the outdoors. Join us for a conversation with Anjelica Avella, the main subject of Palmer Morse's *Forward*, Chad Brown, director of *Inward*, and Chelsea Jolly, the director of *JoJo - A Toad Musical* and *With The Tide* (2024 official selection), moderated by Teresa Baker, founder of the In Solidarity Project.

2 - 3pm Investing for Environmental & Social Justice

In this interactive panel discussion, the Nia Impact Capital team will share insights, tools, and solutions for investing in environmental & social justice. Nia Impact Capital is a women-first investing firm promoting diversity & sustainability to create an economy that works for all. We are honored that Val Red-Horse Mohl, of Cherokee ancestry, will join this discussion.



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EARTHJUSTICE

The Wild & Scenic Film Festival is proud to work with many outstanding organizations

devoted to protecting the earth and its inhabitants and creating sustainability for all. Large and small hometown groups and ones with an international scope can be found here! We host our annual EnviroFair to let these critical organizations showcase their work and inform us how we can engage in meaningful ways. Learn more and get involved at the Wild & Scenic EnviroFair!



Don't Miss a Visit to the EnviroFair!
Saturday & Sunday FREE
10am - 4pm, York Street, Nevada City



EnviroFair Music Schedule

Saturday

- 12 - 1pm: Riparia: "geo-folk" songs about the Yuba
- 1:30 - 2:30pm: Gary Bowman: lively & spirited singing
- 2:45 - 3:30pm: CoU'Rage: hip hop
- 3:45 - 4pm: Maracatu: Afro-Brazilian dance & music

Sunday

- 12 - 1:30pm: Mignon Geli: native-style flutes & more
- 2 - 3pm: Gary Bowman

EnviroFair Organizations

- Bear Yuba Land Trust
- Better Bites
- Bright Futures for Youth
- Buffalo Field Campaign
- California Wolf Foundation
- California Heritage:
 - Indigenous Research Project
- Citizens' Climate Lobby, Nevada County
- CNPS Redbud Chapter
- Earth Justice Ministries
- Northern Alaska Environmental Center

- Placer Nature Center
- Sierra Buttes Trail Stewardship
- Sierra Club
- Sierra Gold Parks Foundation
- Sierra Nevada Alliance
- Sierra Streams Institute
- Southern Utah Wilderness Alliance
- South Yuba River Citizens League
- Tahoe National Forest
- Waste Management

Get Outside!

Need a break from films? Head outside (or to the climbing gym) for a field trip!

Walk the Talk: Learn About Financial Activism Nevada City's Tribute Trail

Saturday: During this interactive walk through the beautiful woods of Nevada City, we will discuss and reflect on how finances can be solutions for investing in environmental & social justice. Discover what goes on behind the scenes when Nia Impact Capital engages directly with companies to create positive change on behalf of investors. We will look at Nia's financial activism case studies and learn more about how you can join the movement to invest in the world we all want to have. An easy hike, everyone is welcome. *Capacity: 30. Saturday, 11:30am - 1pm. Meet in front of Nevada City Winery at 11:15am* **FREE, RSVP required at wsff.eventive.org/schedule**



The Tribute Trail's suspension bridge. Photo courtesy of the Nevada City Chamber of Commerce.



Excursion: Sightless Climbing with Timmy O'Neill Gold Crush Climbing Gym, Grass Valley

Sunday: In the 2024 official selection, *Soundscape*, Erik Weihenmayer, a global adventure athlete and author who is fully blind, and veteran rock climber Timmy O'Neill ascend a massive alpine rock face deep in the Sierra Nevada. Join us to hear more from Timmy O'Neill about that trip and experience what it is like to climb without using your sight at this special workshop at Gold Crush Climbing Gym in Grass Valley. Attendees will get a chance to guide a blindfolded climber, as well as to experience climbing blindfolded! *Capacity: 24. No climbing experience required. Sunday, 10am - 12pm. Meet at the Gold Crush Climbing Gym \$3.00* **RSVP required at wsff.eventive.org/schedule**

Field trip info & to RSVP: [WSFF.Eventive.org/schedule](https://wsff.eventive.org/schedule)

Special Film Presentations



Watershed pass holders have access to all special film screenings, but must reserve *Dinner and a Movie* in advance. Yuba Pass holders have access to all special film sessions except *Dinner and a Movie*.

3D Films Take the family! Films: *Arctic: Our Frozen Planet* and *Blue Whales: Return of the Giants*. Free Popcorn provided by HHMI Tangled Bank Studios. **Thursday, 7:30pm, Del Oro Theatre, Grass Valley \$20**

Wild Child Family-Friendly Films These stories will take you on a journey to the Valley of the Turkeys and introduce you to Jojo, a kid who lives in the city and loves nature, especially toads, and writing rap songs. They will also showcase kids surfing in Taiwan and a brave 6-year-old girl learning to climb mountains. **Saturday, 9:30am, Del Oro Theatre, Grass Valley \$20**

Dinner & A Movie A special event featuring a 3-course dinner paired with films. Limited seating. Watershed Passholders have access to this session, but must reserve a ticket to confirm attendance. Films: *The Story of Bacanora; The Future of Healthcare is Farm Fresh!; Spear, Spatula, Submarine; Bluebird Sky; Café Y Aves; Gardener to Guardian; and Frozen Harvest*. **Saturday, 7 - 9pm, The Stone House, Nevada City \$125**

Sunday Award Winners Join us for a selection of the 2024 award-winning films*. **6:30pm, Nevada Theatre, and 7pm, The Center for the Arts \$30**

Monday "Local's Night" Award Winners To honor and thank our hometown audience for 22 years of supporting WSFF, we will have a special discounted screening showing a selection of award-winning films*. **6pm, Nevada Theatre, and 6:30, Del Oro Theatre \$20** *These surprise lineups will be announced on Sunday morning.

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Wild & Scenic Youth

Monday - Thursday

Four carefully selected, age-appropriate programs are offered to area schools, accompanied by film-specific, standards-based lessons for classroom enrichment.

(Working directly with schools, this program is not open to the general public).

Want to bring the school programs to your community? Talk to our *On Tour* team at Festival HQ.

Saturday

Wild Child Family-Friendly Films

Journey to the Valley of the Turkeys and meet Jojo, a kid who lives in the city and loves nature and writing rap songs. See kids surfing in Taiwan and meet a 6-year-old girl who climbs mountains. Bring the whole family! **9:30am, Del Oro Theatre, Grass Valley**



Wild & Scenic offers plenty of events where kids can learn and get inspired to take care of the planet!

Saturday Youth Workshops

Storytelling for Change: Earthjustice & Coyote Peterson in Conversation

Join Earthjustice for a pre-recorded conversation with Coyote Peterson, host of Animal Planet's series *Coyote Peterson: Brave the Wild*, and Tim Preso, Managing Attorney at Earthjustice. It will focus on the importance of educating the young generation, and how storytelling can work to protect vulnerable species. In-person participants can ask questions of Earthjustice storytellers and creators. **Saturday, 2:30-3:30pm, Activist Center FREE** (Also on Zoom, link via wsff.eventive.org)

The Salmon Journey

The Salmon Journey Project fosters cross-cultural connections and raises environmental awareness while emphasizing the importance of interdependence and indigenous heritage. Participants in the interactive workshop use visual elements, music, and playful expression to engage in a memorable exploration encompassing storytelling and communication across generations. *Minimum Age: 7. \$3.00. RSVP required at wsff.eventive.org. Saturday, 3 - 4:30pm, Studio, Center for the Arts, Grass Valley*



Sharing the Festival with Schools

The Wild & Scenic Film Festival team partners with schools every year to present film programming for the local community and neighboring counties. During the festival week, K-12 graders participate in the Wild & Scenic School Program at the Del Oro and Don Baggett Theaters.

Grades K - 2 Films *Biopixels; Brave Girl; Kind of Fishy; Mel Fell; JoJo - A Toad Musical; The Tundra; You Are Not Small.*

Grades 3 - 5 Films *Bridging Fragments; Danny MacAskill: Do a Wheelie; Flowing - My dream of more freedom; Healing Hiſyaqʷiſs; JoJo - A Toad Musical; Soundscape; The Invention of Less.*

Grades 6 - 8 Films *4DWN, Finding the Line; Mount St. Helens: A Fire Within; Mussel Grubbing: A Citizen Science Treasure Hunt; PLACE - People, Lamprey, And Cultural Ecology.*

Grades 9 - 12 Films *African Voices for Africa's Forests - Gender; Indigenous Rights, and Restoration; Nanoscapes; Paddle Tribal Waters; Spear, Spatula, Submarine; The Quest to Save Parasites; Driving Sweep.*

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Awards & Jury

Every year our Program Committee watches hundreds of films submitted for consideration. These volunteers evaluate the films and recommend them for the final selection. Then our Festival Director and Head of Programming, Livia Campos de Menezes, curates the film sessions so you can enjoy them in theaters or at home.

Thank you to the 2024 Program Committee, who logged hundreds of hours reviewing films: Aaron Zettler-Mann, Akhila Bonnie Murphy, Ali Stefancich, Aviva Fiske, Bil Skidmore, Bill & Susan McClure, Brian Coe, Carrie Rose d'Inzillo, Elyce Klein, Fran Murphy, Kathy Phill, Kyle McNeil, Leila Madge, Lisa Nash, Lucy Logsdon, Luke Walters, Maddie Davis, Melinda Booth, Michele Tremblay, Naima Pagano, Pat Pilling, Rachel Reinyday, Rebecca Walters, Rose Ledford, Scott Beesley, Sushila Mertens, Wrenn Cleary, Yasha Aginsky

Special Awards

The Festival Director decides on two special awards: the Student Filmmaker Award and the John de Graaf Award for Environmental Filmmaking.

We also have a Kid's Jury, facilitated by Wild & Scenic co-founder Janet Cohen, which selects the Best Children's Film. **Thank you to our dedicated elementary and middle school children of the 2024 Kid's Jury:** Banyan Rhodenhill, Blake Harper, Bo Rinne, Cayden Whittlesey, Elias Audelo, Ellianna Whittlesey, Jasper Hitchcock, Loretta Rinne, Naomi Adams, Quinn Rhodenhill, Rai Audelo, Scarlet Dotson, Siena Harper.

People's Choice Award - *Completely Electronic Voting!*

For in-person screenings, ballots will be emailed (or texted, if you opt-in) to you after each session ends, allowing you to vote for your favorite films of the sessions you attend. For virtual, the option to vote will appear once you watch the film session.

The 2024 Film Jury brings a rich and varied experience in film, environmental conservation, and activism. The Jury watches a shortlist of films selected by the Festival Director to decide upon the following awards: Best of Festival, Best in Theme, Spirit of Activism, Most Inspiring Adventure Film, Best Short, Jury Awards, Honorable Mentions, and the Szabo Award. Many thanks to our talented and prestigious Jury for the long hours they spent selecting the 2024 award-winning films!





Head Juror, Aaron Zettler-Mann grew up playing in the rivers of Humboldt County. A geographer at heart, he has completed three degrees in Geography, including a PhD at the University of Oregon. He has been involved in river research across the western US and globally. Aaron's drive to protect and improve the health of the West's watersheds led him to SYRCL. As the Executive Director, he works closely with the community, government, and private entities to develop, implement, and monitor restoration efforts across the Yuba River watershed.



Ana Blanco is the Executive Director of the International Ocean Film Festival. She began her nonprofit career with the San Francisco Foundation, preceded by her work at BizWorld.org, an educational entrepreneurship curriculum for young students. Ana's passion for the ocean began when, at age 11, she moved to Lima, Peru. She is a certified PADI diver and learned to sail on the San Francisco Bay while volunteering with the Blue Water Foundation, a nonprofit dedicated to introducing at-risk youth to the joys and challenges of sailing on the bay.



Jeannie Wood is one of the founding members and Executive Director of the Community Asian Theatre of the Sierra (CATS), celebrating 30 years of theater, and arts and culture programming in the community. A native of San Francisco Chinatown, she is pleased to share, through CATS, the best of East and West. Jeannie is currently the Nevada County Law Librarian and a Mobile Notary Public and Document Signing Agent. She also serves on the Board of Directors of the Nevada County Arts Council and enjoys Japanese drumming with Grass Valley Taiko.



Jesse Locks is a communications specialist with 25 years of experience. After graduating from UC Santa Cruz, she wrote for *Thrasher*, *Heckler*, and ESPN. She has been at the helm of the award-winning Nevada City Film Festival for 15 years and helped the event to become recognized as the #9 Best Film Festival in the US (*USA Today*) and one of the 25 Coolest Film Festivals in the World (*Moviemaker Magazine*). Jesse also works for the Presidio of SF as their online community manager, a job that deepens her interests in history, outdoor recreation, land conservation, wildlife restoration, and equity in parks.



Jim Sano is the World Wildlife Fund's Vice President for Conservation Travel. He directs WWF's conservation travel programs and is the technical lead for its partnerships with travel companies. Jim was formerly President of Geographic Expeditions, a SF-based adventure travel company, served as a National Park Service ranger in Yosemite National Park, and a leader of many expeditions in Asia, South America, and Africa. He led the first American men and women's expedition on the rarely attempted Lho Pass-West ridge route on Mt. Everest, the first guided crossing of South Georgia Island, and other expeditions throughout Asia and Latin America.

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2024 Films by Genre



Paddle Tribal Waters

Activism

4DWN

Danny Schmidt, USA

Abundance: The Farmlink Story

Owen Dubeck, USA

The Bat Couple

Simpa Samson, Nigeria

Bright Toh: Unsung Hero

Garth Kingwill, Cameroon

Curupira

Lea Hejn, UK

The Engine Inside

Darcy Wittenburg/Darren McCullough/

Colin Jones, Canada

Near The River

Darby McAdams, Zambia, USA

Our Waters

Josh "Bones" Murphy, USA

Paddle Tribal Waters

Rush Sturges/Paul Robert Wolf Wilson, USA

Puffling

Jessica Bishopp, UK

Study Aboard

WEST COAST PREMIERE

Peter Goetz, USA

You Are Not Small

Sherene Strausberg, USA

All film synopses and information on filmmakers in attendance are listed in the **Eventive Film Guide**.

Explore the films at: wsff.eventive.org/films

2024 Films by Genre



Chicas al Agua

Adventure

Apayauq

Zeppelin Zeerip, USA

Brave Girl

Mark Pedri, USA

Chasing the Bono

WEST COAST PREMIERE

Peter Goetz, Indonesia

Chicas al Agua

Liz McGregor, Chile

Danny MacAskill: Do a Wheelie

Cut Media, UK

Desert Wings

Nathan McBride, USA

Driving Sweep

WEST COAST PREMIERE

Greg Cairns, USA

Finding the Line

Katie Hake, USA

Forward

NORCAL PREMIERE

Palmer Morse, USA

IN THE DIRT

T.C. Johnstone, USA

Kind of Fishy

Aleksander L. Nordaas, Norway

META

Antje Heyn, Germany

Out There: A National Parks Story

Brendan Hall, USA

Soundscape

Timmy O'Neill, USA

ULTIMATE CITIZENS

CALIFORNIA PREMIERE

Francine Strickwerda, USA

Weak Layers

Katie Burrell, USA



Energy/Climate Change/ Resources

A Renewable Future

Jack Fisher, USA

Arctic: Our Frozen Planet

Rachel Scott, UK

California's Watershed Healing

CALIFORNIA PREMIERE

James Thebaut, USA

Dante's Paradise

Osseily Hanna, Mexico

Frozen Harvest

Mark Fleming, USA

HEALY

Maya Craig, USA

The Invention of Less

Noah Erni, Switzerland

Losing Blue

Leanne Allison, Canada/US

Pripyat Horse

Sally Pearce, UK

Suzie (& Jenny)

Marie Rouhban, USA

Tales of Jan Mayen

WEST COAST PREMIERE

Hugo Pettit, UK

To Be Rich

Erika Bolstad, USA

Won't Give Up

NORCAL PREMIERE

Abdul Kassamali, USA



Usugilix Awakun

Environmental Justice

African Voices for Africa's Forests - Gender, Indigenous Rights, and Restoration

African Climate Reality Project/ReWild Africa,
Cameroon

Burning Injustice

Miguel Astudillo Hirsch, USA

INWARD

WORLD PREMIERE

Chad Brown, USA

Mãri hi - The Tree of Dream

Morzaniel Iramari, Brasil

Ni Wapiten

Noémie Echaquan/Julie Ottawa, Canada

NUKED

INTERNATIONAL PREMIERE

Andrew Nisker, Canada

Soñadora

Jr Rodriguez, USA/Colombia

2024 Films by Genre

Tracing History

Jalena Keane-Lee, USA

Usugilix Awakun

WORLD PREMIERE

Palmer Morse/ Matt Mikkelsen, USA

Van Versus Vikas (Forest Versus Progress)

Rucha Chitnis, India

Food/Farming

Bluebird Sky

Chad Weber, USA

Café Y Aves

CALIFORNIA PREMIERE

Roshan Patel, Colombia

Farming While Black

Mark Decena, USA

Groundwork: A Family Journey into Regenerative Cotton

Lindsey Hagen, USA

Sol in the Garden

Débora Souza Silva/Emily Cohen Ibañez, USA

The Future of Healthcare is Farm Fresh

Val Camp, USA

Health

Between Earth & Sky

Andrew Nadkarni, USA

Daughter of the Sea

Nicole Gormley/Nancy Kwon, South Korea

Light Beams For Helena

Kirk Horton, Mexico

Renaissance

Mike McKay, Canada

The Studio

Justin Carfagnini/Joshua Duplechian, USA

With the Tide

Chelsea Jolly, USA

Land Preservation

Gardener to Guardian

Anisa Peters/Sarah Arnoff, USA

Keepers of the Land

NORCAL PREMIERE

Deirdre Leowinata/Douglas Neasloss, Canada

Mount St. Helens: A Fire Within

Rory Banyard, USA

Patrol

Camilo de Castro/Brad Allgood,
Nicaragua/USA



The Shelmecca Serpent

Laura Bermúdez, Honduras

Vertical Meadows

Anisa Peters/Sarah Arnoff, USA

Oceans

Blue Whales: Return of the Giants

Hugh Pearson, USA

By the Sea - Luca! Here comes the wave!

Hao-Jan Chang, Taiwan

Deep Rising

Matthieu Rytz, USA

PLSTC

Laen Sanches, France

Pond

Lena von Döhren/Eva Rust, Switzerland

Siddhartha

Sean Fee, Norway/Switzerland

Spear, Spatula, Submarine

Shannon Morrall, USA

Sustainable Living

Algorithms of Beauty

Miléna Trivier, Belgium

I Am the Nature

Taliesin Black-Brown, Brazil

KELP!

Caylon La Mantia/Anna Roberts, UK

STORMY

WORLD PREMIERE

Aaron Straight, USA

Water/River Issues

6,000 Miles

Masha Karpoukhina, USA

Flowing - My Dream of More Freedom

Christine Sonvilla/Marc Graf, Austria

Healing Hiłsyaq'is

Mark Wyatt, Canada

Mussel Grubbing:

A Citizen Science Treasure Hunt

Jason Lindsey, USA

On, In & Under the Sava

Rožle Bregar/Rok Rozman, Slovenia

PLACE - People, Lamprey, and Cultural Ecology

Jeremy Monroe/David Herasimtschuk, USA

Ripples of Plastic

WORLD PREMIERE

Chris Langer, USA



By the Sea - Luca! Here comes the wave!

2024 Films by Genre



JoJo - A Toad Musical

Romeo November

WEST COAST PREMIERE

Sinjin Eberle, USA

Salted Earth

Ben Hemmings, USA

School of Fish

Oliver Sutro/Colin Arisman, USA

Toxic Art

WEST COAST PREMIERE

Jason Whalen, USA

Vanishing Oasis

Jaxon Derow, UK

Wildlife

841

Rachel Burnett, USA

The Beauty Between

Austin Smock, USA

Biopixels

Kristina Dutton, USA

Black Skimmers, under our wing

Lia Nydes, USA

Bridging Fragments

Sonny DePasquale, Costa Rica/USA

Jaguar del Cielo

CALIFORNIA PREMIERE

Austin Alvarado, Mexico

JoJo - A Toad Musical

Chelsea Jolly/David Herasimtschuk, USA

The Lone Wolverine of the Wallowas

CALIFORNIA PREMIERE

Alan Lacy, USA

Mel Fell

Galen Fott, USA

Modern Goose

US PREMIERE

Karsten Wall, Canada



Wrought

Nanoscapes

Krsitina Dutton, USA

The Quest to Save Parasites

Emily Driscoll, USA

The Serpent's Lair

Sam LeGrys/Sarah Arnoff, USA

Skyward

Jessica Bishopp, UK

Sloth 360

James Beissel, USA

The Story of Bacanora

Chris Gallaway, USA

The Tundra

Christopher Paetkau, Canada

The Waiting

Volker Schlecht, Germany

**Timber Rattlesnakes of
Catocin Mountain Park**

WORLD PREMIERE

Grace Eggleston, USA

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With the magnificent South Yuba River in our backyard and loads of small-town charm, Nevada City and Grass Valley make the perfect setting for our festival. Our region is steeped in history and alive with vibrancy, creativity, and community. Nevada City's downtown is a national historical landmark with quality dining, lodging, and shops, all flavored with old-fashioned hospitality. Grass Valley boasts another historic, charming, and thriving downtown with beautifully restored historic buildings reminding us of days gone by. *Both towns are designated California Cultural Districts, an honor bestowed by the California Arts Council to regions of cultural distinction.*

Land Acknowledgment

SYRCL works throughout the Yuba River watershed on the Ancestral and Traditional Homelands of the Nisenan Tribe and includes shared boundaries with the Mountain Maidu, Konkow, and Washoe peoples. These tribes have lived here for millennia and live here still. We acknowledge and mourn the painful history of genocide and the devastation of lands and waters irreversibly altered. We are grateful for opportunities to partner with the Tribes to create a shared vision and rebalance our relationship with this place.





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The Wild & Scenic Film Festival supports the mission of the South Yuba River Citizens League (SYRCL). Become a member today and join the movement to protect the Yuba River watershed from threats and help us keep Wild & Scenic going year after year. When you become a Friend of the Festival and SYRCL Member, you fuel our ability to be a powerful voice for a thriving Yuba River.

Thanks to our members,

- We inspire activism around the globe with the Wild & Scenic Film Festival.
- We work to restore wild salmon to their native waters.
- We rehabilitate headwater meadows to restore natural water storage capacities.
- We educate and inspire the next generation of environmental stewards through our summer field programs and on-river salmon tours.
- We keep the river clean and healthy through our River Ambassador program, an annual River Cleanup, and river monitoring with the help of 80 trained citizen-scientists who carefully monitor water quality.

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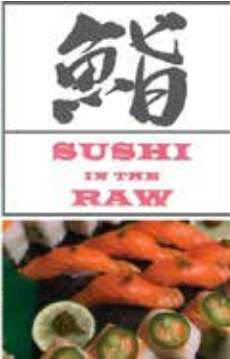
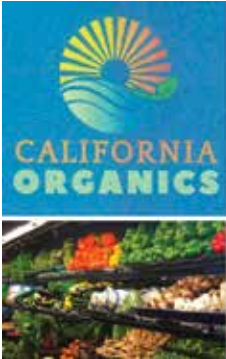


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Thursday

WSFF Sneak Peek Get a jump on watching films! Featured films: *Biopixels*, *Losing Blue*, *PLTSC*, *Puffling*, *Frozen Harvest*, *Mel Fell*, *Usugilix Awakun*, *Soñadora*, *Paddle Tribal Waters*. **1:30pm - 4pm, Sierra College, Grass Valley (Free for Sierra College students & staff)**

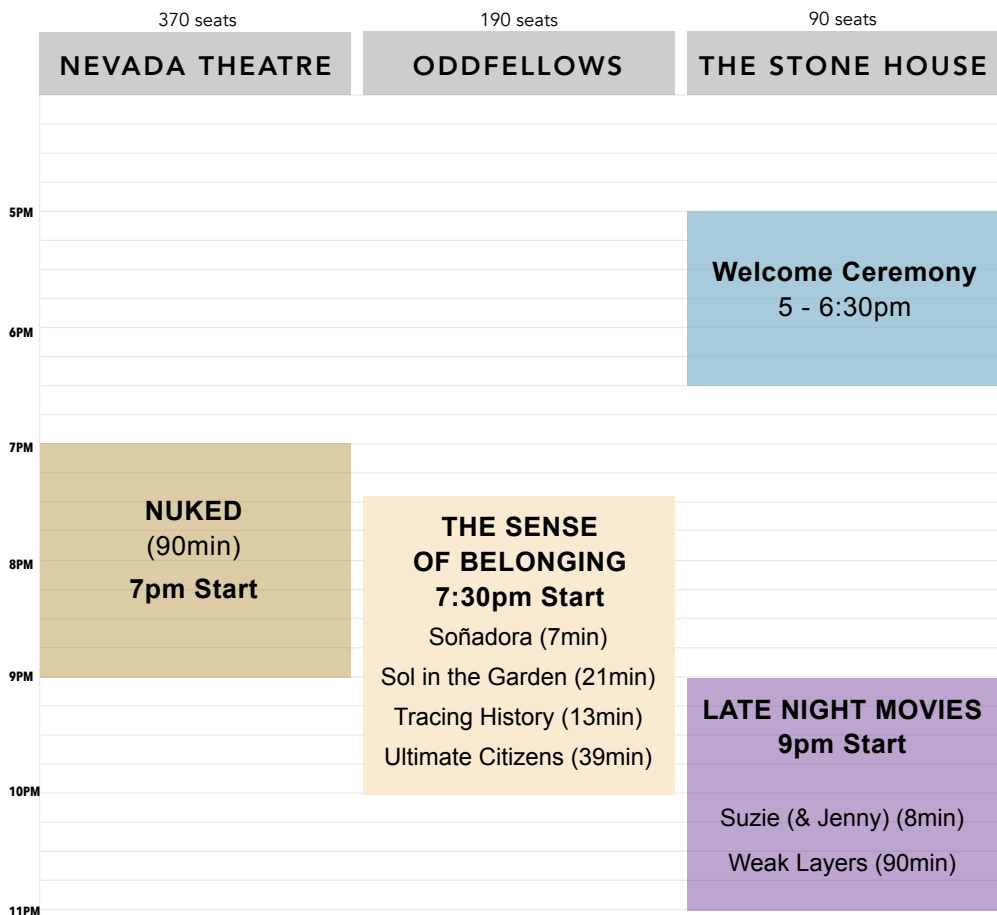
Art Reception & Awards Ceremony Join us for drinks, small bites, and community at our Art Reception and Awards Ceremony. Meet the art judges and celebrate the artists and award winners. **4:30pm - 6:30pm, Center for the Arts, Grass Valley**

3D Films Night For the whole family! Featured films: *Arctic: Our Frozen Planet* and *Blue Whales: Return of the Giants*. **7:30pm, Del Oro Theatre, Grass Valley**

Visit wsff.eventive.org/schedule for details on all programming.

Friday

doors open 30 minutes before start of films
NEVADA CITY FILM VENUES



Support the SYRCL Environmental Action!

Let the Salmon Swim!

This year, SYRCL's advocacy action is focused on getting more water to the Bay-Delta and all the way to the Golden Gate Bridge in support of salmon and a healthy ecosystem.

Look for Action Tables at various venues to sign the petition and Let Salmon Swim!

TAKE ACTION! YubaAction.org



GRASS VALLEY FILM VENUES

500 seats

SPECIAL EVENTS

Media Lounge

Nevada City Winery
4 - 5pm (Livestream, too!)
On KVMR Radio 89.5FM
6 - 6:30pm

Welcome Ceremony

The Stone House
5 - 6:30pm

THE CENTER FOR THE ARTS

ART + NATURE

7:30pm Start

The Beauty Between (5min)
Algorithms of Beauty (21min)
Siddhartha (10min)
Finding the Line (12min)
Inward (22min)
Stormy (3min)
Toxic Art (16min)

5PM

6PM

7PM

8PM

9PM

10PM

11PM

Saturday

doors open 30 minutes before start of films NEVADA CITY FILM VENUES

	370 seats NEVADA THEATRE	190 seats ODDFELLOWS	90 seats THE STONE HOUSE	SPECIAL EVENTS
9AM				
10AM				Coffee Talk: Regenerative Farming and Cannabis Cultivation Practices 8:30 - 9:30am Three Forks
11AM	FARMING WHILE BLACK (75min) 10:30am Start	REAL ACTION 10am Start Bright Toh: Unsung Heroes (5min) Our Waters (14min) Burning Injustice (18min) Mussel Grubbing (7min) Study Abroad (16min) Abundance: The Farmlink (23min)	SOLUTIONS 10am Start African Voices for Africa's Forests (9min) Dante's Paradise (19min) Spear, Spatula, Submarine (13min) Kelp! (32min) A Renewable Future (7min)	EnviroFair 10am - 4pm York St, Nevada City
12PM				Tribute Trail Hike Walk the Talk: Learn about Financial Activism RSVP required. 11:30am - 1pm
1PM				
2PM				Media Lounge 12pm - 5pm Nevada City Winery
3PM	THE ENGINE INSIDE (84min) 2:30pm Start	INDIGENOUS VOICES 2pm Start I Am the Nature (5min) The Shelmecca Serpent (13min) Curupira (12min) Keepers of the Land (28min) Van Versus Vikas (Forest Versus Progress) (16min) Usugilix Awakun (12min)	PATROL (73min) 2pm Start	Virtual Reality Lounge Sloth 360 1 - 3pm KVMR
4PM				Fireside Chat Outdoor Play & Emotional Development 3:30 - 4:30pm 425 Broad Street
5PM				
6PM				
7PM	OUT THERE 6:30pm Start Danny MacAskill: Do a Wheelie (6min) By the Sea-Luca! Here comes the wave! (13min) Out There: A National Parks Story (75min)	WONDERFUL WILDLIFE 6pm Start Biopixels (3min) JoJo - A Toad Musical (8min) 841 (16min) The Waiting (16min) Timber Rattlesnakes of Catoctin Mountain Park (6min) The Serpent's Lair (11min) Valley of the Turkeys (25min)	DINNER & A MOVIE 7pm Start The Story of Bacanora (3min) Spear, Spatula, Submarine (13min) The Future of Healthcare is Farm Fresh! (5min) Bluebird Sky (23min) Café Y Aves (14min) Gardener to Guardian (13min) Frozen Harvest (3min)	Dinner & A Movie 7pm The Stone House
8PM				
9PM				
10PM				
11PM				

GRASS VALLEY FILM VENUES

	500 seats	250 seats	360 seats		
<p>ACTIVIST CENTER WORKSHOPS</p> <p>Workshop: Impact Investing and Your Financial Plan 10 - 11am</p> <p>Panel: The Creative Corps ModelHow Artists, Culture Bearers, Museums, Galleries, & Other NGOs Can Save the Planet 11:30am - 12:30pm</p> <p>Workshop: Healthy Rivers, Healthy Communities 1 - 2pm</p> <p>Youth Workshop: Storytelling for Change: Earthjustice & Coyote Peterson in Conversation <i>also available via Zoom</i> 2:30 - 3:30pm</p> <p>Youth Workshop: The Salmon Journey 3 - 4:30pm <i>@ Center for the Arts Studio</i></p> <p>Panel: Supporting the Next Generation of Climate Stewards Through SYRCL's Field Science Program 4 - 5pm</p>	<p>THE CENTER FOR THE ARTS</p>	<p>SIERRA COLLEGE</p>	<p>DEL ORO THEATRE</p>	9AM	
		<p>TURNING TO THE OUTDOORS 10:30am Start 4DOWN (17min) 6,000 Miles (11min) The Studio (12min) Forward (16min) Daughters of the Sea (18min) Light Beams For Helena (10min)</p>		<p>WILD CHILD 9:30pm Start Up and At 'Em (2min) You Are Not Small (3min) Brave Girl (8min) By the Sea-Luca! Here comes the wave! (13min) Pond (9min) Valley of the Turkeys (25min) Mel Fell (7min) JoJo - A Toad Musical (8min)</p>	10AM
			<p>CLIMATE ACTION 12pm Start Won't Give Up (5min) To Be Rich (10min) Salted Earth (20min) The Quest to Save Parasites (11min) HEALY (14min) Tales of Jan Mayen (31min)</p>		11AM
					12PM
					1PM
					2PM
		<p>WILD WOMEN 2:30pm Start Renaissance (5min) Between Earth & Sky (26min) Apayauq (17min) Brave Girl (8min) Chicas al Agua (18min) Driving Sweep (10min)</p>			3PM
			<p>SOLUTIONS <i>(repeat)</i> 4pm Start African Voices for Africa's Forests (9min) Vertical Meadows (7min) Dante's Paradise (19min) Spear, Spatula, Submarine (13min) KELP! (32min) A Renewable Future (7min)</p>		4PM
					5PM
					6PM
		<p>ADVENTURE SPORTS 6:30pm Start Desert Wings (3min) Soundscape (15min) Near The River (11min) Paddle Tribal Waters (9min) Chasing the Bono (11min) IN THE DIRT (41min)</p>			7PM
				8PM	
				9PM	
				10PM	
				11PM	

Sunday

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370 seats

190 seats

90 seats

NEVADA THEATRE

ODDFELLOWS

THE STONE HOUSE

9AM
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WILD WOMEN (repeat)
10:30am Start

- Renaissance (5min)
- Between Earth & Sky (26min)
- Apayauq (17min)
- Brave Girl (8min)
- Chicas al Agua (18min)
- Driving Sweep (10min)

FARMING STORIES
11:30am Start

- Gardener to Guardian (13min)
- The Story of Bacanora (3min)
- Café Y Aves (14min)
- Bluebird Sky (23min)
- Frozen Harvest (3min)
- Groundwork: A Family Journey into Regenerative Cotton (16min)
- The Future of Healthcare is Farm Fresh! (5min)

CLIMATE ACTION (repeat)
11am Start

- Won't Give Up (5min)
- To Be Rich (10min)
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COMING OF AGE STORIES
2:30pm Start

- Ni Wapiten (3min)
- Skyward (19min)
- School of Fish (19min)
- Puffling (20min)
- With the Tide (25min)

WATER TALES
3:30pm Start

- Healing Hihsyaq'lis (5min)
- Flowing - My Dream of More Freedom (4min)
- Romeo November (16min)
- On, In & Under the Sava (5min)
- Ripples of Plastic (56min)

EXPERIMENTAL SHORTS
3pm Start

- PLSTC (2min)
- Losing Blue (16min)
- Nanoscapes (4min)
- Modern Goose (23min)
- Pripyat Horse (2min)
- Wrought (20min)
- Märi hi - The Tree of Dream (17min)
- META (4min)

AWARD WINNERS NIGHT
6:30pm Start

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That's A Wrap!
A Wild & Scenic Dance Party
9pm Start

GRASS VALLEY FILM VENUES

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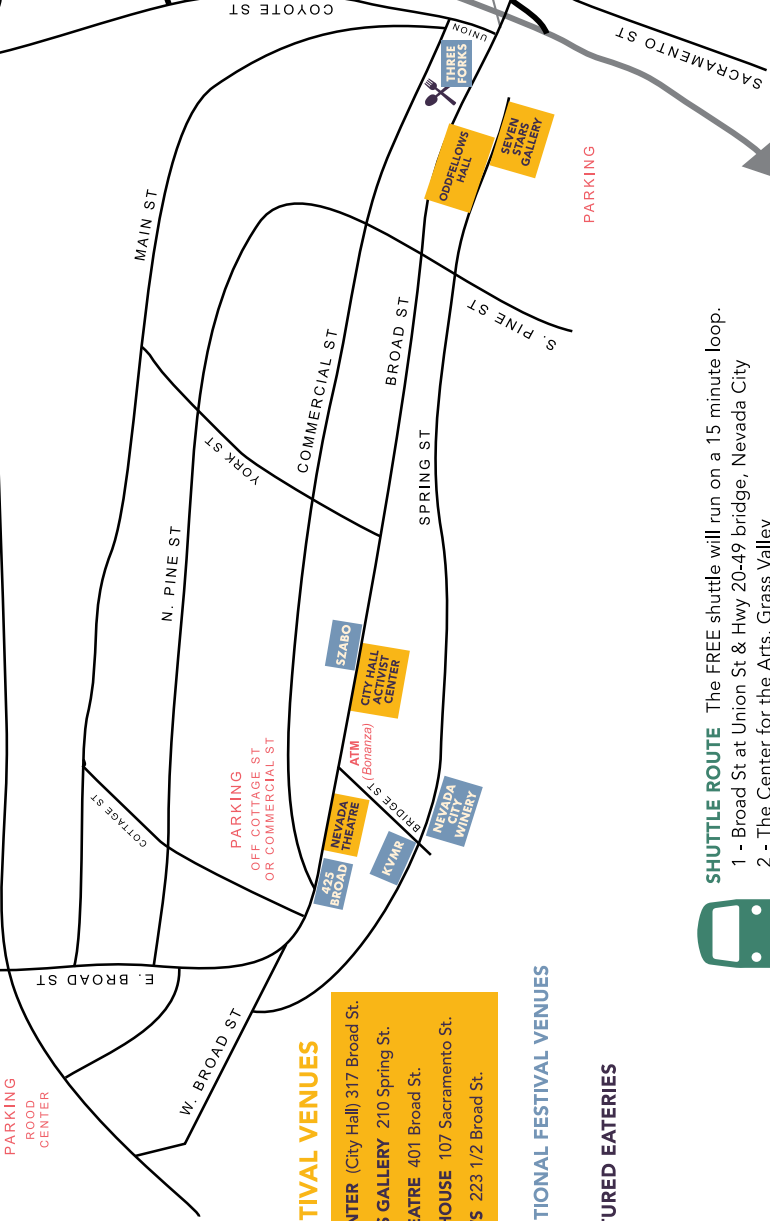
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<p>Excursion Sightless Climbing with Timmy O'Neill RSVP required. 10am - 12pm Gold Crush Climbing Gym, Grass Valley</p>	<p>Panel: Outdoors for All 12:30 - 1:30pm</p>	<p>WILDLIFE CONSERVATION 10:30am Start PLACE - People, Lamprey, And Cultural Ecology (8min) The Lone Wolverine of the Wallowas (18min) The Bat Couple (13min) Jaguar del Cielo (14min) Black Skimmers, under our wing (12min) Vanishing Oasis (11min) Bridging Fragments (8min)</p>	12PM
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<p>Fireside Chat Inspiring Journeys 3:30 - 4:30pm 425 Broad Street</p>		<p>DEEP RISING (93min) 2:30pm Start</p>	3PM
			4PM
			5PM
<p>Award Winners Film Screening 6:30pm, Nevada Theatre 7pm, Center for the Arts</p>			6PM
			7PM
<p>That's a Wrap! A Wild & Scenic Dance Party 9pm, Oddfellows</p>		<p>AWARD WINNERS NIGHT 7pm Start TBA</p>	8PM
			9PM
			10PM
	<p>Monday Local's Night Award Winners Nevada Theatre, 6pm Del Oro Theatre, 6:30pm</p>		11PM



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MAIN FESTIVAL VENUES

- ACTIVIST CENTER (City Hall) 317 Broad St.
- SEVEN STARS GALLERY 210 Spring St.
- NEVADA THEATRE 401 Broad St.
- THE STONE HOUSE 107 Sacramento St.
- ODDFELLOWS 223 1/2 Broad St.

ADDITIONAL FESTIVAL VENUES

FEATURED EATERIES



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- 2 - The Center for the Arts, Grass Valley

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Downtown Grass Valley

MAIN FESTIVAL VENUES

- DEL ORO THEATRE** 165 Mill St.
- THE CENTER FOR THE ARTS**
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- SIERRA COLLEGE**
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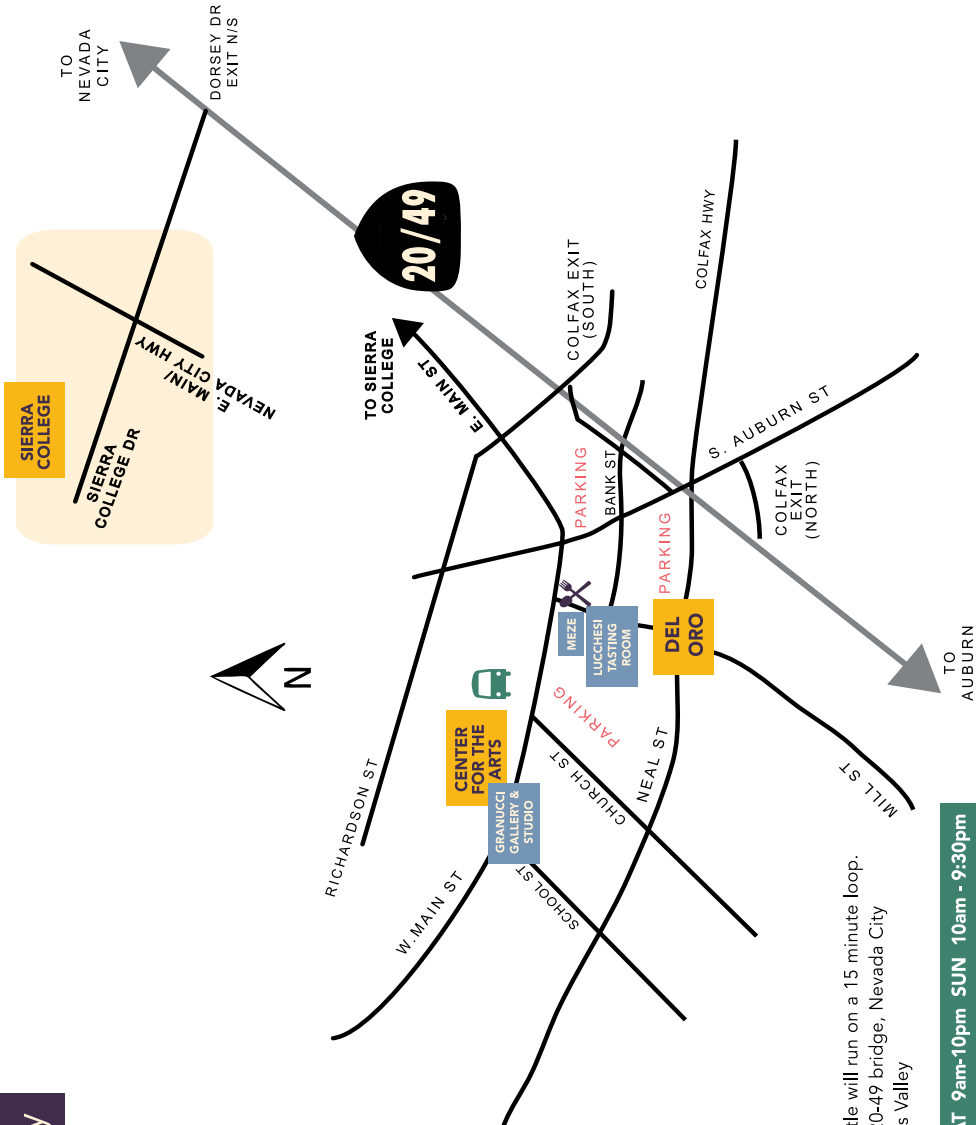
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