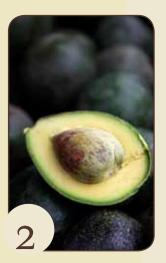
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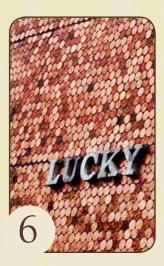
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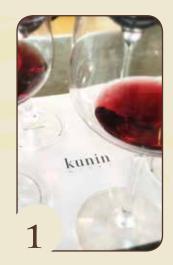
he 27th annual Avocado Festival will take place in Carpinteria from October 4 - 6. Live music, family fun, and avocados will line the streets as over 100,000 festival goers attend. As Santa Barbara County is the third largest avocado producer in North America, it's only natural that Carpinteria hosts a festival in its honor. AvoFest.com



ffering a fresh Santa Barbara Coastal Cuisine fine dining experience, Seagrass Restaurant is a charter member of the Sustainable Seafood Program through the Ty Warner Sea Center. The restaurant honors what has been done in the culinary arts for the last one thousand years and yet keeps their eye on modern cooking techniques and trends. SeagrassRestaurant.com



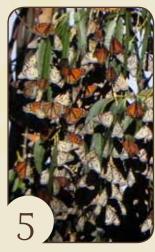
ucky Penny boasts a façade completely tiled in copper pennies. Enjoy artisan pizzas from a woodburning oven, fresh baked goods and carefully crafted coffee drinks prepared from La Colombe coffee to be enjoyed on the property's charming rustic patio, one of the nearby wine tasting rooms, the beach or at home. LuckyPennySB.com



he 5th annual **epicure. sb**, a celebration of Santa
Barbara's culture, cuisine,
and libations, kicks off in
October. Local businesses
and festivals will showcase
what our city has to offer with
special events and tastings
held throughout the month.
Mark your calendar and join the
celebration of this year's theme,
the Spirit of Santa Barbara. **epicuresb.com**



he California Lemon Festival will take place on September 28 & 29 at Girsh Park in Goleta. Arts and craft vendors, a classic car show, and amusement park rides are just a few of the many activities planned to pay tribute to the iconic Goleta lemon—which became popular in Goleta Valley in the 1890's. LemonFestival.com



he Goleta Butterfly Grove will once again come alive with thousands of Monarch butterflies on the Ellwood Mesa mid-November through mid-February as they migrate. The Mesa is comprised of 137 acres of natural terrain with designated trails and beach access. Plan to go on a warm afternoon when the butterflies are the most active. GoletaButterflyGrove.com



Inspired by the elegance of the Italian Riviera, Bacara's new beachside restaurant, The Bistro, blends flavors of Italy with the finest locally-sourced ingredients. Led by Chef Chris Turano, who earned the role after competing on Food Network's "Chef Wanted," the menu offers traditional Italian dishes complemented by lighter, coastal cuisine and breathtaking ocean views. BacaraResort.com



Santa Barbara Maritime Museum has a new exhibit, the Point Conception Lighthouse Fresnel Lens. This Registered National Landmark is nearly 160-years old. stands 18feet tall, and consists of 624 individual glass prisms. The Maritime Museum is open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily, except for Wednesdays. Located at 113 Harbor Way, Santa Barbara. SBMM.org



he. Lark celebrates Santa Barbara County - wineries, farms, ocean and natural beauty, with an imaginative menu by Jason Paluska. The stunning design of the historic fish market building connects past and future, paying homage to California train travel using discovered vintage objects and blending them with modern, urban and industrial materials to spectacular effect. The Lark SB. com



he 5th annual **New Noise Music Festival** hosts
50+ bands and music
industry speakers in three days
(Oct. 17 - 19) throughout Santa
Barbara. The fest includes a
special Block Party that takes
over two blocks of SB's Funk
Zone for a day of music, food
trucks, art and more (10/19,
Mason St @ State St.).

NewNoiseSB.org



ith over 25 years of local wine industry experience, Wine Canyon Tours gives you an informative and adventurous, yet casual exploration of the gorgeous Santa Barbara back country. The wine tours are designed for guests to relax, enjoy scenic views, eat a fresh picnic lunch and most importantly to discover ultrapremium boutique wineries. WineCanyonTours.com



impton's Canary Hotel will announce the debut of their weekly "Sing-Along Under the Stars" movie series, beginning Wednesday, October 2nd, with a screening of "Grease" on the Canary's scenic rooftop terrace. The screening is complimentary and Finch & Fork will also offer a menu of cocktails available for purchase. Movies start at 8 pm. CanarySantaBarbara.com



n Saturday September 28th, 10 area museums, along with over 1,400 other participating venues nationwide, will be opening their doors free of charge for the 9th annual Museum Day Live! Participating local venues will emulate the Smithsonian's lead of encouraging learning and making these cultural institutions available to everyone. Download a free ticket at Smithsonian.com/MuseumDay



anta Barbara Art Foundry, the newest local attraction in the Funk Zone, opens Saturday, October 5th. Guests can watch artisans at work casting bronze sculptures and visit a gallery of finished pieces all while sipping a glass of wine—for free. Don't miss this unique experience combining an art gallery, tour, and wine bar into one. SBArtFoundry.com



elebration of Harvest Weekend, Santa Barbara County's annual celebration of the year's bounty, will take place October 11 - 14. It will feature winemaker dinners, special tastings, and the Celebration of Harvest Festival on Saturday, October 12 at Rancho Sisquoc Winery. The Festival will include over 100 local wineries, restaurants, caterers, and gourmet food creators. SBCountyWines.com/events