

CALENDAR

8 Dance at The Bowl

Enjoy an evening of dance at the Hollywood Bowl on Thursday, Sept. 8 at 8 p.m. Conductor Ludovic Morlot will lead the orchestra as the L.A.-based dance companies BODY-TRAFFIC, Ate9 dANCEcOMPANY and LA Dance Project perform to works by L.A.-based composers. Tickets start at \$1. 2301 N. Highland Ave. (323)850-2000, www.HollywoodBowl.com.

9 'Fireworks Finale with Jeff Lynne's ELO'

Enjoy the end of summer with the "Fireworks Finale with Jeff Lynne's ELO" on Friday, Sept. 9 and Saturday, Sept. 10 at 8 p.m., and Sunday Sept. 11 at 7:30 p.m. at the Hollywood Bowl. It has been nearly 30 years since ELO toured the United States. Singer, songwriter and producer Lynne and his band will join the Hollywood Bowl Orchestra to close out the summer with songs such as "Mr. Blue Sky," "Do Ya" and "Evil Woman." Tickets start at \$14. 2301 N. Highland Ave. (323)850-2000, www.HollywoodBowl.com.

'Around the World in 80 Days'

Enjoy a production of "Around the World in 80 Days" running Friday, Sept. 9 through Sunday, Oct. 9 at the Matrix Theatre in Hollywood. Sujana Chand, Gabriel Oliva, Thaddeus Shafer, Brian Stanton and Michael Uribes star in Mark Brown's adaptation of Jules Verne's 1873 novel. The five actors portray all 39 characters. Showtimes are 8 p.m., Friday and Saturday; 3 p.m., Sunday. Adult tickets are \$39. 7657 Melrose Ave. (323)960-4429, www.Plays411.com/aroundtheworld.

'Songs For A New World'

Chromolume Theatre presents "Songs For A New World" running Friday, Sept. 9 through Sunday, Sept. 25. The production features music and lyrics by Jason Robert Brown and follows an expectant young couple who put aside their differences and learn to move forward with their unborn child. Showtimes



photo courtesy of Denise Gentilini

Denise Gentilini and Lisa Nemzo's musical "I Am Alive" runs Saturday, Sept. 10 at 7:30 p.m. and Sunday, Sept. 11 at 3 p.m. at the Alex Theatre in Glendale. The production focuses on survivors of the Armenian Genocide and was inspired by the stories of Gentilini's grandparents (pictured). Tickets start at \$25. 216 N. Brand Blvd. (818)243-2539, www.alextheatre.org.

are 8 p.m., Friday and Saturday; 7 p.m., Sunday. Tickets are \$30. Chromolume Theatre at the Attic, 5429 W. Washington Blvd. (323)205-1617, www.crtheatre.com.

10 Home Ownership Fair

Korean Churches for Community Development will hold its 15th annual Home Ownership Fair on Saturday, Sept. 10 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Immanuel Presbyterian Church. Participants will learn about the home buying process and available resources. They can also meet with professionals in the housing and

mortgage industries. 3330 Wilshire Blvd. www.kccd.org.

Learn to Play Bridge

The Beverly Hills Bridge Club invites members of the public to "Learn Bridge in a Day" at a workshop on Saturday, Sept. 10 from 1 a.m. to 4 p.m. Participants will learn the fundamentals of bridge, including basic bidding, scoring and card play. No experience is necessary. The cost is \$30 and includes lunch and snacks, and a book covering information discussed during the class. 325 S. La Cienega Blvd. To sign up, call Nancy at (323)236-2924 or email nheck@omm.com.

Legal Clinic

Volunteer attorneys from the Beverly Hills Bar Association Barristers will answer legal questions during a free clinic on Saturday, Sept. 10 from 10 a.m. to noon in the Elm Room at Roxbury Park in Beverly Hills. Small claims, wills and trusts, business disputes, consumer law and landlord-tenant law will be discussed. 471 S. Roxbury Dr. (310)601-2422, www.bhba.org.

'Star Party'

The Los Angeles Astronomical Society, Los Angeles Sidewalk Astronomers and The Planetary Society will hold a "Public Star Party" on Saturday, Sept. 10 from 2 to 9:45 p.m. at the Griffith Observatory. Visitors can join amateur astronomers at the free monthly event to learn about and view objects in the sky, as well as the latest telescopes and equipment. 2800 E. Observatory Road. www.griffithobservatory.org.

'The Lady with the Little Dog'

SST Production's musical adaptation of "The Lady with the Little Dog" will be performed on Saturday, Sept. 10 and Sunday, Sept. 11 at 6 p.m. in Plummer Park's Great Hall Courtyard. The production, a short story by Anton Chekhov, is a tale of a married man's casual holiday romance with a married woman, whom he eventually realizes is the love of his life. Additional performances will be held from Friday, Sept. 16 through Sunday, Sept. 18 at 6 p.m. in the Great Hall Courtyard. Admission is free. 7377 Santa Monica Blvd. www.sstproductions.org or www.weho.org/arts.

Art Exhibit

Luis De Jesus Los Angeles will display "Bryan Zanisnik: Skull Crusher 1964," the artist's debut solo exhibition with the gallery, from Saturday, Sept. 10 through Saturday, Oct. 22. The exhibit includes a new multidisciplinary body of work loosely exploring a road trip across the United States in 1964. An opening reception will be held on Sept. 10 from 6 to 9 p.m. 2685 S. La Cienega Blvd. (310)838-6000, www.luisdejesus.com.

11 Architecture Lecture

Architect Morris Skenderian will lead a discussion on Sunday, Sept. 11 from 1 to 3 p.m. at the A+D Architecture and Design Museum. Skenderian will discuss his work on the St. Theresa Catholic Church in Palm Springs with exhibition curator Jo Lauria. 900 E. Fourth St., downtown. www.aplud.org.

9/11 Commemoration

"Together United We Stand," a musical performance by Aida Vedisheva paying tribute to victims of the Sept. 11, 2001 terrorist attack, is on Sunday, Sept. 11 at 2 p.m. in the West Hollywood City Council Chambers. West Hollywood's Russian Advisory Board, the American-Russian Business Council and California Food Aid, Inc. are sponsoring the performance, which will also feature a screening of "Masterpiece and Singing Liberty," an off-Broadway musical created by Vedisheva with music by Vldy De Vam. Admission is free. 625 N. San Vicente Blvd. (818)961-4443 or (323)848-6826.

12 Theater

Seminars

Theatre Forty of Beverly Hills will present its "Monday Night Seminars" from Monday, Sept. 12 through Monday, Oct. 31 at the Beverly Hills Unified School District Instructional Center. Audiences can listen to staged play readings by professional actors and join post reading discussions. Admission is \$10 per session; \$80 for the series. 255 S. Lasky Drive. (213)385-5515.

13 Iranian Artist Fereydoun Ave

Learn about the influential and yet understudied career of Fereydoun Ave during a panel discussion and film premiere on Tuesday, Sept. 13 at 3 p.m. at the Los Angeles County Museum of Art. Art experts will discuss Ave's work as an artist, designer, curator and collector, and his impact on contemporary Iranian art. Following the discussion, a screening will be held for "7 Days Out of 70 Springs," a documentary by Iranian filmmakers Omid Bonakdar, Arash Zahedi-Asl and Keivan Alimohammadi. 5905 Wilshire Blvd. (323)857-6000, www.lacma.org.

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