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# EARL MINNIS PRESENTS and Lobero LIVE present An Evening with The Wallflowers Friday, October 7, 2022 at 7:30 PM

Santa Barbara, CA, September 19, 2022 – EARL MINNIS PRESENTS and Lobero LIVE present **An Evening with The Wallflowers on Friday, October 7, 2022 at 7:30 PM.** The Wallflowers have held their ground as one of rock's most dynamic and purposeful bands – continually honing a sound that meshes timeless songwriting and storytelling with a hard-hitting and decidedly modern musical attack. *Exit Wounds*, the group's latest studio offering released in 2021 via New West Records, finds the GRAMMY® Award-winning band's signature sound – lean, potent and eminently entrancing – intact, even as Jakob Dylan surrounds himself with a fresh cast of musicians.

"...Exit Wounds rocks with smoldering intensity..." - Uncut Magazine

"It's his best original work by some yards. 4 Stars" - MOJO Magazine

"Exit Wounds is a beacon for us all, a tribute to the rough year we've made it through." - KCRW

Which, the front man is quick to point out, is not all that unusual. "The Wallflowers has always been a vehicle for me to make great rock 'n' roll records," he says. "And sometimes the lineup that makes the record transfers over into touring, and sometimes it doesn't. But my intention is always to make the Wallflowers record I want to make, using the musicians I have beside me." Dylan's vision has always been the core of the Wallflower's music. How he chooses to express that vision, however, is what makes a song a Wallflowers song. "I usually just let the songs tell me what kind of arrangements they need," he says. "And if they're asking for full-band electric arrangements, then that's what the Wallflowers provide. And I knew I wanted to make a full-band electric record this time out."

And made one he has, with one special guest on board – Shelby Lynne, who lends her voice to three of the album's tracks. To Dylan, a band, even one with a constantly shifting lineup, is a sacred thing. "I've always been a believer in collaboration," he says, "and no matter who I'm playing with I've always tried to include them very heavily." True to its title, *Exit Wounds* is an ode to people — individual and collective — that have, to put it mildly, been through some stuff. Jakob Dylan says, "I think everybody — no matter what side of the aisle you're on — wherever we're going to next, we're all taking a lot of exit wounds with us. Nobody is the same as they were four years ago. That, to me, is what *Exit Wounds* signifies."

Tickets for An Evening with The Wallflowers are on sale now at Lobero.org and at the Lobero Box Office 805.963.0761. VIP tickets are \$106 (includes premier seating and a pre-show reception with drinks and hors d'oeuvres), Section A tickets are \$67, and Section B tickets are \$57. Reserved seating. Ticket prices include a per ticket Lobero Facility Fee; other fees may also apply.

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**UPCOMING LOBERO LIVE EVENTS:** 

#### September 2022

EARL MINNIS PRESENTS and Lobero LIVE present **An Intimate Evening of Songs and Stories with Suzanne Vega on Wednesday, September 28, 2022 at 7:30 PM**. Bearing the stamp of a masterful storyteller who "observes the world with a clinically poetic eye" (*The New York Times*), Vega's songs have tended to focus on city life, ordinary people and real-world subjects. Notably succinct and understated, her work is immediately recognizable — as utterly distinct and thoughtful as it was when her voice was first heard on the radio over 30 years ago. <a href="https://www.lobero.org/events/suzanne-vega/">https://www.lobero.org/events/suzanne-vega/</a>

Lobero LIVE presents **Get The Led Out on Friday, September 30, 2022 at 7:30 PM.** The Philadelphia-based group, which consists of six veteran musicians, delivers a high energy Zeppelin concert with an honest, heart-thumping intensity. Performing blues-soaked, groove-driven rock anthems with passion and fury, the band has amassed a strong national touring history. <a href="https://www.lobero.org/events/get-the-led-out-2/">https://www.lobero.org/events/get-the-led-out-2/</a>

#### October 2022

Lobero LIVE presents **Lobero Theatre Chamber Music Project, Tuesday, October 18, 2022 at 7:30 PM**. After an almost 3-year hiatus, Santa Barbara's renowned music director/conductor/violist Heiichiro Ohyama returns to the Lobero for a stellar evening of music by an artfully curated chamber ensemble. This long-anticipated homecoming concert features local legend Maestro Ohyama and three handpicked classical music luminaries – Benjamin Beilman (violin), Lucille Chung (piano), and Edward Arron (cello) – performing selected works by Dvořák and Fauré. <a href="https://www.lobero.org/events/lobero-theatre-chamber-music-project/">https://www.lobero.org/events/lobero-theatre-chamber-music-project/</a>

Lobero LIVE presents **Andrew Duhon and Haley Johnsen, Friday, October 28, 2022 at 7:30 PM**. New Orleans native Andrew Duhon is a singer/songwriter with an undeniable voice, both weighted and soulful. He has toured solo for much of his career, and that troubadour element is certainly present — an usher of modern-day folklore. Opening the show is Haley Johnsen, a Portland, Oregon-born musician recognized for her soaring vocals, introspective lyricism, and cross-pollinated style of indie-pop and bluesy folk-rock. <a href="https://www.lobero.org/events/andrew-duhon-and-haley-johnsen/">https://www.lobero.org/events/andrew-duhon-and-haley-johnsen/</a>

#### November 2022

Lobero LIVE, KTYD and Panda Man present **Go To Hale: Quips & Clips – Sounds of Change on Saturday, November 5, 2022 at 6:52 PM**. Anyone who has attended previous Quips & Clips shows knows what a special "one night only" experience it offers. The majority of the musical film footage has been curated from a vast private archive. Your Host Hale Milgrim will share personal stories of his many years in the music industry, including his relationships with artists before and during his tenure as President / CEO of Capitol Records. https://www.lobero.org/events/go-to-hale-quips-clips-2/

Lobero Jazz presents **The Django Festival Allstars on Tuesday, November 15, 2022 at 7:30 PM**. The Django Festival Allstars bring the music of legendary Gypsy Jazz Guitarist Django Reinhardt fully into the 21st century. Their unique, high-energy performances pay tribute to Reinhardt, who is considered one of the greatest guitar players of all time. The group honors the traditions of his "hot jazz," adding their own interpretations, arrangements, and original compositions with stunning virtuosity. <a href="https://www.lobero.org/events/django-festival-all-stars/">https://www.lobero.org/events/django-festival-all-stars/</a>

EARL MINNIS PRESENTS and Lobero LIVE present **The Immediate Family, Sunday, November 20, 2022 at 7 PM**. Known for their long, illustrious careers backing up countless Hall-of-Fame artists for decades, guitarists Danny Kortchmar and Waddy Wachtel, drummer Russ Kunkel, and bassist Leland Sklar have come together, along with guitarist Steve Postell, to perform their own songs as The Immediate Family, a band that can legitimately be called a supergroup. <a href="https://www.lobero.org/events/the-immediate-family-2/">https://www.lobero.org/events/the-immediate-family-2/</a>

Lobero LIVE is funded in part by the Events and Festivals Program using funds provided by the City of Santa Barbara in partnership with the Santa Barbara County Arts Commission.

## Calendar Editors, please note:

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