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Jazz at the Lobero Ovation Series presents

Arturo Sandoval

Friday, February 10, 2023

Santa Barbara, CA, January 11, 2023 – Jazz at the Lobero Ovation Series presents **Arturo Sandoval on Friday, February 10, 2023 at 7:30 PM**. A protégé of the legendary jazz master Dizzy Gillespie, Sandoval has evolved into one of the world’s most acknowledged guardians of jazz trumpet and flugelhorn, as well as a renowned classical artist, pianist and composer. The dynamic, vivacious performer has received 10 GRAMMY® Awards, 6 Billboard Awards, an Emmy, the Hispanic Heritage Award, the Presidential Medal of Freedom by President Obama, and was recently honored with a Doctorate in Fine Arts from the prestigious Notre-Dame University.

“Arguably the most prodigious trumpeter of his generation, a showman to the tips of his toes... imperiously and dashing in charge of the resources of his trumpet.” – *The Guardian*

“Mr. Sandoval’s playing is unabashedly spectacular, yet he uses his technique with dramatic finesse.”
– *New York Times*

In 2022 Arturo released his newest album, *Rhythm & Soul*, to rave reviews. The “Rhythm” is represented by a collection of new originals that draw on Arturo’s wealth of experience and encyclopedic knowledge in all forms of Latin music, from traditional Cuban Son to Brazilian Bossa-Nova and Samba to Caribbean Soca. The “Soul” is what comes from his horn. This album showcases Arturo as a player in many forms - from fiery to sensitive. Musicians and fans alike rightly marvel at his technical ability on the horn – the effortless high notes and the dizzying speed and execution of his improvised runs.

At 73, Sandoval remains one of the most brilliant, multifaceted, and renowned musicians of our time. The Cuban maestro delights in presenting a diverse and exhilarating show featuring Afro-Cuban Jazz, Be Bop, straight ahead Jazz and so much more. He is by far, one of the world’s foremost entertainers, having been seen by millions performing live at the Oscars, the Grammys, at the White House, and the industry’s most esteemed Performing Arts Centers and Festivals.

Tickets for Arturo Sandoval 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 \$56, and Section B tickets are \$46. (*Ticket prices include a per ticket Lobero Facility Fee; other fees may also apply.*)

UPCOMING JAZZ AT THE LOBERO OVATION SERIES EVENTS:

March 2023

Jazz at the Lobero Ovation Series presents **Preservation Hall Jazz Band on Friday, March 3, 2023 at 7:30 PM**. From the heart of the French Quarter to the world's stage, PHJB has spread the joyful, timeless spirit of true New Orleans jazz since 1961. While traditional New Orleans jazz repertoire remain their core focus, they've transformed into a vibrantly cross-pollinated ambassador for New Orleans, exploring original compositions, Afro-Cuban rhythms, R&B influences, and collaborating with artists beyond the jazz spectrum. Their nationwide tour, *Pass It On – 60th Anniversary Musical Celebration*, commemorates six decades of the Hall's well-worn, well-loved space that's physically small, but spiritually huge. <https://www.lobero.org/events/preservation-hall-jazz-band-2/>

Jazz at the Lobero Ovation Series presents **Charles Lloyd 85th Birthday Concert on Friday, March 10, 2023 at 7:30 PM**. NEA Jazz Master Charles Lloyd felt that the world needed more tenderness so he invited pianist Jason Moran, bassist Larry Grenadier, and drummer Brian Blade to join him in making an offering to humanity. Coinciding with Charles' 85th birthday, these talented musicians will all come together for the first time ever – at home on the stage of the Lobero! <https://www.lobero.org/events/charles-lloyd-85th-birthday-celebration/>

April 2023

Jazz at the Lobero Ovation Series presents The **Derek Douget Band, Saturday, April 8, 2023 at 7:30 PM**. The accomplished saxophonist finely mixes his Louisiana upbringing with his strong individualism and idiosyncratic voice. Douget, who has performed with many notable musicians on the New Orleans scene, will be joined on stage by Ashlin Parker (trumpet), Victor Atkins, (piano), and Jason Stewart (bass). <https://www.lobero.org/events/spring-jazz-2023-derek-douget-quintet/>

May 2023

Jazz at the Lobero Ovation Series presents **Tierney Sutton – Paris Sessions Trio and Celebrating 30 years of The Tierney Sutton Band on Friday, May 12, 2023 at 7:30 PM**. The 9-time GRAMMY® nominee has received 7 consecutive nominations for “Best Jazz Vocal Album” – one for every project she has released for the last decade. With a recording and touring history spanning over 20 years and 9 CDs, the band is the only team ever to receive a GRAMMY® nomination for its collaborative arranging. <https://www.lobero.org/events/spring-jazz-2023-tierney-sutton/>

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