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EARL MINNIS PRESENTS and Lobero LIVE present

An Evening with The Wallflowers

Tuesday, October 17, 2023 at 7:30 PM

Santa Barbara, CA, September 28, 2023 – EARL MINNIS PRESENTS and Lobero LIVE present **An Evening with The Wallflowers on Tuesday, October 17, 2023 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

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

1992 saw the release of their eponymous debut album, followed in 1996 by their best-known and highest-selling album, *Bringing Down The Horse*, which featured the GRAMMY® Award-winning track "One Headlight." The group went on to release an additional two critically acclaimed albums before going on hiatus. 2012 was the year the band reunited and released their sixth album, *Glad All Over*. Nearly a decade later, The Wallflowers released their seventh album *Exit Wounds*, which hit number three on the Billboard's Top Album Sales chart – making it the highest charting album for the band yet. Despite frequent personnel changes throughout the band's history, Jakob proved to be a strong bandleader who was capable of keeping the group's personality consistent.

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. 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:

OCTOBER 2023

Lobero LIVE, Panda Man, and KTYD presents **Go To Hale Quips & Clips: Music At The Crossroads on Saturday, October 14, 2023 at 6:52 PM**. When and how did musical styles converge? Take an audio/visual journey with us from the 1960's to the present and find out! Archival film footage, curated from the respective libraries of Hale Milgrim (former President/CEO of Capitol Records) and music lover Richard Salzberg (aka 'Music Maniac') will be shown. This is a 'One Night Only' event to support the Lobero Theatre's 150th Ovation Celebration. https://www.lobero.org/events/go-to-hale-quips-clips-presents-music-at-the-crossroads/

Lobero LIVE presents **An Evening with Patty Griffin and Todd Snider on Friday, October 20, 2023 at 7:30 PM**. GRAMMY® Award-winner Patty Griffin is among the most consequential singer-songwriters of her generation, crafting a remarkable body of work over the course of two decades. Todd Snider is undeniably one of the greatest songwriters of his generation, as attested by legends like John Prine, Loretta Lynn, Kris Kristofferson, Jerry Jeff Walker, Billy Joe Shaver and Guy Clark. First and foremost, he remains one of America's truly gifted storytellers. Tix available at https://www.lobero.org/events/patty-griffin-and-todd-snider/

Jazz at the Lobero presents **Pat Metheny "Dream Box Tour" on Monday, October 30, 2023 at 7:30 PM**. This fall, the 20-time GRAMMY® Award winning guitarist & composer is launching a solo tour, which will coincide with a new album release, *Dream Box*. The tour, a first of its kind for Metheny, will feature personal and fan favorites from his nearly 50-year career. https://www.lobero.org/events/pat-metheney-dream-box-tour/

NOVEMBER 2023

Lobero LIVE presents Watchhouse "Special Duo Set," with special guest Humbird, on Wednesday, November 15, 2023 at 7:30 PM. Andrew Marlin and Emily Frantz of Watchhouse (formerly known as Mandolin Orange) reintroduced themselves on their 2021 self-titled LP, and are now celebrating the release of 2022's self-produced recording Watchhouse (Duo) with a short run of shows that will feature just the two of them, harkening back to their earliest days of performing. Humbird, with deep roots in the Midwest heartland, fusing experimental folk and environmental Americana genres, opens the show. https://www.lobero.org/events/watchhouse-2/

Lobero LIVE presents **An Evening with Bruce Cockburn, with special guest Steve Postell on Saturday, November 18, 2023 at 7:30 PM**. For 50 years, the Canadian musical legend has been capturing in song the essence of human experience – while fiercely striving to make it better. His guitar playing, both acoustic and electric, has placed him in the company of the world's top instrumentalists. Embracing folk, jazz, rock, and worldbeat styles, Cockburn's prized songbook will be celebrated for many years to come. https://www.lobero.org/events/bruce-cockburn/

DECEMBER 2023

Lobero LIVE presents **The Manhattan Transfer "50th Anniversary & Farewell Tour" on Thursday, December 7, 2023 at 7:30 PM**. The legendary quartet has achieved an incomparable career of pop and jazz hits, winning 10 GRAMMY® Awards out of 20 nominations. With their current release, *FIFTY*, the group has earned its 21st GRAMMY® nomination – for Best Jazz Vocal Album. They've also been inducted this year into the East Coast Music Hall of Fame and the Vocal Music Hall of Fame. https://www.lobero.org/events/the-manhattan-transfer-50th-anniversary-farewell-tour/

JANUARY 2024

Lobero LIVE presents **Lewis Black Live on Friday, January 19, 2024 at 7:30 PM**. Known as the King of Rant, Lewis Black uses his trademark style of comedic yelling and finger pointing to expose the absurdities of life. A GRAMMY® Award-winning stand-up, Black performs his critically acclaimed shows more than 200 nights annually, to sold-out audiences throughout Europe, New Zealand, Canada, and the US. He is the longest-running contributor to *The Daily Show* on Comedy Central and has had comedy specials on HBO, Comedy Central, Showtime, and Epix. In 2001, Black won Best Male Stand-Up at the

American Comedy Awards. His newest special, *Thanks for Risking Your Life* in 2020, was his last live performance before the Covid lockdown. https://www.lobero.org/events/lewis-black-2/

Lobero LIVE presents An Evening with Los Lonely Boys on Friday, January 26, 2024 at 7:30 PM (Amplified) and Saturday, January 27, 2024 at 7:30 PM (Acoustic). Henry, Jojo, and Ringo Garza have been making bluesy "Texican rock & roll" music together for seventeen years and show no signs of slowing down. The three young brothers formed a band, got signed to a major label, and had a hit single that propelled them to stardom. In the span of their career, they have sold 2.5 million records, won a GRAMMY®, and received five more GRAMMY® nominations. https://www.lobero.org/events/los-lonely-boys/

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