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The Crosby Collective, with special guest Jackson Browne

Thursday, June 12 and Friday, June 13, 2025 at 7:30 PM

Santa Barbara, CA, May 7, 2025 – Lobero Theatre Foundation presents The Crosby Collective, with special guest Jackson Browne, on Thursday, June 12 and Friday, June 13, 2025 at 7:30 PM. The group will bring their seamless blend of classics from all genres to the Lobero for two shows. Band members include Jason Crosby (keyboards, violin, vocals), Dave Schools (bass), Tom Guarna (guitar), John Kimock (drums), Greg Leisz (guitar, pedal steel), Alethea Mills (vocals), Chavonne Stewart (vocals), Andre Washington (vocals), and Lamar Williams Jr. (vocals), with special guest Jackson Browne (guitar, vocals). Helmed by mashup maven Jason Crosby, the ensemble of music veterans performs amalgamated compositions, plugging songs together to create one cohesive movement like "Friend of the Lithium," Grateful Dead meets Nirvana. The one-of-a-kind musical exploration resonates with listeners, given its air of familiarity and improvisational backbone. Singer songwriter Jackson Browne will participate in both Santa Barbara concerts.

The brainchild of Bay Area musician Jason Crosby and Media Executive/Producer Joe Poletto, The Crosby Collective is a like-minded community of GRAMMY® nominated musicians, celebrated artists, close friends, and accomplished creatives who come together to create timeless sonic experiences that feed the soul with feel-good music. Their latest releases blend rock and roll's most iconic songs and artists in a mashup of harmonic bliss through pairing tracks culled from The Grateful Dead, Led Zeppelin, Pink Floyd, The Allman Brothers, The Beatles, and several other historic musical standouts.

Equipped with its core group of musicians and artists, as well as several other esteemed players and collaborators, The Crosby Collective is setting out to spread their message of community, creativity, and peace to concert halls and music venues across the country. They will be joined onstage by renowned musician Jackson Browne. For more than five decades, Browne has written and performed some of the most literate, moving songs in popular music. A member of both the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and the Songwriters Hall of Fame, he has released 15 studio albums and four collections of live performances, selling more than 22 million albums worldwide.

Tickets for <u>The Crosby Collective</u>, <u>with special guest Jackson Browne</u> are on sale now at <u>Lobero.org</u> and at the Lobero Box Office 805.963.0761. Premium tickets are \$175 (*Premium ticket includes preferred seating location and an exclusive pre-show reception in the Lobero Courtyard with complimentary drinks and light bites, beginning an hour prior to showtime), Section A tickets are \$125, Section B tickets are \$85. Reserved seating. <i>Ticket prices include a per ticket Lobero* <u>Facility Fee</u>. (*Tickets purchased online or by phone are subject to a <u>web/phone order fee</u> of \$3.00 per ticket. To avoid this fee, tickets can be purchased in person at the box office.)*

UP NEXT FROM LOBERO LIVE:

MAY 2025

EARL MINNIS PRESENTS and Jazz at the Lobero present **Bill Frisell GOOD DOG featuring Greg Leisz, Tony Scherr & Kenny Wollesen on Thursday, May 15, 2025 at 7:30 PM.** *Rolling Stone* says revered guitarist, composer and

GRAMMY® winner Bill Frisell "is a genuine guitar hero and a major influence on generations of six-stringers that you worship." With over 300 recordings (including over 40 of his own), he is recognized as one of America's most vital and productive performing jazz artists. After more than 2 decades, Frisell reunites with some of his closest musical brothers to perform some of the magical pieces from *GOOD DOG, HAPPY MAN*. https://www.lobero.org/events/bill-frisell-2/

EARL MINNIS PRESENTS and Lobero Theatre Foundation present **An Evening with The Wallflowers on Thursday, May 22, 2025 at 7:30 PM**. The GRAMMY® Award-winning group has 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. https://www.lobero.org/events/wallflowers-2025/

Lobero LIVE, KTYD, and Panda Man present **Quips & Pix & Flix** – *A Special Edition of* **Behind The Lens** – **California Dreamin'** … *and more!* **on Saturday, May 31, 2025 at 6:52 PM.** This visual feast of photography and stories, as told by iconic music photographer Henry Diltz, will journey far behind the scenes of what the 60s and 70s were all about in this authentic, heart-warming, humorous ride. Special guest Hale Milgrim, former President/CEO of Capitol Records with a 45-plus year history in the music business, opens the show with a new curated edition of his popular *Quips & Clips*. Henry and Hale will close the evening with a Q & A. *There will also be a meet and greet pre-show reception and Henry will be selling and signing photos after the show in front of the theater. https://www.lobero.org/events/quips-pix-flix/

JUNE 2025

EARL MINNIS PRESENTS and Lobero Theatre Foundation present **Mary Chapin Carpenter & Brandy Clark on Monday, June 16, 2025 at 7 PM.** Mary Chapin has sold over 16 million records, won five GRAMMYS®, two CMA Awards, two ACM Awards, and is one of only 15 female members of the Nashville Songwriters Hall of Fame. This tour will feature songs from her entire catalog and new album, set for early summer release. GRAMMY®, CMA, and Americana Award-winner Brandy Clark is one of her generation's most esteemed songwriters and musicians. She also composed the music for the hit musical comedy, *Shucked* — winning Outstanding Music at the 67th Drama Desk Awards. https://www.lobero.org/events/mary-chapin-carpenter-2/

AUGUST 2025

Jazz at the Lobero presents **Robert Glasper on Saturday, August 16, 2025 at 7 PM**. Robert Glasper is the leader of a new sonic paradigm with a career that bridges musical and artistic genres. To date, he boasts 5 GRAMMY® wins and 14 nominations across 11 categories, an Emmy Award for his song for Ava Duvernay's critically hailed documentary "13th" with Common and Karriem Riggins, and a Peabody Award for his Composition of "Mr. Soul!" Glasper's GRAMMY®-winning crossover album, Black Radio, transformed the genre and established new standards for popular music. His work and accolades bridge all aspects of the music business, from live touring to film scoring, composing and producing. Produced By Jill Newman Productions. Featured Sponsor: Santa Barbara Travel Bureau. https://www.lobero.org/events/robert-glasper/

Lobero LIVE presents **Tab Benoit, with special guest GA-20, on Friday, August 29, 2025 at 7:30 PM.** *I Hear Thunder* marks the long-awaited return of four-time GRAMMY® nominated artist Tab Benoit. Renowned for his distinctive guitar tone and Otis-Redding-esque voice, Benoit has been a captivating figure in the roots music world for over thirty years. Tab does more than play the blues; he defines its future while paying homage to its rich past. Fans will be delighted to hear the new songs and selected tracks from his vast catalog. https://www.lobero.org/events/tab-benoit-2025/

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