



YourLBC Reopens November 6

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On our Reopening day, we at the Luther Burbank Center for the Arts send our best wishes to you, our education partners. For those of you affected by the incidents of the past month, we hope that you, your schools, and your students are safely recovering. And to everyone, it's been so inspiring to see a strong community come together in every way possible, and we at LBC have so many people to thank for supporting us in the last weeks. In the midst of chaos, we found ourselves letting people know that *Your LBC is Still Standing*. We are grateful to be opening our building on November 6th, with performances resuming November 9th. We are preparing for your return and hope that we can offer you an escape that only the arts can provide.

As you know, we had to cancel a few performances and we have been able to reschedule some others. We want to make sure that all of our students have the opportunity to attend a performance, so the rescheduling process has begun. If you have any questions that haven't been answered, please reach out.

Canceled Performances:

- **Go, Dog. Go!** originally scheduled for Thu., Oct. 2017 at 9:30am
- **Chicken Dance** originally scheduled for Mon., Oct. 16, 2017 at 9:30am

Rescheduled Performances:

- [Sewam American Indian Dance Company](#)
Originally scheduled for Tue., Oct. 17, 2017 at 9:30am and 11:30am
Rescheduled to Mon., Mar. 12, 2018 at 9:30am and 11:30am
- [Ben Franklin: America's First Citizen](#)
Originally scheduled for Mon., Nov. 6, 2017 at 9:30am
Rescheduled to Mon., Feb. 5, 2018 at 9:30am
- [Super Scientific Circus](#)
Originally scheduled for Tue., Nov. 7, 2017 at 9:30am and 11:30am
Rescheduled to Mon., Jan. 29, 2017 at 9:30am and 11:30am

In addition to these changes, our Sculpture Garden sadly suffered some damage, so we won't be able to offer Arts Talks this year.

Truly, educators of all kinds are our heroes and we want to make sure you know about a program at LBC in November that may benefit you personally. For select public shows in November, we are offering a "Pay What You Can" ticket offer for those affected by the fires and to the first responders who selflessly came to the aid of us all. (Subject to availability, there is a limit of 4 tickets per show for the "Pay What You Can" option.)

Please join us and help us spread the word.

For more news about the Center, visit us on [Facebook](#) or at [yourlbc.org](#).

See you soon at *YourLBC*!

Our Arts Integration [Professional Development](#) series had a successful kick off with more than 30 educators and artists attending the first event in September. Master Teaching Artist Bob Bullwinkle presented the day-long *Arts Integration and New State Standards*. The workshop highlighted using Arts Integration as a tool for teaching everyday lessons in a creative, motivating way—without adding extra work. From literacy to math to social studies, teachers left with activities they could take back to use with their students the next day.

LBC's next workshop features National Teaching Artist Melanie Rick focusing on integrating math and visual art for PK-2 students. [Lines & Shapes: Integrating Visual Art & Geometry](#) is on Friday, December 15, 2017 from 8:30-11:30 am. *Lines & Shapes* will be presented at Helen Lehman Elementary School in Santa Rosa. Teachers will observe Melanie Rick present the lesson to students to see the work in action. Following the lesson, Melanie will debrief the lesson with teachers

LBC's Professional Development Series as part of the Partners in Education program with the John F. Kennedy Center for the Arts in Washington, DC, ensuring the highest quality of professional development incorporating current evidence-based pedagogy. Our local Partners in Education include the Sonoma Office of Education and the Santa Rosa Charter School for the Arts.

UPCOMING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



Lines & Shapes: Integrating Visual Art & Geometry

with Melanie Rick
For Teachers of Grades PK-2

Thursday, January 18, 8:30-11:30am
Helen Lehmen Elementary School

In this workshop, explore how students can construct and demonstrate their understanding of geometry through visual art.

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A Playful Approach to Writing

with Mary Hall Surface
For Teachers of Grades 1-6

Thursday, January 18, 8:30-11:30am
Sonoma County Office of Education

Participants examine ways to help students learn how to think like playwrights and to develop a script—written or pictorial—that draws on their improvisations of characters and ideas.

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UPCOMING SCHOOL SHOWS

La Belle

by Imago Theatre
Grades 1-4

Wednesday, November 15, 9:30am

A magical *Beauty and the Beast* tale, from the company who brought us *Frogz* and *ZooZoo*. This breathtaking performance features a steampunk-style set with moving gears, machines, and a backdrop of a whimsical ship, and large-scale puppetry.

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Hangin' with the Giants

by JazzReach
Grades 1-4

Thursday, January 30, 9:30am

Meet Jazz music's greatest personalities in this interactive multimedia presentation with live musicians. With tunes from Louis Armstrong, Duke Ellington, Dizzy Gillespie, and more, no one can help but tap their feet and clap their hands along with this show-stopper, back by popular demand!

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Yes Indeed!

Celebrating the Great
American Blues Tradition

by JazzReach
Grades 5-8

Thursday, January 30, 11:30am

Instill a greater appreciation, awareness, and understanding of the history of the blues in your students with this interactive program showcasing the blues as the core element of all indigenous American music, including R&B, funk, gospel, rock, and hip hop. Back by popular demand!

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Ben Franklin:

America's First Citizen

with Patrick Garner in
association with TheatreworksUSA
Grades 1-6

Monday, February 5, 9:30am

Join Benjamin Franklin as he demonstrates how self-discipline, inquiry, public service, and a genuine love of life led to international fame and the gratitude of an entire nation.

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