

## THROUGH SUNDAY, 2/3

### Make Believe

NEVADA THEATRE, VARIOUS TIMES,  
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It's the second and final week to catch Dalrymple MacAlpin's newest play, *Make Believe*. Follow the make-believe exploits

**ON STAGE** of six sisters (Wendel, Wanda, Winky, Florence, Fern and Fand) as they find themselves in an orphanage run by their less-than-ideal aunt, kept from their happy lives with their mother, who's a goodly fairy. Featuring music two years in the making performed by a nine-piece chamber orchestra, this original work by puppeteer/playwright/poet/person of many interests is guaranteed whimsical. 401 Broad Street in Nevada City, [dalrymplemacalpin.com](http://dalrymplemacalpin.com).



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stopping by to share some songs. Kevin Seconds also performs. 7pm, \$11. Riving Loom, 1701 Broadway.

## MONDAY, 2/4

**SINGING AMERICA:** The subject of this musical evening are American art songs from a variety of composers, including Ernst Bacon, John Duke, Florence Price and more. Robin Fisher sings 'em and Hatem Nadim plays 'em. 7pm, \$5-\$10. Capistrano Music Hall, 6000 J St.

## WEDNESDAY, 2/6

**LE BUTCHERETTES:** The Tapatio garage punk band fronted by Teri Gender Bender will be performing their recently released album, *bi/MENTAL*. 7:30pm, \$15. Goldfield Trading Post, 1630 J St.

**THE MOVEMENT:** Reggae's in your future if you're a fan of the Movement—but it's also likely in your past if you're a fan of them. Get smooth and positively vibed up. 6:30pm, \$13-\$15. Holy Diver, 1517 21st St.

**OTTMAR LIEBERT AND LUNA NEGRA:** The most famous German Spanish-influenced guitar player east of the Mississippi is playing with Luna Negra, west of the Mississippi—namely, at the Sofia. 7pm, \$55. Sofia Tsakopoulos Center for the Arts, 2700 Capitol Ave.

## FESTIVALS

## FRIDAY, 2/1

**GEM FAIRE:** There's been no shortage of gem faires in the last several months. It's our duty as the purveyors of the calendar to tell you every time gems are available—it used to be a lot harder to get gems, but now you've got them at your fingertips. See offerings from many vendors, get your jewelry cleaned for free, purchase some beads or fine jewelry and maybe learn a thing or three about gems. Runs through Sunday. Noon, \$7. Placer County Fairgrounds, 800 All America City Blvd. in Roseville.

## SATURDAY, 2/2

**2019 HOW TO ADULT FESTIVAL:** Anyone will tell you—adulthood isn't easy. That's why the Sacramento Public Library is hosting this festival for folks ages 12 to 19—to give you the scoop on how to make it look easy. Check out the event highlight on page

30. 10am, no cover. Arcade Library, 2443 Marconi Ave.

**NEW YEAR CELEBRATION:** Get your daily dose of Japanese New Year celebrations, with sake-drinking, mochi-pounding and calligraphy-writing. There's a drum circle, games, a tea ceremony and a resolution writing session in Kanji. Noon, \$10-\$20 donation. Temple KUKURI, 10723 Fair Oaks Blvd. in Fair Oaks.

## FOOD & DRINK

## SATURDAY, 2/2

**6TH ANNUAL BREW DAY:** Californians everywhere can legally make anywhere between 100 and 200 gallons of alcoholic beverages a year in their homes—but they can't sell those gallons. However, there are options for them to share their home brews—check out this sixth installment of the art of brewing, taste some beers, taste some foods, taste some discounts, taste some mingling and more. A \$10 ticket includes a sausage sandwich and that aforementioned mingling. 11am, no cover-\$10. Lodi Wine Labs, 710 S. Beckman Road in Lodi.

**AMARO GAYO COFFEE TASTING:** Bring your senses that are helpful for tasting coffee to this unique Ethiopian brew session (taste, smell, touch and sight all play a part—listening to coffee is nice, but not as vital). Pachamama's own Cruz Conrad will lead the tasting session of Amara Gayo, the single-origin coffee made by Asnakech Thomas. You'll get some snacks and some of that sweet, sweet coffee. 10am, \$10-\$15. Community Learning Center & Cooking School, 2820 R St.

## FILM

## THURSDAY, 1/31

**THE NOT-DYING GIRL:** This documentary brought to you through the joint efforts of KVIE and Capital Public Radio puts forth the cancer-fighting experiences of Lauren McCullough. McCullough, as a high-school athlete, was diagnosed with childhood cancer. Through her efforts to experience life and fight for future people in her positions, she left behind an

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