

WEDNESDAY, 5/8

Songs & Stories

AGE OF SPADES, 7PM, \$27-\$299

Have you ever heard the lyrics to a song and thought, "Hey, this song seems as if it was written about the exact details of my life!" Well, if that song was by Art Alexakis of Everclear, Chris Collingwood of Fountains of Wayne, Max Collins of Eve 6 or John Wozniak of Marcy Playground, today's your lucky day.

MUSIC

You can hear those singer-songwriters share their stories and play some songs in person at this event. 1417 R Street, aceofspadessac.com.

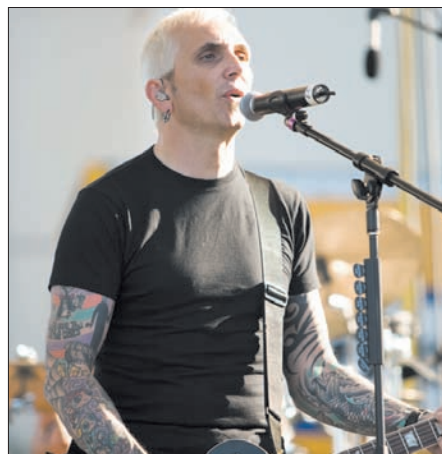


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deconstructionist vaulting and more. **Sunday 5/5, 1pm. \$8-\$12.** 216 O St.

OLD SACRAMENTO STATE HISTORIC PARK:

The Quest for the Gold Spike. With even more Gold Spike-themed events, you can catch a melodramatic performance of the events leading up to that spike of gold that commemorated the finalization of the railroad. **Through 5/25. No cover.** 1014 2nd St.

STANLEY MOSK LIBRARY AND COURTS BUILDING:

California and the Railroad. State Librarian Greg Lucas also is getting in on the 150-year anniversary of the Transcontinental Railroad—did you think he would miss out? The State Library's exhibit examines how those tracks helped California develop. **Thursday 5/2, 5:30pm. No cover.** 914 Capitol Mall.

SUTTER'S FORT: *Tour by Chocolate.* Head to Sutter's Fort for some chocolate and history about Sutter's Fort. **5:30pm. Through 5/4. \$20-\$25.** 2701 L St.

SPORTS & OUTDOORS

THURSDAY, 5/2

WATERFRONT YOGA: Stretch out your tight muscles out near the water—at the Old Sacramento Waterfront, of course. The Yoga Seed Collective hosts, and it's all free. **6:30pm, no cover.** Old Sacramento Waterfront, 1002 Front St.

SATURDAY, 5/4

BIRDS AND BIRDING AT THE KOOBS NATURE

AREA: Break out the binocs and head out to nature, because the Kooobs Nature Area is focusing on birding. At this event, kids can make bird houses and participate in other bird-themed activities. **10am, no cover.** Kooobs Nature Area in Carmichael, 5325 Engle Road.

MAY THE 4TH 5K FUN RUN AND BEERFEST: Check out the beer-, running- and the Force-themed event highlight on page 33. **11am, \$10.** New Helvetia Brewing Company Tasting Room, 1730 Broadway.

TAKE ACTION

THURSDAY, 5/2

KINDNESS ROCKS: Join Sacto Cali Rocks to paint some rocks for the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention. Stop by any time until 7 p.m. and get rocking. **3pm, by donation.** Tomato Alley Collective, 2014 28th St., Suite F.

SATURDAY, 5/4

MARCH FOR SCIENCE: Walk around in support of a pretty good system on which to base our beliefs and challenge our hypotheses—science. You'll walk from River Walk Park to Old Sacramento, hear live music, hear speakers and interface with other scientifically minded folks. Afterward, there's a pub crawl. **1pm, no cover.** River Walk Park, 651 2nd St. in West Sacramento.

SOUND THE ALARM COMMUNITY EVENT:

Volunteer and help the American Red Cross install a whole bunch of smoke alarms in underserved communities for free. **7am, no cover.** Cal Expo, 1600 Exposition Blvd.

CLASSES

THURSDAY, 5/2

VEGAN FIESTA: Get the preparation you need to feed a fiesta, with recipes for torta sandwiches, vegan chorizo, roasted cauliflower and many more foods. **6pm, \$45-\$55.** Community Learning Center & Cooking School, 2820 R St.

SATURDAY, 5/4

CODEX MAKING WORKSHOP: Learn how to make a codex, and learn about the history of the Mesoamerican codices. **11am, \$20-\$25.** Sol Collective, 2574 21st St.

TURNIP YOUR BACKYARD GARDEN WITH CHANOWK

YISRAEL: Get your backyard garden turned up to a whole new level. This week's class deals with integrated pest management. **1pm, \$25.** The Yisrael Family Urban Farm, 4505 Roosevelt Ave.

WONDERFUL WORLD OF WORMS: Vermiculture is the name of the game, and worms are the players in that game. Come learn how you can turn your worm-free compost into a wormy paradise, featured on page 33. **10am, no cover.** Sierra 2 Center, 2791 24th St.

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SPECIALS

MAY 3 - 5



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Choice of Entrée:
Jalapeño Lime Filet or
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SATURDAY, MAY 4

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