



LIVING TRADITIONS

festival

— 2024 —



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ARTS COUNCIL MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Salt Lake City Arts Council is to promote, present, and support artists, arts organizations, and arts activities in order to further the development of the arts community and to benefit the public by expanding awareness, access, and participation.

LIVING TRADITIONS MISSION STATEMENT

The Living Traditions Festival supports the preservation of culturally diverse traditions, perspectives, and communities through the presentation of traditional music, dance, crafts, food, and more. We aim to facilitate understanding and belonging amongst communities through varied Utah-based programming and partnerships.

We would like to acknowledge that this land, which is named for the Ute Tribe, is the traditional and ancestral homeland of the Shoshone, Paiute, Goshute, and Ute Tribes.



SPECIAL PROGRAMMING

SUNDANCE FILM FESTIVAL

Local Lens Screenings

These free screenings will be located in the auditorium on the main level of the library.

SATURDAY & SUNDAY

4:30 pm & 5:15 pm

A collection of Indigenous short films from the 2024 Sundance Film Festival including *Bay of Herons*, *Ekbeh*, *Baigal Nuur - Lake Baikal*, and *Winding Path*. All films are open captioned. Short Films are not rated.

WORKSHOPS

Workshops are located in the lower level classrooms of the Salt Lake Public Library. First come first serve.

SATURDAY

12:30 – 1:30 pm

Alebrijes with America Cuevas

In this workshop taught by America Cuevas, participants will be learn more about alebrijes and their cultural significance in Mexican culture. Attendees will be taught a series of traditional patterns and designs, and be able to paint their own wooden alebrijes.

2:00 – 3:00 pm

Eastern European Egg Art with Ingrid Hersman

*Recommended for ages 14+

In this workshop taught by Ingrid Hersman, learn more about the rich history of pysanky egg painting, and design your own egg. Due to the delicate tools involved, attendees must be at least 14 years old to participate.

2:30 – 3:30 pm

Ballet Folklorico Dance Class with Karla Shawhan

In this workshop, attendees will learn the beginning skirt work associated with ballet folklorico dance. Beginning with an overview of the dress itself, you will be guided on introductory steps.

SUNDAY

12:30 – 1:30 pm

Air-Chases Copper Bracelets with Jan Harris Smith

Learn how to forge a simple, but beautiful, copper bracelet using simple, household tools and 1/2" to 3/4" copper pipe from the hardware store.

FOOD DEMOS & BEER TASTING

Located near the Food Market.

SATURDAY

1:00 & 3:00 pm

Bohemian Brewery presents a History of Lager Brewing & Beer Tasting

Must be 21+ and pre-registered. Sign up on livingtraditionsfestival.com

5:30 pm

Traditional Oaxacan

Food Demo by Chefs Fernando and Leonor Santiago.

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3:30 pm

Delicious. Venezuelan Food with Chef Ahimara Suarez

Delicious is an idea that arises as an alternative to spread the customs and roots of Venezuelan cuisine to offer healthy, simple and practical products with exquisite Caribbean flavor.

5:30 pm

Prime Corn Food Demo with Chef Wendy Juarez

Prime Corn is the Cuisine of our Indigenous Ancestors, originating from ancient pre-Columbian/pre-Hispanic cultures from the Americas.

THE LEONARDO 100 YEARS OF SILENCE EXHIBIT

FRIDAY - SUNDAY

10:00 am – 7:00 pm

Breaking 101 Years of Silence: The Ute Mountain Ute Tribe's Legacy of Endurance, a new art exhibit that promotes healing and commemorates the 101st anniversary of the "Posey War," which began on March 19, 1923. Attendees of Living Traditions may visit this exhibit for free.

FAMILY ACTIVITIES

The Kids Area is located on the lawn of Library Square.

FRIDAY

5:00 - 8:00 pm

Bocce Ball

This ancient game was first documented in 5200 BCE and later popularized by the Roman Empire. It most closely resembles bowling and is played around the world! It requires skill, strategy and just a little luck. The Utah Bocce Ball Association provides instruction throughout the festival.

SATURDAY

12:00 - 5:00 pm

Dragon Kite with Jo-Ann Wong

Come celebrate the Chinese Year of the Dragon by making your own dragon kite! Kites are a colorful component of traditional celebrations in China, where they originated.

One Shape Piñata with Clara Amezcua

Piñatas have been a tradition in Mexican culture for hundreds of years. In this workshop, make a vibrant piñata out of cardboard and crepe paper.

Hawaiian Lei Making with Halau Ku Pono I Kamalani

In Hawaiian culture, leis represent welcoming, friendship, and celebration. For this activity, you will make your own lei to wear proudly around the festival and take home.

Origami with Irene Ota

Fun, challenging, but always rewarding, origami has been a popular craft for over a thousand years in Japan. Try your hand at creating an origami crane, butterfly, or cat at this workshop!

*Located in downstairs library classroom C

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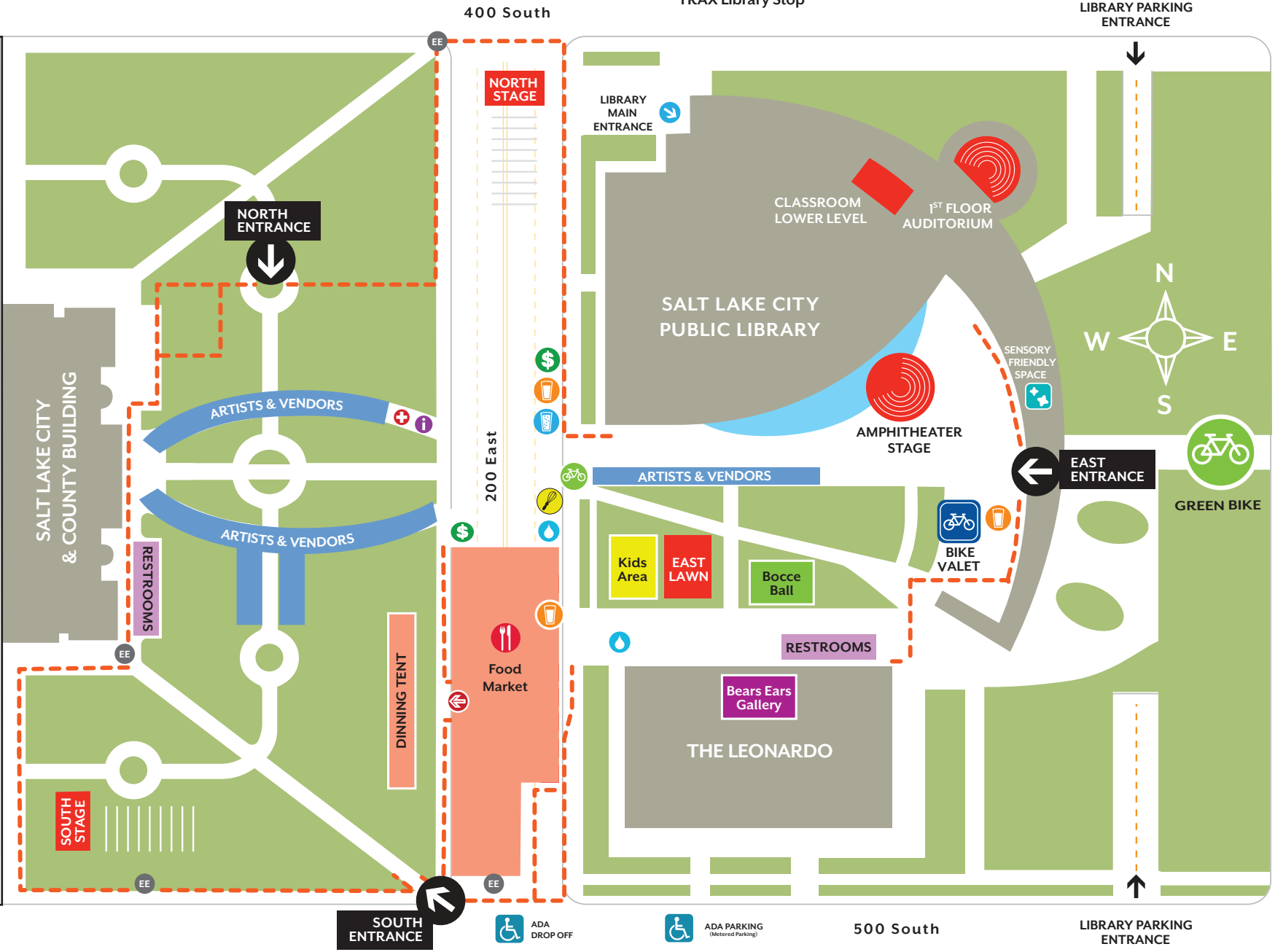
*Available until 7 pm



TAKING TRAX? PLEASE USE NORTH OR EAST ENTRANCE



-  BOUNDARY LINE
-  STAGES
-  ARTISTS & VENDORS
-  FOOD VENDORS
-  FOOD DEMOS & BEER TASTINGS
-  RESTROOMS
-  MEDICAL TENT
-  INFORMATION DESK
-  EMERGENCY EGRESS
-  DRINKING WATER
-  ATM
-  SOFT DRINKS
-  BEER & WINE
-  BIKE VALET
-  GREEN BIKE
-  SENSORY FRIENDLY SPACE



PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, MAY 17TH

	NORTH STAGE	SOUTH STAGE	AMPHITHEATER STAGE
5 PM	Grupo Folklórico Tierra de Fuego	Mariachi Fuego	Red Branch
6 PM	Native Generations	Kargi Kala Kendra	Hakan Utah Ecuador
7 PM	Malirole Polynesian Cultural Arts Ensemble	Viva Mexico Ballet	Chitrakaavya Dance
8 PM	Geno Delafose & French Rockin' Boogie	RANGTAALI Gujarati Folk Dance Group	Neon Nativez
9 PM		Tutulli Ballet Folklórico	
		Viva Peru Dance	Brazuca Band
10 PM			



Geno Delafose & French Rockin' Boogie

A Grammy-nominated artist from Louisiana, Delafose has pioneered the sound of Nouveau Zydeco, deeply rooted in traditional Creole music with influence from Cajun, country and western genres.

EAST LAWN
6:15 – 7:00 pm
Wasatch Alphorns

SATURDAY, MAY 18TH

	NORTH STAGE	SOUTH STAGE	AMPHITHEATER STAGE
12 PM	Divya School of Dance	Celtic Country Dancers	The Music of Chris Dokos
1 PM	Kulturang Pilipino Ensemble of Utah	Utah Sacred Harp Singers	South Sudanese Nuer Dancers
2 PM	New Zealand American Society - Hiona	Thai Association of Utah	Yudy Muñoz
3 PM	WSU Ballet Folklórico	Dionysis Greek Dancers	Robb "Little Owl" Martin
4 PM	Ulhaas - Bengali Association of Utah	Salt Lake Capoeira	Venezuela Cantando
	Nepalese Association of Utah	Dhaulti - Utah Odia Community	
5 PM	Academia Mis Raíces	Tausala School of Dance	Madhu Sravanthi
6 PM	Ballet Folklórico Quetzalcóatl	Afroflexaz	Los Hermanos de Los Andes
7 PM	Halau Ku Pono I Kamalani	Nuevas Raíces Bolivia	
8 PM	Ballet Folklórico de las Américas		Grupo Fuego Tropical
9 PM	Utah Punjabi Arts Academy	MV Caldera	Callanish
10 PM			

EAST LAWN
1:45 – 2:30 pm
Hopi Dance Group

5:30 – 6:15 pm
Wasatch and District Pipe Band

SUNDAY, MAY 19TH

	NORTH STAGE	SOUTH STAGE	AMPHITHEATER STAGE
12 PM	Salt Lake Chinese Dance Art	Salt Lake Scandinavian Music & Dance	Kechi - Utah Turkish American Association
1 PM	De Colores	Anton Family Band	Rio Bravo Conjunto Los Castillos
2 PM	Utah'Ko Trisklariak	P&M Productions Powwow	Bomba Marilé
3 PM	Kenshin Taiko	James Romero Y Los Amigos	
4 PM	UtahSalsa.com	Balkanska Kitka	Bazeen
	Khemera Dance Troupe		Ty Allison
5 PM	Oaxaca en Utah	Utah Tibetan Association	Raag & Taal
6 PM	BAFODACH, Bailes y Folclore Danzas Chile	Utah Argentina Alliance	The Dunmore Lasses
7 PM		KUD Rastko Serbian Dancers	

EAST LAWN
3:15 – 3:45 pm
Swarajya Dhol Pathak



CRAFT ARTISTS

Visit our craft artists located in booths throughout the festival for craft demonstrations and crafts for purchase.

ALLI AROCHO
Puerto Rican Vejigante Masks

DIANE MOFFAT
Armenian Hand Knotted Carpets

MARLA LOVE & ART HEART SLC
Mexican Day Of The Dead Art

BRENT KARTCHNER
Woodcarving

CLARA AMEZCUA
Mexican Piñatas

CLAUDINE NIYONSENGA & EUGENIA BARIGENERA
Burundian Baskets

DONATO RAIMONDO
South Sudanese Clay Bulls

ECOLOGIC ARTS
Peruvian Weaving

ZULMA AREVALO
Latin American Folk Jewelry

FRANCES ROGERS, AMANDA ONTIVEROS, KRISTINA MARTINEZ
Mexican Paper Flowers
**Friday & Saturday Only*

HALAU KU PONO I KAMALANI
Hawaiian Leis & Crafts

OHMUKINI OHANA
Hawaiian Lei Making

CHUE THAO
Hmong Embroidery

INGRID HERSMAN
European-Style Decorated Eggs

KATHERINE POLEVIYAOMA
Acoma Pueblo Pottery & Hopi Arts

KEN YAMANE & JUDY IWAMOTO
Japanese Origami & Bonsai

NIKOLAY MOTRO
Belarusian Woodcarving

MARIA ELENA LOWE & HERMANAS LU'UM
Mayan Weaving

ANA BROOKS, ELDA HERNANDEZ, GLORIA HERNÁNDEZ
Mata Ortiz Pottery

FERRELL PETERSON
Western Woodcarving

ELIZABETH PETERSON
Bobbin Lace

PURUHÀ ARTS
Ecuadorian Wood & Nut Carving

RUPALI MUNOT
Indian Henna Art

TOHAHANI BEADWORK & SEWING

Navajo, Ute & Hopi Beadwork & Sewing

SHAR WU
Chinese Calligraphy & Painting

WALKER CUSTOM BOOTS
Western Boot Making
**Friday & Saturday Only*

ZEYNEP KARIPARDUC
Turkish Crafts

ED NAPIA & RAD CUCH
Māori Arts & Northern Ute Beadwork

FREEZE RAWHIDE
Traditional Cowboy Crafts

RISPAH OTIENO
Kenyan Jewelry & Craft
**Saturday & Sunday only*

ELVIRA MURPHY
Native American Beadwork

KALANI TUKUAFU
Pacific Island Patterns & Designs

SANIYA QADEER
Henna Body Tattoo Art

FOOD MARKET

Located on the South end of 200 East.

ANTOJITOS PERUANOS
Peruvian fried rice, potatoes, rotisserie chicken

ASOCIACIÓN DE COLOMBIANOS EN EL EXTERIOR DE UTAH
Colombian arepas, chorizo, empanadas, avena, café de Colombiano

BASQUE CLUB OF UTAH
Basque chorizo, ham croquetas, churros

CENTRO CIVICO MEXICANO
Tacos, Aguas Frescas, Tlacoyo

ITALIAN-AMERICAN CIVIC LEAGUE
Italian sausage sandwiches, cannoli, cornetti nutella, Italian soda

KUBO EXPRESS
Pork adobo bowl, Lumpiang Shanghai, Taro smoothie

MAMA AFRICA
Congolese combo plates, samosas, beignets

NAMASH SWAHILI CUISINE
Swahili samosas, curry chicken, coconut lentils

NATIONAL TONGAN AMERICAN SOCIETY
Tongan sapaui, lu pulu, kalua pork, kumala, mango ota'i

NEPALESE ASSOCIATION OF UTAH
Nepalese curry, masala, samosas, chicken momo, mango lassi

PAKISTANI ASSOCIATION
Pakistani samosas, curry, kebabs, daal, lassi, chai

ST. ARCHANGEL MICHAEL SERBIAN ORTHODOX CHURCH
Serbian stuffed cabbage, meat stew, sausages, salad, Balkan pita

THAI ASSOCIATION OF UTAH
Thai potstickers, chicken lollipops, pad Thai tofu, Thai iced tea

UTAH ARGENTINA ALLIANCE
Argentine empanadas, flan, mini-alfajores, yerba mat

UTAH CHINESE ASSOCIATION
Chinese dumplings, spicy potatoes, fruit soup

UTAH UKRAINIAN COMMUNITY
Ukrainian borsch, dumplings, stuffed cabbage

UTAH TIBETAN ASSOCIATION
Tibetan momo, chicken curry, veggie fried rice, mango lassi

VIETNAMESE VOLUNTEER YOUTH ASSOCIATION
Vietnamese spring rolls, pot stickers, bánh mì, lychee limeade



The Salt Lake City Arts Council and the Living Traditions Festival thank all of those who contribute to the success of the annual celebration of our community. We would like to acknowledge the following for their commitment to the festival and for their contributions of time, effort, and generous financial support.

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FESTIVAL INFO

LOCATION

Washington Square and Library Square
451 South 200 East

DATES & TIMES

Friday, May 17, 5:00 – 10:00 pm
Saturday, May 18, Noon – 10:00 pm
Sunday, May 19, Noon – 7:00 pm

INFORMATION BOOTH

Located on the horseshoe East side of the Salt Lake City & County Building
(801) 596-5000
livingtraditionsfestival.com

FIRST AID

Located on the horseshoe East side of the Salt Lake City & County Building. Adjacent to the Information Booth and 200 E.

LOST & FOUND

Located in the Information Booth

PERFORMING ARTS STAGES

North Stage - North end of 200 East
South Stage - South side of Salt Lake City & County Building
Amphitheater - Library Square outdoor amphitheater
East Lawn - Library Square Lawn

CRAFT ARTISTS

50 craft artists across 32 booths are located throughout the festival.

FOOD DEMOS & BEER TASTINGS

Located near the food market.

FILM SCREENINGS

Located inside the auditorium on the main level of the Library.

FOOD MARKET

Traditional cuisine prepared and sold by 18 food vendors. Booths are located at the south end of 200 East.

BEVERAGES

Traditional drinks at various festival food booths.

Soft drinks are available at the beverage tent in the middle of 200 East.

Beer and wine are available for purchase for patrons 21 and older in tents in the middle of 200 East.

ATMS

There will be ATMs by the beverage booths and the food market on 200 East.

FREE WATER

Free water will be located near the food market on 200 East and the kids area canopy.

Please bring your refillable water bottles to use throughout the event.

RESTROOMS

Portable toilets, including handicap accessible units, are located on the southeast side of the City & County building and the south side of Library square.

NO PETS / NO SMOKING

Please leave your pets at home. Service animals are welcome. In accordance with Salt Lake City Ordinance, smoking or vaping is not permitted on the festival grounds.

PARKING & PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION

We encourage our patrons to use alternative transportation such as Trax, UTA buses, Uber, Green Bike, or ride your own bike and park in our designated bike parking by the 200 East entrance! There is limited parking throughout the surrounding blocks in pay lots and metered stalls. Metered street parking downtown is free on Sundays. **Take Green Bike for free with discount code LTF2024.**

ACCESSIBILITY

Restrooms, inside the Library and all vendor booths are wheelchair accessible.

Sensory Room available on Library Square near East Entrance.

A Nursing Room is available in the lower level of the library during normal library hours.

There is ADA parking and a dropoff zone available on 500 South at 200 East.

For ADA accommodation requests, questions, or additional information, please contact Andrew Shaw at the Salt Lake City Arts Council - (801) 535-6519 or accessibility@saltlakearts.org. People with disabilities may make requests for reasonable accommodations no later than 48 hours in advance of intended attendance.



Produced by the Salt Lake City Arts Council in partnership with the Utah Division of Arts & Museums, the Living Traditions Festival is a three-day multicultural festival celebrating the traditional music, dance, crafts and foods of Salt Lake City's contemporary cultural communities.



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