



## ***Can you help the Sanctuary give musicians a paying gig at the Sunday Art Market?***

Performing arts communities world wide have struggled through this last year and a half. Locally, musicians lost almost all of their performance work, and face the prospect of some never coming back. Performing has commonly been integral to musicians' income, as well as their artform and the lack of opportunities to perform has caused many emotional and financial duress. In collaboration with Arcata Main Street, the Sanctuary continues to create paying performance opportunities for local professional musicians. We are writing to ask for your help in this effort.

The bandstand is a sacred place of nourishment, growth and connection. Live music connects performers with audiences, bringing joy and a greater sense of community to all. **Your financial contribution will help support these events on the Arcata Plaza, every Sunday from 11 am to 4 pm, July 11th to September 12th.**

Arcata Main Street began the Sunday Art Market in 2020 in an effort to give local artisans, artists, makers and craftspeople an opportunity to ply their wares. The market has grown into a fun, well attended downtown event. The Sanctuary began collaborating with AMS in May to bring live music to the festivities, continuing the Sanctuary's commitment to facilitating paid live performances.

**We're looking for sponsors to help us pay musicians.** We're asking for \$500 or more for full sponsorships. This will help us pay dozens of local musicians \$50 each for 2.5 hour sets. They will also be able to sell merchandise and collect tips, making this a major income opportunity for a sector that has struggled to find work.

**We would love to show our appreciation for your support by adding your logo to our posters, as well as announcing your sponsorship to audiences at the markets!** Posters will be designed by outstanding Sanctuary artists, and will be posted throughout Humboldt County, and online through the Sanctuary and Arcata Main Street.

Smaller contributions will support individual acts or days. \$300 would sponsor a full day of music, \$150 would pay for a trio of musicians for a 2.5 hour set. Each contribution will be appreciated and honored with announcements and thanks.

With love and gratitude for you time,  
the Sanctuary

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Please PayPal to [info@sanctuaryarcata.org](mailto:info@sanctuaryarcata.org) or write a check to "Creative Sanctuary" with "Art Market Music" in the memo, and send to: 1301 J Street, Arcata, CA 95521. | 707-822-0828 | [music@thesanctuaryarcata.org](mailto:music@thesanctuaryarcata.org)  
Thank you so much for your support! Your donation is tax deductible, as we are a 501(c)3 organization.