Local horror host brings Halloween to the Rheem Theatre

By Derek Zemrak



Photo provided

ord Blood-Rah, host of the syndicated TV ✓show "Lord Blood-Rah's Nerve Wrackin' Theatre," will be bringing his own brand of Halloween chills and cheer to the Rheem Theatre at 7 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 27.

"Lord Blood-Rah's Nerve Wrackin' Theatre Halloween Psycho Show" will feature a hand-picked selection of Halloween and horror related short subjects followed by a screening of Francis Ford Coppola's very first film, the thrilling psychological tale of madness and axe murderers, "Dementia 13." There will also be a trivia contest, The Cranial Cavity Search, as Lord Blood-Rah calls it on his TV show, with prizes awarded to those with a grasp of classic

The self-proclaimed High Lord of Geekdom, Lord Blood-Rah, is the creation of life-long horror and science fiction fan Frank Wallace-Ailsworth. Growing up in the San Francisco Bay Area in the late '60s and early '70s, Wallace-Ailsworth was introduced to genre films, both classic and not so classic, through the legendary local TV show "Creature Features," hosted by Bob Wilkins and John Stanley which aired on KTVU from 1971 to 1984. This became the inspiration that would drive the creation of "Lord Blood-Rah's Nerve Wrackin' Theatre" in 2009.

Originally a series of live film events across the Bay Area, the show came to television in 2007. Each week on various channels including ZPTV on Roku and other online outlets, "Lord Blood-Rah's Nerve Wrackin' Theatre" presents the best, worst and wildest horror and sci-fi films ever made with comic commentary from the Lord himself.

"Lord Blood-Rah's Nerve Wrackin' Theatre Halloween Psycho Show" marks his return to the Rheem Theatre where he has hosted many Sci-Fi Day film festivals and film events throughout the past several years.

For tickets and more info go to www.LamorindaTheatres.com. Find out more information on Lord Blood-Rah at www.lordbloodrah.

See you there if you DARE!

Upcoming events:

Rheem Theatre

Oct. 12 – 18 – Mountain Cry (International Film Showcase)

Oct. 25 - Saint Mary's College: "Green

Book" with Director and Cast Oct. 27 - Lord Blood-Rah's Nerve Wrackin

Theatre Halloween Special Nov. 3 – 4 – "Child Disrupted" screening and Q&A with filmmaker (CAIFF Best Short Subject Documentary Winner)

3, 5 and 7 p.m. on Nov 3; 5 and 7 p.m. Nov. 4 Nov. 9 – 16 – "The Guilty" (International Film Showcase)

Nov. 17 – Magic Show with Timothy James (6 and 8 p.m.)

Nov. 23 – 30 - "Frank & Ava" (indie film about Frank Sinatra and Ava Gardner) Northern California Premiere Engagement **Dec. 1** – Psychotronix Film Festival

Dec. 8 – 9 – Three's Company Christmas Parody Play Dec. 14 – 21 – "The Gold Seekers"

(International Film Showcase)

Orinda Theatre

Nov. 8 Live at the Orinda Concert Series with Multi Grammy nominee, Maureen McGovern-7:30 p.m.

Nov. 8 Free Movie Night – "Deliverance" 6:30 p.m.

Dec. 13 Free Movie Night – "A Christmas Story" 6:30 p.m.

Dec. 16 Live at the Orinda Concert Series with two-time Tony Award nominee, Karen Mason - 7 p.m.

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BART Director Deborah Allen

October 18:

Supervisor Candace Anderson

www.rotarylafayette.org www.facebook.com/Rotary-Club-of-Lafayette-CA

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Brian Pennis, C.S., will be talk-

ing about "Finding Innocence that



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is Power, Not Vulnerability" at Daughters of the Goddess by building a small altar, telling a vices to register for your reserved 2:30 p.m. on Oct. 21 at the Chris- Womyn's Temple welcomes few good family stories, sharing seat in this class: Seniors@LoveLa- Montelindo Garden Club Octotian Science Church in Danville, 650 Danville Blvd. Everyone is them for their annual Womyn's welcome—loving, free child care is Spiral Dance - A Multi-Cultural provided—and the talk is free. The Celebration of Our Beloved Ancesevent lasts just one hour. Traduccion Simultaneo al Espanol in the Sunday School room. Come treat yourself to an hour of peace, enlightenment and inspiration. Come ritual, led by Kahuna Leilani, and to hear about God's spiritual power accompanied by spiritual elders of to heal, guard, guide and love you. Blessing of the Animals, beginning at 11 a.m. Sunday, Oct. 21, We build a collective altar dedicatduring worship celebration at St. Mark's United Methodist Church, 451 Moraga Way in Orinda. Service begins at 11, and is followed

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mal companions. Please bring cats Jeanette Fritzky tribute walk noon to 3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 27 at the Moraga Commons Park. Details at jeanettefritzkytributewalk.

> American Association of University Women (AAUW) members of the Orinda-Moraga-Lafayette Branch are hosting a Game Day from 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Miramonte Gardens Clubhouse on Thursday, Nov. 1. After enjoying a catered lunch guests will play Bridge, Bunko or Dominoes. Reservations are \$40 and are available by contacting Laura Monin at (925) 631-6667.

LOPC Breakfast Group at 7 The music of Mexico is featured a.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 24 at in this year's All Souls Festival at the Lafayette-Orinda Presbyterian 9:30 a.m. on Nov. 4 at Our Savior's Church, Davies Room. Speaker: Lutheran Church, 1035 Carol Lane, Joe Terry, CEO of CVI Power in Lafayette. With ravishing voice,

and advances Mexico's rich musipan de muerto, and enjoying the amazing art of Carla Winters as she paints children's faces in traditional Dia de los Muertos style. The morning is free but we still pass the plate around. For more details, click on the All Souls Festival banner at www.oslc.net.

Celebrate Veteran's Day from 9 to 10 a.m. on Nov. 12 at the Moraga Commons Park. Speakers and refreshments.

POLITICAL GATHERINGS

Lamorinda Republican Women Federated's meeting will take place at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 18 at the Orinda Country Club. Please join us to hear Kathleen Jenkins and Eve Phillips, candidates for Orinda City Council discuss their individual platforms. This event will provide voters an opportunity to listen to and ask questions of these two candidates. For additional information, visit www.evefororinda.com and www. ordindaparksandrec.org/397/City-Council-Candidate-Info--11618. Cost: luncheon and speaker \$36; speaker only \$15; speaker only student \$5.

SENIORS

California Highway Patrol: Age Well/ Drive Smart, presented by a CHP Officer and CHP Sr. Volunteer Cindy Lima from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 25 in the Elderberry Room, Lafayette Community Center. Discover the keys to driving safer and driving longer. You have the ability to change your driving habits or take other correc-

ble and Ironman intersect. \$5 dona- violin, Cascada de Flores honors tive steps that will allow you to stay parties are welcome to attend the safe on the roads. You will have the 9:30 a.m. social hour, the 10 a.m.

bridges, and celebrates the gift of a California Highway Patrol Offilife. Families will honor loved ones cer. Contact Lafayette Senior Serfayette.org or (925) 284-5050

GARDEN

The Moraga Garden Club will hold their next meeting at 9:30 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 18 at the Holy Trinity Church, 1700 School Street, Moraga. The guest speaker will be Michelle Sneed of the California Water Science Center, U.S. Geo-

cal traditions, builds multicultural opportunity to speak in person with meeting and the presentation by Michelle Sneed, immediately following the meeting.

> **ber meeting** will be at 9:30 a.m. Friday, Oct. 19 at the Lafayette Library and Learning Center Community Hall. Presentation: Creating Pumpkulents; Speaker: Shawna Anderson, Horticultural Consultant and Manager of the Custom Container Department at Lafayette's Orchard Nursery. Shawna will demonstrate how to create Pumpkulents, a craft using a pumpkin logical Survey. She will discuss and succulents. You will discover "Water Availability and Land Sub- how you can create these perfect sidence in California." Interested fall decorations for your own home.

General interest stories/Community Service: storydesk@lamorindaweekly.com

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info, email pastor Michele Robbins,

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tion at the door for breakfast. RSVP by noon on Oct. 23 to janet@lopc. org or (925) 283-8722 x223.

womyn and girls of all ages to join tors and Crones from 6:30 to 10:30 p.m. on Oct. 26 at the Orinda Masonic Temple, 9 Altarinda Road, Orinda. During this multi-cultural different traditions, we come together to honor and celebrate our loved ones who have passed away. ed to our Ancestors; each of us adding photos and mementos of those who we miss and remember. Tickets: \$23 advance by Oct. 22; \$29 at the door. http://www.daughtersofthegoddess.com/2018-rituals/2018-