



Making a Difference Through Music

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Music is an essential part of almost every event and The Monterey County Pops! celebrates the moment.

ALL CONCERTS ARE FREE !!!

## 2024 Calendar

## **Concerts**

- May 27, Memorial Day Monterey City Hall
  - July 4, Devendorf Park, Carmel
    - ❖ September 2 Labor Day, Seaside

Concerts are Live Streamed on Amp Chanel 24 and on our website at www.montereycountypops.org

Elementary School Programs featuring
Peter and the Wolf in the a.m. and
Residency School Programs for middle and
high schools with clinics from 1 to 6 p.m. then
FREE public "side-by-side" concert at 6:30 p.m.

- April 19 North Salinas High School
- ❖ May 2 Greenfield/King City
- September 18 Rancho San Juan High School, Salinas
- ❖ October 10 Gonzales High School
- ❖ October 30 Alvarez High School, Salinas
  - ❖ November 8 King City High School

The public is invited to attend and give your support to the students and our orchestra!!!

Music for Seniors

April 12 – Merrill Gardens and Ivy Gardens

May 9 – Park Lane and Merrill Gardens

MONTEREY COUNTY POPS! ORCHESTRA REACHES ALL AGES...

## SCHOOL RESIDENCY

As you can see on our 2024 Calendar of Events, our School Residency Program is expanding. The Monterey County Pops! visit to North Monterey County High School, involved well over 200 students with students engaged in and attended 22 different clinics! The evening concert hosted around 450 people in the audience.



We have now returned to some high schools for a second or third residency. On several occasions, students asked me how they could join MCP! and were advised to practice and to attend college as a music major. This demonstrated that the residencies revealed to students that music could be much more than an enjoyable experience for kids in high school. By sharing a clinic and concert with active music professionals they have begun to realize that music can be a part of their adult life and possibly even a career."

Dr. Carl Christensen



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