

OUT & ABOUT

Ione Homecoming

On May 8 & 9, 2015 an annual celebration that has been held every May since 1876. Enjoy 2 days of music and vendors.

Friday, 6pm - 9pm

- Carnival
- Rib cook off
- Dance Performance
- Fireworks
- Saturday 7:30am - 11pm
- Pancake Breakfast
- Bedbug Challenge 10K run, 5K walk
- Sheep Dog Trials
- Homecoming Parade
- Carnival
- Petting Zoo
- Soap Box Derby
- Pet Contest
- Bingo
- Mutton Bustin
- Ranchers Day Rodeo
- Kids Airplane Candy Drop
- Ione High School Alumni Dinner/Dance

<http://touramador.com/ione-homecoming> Call 209-274-2541

Summer Concert Series Kick Off

Visit BellaGraceVineyards.com for a complete list of artists. Intimate setting for music, food and wine. Friday, May 1st with the band, *Legal Addiction*. Pack your lawn chairs for a perfect way to start the weekend!

Broadway and Beyond

The time is near and the dates are set for May 30th and 31st for the curtain to rise for the "Broad Way and Beyond" musical benefit concert which supports the Interfaith Food Bank. 7 local singing stars are waiting to perform for you, accompanied by the incomparable Anne Pearce and her ensemble.

More group numbers, musicians and audience participation numbers will surely delight all ages. This year there will be a folk song and nostalgic feel to the group songs. The event is under the direction of local singing mailman and former owner of the Sutter Creek Ice Cream Emporium, Stevens Price.

Price began performing as a young boy and has performed on many stages over the years. This event is following on the heels of the previous show "Breath of Broadway", which was produced by Shari Anderson. She produced a successful fundraising event for ten years before she stepped down in 2013.

"What a great event to be able to work with as I create a new era of concerts. Performing with Shari for nine years was a great experience and she deser-

ves a lot of praise for what she accomplished and the amount of money she raised for the food Bank", says Stevens Price.

This year's "Broadway and Beyond" will cater to a wide audience, with music from Broadway shows including "Phantom of The Opera", "Annie Get Your Gun", "Godspell" and "South Pacific", as well as memorable folk songs, all performed by very talented local musicians. Price has assembled the voices of Bill McKenna, Marie Bedard, Laurie Carson, Kathleen Harmon, Amy Doyle and Kate Hamon to join him on stage.

This event will take place at the Community Church of Pine Grove, 14045 Ponderosa Way, Pine Grove, 7pm Saturday and a 2pm Matinee on Sunday. There is a raffle planned with wonderful prizes. Admission for the event is free, and all proceeds raised through donations and raffle will benefit the Interfaith Food Bank to help feed the hungry of Amador County.

Stevens Price
'Broadway and Beyond'
209-304-0835

Bowling For A Cure

Sunday, May 3, 1pm to 4pm, Gold Country Lanes, Sutter Creek, Adults \$25, Children under 19, \$20.



AMADOR FARMERS MARKET

This year is the 22nd year of the Amador Farmers Market. The founders, Greg Motch and Susan Bragstad, are still on the market board and fully participating at the markets. This year the market has a new president, Ron Antone, and several new board members. The market has hired a new events and promotions person, so look forward to new and exciting things happening at the Markets.

The Farmers Market offers beautiful, healthful fruits and vegetables, local olive oils, plants, baked goods, herbal creations, and crafts. There will be a magician/juggler, Artists (demonstrating and showing their art), a face painter and weekly music. Market dates are June 3rd in Pine Grove at the Pine Grove park from 3pm to 6pm; Jackson June 7th at the Library parking lot on Hwy 49, (a new location for Jackson) from 9am to noon; Sutter Creek, June 13th in the Eureka Street parking lot from 9am to noon. The market in Plymouth begins August 6th in the Plymouth park on Main Street from 4pm to 7pm.

The Farm tour and dinner will be held August 22nd at Helwig Winery. On the farm tour this year will be Amador Olive Oil Farm, Sean Krietich's farm, Terra Rouge and Easton Wines, and Daniel D'Agostinis's farm. 209-418-7591. We are looking forward to a great market this year. www.amadorfarmersmarket.com

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