

Performance Descriptions

11:00-11:15 Ewalu Club/Naihe Paikai

The Ewalu Club is a social organization that was formed in 2010 to bring the Las Vegas Hawaiian student and community populations together. Since their club is comprised of students with histories tracing back to the Pacific Islands, Asia, Europe, US mainland, and more, they truly are a diverse group. Enjoy Ewalu Club's Polynesian dancing from the islands of Hawaii, New Zealand, and Tahiti.

12:00-12:15 Las Vegas modern Kung fu

Learning kung fu & wushu like Jackie Chan and Jet Li. Las Vegas Modern Kung Fu is based on the belief that their student's needs are of the utmost importance. Their entire team is committed to meeting those needs. They would welcome the opportunity to earn your trust and deliver you the best education in the industry. Enjoy Las Vegas Modern Kung Fu's martial arts & contortion, stage fight, group forms, solo, and weapons demonstration!

12:20-12:35 Megan Lake

Megan Lake's live acoustic performance will consist of her accompanying herself on the guitar. She will sing 5 to 6 songs.

12:40-12:55 Las Vegas Kaminari Taiko

The Las Vegas taiko scene came to life in 1993 when the late George Goto formed Las Vegas Kaminari Taiko. This exciting Southern Nevada taiko troupe is composed of uchite (taiko drummers) who have a deep respect for taiko, and dedicate many hours learning and sharing this ancient art form. Taiko is an energetic musical art form that showcases both musical and visual art. Kaminari means "thunder." They hope you'll experience their performances, and then understand why they are so named. Enjoy Las Vegas Kaminari Taiko's Japanese drumming.

1:00-1:15 Guan Strong Lion Arts

Guan Strong Lion Arts was established in Las Vegas to perpetuate the Chinese artistry through martial arts and lion dancing in our community. The goal of their association is to culturally enrich the community through Chinese Martial Arts and Lion dance. Enjoy Guan Strong Lion Arts' Traditional Chinese lion dance and martial arts.

1:20-1:35 Eagle Taekwondo

Taekwondo is a martial art and national sport originating from Korea. Eagle Taekwondo provides their students, families, and friends a place to learn the virtues of the Martial Arts. They emphasize self-discipline, respect, concentration, and healthy living. They strive to develop the full potential in their students, enabling them to embrace the challenges of life more successfully, while setting the highest standard of excellence. Fly like an eagle on your pathway to becoming a black belt! Enjoy Eagle Taekwondo's taekwondo demonstration free form with music, breaking techniques, self-defense, and more...

1:40-1:55 African Student Association

African Student Association creates and encourages relationships among African students at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas as well as the community and educates members and the community about African culture and traditions. Enjoy African Student Association's cultural dance.

2:00-2:15 Mocidade Rebelde The UNLV Brazilian Percussion Ensemble

Embrace the rhythms of The UNLV Brazilian Percussion Ensemble's Brazilian drumming. They will demonstrate techniques, rhythms, and stylistic details of the traditional Brazilian Carnival music.

2:20-2:35 Luke Sakunasing

One of Las Vegas' and UNLV's own will be doing a live acoustic performance. His solo performance will consist of him singing a cover song.

2:40-2:55 Korabo Taiko

Korabo is a Las Vegas taiko ensemble committed to learning and sharing the traditional Japanese art form of taiko. They began with the goal in mind to celebrate the spirit of taiko through collaborative projects in modern channels of art and entertainment. The Japanese word korabo means collaboration. If you dissect the word into two parts – 鼓 (ko) and ラボ (rabo) — it also means “beat lab.” They work experimentally and progressively in taiko and other forms of music, while emphasizing teamwork and camaraderie. Members of Korabo have handcrafted each of the drums they use. Enjoy Korabo's Japanese style ensemble drumming.

3:00-3:15 Veda Club/Jorge Camara

The Veda club is a diverse conscious collective for anyone interested in the spiritual philosophy of Yoga described in the Vedas of ancient India; mantra meditation, vegetarianism, healthy

living, philosophical discussions, good vibes, and consciousness. Veda Club performs Kirtan, an ancient call and response meditative experience incorporating various classical instruments from India. Their goal is to engage all participants in this dynamic expression of music and dance.

3:20-3:35 UNLV Filipino American Student Association

Filipino American Student Association is a student organization at UNLV that has been active since the early 1990s. FASA is an organization that provides a home-away-from-home for their student members who are from all over the United States and some even from the Philippines and Guam. They pride their selves for not only being a Filipino organization but also a multi-cultural one that seeks to learn and preserve our Filipino Heritage. UNLV Filipino American Student Association performs the tinkling. This is a traditional Filipino dance where the dancers dance between two bamboo poles. It represents a crane escaping traps.

3:40-3:55 Henderson Aikido

Henderson Aikido provides classes for adults, teens, and children in the Las Vegas/Henderson, area of Nevada. They strive to provide a safe environment for all students to learn and grow. They are dedicated to providing the highest quality Aikido instruction and helping people grow not only in Aikido, but also in life. Henderson Aikido and all students affiliated with the dojo will maintain and nurture at all times the seven pillars of Budo: courage, benevolence, integrity, courtesy, honesty, loyalty, and honor. Enjoy Henderson Aikido's Japanese martial art of Aikido demonstration.

4:00-4:15 German Bavarian Dancers

The next performance will be the German Bavarian Dancers whom are with the German American and will perform authentic Schuplattler in costume. The Schuplattler is an Alpine courting dance where the man does a series of slaps kicks in an attempt to impress the female. It is thought that the dance originated with the woodsman watching the Aurhan bird during its mating ritual.

4:40-4:55 Sigma Theta Psi/Vannesa Bamaca

The Eta Chapter of Sigma Theta Psi was established at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas on June 7, 2003. They value honesty, loyalty, respect, open-mindedness, leadership, and academic excellence. They do not discriminate against race, religion, culture, or any other type of demographic, and they take pride in their diversity. Their colors are purple, black, and gold, their mascot is the panther and their flower is an orchid. Their national philanthropy is Breast Cancer Awareness and our National Benefactor is the Young Survival Coalition. Enjoy Sigma Theta Psi's three different songs involving a guitar and karaoke music.

5:00-5:15 Rachel Lucero

Rachel Lucero will sing 3 songs and also accompany herself on the guitar. Get ready for her amazing performance!

5:20-5:35 Hayley Blish

Hayley Blish's vocal performance will consist of a song with her vocals and acoustic guitar.

5:40-5:55 Peaches Albores

Peaches Albores will be performing a song with acoustic guitar along with her strong vocals.