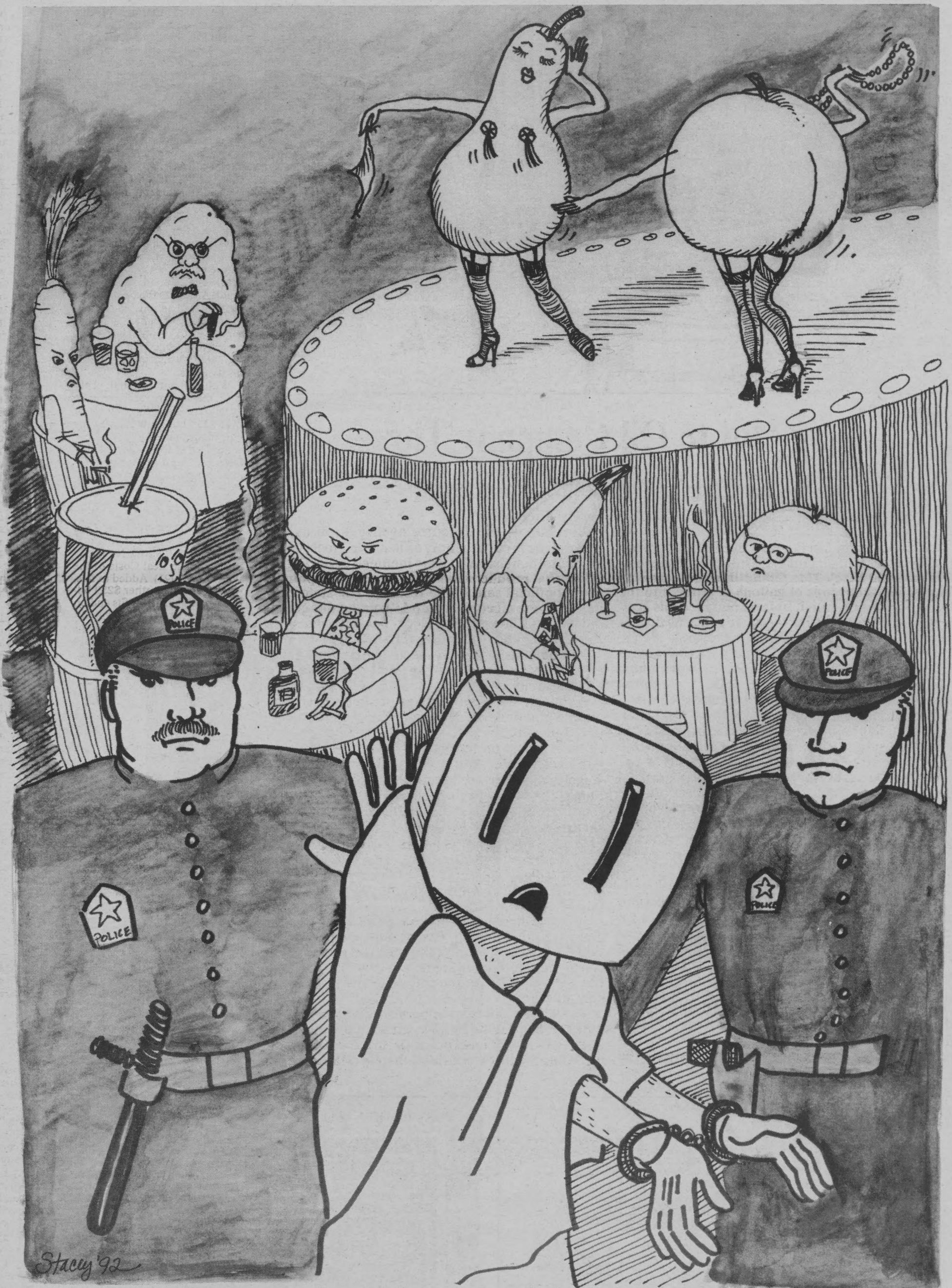


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# Olé! Cafe Vallarta!

By Agamemnon Zume

I was pretty flustered by the time I called Steff and told him, "We won't be able to make it to Puerto Vallarta tonight, I'm running later than a Christmas Eve plane."

"No problem," Steff said soothingly, "we can go for lunch tomorrow."

To Puerto Vallarta? For lunch?

Practically. My slip of the tongue proved all too Freudian when, the very next day, Steff and I sat bathed in the sun outside Cafe Vallarta, sampling crunchy, thick corn tortilla chips and a positively tangy salsa as we studied the lunch menu. I considered the lunch specials, one of which caused me more than a little fickle behavior. A chicken tostada, cooked up with deep-in-the-heart-of-Mexico goodness, is a temptation not to be disregarded on a warm, sunny day.

So there we were, in Puerto Vallarta — er, Cafe Vallarta — tummies a-rumbling and tastebuds a-tingling, faced with such an array of subtle Mexican favorites; it would make any true culinary cultist cry.

What to do? Caldo de Marisco? Paella de Marisco? Chiles rellenos calamar picado? Cochinita pibil? Served up with arroz poblanero and frijoles negros in such outstanding style and class — for these low prices? Cheaper than in



There's a table waiting for you at the Cafe Vallarta!

Puerto Vallarta, I'd wager.

(I'll bet you a bowl of sopa de frijo negro. You'll like it if you win, and when you lose, I'll give you a bite of this creamy black spicy perfection, just to teach you a lesson about making silly bets, you little rascal.)

Steff opted for the chiles rellenos calamar picado, while I finally decided on enchiladas de pollo. Chicken so fulfilling you'll be suffering from memories of that wonderful weekend on the Gulf for weeks afterward. Just to taste it! Ahhh!

Steff's plate of chile relle-

nos was almost too pretty to eat. All that succulent squid and sauce, arranged like it had been served up in the finest restaurant in Mexico. But eat it he did, only sharing one bite with me. I didn't notice — I was too busy working on my enchilada and plotting our next visit to Cafe Vallarta.

Next time, dinner in Vallarta's classy wood booths, the cool air of the ocean wafting in through the open door stirring the plants and drawing the aroma of any one of the Cafe's outstanding dinner selections to our decadent olfactory systems.

Pollo Almadrado. Stuffed Culiacan Prawns, filled with cheese, wrapped in bacon and grilled ... Oh my!

But for today, lunch would suffice!

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Cafe Vallarta is located at 626 E. Haley in Santa Barbara. Open 11 a.m.-2:30 p.m. Tues-Sun for lunch, 5:30 p.m.-10:30 p.m. Tues-Sun for dinner. Phone 564-8494.

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# Heaven at Paradise!

By Stephen Lynne-Bachelor

Me and Max were speeding down the 101 in his sporty Europeanmobile. Guns 'n' Roses played on the stereo and we were singing.

"Take me down to Paradise Cafe,

Where the lettuce is green and they serve a great coffee!

Oh won't you please bring some home! Yeah-eh-yeah-eh!"

You see, whenever me and Max go to the Paradise Cafe, we play this special cassette tape on the way downtown. It gets us in the mood for the steaks or the chickens or the pastas. We've been going there for years to eat some of the best-priced, best-tasting food in Santa Barbara and it's a tradition to listen to this tape.

The next song came on and we sang, with Eddie Money, a song about the pleasant danger of ordering too much food at the Paradise Cafe.

"I ate... Two Chickens at Paradise!

Hey, you ... a doggy bag would treat me right!"

By this time we were laughing and shouting at our fellow motorists, telling them to get it together, and honking for no reason and really having a good time. After all, a feast awaited! There are exactly three feelings better than being really hungry and knowing there

is a feast awaiting.

Yeah, me and Max had tried other restaurants, but it wasn't really the same. Even when we went to snazzier, more expensive eateries, we'd always be a little melancholy on the drive home. It seemed nobody could attain the Paradise Cafe's perfect mixture of quality ingredients, fair prices and fine service. Yeah, on the way home we'd sing along with Mike Reno and Ann Wilson from the Footloose soundtrack.

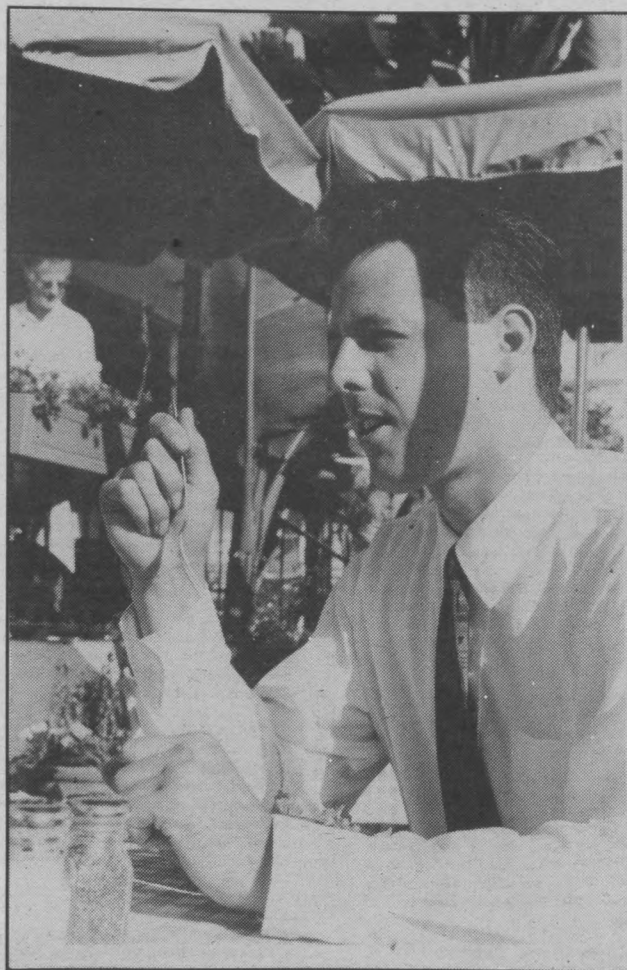
"Almost Paradise! The knockwurst was pretty poor!

Almost Paradise! Eating was like a chore!"

Now we go to the Paradise Cafe almost every time. Their food is typically categorized as "California cuisine," but with the portions they give you, "Texas" might be a more accurate term. Big.

And it's delicious. What I mean is: oak grilled seafoods of great variety and this black bean soup that is tangy and hot and good. I mean: pastas with all types of sauces, served with a healthy, Californian flare. I mean: half-pound burgers that get the job done right, cooked to order with a high pile of shoestring potatoes or a wide spoon of pasta salad. I mean: a juicy, tender steak that won't dilly-dally around in your mouth or make you chew it 500 times.

And when you go, order it the way you like it. Don't think the waitpeople will



Sunny, scrumptious. Paradise Cafe. STEVE OLSEN/Daily Nexus

get upset with you. The servers at the Paradise Cafe carry themselves and their food with a palpable sense of pride. Ice tea refills, more water, side of thousand island, the waitpeople are there, ready to do business.

The Paradise Cafe is a fine date destination and the perfect place to take your parents when they come to town. When you've been

there as many times as me and Max have, you just know these things. You'll sing all the way home. Get it?

The Paradise Cafe is located at 702 Anacapa in Santa Barbara. Open Mon-Sat 11am-11pm, Sun 8:30am-11pm. Phone 962-4416.

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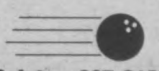
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3731 State St., 682-2528  
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**CHASE AT THE BEACH**  
35 State St., California Hotel

# Cantina is Fina!

By Hank Steüver

I'll never forget my first introduction to Mexican eats. It was in Washington D.C.; I was about six. Dad and I were in the kitchen and he was showing me the finer points of jalapeño choppin'. I think we were doing nachos that night or someth ... no, it wasn't nachos it was the Big Fellas: enchiladas, I remember now it was enchiladas.

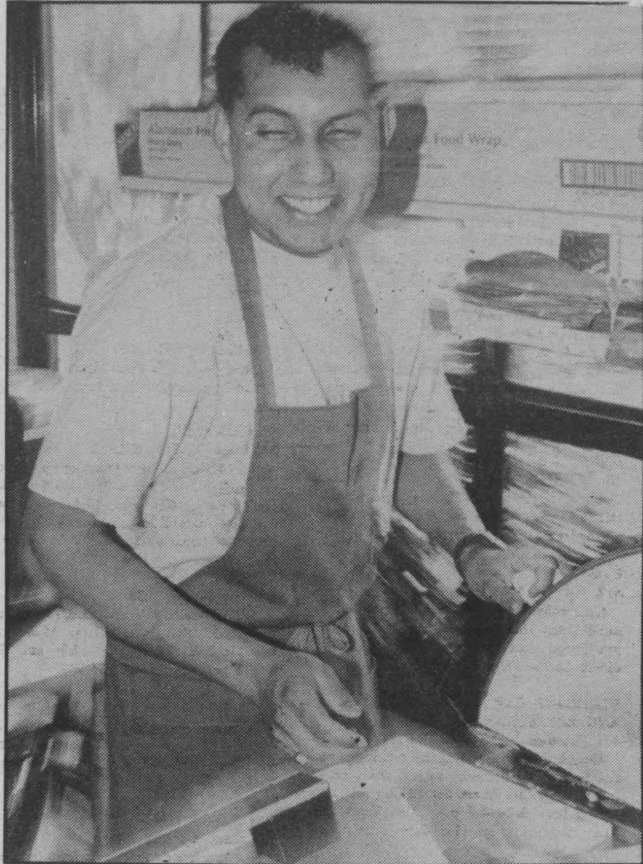
Anyway, me and Pops were in a rhythm: tag-teamin', high-fivin', that kind of thing. But things got weird quick. After a can or two, he told me to get my jacket for we were headed to the store to pick up some picante. He told me to use the restroom first because we might have to stop at a couple places and might be gone for awhile — you know, I was six. So I did.

Thirty seconds later ... well, let me just say the screams were incredible. From that moment on, I've always had the utmost respect for jalapeños and the words, "Wash your hands after cutting jalapeños."

But that experience made me a connoisseur; I obviously had full respect for the stuff and wouldn't settle for anything less than superb.

Kind of like the superb Mexican food they serve up at the Cantina here in Isla Vista. I'd had enough of these South of the Border wannabees who put whatever they can find inside a lame excuse for a tortilla and serve it up, knowing full well people will buy it because they don't have the time to actually go to Mexico. It was too much, so I went to Cantina, where they make each order fresh. Yes, fresh. I mean, the closest any of these other places I've been to get to true freshness is keeping chicken cooked within the last hour in a metal pot over some steaming agua.

Not Cantina. In fact the second after I ordered my chicken fajitas and chicken burrito with sour cream, rice and of course, jalapeños, the cook threw a handful of fresh, raw chicken



CHRIS CHUNG/Daily Nexus

Hey, who's the wise guy who ordered lengua?

onto the grill. I smiled. I knew this was the place.

The Cantina has been around for a few years and knows how to treat its customers. From the complimentary condiment bar, to a big-screen TV, to live music, to newspapers on the house, Cantina is the Mexican restaurant dining experience. I think my favorite part is the full complimentary condiment bar because it allows each to garnish his or her own food and avoid the inevitable "Um, 'scuse me I ordered this without salsa (pronounced 'salsa')," or "can I get a little lettuce in this bad boy?" or "Nah, I ain't down with no jalapeños, see I had this experience when I was a kid." You know.

And I've got just two words for Cantina's fajitas: Peppers! I mean, they were robust, fresh, aggressive and kickin' — this was livin'. The thing I like best about Cantina food and the reason I go back every other day is that taste I get in my mouth as soon as I bite into the chicken burrito. You

know that tender poultry, grilled, charcoal, meaty thing you experience when a burrito is really good and TLCed, not just hastily assembled by a smart fellow wielding a quick ice cream scooper and huddled over really bad, lardy refried beans inside a pot that has only been used for refried beans since the beginning of dinner and hasn't been cleaned since and thus has that refried bean crust on the inside near the top and on the bottom from the last batch that ran out.

And everyday, Cantina has some kind of special going. I can't rattle them off right now without my notes because there's too many, but I can tell ya that on Mondays they have chicken tacos for about 80 cents, then there's Happy Hour where you can get dollar burritos and some great prices on brew. So I say, "Vamos a La Cantina, para la comida final!"

The Cantina is located at 966C Embarcadero del Mar in Isla Vista. Phone 968-2862.

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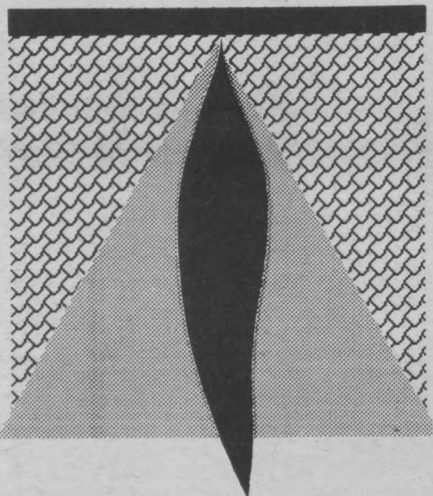
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Thu 9: Murphy's Law  
Fri 10: Lead Head  
Sat 11: Blacklist/Creature Feature  
Mon 13: Culture  
Tue 14: Badlands  
Wed 15: Windcave  
Thu 16: Phish/Widespread panic  
Fri 17: Downstairs: Desmond Decker/  
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**COLD SPRINGS TAVERN**  
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**ORCHID BOWL'S GALLEON ROOM**  
5925 Calle Real, 967-0128  
Yes, the Orchid Bowl is a bowling center and all that implies. They are now having bands play and all kinds of other events so throw on your bowlers and bring some dancing shoes for afterwards.

**THE PUB**  
UCSB's UCen, 893-3536  
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A bar in the heart of Goleta that has beers and bands. Try their variety of beers and don't forget to get your card punched.  
Fri 3: Los Guys  
Sat 4: Bill Fernberg  
Tue 7: pat Milliken  
Wed 8: Alan Garbar & Marsha Blum  
Thu 9: Corona Night  
Fri 10: Jeffrey Pine  
Sat 11: Bill Fernberg  
Tue 14: Bill Fernberg  
Wed 15: John Lyle

**WOODY'S**  
5112 Hollister Ave., 967-3775  
In the Goleta location, Woody's offers the same great ribs and jars of beer as the original does. A real knee-slappin' sort of place.  
Tuesdays: Daniel Peterson  
Wednesdays: Bill Fernberg  
Thursdays: Alan Garbar & Marsha Blum

**SANTA BARBARA**

**ALEX'S CANTINA**  
633 State St., 966-0032  
Mexican restaurant with a separate energetic bar. In this downtown location the bar is packed with party veterans from all over. Live music.  
Fri 3: The Pontiac  
Sat 4: Finn, Greg & Dave  
Mon 6: Mark Orlando & The Out of Towners  
Tue 7: Stick Figures

**ARLINGTON THEATRE**  
1317 State St., 963-4408  
A historic landmark for many, this structure is a great place to see any musical performance.  
Thu 9: Little Village  
Fri 10: Dramarama  
Sun 12: Pauly Shore

**ART'S BAR**  
2611 De la Vina, 569-0052  
A place where the boys go to drink a beer and shoot the crap. You can shoot pool to pass the time while you watch some of SB's local talent.  
Fri 3: The Crawdads  
Sat 4: The Eddy B Blues Band  
Sun 5: Tone Zone  
Wed 8: Strange Brew  
Thu 9: The Roadhouse Rockers  
Fri 10: Wicked Willy & The Fishtails  
Sat 11: Little Jonny & The Giants  
Sun 12: Richie V & The Sugar Beats  
Wed 15: Big Al & The Pawn Brokers  
Thu 16: The Blues Casterz

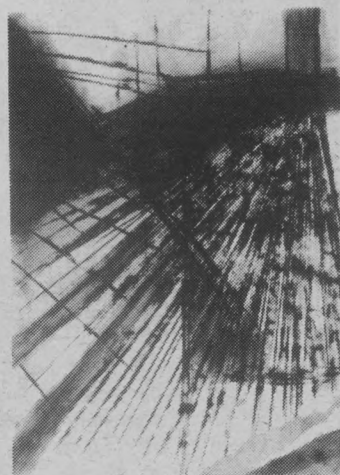
**THE BEACH SHACK**  
500 Anacapa, 966-1634  
One of Santa Barbara's newest clubs, the Beach Shack offers live entertainment and dancing. They bring in many local and some non-local bands, not to mention their killer drink deals on Tuesdays thru Thursdays. Call club for band info.  
Tuesdays: 50¢ Beers 9-10 pm  
Wednesdays: All drinks \$1 8:30-10 pm  
Thursdays: 50¢ Well Drinks 9-10 pm

**BREWHOUSE**  
202 State St., 963-3090  
The Brewhouse has the only micro-brewery in house. With this brewery find quality ale is offered at reasonable prices. Along with the beer there is plenty of local music for your listening pleasure.  
Fri 3: Evil Farmer/The Gathering  
Sat 4: The Pontiac

**CHASE AT THE BEACH**  
33 State St., 963-8184  
Case has recently brought live entertainment back to its club. They cater to most musical interests and have a full bar to wet your whistle while enjoying the bands. Call club for band info.

**FELIX'S CANTINA**  
525 State St., 962-1432  
This S.B. hot spot has been owned by many people and managed by more yet but once again they have seen their way clear to celebrate the talents of the many "known" bands of S.B. and surrounding areas. Call for entertainment info.

**HESTIA HOUSE**  
(Formerly See's Coffhouse)  
1014 State St., 963-8060  
Yes, in fact it is a cafe. Located in the heart of downtown Santa Barbara, they offer a relaxed atmosphere with plenty of excellent java. Oh yeah, they have bands too.  
Fri 3: Tombo Combo  
Sat 4: Blue in Green  
Sun 5: Wavelength Acoustics  
Thu 9: Bonneville  
Fri 10: Cyrus Clarke  
Sat 11: Four Corners  
Sun 12: Michael Frey  
Tue 14: Open Mic Nite  
Thu 16: Andrew Martinez

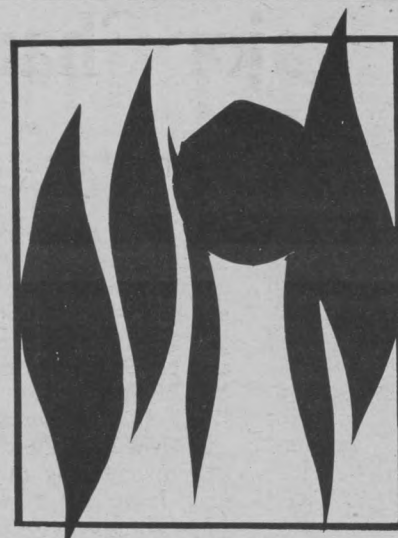


**JOSEPPI'S**  
434 State St., 962-5516  
This is a great place to relax and groove to the sound that has been with us forever. This is the place for jazz lovers. Jazz played every night. Happy Hour 5-8 pm.  
Fri 3: 6 — Jazz Cache  
9 — Brian Hughes  
Leo Downey  
Sat 4: The Ex-Husbands  
Sun 5: Little Jonny & The Giants  
Mon 6: JD's Last Ride  
Tue 7: State Street Unplugged  
Fri 10: 6 — Jazz Cache  
9 — The Ex-Husbands  
Bandita Carioca  
Sat 11: Little Jonny & The Giants  
Mon 13: JD's Last Ride  
Tue 14: Young Artists' String Quartet  
Wed 15: State Street Unplugged  
Thu 16: 6 — 5th Anniversary for Jazz Cache  
Fri 17: 9 — The Pontiac

**THE KETCH**  
514 State St., 564-3231  
This hideaway on State is again open for business and from the appearance it seems to be better than before. While having a tropical drink here you will be under the impression that you are sealed off from the rest of Santa Barbara. For instance, you can drink in a shrubbed patio with three-foot birds squawking.

**MOONANGEL**  
302 W. Montecito, 962-8949  
In this casually elegant Turkish/Mediterranean restaurant one can enjoy L.A. Times acclaimed food and be entertained. The buffet is great and inexpensive! Check out the belly dancing.

**THE PRIME DIRECTIVE**  
634 State St., 564-1032  
Santa Barbara's hottest new nightclub — check it out! Call for info.



**TOES TAVERN**  
416 State St., 965-4655  
This new S.B. spot looks to have much to offer. They have plenty of different beers and wine for you to choose from while enjoying live entertainment. Not only does Toe's have a pool table, but they also have ping pong and shuffleboard. Visit Toe's on Big Wednesday for the drink specials.  
Fri 3: The Lovemasters  
Sat 4: World Beat Band Rhythm Akimdo  
Wed 8: Evil Farmer/Planet  
Thu 9: Soul Bonz  
Fri 10: Tao Jonz  
Sat 11: McGlynn Brothers Band  
Tue 14: Windcave  
Wed 15: Shady Greg Brady  
Thu 16: JD's Last Ride

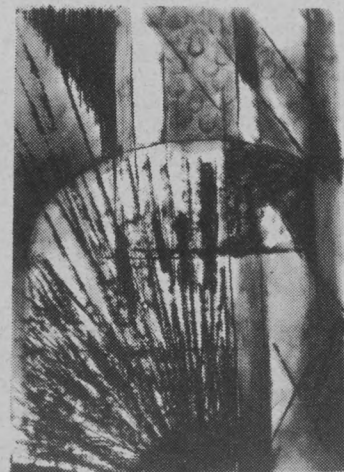
**WOODY'S**  
229 W. Montecito, 963-9326  
At this Woody's location the patrons can enjoy their mason jars full of beer while soaking in the western atmosphere. I can personally attest to the quality of Woody's ribs. If you don't go to Woody's for the music, then go just for the ribs.

**ZELO**  
630 State St., 966-5792  
Voted SB's best dance club six years in a row. Progressive recorded music, lights, video. D.J.s play the latest in dance music. Occasional live music.  
Fri 3: DJ Sergio Vasquez  
Sat 4: DJ Matt Armor  
Sun 5: MNathew's Mr. Clean Birthday Soire  
Mon 6: Urge  
Tue 7: Big Sandy & The Fly Right Trio  
Wed 8: Polychrome/Cyrus Clarke  
Thu 9: Channel Zero  
Fri 10: DJ Sergio Vasquez  
Sat 11: DJ Matt Armor  
Sun 12: The Upbeats  
Mon 13: Urge  
Tue 14: Call Club  
Wed 15: Woodburning Project  
Thu 16: Channel Zero

**MONTECITO**

**THE GRILL**  
1279 Coast Village Rd., 969-5969  
This place has a casual New York atmosphere. Featuring Italian cuisine complimented by a full bar. Live music played nightly. Call club for info.

Written by Kevin Sheffield



**Anaconda**

MDC will play the Anaconda this Sunday night (April 5). Through the years, they've come up with many meanings of MDC such as Multi-Death Corporations, Millions of Dead Christians, and many others that might offend some of you. MDC plays a fast and hard punk rock music that is sure to get your adrenalin flowin'. Local band Agent 94 will open for MDC so go and check it out and support your scene.