

Ultimo Concierto By LVA Mariachi



Grand Champions - 2024 Monaco MS Invitational Competition

May 8, 2024 6pm
Lowden Theater

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The LVA Mariachi department, under the direction of David J Rivera for the past 10 years, has transformed into one of the nations most accomplished, decorated and sought after mariachi programs in the country.

LVA Mariachi consists of four groups: Mariachi Regional, Mariachi Nacional, and Mariachi Internacional. Our top performing groups regularly have opportunities to perform and compete across the nation, and for the local Las Vegas community. We are also proud to be the home of Las Vegas' premier high school Mariachi group, Mariachi Internacional, who's vibrant teal suits are symbolic of refined musicianship, mature performance capabilities, and all the accolades that come with.

This running success would not be possible without every student that forms part of the Mariachi department. Every LVA Mariachi major bears a strong passion for Mariachi music and that is why we have one of the strongest Mariachi programs to date. They are all working to preserve this side of Mexican culture and take it to new heights every day.

Event Program

Mariachi Regional

Mariachi Nacional

Mariachi Internacional

**-Intermission-
10 min**

Senior Slideshow

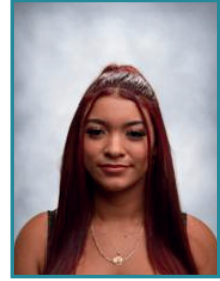
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Carmine Fernandez
Elective



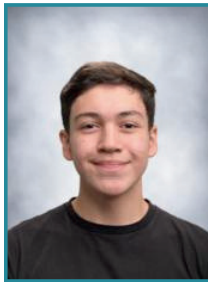
Raquel Ayala
Elective



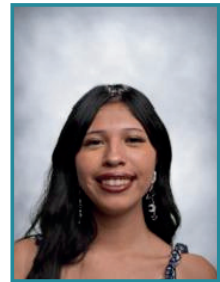
Jimena Lopez-Corral



Brooke Foster



David Pulido



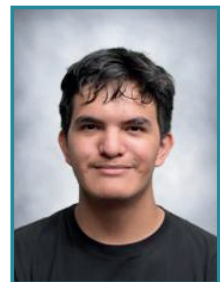
Joseline Beltran



Kevin Aparicio



Rafael Salcido

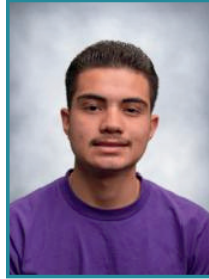


Anthony Huizar

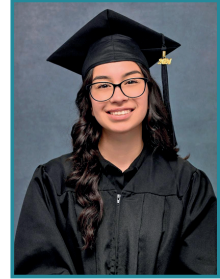
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Shelsea Rodriguez Lopez



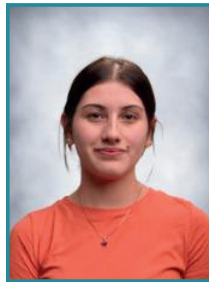
Uriel Mendez



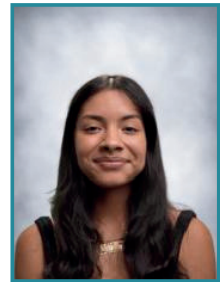
Bethzy De La Cruz



Carmen Larreynaga



Julissa Gebhardt



Natalie Heras



Victoria Ixta Sanchez



Edgar Ramos



Kevin Castrejon Peralta

Meet our Musical Director



LVA Mariachi is formally announcing our collaboration with the esteemed two-time Grammy recipient, Alberto "Beto" Jimenez Maeda. With a background as the former musical director of Mariachi de America de Jesus Rodriguez De Hajar and Mariachi Divas de Cindy Shea, Beto brings extensive experience and expertise to our team. Having received instruction from respected Masters of music such as Jesus Rodriguez de Hajar and Chucho Ferrer, Beto is recognized as a true maestro in the world of Mariachi music. Beto will be exclusively writing musical arrangements for LVA Mariachi, leading us to a new era of success and refinement.

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Miss you Albert, John & Armando Rivera



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