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INTERNATIONAL MUSIC FESTIVAL TO BENEFIT CENTRO INFANTIL DE LOS ANGELES
Magic Town Music Festival, March 8th-10th, 2018

Experience a memorable weekend of live music, great food and drink, raffles, art, and tons of fun in THREE FABULOUS VENUES! Enjoy performances of **The Maylee Thomas Band, Pilaseca, Jon Christopher Davis, Katua, Jim Scarborough, Los Roadrunners, Continental Blues Band, Ana Red.** and others. We are happy to welcome back **Cheetah Lee** and **Paco Rivera** as Masters of Ceremonies!

Magic Town Music Festival is back for the FIFTH annual weekend of concerts, bringing folk, rock, soul, country, latin funk, reggae (!), and blues to the beautiful, UNESCO World Heritage Site/Spanish colonial town of San Miguel de Allende. Our ALL-VOLUNTEER organizing committee is happy to welcome our returning musicians and Masters of Ceremonies. The Festival directly supports **Centro Infantil de los Ángeles**, a local organization that benefits working mothers, their children, and their families here in San Miguel de Allende. The Festival will also introduce you to our benevolent SPONSORS, whose contributions are vital to our success!

HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS YEAR'S MAGIC TOWN MUSIC FESTIVAL!

- Thursday, March 8th, 7:00 PM: This year's **VIP Kick-Off Party** takes place once again at a beautiful private home on Sollano. With beautiful views of Centro and the Rio Laja valley, the home offers plenty of spaces and gardens to relax, dance, and to enjoy great food from San Miguel's best restaurants: The Restaurant, Buenos Aires Bistro, Linnea Rufo Events, and Smoked N' Low. **VIP Kick-off Party admission** price is **\$100 USD/\$1800 MXN** per person. Ticket sales are limited to 125 guests and the event is always a sell-out! Ask anyone that's been to a Magic Town Music Festival VIP Party: **"...truly the best ticket in town!"**
- Friday, March 9th Special Event at Santos Resto Bar, #7 Suspiros: Great Jams with our MTMF musicians, door prizes, yummy drinks and food available for purchase, 200 peso recommended donation. Music starts at 9:00 PM.
- Festival Day is Saturday, March 10th at the "over-the-top" "**Plaza San Arvino**", known affectionately to locals as "**The Goose**". Doors open at 2:00 pm and the music ROCKS until 9:00 pm, immediately followed by an on-site "after-party". Arvino Kaganovich, the creator of this amazing venue, shares our goal to raise awareness and as much funding as possible to support the mission of **Centro Infantil de los Ángeles**.
- Tickets: Purchase online at www.MagicTownMusic.org or at Galeria Buena Vida, 42 Aldama in Centro. **VIP Area tickets are available for \$100 USD/\$1800 MXN. General Admission** Festival Tickets are **\$30 USD/\$540 MXN** in advance or at the venue on Festival Day for **\$35 USD/\$630 MXN**. Check the website for updates!

Centro Infantil San Pablo and **Casa de los Ángeles** formally joined forces in 2017 as **Centro Infantil de los Ángeles**. Both organizations were founded as a safe haven for single moms and serve some of the San Miguel de Allende community's poorest children and their families. **Centro Infantil de Los Ángeles** now includes daycare for infants and toddlers as well as preschool and kindergarten education for about 165 young children EVERY weekday. This provides each child an incredibly solid foundation for entry into primary school.

This center also provides working parents the comfort of knowing their children are fed, nurtured, and educated in a safe and caring environment as they work to make a better future for themselves as well as their community as a whole.

To date, over 1,800 volunteers from 34 countries have supported the organizations in multiple roles. **Centro Infantil de los Ángeles receives NO government support and owes its continued existence and success to the support of OUR committed community.** All net proceeds of MTMF events are donated to the charity, a 501 (c) 3 non-profit organization. See www.centroinfantil.org for more info.

Magic Town Music Festival is a community collaboration of friends and music-lovers in Mexico, the US (through the Love Life Foundation), and Canada. The festival brings a unique, world-class music lineup to San Miguel and a quality and diversity of music "not often heard" in this part of the world! **Now, more than ever, this collaboration, in the spirit of international fellowship, respect, and trust, reminds us that our cultures can do great things TOGETHER, " UNIDOS EN AMISTAD!"**

Come have some big fun and help us support this important cause!

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