

# California

## As Tupac and...

"California knows how to party." A longtime haven for the arts and entertainment industries, California has fostered a vibrant and diverse music community that continues to enrich the lives of fans all around the world. Its unparalleled music history has breathed life into entire music movements, including West Coast Hip Hop, ska, and surfer rock, and it is home to some of the most iconic live music venues in the country, among them the The Fillmore in San Francisco and The Troubadour in Hollywood.

## Music Venues & Festivals

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| 1720                         | Oakland Metro Operahouse             |
| Adams Avenue Street Fair     | Ola Sonica                           |
| Adams Avenue Unplugged       | Old Town Blues Club                  |
| AfterShock Festival          | Outside Lands Festival               |
| Alex's Bar                   | Oxnard Performing Arts Center        |
| Amado's                      | Pappy & Harriet's                    |
| Amplified Ale Works          | Peninsula Arts Guild                 |
| Another Bullwinkle Show      | Permanent Records' Roadhouse         |
| Arcadia Blues Club           | PianoFight                           |
| Arroyo Seco Weekend Festival | Power of Flower Music & Cannabis     |
| ArtDontSleep                 | Punk Rock Bowling and Music Festival |
| Ashkenaz Music and Dance     | Public Works                         |
| Community Center             | Queen Bee's                          |
| At The Top                   | Rainbow Bar And Grill                |
| Audio                        |                                      |

**\$39.5B**  
 Music industry contribution to state GDP  
 (Economists Inc.)

**430,814**  
 Jobs Supported  
 (Economists Inc.)

**71,905**  
 Music Establishments  
 (A2IM/Economists Inc./NIVA)

**42,684**  
 Royalty Recipients  
 (SAG-AFTRA/SoundExchange)

**233,975**  
 Songwriters  
 (ASCAP/BMI/GMR/SESAC)

Baby's All Right	Rampart Indoor Skatepark & Concert Venue
Bach Dancing & Dynamite Society	Rebel Dharma
Bayfest	Rickshaw Stop
Bay Terrace Theater	Riot Scene
Beachlife Festival	Rumba Room Live
Beyond Wonderland Festival	Sad Summer
Blackbird	Saint Rocke
Bottlerock Napa Valley Festival	Same Same But Different
Bill Graham Civic Auditorium	San Jose Come Up
Bimbo's 365 Club	Senator Jones
Blue Note	Senator Theatre
Boom Boom Room	SFJAZZ
Bootleg Theater	Shut Up and Dance
Brick By Brick	Ski Inn
Bottom of the Hill	Skyloft
Boxcar Theatre	Sierra Nevada World Music Festival
Brick and Mortar Music Hall	Soda Bar
Cafe Colonial	SOHO Restaurant & Music Club
Cafe du Nord	Sound
Camp Flog Gnaw Carnival Festival	South Bay Customs
Candlelight Pavilion	Stagecoach Country Music Festival
Casbah	Stage Werx Theatre
Cascade Theatre	Starline Social Club
Chain Reaction	Stern Grove Festival
Center for New Music	Strawberry Music Festival
Club Fox	SubliminalSF
Coachella Festival	Surround
ComedySportz	Strummer's
Commissary Lounge	Swedish American Hall

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| Coomber Craft Wines                    | Sweetwater Music Hall                |
| Cowboy Country                         | T-Bar Social Club                    |
| Crazy Horse Saloon & Grill             | Team Neville                         |
| Crest Theatre                          | Temescal Art Center                  |
| Decades Bar & Grill                    | Temple Nightclub                     |
| Desert Daze Festival                   | Tender Loving Coffee                 |
| Dig Deeper                             | Terrapin Crossroads                  |
| Discovery Ventura                      | The Alibi                            |
| DNA Lounge                             | The Art Boutiki Music Hall           |
| Donald Andes                           | The Bancroft                         |
| Dusk Camp                              | The Back Room                        |
| Dustfish                               | The Bankhead Theater                 |
| Dynasty Typewriter                     | The Bothwell Arts Center             |
| Echo Park Rising                       | The Canyon Agoura Hills              |
| El Rio                                 | The Canyon Montclair                 |
| Elbo Room Jack London                  | The Canyon Santa Clarita             |
| F8                                     | The Catalyst                         |
| Felton Music Hall                      | The Chapel                           |
| Finest City Improv                     | The CLCTV                            |
| First City Festival                    | The Coach House Concert Hall         |
| Flappers Comedy Club                   | The Comedy Store                     |
| Folk Yeah                              | The Continental Room                 |
| Fox Theater                            | The Dip                              |
| Freight & Salvage                      | The Fruityard Amphitheater           |
| Fremont Theater                        | The Glass House                      |
| Full Circle Saloon                     | The Grand Annex                      |
| Fulton 55                              | The Guild Theatre                    |
| Fyf Festival                           | The Hi Hat                           |
| Gallagher's Irish Pub                  | The Historic Bakersfield Fox Theater |
| GIG International - New Blues Festival | The Hotel Cafe                       |

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| Glendale Centre Theatre                 | The Independent         |
| Globe Theatre                           | The Lash                |
| Gold Diggers                            | The Lost Church         |
| Golden State Theatre                    | The Make-Out Room       |
| Goldfield Trading Post                  | The Maltese             |
| Goodbar                                 | The Mayan               |
| Great American Music Hall               | The Merrow              |
| Great Northern                          | The Mint                |
| Ham and Eggs                            | The Moroccan Lounge     |
| Hard Day Of The Dead Festival           | The Musiq Box Show      |
| Harlow's                                | The New Parish          |
| Harvelle's Santa Monica                 | The Palms Playhouse     |
| High Sierra Music Festival              | The Paupaiz Music Stage |
| Historic BAL Theatre                    | The Paramount           |
| Hollywood Bowl                          | The Phoenix Theatre     |
| Holy Diver                              | The Pozo Saloon         |
| Hopmonk Tavern                          | The Poor House Bistro   |
| Hotel Cafe                              | The Regent Theater      |
| Ineffable Music                         | The Riptide             |
| Ironstone Amphitheatre                  | The Ritz                |
| Ivy Room                                | The Roxy                |
| Jazz Is Dead                            | The Sardine             |
| Joshua Tree Festival Spring Festival    | The Satellite           |
| Junior High                             | The Silverlake Lounge   |
| Kohai                                   | The Starlet Room        |
| Kuumbwa Jazz Center                     | The Starry Plough       |
| Largo at the Coronet                    | The Stud                |
| Levitt Pavillion                        | The Tower Bar           |
| Livermore Valley Performing Arts Center | The UC Theatre          |



- Lobero Theatre
- Lodge Room
- Longboard Margarita Bar
- Love + Propaganda
- Luther Burbank Center for the Arts
- Lyric Theatre
- Madrone Art Bar
- Marjorie Luke Theatre
- Maui Sugar Mill Saloon
- Mira Theatre Guild
- Mixed Feelings
- Mr. Tipple's
- Molly Malones Irish Pub
- Monterey Jazz Festival
- Moe's Alley
- Mozambique
- Music Alley
- Music Box
- Mystic Theatre & Music Hall
- Neck of the Woods
- Noise Pop Industries
- Northern California Center for the Arts
- The Vermont Hollywood
- The Viper Room
- Theatre at Ace Hotel
- Teragram Ballroom
- Til Two Club
- Tomales Town Hall
- Tower Theatre Productions
- TR!P
- Troubadour
- Upright Citizens Brigade Theatres
- Unwined
- Uptown Theatre
- Visalia Fox Theatre
- Verdi Club
- What The Sound
- Whisky A Go Go
- Wilshire Ebell Theatre
- Wingwalker Brewing
- Winstons Beach Club
- Wisdome LA
- Yoshi's
- Zebulon

## Notable Musicians

- 2Pac
- Alanis Morissette
- Beck
- Buffalo Springfield
- Creedence Clearwater Revival
- Fleetwood Mac
- Green Day
- Guns n' Roses
- Ice Cube
- Jerry Garcia



Dead Kennedys

Doobie Brothers

Dr. Dre

Eagles

Etta James

Santana

Snoop Dogg

The Beach Boys

The Doors

The Grateful Dead

