

Calendar of Events

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December 7, 2025

MSSF Annual Fungus Fair A Celebration of Wild Mushrooms

El Camino High School

1320 Mission Rd

South San Francisco, CA 94080

10:00 AM - 05:00 PM PST

Fungus Fair,

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Date: Sunday, December 7, 2025

Time: 10:00am to 5:00pm

Location: El Camino High School 1320 Mission Rd, South San Francisco, CA 94080

TICKETS ON SALE NOW!

Creative and hands-on mushroom activities for people of all ages

Lectures [alphabetical by last name]: David Arora, Tomas Garrett, Reggie Harris, Christopher Hobbs, Chad Hyatt, Mai Lovaas, Kathi Meier, Daniel Winkler

Workshops [alphabetical by last name]: JR Blair, Eleana Hsu, Jack Laws, Alan Rockefeller

[Workshops requires a separate add-on ticket , in addition to your general admission ticket.]

Naturalistic displays of more than 300 species of locally collected fungi

Identification table - bring your specimens to find out the species!

Educational tables on varied subjects such as medicinal mushrooms, myco-remediation, cultivation, ecology, psychedelic fungi, dyes from fungi, toxicology, edible mushrooms, and more...

Microscopes and spore prints

Vendors with fun mushroom products

Mingle and meet other mushroom loving people

Come and try a bowl of delicious mushroom soup

December 15, 2025

MSSF 2025 Annual Holiday Dinner

06:00 PM - 09:00 PM PST

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Dinner Captain: Lou Prestia

When: Monday, December 15, 2025: 6pm - 900pm

Where: Hall of Flowers (aka County Fair Building)

9th Avenue & Lincoln Way; Golden Gate Park; San Francisco

To register, click on this link

https://mms.mssf.org/members/evr/reg_event.php?orgcode=MSSF&evid=59760367

... or go the "members only" area of mssf.org and follow the prompts there.

Program: Appetizers (mushroom theme encouraged)

Festive Musical Entertainment

Gift Exchange (bring a wrapped gift to participate)

Dinner with Fellow Fungal Enthusiasts (see menu below)

(BYOB)

Holiday Dinner Menu

Cedar Planked Wild Salmon

or

Marinated Tofu Steaks

Mashed Potatoes w/ Wild Mushroom Gravies

Roasted Kabocha Squash w/ Shared Culture Miso

Winter Greens & Persimmon Salad

Marzipan Christmas Cake

Coffee & Tea

APPETIZERS: Everyone is encouraged to bring an appetizer -- preferably one containing mushrooms -- for sharing with the group before the main meal.

GIFT EXCHANGE: Bring a wrapped gift of any value to participate in a festive exchange.

Price: \$30 MSSF Members; Guests \$45 (kids 1/2 price). Payment at the event only, by cash, check, or Venmo. (This fee defrays cost of food and incidentals; MSSF is providing the venue as a member perk.) Additionally, you must bring: table covering, dishes, cutlery, and beverage of choice (plus a container for carrying home dirty dishes and any leftovers); these are not provided.

COVID-19 and FLU NOTE: Please do NOT register for or attend this event if you either (1) are not fully vaccinated against covid-19, or (2) are feeling unwell or experiencing any cold or covid symptom.

Problems registering? Call MSSF Culinary Group co-chair Paul Lufkin (415-515-1593)