



News Release

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**HOP TO IT!
JOIN THE EASTER FESTIVITIES AT MARIN COUNTRY MART**

Discover Food, Fun and More for the Whole Family – Enjoy Special Activities, Seasonal Treats, and Spring Offerings at Leading Boutiques and Artisanal Eateries

LARKSPUR, CA, MARCH 20, 2015 – Marin Country Mart celebrates spring with a number of delightful activities and special offers for adults and children. Many focus on kids and are related to Easter, including the annual Easter Egg Hunt, a visit from the Easter Bunny and Easter basket decorating. In addition, other offerings provide reasons to stroll in Marin’s spring sunshine, browsing the shops and relaxing in the courtyard. And musical entertainment continues for all to enjoy with Friday Night Jazz and Sunday afternoon’s Folkish Festival.

Here’s a recap of the Easter festivities at Marin Country Mart on Saturday, April 4:

- **Easter Egg Hunt**, featuring the Easter Bunny at 10:30 am
- **Easter Celebration** at the Farmers’ Market from 9 am-2 pm

In addition, visitors are invited to come enjoy Marin Country Mart’s seasonal promotions and ongoing activities, detailed below.

Come put Spring in your step at Marin Country Mart!

EASTER CELEBRATION AT MARIN COUNTRY MART

Easter Egg Hunt, featuring the Easter Bunny

April 4

10:30 am

Gather outside Poppy Store

Come to Poppy Store to kick off Marin Country Mart’s annual Easter Egg Hunt with the Easter Bunny in the courtyard on the green. Children ages 5 and under are welcome. We provide the Easter basket – or you can bring your own. Search for eco-friendly eggs filled with Easter treats. Come early to see baby chicks and bunnies!



Easter Celebration at the Farmers' Market

April 4

9 am- 2 pm

At the Farmers' Market, across from the Larkspur Ferry Terminal

Welcome Spring in all its glory! In addition to his appearance at Marin Country Mart's annual Easter egg hunt, come meet the Easter Bunny while doing fun Easter-inspired crafts and culinary activities at the Farmers' Market. Children create bunny crafts with reusable materials provided by SCRAP, and bunny snacks (all things carrots) inspire the kids' culinary instruction, from 10 am-12 pm. Baby chicks and a small animal petting zoo are on display at Victoria's Fashion Stable, where children can also enjoy a pony ride. From 9:30-10:30 am, there's children's



musical entertainment featuring Grammy-nominated Scott the Storyteller. Telling stories that both amuse and educate young children, he encourages audience participation and features musical instruments and vocal characterizations in his performances. Described as a “kid magnet,” Scott captivates kids at the Farmers' Market. At 10:30 am in the courtyard on the green, the Easter egg hunt takes place for kids ages 5 and under, who meet first at Poppy Store. But not all offerings are for kids - for adults, there's a Mimosa Bar from 9 am-2 pm.

The Farmers' Market boasts all the farm-to-table necessities needed for a special Easter celebration, including organic tulips from Thomas Farms, lilies from Crane Creek Growers, pastured eggs, ham and lamb from Fallon Hills Ranch, organic vegetables like asparagus and carrots from Capay Organic and County Line Harvest, and hot cross buns from Rustic Bakery. And don't forget about sweet Easter basket goodies, like handmade caramels from CC Made, and chocolate walnuts from Old Dog Ranch.

OTHER EASTER FESTIVITIES



Tutu School

Saturday, April 4

9:30-10:30 am

You're invited to Tutu School's Easter Basket Decorating Party! Decorate your Easter basket from 9:30-10:30 am before Marin Country Mart's Easter Egg Hunt. Tutu School provides everything you need - including your spring basket and decorating supplies. Come join the fun! Please RSVP to info@tutuschool.com.

SoulCycle*Sunday, April 5**10:30 and 11:45 am*

Hop on over to SoulCycle Marin on Easter Sunday! Ride in the 10:30 am or 11:45 am class then stay for complimentary fresh pressed juices and an egg hunt. *Dedication. Inspiration. Celebration. DONE.*



SEASONAL OFFERINGS

**Roberta Roller Rabbit**

Easter Eggs are back at Roberta Roller Rabbit! Each is hand-crafted in Rajasthan by expert artisans using a technique similar to papier-mâché. Requiring 15 steps and worked with hand tools only, each egg takes over a month to make. Three sizes are available (4", 6", 8").

Hudson Grace

"Some bunny loves you at Hudson Grace," they say! Adorable bunnies are in-store now, ready to enhance your garden or tabletop. Several sizes are available.

INTERMIX

INTERMIX's Spring Trend Report is now available and products are in the stores. Their take? Elevated ease. Raw, pure neutrals are luxe and layerable. Chambray shades say effortless cool, and crisp safari cuts are rich and relaxed. See more at: <http://bit.ly/1xt9C4O>

**Belcampo Meat Co.**

Whether it's Passover, Easter or just the re-emergence of spring, a table laden with our organic lamb and goat is the perfect way to mark the occasion. Belcampo's special offers come in a range of sizes, from leg to the whole animal, to accommodate any sized seder or Easter brunch. Quantities are limited; call to place your order.

Rustic Bakery

Enjoy a selection of Easter Treats at Rustic Bakery. Easter Baskets in four sizes feature gourmet chocolates and candies. They're available for special order or to pick up in the café. Or choose Easter Hot Cross Buns — traditional sweet dough with spices and zante currants topped with citrus zest icing. Reserve them today. Rustic Bakery is open on Easter Sunday.

ONGOING EVENTS

Musical Entertainment

Fridays & Sundays

The band plays on at Marin Country Mart! Friday Night Jazz features talented musicians from the Bay Area from 6–9 pm; make it an easy date night with dinner or drinks afterwards. On Sundays, the Folkish Festival continues with diverse styles of musical entertainment. Stop by Off the Grid's food trucks for a snack or fixin's for Sunday supper. See marincountrymart.com/calendar for additional details.



Friday Night Jazz

Fridays, 6–9 pm

- 4/3 Jeff Derby Trio
- 4/10 Mads Tolling
- 4/17 Five Play Jazz, with special guest Ron Horton
- 4/24 Lorca Hart Trio

Folkish Festival

Sundays, 12:30 – 2:30 pm

- 4/5 Bobby Jo Valentine
- 4/12 Ohio Ramblers
- 4/19 Arann Harris and the Farm Band
- 4/26 Moonlight Rodeo



Farmers' Market

Saturdays

9 am – 2 pm

Across from the Larkspur Ferry Terminal

Launched in 2010, the Farmers' Market at Marin Country Mart welcomes visitors year-round on Saturdays from 9 am–2 pm, rain or shine. It showcases the freshest seasonal offerings from local farmers and purveyors, with an emphasis on organic and sustainable goods. The 25+ vendors offer a savory selection of edibles, flowers, apparel, services and casual dining options. There's also a focus on kids; special activities include children's crafts, face painting, kid's music or storytelling, pony rides, a petting zoo and live music.

Off the Grid

Sundays

11 am – 3 pm

In front of shops – George (the dog store) and Barber Lane

This roaming mobile food extravaganza cruises to Marin Country Mart every Sunday from 11 am – 3 pm. The event features over eight vendors with delicious food, live music and splendid views

of the bay and Mt. Tam. From the largest gathering of food trucks in Marin, visitors can choose gourmet foods to eat onsite in the courtyard tables or take home for an easy Sunday supper.

Please note: Activities schedule is subject to change. For the most current information and details on these events, please visit: www.marincountrymart.com/calendar

Marin Country Mart is located at 2257 Larkspur Landing Circle, Larkspur, CA 94939. Parking is free. Additionally, parking on weekends and nights is available at no cost at the Larkspur Ferry Terminal Building, just a short stroll over a pedestrian bridge from Marin Country Mart. For more information, contact us by phone 415-461-5700, email at marketing@marincountrymart.com or online at www.marincountrymart.com.

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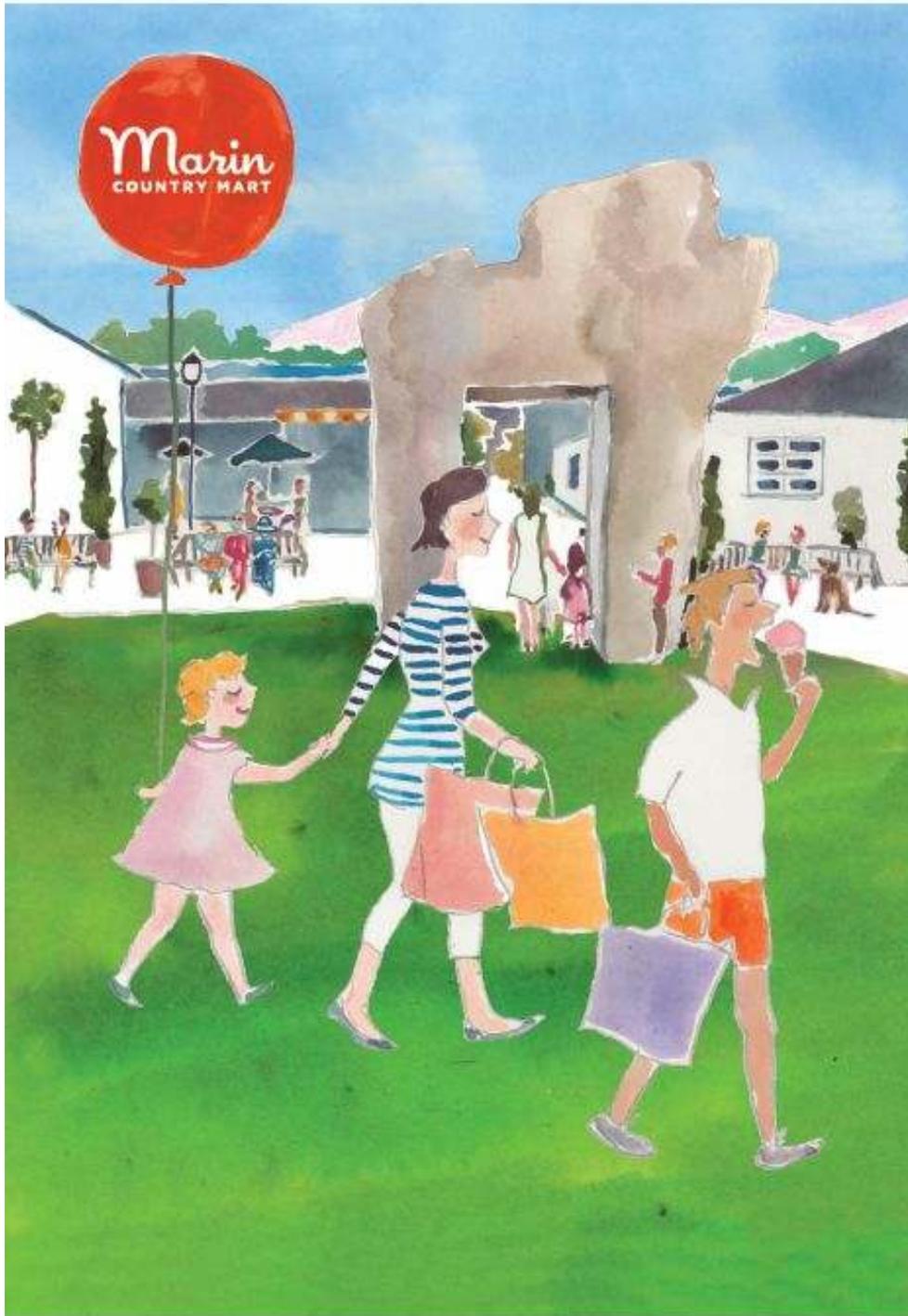
About Marin Country Mart

In 2009, J.S. Rosenfield & Co. purchased Larkspur Landing, transforming it into Marin Country Mart through extensive upgrades and new retail offerings with independent brands that better reflect the preferences of residents and visitors. The open-air shopping destination, comprised of 12 barn buildings and over 173,000 square feet of space, features appealing boutiques, dining options, services and special events (see purveyors below). Marin Country Mart has two sister venues in Southern California, Brentwood Country Mart and Montecito Country Mart, which are favorites among residents for exceptional shopping and dining. All are conceived with a spirit of community in mind, as lively gathering places that evoke simpler, more gracious times. Inspired by the idea of the village square, Marin Country Mart is a welcoming destination where local residents and visitors enjoy talented artisans and entrepreneurs who ply their trades with pride and skill, in a congenial environment shared with families, neighbors and friends.

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 Farmshop
 Marin Brewing Company
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 Pressed Juicery
 Rustic Bakery
 Starbucks
 Sushi Ko
 Tha Siam
 Three Twins Ice Cream
 Togo's

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 Calypso
 Calypso Home
 Diesel, A Bookstore
 Erica Tanov
 George
 Hudson Grace
 Hutchinson
 Intermix
 James Perse
 Lark Shoes & Repair
 Malia Mills
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SERVICES

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