



**NEWS RELEASE**  
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### **Tastes of Mexico on September 5**

The public is invited to take a taste trip south of the border on a culinary journey at this year's Tastes of Mexico. Enjoy an evening of Santa Maria's finest Mexican cuisine, beverages and entertainment on Friday, September 5, 2014 from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. at the Veterans' Memorial Community Center (313 West Tunnell Street).

Live entertainment will bring the music of Mexico and create a festive atmosphere as attendees dine on various Mexican dishes provided by the best local restaurants. Pair a meal with a drink from the bar and choose from a wide variety of Mexican beers and Margaritas available for sampling. Take a quick getaway to the heart of Mexico without leaving the Central Coast!

Enjoy this truly one-of-a-kind dining experience while supporting a local non-profit. All proceeds benefit The People for Leisure And Youth, Inc. (PLAY, Inc.) which funds recreational, cultural, social, and art programs throughout the Santa Maria Valley.

Tickets are \$30 per person or \$25 for four or more and may be purchased at the Recreation and Parks Department at 615 South McClelland Street or online at [www.smtasteofmexico.com](http://www.smtasteofmexico.com). A complete list of participating restaurants can be found on the website.

Questions may be directed to the Recreation and Parks Department, 925-0951 ext. 260.

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