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“Craig Martin Experience” to perform at LA Co-op

Los Alamos, NM – On Saturday, Oct. 1, the jazz band called The Craig Martin Experience” will perform from 2 pm – 4 pm at the Los Alamos Co-op as part of a quarterly Member Appreciation Day.

CME is an informal group of musicians who have been playing jazz together since April. The group emphasizes a relaxed atmosphere where all members can develop their skills. Their focus is on traditional swing, hard bop, and soul jazz with a touch of funk. The line-up is a bit untraditional, but each member of the group shares a deep-rooted love of the small-group jazz setting. Their set will feature standards and other tunes by Billy Strayhorn, Horace Silver, Herbie Hancock, and Eddie Harris.

The group transforms leader and tenor saxophonist Craig Martin’s vision of each song into sound, hence the group wryly calls itself CME, the Craig Martin Experience. Joining Craig in the horn section is the fiery Quinn Marksteiner on alto sax. The rhythm section drives the band with fast-fingered Mike Rogers on guitar, soul-of-the-band Mud Douglas on bass (and sometimes keyboards), and hard-swinging John Frary on drums.

Member Appreciation Day will also include 10% off all purchases for members on regular priced items only. The Los Alamos Cooperative Market is a member-owned enterprise but the public is welcome to shop. Membership is not required.

The Co-op opened in March of this year. Its mission includes promoting awareness about food, nutrition, health, and cooperative values. Visit losalamos.coop for more information or find the Co-op on Facebook for updates.

Phone: 505-695-1579

Address: 95 Entrada Drive, next to Holiday Inn Express

Website: losalamos.coop

Hours: Monday – Saturday: 7 a.m. to 9 p.m., Sunday: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

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