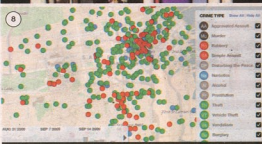


# GUARDIAN

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11:59 p.m. (Near Dark); \$8 for both Castro Theatre 429 Castro, SF (415) 621-6120 www.castrotheatre.com

### MUSIC

**Breakestra**  
The powerhouse L.A. funky soul outfit Breakestra returns with its second full-length effort, *From Dusk Till Dawn* (Strut). Through soul-stomping grooves, the crew pays respect to the life and memory of DJ Dusk — the heart of L.A.'s Rootdown party, who was killed two years ago in a tragic road accident. Multi-instrumentalist, singer, and leader of the group, "Music Man" Miles Tackett continues to heed James Brown's seminal prowess with nods to the breakbeat aesthetic of hip-hop. If you've never seen their live show, expect a nearly nonstop two hours of low-down fun. (Krimper)

With Crown City Rockers, Spaceheater's Blast Furnace, D-Sharp, hosted by Lyrics Born 9 p.m., \$18 The Independent 628 Divisadero, SF (415) 771-1421 theindependentsf.com

### VISUAL ART

**"Disintegrations"**  
Wondering what to do with your worn and weathered LPs now that your mom threw away your record player to make space in the living room for her latest infomercial exercise toy? Well, you could follow Montreal artist

and DJ Sebastien Lapointe's lead and turn them into what he calls "totemic sculptures" that simultaneously mourn and celebrate their disintegration. Lapointe joins video artist Andrew Benson in an evening devoted to the trepidations of time wrought by the expanding power of technology. (Young)

5 p.m. (continues through Fri 11/13) Johansson Projects 2300 Telegraph, Oakl. (510) 444 9440 www.johanssonprojects.net

## SATURDAY OCT. 3

### EVENT

**10th Annual World Veg Festival**  
What in the world is Veggie Speed Dating? At the 10th annual World Veg Festival Weekend in Golden Gate Park, you'll find the answer along with a bunch of others you didn't know you wanted to know. Not just for animal lovers anymore, vegetarian and vegan cuisine keeps getting more decorative for the taste buds. This fest, hosted by the nonprofit, community-based San Francisco Vegetarian Society, offers lectures, cooking demos, and, most important, food samples. Enjoy this colorful culinary banquet of healthy plant staples turned into edible pieces of art. (Hsu)

10 a.m.–6 p.m. (also Sun/4) free–\$6 (\$20–\$25 with

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