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Looking for a weekend getaway? We've tracked down some of the best bets in December & January.

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SUBLIME BEAUTY: RAPHAEL'S "PORTRAIT OF A LADY WITH A UNICORN"

SAN FRANCISCO JAN. 9-APRIL 10

On loan from Rome's Galleria Borghese, this 16th-century painting by Raphael will make its way to San Francisco's Legion of Honor in early 2016. The portrait, which is thought to have been commissioned as a wedding gift, features a young woman holding a unicorn (a medieval symbol for purity). The exhibit also explores the influence of Leonardo da Vinci's *Mona Lisa* on the Raphael masterpiece. \$10. Tues.—Sun. 9:30 a.m-5:15 p.m. Legion of Honor. 100 34th Ave. 415-750-3600. legionofhonor.famsf.org



RICHARD DIEBENKORN

PALO ALTO THROUGH FEB. 8

Stanford University's Cantor Arts Center presents a collection of Richard Diebenkorn's 29 sketchbooks that have never been shown to the public until now. The late artist called his sketchbooks "portable studios" and they included everything from oil paintings to graphite drawings from his decades-long career, including the time he spent as a student at Stanford in the early 1940s. Free. Hours vary by day. Cantor Arts Center at Stanford University. 328 Lomita Dr. 650-723-4177. museum.stanford.edu

A CHARLIE BROWN CHRISTMAS—LIVE!

SAN FRANCISCO **DEC. 18-24**

This musical adaptation of the animated TV special *A Charlie Brown Christmas* will feature accompaniment by the San Francisco Symphony and Chorus, and numbers like "Christmas Time Is Here" and "O Tannenbaum." Jodi Benson (aka the voice of Ariel from Disney's *The Little Mermaid*) will kick off the evening with Christmas carols. \$30-\$80. Times vary by date. Davies Symphony Hall. 201 Van Ness Ave. 415-864-6000. sfsymphony.org





MENDOCINO CRAB, WINE & BEER FESTIVAL

MENDOCINO COUNTY JAN. 22-31

This seafood extravaganza will fill Mendocino with culinary events like a family-style cioppino dinner and a colossal cook-off at Fort Bragg featuring top regional chefs. This year will also include a barrel-tasting affair in which more than a dozen wineries along Highway 101 in Mendocino County will open their doors to the public for samples of their best vino. Prices, times and locations vary by event. 707-964-9010, visitmendocino.com

WHALEFEST MONTEREY

MONTEREY JAN. 23-24

During this festival at Monterey's Old Fisherman's Wharf, you can take a ride on a glass-bottomed boat to spot gray whales, catch marine documentaries or watch demonstrations from the Whale Entanglement Team. Kids can check out shark jaws and whale baleen at the Monterey Academy of Oceanographic Science or climb inside a 60-foot model of Humphrey the Humpback Whale, Free (prices for activities vary). 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Old Fisherman's Wharf. 39 Fisherman's Wharf. 831-238-0777. montereywharf.com

