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JUNETEENTH KICKOFF BRUNCH	Sunday, June 8th, 2025
The AACSA Power of 100: They Not Like Us, A BL	ACK Carpet Affair
JUNETEENTH ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT SUMMIT	Tuesday, June 10th, 2025
SANKOFA OPEN MIC	Thursday, June 12th, 2025
JUNETEENTH IN THE STREETS FESTIVAL	Salurday, June 14th, 2025
JUNETEENTH FLAG RAISING	Wednesday, June 18th, 2025
City of San Jose/County of Santa Clara	

#### **Grand Opening Schedule**

Saturday, June 14, 2025

1:45 p.m 3:00 p.m.
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2:06 p.m 2:10 p.m.
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2:16 p.m 2:18 p.m.
2:19 p.m 2:22 p.m.
2:23 p.m 2:25 p.m.
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Run of Show - Saturday, June 14, 2025

**DJ D SHARP** — Main Stage

**LEFT UNIVERSITY — GUILDHOUSE** 

DOMINGO & FRIENDS — Guildhouse

Featuring Lorraine

OFFICIAL GRAND OPENING — Main Stage

GOSPEL HOUR — Main Stage

Featuring Lena Bryd Miles, Travis Malloy, Kim Burrell, Emmanuel Worship Team - Jasmine Butler, Worship Pastor

**CORPORATE PANEL** — Guildhouse

Featuring, Ken Cherry, Vice President Devices Planning Logistics and Technology (DPLT) organization at Amazon Lab126

LaToya Rowell, Vice President and National Community Affairs Manager at Comerica Bank

Jacob Mitchell, Vice President of Sales & Marketing, California Region at Comcast, Moderated by Kari Hall, NBC Bay Area

TRIBUTE TO GREENWOOD — GUILDHOUSE

Black Wallstreet Panel with Kristi Orisabiyi Williams, Vanessa Hall-Harper & Taylor-Rae West, Moderated by Janine Rubenstein

FIRESIDE CHAT — Guildhouse

With Lance Gross, Moderated by Marcus Washington

LINE DANCES, BOOTS ON THE GROUND — Near Main Stage

TIERA KENNEDY — Main Stage

AYO BRAME (National Negro Anthem) — Main Slage

MARIO (Official Headliner) — Main Stage









Dear Juneteenth Families and Supporters:

We are thrilled to celebrate the African American Community Service Agency's 44th Annual Juneteenth in the Streets Festival with our community!

A heartfelt thank you to all of our incredible sponsors, the City of San José, the County of Santa Clara, elected officials, performers, the AACSA team, our Juneteenth committees, vendors, and the amazing SOFA District businesses — including Guildhouse, Jackie's Place, Ashy Aromas, and Nirvana Soul — for opening your doors and hearts to the thousands of attendees who joined us in honoring freedom, resilience, and joy.

Since June 19, 1866, African Americans have celebrated Juneteenth as a powerful recognition of freedom and progress. Today, the entire country has the opportunity to honor the legacy, contributions, and enduring spirit of African Americans.

We are humbled and honored to have served as this year's Juneteenth Chair and Co-Chairs, alongside our dedicated committees, volunteers, vendors, sponsors, and AACSA staff. This celebration reminds us of the importance of continuing the work—through public service, civic engagement, and collective action—to uplift and build our community.

The work continues. The joy continues. And so does the movement.

Strength in Unity,

Milan R. Balinton, 2025 Juneteenth Festival Chair | AACSA Executive Director

Tracey Jones, 2025 Juneteenth Festival Co-Chair | AACSA Board Chair

Jeremiah Lineberger, 2025 Juneteenth Festival Co-Chair | AACSA Development/Data Analyst/Programs Specialist

Lavere Foster, 2025 Juneteenth Festival Co-Chair | AACSA Associate Director

Dear Juneteenth Families and Supporters:

On behalf of the African American Community Service Agency (AACSA) Board of Directors, 2025 Juneteenth Homecoming Committee Members, Corporate Sponsors, Volunteers, and Freedom Fighters, we would like to welcome you to the 42nd Annual Juneteenth in the Park Festival.

We would like to thank the Juneteenth Festival Committee, Volunteers, Staff, and AACSA Board of Directors for all of their hard work, as well as vendors, entertainers, organizations, community leaders and, especially, sponsors for your support in this event. Thank you and enjoy your time with us at the San Jose Juneteenth in the Park Festival in Downtown San Jose.

Strength in Unity,

Milan R. Balinton, AACSA Executive Director







### 2025 Juneteenth Homecoming



#### **Festival Committees**

#### SECURITY, LOGISTICS, AND RISK MANAGEMENT

Lavere Foster (Lead)
Milan Balinton
Amber Mopress
Stephanie Allen
Kiana Munoz
Adrienne Coleman
Jeremiah Lineberger
Beverley Waithaka
Jaylin Franklin
Bobby Gasper

#### KIDS & YOUTH FAMILY RESOURCE ARENA

Skarlette Smillie

Stephanie Allen (Lead)
Cathy Blake (Co-Lead)
Amber Mopress
Beverley Waithaka
Cheryl Thompson

#### **ENTERTAINMENT & SPACES**

Milan Balinton (Lead) Kiana Munoz Jeremiah Lineberger Tracey Jones

#### JUNETEENTH VISION & VIBES

Kiana Munoz (Lead) Beverley Waithaka Amber Mopress Lucid Motors

#### CORPORATE SPONSOR RELATIONS & VIP JUNETEENTH EXPERIENCE

Board Chair Tracey Jones (Lead)
Milan Balinton
Jeremiah Lineberger
Lavere Foster
Jaylin Franklin

#### MARKETING, COMMUNICATIONS, & BRANDING

Jeremiah Lineberger (Lead)
Milan Balinton
Sean Young
Jaylin Franklin
Marilyn Howard Jones
Kiana Munoz
Danny McLane

#### JUNETEENTH EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Milan Balinton, Executive Director Lavere Foster, Associate Director

#### JUNETEENTH CO-LEADS

Amber Mopress Jeremiah Lineberger Beverley Waithaka Jaylin Franklin

#### **TECHNOLOGY**

Sean Young Studios, LLC Jeremiah Lineberger Milan Balinton

#### **VOLUNTEERS**

Beverley Waithaka (Lead)
Jeremiah Lineberger
Stephanie Allen
Board Chair Tracey Jones
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Lucid Motors
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Kappa Alpha Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated
Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Incorporated
Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Incorporated

#### **GRAND OPENING, HISTORY & EDUCATION**

Lavere Foster (Lead)
Jeremiah Lineberger
Milan Balinton
Regina Wallace-Jones
Tracey Jones

#### SOUVENIR BOOKLET

Cathy Blake (Lead) Beverley Waithaka Amber Mopress Jeremiah Lineberger Sean Young

#### **VENDORS**

Amber Mopress (Lead) Beverley Waithaka

#### **FUNDRAISING**

Jeremiah Lineberger (Co-Lead)
Milan Balinton (Co-Lead)
Jono Marcus
Susan Ryan
AACSA Board of Directors

#### FINANCE & BUDGETING

Milan Balinton (Lead)
Wanda Hendrix (Co-Lead)
Landon Summers (Co-Lead)
Adrienne Coleman
Jeremiah Lineberger
Lavere Foster

#### SANKOFA OPEN MIC

Kiana Munoz (Lead) Adrienne Coleman Amber Mopress Jaylin Franklin

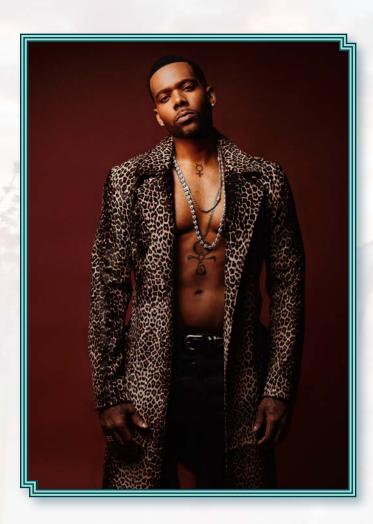








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#### Mario Official Headliner

Mario is a GRAMMY-nominated, platinum-selling R&B singer, songwriter and hitmaker hailing from Baltimore, MD. A dominant 2000s run, which began after the church-bred singer was signed by Clive Davis to J Records during his teenage years, included Top 5 hit "Just A Friend," and "Let Me Love You," the generation-defining serenade that spent nine weeks at no. 1 on the Billboard Hot 100, earning the singer widespread acclaim. Mario's subsequent album, Turning Point, generated a 'Best Contemporary R&B Album' GRAMMY nomination as well as two Billboard Awards, and is part of a robust catalog that includes four debuts inside the Top 5 of Billboard R&B/Hip Hop Albums chart, beginning with his gold-certified debut, Mario

Mario's hit-making prowess and status as a superior vocal performer led to a spot on Billboard's 'Artist of the Decade' list. His expanded entertainment profile includes an independent label, New Citizen, launched in 2016, and a slew of marquee acting appearances, including major roles in blockbuster films and shows Step Up, Freedom Writers, and Empire. Mario will make his film production debut this holiday season, when his New Citizen-produced Christmas film, Style Me For Christmas, airs on BET.

This December, Mario is releasing his sixth studio album as part of his new deal with Epic Records, marking his first solo LP since 2018. Glad You Came, is executive-produced largely by James Fauntleroy, who worked for over a year on the project in-studio with Mario. "James and I have a similar philosophy when it comes to the love of timeless music. The omnipresence of all of the things that lends itself to the writing process. Our stories, our lives, what we observe and absorb."









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#### Tierra Kennedy

Official Headliner

Born and raised in Gardendale, Alabama, 27-year-old R&B / country / Gospel trailblazer Tiera Kennedy is in bloom. Inspired by artists like Aaliyah and Loretta Lynn, Tiera released her full-length debut album \*ROOTED\* on October 18, 2024. Fully embracing newfound independence, reaping the harvest of what she's sown over the past 8+ years of making music, cultivating and growing a sonic lane all her own – \*ROOTED\* takes a moment to smell the roses across 11 unfiltered, self-penned songs.

A singer-songwriter, musician, radio host, entrepreneur, and philanthropist, the multi-hyphenate found another watershed moment last year when lifelong hero Beyoncé asked her to be a featured vocalist on 2025 GRAMMY \*Album of the Year\* and \*Country Album of the Year\* winner, \*Cowboy Carter,\* singing on "BLACKBIIRD" and providing background vocals on "TYRANT."

Invested in by generations of cross-genre talent before her, Tiera has also been mentored by pop country icon Shania Twain since the inception of her career, and collaborated with Dolly Parton and Dionne Warwick on the music video for their duet, "Peace Like A River." She's opened for Kelsea Ballerini, Nelly, and



more, and serves as direct support for GRAMMY-nominated duo The War & Treaty this spring. "I'm stepping into an era publicly - both musically and personally - that is entirely me," she shares. "It's been inspiring to find myself; in what I thought was my lowest low, I could finally see the roots of what had been growing all along."









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#### **Travis Malloy**

#### **Gospel Performer**

Pittsburgh, PA native Travis Malloy is a Grammy nominated Singer-Songwriter who has written and/or produced for and with a wide range of musical legends including Zaytoven, Coko (SWV), Jermaine Dupri, Case, Yolanda Adams, Kirk Franklin, Kool & The Gang, Fred Hammond, and Faith Evans.

In 2021 he launched the Dream Currency unisex apparel line which featured the Millions.Billions.Trillions. collection. In a year's time, the wildly popular line garnered six figures and is supported by noted public figures like Rev. Al Sharpton, Missy Elliot, Erica Campbell, D.L. Hughley and dozens more. The viral success of the clothing brand led to a partnership with Reach Media/Radio One, the largest African American-owned media conglomerate in the USA

Separate Entertainment in the line up, provided by

**Left University** 









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#### Kim Burrell Gospel Performer

Kim Burrell, an award-winning singer, songwriter, and vocal arranger, is celebrated as one of the most influential voices of her generation. Her three-decade plus career showcases a signature blend of gospel, jazz, R&B, and soul, marked by exceptional vocal agility and a rich tone. Born in Houston, Texas, Burrell honed her craft in church, drawing inspiration from icons like Ella Fitzgerald and The Clark Sisters. Her groundbreaking 1998 album, Everlasting Life, established her as a force in contemporary gospel, introducing her unique sound to a wider audience.

Burrell's extraordinary talent has led to collaborations with renowned artists across genres, including Whitney Houston, Stevie Wonder, and Pharrell Williams. Her work with Houston on "I Look to You" and her collaboration with Williams on "I See a Victory" (featured in Hidden Figures) highlight her versatility. Beyond performance, Burrell is a sought-after vocal coach and mentor, shaping the artistry of numerous contemporary singers. Her influence on vocal technique, particularly in improvisation, phrasing, and jazz-gospel fusion, has earned her reverence among musicians.



An ordained pastor and speaker, Burrell can connect through both song and message which shines light on her multifaceted influence. Kim Burrell's legacy is one of innovation, excellence, and artistic integrity, solidifying her status as an enduring and transformative figure in music.

Separate Entertainment in the line up, provided by

Domingo & Friends









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#### Lena Byrd Miles

**Gospel Performer** 

Lena Byrd Miles, Stellar Award winner, Billboard #1 My Block Inc. artist, the darling of the Oakland Bay Area has been singing since the ripe ole age of 4.

Coming from a musical family, she launched her singing career at her Grandfather's Church where she faithfully lent her gift. More than an artist, Lena is a wife, daughter, sister, and friend with a unique ability to connect with people. Her innate comedic prowess and infectious laugh draws you in, but her compassion for mankind will cause you to appreciate her heart.

#### Lance Gross Speaker

Lance Gross is an accomplished actor, producer, and photographer. Notable credits include Fox TV series "Our Kind of People", opposite YaYa DaCosta, Nadine Ellis, Joe Morton, and Miles Chestnut. Produced by Lee Daniels. "Hawaii 5-0" (CBS), a series regular on "Star" (Fox) as 'Maurice Jetter', the role of 'Billy Colton' on 'MacGyver" (CBS), Amazon's "Too Old To Die Young" with Miles Teller (Dir. Nicolas Winding Refn), a series regular on "Sleepy Hollow' (Fox) opposite Nichole Behari, and also the lead of the NBC drama "Crisis" opposite Dermott Mulroney, Gillian Anderson, and Rachael Taylor.



Lance is the first actor to win four NAACP Image Awards for Outstanding Supporting Actor in a Comedy Series for his role on Tyler Perry's "House of Payne." He has also starred on TV One's "When Love Kills: The Felicia Blakely Story" directed by Tasha Smith; the BET anthology series "Tales: Trap Queen" directed by Benny Boom; and "The Bobby Brown Story" (BET).

Lance created, produced, and starred in the MACRO digital series "I Turned My Camera On" (Essence), which combined his love of photography with a series of celebrity interviews. Season one featured Michael B. Jordan, Omari Hardwick, and Kelly Rowland, amongst others. Lance lives in Los Angeles with his wife, Rebecca, and their beautiful daughter, Berkeley, and son, Lennon.









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#### DJ DSharp

In 2017, D Sharp solidified his stature as a highly sought-after DJ, gifted in the art of manipulating music to move people. He has cultivated a growing international fan base and a die hard local one. Deftly moving between old classics and new hits, the official DJ of the Warriors bears considerable responsibility for Roaracle's reputation as the loudest and most energetic NBA arena. Aside from being an amazing turntablist, D Sharp is a gifted producer and remix artist. Using hip hop as a home base, D Sharp crafts genre-fusing remixes that incorporate soul, house, and everything in between.

#### DJ The C.M.E

A dedicated purveyor of musical artistry who thrives in a world of gratitude. Currently, he holds the esteemed roles of resident DJ and co-founder at Ultra Sheen Vibes, alongside the illustrious DJ Dilly from London. Renowned for his melodic and energetic approach, THE C.M.E has graced stages with his soul-infused beats and dynamic party-fueling techniques. THE C.M.E's journey has seen him spin alongside an array of influential acts, leaving an indelible mark in their wake. Noteworthy names such as Kendrick Lamar, Big Sean, Future, Robert Glasper, Kaytranada, Marsha Ambrosius, Talib Kweli, Wale & more.





#### Bill Pickett Rodeo

Flag Presentation, History of Bill Picket & Rodeo at our Grand Opening of the Juneteenth In The Streets Festival! Featuring the Horses Debut. Freeway, Biscuit, Jellybean, Sinbad & Misty.









#### Juneteenth Emcees

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#### Janine Rubensiein Entertainment Journalist & TV Personality • People Magazine

Janine Rubenstein is Editor-at-Large and host for PEOPLE Magazine where she splits her time between penning exclusive cover stories and emceeing the brand's key events and activations, including PEOPLE and Entertainment Weekly's Red Carpet Live specials. An accomplished entertainment journalist and TV personality with more than a decade of experience covering breaking news and interviewing top tier talent, Janine has held numerous roles at the world's most successful entertainment brand, which reaches 100+ million people.

Previously Senior Editor of music content she's also covered television, crime and human interest news. Onscreen, Janine can be found speaking as an expert on shows like Good Morning America and E! News, and she annually hosts PEOPLE and Entertainment Weekly's Red Carpet Live from Hollywood's biggest red carpet events. Janine is a San Francisco native and proud alumna of the University of California, Berkeley, where she was initiated into Rho Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. in 2005. She later received her Master's Degree from USC's Annenberg School of Journalism and is now a proud member of AKA's award-winning Tau Beta Omega Graduate Chapter in Los Angeles. Above all she is the happy wife of Douglas Rubenstein, a member of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc., and mom to their amazing 10-year-old son Reece and 4-year-old daughter Ramey. Find the 49ers fan and Black Barbie collector on Instagram and TikTok @JanineRube

#### Marcus Washington Anchor, NCB Bay Area

Marcus Washington is an EMMY award winning anchor with NBC Bay Area in the San Francisco Bay Area. Marcus is also the co-host of NBC Bay Area's EMMY nominated series, Race in America: The Conversation. The show explores racial equity and social injustice and attempts to bridge the divide between backgrounds and generations.

Marcus' career in media began while he was a student at the University of Memphis, WUMR-FM. On his third day of orientation, the station manager was so impressed with Marcus' voice and personality that he walked into the DJ booth and told Marcus, "...

from now on, this is your slot." At that moment, Marcus became one of the hosts of Memphis' only jazz station.



He went on to work as an associate producer in Memphis, Tennessee; followed by reporting in Charlottesville, Virginia; Tulsa, Oklahoma; Nashville, Tennessee; and Baltimore, Maryland. Marcus has been acknowledged by Lifestyles Magazine as one of "Nashville's 25 Most Beautiful People" (flattered and amused) and number fourteen among "The 50 Hottest Anchors in the World" (according to Buzzfeed.com in 2017). Marcus is graduate of the University of Memphis, and a member of The National Association of Black Journalists, Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Incorporated, and the Church of Christ.









#### Juneteenth Panelists

**Corporate Panel** 



#### Ken Cherry President, US Operations Transformation • Amazon

Ken Cherry is a visionary and success-driven business leader, with a track record of delivering sustained business results through integrated balanced leadership and supply chains strategies. He joined Amazon in June 2022 from UPS, where he spent almost 38 years, most recently as President, US Operations Transformation, directing operations for numerous business units in U.S. Small Package, Supply Chain Solutions, and Information Technology. Ken's accomplishments include leading transformation efforts, designing and implementing processes to improve the customer experience and drive efficiency in frontline operations. Ken built, from the ground up, a new operations training team, comprised of more than 130 team members.

#### Jacob Milchell Vice President of Sales & Marketing, California Region

Jacob Mitchell currently serves as the Vice President of Sales & Marketing for the California Region. Jacob joined us from the Oregon/SW Washington region, where he served as Vice President of Sales & Marketing. Prior to that, he served as Senior Director of Business Development for the California region.

Before Comcast, Jacob held several positions with AT&T, beginning as a Retail Sales Consultant in Seattle and steadily progressing to Area Retail Sales Manager in Colorado, Director of Sales and Distribution in Portland and San Jose, and then Director of Operations in Dallas.





LaToya L. Rowell

VP, National Community Affairs Manager • Comerica Bank

LaToya Rowell serves as the Vice President and National Community Affairs Manager for Comerica Bank. In this role, she is charged with overseeing external community initiatives and partnerships. Rowell also helps develop and implement Comerica's corporate affairs strategy by building and sustaining national community stakeholder relationships. She works in partnership with the External Affairs Market Managers to identify volunteer opportunities that strengthen the bank's community outreach and financial education initiatives.









#### Juneteenth Panelists

**Tribute to Greenwood Panel** 



#### Kristi Orisabiyi Williams Founder, Kristi Williams Speakers Bureau

Founder of Black History Saturdays | National Geographic Explorer | Reparations Strategist | Cultural Historian

The Kristi Williams Speakers Bureau exists to amplify truth-telling, memory- keeping, and justice-driven education. Through powerful storytelling, history, and grassroots insight, Kristi inspires institutions, communities, and individuals to take bold steps toward equity, healing, and transformation.

#### Taylor-Rae West Business Consultant, Community Organizer

Meet Taylor-Rae West, a 22-year-old business consultant andcommunity organizer who proudly calls Tulsa, Oklahoma, home. His love for exploring the incredible world God has crafted for Hispeople brings him immense joy. Taylor's commitment to leaving no brother, sister, or youth behindextends beyond his love for brotherhood connections. Taylor-Rae is deeply involved in the AME church. For four years, he served as the Vice President of the Young People's Division at Historic VernonAME, followed by a year as Parliamentarian in the Oklahoma conference and a five-year tenure as Worship Director for Oklahoma and Arkansas.





#### Vanessa Hall-Harper District 1, Tulsa City Councilor • City of Tulsa, Oklahoma

Vanessa is a Tulsa Native who graduated from Thomas Edison High School in 1989. Vanessa attended Jackson State University in Jackson Mississippi where she earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science/Pre-Law in 1993. She also received a Certificate in Paralegal Studies from The University of Tulsa in 1995. In preparation for running for the office of City Council, District 1 (2014), Vanessa returned to school and earned her Master of Science in Management (MSM) degree in 2013 from Southern Nazarene University.









#### Juneteenth Awardees

**Honoring our Community** 



Walter Wilson
Silicon Valley African-American Cultural Center,
Project Developer



Brenda Smith-Ray
Black Legend in Education

**Robin Hunt** 



Dr. Cynthia Teniente-Malson 32nd and current President, San José State University



Owner of Braid It Up Beauty Salon, Educator/ San Jose City College Cosmetology



TONY Alexander
President & CEO of JW Consulting Group



Linda Alexander
President & CEO of JW Consulting Group



AYO Brame
Tenor/Soprano Saxophonist











JUNETEENTH NORTH

Ken Cherry
Vice President of Global
Operations, Amazon

#### JUNETEENTH WEST



AYO Brame
Tenor/Soprano Saxophonist

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Margorie Craig
Community Activist

#### JUNETEENTH EAST



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Mayor Carmen Montano City of Milpitas
Mayor Ellen Kamei of Mountain View

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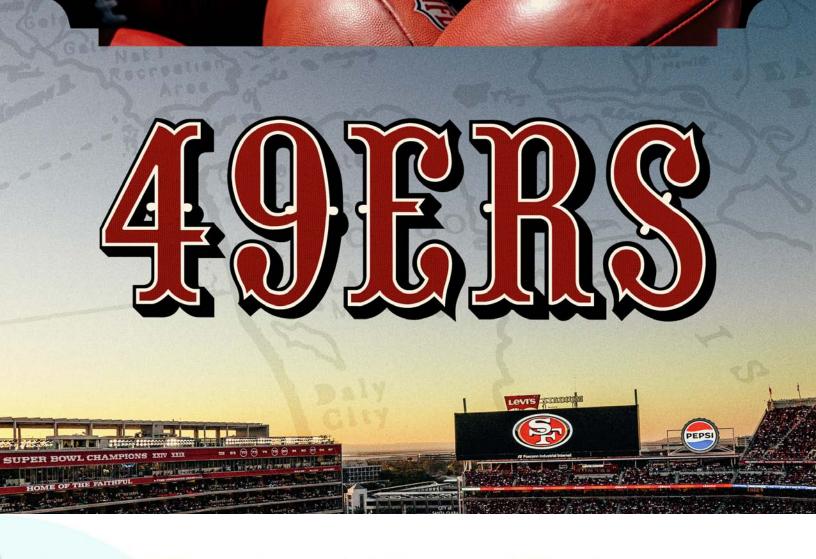


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