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TOWER TO HOST CO CARES PERFORMERS SUNDAY

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s Central Oregon rebuilds its way to some sense of normalcy, let's not forget the pandemic destruction and debris left in its wake. There is no simple return to pre-pandemic life. Restaurants, music venues, breweries and entertainment hot spots, to mention a few, have been scarred.

The same applies to Central Oregon's creative artists. While entertainment is experiencing a resurgence: Galleries are reopening, musicians are once again booking gigs and hopes of events are resurfacing, there's still lots of lost time for creative artists to recover from. That's why the effort to support local artists must continue.

On Sunday, CO CAREs Live! at The Tower will bring in-person music performance back to the Tower Theatre. The afternoon of sonorous sounds features soloists and duos involved in the Central Oregon Creative Artists Relief Effort, a grant program that aids musicians and other creative artists.

Starting at 1 p.m. with Americana duo Coyote Willow and continuing on the hour, every hour through folk singer-songwriter Joel Chadd's 6 p.m. slot, the participating performers will play 20- to 25-minute **Continued on Page 5**



Joel Chadd will perform Sunday during a **Tower Theatre** showcase of musicians and artists involved in the Central **Oregon Cre**ative Artists Relief Effort, launched earlier this year in order to help creatives whose incomes were affected by the pandemic. Submitted photo







