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History San José Presents  
***The Return of Manny's Cellar – One Night Only!***  
Friday, September 18, 2015; 5:30pm – 9:30pm  
at The Historic Fallon House

*San Jose, California – August 14, 2015.* Step back in time on Friday September 18 at 5:30pm and Visit *Manny's Cellar*. Formerly occupying the basement of the historic Fallon House, Manny's Cellar served as the ultimate lunch and dinner destination! For many who worked in downtown San Jose from 1962 – when the restaurant opened – until it closed in 1990, Manny's holds a special place in their hearts. Today, the Peralta Adobe-Fallon House Historic Site is operated by History San José, which provides educational programming to more than 10,000 school children each year.

"We are thrilled to bring back Manny's Cellar and especially proud to have Linda Pereira, Manny's daughter, as the event's Co-chair," says Alida Bray, President & CEO of History San José. "Manny's is a special place for so many, and this event provides the opportunity to relive history by reminiscing, swapping stories, and enjoying music and a great meal– just like Manny use to serve!"

This fall, the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual **Return of Manny's Cellar** will be held on **Friday, September 18** from **5:30pm - 9:30pm**. Each \$75 ticket includes live entertainment, dinner and beverages.

Proceeds from the event benefit educational programs at History San José. Sponsorship opportunities are available by contacting Michelle Powers at [408.521.5016](tel:408.521.5016) or [mpowers@historysanjose.org](mailto:mpowers@historysanjose.org).

To purchase your ticket register online at <http://historysanjose.ejoinme.org/mannys2015>  
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**About the Fallon House:**

The Fallon House was built in 1855 by one of San José's earliest mayors. The Victorian mansion showcases 15 fully-furnished rooms typical of the period. Thomas Fallon was a frontiersman in the John C. Fremont expedition, and Carmel Castro Fallon was the daughter of one of the most prominent Mexican landowners in California. The Fallon house is located at 175 West Saint John Street San Jose, CA 95110.

**About History San José:**

History San José (HSJ) is a non-profit organization that collects, preserves and celebrates the stories of diversity and innovation in San José and the Santa Clara Valley. HSJ manages one of the largest and most comprehensive regional history collections in the State of California, from 1784 Spanish governmental records to twenty-first century Silicon Valley technology.

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