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Texas Music Coffeehouse Series Celebrates Hispanic Heritage Month with Rosie Flores on Sept. 3 at Schreiner University

KERRVILLE—The Texas Music Coffeehouse Series will celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month on September 3 in the Floyd and Kathleen Cailloux Campus Activity Center Lion's Den with alternative country sensation and rockabilly siren Rosie Flores. The Coffeehouse will begin with an open mic session at 7 p.m. and Flores will follow at 7:30 p.m. Admission will be free.

Austin-based Flores is a San Antonio native and has been a major player in the alternative country music scene since the mid-1980s. Beginning with her critically acclaimed 1987 debut LP for Warner Bros./Reprise Records, *Rosie Flores*, Flores has gone on to record a string of highly regarded albums featuring her stunning guitar playing and original material. Major media outlets have praised Flores' work, including *Entertainment Weekly*, which exclaimed, "Flores never forgets that she's a poet and a rocker with a pure country heart." *People*, *No Depression*, *Details* and the *New York Times* have also given Flores glowing reviews over the years, and Rosie's unique guitar playing style has been featured in numerous magazines, including *Musician*, *Guitar Player*, and *Guitar World*.



In 2006, Flores was chosen to narrate the radio documentary *Whole Lotta Shakin'*, a 10-part series that chronicled the history of rockabilly music. The series, produced by Kerrville's Texas Heritage Music Foundation, received the prestigious 2007 George Foster Peabody Award for excellence in electronic media.

Upcoming Coffeehouse Series performers are Carolyn Wonderland on October 1 and Walt Wilkins on November 5. The music series is sponsored by Texas Heritage Music Foundation, Schreiner University Student Activities and the Center for Innovative Learning.

THMF will also be presenting the 12th annual Texas Heritage Living History Day on Sept. 26 at the Robbins-Lewis Pavilion on Schreiner University campus from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Admission will be free. For more information, contact THMF at (830) 792-1945 or visit www.texasheritagemusic.org.