

# Sierra Gypsies



The Sierra Gypsies are the kind of band that feels stitched into the mountain air of South Lake Tahoe. For more than a decade, they have been hopping from venue to venue, leaving behind warm melodies, tapping feet, and the sense that you just stumbled into a really fun night.

Built around the warm strum of acoustic guitar and a swinging piano, the Gypsies glide easily between acoustic intimacy and electric sparkle. Their Americana sound mixes road-tested originals with Gypsy-fied covers, all carried by rich harmonies and tempos that insist you move closer to the dance floor.

At the heart of it all is the duo of Jennifer Plevel and Brian Garrett, whose musical chemistry sets the compass for the band. Around them, a six-piece lineup brings the songs to life, sometimes slimming down to a four-piece when the moment calls for something more stripped and fireside.

Uplifting, positive, and joyfully danceable, the Sierra Gypsies do not just play music, they create a shared vibe. Think mountain sunsets reflected on the lake, smiling crowds, and songs that leave you lighter than when you arrived.



## OUR POWER COUPLE

**Brian Garret: lead vocals, acoustic guitar**

Powerful voice and vigorous strumming over a laid-back vibe – that's our cofounder Brian in a nutshell.

**Jennifer Plevel: lead vocals, ukulele**

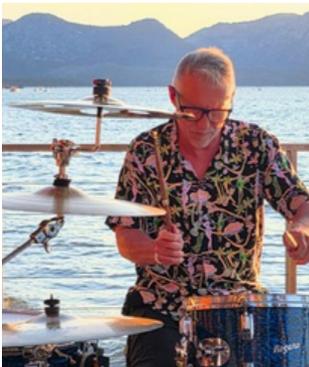
Lifetime singer and recent Berkley School of Music grad, Jen brings the soul and sparkle to the Gypsies sound.

## OUR STEADYS



**Jeff Schwarz: keyboards, melodica, backing vocals**

Trading the hustle of the LA music scene for the "heavenly" environs of Tahoe, Jeff brings the boogie and the musical brains to our outfit.



**Bill Rogers: drums and percussion**

After gigging with numerous bands around Philly, Bill headed west. The rest is Sierra Gypsies history.



**Fred Buttrick: electric guitar, bass**

Upright, electric bass, Fender guitar, you've seen Fred play them all with the Gypsies. He's knows ALL THE CHORDS.