

# Spring Music Workshops

Saturday, March 26, 2011

3:00 – 5:00 PM

## Valley Music

1611 N. Magnolia Ave Suite 310 El Cajon, CA



*“Getting your chord strumming and accompaniment to sound like the pros”*

**All Styles: Rock, Blues, Folk, Swing, Pop, Bluegrass, Jazz**

### Some of the things you will learn:

- Basic, intermediate and advanced strums
- Syncopated strums & muted strums
- Accompaniment patterns for swing, rock, country, folk, blues, etc.
- Muted strums
- Finger picking

For more information, contact Andrea at Valley Music at **(619) 444-3161** or email Tom Smerk at [tom@tomsmerk.com](mailto:tom@tomsmerk.com). Preregistration suggested, or just show up 15 minutes early on the day of event.

### Your Instructor:

Tom Smerk is a 46 year veteran professional musician. A music education graduate of Mount Aloysius College, Tom has also attended Indiana University of Pennsylvania, Grossmont College, and Cuyamaca College. Currently a Professor with the San Diego Community College District, Tom has taught at dozens of music schools and stores. Tom has appeared on radio, television, night clubs and concerts, and has recorded several albums and worked with major entertainers. Tom's workshops are always as much fun and entertaining as they are educational and useful! Tom knows what it takes to play well, and is now available to show YOU the methods that he has learned over the years to save you time and give you the best results with the least effort!



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