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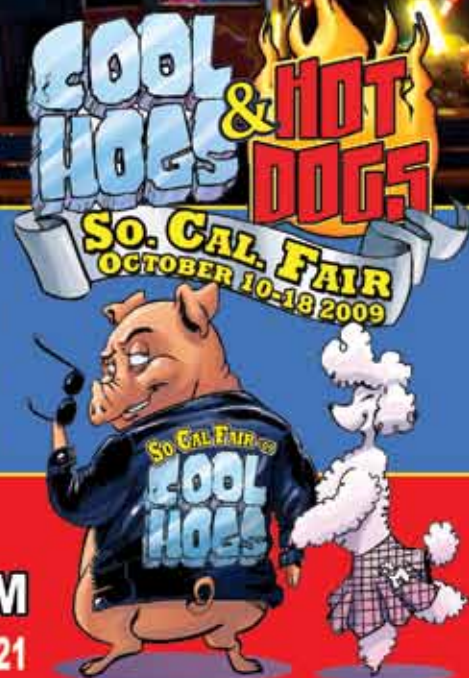
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Planes of Fame Features Dawn of the Jet Age

The Dawn of the Jet Age will be the subject of the monthly Living History Flying Event hosted by Planes of Fame Air Museum at the Chino Airport on Saturday, November 7. The event will begin at 10am with a seminar describing the early days of jet aviation and conclude with a flight demonstration by the Planes of Fame Lockheed T-33 Shooting Star.

America's most successful jet trainer, the T-33 was developed from the F-80 Shooting Star, the first jet fighter to serve in large numbers with the United States Air Force.

During this event, Planes of Fame will also take the opportunity to show off the restoration work in progress on the museum's Bell YP-59A Airacomet. America's very first jet airplane, the Airacomet was only produced in limited numbers, but it did serve to introduce America's military to the emerging challenges of the jet age. Now nearing the end of a very lengthy restoration effort, the Planes of Fame YP-59A Airacomet is expected to fly again at Chino in the early months of 2010.

Planes of Fame is open to the public every day, except Christmas and Thanksgiving, from 9am until 5pm. General admission is \$11, youngsters 5-11 are admitted for \$4 and admission is free for accompanied children under five. For more information, call (909) 597-3722 or visit the museum's website at www.planesoffame.org. 



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Celebrates 39 years of German style family fun as Big Bear Lake stages Oktoberfest through October 31.

On the final day, Oktoberfest will conclude with the annual costume contests for both adults and children. The adult contest this year will offer cash prizes. Other contests throughout the festival include the annual Queen Stein Carrying contest, a test of feminine-brawn as the women compete by carrying one-liter beer steins, team log sawing, children's contests, and the Safe Slam beer drinking contest.

The Burgermeister and his entourage offer non stop entertainment, dancing and zany German antics exclusive to Big Bear's festival.

The 2009 entertainment lineup features the Franken Power Express band direct from Germany and the Express, Southern California's premiere German band. Authentic dance groups perform each weekend and the Buden Strasse (Ave. of the Booths) provides a variety of children entertainment and arts and crafts vendors.

General admission is \$12 for adults, \$9 for seniors (65+), and \$6 for children 12 and under on Saturdays; and \$5 for adults, \$4 for seniors with children 12 and under FREE on Sundays.

For more details on packages, on line ticket savings and general information, log on to www.bigbearlakeoktoberfest.com or call (909) 585-3000. **IER**



ANNOUNCING THE 2009 CHRISTMAS TREE LANE EVENT

It's never too early to get ready for Christmas! **The 57th annual Christmas Tree Lane Event**, presented by San Manuel Band of Mission Indians, will be held at the National Orange Show Events Center on December 4th and 5th.

This year's event entitled "Toyland," will include a fabulous black tie evening event and an extravagant luncheon event, fine cuisine, a fashion extravaganza featuring the fashions of Macy's San Bernardino and Macy's Victoria Gardens, a live auction and chances to win one of 18 beautiful Christmas trees decorated by talented local designers.

A few of the major sponsors for Christmas Tree Lane are KCAA 1050 AM, KCAL 96.7 FM, KOLA 99.9 FM, KMET 1490 AM, *The San Bernardino Sun*, *The Redlands Daily Facts*, *The Inland Valley Daily Bulletin*, Mattel Corporation, and The National Orange Show Foundation.

Call (909) 885-0090 or check santaclausinc.com for ticket information.

Also, check santaclausinc.com for information on the **2nd Annual Santa Claus, Inc. 5K Run/Walk** on Saturday, November 7 at Glen Helen Regional Park.



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The Bud Light Arena will be roaring every day with the sound of motorsports. This year's lineup is extreme! All of the arena shows are included with your fair admission -

- Lightning Sprints: Saturday, Oct. 10, 1:30pm
- Sprint Car Races: Saturday, Oct. 10, 7:00pm
- Quad Freestyle & Off Road Show: Sunday, Oct. 11, 1:30pm & 7:00pm
- Truck & Tractor Pulls: Monday, Oct. 12, 7:30pm
- Stock Car Races & Jet Car Meltdown: Tuesday, Oct. 13, 7:30pm
- Freestyle Moto X: Wednesday, Oct. 14,

7:30pm

- Speedway Motorcycles with Sidecars: Thursday, Oct. 15, 7:30pm
- Monster Trucks: Friday, Oct. 16, 7:30pm
- Monster Trucks: Saturday, Oct. 17, 1:30pm & 7:00pm
- Demolition Derby: Sunday, Oct. 18, 1:30pm
- Demolition Derby w/Motorhome Demo Derby: Sunday, Oct. 18, 7:00pm

Music, music and more music will fill the air during the nine day annual event. Four stages of live bands feature all kinds of great tunes. Southern California's own The Doo-Wah Riders will be the headlining performer on the City of Perris Be a Star Stage. Friday will feature Christian music on several stages. You'll find dance groups, contests and even some surprises throughout the grounds.

Of course the fair will have all your family's favorites including thrilling carnival rides, fabulous fair food, scintillating shopping and exquisite exhibits. New this year will be the Dog House - an all dog exhibit highlighting



From animal acts to concerts and monster trucks, the Southern California Fair has something for everyone.

dog breeds, rescue clubs, demonstrations and even doggie adoptions.

There are also plenty of thrills with all of the remarkable shows happening throughout

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Halloween & Harvests

Get set for the season with all your favorite activities across the Inland Empire!

ACTIVITY



Halloween Activities at Riverside City Community Centers

The City of Riverside Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department (PRCSD) will host free Halloween activities at several community centers in the City of Riverside.

Each event will provide entertainment, games, arts and crafts, costume contests and prizes for Riverside youth ages 12 and under. There will be mini-

mal costs for activities.

Come to your local community center listed below and enjoy a day full of fun and prizes.

Eastside Halloween Carnival

Bobby Bonds Park
2060 University Ave.
Oct. 23, 5-8 p.m.

Halloween Carnival

Bryant Park
7950 Philbin Street
Oct. 31, 5-8 p.m.

Halloween Carnival

Hunt Park
4015 Jackson Street
Oct. 24, 1-4 p.m.

Halloween Movie

Nichols Park
5505 Dewey Avenue
Oct. 30, 6-8 p.m.

Fall Carnival

Orange Terrace Park
20010 Orange Terrace Pkwy.
Oct. 23, 6-9 p.m.

Halloween Carnival

Reid Park
701 N. Orange Street
Oct. 30, 5-9 p.m.

Halloween Carnival

Villegas Park
3091 Esperanza Street
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For additional information, contact the Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department at (951) 826-2000.

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Cal Poly Pomona holds 17th Pumpkin Festival

Cal Poly Pomona's annual Pumpkin Festival has become a tradition for many families in the surrounding communities. On October 17-18, thousands of visitors will descend upon the campus to pick pumpkins right out of the patch.

Other activities include an Insect Fair featuring nearly 500,000 live and preserved insects, a petting zoo, horse rides, entertainment, a Pancake Breakfast on Saturday morning, and a variety of food and game booths sponsored by student clubs. Visitors may also purchase Cal Poly Pomona grown produce and ornamental plants plus a variety

of gift items from the College of Agriculture's Farm Store.

Admission to the Festival is free though individual activities will have a small fee. Pumpkins start at \$5 each (up to volleyball size). Larger pumpkins will be priced according to size. Proceeds from the Pumpkin Festival support student activities and the College's farm laboratory.

For more information, call (909) 869-2215 or go online to www.csupomona.edu/farmstore.

COSTUME PARTY

Killarney's Halloween Party

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restaurant and Irish Pub features a Halloween night costume contest, starting at 10pm, with a \$100 grand prize.

Killarney's offers two Inland Empire locations: in Riverside, at the Riverside Plaza, and in Temecula at 32475 Temecula Pkwy. The Riverside location will feature live music with Paradox, cover starting at 10pm. Temecula will feature ReFlexx, starting at 9pm with no cover.

For more information, call (951) 682-2933 (Riverside) and (951) 302-8338 (Temecula).

PUMPKIN PATCH

Hit the haunted hayride at the pumpkin patch

Greenspot Farms in Mentone offers a pumpkin patch with a twist: a haunted hayride that's sure to make the trip memorable. Open daily starting Oct. 3 from 9am to 5pm, Greenspot lets you pick a fresh pumpkin from the patch while enjoying family fun activities.

The haunted hayride is a special adventure offered on Oct. 15-17, 22-24, 28-31, from 7 to 10pm. The hayride is \$10 for adults, \$8 for children under 12.

Greenspot Farms is located in Menton off Mentone Blvd./Hwy. 38 on Ward Way. For more information, call (909) 794-7653 or go online to www.greenspotfarms.com.

TRUNK OR TREAT

Trunk or Treat at the Grove

The Grove Church in Riverside offers a Halloween alternative on Oct. 30 with a free "trunk or treat" Fall Festival, from 5:30pm to 8:30pm. The event includes carnival activities, bounce houses, a rock wall, food, laser tag, slides, police and fire trucks, and, of course, candy.

The Grove Community Church is located at 19900 Grove Community Dr. in Riverside. For more information, call (951) 571-9090 x. 2425, or go online to thegrove.cc.

GHOST TOURS

Haunted Hollywood Tours

Take a tour on the weird side on the only ghost tour in Hollywood. Haunted Hollywood Tours takes you by famous hauntings. Enjoy Halloween mysteries, Hollywood style. Tours offer nightly departures from Grauman's Chinese Theater.

For reservations, call (818) 415-8269. For more information, go online to www.hauntedhollywoodtours.com.

HALLOWEEN ALTERNATIVE

Kingdom Fest for Kids

Join First Baptist Church of Riverside as they offer a Halloween alternative with KingdomFest, Oct. 24 from 6pm to 8pm. All are welcome to this free event that features games, prizes, a costume contest, food, and candy.

First Baptist Church of Riverside is located at 5500 Alessandro Blvd. For more information, call (951) 683-1711, or go online to www.kingdomkidz.com.



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PUMPKIN PATCH

Take a Ride on the Pumpkin Train

The Orange Empire Railway Museum in Perris offers a pumpkin patch with something special: a ride on the Pumpkin Train. Journey to the pumpkin patch aboard a real train, and pick out your special melon.

The Pumpkin Train embarks on Oct. 17 and 18. Reservations are required. Cost includes all day rides on the museum's trains and trolleys.

Call (951) 943-3020 or go online to www.oerm.org.

PUMPKIN PATCH

Wickerd Farm Pumpkin Patch

Pick a pumpkin in Menifee at the Wickerd Farm Pumpkin Patch. Open 10am to 6pm starting Oct. 10, Wickerd features hayrides, bouncers, food, vendors and more on the weekends.

Check out the Tree of Terror, starting Oct. 15 from 7pm to 10pm, Thursday through Saturday. Wickerd Farm is located at 26852 Scott Rd. in Menifee. For more information, call (909) 286-8288.

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ACTIVITIES

Halloween Activities in Fontana

The City of Fontana is getting into the Halloween spirit with events occurring across the city on Oct. 31, featuring costume contests, trick or treating, games, arts and crafts, prizes and more.

- At Don Day Center (14501 Live Oak Ave.), enjoy a Halloween Carnival for children up to 12 years old, 4-6:30pm.

- The Heritage Center (7350 W. Liberty Pkwy.) features the Halloween Spooktacular, 4-6:30pm.

- The Jack Bulik Center (16581 Filbert St.) offers a Family Friendly Haunted House, Oct. 26-31, 5-8pm, and a carnival on Oct. 31, 5-8pm.

- The Jessie Turner Center (15556 Summit Ave.) hosts the Chillz & Thrillz Halloween Event, 4-6:30pm, and the Halloween Howl at the Dog Park at Fontana Park, 4-6:30pm.

- The Miller Center (17004 Arrow

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Blvd.) will have Thriller at Miller, 4-6pm.

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ACTIVITY

Halloween at Canyon Crest Towne Centre

The Canyon Crest Towne Centre in Riverside is celebrating Halloween with events throughout the day, including:

- Children's Costume Contest: 3:30pm until 5pm
- Trick or Treating: 5pm until 6:15pm
- Howl o'ween Pet Costume Contest: 5:15pm until 6pm at Pawlished Paws
- Franklin Haynes Marionette Show: Fountain area, 6:30pm until 7pm.

For more information, go online to www.cctownecentre.com.

HALLOWEEN PARTY

ROCKY HORROR SHOW LIVE!!!! At March Field Air Museum

By Walt Petree

For the first time in eleven years Halloween falls on a Saturday night. We won't have another one on a Saturday until 2015. The question you should ask yourself is, "Where will I be on this occasion?" The answer: You want to be at March Field Air Museum watching the loudest, scariest, most insane version of Richard O'Brien's, *The Rocky Horror Show LIVE!!* that has ever been performed...anywhere.

The Moreno Valley Players Theatre

is staging the classic rock experience in a huge converted hangar at the popular Air Museum. "It's not like anything that's ever been done before," says John Edous, the play's producer. "We have the loudest sound system possible for this show with a live heavy metal band and professional cast. We are gonna put on a show that no one will ever forget." After watching a rehearsal I have to say, he's right.

This version of the show is putting a heavy emphasis on the music and is more like a rock concert than a typical play. The audience is encouraged to participate and heckle the performers.

"Things will be said...and things will be thrown...what's the Rocky Horror Show without confetti and insults?" said Edous. "What's really important is that the toast not be buttered."

If you're not sure what he's talking about, you need to come to the show and find out. If you do understand what that means, then you need to come out and do the "Time-warp on the Tarmac" with the cast and the hundreds of others that will be there.

The Show is directed by Joseph Vincent Impastato and stars Andrew Knifer as Franke-N-Furter, the alien leader of the crew over at the Frankenstein Place. Erica Bowers and James L. Jones play Frank's servants Magenta and Riff Raff. Amber Queen plays Janet and Jason Hammond is Brad, two nice kids on a night out. Lindsay Henkenius is Columbia the tap dancing groupie with M. Dane German in dual roles as Eddie the Rock star and Dr. Scott the alien hunter. Nathan Hunt plays ROCKY, the muscular, scantily clad, science experiment. The show is narrated by Shaun Michael

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The Wickerd Farm Pumpkin Patch

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The Downtown Spectacle Known As Ghost Walk Riverside

From its humble beginnings of listening to stories told by a volunteer sitting in a lawn chair in an alley to performances complete with costumed dancers, professional actors and original scored music, **Ghost Walk Riverside** has grown spectacularly over the past 18 years. Today, it is a popular Riverside tradition where coveted tickets often sell out in just days if not weeks.

The inaugural Ghost Walk was the brainchild of Kathy Allavie and served as a fundraiser to help save many of Downtown Riverside's historical buildings. Modeled after ghost walks from the southern states, Allavie wanted to create an attention-getter that would drum up enough interest to save buildings which were headed for the wrecking ball. In fact, this would mark the beginning of the renaissance in Downtown Riverside. One such building that was rescued from being torn down is the home of the California

Riverside Ballet. For Glenda Carhart, Artistic Director of Riverside Ballet Arts, the building served not only as the home of CRB but also as the birthplace that launched her dancing career. Carhart as well as organized parents' groups worked tirelessly to ensure that the ballet company continued to have a home in Downtown Riverside.

"Ghost Walk is more than just a tradition for us, it is the reason why we are still able to perform," Elizabeth Landfield, CRB Board Member and the Producer/ Director of Ghost Walk Riverside for the past four years, said. "That's why every year we aim to make it bigger and better and more outstanding than the previous year. It's our little way of giving back to something that has given CRB so much."

In addition to the walking tours and the VIP experience, this year Ghost Walk is branching out to include a tour just for families with younger children.

The Children's Carnival Mystery Tour is a walking tour packed with light-hearted suspense and all of the drama and excitement of a carnival, which is led by a Ringmaster of Ceremonies. The tour uniquely combines the flavor of Ghost Walk and the history of Riverside with artistic performances that are sure to delight children of all ages. The tour ends at a midway style arcade complete with games, cotton candy and popcorn.

Ghost Walk Riverside will be held on Friday, October 23 and Saturday, October 24. Tours begin at 5:40pm and depart every 20 minutes. Tickets for Ghost Walk and the Children's Carnival Mystery Tour are on sale now and are just \$12 through October 18 and \$15 after that. The VIP experience is \$150. For ticket information, call (951) 787-7850 or visit www.crballet.com.



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McNamara.

With band members Tony Burnett on Guitar, Brian Sherick on Keys, Nick Shades on Sax and the rhythm section of Drummer Gio Fuentes and Bassist Jeremy Meeks, The Moreno Valley Players have put the "Rock" back in The Rocky Horror Show.

The Shows Start at 9pm on Friday Oct 30th and 10 pm on Oct 31st. For those that would like to enjoy the event to its fullest there will be a Halloween/Rocky Horror themed catered VIP event called "The Wedding Reception" which will take place both nights beginning at 7pm. There will also be door prizes and costume contests with cash prizes.

"We are pulling out all the stops on this show" says Edous. "It's going to be like dinner theatre on steroids."

General Admission Tickets are only \$20 each. Tickets for advanced entry and the VIP Party start at \$30 each.

If you would like more information call the theatre hotline at (909) 822-4052 or check out the website at www.morenovalleyplayers.org.

ACTIVITIES

Halloween Hi-Jinks in Downtown Rialto

The City of Rialto's "Halloween Hi-Jinks" is an annual event that is held in downtown Rialto on Halloween night. The event takes place on Riverside Ave. between Rialto Ave. and First Street from 6pm to 9pm. The event is a free family friendly event with a costume contest, guess the weight of the giant pumpkin contest, games, food, and lots of candy. All booth participants are community organizations that provide a safe place for children to "Trick or Treat."

For more information about the City of Rialto's "Halloween Hi-Jinks" event call (909) 820-2525 ext. 2098.

HALLOWEEN CONCERT

Alice Cooper Halloween Event

Shock rocker Alice Cooper brings his Theater of Death show to the 100,000-

square foot Fantasy Springs Special Events Center Friday, October 30th at 8pm. *For more information, see the article on page 24.*



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The Fairplex in Pomona transforms for Halloween to offer three terrifying mazes: the Haunted Cattle Barn, the Vampire Vault and the Pirate of the Dead Seas. The haunted houses run Oct. 16-31, Fri. through Sunday, from 6pm to 11pm.

See their ad on page 31 for a "buy one get one" offer. For more information, call (909) 623-3111, or go online to www.fairplex.com/nightmare.

Nightmare at Scareview Farms is not recommended for children 12 and younger.

HAUNTED HOUSES

Temecula House of Terrors

The House of Terrors in Temecula features three mazes in the 20,000 sq ft. defunct Levitz building located in Village Walk Retail at California Oaks/Kalmia and the 15 Freeway. The Haunted House will run from October 16 through November 1. Additionally, take part in Midnight showings of the *Rocky Horror Picture Show* on Friday nights throughout October and an adult Halloween Party on October 24.



ACTIVITIES

Spooky Science: Skeletons Examines the Science Under Your Skin

Mixing science, art and culture, Taco Bell Discovery Science Center's newest exhibition will showcase the science under your skin from October 17 to November 8. *Spooky Science: Skeletons* will highlight "Día de los Muertos" art and activities, while incorporating hands-on science lessons.

Visit to solve a forensic science mystery, piece together a skeleton, play a larger-than-life size Operation-style game, participate in fun science experiments, and explore a spooky 3-D maze. Special events will be held on weekends throughout the exhibition. It's a SPOOKtacular good time!

Orange County's only Smithsonian Affiliate, Taco Bell Discovery Science Center is "Celebrating Science – A Decade of Discovery" as The Cube turns ten. Walk through the belly of a giant dinosaur in Dino Quest, feel the winds of a Category One hurricane in a simulator and gear up for flying pucks in the Center's newest permanent exhibition, The Science of Hockey. Hundreds of thousands of students and families experience science, Southern California-style at Taco Bell Discovery Science Center each year.

Located at 2500 N. Main St. in Santa Ana, Taco Bell Discovery Science Center is open 10am to 5pm daily, except Thanksgiving and Christmas Day. For more information on annual memberships, group rates, special events, teacher workshops, sleepovers and more, call (714) 542-CUBE or visit online at www.discoverycube.org. IER

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Theater & The Arts

Fontana's Artist Showcase presents



*David & Goliath,
mixed media on
12" x 12" canvas, 2009
by Caron Guerrant Rand*

Every quarter, the Art Depot in Fontana features a local artist and displays their work at the Art Depot Gallery. The Fall Artist Showcase at the Fontana Art Depot features artist Caron Rand and her work *In Our Dreams*.

Rand's showcase reflects and exposes the inhumane treatment of artists during World War II. The artwork includes


the use of variously colored geometric shapes which were used to identify socially condemned groups in Nazi concentrations camps. The black and white paintings with bright bursts of color from the geometric shapes reflect the haunting struggles of those oppressive times.

Inspired by a film that discusses art, Hitler and war, Rand says, "In the film, *The Rape of Europa*, one learns that WWII was not only a war on humanity but art as well. Hitler valued art and he vilified it."

"Art, devoid of sound, can be a powerful, visual scream about the paradoxes of life," Rand said. Rand has been teaching art related courses at colleges and universities for the past three years while continuing to grow in her art practice.

The Art Depot is located in Downtown

Fontana, across from the Lewis Library at 16822 Spring Street. The Gallery is host to Rand's work for eight weeks from October 5 to November 27. You can view Rand's showcase and meet her at Family Art Day on Friday, November 6 from 6 to 9pm. Family Art Day will also include demonstrations from Rand, hands on activities as well as live entertainment. If you're unable to make it out for Family Art Day, the Art Depot Gallery is free and open to the public Tuesday through Thursday from 10am to 5pm, Friday from 10am to 6pm and Saturday from 12pm to 5pm.

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MAN OF LA MANCHA: Through-Nov. 15. \$35 main floor seating. *See article on page 18.*

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THE FANTASTICKS: Oct. 9, 8pm; Oct. 10, 2pm, 8pm; Oct. 16, 6pm; Oct. 17, 2pm, 8pm. General \$15, matinee, seniors, CBU students and employees \$12. *See article on page 22.*

CALIFORNIA THEATRE OF THE PERFORMING ARTS

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A CHRISTMAS CAROL: Opening Nov. 13th. *See article on page 21.*

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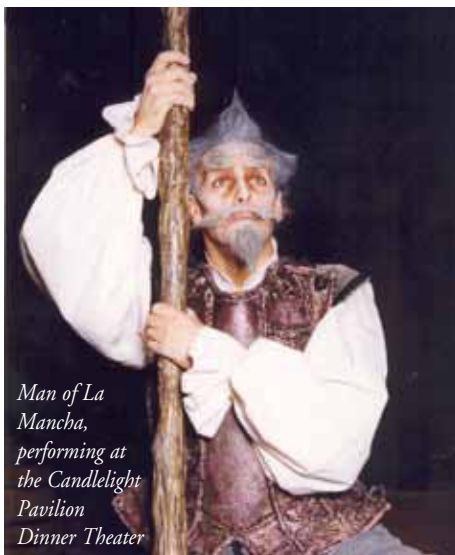
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Man of La Mancha is scheduled to showcase through November 15, 2009 at the Candlelight Pavilion.

While awaiting trial, prisoners of the Spanish Inquisition crowd around writer Cervantes as he enacts the story of the delusional nobleman Don Quixote. The naïve and unrealistic Don gallantly attempts to battle evil in the world with his servant Sancho. Choosing to see a dignity and nobility in a world that has none, Don's delusions capture the audience with his valiant efforts from admirably duelling windmills and cherishing the love of repulsively immoral



Man of La Mancha, performing at the Candlelight Pavilion Dinner Theater


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Sinfonia Mexicana presents Dia de Los Muertos – Recuerdos Concert

Sinfonia Mexicana presents on Oct. 31 the Dia de Los Muertos - Recuerdos Concert. This concert, uniquely Mexican, yet universal in appeal, will draw from rich cultural traditions in a festival of life honoring the dead.

Featured is **Symphonic Mariachi Campana Nevin**, a group of 30 mariachi and symphonic musicians directed by Jeff Nevin, and Mexican vocalists Monica Abrego and Jorge Lopez Yanez. Also on the program is

Ballet Folklorico Flores del Desierto, a local group from the high desert.

The music and songs of Mexico's legends of yesteryear, Agustin Lara, Javier Solis, Rocio Durcal, and Jorge Negrete will be highlighted. Sinfonia Mexicana's Mariachi Youth Academy students will also perform.

The family oriented concert will be especially meaningful to grandparents who enjoyed these songs in the 50s and 60s. Members of the Latino Arts Association will join in observance of Dia de Los Muertos by displaying appropriate artworks.

El día de los muertos is one of the biggest holidays in Mexico and celebrations are becoming more common in areas of the United States, with a large Hispanic population. Its origins are distinctly Mexican. During the time of the Aztecs, a month long summer celebration was

overseen by the goddess Mictecacihuatl, the Lady of the Dead. After the Aztecs were conquered by Spain and Catholicism became the dominant religion, the customs became intertwined with the Christian commemoration of All Saints' Day on November 1. Specifics of the celebration vary with region, but one of the most common customs is the making of elaborate altars to welcome departed spirits home. Vigils are held and families often go to cemeteries to fix up the graves of their departed relatives.

Tickets may be purchased by calling the Sinfonia Mexicana office at (909) 884-3228 or toll free 1-866-687-4284 or visit the business office at the California Theatre of the Performing Arts, 562 W. 4th Street (between E and F streets) in San Bernardino. A 10 percent discount is offered on all tickets sold before October 6 for both the October and the "Spectacular Mariachi Christmas" concert on December 12. Office hours are 9am to 2pm. You may also order your tickets through their website at www.sinfoniamexicana.com. **TER**



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The Community Arts Theater Society of Big Bear Valley (CATS) announces that it will present an all new stage adaptation of *A Christmas Carol*, opening for 11 performances on Friday, November 13 at the Big Bear Lake Performing Arts Center with a special discount preview.

Reserved seating tickets for discount night range from \$9 for those under 18 to \$14 for adults. The show continues for 10 more performances with 7:30pm evening performances on Nov. 13, 14, 18, 20, 21, 24, 27 and 28 and 1:30 matinees on Nov. 15, 22 and 29. All performances are reserved seating and prices range from \$12 to \$25 for adults, \$11 to \$23 for seniors and \$9 to \$18 for students/children, depending on date and location of seats.

This new adaptation of the Charles Dickens classic was specially written for CATS by its director Karen Sargent Rachels. Rachels was inspired by a chance remark from an Antiques Roadshow appraiser of a letter written by Charles Dickens, telling a member of Royalty that he, himself, was unable to procure tickets to one of his concert readings for her. The appraiser mentioned that tickets to a Dickens reading was like trying to get tickets to a Bruce Springsteen concert. Further research indicated that Dickens made two trips to America, also doing a series of concert readings of his works. From this premise, the CATS adaptation, featuring the character of Charles Dickens, was born.



CATS' *A Christmas Carol* stars Robin Field as Scrooge, with Jim Weyant as Charles Dickens.

This CATS production of *A Christmas Carol* is "back by popular demand," after an overwhelming reaction to their traditional production two years ago.

"We realized that the timeless and inspiring story of *A Christmas Carol* could be presented year after year. However, we wanted to make sure the show would hold some surprises for our repeat patrons and newcomers as well. I think this all new adaptation and new production will bring its own special magic to our holiday season this year," Director Rachels said.

Tickets are on sale now at www.bigbeartheater.org or at the PAC Box Office at (909) 866-4970. **IER**

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Riverside Children's Theater presents 'Willy Wonka'

Chocolate, and tickets, and Oompas ... oh my! Float on down the chocolate river as Riverside Children's Theatre presents *Roald Dahl's Willy Wonka*, November 6, 7, 13, and 14 at Ramona High School in Riverside. Transport to the land of chocolate as a cast of over 90 sings, dances, and performs.


Riverside Children's Theatre (RCT) is an award-winning and leading children's theatre in Riverside County. RCT is a performing arts school and performance troupe, winning awards from the Inland Theatre League and the Press-Enterprise. For 50 years, RCT has introduced thousands of children to the magical world of theatre through participation in drama instruction and performance opportunities.

Membership in RCT is open to all students regardless of background, encouraging children from diverse backgrounds to learn acting and participate in theatre. Each year, over 160 children, from kindergarten through 8th grade, participate in their acting school on Saturdays.

The acting school, unique among area performing arts groups, holds classes throughout the year for three hours on Saturday mornings. These classes instruct students on music, dance, and theatre arts focusing on presenta-

tion and delivery. In addition, great attention is devoted to helping children build their self-esteem, confidence, and public speaking skills, skills that will enhance their adult lives wherever their career paths take them.

Children who are students of the school may audition for the two musical productions held in the fall and spring each year. Productions have included: *Annie*, *Snow White*, and *The Wizard of Oz*. Full musicals, replete with a live orchestra, costumes and make-up, provide children with the feeling of being an integral part of the production. Rehearsals last for two months and culminate in six performances to paying audiences. In addition to paid performances, RCT performs at no cost to the deaf community, group home residents, senior assisted living homes and local students from low-income schools on a predetermined night during the performance run.

> Tickets to *Willy Wonka* are \$10 in advance at the following ticket outlets: Alin Party Supply, Ponies and Pigtales in Canyon Crest, Riverside, Capezio at Tyler, Riverside and Talking Book World in Corona. They may also be purchased at the door for \$12. For more information or online tickets using PayPal, visit RCT at www.riversidechildrenstheatre.org. 

Find love with 'The Fantasticks'

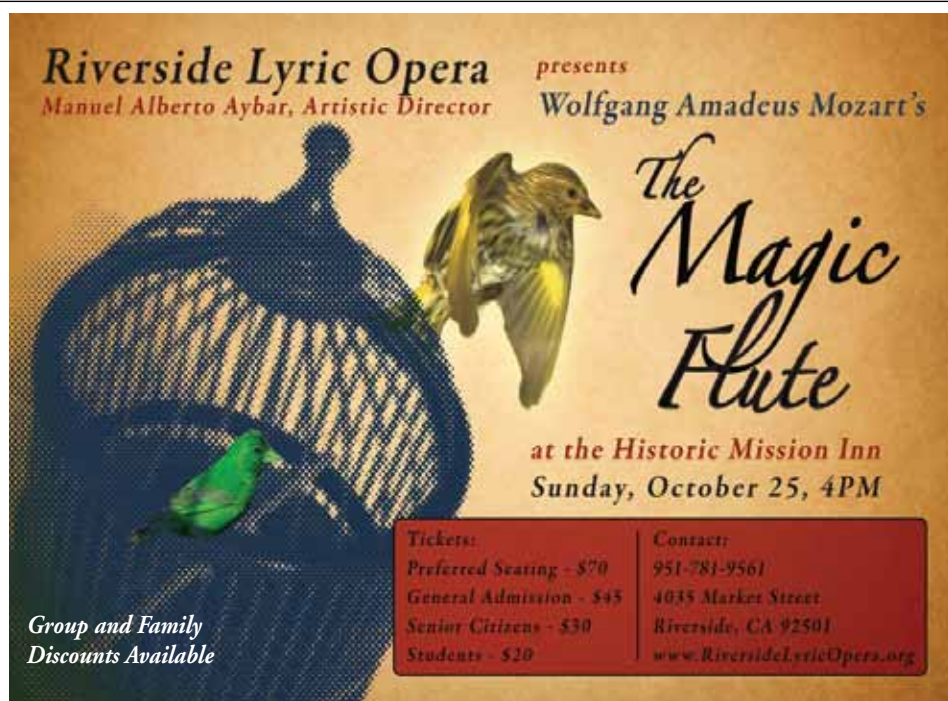
California Baptist University is starting its show season with *The Fantasticks* directed by Lisa Lyons with her husband, Lee Lyons, as technical director and set designer. While this is their first collaboration at CBU, the husband and wife team have worked together many times at other venues.

The Fantasticks is the longest-running production of any kind in the world, and with good reason: at the heart of its breathtaking poetry and subtle theatrical sophistication is a purity and simplicity that transcends cultural barriers. The result is a timeless fable of love that manages to be nostalgic and universal at the same time.

Echoing Pyramus and Thisby and Romeo and Juliet, two fathers build a wall between their properties. But, unlike the previous stories, these fathers are feigning a feud in order to ensure their children fall in love, because they know that children always do what their parents forbid. They even go so far as to hire actors to fake a kidnapping so that the young man will make a heroic rescue of the young girl.

Their plan is successful, until it is revealed to the children. The children are disillusioned and decide they need to see more of the world. But, in a unique twist on the Prodigal Son parable, what they think will be exciting turns out to be heartbreaking, and they return to each other with a more mature idea of love, realizing what really matters has been present all along. The production contains a bountiful series of catchy, memorable songs, many of which have become standards.

Performances dates and times: Friday October 9, 16 at 8pm, Saturday October 10, 17 at 2pm and 8pm. Tickets are \$15 for evening performance and \$12 for the matinee showings. Ticket information is available at (951) 343-4319.



Riverside Lyric Opera presents **Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart's**

The Magic Flute

at the Historic Mission Inn
Sunday, October 25, 4PM

Tickets:	Contact:
Preferred Seating - \$70	951-781-9561
General Admission - \$45	4035 Market Street
Senior Citizens - \$30	Riverside, CA 92501
Students - \$20	www.RiversideLyricOpera.org

Group and Family Discounts Available

Riverside Lyric Opera Presents Mozart's 'The Magic Flute'

Riverside Lyric Opera Company will produce Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart's *The Magic Flute* at the Historic Mission Inn on Sunday, October 25 from 4pm to 6:30pm.

The soloists and chorus of RLO, along with members of the Riverside Master Chorus, will perform *The Magic Flute* in German with English supertitles. This exciting and family friendly production will showcase amazing local and regional artists.

"One of our main goals at Riverside Lyric Opera is to seek, nurture and give professional exposure and experience to our local musicians, singers and actors," Manuel Alberto Aybar, artistic director and conductor of RLO, said. "We have phenomenal, world-class performers in our own back yard, and they are collaborating with RLO!"

Light refreshments and beverages along with a No-Host Cocktail Bar will be avail-

able for individual purchase.

Riverside Lyric Opera is a federally and state recognized non profit 501 (c) 3 arts organization and is the Inland Empire's only professional opera company, dedicated to offering relevant and professional performances for residents of the Inland Empire. Donations can be accepted by cash, check or credit card, and all donations are tax-deductible.

Ticket prices are \$70 for preferred seating, \$45 for general admission, \$30 for senior admission and and \$20 for student admissions. Group and family discounts are available. Tickets are on sale at www.riversidelyricopera.org or you can purchase your tickets by calling (951) 781-9561. The Mission Inn located at 3649 Mission Inn Avenue in downtown Riverside.

For more information on this or future RLO productions, call (951) 781-9561. **IER**



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Steely Dan play Fantasy Springs



In response to overwhelming popular demand, iconic Rock and Roll Hall of Famers Steely Dan have announced that their U.S. "Rent Party '09 Tour" has been extended with a second leg, including an appearance at Indio's Fantasy Springs Casino on Saturday, October 17. The group's masterminds Walter Becker and Donald Fagen will perform a career-spanning setlist of hits and fan favorites.

Tickets are \$69 - \$119 and may be purchased by calling toll free (800) 827-2946, online at FantasySpringsResort.com or in person at the Special Events Center Box Office. Visit Steelydan.com for more information.

Rave reviews have followed the band's recent blockbuster performances across the country. "[Fagen] was deep

in the music... unprepossessing solos, swinging, nasty and percussive, a cross between Count Basie and Ray Charles," said the *New York Times*.

Steely Dan have sold more than 30 million albums worldwide and helped define the soundtrack of the '70s with hits including "F.M.," "Bodhisattva," "Reelin' in the Years," "Rikki Don't Lose That Number," "Deacon Blues," "Peg," "Babylon Sisters," and "Hey Nineteen," culled from their seven platinum albums issued between 1972 and 1980. They reunited in the early '90s and have toured throughout the decade and beyond, releasing multi-Grammy winner *Two Against Nature* in 2000 and its acclaimed follow-up *Everything Must Go* in 2003. They were inducted into the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in 2001. **IER**

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King of Theater Rock returns for Pre-Halloween Concert Bash

Shock rocker Alice Cooper says he will die four times on stage during his upcoming show at Fantasy Springs Resort Casino. The artist, who introduced the world to theater rock, brings his Theater of Death show to the 100,000-square foot Fantasy Springs Special Events Center Friday, October 30 at 8pm.

Alice will hit the stage, acting out new fears and revulsions with a bigger and "badder" theater production than ever before. Tickets for this special pre-Halloween concert are \$39-\$59 and may be purchased by calling toll free (800) 827-2946, by logging onto www.FantasySpringsResort.com or in person at the Special Events Center Box Office.

Yolanda Del Rio appears at Soboba

Yolanda Jaen Lopez, better known as Yolanda Del Rio, was five years old when she started to perform in local events in Mexico. She entered a television program for talented children and won first place, her first exposure to fame.

At the age of fourteen, she recorded a personal record for a small recording label. Her brother had a friend who was a disk jockey and with his help the record started to get some airplay. The record became known and very well accepted locally. This opportunity eventually led to a hit record with RCA, selling one million copies in six months.

Yolanda Del Rio has continued to set record sales with releases as well as full house live appearances, her popularity growing not only in Mexico but in the United States, and Central and South America. Yolanda has parlayed her musical success into the movies as well, appearing in, and producing, eleven films.

Yolanda Del Rio will appear in AC's Lounge at the Soboba Casino on Oct. 28. For more information, go online to www.soboba.net or call 1-866-4-SOBOBA. **IER**



Yolanda Del Rio

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AGUA CALIENTE CASINO

(866) 858-3600. www.hotwatercasino.com. 32-250 Bob Hope Drive, Rancho Mirage.

AUGUSTINE CASINO

760-391-9500. www.augustinecasino.com. 84-001 Avenue 54, Coachella.

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(800) 252-4499. www.casinomorongo.com. 49750 Seminole Drive, Cabazon.

FANTASY SPRINGS RESORT CASINO

Fantasy Springs Resort Casino is located north of Interstate 10 at the Golf Center Parkway exit near Indio (22 miles east of Palm Springs). Featuring 2000 slots, 40+ table games including TableMAX, five restaurants. Fantasy Springs Resort Casino is owned and operated by the Cabazon Band of Mission Indians. For tickets and information, call (760) 342-5000, (800) 827-2946 or visit www.fantasyspringsresort.com.

ROCK YARD: Every Saturday, live tribute rock bands at Rock Yard Outdoor Concert Stage.

EAGLE FALLS GOLF COURSE: (760) 238-5633. www.eaglefallsgolf.com. Located at Fantasy Springs Resort Casino. 18-Hole, Par 72 Championship Course.

GIRLS OF PLAYBOY GOLF: Every Friday night at the Velvet Palm nightclub inside Fantasy Springs, ladies may qualify for consideration to be a "girl of Playboy Golf." Between 10pm and 11pm every Friday through Oct. 30. If selected, ladies will be invited to the exclusive parties and the Playboy Golf Scramble November 13 & 14 at Eagle Falls.

PORSCHE "PANAMERA" MODEL GIVEAWAY: This is the first four-door sports car-sedan ever to roll out of the German automaker's engineering facility, and Fantasy Springs Resort Casino will receive one of the very first Panameras to reach southern California. Starting October 11 through November 28, players can enter to win the stunning vehicle in the \$300,000 Porsche Panamera Giveaway. Every Sunday through Friday, guests may swipe their club card at kiosks next to the Fantasy Rewards desk. Every Saturday starting October 17th, everyone with drawing entries must return to Fantasy Springs in order to activate them, and to participate in the weekly qualifier drawings. On Saturday, November 28th, players who qualified for the grand finale drawing will select a Porsche key ring. The contestant who chooses the correct car key will win the dream luxury sedan.

STEELY DAN: Oct. 17. See article on page 24.

ALICE COOPER: Oct. 30. See article on page 24.

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(951) 693-1819. pechanga.com. 45000 Pala Road, Temecula. Box Office (951) 303-2507.

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(909) 864-5050. www.sanmanuel.com. 5797 North Victoria Avenue, Highland.

SOBOBA CASINO

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PGA TOUR: A \$1 million purse to be played at the Country Club at Soboba Springs in San Jacinto. through Oct. 4.

YOLANDA DEL RIO: Oct. 28. See article on this page.

CARMEN JARA: Nov. 18.

SPA RESORT CASINO

(760) 323-5865. www.sparesortcasino.com. 401 E. Amado Rd., Palm Springs.

SPOTLIGHT 29 CASINO

46-200 Harrison Place, Coachella. Show tickets available online at www.spotlight29.com or call (800) 585-3737 or (760) 775-5566. **IER**

the fairgrounds. You'll be swept away with the swashbuckling heroes of *The Pirates of the Columbian Caribbean*. Performing three times daily, you'll see incredible feats of sword fighting all high above the ground.

Hilarity ensues as the turkeys take the track at the Wild West Turkey Stampede. Jest in Time Circus joins the fun with a comedy juggling show the whole family will love. The little pigs are stretching their "ham strings" getting ready for the Pig Races. Doggies of the Wild West are sure to please with tricks, dancing and even a daredevil high dive.

Purchase your tickets early and a great value becomes even better. Save as much as 30% by buying now. Advance admission tickets are only \$5 for adults and kids are just \$3. Discount unlimited carnival tickets are only \$20 in advance. Buy yours before October 9 to take advantage of this unbeatable offer. Discount admission and carnival tickets are available online at www.socalfair.com or at the fair office. For even more special



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offers (like \$2 admissions and \$2 carnival rides) visit the website for more information.

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Their mission is unique and very simple. Santa Claus, Inc. provides new toys, new clothing, new books, and educational materials for underprivileged children in local communities at Christmas. Through these acts of kindness Santa Claus, Inc. provides wonderful lifetime memories to local children. Parents are invited to select Christmas gifts for their children at the Santa Claus, Inc. "Workshop."

The goal is to make each parent feel as if they are truly "shopping" rather than receiving a direct offering from a charity. Hundreds of volunteers serve during distribution in December, working together as a team to preserve the dignity of between 4,000 and 5,000 parents and grandparents yearly.

Volunteers give thousands of hours each year with no compensation - buying, making, repairing, and gathering gifts of all kinds. Many volunteers work at the "workshop," packaging, stocking, cleaning, gardening, and doing clerical duties, while others knit and crochet sweaters, booties and slippers, mittens, and blankets.

For information on how to volunteer for Santa Claus, Inc. call (909) 885-0090 or e-mail santaclauspresident@juno.com. **IER**

First 5 San Bernardino Encourages Children to Read Early and Read Aloud



Join First 5 San Bernardino for storytelling, library cards, free educational games and prizes at the **All Aboard the Reading Railroad Literacy Fair** at the San Bernardino County Museum on Sunday, November 1. Perfect for children age 5 and under and their families, this free event will offer activities and information from School Readiness programs from across the County.

From 9am to 2pm, First 5 San Bernardino shows families the fun in developing daily reading habits and cultivating a love of books. Children will be invited into the Museum for free and will receive a passport to each reading station. At each station, children will hear a story told by a storyteller. After all stations have been visited, Kindergarten and Preschool children will receive a back pack filled with school

supplies. At the conclusion of the storytelling, children can participate in the many activities in the Museum's Courtyard, including games, learning centers and even getting their own library cards. Parents can receive information on the importance of early reading and how to incorporate books into their daily routines. The event will also focus on the importance of the parents' role to read early and read aloud to their sons and daughters.

"Current research overwhelmingly supports the importance of facilitating early and emerging literacy skills in preschool-age children as a critical foundation for literacy development," Karen Scott, Executive Director of First 5 San Bernardino, said.

Studies have shown that children who are read to often are more successful in

school, helps with their brain stimulation and builds their self esteem and listening skills.

The San Bernardino County Museum is located at 2024 Orange Tree Lane in Redlands. For more information about All Aboard the Reading Railroad, school readiness programs or literacy tips, call (909)-386-7706 or visit www.first5sanbernardino.org.

Research shows that a child's brain develops most dramatically in the first five years and what parents and caregivers do during these years to support their child's growth will have a meaningful impact throughout life. California voters passed Proposition 10 in 1998, adding a 50 cents-per-pack tax on cigarettes to support programs for expectant parents and children ages 0 to 5.

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ALPINE SLIDE AT MAGIC MOUNTAIN

The Alpine Slide lets riders experience Olympic-like action as they negotiate sleds along a quarter-mile track with banked turns and long straightaways. The Alpine Slide at Magic Mountain is located on the boulevard in Big Bear Lake, 1/4 mile west of the Village shopping area, home to 60 specialty stores. 800 Wild Rose Lane. Call (909) 866-4626.

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The science under your skin from October 17 to November 8. "Dia de los Muertos" art and activities, while incorporating hands-on science lessons. *See article on page 15.*

FAMILY FUN DAY

Free family event in downtown Riverside, at the museums and library, with hands-on activities. Held on the first Sunday of each month. Admission is free. Event runs from 1pm to 4pm.

FIESTA VILLAGE

Two miniature golf courses, race cars, the largest batting cage facility in Southern California, amuse-

ment rides, Lazer Odyssey, arcade and waterpark. 1405 E. Washington St., Colton, (909) 824-1111. www.FiestaVillage.com.

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KNOTT'S BERRY FARM

With over 165 rides, shows and attractions in five themed areas, Knott's Berry Farm has it all when it comes to family fun. www.knotts.com.

LOLLIPOP PARK

In Lake Arrowhead Village. The park features go karts, mini golf, pirate ship ride, swing ride, train and fun house.

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9 a.m. to 5pm daily, 2201 S. A St., Perris; train and trolley rides, weekends and holidays, 11 a.m. to 5pm; all-day train and trolley pass \$12, children 5-11 \$8. (951) 943-3020. www.oerm.org.

RIVERSIDE COMMUNITY PLAYERS

4026 14th St., Riverside. (951) 686-4030, riversidecommunityplayers.com.

THE VELVETEEN RABBIT: Oct. 2-4.

RIVERSIDE YOUTH THEATRE

At the Wallace Theatre, 8432 Magnolia Ave. in Riverside. (951) 756-4240. 

FOR MORE FUN EVENTS, SEE THE WHAT TO DO SECTION ON PAGE 29.

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Harvest Fair: A Trip Back To The Old West

Take a trip back to the Old West at the **29th Annual Harvest Fair**, Saturdays and Sundays, November 7, 8, 14, 15, in San Bernardino. The Harvest Fair will be open 10am to 5pm each day.

The Harvest Fair is "Old West, down on the ranch living history." Three stages will host entertainment all day. Plenty of laughter, hoopin' and hollerin' will be heard as people watch the old west shows, live country music, folklorico dancers, Native American music, and old west living history demonstrations.

1880's ranchers, cowboys and cowgirls in old west costume will stroll "the old ranch" past cornstalks, pumpkins, bales of hay and over 40 old west, barn wood, weathered buildings. Harvest Fair visitors will feel like they are walking the streets of Tombstone. An 1880-style chuck wagon will demonstrate old-time cowboy cookin'.

The Harvest Fair has been named "One of the Best Western Events in America" by *American Cowboy Magazine*.

Craft booths and antique booths will provide unique displays and merchandise. Included will be: woodcrafts, pottery, paintings, southwest crafts, jewelry, Native American crafts, and other hand-crafted items. Antiques and collectibles from days gone by will all be on hand.

Vintage antique cars will be on display Saturday, November 7, to add to the "old-time atmosphere." On Sunday, November 8, a Chili Cook Off will give Harvest Fair visitors a chance to taste some "darn good chili." An Iron Horse Motorcycle Show and Poker Run will be an added feature on Saturday, November 14.

A Veteran's Day Ceremony, Old West style will be presented on Sunday, November 15, at 1:15pm.


Michael Martin Murphey, America's "singing cowboy poet," will be the grand finale of the Harvest Fair on Sunday, November 15, 7pm at the historical California Theatre, 562 West 4th Street, in San Bernardino.

As an added value, for each Michael

Martin Murphey ticket purchased, a complimentary Harvest Fair ticket will be included. Tickets must be ordered through the phone number below in order to receive a Harvest Fair ticket. To order Murphey tickets call (909) 885-5152 or go to www.ticketmaster.com.

Everyone is encouraged to dress "Old West" or Country-Western. General admission is \$5. Children under 7 years with an adult are admitted free.

The Harvest Fair is at 8088 Palm Lane, San Bernardino (off 4th Street, 1 Block east of Waterman). Take I-10 to San Bernardino to the Waterman north exit. Drive 3 miles north to 4th Street and turn right. Proceeds benefit the Center for Individual Development. The Harvest Fair is sponsored by the City of San Bernardino Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department, "The Sun", and K-FROG.

For further information, call (909) 384-5426, or hitch up to the website at www.harvestfair.net. 

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CHRISTIAN EVENTS

ST. ANDREW NEWMAN CENTER

Riverside, 105 W Big Springs Road, just off Watkins. (951) 682-8751.

ENNEAGRAM WORKSHOP: Oct. 10. \$5 fee, bring sack lunch. 10am to 3pm.

ANNUAL NEWMAN CENTER MINISTRY FAIRE: Oct. 10-11 after each weekend Mass. See what programs, ministries and services the Newman Center offers, for members and non-members.

ANNUAL FALL RETREAT: Weekend, Oct. 23-25, for Catholic and other students attending UCR and RCC at Sacred Heart Retreat Center in the mountains. Must be pre-registered and pre-paid. Call (909) 682-8751.

ALTAR OF THE DEAD: Oct. 30 through Nov. 7, traditional Mexican custom honoring the dead.

FAIRS, FESTIVALS, EVENTS

BANNING STAGECOACH DAYS

Stagecoach Days return to Banning, Oct. 1-4, as the town revisits the old west. The celebration, which takes place at A.C. Dysart Park, includes

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a carnival, an historical encampment, and more. See article on page 21.

BIG BEAR LAKE OKTOBERFEST

The Big Bear Lake Oktoberfest celebrates 39 years of German style family fun and good times this Fall. See article on page 6.

CANYON CREST TOWNE CENTRE

Shop, dine, relax and enjoy at the Towne Centre, located at 5225 Canyon Crest Dr. in Riverside. (951) 686-1222. www.cctownecentre.com.

ART SHOW: Second Saturday of each month, 10am until 3pm.

CAR SHOW: Second Sunday of each month, 4pm until 7pm.

THE ANNUAL HALLOWEEN EVENT: Sat., Oct 31st, 3:30pm.

57TH ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TREE LANE EVENT

Held at the National Orange Show Events Center on Dec. 4-5. See article on page 6.

6TH ANNUAL FESTA ITALIANA

An old-fashioned Italian street festival, Oct. 18, in White Park, 3901 Market Place, in Riverside. Live performance by Italian singer Romina Arcona. www.festaitalianariverside.com. (951) 283-7594.

FIRST 5 SAN BERNARDINO

All Aboard the Reading Railroad Literacy Fair at the San Bernardino County Museum on Sunday, November 1. This free event will offer activities and information from School Readiness programs from across the County. See article on page 27.

GRAPE HARVEST FESTIVAL

Join California's Oldest Grape Harvest Festival as it celebrates 70 years of tradition, October 2, 3 and 4 at Victoria Gardens in Rancho Cucamonga.

29TH ANNUAL HARVEST FAIR

Saturdays and Sundays, November 7, 8, 14, 15, in San Bernardino. See article on page 28.

3RD ANNUAL HEALTH FAIR

Oct. 19, 9am-Noon, Mary Phillips Senior Center, 41845 Sixth St., Temecula. (951) 694-6464.

PGA TOUR

A \$1 million purse to be played at the Country Club at Soboba Springs in San Jacinto. Through Oct. 4.

LA COUNTY FAIR

At the Pomona Fairplex, through Oct. 4. www.lacountyfair.com.

LOMA LINDA UNIVERSITY CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

The school is turning 100 years old this year, and a large centennial celebration will take place on the Southern California campus during October 28 to 31.

RAMONA BOWL

27400 Ramona Bowl Rd., Hemet. (800) 645-4465. www.ramonabowl.com.

RIVERSIDE PLAZA

(951) 683-1066 x.113. shopriversideplaza.com. The Riverside Plaza is located in Riverside off of Central Ave.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FAIR

October 10 through the 18th at the Lake Perris Fairgrounds. Action packed motorsports, fabulous fair food and hours of family entertainment. See article on page 7.

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Get your event listed in the



"What To Do" Section

If you have an upcoming event that you would like to see listed in these pages, please send the following information:

- Name of the event
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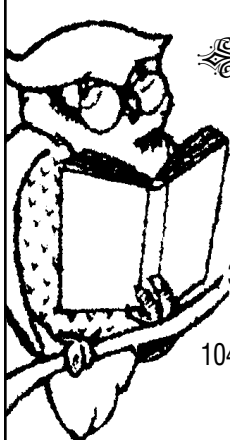


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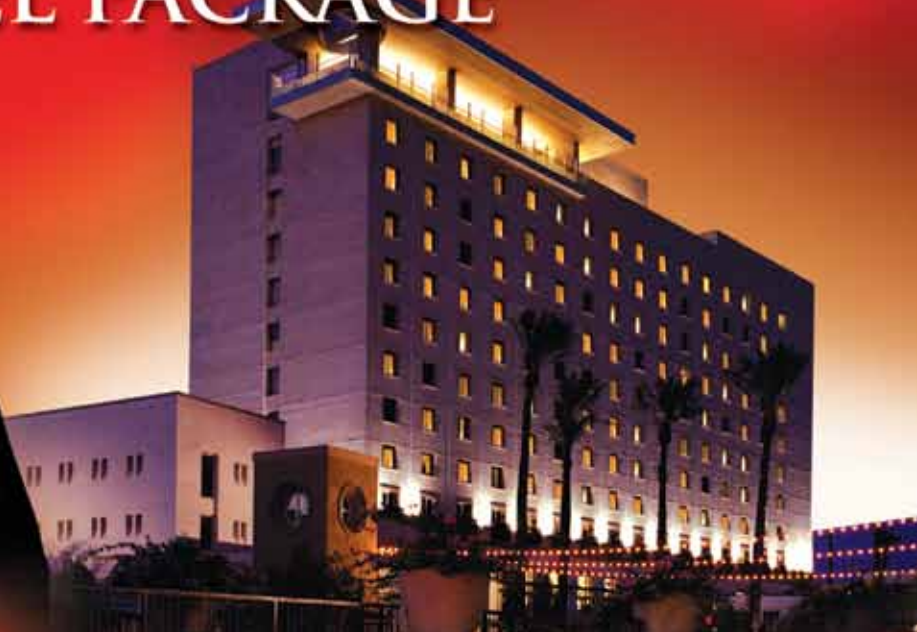
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