

Balboa Park 6 Month Calendar

November 2024-April 2025

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Citywide Special Events/Road/Parking Lot Closures- **BOLD**

City Holidays - **BOLD**

For reference only - subject to change

Date	Attendance	Event	Time	Location
November				
(Tue) Jun-Oct	100	SD Track Club - Tues Practice	6-7pm	6th & Quince
1 (Fri)	1000	Fleet Week	530-630pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
2 (Sat)	200	ICA Collect! An Art Auction hosted by Sothebay	6-9pm	ICA San Diego, 1439 El Prado
2 (Sat)	TBA	Physician Family Event	5pm-11pm	Fleet Science Center
3 (Sun)	100	Explorer Day \$5.00 films	10-5pm	Fleet Science Center
3 (Sun)	7500	More than Pink Walk	5-11am	6th and Laurel South Lawn
4 (Mon)	100-150	Senior Monday discount & Sharp Minds: TBA	10:30-11:30am Lecture:TBA	Fleet Science Center
4 (Mon)	100-150	12noon film: Into America's Wild	12noon	Fleet Science Center
5 (Tue)	350	All Hands Meeting	8-11am	Ballroom
5 (Tue)	3000	Free Tuesday	10am-5pm	Fleet Science Center
6 (Wed)	400	Sky Tonight: TBA	7pm & 8:15pm	Fleet Science Center
7 (Thurs)	200	Employee Event	8am-1pm	War Memorial Building
7 (Thurs)	320	County of SD Meeting	7am-8pm	Ballroom
9 & 10	100	Art Mart	7am-6pm	Pan American Lawn
10 (Sun)	300	Dream of Niwa (Wedding Expo)	3pm	Inamori Pavilion (lower garden) Japanese Friendship Garden & Museum
10 (Sun)	140	Picnic	11am-4pm	Cypress Grove Picnic Area
10 (Sun)	250	HPR Lawn Program	8am - 5pm	International Lawn
10 (Sun)	150	Wedding	3-7pm	Patio A
10 (Sun)	100	Sky Tonight: Family Morning Show	10:30am-12noon	Fleet Science Center
11 (Mon)	Veterans Day- City Holiday Offices CLOSED			
12 (Sat)	100	Employee Event	TBA	Ballroom
13 (Sun)	300	Lantern Fest	5:30-8:30pm	Bea Evenson Fountain & Spreckels Organ Pavilion
16 (Sat)	100	Accessibility Morning, early opening & early 10am film	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
17 (Sun)	3000	Susan G. Komen SD 3 Day	11am-3pm	Sixth Ave and Laurel Lawn
17 (Sun)	100	Tianguis de la Raza	8am-7:30pm	Cultural Turf East
17 (Sun)	100+	Fleet Member Early morning	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
19 (Tue)	350	All Hands Meeting	8-11am	Ballroom
22 (Fri)	TBA	HOLD - for Holiday Party	5-10pm	Fleet Science Center
23 (Sat)	1600	Holiday Market	10am-4pm	Inamori Pavilion (lower garden) Japanese Friendship Garden & Museum
23 & 24	100	Art Mart	7am-6pm	Pan American Lawn
25-27	100	Fall Camps at the Fleet	9am-5pm	Fleet Science Center
28 (Thurs)	Thanksgiving Day- City Holiday Offices CLOSED			

28 (Thurs)	5000	Father Joe's Thanksgiving Day 5k	7:35-10am	Plaza de Panama, El Prado, Spreckels Organ Pavilion
December				
1 (Sun)	100	Explorer Day \$5.00 films	10-5pm	Fleet Science Center
2 (Mon)	100-150	Senior Monday discount & Sharp Minds: TBA	10:30-11:30am Lecture:TBA	Fleet Science Center
2 (Mon)	100-150	Antarctica	12noon	Fleet Science Center
3 (Tue)	3000-4000	Free Tuesday	10am-5pm	Fleet Science Center
4 (Wed)	400	Sky Tonight: TBA	7pm & 8:15pm	Fleet Science Center
5 (Thurs)	TBA	TBA December Nights	TBA	Fleet Science Center
6 (Fri)	TBA	TBA December Nights	TBA	Fleet Science Center
6, 7	350000	December Nights		Entire Park
3 (Tues)	150	Meeting	8am-2pm	Ballroom
5 (Thurs)	200	Meeting	10am-3pm	Ballroom
6 (Fri)	300	Meeting	8am-4pm	Ballroom
8 (Sun)	100	Sky Tonight: Family Morning Show	10:30am-12noon	Fleet Science Center
12 (Thurs)	150	Hold for Holiday Party	5-10pm	Fleet Science Center
12 (Fri)	115	Holiday Party	TBA	War Memorial
14 & 15	100	Art Mart	7am-6pm	Pan American Lawn
14 (Sat)	200	Event	10am-5pm	Ballroom
14 (Sat)	250	HPR Lawn Program	8am - 5pm	International Lawn
15 (Sun)	100	Tianguis de la Raza	8am-7:30pm	Cultural Turf East
15 (Sun)	100+	Fleet Member Early morning	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
16 (Mon)	150	Holiday Party	2-8pm	Casa Room 101
18 (Wed)	200	City SD Staff Meeting	8am-2pm	Ballroom
21 (Sat)	100	Accessibility Morning, early opening & early 10am film	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
21 & 22	100	Art Mart	7am-6pm	Pan American Lawn
25 (Wed)	Christmas Day- City Holiday Offices CLOSED			
28 & 29	100	Art Mart	7am-6pm	Pan American Lawn
January				
1 (Wed)	New Years Day- City Holiday Offices CLOSED			
6 (Mon)	100-150	Senior Monday discount & Sharp Minds: TBA	10:30-11:30am Lecture:TBA	Fleet Science Center
6 (Mon)	100-150	Film: TBA	12noon	Fleet Science Center
7 (Tue)	3000-4000	Free Tuesday	10am-5pm	Fleet Science Center
11 & 12	100	Art Mart	7am-7pm	Pan American Lawn
18 (Sat)	100	Accessibility Morning, early opening & early 10am film	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
19 (Sun)	100	Fleet Member Early morning	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
20 (Mon)	MLK Day- City Holiday Offices CLOSED			
23 (Thurs)	150-200	Fleet After Dark (18+ only)	5pm-10pm	Fleet Science Center
25 & 26	100	Art Mart	7am-7pm	Pan American Lawn
February				
8 & 9	100	Art Mart	7am-7pm	Pan American Lawn
15 & 16	8000	Chinese New Years Fair	11am-5pm	International Lawn & Pan American Lawn
17 (Mon)	Presidents Day- City Holiday Offices CLOSED			
22 & 23	100	Art Mart	7am-7pm	Pan American Lawn

March				
8 & 9	100	Art Mart	7am-7pm	Pan American Lawn
22 & 23	100	Art Mart	7am-7pm	Pan American Lawn
29 & 30	100	Art Mart	7am-7pm	Pan American Lawn
April				
12 & 13	100	Art Mart	7am-7pm	Pan American Lawn
12 (Sat)	5000	Race for Autism	6:30am-10:45am	6th & Laurel South Lawn; 5K Route: Start on 6th Ave. north bound, between Kamlia St. & Laurel St. At Upas, turn right onto Balboa Dr. head south bound At El Prado, turn East onto Cabrillo Bridge Proceed to past the Plaza de Panama to Village Place Make U-turn at Village Place and head back to Plaza de Panama, Turn left on Pan American East bound (wrong way) to President's Way, Turn right on President's Way, circle around the Palisades Lawn, Turn right on Pan American Rd. West and head north towards Plaza de Panama. Turn left onto Cabrillo Bridge and left
19 (Sat)	400	250th Anniversary of the Battle of Lexington	8am-2pm	6th & Laurel South Lawn
19 (Sat)	3000	SD EarthFest	6am-8pm	Federal Lawn & Park & Presidents Lawn
26 & 27	100	Art Mart	7am-7pm	Pan American Lawn

Due to the museums rotating the days they participate in the Free Tuesday Program on a monthly basis, it is recommended that each museum be contacted for their schedule.

Centro Cultural de la Raza	(619) 235-6135
Fleet Science Center (Fee charged for Imax)	(619) 238-1233
SD Model Railroad Museum	(619) 696-0199
SD Natural History Museum (Permanent Exhibit Only)	(619) 232-3821
Museum of Photographic Art	(619) 238-7559
Museum of San Diego History (San Diego Historical Society)	(619) 232-6203
Veterans Museum at Balboa Park	(619) 239-2300
SD Hall of Champions	(619) 234-2544
Japanese Friendship Garden	(619) 232-2721
Mingei International Museum	(619) 239-0003
SD Art Institute	(619) 236-0011
SD Museum of Art (Permanent Exhibit Only)	(619) 232-7931
SD Museum of Man	(619) 239-2001
House of Pacific Relations International Cottages	(619) 234-0739
SD Air & Space Museum	(619) 234-8291
SD Automotive Museum	(619) 231-2886
Timken Museum of Art	(619) 550-5955

FREE - ARCHITECTURAL HERITAGE TOURS (1ST FRIDAY EACH MONTH)

Led by the Committee of 100, these 90 minute tours are offered on the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month at 11 a.m. and begin at the Balboa Park Visitor Center. No reservations needed.

Free Forever Balboa Park Visitor Center Tuesday Tours:

These tours highlight the historical, architectural, and botanical treasures of Balboa Park tour guides

No reservations needed.