

October 1, 2021

## Community Update

by Chris Parman, Communications & Events Manager



### Spring into Fun at Cathedral City's Special Events

The fall calendar of special events brought thousands to our city functions with the new Tejano Music Fest, Halloween Spooktacular, Día de los Muertos, Healing Field, Cathedral City Hot Air Balloon Festival and the new and very popular Snow-Fest and Holiday Light Parade. The fun will continue during 2018 with the following planned winter and spring events:

#### January

Right after the New Year, the 2018 activities begin on January 5-15 with Cathedral City sponsoring the Palm Springs International Film Festival, being held in-part at Cathedral City's Mary Pickford Theatre for the third year in a row. The festival brings thousands of visitors to the Coachella Valley spending dollars at our hotels, restaurants, and retailers.

On January 6<sup>th</sup> and every 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month, The SCRAP Gallery and the Agnes Pelton Society hosts the Children and Elders monthly Art Party at the Simeon Den Gallery, 68895 Perez Road, Suite I-27 (across from Frankie's Italian Bakery) from 1-3 PM. Admission is free. Participants create art pieces made of recyclable materials and meet and work with a local guest artist, who will share his/her work as well as conduct an art making activity in their style discipline.

On January 13<sup>th</sup> and every 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month, go to Cathedral City's Art & Design District for "2nd Saturdays Art Walk on Perez Road" where you will discover special art exhibits, museum quality art as well as cultural art to brighten your soul, meet other like-minded people, and maybe get a little exercise going from art gallery to design gallery to art gallery. It will be ARTtastic!

On January 27<sup>th</sup> and typically the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month through the month of May, gather the family, blankets and/or chairs for "Movies in the Park" located this season at the Downtown Festival Lawn, 68600 East Palm Canyon Drive (HWY 111) in Cathedral City. The free event, hosted by the Cathedral City Evening Rotary and sponsored by the City of Cathedral City, happens at 7:00 pm, except for the month of May, which begins at 8:30 pm due to daylight savings time. You are welcome to bring snacks or non-alcoholic drinks, but you can also purchase them from the movie organizers at the concession stand. Great Family FUN!

## **February**

On February 8<sup>th</sup>, the Cathedral City Historical Society will host a day trip to the Salton Sea, the largest body of water in the State of California with a special visit to the amazing Salvation Mountain. The tour begins by boarding a bus at City Hall at 8:30 am and returning around 2:30 pm. You will learn about the history of the Salton Sea area and the environmental struggles to save it. You will also drive by "Slab City", North Shore Beach and the Yacht Club designed by famous architect Albert Frey in 1959. Finally, you will journey into the past when several prominent figures from the entertainment industry docked their boats here in what was meant to be California's largest marina. Take in the beauty of the natural wildlife preserve and experience the haunting desolation of abandoned towns. Tour costs \$90 and more information is available at <http://www.cathedralcityhistoricalsociety.org>.

On February 10<sup>th</sup>, the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Taste of Jalisco Festival, sponsored by Sunniva, Inc., celebrates the sister city relationship between Cathedral City and Tequila, Jalisco (Mexico) through music, fashion, spirits, culture and cuisine. The festival takes place from 11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. in Downtown Cathedral City's Festival Lawn located at 68600 East Palm Canyon Drive (HWY 111). Highlights include Aztec Dancers; Horse Show; Food Court, Tequila Tasting; LIVE Music on the Main Stage; Kid Zone; Outdoor Market; as well as the spectacular Fireworks Show by Sunniva, Inc. Entertainers includes "Los Tiranos del Norte," "Nacho Bustillos y su Quinto Menguante," and "Mariachi Limon de Javier Hernandez," just to name a few. For the first time, you can reserve tables of eight for the nightly entertainment assuring you with a guaranteed seat to sit, dance, shop, and connect with your friends, family, and neighbors. [www.tasteofjalisco.com](http://www.tasteofjalisco.com)

On February 11<sup>th</sup>, the annual Agnes Pelton Society's Artists and Historic Home Tour returns featuring a celebration of Chuparosa Lane lined with murals and mosaics. The City of Cathedral City is proud to sponsor the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Tour from 11 am to 3 pm as it allows you to visit the historic homes located in the Cathedral Cove neighborhood which was settled in 1920s and formerly named "Cathedral Village." This neighborhood was, and continues today to be, the area of world renown artists, writers, and musicians. For tickets and more information, go to [www.AgnesPeltonSociety.com](http://www.AgnesPeltonSociety.com)

On two weekends in February (17-19 and 22-25) the Mary Nutter Collegiate Classic returns to Cathedral City. It is the nation's largest and most prestigious preseason NCAA college softball tourney, featuring 50 top Division I teams. The lineup of teams includes UCLA, Stanford, Cal-Berkeley, North Carolina, Texas A&M, Oklahoma, and the Japan National Team, plus many more. It is estimated that the Mary Nutter Collegiate Classic brings in more than 25,000 visitors to Cathedral City.

## **March**

The 4th Annual Cathedral City LGBT Days, presented by Volkswagen of Palm Springs, celebrates the lives, history, and wonderful accomplishments the LGBT community has contributed in making Cathedral City one of the "most livable" cities in America and a testament to its perfect equality score by the Human Rights Campaign Foundation. The festival provides an opportunity to recognize the strength in our diversity, appreciate our similarities, and stand united for the equal

rights of all Americans. Don't miss out on the infamous LGBT Days Bed Race, it's our Pride Parade with a little drama and suspense. A list of entertainers and activities will be announced soon. Go to [www.CathedralCityLGBTDays.com](http://www.CathedralCityLGBTDays.com) for the latest information.

## April

Bring the kids to Cathedral City's Town Square Park in downtown for an event that is all about Kids! From 12 (noon) to 3:00 pm, kids will enjoy the fun of multiple bouncy houses surrounding Cathedral City's Fountain of Life area, and an Easter Egg Hunt featuring 25,000 eggs!!! This year, we will have a toddler's egg hunt for little ones between 2 and 5 years of age. We will also have a bigger kids egg hunt for those 6 years and up. Find the eggs with the secret message and you might win a bike! Other activities include taking a picture with the Easter Bunny and several local businesses will offer free candy for the kids as well. Free admission. Free parking. Bring your own basket for hauling the eggs or get a free reusable shopping bag at the event. Go to [kidapalooza.discovercathedralcity.com](http://kidapalooza.discovercathedralcity.com) for the latest information.

## May

The Battle of the Badges Boxing Tournament plans to return on Saturday, May 12<sup>th</sup> where amateur boxers compete for the top prize. The boxers, certified by USA Boxing, are mostly from local police and fire departments. Spectators enjoy the sport, food, drinks and the fun, competitive nature of the rivalry between the boxers and their fans. Tickets will go on sale in the New Year by calling (760) 335-8895.

More events are expected to be announced and we encourage you to go to [www.DiscoverCathedralCity.com](http://www.DiscoverCathedralCity.com) for the latest information or follow us on Facebook, Twitter, Nextdoor.com, or YouTube for the latest announcements.

## News



The December 27th City Council Meeting has been **Canceled**.  
The next City Council Meeting is January 10, 2018

## Special Training Series Available for Women Entrepreneurs

It's Your Time: An Entrepreneurial Training Series for Women (IYT) is an intensive business start-up program with the goal of helping women entrepreneurs become business owners. Participants will attend a minimum of 10 workshops, work individually with a business counselor for at least two hours, complete a vision board, and write a business ...

[Read more.](#)

## "The Grinch" - Movies in the Park – December 30th

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## Palm Springs International Film Festival Begins on January 2nd

Get your tickets now for the Palm Springs International Film Festival that begins on January 2nd with movies starting on January 5th at the Mary Pickford Theatre in Cathedral City. This will be third year in a row that the film festival has utilized the newly renovated Mary Pickford Theatre with ...[Read more.](#)





## Cathedral City Police Are Arresting Drunk Drivers This Holiday Season

Remember: Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over This holiday season, the Cathedral City Police Department will work around the clock to keep drivers and passengers safe as they search for impaired drivers. From December 15, 2017 through January 1st, law enforcement is partnering with the California Office of Traffic Safety ... [Read more.](#)



## Sneak Peek of the Planet Fitness Opening Soon in Cathedral City

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## Give a Gift of Entertainment for an Entire Family at the Taste of Jalisco Festival

Give a Gift of Entertainment for an Entire Family at the Taste of Jalisco Festival Not sure what to give during this holiday season? How about a



reserved table for eight people at the Taste of Jalisco Festival in Cathedral City on Saturday, February 10, 2018 from 5 pm to 9 pm featuring the headline band “Los Tiranos del Norte” ...

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## Upcoming Events



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You are welcome to bring snacks or non-alcoholic drinks, but you can also purchase them from the movie organizers at the concession stand. Great Family FUN!

### Palm Springs International Film Festival

The Palm Springs International Film Festival is a portal for the very best in world cinema, welcoming more than 136,000 enthusiastic filmgoers. For the third year in a row, the film festival will utilize the Mary Pickford Theatre in Downtown Cathedral City to showcase many of the films on multiple screens.

For tickets and all information about the festival, go to [www.PSFilmFest.org](http://www.PSFilmFest.org)

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**The City of Cathedral City**  
**Stop Identity Theft Program** FREE!

To help STOP identity theft and as a service to its residents, the City of Cathedral City is hosting FREE Document Shredding Events. The Shredding Events are the first Saturday of the month October thru May each year.

**WHEN:** 2017 **Saturday, October 7, November 4 and December 2**  
 2018 **Saturday, January 6, February 3, March 3, April 7 and May 5**

**TIME:** **8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.**  
 Arrive early – once the shredding truck is filled to capacity the event will end.

**LOCATION:** **68-510 East Palm Canyon Drive**

**EXAMPLES OF DOCUMENTS:**

- Legal documents
- Medical records
- Financial statements
- Accounting files/records
- Personnel files
- Payroll records
- Bank statements
- Tax records
- Contracts
- Receipts/invoices
- Cancelled checks
- Photographs
- Credit card documents

You're not limited to the items listed – bring all your sensitive documents.

**TIPS:**

- You do not need to remove paper clips, staples, file folders, report covers, envelopes or binder clips from your documents.
- You can bring your documents in boxes or plastic bags.

**RESTRICTIONS:**

- Limited to Cathedral City **RESIDENTS** only.
- Be prepared to show proof of residency or bring this postcard to the event.
- Limit 5 banker sized boxes per resident or household.
- **No businesses allowed.**
- Remove all trash items from your boxes or bags!
- Items like pens, pencils or regular household trash cannot be shredded.

**MORE:**

- Your documents will be shredded on site – you will be able to witness the entire process.
- Arrive early – once the shredding truck is filled to capacity the event will end.
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FOR MORE INFORMATION  
 CALL (760) 770-0369  
 EMAIL [dprignone@cityofcathedralcity.gov](mailto:dprignone@cityofcathedralcity.gov)

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**Cathedral City**  
**Childrens**  
**Artes para Los Niños**  
 Holiday Gift Making  
**Art Party!**  
 y adultos mayores

**FREE**  
 SIMEON DEN GALLERY

**Saturday Dec 2, 1-3pm**  
 68895 Perez Rd, #I-27 Cat City  
 info 760-459-3564

City of Cathedral City SCRAP Gallery Agnes Pelton Society



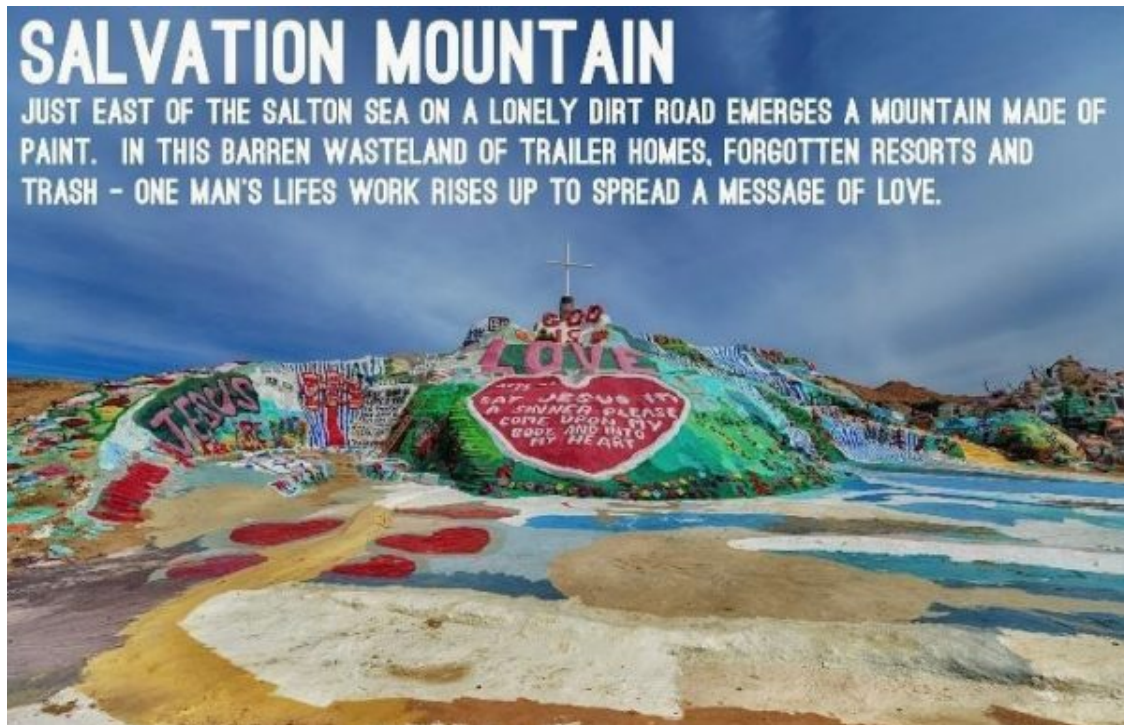




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**3rd Annual**  
*Taste of Jalisco*  
A Celebration of Our Sister City TEQUILA, JALISCO - MEXICO

Presented by:  
**sunniva™**

**February 10, 2018** 11am - 9pm Downtown Festival Lawn  
68600 E. Palm Canyon Drive, Cathedral City

**Sabor de Jalisco**  
Cathedral City

**FIREWORK FINALE**  
9pm  
Presented by:  
**sunniva™**

**Free Admission**  
Admisión es Gratis

**LIVE Entertainment**  
Música en Vivo para Bailar

**Free Parking**  
Estacionamiento Gratis

Food / Comida  
Mariachi Limon de Javier Hernandez  
Vanessa "Damita" Martinez  
Zable Norteno  
Kid Zone / Zona Para Niños

Tequila Tasting / Palesdar Tequila  
Benjamin Flores  
The MYX  
Melodia Versatil  
Horse Show / Exhibición de caballos

Aztec Dancers / Danzantes Aztecas  
Hindsite  
Nacho Bustillos  
Los Tiranos del Norte  
VIP Seating / Asientos para VIP

**www.TasteofJalisco.com**

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## NCAA SOFTBALL RETURNS



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