
The Pinnacle Concierge

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Your Concierge Will Assist With:

- Travel planning
- Dining reservations
- Theater & event tickets
- Golf tee times
- Hotel reservations
- Spa services
- Dry cleaning pick-up and delivery
- Pet care services

and much more!

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Let Your Concierge Help with Fall Travel Plans

Believe it or not, it's time to start making fall and winter travel plans! Whether it's a golf getaway, a spa retreat or an amusement park venture, your Concierge can help

make your reservations and/or obtain discounted theme park tickets. It's not too early to start making travel arrangements for the upcoming holidays as well. We may find great

airfare and hotel deals if you book ahead of time. Your Concierge would be happy to research the best package for you and your family!

Art Opening and Cocktail Reception

This Art Event will be held in the gallery space of Say Lula Salon @ 955 South 16th Street on September 16 from 7 – 10 pm. The event is both a gallery opening with a sale of contemporary art work by emerging mid-career artists, and a benefit for The Aja Project. Based in San

Diego, the Aja Project is a non-profit international organization that works with refugee children in San Diego, Thailand and Cambodia. Through photography these displaced children gain a positive sense of worth and learn to talk about their world through the

lens of a camera. Admission is \$25 and includes music, drinks, hors' d'oeuvres, silent auction and raffle prizes. Prizes have been donated by local business and sponsors. Tickets may be purchased in advance or at the door. Contact your Concierge for information.

The San Diego Wine & Culinary Center

The *San Diego Wine & Culinary Center* is dedicated to promoting the food and wine bounty of San Diego County. They work with local winemakers, growers, chefs, restaurateurs and quality food purveyors to bring you the finest locally-produced products. Wine tastings, chef demonstrations, product sampling, classes, seminars, banquets, tours and excursions take place on a regular basis at the Center. They also bring you great wines and foods from around the globe, inviting talented international chefs and winemakers to the

facility for classes and events. Co-owners John Alongé and Hans-Trevor Gossmann have owned or operated restaurants in Paris, New York, San Francisco, Las Vegas, Santa Barbara and San Diego. Their passion for great food and great wine has led them to bring a center for culinary learning and exploration to San Diego. For the Wine Bar, they fervently search out wines from around the world, in addition to the local wines, that are both unique and of great value. Enjoy any of the wines by

the bottle and glass or try one of their two daily tastings. They provide expert guidance to enhance your tasting and have all wines available on site for purchase. Join them for live Jazz and ever-changing selection of wines, cheeses and cocktails every Thursday from 6 – 9 pm. Stop by for the Friday Happy Hour Piano Lounge On the Sunset Patio 5:30 - 8:30 pm every Friday. The San Diego Wine & Culinary Center is located at 200 Harbor Drive, Suite 120 in the Harbor Club Towers downtown San Diego.



Musical Legend, Dan Crary

Pinnacle Concierge helped out in August!

- Dog walking / sitting service
- Charter fishing trip information
- Golf Course locations
- Padres game tickets
- Temecula Wine Tour information
- Humphrey's Concert information
- Spa services
- Food delivery referrals
- SD Zoo tickets
- Raphael's Party Rentals
- SD Pops tickets
- Enterprise car rental
- Local elementary school info
- Cruise ship information
- 5-Star hotel info in Venice Italy
- Tennis instructor referral
- Researched shipping luggage
- Housekeeping company referrals
- Carpet cleaning referral
- Party planning – retirement, birthday, bridal shower, holiday
- Many restaurant reservations
- Laundry services
- Transportation requests – taxi cabs, pedi-cabs & shuttle vans

...to name a few!!!

*Pacific Theaters in the Gaslamp Hosts
the San Diego Film Festival*



“Primal Twang: The Legend of the Guitar”

Doc Watson, Albert Lee and Eric Johnson are among the internationally prominent performers joining forces here for the world premiere of “Primal Twang: The Legacy of the Guitar.” To be held September 7-10 at the Stephen and Mary Birch North Park Theatre, the four shows will combine live performances with a multimedia theatrical presentation that traces the guitar's 3,500-year history. The brainchild of flat-picking guitar star Dan Crary, “Primal Twang” also will feature Mason Williams, the Los Angeles Guitar Quartet's Andrew York, Grand Ole Opry star Doyle Dykes and San Diego jazz mainstay Peter Sprague. They'll be joined by John Doan and Beppe Gambetta, who both play 20-stringed harp guitars, and a backing band that includes Crary, multi-instrumental wiz Dennis Caplinger, drummer Duncan Moore and local guitarists Fred Benedetti and George Svoboda. Tickets are priced at \$29.75-\$49.75 and are on sale now. Contact your Concierge for assistance.

Computer Recycling with Reconnect San Diego

Goodwill Industries of San Diego County and Dell have introduced Reconnect San Diego, a free drop-off program for recycling of unwanted computers. The pilot program will help protect the environment through the responsible recycling of computer equipment, and provide area residents a convenient opportunity to support a local nonprofit organization. San Diego residents can call toll-free (888) -4-GOODWILL or visit reconnectpartnership.com or sdgoodwill.org to locate the most convenient drop-off location at any of the 24 local Goodwill donation centers and retail stores. Goodwill will sort the donated computer equipment, which will be recycled through the Dell Asset Recovery Services value recovery program. Dell's product recovery partner will remarket the recycled materials, such as plastics, glass and metals, and all sales proceeds will go to Goodwill to support the nonprofit's job training and employment services programs.

San Diego Thunder Boat Regatta 2006

If "fast" and "loud" sound like your idea of a good time, Mission Bay will be your kind of place for The San Diego Thunder Boat Regatta 2006. This "World Series of Powerboat Racing," returns September 15-17 for a water competition starring some of the fastest boats in the world. Powerboats of just about every kind will crowd the bay. Some will race quarter-mile stretches while others will race around pre-marked courses. Coinciding with the races will be several musical performances and a fireworks extravaganza following the concert on Saturday. Crown Point is the spot to catch drag boat races, while unlimited hydros can be best seen from Fiesta Island. Single day passes on up to 3-day passes are available. Check with your Concierge.

San Diego Film Festival

Held in the Gaslamp Quarter, San Diego's premier entertainment district, the San Diego Film Festival is the perfect destination Festival for your next great escape! The competitive 5-day fest showcases more than 75 American and international feature, documentary and short films; intimate gatherings with filmmakers and celebrities; high-powered industry workshops, including the American Screenwriters Association's annual conference; and five nights of San Diego's most glamorous parties. San Diego Film Festival has earned more than 10 industry and regional awards, including Best Beach Fest, Best Party Fest, Best Film Fest and a coveted spot as one of the country's Top 10 Film Festival Vacations. Join in for the biggest Festival yet, as they celebrate their fifth anniversary September 27 – October 1. Your Concierge has ticket and event pass information.