

The Concierge Advantage

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The Pinnacle Concierge

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

and much more!

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The San Diego Padres Are Back At PETCO Park!

The 2006 National League Champion San Diego Padres kick off their 2007 regular season this April 6 against the Colorado Rockies. Single game tickets are on sale now on padres.com. A new feature allows you to print your Padres tickets from your computer after you make your purchase from their website. Just select "E-mail (Print at Home)" as your delivery method and your tickets will be emailed to you after you have completed your purchase. You will receive one email as

confirmation of purchase, then another e-mail with the tickets attached. You can do this from your home computer and printer or allow your Concierge to assist in the transaction. Your tickets can be in your hands today! Go Padres!

It's Fresh Strawberry Season

Although strawberries can be found in supermarkets almost any time of year, during late spring and early summer locally grown berries are ripe and ready to eat. Fresh strawberries have a delicious naturally sweet taste and only about 50 calories in a whole cup!

Eight medium size fresh berries contain about 150% of the recommended daily intake of vitamin C and 20% of folate. They're also high in potassium and a good source of dietary fiber. When shopping, choose strawberries with a bright red color and fresh green

caps. Since strawberries do not continue to ripen after they've been picked, don't buy berries that are partly white and unripe. The size of a strawberry does not determine the sweetness or taste. Fully ripe berries, large or small will be equally sweet and flavorful. Enjoy!

Source: www.bellaonline.com

Blue Point Coastal Cuisine – Oysterfest 2007

When your name is Blue Point, a single day isn't long enough to celebrate Oysterfest. They are devoting the month of April to the irresistible oyster, featuring six different varieties and a menu of enticing preparations from their award-winning culinary team. Join them Sunday through Thursday evenings beginning April 1 for such delicacies as Oyster Stew. Oysters Rockefeller, Oysters Casino and

more. Belly up to the oyster bar and try any of the tasty Oyster
Shooters. Slurp down a dozen of the freshest sliders with a perfect pint of Irish stout, or complement the array of savory preparations with a bucket of tiny bubbles. During Oysterfest Blue Point will be featuring miniature bottles of some of France's finest Champagne. April at Blue

Point is the perfect time to come and celebrate the legendary oyster. Contact your Concierge for reservations for the Oysterfest 2007 celebration.





Pinnacle Concierges were at it again in March!

- Arranged catering and bar staff for engagement party
- Confirmed whale watching tickets on Harbor Excursion
- St Patty's day Gaslamp Party information
- Padres ticket information
- Print airline boarding pass
- Confirmed limousine
- transportation, taxi & pedi cabs
 Reservations for The
- Prado/Art Museum dinner
- Ticket information on Triple Espresso and Alter Boyz
- Amtrak schedule information
- Requested several mail holds
- · Referred car detailing
- Assisted Pinnacle Social Committee with event RSVP's
- Researched honeymoon travel
- Confirmed cruise itinerary
- Hotel rate requests
- Internet cafe referrals
- Doggie wash referrals
- Many restaurant reservations



Spicing Up Pottery by Eva Zeisel

Spa Week in San Diego, April 16-22!

Contact Your Concierge for spa appointments. Participating spas are offering various treatments for \$50 each!

EarthFair Celebration For Earth Day 2007

The 18th annual EarthFair will take place April 22 in Balboa Park. Produced entirely by volunteers, the fair features more than 200 environmental and quality-of-life exhibits, special health and technology theme areas, a vegetarian "earth-friendly" food area, five entertainment venues, a kids' area, a Children's Earth Parade with the theme "Cool the Earth" and the "Cleaner Car Caravan." The eARTh Gallery will also be on hand, featuring works by artists using recycled materials or showing depictions of "Endangered Spaces" in San Diego County. The artwork will be presented next to the Children's Area in the Pan American Plaza (close to the Auto Museum). Enjoy the festivities from 10 am to 5 pm.

ArtWalk in Little Italy

Celebrating its 23rd anniversary as a popular annual community arts festival, ArtWalk 2007 will weave its way through the historic Little Italy neighborhood from noon to 6 pm Saturday and Sunday, April 28 and 29. More than 400 artists from Southern California and Mexico will participate in ArtWalk, exposing the estimated two-day crowd of 100,000 festival goers to myriad styles, from photography, painting and sculpture to music, drama and dance. In past years, ArtWalk organizers featured a single visual artist from the hundred-plus artists on hand. But now ArtWalk highlights all registered artists. Tents -- 10-by-10-by-10-feet -- will cover the streets from Beech to Fir (with India Street and Kettner Boulevard as the main thoroughfares to the event). Pick up a free copy of ArtWalk 2007 Magazine throughout the month of April at Little Italy and Horton Plaza businesses as well as the Horton Plaza Arts Tix booth. This provides a visual tour of participating artists. Maps will be available at the event.

"Hold Please"

If "The Office" has taught us anything, it's that life is just as difficult, if not more so, for secretaries. For secretaries, patience is a virtue that is hard to come by and should be rewarded. Anyone who doesn't think so should have to work for Michael Scott for a day. For those with an appetite for office humor, San Diego native Annie Weisman's "Hold Please," brings the world of secretaries to The Old Globe's Cassius Carter Centre Stage. Weisman's humorous play about two generations of corporate secretaries brings to life the battles of the workplace. Enjoy this performance through May 6. Contact your Concierge for ticket information.

Eva Zeisel Featured at the Mingei Museum

At 100 years old, industrial designer Eva Zeisel has designed more than 100,000 objects for the kitchens and countertops of the world. She's also been arrested for allegedly plotting the assassination of Stalin. In 1936, while the Hungary-born artist was working as the Artistic Director for the Porcelain and Glass Industries of Russia, she was arrested and put into solitary confinement. Since her release 16 months later, she's used her free time quite effectively and her work has captured the attention of museums and designers across the globe. To Zeisel, something as boring as a pepper shaker is a chance to spice the table up with personality, or at least to show off her unique and whimsical aesthetic. Visit the Mingei International Museum in Balboa Park through June 6 to view her incredible work.