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## 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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## Meet Your Concierge, Elise!

Elise Kerrigan was born and raised in San Diego. She has recently finished up her last semester at San Diego State University earning a Bachelor's Degree in Philosophy. Last year she spent three months in London studying and has traveled throughout

Europe. Prior to joining the team at Concierge At Large, Inc., she worked as a gymnastics coach for five years at a local YMCA. She was a gymnast for eight years and has been a dancer since she was four years old. On her days off she is most likely at the

Academy of Performing Arts taking a dance class. Elise will soon be adding to her busy schedule as she is applying to Law School! Stop by the lobby desk and say hello to our new Pinnacle Concierge Team member.

## Love Is In The Air

The San Diego Chamber Orchestra presents a great pre Valentine's Day date February 12 or 13, or a post-Valentine's Day date on February 15 with "Love Is In the Air," a performance of classical music inspired by tender and passionate love. Just be careful that visiting Russian violinist Philippe

Quint, with his dashing good looks and charm, may just steal the heart of your date. Quint, accompanied by the San Diego Chamber Orchestra, will perform fiery numbers such as Hungarian Ravel's "Tzigane (Gypsy)" and the Bizet/Sarasate "Carmen Fantasy," as well as the

tender pieces "Claire de Lune" and Elgar's "Salut d'Amour." The performances will take place at the Sherwood Auditorium, the Del Mar Country Club and St. Paul's Cathedral. Ticket prices vary by location. Your Concierge can call for details.

## George's At The Cove Closes For A Make-Over

George's Fine Dining restaurant has closed to make way for a new concept designed to reflect how people in Southern California live and dine today. Scheduled to reopen mid-February, you will find a new restaurant—flexible by design, inventive in purpose. Since 1984, the year George's at the Cove opened, the world has changed, and the dining public has changed with it. Dining is no longer "fine" as it was defined 20 years ago,

where coats and ties were the rule. Today's restaurant guest seeks an experience that is sophisticated but relaxed. When it comes to food, the choices must be fresh, local and appropriately seasonal. And finally, their restaurant of choice needs to provide a range of products that reflect their need for every occasion, whether a special anniversary dinner or a simple impromptu dinner with friends. Two

years in the making, Georges California Modern will answer this call to become the Southern California standard for upscale contemporary dining. From a new name, logo and graphic identity, to uniforms, tabletop design, menus and music, you will find stimulating changes throughout. Contact your Concierge for future reservations to Georges California Modern!



US Grant Hotel

### ***Pinnacle Concierges ...at it again in January***

- Gave locations & directions to nearest Christmas tree recycling centers
- Assisted with party rental supplies
- Ordered a plant for resident anniversary
- Gave several suggestions for Valentines Day restaurants and special events
- Printed several airline boarding passes and confirmed flight information
- Obtained Buick Invitational Golf tickets for residents
- Purchased and printed out SD Zoo tickets for guest suite visitors
- Gave a referral for local car detailing company
- Researched information on European river cruises
- Confirmed limo service from SD to San Pedro cruise terminal
- Researched downtown hotel availability
- Researched sushi restaurants and on site sushi chef for a party
- Booked whale watching tours
- Assisted with gym membership

A Portrait of Annie Leibovitz



## **The US Grant Hotel Reopens Its Doors**

Commanding the heart of vibrant and dynamic downtown San Diego, The US Grant has reopened its doors boasting an opulence and grandeur fitting of its debut in the Starwood Hotels Luxury Collection. Built circa 1910, an unprecedented \$52 million dollar renovation is helping to restore the historic ambiance of this world-class luxury hotel. The hotel's history and ownership's legacy will weave together with its acclaimed architecture and artistic design to create a timeless masterpiece. There are 270 elegant and tranquil guest rooms that include 47 suites. Tantalize the palate with signature California Native Regional Cuisine in the landmark restaurant Grant Grill. Newly designed and infused with energy, this iconic downtown institution represents the best in San Diego contemporary dining in a setting of sophistication and relaxation. Enjoy premium libations in the privacy of the Grant Lounge or mingle in the hotel's Grand Lobby Lounge where decades of history have unfolded.

## **From the Broadway Director of Seussical, Enjoy *Ace***

This heartwarming new musical tells the story of the hopes and dreams of three generations of fathers and sons, husbands and wives at a significant time in American history. With a soaring musical score, *Ace* pays tribute to the achievements and sacrifices made by aviation heroes of World War I and II. The Cincinnati Enquirer called it a "smart, ambitious and emotionally satisfying new musical," while Theatermania raved, "*Ace* is something you don't see very often these days, a musical with an original story...the score is moving and exhilarating. Audiences are in for a treat." *Ace* is now playing through February 18 at The Old Globe Theatre in Balboa Park. In addition, upcoming summer performances in San Diego have just been announced to include Avenue Q The Musical, Mama Mia and Michael York in Camelot! Contact your Concierge for more information.

## **2007 USA Sevens Rugby Tournament**

Petco Park opens its gates February 10 & 11 for the 2007 USA Sevens Rugby Tournament, arriving in San Diego after three years at Los Angeles' Home Depot Center. Teams from 16 nations will play 44 matches during the two-day event, including 2006's top-five ranked teams: Fiji, England, South Africa, New Zealand and Samoa. Each day will feature 10 hours of play, with 24 games on Saturday and 20 games on Sunday. Outside the stadium, burnt-out fans can refuel at the tournament's festival, which will include food vendors, beer and wine gardens, rides and games for kids, rugby gear for sale, plus a JumboTron to keep the crowd up to speed on all the action on the field. The festival is free for all ticket holders. Petco Park will also host the Women's International Rugby Tournament, February 9 & 10. Tickets run \$35 to \$125. See your Concierge for details.

## **Annie Leibovitz: Photographer's Life, 1990-2005**

This internationally traveling exhibition features approximately 200 photographs from one of the most celebrated photographers of our time, Annie Leibovitz. The exhibition encompasses both the photographer's personal and professional work, including family photographs and portraits of public figures such as Colin Powell, Demi Moore, Brad Pitt, and Bill Clinton. Leibovitz has been creating witty and powerful images of American pop culture since the early 1970s when she became *Rolling Stone's* chief photographer. She later went on to work for *Vanity Fair* and *Vogue* and also created a number of influential advertising campaigns for American Express, Gap, and the Milk Board, among others. Visit the San Diego Museum of Art in Balboa Park to see this remarkable exhibit from February 10 through April 22.