

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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Celebrate Dear ole Dad!

Celebrate dear ole Dad with a special day of fun this Father's Day, June 15. Take Pops to a Padres game complete with sweet seats, hotdogs and beer; treat him to a night of craps, roulette or poker at a local casino; surprise him with a taste trip through some of the Gaslamp Quarter's finest restaurants; but make sure you contact your Concierge for gift ideas and reservations!

2008 San Diego County Fair

The June 14 opening of the 2008 San Diego County Fair is just around the corner. Favorite rides, food, exhibits, contests and entertainment will return, and new features will create fond memories of their own for Fairgoers. With a summer of big sports events here in San Diego County (the U.S. Open) and in China (the Olympic Games), the Fair's 2008 theme is "Summer of Sports," a celebration of sports and athletes around the world. What's new at the fair this year? Well, Pop/R&B star Fergie is just one of the top entertainers who will perform for the first time at the Fair. The worlds

largest barbecue, the Outlaw Grill, will make its Fair debut in the infield. Measuring 20 feet high, weighing 27 tons and covering nearly 100 feet of grill space, the massive piece of equipment can cook more than 1,000 items simultaneously. Two new rides, StarFlyer and Speed, will offer adventure and thrills. There will be three new food competitions: Zucchini Race Contest on June 28. where entrants attach wheels to a zucchini, then decorate and race it; Make it With Malt-O-Meal on June 21, a recipe contest; and the Tailgate Party

Food contest on June 30. Finally, new exhibits will focus on agricultural topics past and present in the AgriFair building. This fair is the largest annual event in San Diego County and the fifth largest fair in the United States! The Fair will be open June 14 through July 6. Contact your Concierge if you would like more information.



San Diego Restaurant Week, June 22 - 27

San Diego Restaurant
Week gives local food
aficionados and visitors an
opportunity to enjoy special
three-course, prix fixe
menus from more than 130
participating restaurants
throughout San Diego
County for \$30 or \$40 per
person (tax, beverage and
gratuity are not included).
The six-day culinary event

will give local patrons and visitors alike the opportunity to explore the city's diverse array of dining experiences. Participating restaurants span the entire county from Oceanside to Coronado to Rancho Bernardo, offering guests incredible dining values while showcasing

specialty dishes and highlighting popular items from their menus. Food lovers may simply dine out at as many participating restaurants as they like during the week. Advance reservations are strongly recommended. Contact your Concierge for assistance and a list of participating restaurants.

Pick up your
Concierge survey
at the
Concierge Desk.
We appreciate
your feedback!

Your Concierge Team was at it again in May!

- Assisted with Mother's Day gift baskets and flower orders
- Referred a handyman, carpet cleaning and tailor
- Arranged for UPS and FedEx package pick ups
- Printed directions and boarding passes
- Made many dinner reservations
- Coordinated mail holds for traveling residents
- Assisted with dry cleaning pick up and delivery
- Called for many cabs

Jazz Great Boney James to Perform at Thornton Winery Champagne Jazz



CATS at the San Diego Civic Theatre

There's no better way to introduce your family to the wonders of live theater than with the magic, the mystery, the memory of CATS. What began as a musical about cats after Andrew Lloyd Webber picked up a book of poems in an airport bookshop has become one of the longest running shows in Broadway's history. Winner of seven Tony Awards® including Best Musical, CATS features 20 of Andrew Lloyd Webber's timeless melodies. Catch this wonderful performance at the San Diego Civic Theatre, June 3-8. Your Concierge can assist with ticket purchase.

The REP's Party with a Point of View

Join the 15th Annual Party with a Point of View at one of the most intimate and elegant venues in Balboa Park while celebrating the REP with good food, good friends, good fundraising, and great entertainment! Proceeds from the Party with a Point of View benefit the REP's artistic and educational programs, allowing them to continue to produce adventurous theatre that explores values vital to our community with artists and audiences who reflect the diversity of our region. Enjoy live music, dance, new vaudeville, specialty acts and surprise appearances by one-of-a-kind performers on Saturday, June 7 6:30 – 11 pm at Balboa Park's House of Hospitality. Ticket prices range from \$175 to \$275. Contact your Concierge for more details.

Enjoy the Greek Festival

Treat yourself to an enjoyable festival featuring Greek food, imported beer, live Greek music and dancing. There are drawings for prizes, games for kids, church tours and more. Park at Roosevelt Junior High and take the shuttle to the festival taking place at St. Spyridon Greek Orthodox Church, 3655 Park Blvd, which is 4 blocks from the zoo. The festival will run on Friday, June 6 from 5 to10 pm; Saturday, June 7, 11 am-10 pm; and Sunday, June 8 from 11 am to 9 pm. Contact your Concierge for directions.

A Day in Pompeii

History class comes to life and an entire world waits for visitors to learn the ancient story of human drama and natural disaster that happened nearly 2000 years ago. This compelling exhibition features authentic artifacts from Pompeii, buried in 79 CE by a disastrous eruption of Vesuvius and rediscovered in 1748. Body casts of the volcano's unsuspecting victims will send chills running up spines, and objects such as frescoes, jewelry, and household items will take visitors back in time to experience life and death in ancient Rome's much loved vacation destination. A Day in Pompeii is featured at the San Diego Natural History Museum in Balboa Park through June 15.

Thornton Winery Champagne Jazz Series

The 20th annual Thornton Winery Champagne Jazz Series continues to provide a stellar lineup of nationally renowned contemporary jazz artists. The intimate and acoustically superb Mediterranean fountain terrace, overlooking the beautiful Temecula Wine Country, offers a memorable and unique concert experience unmatched in Southern California. Tickets for the entire 2008 Champagne Jazz Series are on-sale now with performances beginning June 7 and running through October 11. Your Concierge can assist in finding a special package just for you. Season tickets featured reserved seating, individual general admission single concert tickets and Gourmet Supper packages are also available. There are many unique accommodations in Temecula. Why not make a weekend of it! Contact your Concierge for reservation assistance.