

## Sep. 27 - Nov. 2, Haunted Trail Balboa Park

**Refer to Website** 

Enter a mile-long trail through twisted trees to experience an outdoor terror too immense for indoors. Look out for Krampus and his snowmen, Pennywise, Leatherface, Freddy, and Michael Myers roaming the trail. Escape the PURGE-infested Maze, Ghoul Bus, and Upside Down world!

Location: Balboa Park www.hauntedtrail.net

### Oct. 4-6, La Mesa Oktoberfest - Free Event

4-10pm Friday, 10am-10pm Saturday, 10am-6pm Sunday

Sample a smorgasbord of top-notch German food, family-friendly activities, hundreds of exhibitors, live music, dancing, games, rides, and of course, beer! Grab your steins and get ready to "Prost!" because there's a libation to satisfy the taste of every Mann or Frau at this year's Oktoberfest.

Location: La Mesa Village, 8401 La Mesa Blvd., La Mesa

www.lamesaoktoberfest.org

### Oct. 5, Mira Mesa Street Fair - Free Event

10am-5pm

Enjoy a day of family fun with two stages of entertainment and live music, international food, a carnival, children's activities including pony rides and inflatables, vendor booths, informational displays, a solar telescope, and more.

Location: Camino Ruiz & Mira Mesa Blvd., Mira Mesa www.miramesatowncouncil.org/mira-mesa-street-fair

## Oct. 5, Pacific Beachfest

11am-7pm

Come see what all the excitement is about at San Diego's premier beach fest- a free, music-packed event for all ages. Activities include a 5K race, fish taco contest, beer garden, sidewalk sale, beach volleyball, sunset yoga, and kids' area.

Location: Pacific Beach Boardwalk, Pacific Beach

www.pacificbeachfest.org

### Oct. 12, San Diego Serbian Festival

11am-Midnight

Indulge in authentic Serbian food, including homemade pastries and crepes, and enjoy traditional Serbian live music and folk dances. There will be an open market, artwork, refreshments, a Kids' Zone, and more.

Location: St. George Church, 3025 Denver St., Bay Park

www.sdserbianfestival.com

## Oct. 12-13, La Jolla Art & Wine Festival (LJAWF) - Free Event

10am-6pm

Don't miss this juried art show featuring over 150 artists from across the continent. With an iconic wine and beer garden, gourment marketplace, silent auction, live music, pet adoptions, and kids' area, there is something for everyone! All profits benefit programs at local public elementary and middle schools.

Location: Girard Ave., La Jolla

www.ljawf.com

#### Oct. 17, Taste of Point Loma

5-8pm

Sip and savor your way through fresh seafood, decadent desserts, and a variety of ethnic cuisine from an array of restaurants, cafes, and bakeries. Drinks will be available for purchase. Proceeds from the event go to the Peninsula Chamber and Point Loma Association to support business outreach, promotion, and the community.

Location: Sail Wash Lawn & Deck, San Diego Yacht Club, 1011 Anchorage Ln., La Playa

www.sdyc.org/calendar/event/taste-of-point-loma19

# Oct. 18-20, Borrego Days Desert Festival

**Refer to Website** 

Prepare to be wowed from the streets to the skies! This desert festival includes a mesmerizing air parade, an elaborate ground parade, a car show, live music, artwork, great food, unique vendors, a beverage garden, a kids' zone, and more.

Location: Christmas Tree Circle Community Park, Borrego Springs

www.borregodays.com



Oct. 20, SaltDOG Classic

11am-6pm

Gather friends and family for a salty day of festivities to support local charity- a San Diego-style grass roots festival including live music, vendors, artists, beach games, and a Tiki Bar. This year's non-profit is Rancho Coastal Humane Society.

Location: Seaside Beach, 2526 S. Coast Hwy. 101, Solana Beach

www.saltdogclassic.com

### Oct. 24, Hollywood Harvest Howl

6-9pm

Dress as your favorite star or in your best Hollywood glam and join friends, colleagues, and local real estate professionals for an evening of food, drinks, silent auctions, live entertainment, and fundraising for the San Diego LGBT Community Center's Youth Housing Project.

Location: The Abbey, 2825 5th Ave., San Diego

www.maryah.org

### Oct. 26, Bubble RUN San Diego

Refer to Website

Run, walk, dance, and play across three miles of fun! At each kilometer, get covered in loads of colored foam from head to toe! Participants receive a race bib, t-shirt, headband, and temporary tattoo.

Location: North Island Credit Union Ampitheatre www.bubblerun.com/upcoming-locations/san-diego

## Oct. 26, North Park Day of the Dead Festival

11am-5pm

Honor the spirits of departed loved one for this vibrant Mexican holiday with sugar-skull decorating, face-painting, a community altar, mezcal tequilla tasting, craft purveyors, food trucks, beer, music, and more.

Location: Artelexia, 3803 Ray St., North Park www.dayofthedeadfestivalnorthpark.com

### Oct. 26, Rancho BEERnardo Festival

1-5pm (VIP), 2-5pm (General Admission)

Indulge in over 50 IPAs, other outstanding craft beers, and regional wine selections at Rancho Bernardo Sunrise Rotary Club's biggest fundraiser of the year. Enjoy gourmet food, live music, games, and more. Proceeds will go to numerous local, domestic, and international charities.

Location: Webb Park, 16826 Bernardo Center Dr., Rancho Bernardo

www.ranchobernardofestival.com

## Oct. 26-27, Haunted Aquarium: Sea Monster Mash

6-9pm

Discover a sea of glowing beasts, create seaweed slime and witch-crafts, and enjoy spooky stories, all while boo-gieing down to live music and having a monstrously good time. Don't forget to check out the recylced plastic pumpkin patch!

Location: Birch Aguarium, 2300 Expedition Way, La Jolla

www.aguarium.ucsd.edu/experiences/events/haunted-aguarium

