

Balboa Park 6 Month Calendar

January - June 2026

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Citywide Special Events/Road/Parking Lot Closures- **BOLD**

City Holidays - **BOLD**

For reference only - subject to change

Date	Attendance	Event	Time	Location
January				
1 (Thurs)	300	New Years Day	10am-5pm	Fleet Science Center
5 (Mon)	100-150	Senior Monday discount 65+ & Sharp Minds	10:30-11:30am Lecture & 12noon film	Fleet Science Center
6 (Tue)	220	Meeting	8am-3pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
6 (Tue)	2,000-3,000	Free Tuesday	10am- 5pm	Fleet Science Center
7 (Wed)	400	Sky Tonight Planetarium	7pm & 8:15pm	Fleet Science Center
8 (Thurs)	250	ASW Dance	8am-6pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
9 (Fri)	200-400	James Hood- Astronomica	5-9:30pm	Fleet Science Center
10 (Sat)	200-400	Jmaes Hood- Astronomica	5-9:30pm	Fleet Science Center
11 (Sun)	100	Sky Tonight: Weekend edition	11am-12noon	Fleet Science Center
13 (Tue)	600	AXIS - Grinch Sensory Friendly	8am-10am	The Old Globe
16 (Sat)	200-400	James Hood- Astronomica	5-9:30pm	Fleet Science Center
17 (Sat)	100-175	Accessibility Morning, early opening & early 10am film	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
18 (Sun)	100	Fleet Member Early morning	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
20 (Tue)	350	Meeting	8am-11am	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
22 (Thurs)	250	AWS Dance	8am-6pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
24 (Sat)	300	Sci-Tech Fall Challenge	8am-12noon	Fleet Science Center
29 (Thurs)	200	Event	1-10pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
31 (Sat)	200-400	Candlelight Concerts	6:15pm &	Fleet Science Center
31 (Sat)	150	Luncheon	9am-6pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
February				
13 (Fri)	TBA	Hold for event	5-9:30pm	Fleet Science Center
14 (Sat)	TBA	Hold for Artemis Event	10am-5pm	Fleet Science Center
25 (Sun)	TBA	Hold for Artemis Event	10am-5pm	Fleet Science Center
16 (Mon)	125	Ceremony	4:30-9:30pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
18 (Wed)	300	City Meeting	8am-6pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
19 (Thurs)	300	Meeting	4:30-8:30pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
20 (Fri)	200	Wedding	3-10pm	Casa Del Prado - Patio B
20-22	4000	Chinese New Year Fair	11am-5pm	International Lawn, HPR Lawn
26 (Thurs)	250	AWS Dance	8am-4pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
28 (Sat)	200-400	Candlelight Concerts	6:15 & 8:30pm	Fleet Science Center
March				
2 (Mon)	100-150 Seniors	Senior Monday discount 65+ & Sharp Minds	10:30-11:30am Lecture; 12noon film	Fleet Science Center
3 (Tue)	2,000 - 3,000	Free Tuesday	10am-5pm	Fleet Science Center
3 (Tue)	300	Expo	8am-3pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
4 (Wed)	400	Sky Tonight Planetarium	7pm & 8:15pm	Fleet Science Center
8 (Sun)	100	Sky Tonight: Weekend edition	11am -12noon	Fleet Science Center

8 (Sun)	9,000	SKECHERS: Hot Chocolate Run	5am-1pm	Golden Hills Park/Bird Park - For route & event information, please visit organization website.
12 (Thurs)	250	AWS Dance	8am-4pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
13 (Fri)	200-400	Candlelight Concerts	6:15 & 8:30pm	Fleet Science Center
14 (Sat)	200-400	Candlelight Concerts	6:15 & 8:30pm	Fleet Science Center
14 (Sat)	9,500	44th Sant Patrick's Day Parade & Festival	9am-6pm	6th Ave & Laurel Street - North Lawn - For route & event information, please visit organization website.
15 (Sun)	100	Fleet Member Early morning	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
19 (Thurs)	250	AWS Talent Show	8am-4pm	War Memorial Building - Auditorium
20 (Fri)	300	Voices of Our City - Free Concert	10:30am-5:30pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
21 (Sat)	500	Guacamole Bowl	8am-4pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
21 (Sat)	300	Girls Scouts: Incredible Race	7am-12:30pm	Parks & Presidents Lawn
21 (Sat)	200	Accessibility Morning, early opening & early 10am	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
21 (Sat)	800	Mission Hills 5K/Finish Line Fun Fair	8am-1pm	Pioneer Park/Mission Hills Park - For route & event information, please visit organization website.
25 (Wed)	400	Meeting	8am-3pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
26 (Thurs)	250	AWS Dance	8am-4pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
April				
1 (Wed)	400	Sky Tonight Planetarium	7pm & 8:15pm	Fleet Science Center
3 & 4	700	Makers Arcade (Pending)	10am-5pm	6th Ave & Laurel North Lawn For event information, please visit organization website.
6 (Mon)	100-150 Seniors	Senior Monday discount 65+ & Sharp Minds	10:30-11:30am Lecture; 12noon film	Fleet Science Center
7 (Tue)	3,000 - 5,000	Free Tuesday	10am-5pm	Fleet Science Center
8 (Wed)	120	Society of American Military Engineers Event	6:30-10:30am	Fleet Science Center
9 (Thurs)	250	AWS Dance	8am-4pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
11 (Sat)	5,000	Race for Autism	11am -12noon	6th Ave & Laurel Street - South Lawn - For route & event information, please visit organization website.
12 (Sun)	100	Sky Tonight: Weekend edition	6pm-10pm	Fleet Science Center
16 (Thurs)	TBA	Hold for event	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
18 (Sat)	200	Accessibility Morning, early opening & early 10am	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
19 (Sun)	100	Fleet Member Early morning	9am-12noon	Fleet Science Center
21 (Tue)	300	Meeting	8am-4pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
22 (Wed)	TBA	Hold for event	11am-5pm	Fleet Science Center
23 (Thurs)	250	AWS Dance	8am-4pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
24 (Fri)	450	PIMA Graduation	11am-5pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
25 (Sat)	900	Annual Book Party	8am-12pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
25 (Sat)	3,000	EarthFest	6am-8pm	Park and Presidents Way Lawn - For route & event information, please visit organization website.
27 (Mon)	380	Meeting	8am-3pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
30 (Thurs)	325	Private Event	9aam-3pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
May				
2 (Sat)	250	Training	8am-1pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
8 (Fri)	2,000	CWSL Commencement Ceremony	8am-4pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
8 & 9	800	Balboa Park Pow Wow 2026	10am-6pm	Park & Presidents Way
16 (Sat)	1,000	March for Babies	7:30-11:30am	6th Ave & Laurel Street - South Lawn - For route & event information, please visit organization website.
16 (Sat)	500	SD Susuki School of Music	2-5pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
18 (Mon)	500	The Learning Choice Academy Student Project	8am-1pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom

19 (Tue)	300	Pacific Coast Academy	8am-5pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
20 (Wed)	350	Meeting	8-11am	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
22 (Fri)	250	TRACE School Graduation	10am-1pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
26 (Tue)	700	Twain HS Graduation	8am-12pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
26 (Tue)	800	Roosevelt Middle School Promotion	2-5pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
27 (Wed)	500	The Learning Choice - 8th Grade Promotion	8am-2pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
27 (Wed)	700	Garfield HS Graduation	8:30am-12:30pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
27 (Wed)	2,400	Keanry HS Graduation	2:30-8:30pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
28 (Thurs)	2,000	Commencement SD City College	7am-10pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
29 (Fri)	700	Spreckels Organ Pavilion	8am-12pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
June				
1 (Mon)	1,200	Graduation	2-5pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
1 (Mon)	100-150 Seniors	Senior Monday discount 65+ & Sharp Minds	10:30-11:30am Lecture & 12noon film	Fleet Science Center
2 (Tue)	4,000- 5,000	Free Tuesday	10am- 5pm	Fleet Science Center
2 (Tue)	1,200	Graduation	2-5pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
2 (Tue)	250	Luncheon	8am-4pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom
3 (Wed)	400	Sky Tonight Planetarium	7pm & 8:15pm	Fleet Science Center
3 (Wed)	300	Youth Summit	8am-3:30pm	War Memorial Building - Auditorium
3 (Wed)	600	Graduation	1-7pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
4 (Thurs)	400	Graduation	8am-1pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
5 (Fri)	250	Graduation	8am-11:30am	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
5 (Fri)	500	Graduation	2-6:30pm	Spreckels Organ Pavilion
14 (Sun)	100	Sky Tonight: Weekend edition	11am-12noon	Fleet Science Center
20 (Sat)	100-175	Accessibility Morning, early opening & early 10am	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
21 (Sun)	100	Fleet Member Early morning	9am-10am	Fleet Science Center
27 (Sat)	300	Event	12-10pm	Balboa Park Club - Ballroom