

SAN DIEGO EVENTS

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FEBRUARY 1

SETSEBUN

This event will take place inside the Japanese Friendship Garden's gates. Guests are invited to make special oni masks, as well as participate in the Mamemaki, or bean tossing event. Guests can also enjoy performances, demonstrations, crafts, and food.

Location: Balboa Park, Japanese Friendship Garden & Museum
Cost: Varies
More information: <https://www.niwa.org/setsubun2026>

FEBRUARY 6 - 7

GAINS FIT MEGA FEST SAN DIEGO

Mega Fest promises an unforgettable experience, featuring a diverse lineup of international music artists, food vendors offering global cuisine, and interactive art installations. Attendees can also look forward to a range of activities, including workshops, panel discussions, and a dedicated area for children's entertainment.

Location: Hilton Garden Inn-San Diego Mission Valley Stadium
Cost: Varies
More information: <https://gainsfitretreat.com/san-diego/>

FEBRUARY 13- 17

SAN DIEGO MARDI GRAS IN THE GASLAMP

This is a vibrant and high-energy celebration that brings the spirit of New Orleans to the heart of downtown San Diego. The event features entry to over 20 Fifth Avenue bars, restaurants, and clubs, transforming the Gaslamp Quarter into a festive party zone.

Location: American Junkie
Cost: Varies
More information: www.gaslampevent.com/amo-team/san-diego-zombie-crawl-2019/

FEBRUARY 20 - 22

SAN DIEGO TÊT FESTIVAL

Celebrate the vibrant cultural heritage of Vietnam at the San Diego Tet Festival. Filled with mouthwatering Vietnamese dishes, traditional music performances, folk dances, and innovative art displays, the festival is a wonderful rediscovery of authentic Vietnamese traditions.

Location: Liberty Station NTC Park
Cost: Free
More information: <https://www.sdtet.com/>

FEBRUARY 6

UNDERTOW GOLF TOURNAMENT 2026

The Undertow Charity Golf Classic takes place just days after the Farmers Insurance Open, offering you the chance to experience the course in pristine, PGA Tour-level condition - don't miss out!

Location: Torrey Pines Golf Course
Cost: Varies
More information: <https://www.sandiegoparksfoundation.org/undertow-charity-golf-classic>

FEBRUARY 8

HUNGRY DOG DASH

This is an annual event that caters to runners and walkers of all skill levels and ages, even welcoming leashed, four-legged friends. The event also supports the Point Loma High School Cross Country Team, with finish line activities featuring live music, food, drinks, a local business vendor village, and fun for everyone

Location: Liberty Station NTC Park
Cost: Varies
More information: runsignup.com/Race/CA/SanDiego/HungryDogDash

FEBRUARY 14

VALENTINE'S DAY DINNER - DOCKSIDE 1953

Spoil your special someone with a delicious three-course dining experience at Dockside 1953 on Mission Bay. Start your dinner with a complimentary champagne toast, and continue your evening with a chef-curated menu. The stunning views of the marina and live entertainment make this a Valentine's Day to remember. **Seating is limited and reservations are encouraged.**

Location: Dockside 1953 - Bahia Resort Hotel
Cost: Varies
More information: www.bahiahotel.com/event/valentines-day-dinner

FEBRUARY 21

SAN PASQUAL VALLEY TRAIL RACE

The 9th Annual San Pasqual Valley Trail Race offers a scenic running experience through the vineyards and orange groves of San Diego County. Runners can look forward to a unique finish line experience, featuring free wine tasting from local vineyards, making the effort all the more rewarding.

Location: San Pasqual Staging Lot
Cost: Varies
More information: www.enduranceraceseries.com/san-pasqual-valley

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SUSHI CHEF BATTLE LIVE

Experience the thrill of a live culinary showdown at the Sushi Smackdown, where two skilled sushi chefs compete for supremacy. There will be unique opportunity to taste the dishes, judge the creations, and ultimately vote for the winning chef, making this an interactive, high-energy event not to be missed.

Location: Sushi Yama - 500 N Escondido Blvd.

Cost: Varies

More information: <https://www.sushismackdown.com>

FEBRUARY 25 - 28

OCEANSIDE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

The 15th Oceanside International Film Festival promises to be a four-day celebration of cinema, art, and community in one of California's designated cultural districts. With a focus on themes of perseverance, coexistence, and the environment, the festival invites filmmakers and movie lovers to experience the best of 2026's independent cinema.

Location: Sunshine Brooks Theater

Cost: Varies

More information: <https://osidefilm.org/>

FEBRUARY 22

SAN DIEGO FAMILY FUN FEST

The San Diego Family Fun Fest promises a day packed with child-friendly interactive stations, including a zipline, bounce house, and themed crafts. This free event also offers a wealth of resources for families, ensuring a day of nonstop play and valuable information.

Location: The Salvation Army Kroc Center Corner Zone

Cost: Free

More information: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/san-diego-family-fun-fest-tickets-1976621198213?aff=oddtcreator>

FEBRUARY 28

FIDO FEST

Bring Fido to this fun, annual event featuring a wide variety of exhibitors, giveaways, pet adoptions, microchipping and pet licensing, live entertainment, an interactive zone, contests and more! All dogs attending must be well behaved and up-to-date on vaccinations. Enjoy all the fun doggie activities-Dog agility course, dog costume contest, pet focused exhibitors, LIVE entertainment & vendors selling delicious food! Family fun, FREE entry & parking.

Location: Santee Town Center Community Park East

Cost: FREE! And free parking!

More information: <https://www.thegreatjunkhunt.com/purchase-tickets>

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