

APRIL 2019 *CALENDAR OF EVENTS*

Your official guide to what's happening
in and around Scottsdale



APRIL HIGHLIGHTS



ARIZONA BIKE WEEK

April 3-7, 2019 | azbikeweek.com

Bike Week is Arizona's hottest ride! Motorcycle enthusiasts of all skillsets are welcome. There will be daily charity rides, stunt shows, bike races and nightly concerts by bands like George Thorogood and the Destroyers, 3 Doors Down and Buckcherry.



*SIP OF SCOTTSDALE ARTWALK

April 11, 2019 | scottsdalegalleries.com

Great art and great wine have always been the perfect mix, and at this special Gold Palette ArtWalk you'll enjoy tastings of local Arizona wines in many of the galleries. This event is held in partnership with the Scottsdale Wine Trail and Sonoita AVA.



SCOTTSDALE CULINARY FESTIVAL

April 13-14, 2019 | scottsdalefest.org

This culinary extravaganza is your passport to exploring flavors of the world. Highlights include 35+ participating restaurants, Four Peaks Beer Garden, chocolate sampling and Family Fun Zone. Enjoy live music on three stages all weekend long.



NIRVANA FOOD & WINE FESTIVAL

April 24-28, 2019 | nirvanafoodandwine.com

Join dozens of local and national celebrity chefs at Sanctuary on Camelback Mountain for one of the season's most anticipated culinary celebrations. Events include four Master of Taste wine dinners and the Best of the West dinner.



JUNK IN THE TRUNK VINTAGE MARKET

April 26-28, 2019 | junkinthetrunkvintagemarket.com

If the words "vintage, rusty, chippy and handmade" make your shopper's heart go pitter-patter, this is the event for you! Browse more than 100,000 square feet of vintage treasures while enjoying live music and local food trucks.



NATIVE NATION

April 27-28, 2019 | asugammage.com

Native Nation is an Indigenous theatrical experience for the whole family. Part marketplace, cultural performance, community gathering and theater, Native Nation is a new experience that will forever change the way you see this land.

* denotes free event

APRIL EVENTS

ONGOING EVENTS

Bodies Revealed

OdySea in the Desert
bodiesaz.com
Thru 4/21/19

*McDowell Sonoran Conservancy Guided Hike and Bike Tours

Locations vary, see website for details
mcdowellsonoran.org/events
Thru 4/30/19

Bugs. BIG BUGS!

Phoenix Zoo
602-286-3800, phoenixzoo.org
Thru 4/28/19

Monsterfish

OdySea Aquarium
480-291-8000, odyseaaquarium.com
Thru 5/5/19

Electric Desert: Light & Sound Experience by Klip Collective

Desert Botanical Garden
480-481-8188, dbg.org
Thru 5/12/19

Now Playing: Video 1999-2019

Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art
480-874-4666, smoca.org
Thru 5/12/19



Josef Albers in Mexico

Heard Museum
602-252-8840, heard.org
Thru 5/27/19
This exhibition showcases rarely seen paintings by Albers, as well as seminal works like "Homage to the Square" and a selection of photos and photocollage work.

Fragments: Broken Bowls Tell More Tales

Pueblo Grande Museum &
Archaeological Park
602-495-0901, pueblogrande.com
Thru 7/31/19



Paul Calle's Life of Exploration: From the Mountains to the Moon

Western Spirit: Scottsdale's Museum of the West
480-686-9539
scottsdalemuseumwest.org
Thru 10/20/19
Paul Calle was best known for painting and drawing the historic American West as well as NASA artwork and postage stamp designs including the iconic 1969 First Man on the Moon stamp.

WEEKLY FEATURE



*Scottsdale ArtWalk

Old Town Scottsdale
Every Thursday, 7 p.m. - 9 p.m.
scottsdalegalleries.com
Scottsdale's legendary ArtWalk began in 1975 and is celebrated throughout the Old Town Scottsdale Arts District every Thursday evening year-round from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Stroll at your own pace through dozens of galleries as you enjoy live music, artist demonstrations and inspiring exhibitions.

APRIL 2

Robyn Hitchcock

Musical Instrument Museum, 7 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org



APRIL 2-MAY 5

"Wicked"

ASU Gammage, see website for details
480-965-3434, asugammage.com
This Broadway sensation explores what happened in the Land of Oz long before Dorothy arrived.

APRIL 3

Sierra Hull

Musical Instrument Museum, 7 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org

APRIL 3-7

Arizona Bike Week

WestWorld of Scottsdale
See website for details
480-644-8191, azbikeweek.com

APRIL 4

Roars & Pours

Phoenix Zoo, 5:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
602-286-3800, phoenixzoo.org

SFJazz Collective: Music of Miles Davis

Musical Instrument Museum, 7:30 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org

APRIL 4, 11, 18, 25

*Scottsdale ArtWalk

Scottsdale Arts District (Main St. & Marshall Way), 7 p.m. - 9 p.m.
scottsdalegalleries.com

APRIL 5

Buggie Nights

Phoenix Zoo, 6 p.m. - 8 p.m.
602-286-3800, phoenixzoo.org

The Abney Effect

ASU Kerr Cultural Center, 7:30 p.m.
480-596-2660, asukerr.com

Al Stewart

The Showroom at Talking Stick Resort
8 p.m.
480-850-7777 / talkingstickresort.com

APRIL 5-7

"Death of a Salesman"

Scottsdale Desert Stages Theatre
Fri. & Sat., 7:30 p.m. / Sun., 2 p.m.
480-483-1664, desertstages.org

"Oliver!"

Scottsdale Desert Stages Theatre
Fri. & Sat., 7:30 p.m. / Sat. & Sun., 2 p.m.
480-483-1664, desertstages.org

Succulent Show & Sale

Desert Botanical Garden, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
480-941-1225, dbg.org

APRIL 5, 12, 19, 26

*Native American Dancin

Hyatt Regency Scottsdale, 5 p.m.
480-444-1234, scottsdale.hyatt.com

APRIL 6

Run the Runway

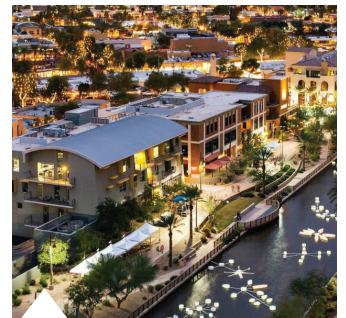
Scottsdale Airport, 6 a.m. - 10 a.m.
runtherunwayaz.com

*Cultural Connections Concert Series: Rhythms of the World

Odyssey in the Desert, 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.
odyseainthedesert.com

Ron White

Salt River Grand Ballroom at Talking Stick Resort, 5 p.m. & 8 p.m.
480-850-7777 / talkingstickresort.com



The Original Taste at Scottsdale Waterfront

Scottsdale Waterfront, 7 p.m. - 10 p.m.
480-420-3270
ec70phx.com/the-original-taste
Enjoy tastes from more than 40 Valley restaurants, 50+ global wines, and select brands of beer and premium liquor.

Beer 101

Scottsdale Center for the Performing Arts
7 p.m.
480-499-8587, scottsdalearts.org

Davis Circus of Illusion

Wonders of the World Theater at Cattle Track, 7:30 p.m.
480-330-1592, davisircusofillusion.com

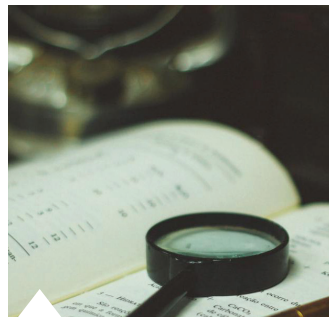
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Pokey LaFarge

Musical Instrument Museum, 7:30 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org

Midori & Jean-Yves Thibaudet

Scottsdale Center for the Performing Arts
8 p.m.
480-499-8587, scottsdalearts.org

**Mystery in the Museum: Mayhem at the Matinée**

Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art
6 p.m.
480-874-4666, smoca.org
Mayhem is unleashed at the red-carpet movie premier and the only way through the chaos is to follow the clues!

APRIL 6-7**Phoenix Pride Festival**

Steele Indian School Park
12 p.m. – 9 p.m.
602-277-7433, phoenixpride.org

APRIL 6, 13, 20, 27***Old Town Farmers' Market**

Brown Ave. & First St., 8 a.m. – 1 p.m.
623-848-1234
arizonacommunityfarmersmarkets.com

APRIL 7***Phoenix Pride Parade**

Steele Indian School Park, 10 a.m.
602-277-7433, phoenixpride.org

***Sunday A'Fair**

Scottsdale Civic Center Park
12 p.m. – 4 p.m.
480-499-8587, scottsdalearts.org

Sunday Concerts in the Garden:**Sahnas Brothers Band**

Desert Botanical Garden
3:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
480-941-1225, dbg.org

Jerusalem Quartet

Scottsdale Center for the Performing Arts
5 p.m.
480-499-8587, scottsdalearts.org

APRIL 10**Della Mae**

Musical Instrument Museum, 7 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org

Charles Lewis Quintet

ASU Kerr Cultural Center, 7:30 p.m.
480-596-2660, asukerr.com

APRIL 11***Sip of Scottsdale ArtWalk**

Scottsdale Arts District (Main St. & Marshall Way), 6:30 p.m. – 9 p.m.
scottsdalegalleries.com

Trace Bundy

Musical Instrument Museum, 7:30 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org

APRIL 12**Söndörgö**

Musical Instrument Museum, 7:30 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org

Tyler Henry – The Hollywood Medium

Salt River Grand Ballroom at Talking Stick Resort, 8 p.m.
480-850-7777 / talkingstickresort.com

**APRIL 12-14****Arizona Tiki Oasis**

Hotel Valley Ho, see website for details
aztkioasis.com
This weekend celebration of the island lifestyle includes a tiki artist marketplace, poolside luau and tropical cocktails.

"Death of a Salesman"

Scottsdale Desert Stages Theatre
Fri. & Sat., 7:30 p.m. / Sun., 2 p.m.
480-483-1664, desertstages.org

"Oliver!"

Scottsdale Desert Stages Theatre
Fri. & Sat., 7:30 p.m. / Sat. & Sun., 2 p.m.
480-483-1664, desertstages.org

APRIL 13**Earth Day: Party for the Planet**

Phoenix Zoo, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
602-286-3800, phoenixzoo.org

***Artisan Fest**

OdySea in the Desert, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
odyseainthedesert.com

***Downtown Scottsdale Art & Cultural Trolley Tour**

Departs from Old Adobe Mission, 10:30 a.m.
602-826-3155, ultimatearttours.com
(Reservations required)

***Movies in the Desert: "Ralph Breaks the Internet"**

OdySea in the Desert, 5 p.m. – 9 p.m.
odyseainthedesert.com

APRIL 13-14**Scottsdale Culinary Festival**

Scottsdale Civic Center Park
Sat., 12 p.m. – 9 p.m. / Sun., 12 p.m. – 6 p.m.
480-945-7193, scottsdalefest.org

APRIL 14**Sunday Concerts in the Garden:****Pete Pancrazi Band**

Desert Botanical Garden
3:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.
480-941-1225, dbg.org

APRIL 18**Nightlife at OdySea Aquarium: Rat Pack/Casino Night**

OdySea Aquarium, see website for details
480-291-8000, odyseaaquarium.com

Spyro Gyra

Musical Instrument Museum
7 p.m. & 9 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org

Now Showing @SMoCA: Tania Libre

Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art, 7 p.m.
480-874-4666, smoca.org

APRIL 19**Pt Vishwamohan Bhatt Live**

Scottsdale Center for the Performing Arts
5:30 p.m.
480-499-8587, scottsdalearts.org

**APRIL 19-21****"Oliver!"**

Scottsdale Desert Stages Theatre
Fri. & Sat., 7:30 p.m. / Sat. & Sun., 2 p.m.
480-483-1664, desertstages.org
The streets of Victorian England come to life during the escapades of the young orphan, Oliver.

APRIL 20**Ben Vereen**

Musical Instrument Museum
6 p.m. & 8 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org

**Davis Circus of Illusion**

Wonders of the World Theater at Cattle Track, 7:30 p.m.
480-330-1592, daviscircusofillusion.com
Join master illusionist Craig Davis and award-winning dancer Myryka for a most magical evening!

APRIL 21**Clarice and Sergio Assad**

Musical Instrument Museum, 7 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org

APRIL 22**ASU Barrett Choir, Choral Union, Wind Orchestra: An American Festival**

Scottsdale Center for the Performing Arts
7:30 p.m.
480-499-8587, scottsdalearts.org

APRIL 23**Talk Cinema**

Scottsdale Center for the Performing Arts
7 p.m.
480-499-8587, scottsdalearts.org

APRIL 24**MIM Musical Interludes Series: Contemporary Percussion Ensemble**

Musical Instrument Museum, 10:30 a.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org

Sanjay Subrahmanyam

Musical Instrument Museum, 7 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org

APRIL 24-28**Nirvana Food & Wine Festival**

Sanctuary on Camelback Mountain
See website for details
877-808-9463
nirvanafoodandwine.com

** denotes free event*

APRIL 25

A Documentary Video Festival

Scottsdale Museum of Contemporary Art
7 p.m.
480-874-4666, smoca.org

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Musical Instrument Museum, 7:30 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org



APRIL 26

Langston Hughes's "Ask Your Mama: 12 Moods for Jazz"

Musical Instrument Museum, 7:30 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org
Enjoy a magical evening of words, sounds and images with jazz legend Langston Hughes.

APRIL 26-28

Junk in the Trunk Vintage Market

WestWorld of Scottsdale
Fri., 5 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Sat. & Sun., 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
480-696-4018
junkinthetrunkvintagemarket.com

"Oliver!"

Scottsdale Desert Stages Theatre
Fri. & Sat., 7:30 p.m. / Sat. & Sun., 2 p.m.
480-483-1664, desertstages.org

"Broadway Bound"

Scottsdale Desert Stages Theatre
Fri. & Sat., 7:30 p.m. / Sun., 2 p.m.
480-483-1664, desertstages.org

APRIL 27

Davis Circus of Illusion

Wonders of the World Theater at Cattle Track, 7:30 p.m.
480-330-1592, davisircusofillusion.com

APRIL 27-28

Native Nation

Steele Indian School Park
Performances at 2 p.m. & 7 p.m.
Marketplace open from 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.
480-965-3434, asugammage.com



APRIL 28

Día del Niño

Phoenix Zoo, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
602-286-3800, phoenixzoo.org
A festive celebration featuring family-friendly entertainment and activities, all with a Latin flare!

Sabor a Cuba @ The Canal Club

The Scott Resort & Spa, 7 p.m.
480-499-8587, scottsdalearts.org

Amy Hānaiali'i

Musical Instrument Museum, 8 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org

APRIL 30

Keiko Matsui

Musical Instrument Museum, 7 p.m.
480-478-6000, mim.org

UPCOMING EVENTS



LEE ANN WOMACK

May 3, 2019 | mim.org

Country music legend Lee Ann Womack brings her sultry voice and music from her album "The Lonely, The Lonesome and the Gone" to MIM Music Theater. The album is a breathtaking hybrid of country, soul, gospel and blues that Womack says comes from her core.



DAVID SEDARIS

May 4, 2019 | scottsdalearts.org

One of America's pre-eminent humor writers, David Sedaris slices through cultural euphemisms and political correctness, proving he is a master of satire and one of the most observant writers addressing the human condition today.



LIT & SIP

May 7, 2019 | dbg.org

Savor a cocktail as you stroll through the Garden's light and sound experience, Electric Desert. Then grab a friend and bust a move at our Silent Dance party, where you can jam out to your choice of music using colored headphones.

* denotes free event



“EROICA” BY BALLET ARIZONA

May 14 – June 1, 2019 | dbg.org

Expect the unexpected as Ballet Arizona returns to the Garden, presenting “Eroica,” a sensory experience choreographed by Ib Andersen. This presentation of movement and sound embraces the desert, with the Garden providing a stunning backdrop for Andersen’s enchanting choreography.



ARIZONA RESTAURANT WEEK

May 17-26, 2019 | arizonarestaurantweek.com

This highly anticipated event offers foodies a wealth of dining opportunities in Scottsdale and beyond. From sizzling Southwestern and soothing comfort foods to five-star dining and international fare – it’s all on the table during Arizona Restaurant Week!



“RENT”

May 28 – June 2, 2019 | asugammage.com

The Tony Award-winning show returns in a vibrant 20th anniversary production! A re-imagining of Puccini’s La Bohème, “RENT” follows an unforgettable year in the lives of seven artists struggling to follow their dreams without selling out.



ExperienceScottsdale.com

EXPERIENCE SCOTTSDALE TOURIST INFORMATION CENTER

SCOTTSDALE FASHION SQUARE

Located in the food court
7014 E. Camelback Rd.

Monday-Saturday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Sunday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

FIFTH AVENUE

Located inside The Purple Saguaro
7121 E. Fifth Ave. #3

Monday-Saturday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.