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EVERYONE · HOLIDAY LIGHTS

Enchanted Forest of Light

Enchanted Forest of Light marks its tenth year with the Garden of Good Fortune and a special appearance by Giant Koi for the Japanese Gardens' 60th anniversary.

WHEN Nov 22–Jan 9, 2027 · 5:30 p.m.–10:00 p.m.; closed Nov 26 and Dec 25

WHERE Descanso Gardens, La Cañada Flintridge

COST General admission adult (non-member) $29–$52, child ages 2–12 $19–$37; children under 2 free. Anytime tickets $85 non-members, $65 members. Members general admission adult $22–$45, child $12–$30.

TICKETS ›

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NOW THROUGH JANUARY · NOV 10 – JAN 3



EVERYONE FESTIVAL

Winter Fest OC

Winter Fest OC fills Lot A with carnival rides, nightly tree lightings, live entertainment, and holiday treats.

WHEN Nov 27–Jan 3, 2027, open select dates. Official OC Fair host schedule: Nov 27–29 Fri 5–10 p.m., Sat 4–11 p.m., Sun 4–10 p.m.; Dec 3–5 Thu 5–10 p.m., Fri 4–11 p.m., Sat 4–10 p.m.; Dec 10–13 Thu and Fri 5–10 p.m., Sat 4–11 p.m., Sun 4–10 p.m.; Dec 17–Jan 3 Mon–Fri 5–10 p.m., Sat 4–11 p.m., Sun 4–10 p.m.; Dec 31 5 p.m.–12:30 a.m.
WHERE OC Fair & Event Center, Costa Mesa
COST General admission prices vary. Parking is $15.

TICKETS ›



EVERYONE THEATER

Oh, Mary!

Oh, Mary! is the billed dark-comedy play at the Ahmanson Theatre.

WHEN Nov 10–Dec 6 · typically Tue–Thu 7:30 p.m.; Fri 8:00 p.m.; Sat 2:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.; Sun 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.; Thanksgiving week as posted (no Thu Nov 26; Fri Nov 27 at 2:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.)
WHERE Ahmanson Theatre, Los Angeles
COST Tickets start at $59.80

TICKETS ›

NOV 28 – DEC 2



EVERYONE DANCE

The Nutcracker

Protégé Performing Arts stages The Nutcracker, with Clara and her Prince in the Land of the Sweets.

WHEN Nov 28–29 · Sat Nov 28, 1:00 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.; Sun Nov 29, 2:00 p.m.
WHERE Scherr Forum Theatre, Thousand Oaks
COST See organizer website for details

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EVERYONE TRIBUTE

BEAT

BEAT is billed as a celebration of King Crimson.

WHEN Dec 2 · 8:30 p.m. (doors 7:30 p.m.)
WHERE YouTube Theater, Inglewood
COST See organizer website for details

OFFICIAL SITE ›

The Full List

Every listing, day by day, then by county. ▼ Adult · ▼ Family, where the organizer says so · unmarked rows are for everyone. Check the organizer page before you go.

ONGOING / ALL WEEK

Runs that span the week print once, with their dates.

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Oh, Mary! · Theater · *Ahmanson Theatre, Los Angeles* · Full card, p. 2

Destiny of Desire · Theater · *Mark Taper Forum, Los Angeles* · Nov 11 – Dec 20 · typically Tue–Thu 7:30 p.m.; Fri 8 p.m.; Sat 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.; more at organizer · Tickets start at $35.65 · Organizer

ORANGE COUNTY

Water for Elephants · Theater · *Segerstrom Hall, Costa Mesa* · Nov 10 – Nov 22 · Hours & price: see organizer · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

Ragtime · Theater · *The Rubicon Theatre Company, Ventura* · Nov 11 – Dec 6 · Hours & price: see organizer · Organizer

Ojai Community Farmers Market · Food · *Ojai* · Nov 12 – Dec 10 · Thursdays, 3–7 p.m. Next in-window market: Thursday; more at organizer · Price: see organizer · Organizer

TUESDAY · NOV 10

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Alanis Morissette · Concert · *YouTube Theater, Inglewood* · Nov 10 – Nov 11 · Doors 7 p.m.; Contact organizer for show time · Price: see organizer · Organizer

The Who's Tommy · Theater · *Hollywood Pantages Theatre, Los Angeles* · Nov 10 – Nov 15 · Tue–Thu 7:30 p.m.; Fri 8 p.m.; Sat 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.; more at organizer · Price: see organizer · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

Winter Gardening in Ventura County with the Master Gardeners · Talk · *Ray T. Prueter Library, Port Hueneme* · 4–5 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

The California Honeydrops - Sweet Like That Tour 2026 · Concert · *Ventura Music Hall* · 8 p.m.. Doors 7 p.m.. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

THURSDAY · NOV 12

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

The Smashing Pumpkins · Concert · *Kia Forum, Inglewood* · 8 p.m. (doors 7 p.m.; terrace 5 p.m.) · Price: see organizer · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

Leonid & Friends · Concert · *Fred Kavli Theatre, Thousand Oaks* · 7:30 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

Strawberry Fuzz · Concert · *Ventura Music Hall* · 8 p.m.. Doors 7 p.m.. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

FRIDAY · NOV 13

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Hollywood & The Holidays With Manny Pacheco · Talk · *Van Nuys Branch Library* · 2–3 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

Slayer · Concert · *Kia Forum, Inglewood* · Nov 13 – Nov 14 · 6 p.m. (doors 5 p.m.; terrace 5 p.m.) both nights · Price: see organizer · Organizer

How The West Was Won · Concert · *YouTube Theater, Inglewood* · 7:30 p.m. (doors 6:30 p.m.) · Price: see organizer · Organizer

ORANGE COUNTY

▼ **Broadway Divas: Viva Las Divas** · Theater · *Samueli Theater, Costa Mesa* · Nov 13 – Nov 14 · 7 p.m. each night. 18+. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

Kathy Griffin · Comedy · *Fred Kavli Theatre, Thousand Oaks* · 7 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

Mark Farina · Concert · *Ventura Music Hall* · 9 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

SATURDAY · NOV 14

VENTURA COUNTY

Jane Monheit Sings Cole Porter · Concert · *Scherr Forum Theatre, Thousand Oaks* · 7:30 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

Marc Broussard · Concert · *Ventura Music Hall* · 8 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

Matt Fraser · Talk · *Fred Kavli Theatre, Thousand Oaks* · 8 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

SUNDAY · NOV 15

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Westwood Library Concerts: The Pepper Moons · Concert · *Westwood Branch Library, Los Angeles* · 2:30–4 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

Rawayana · Concert · *Kia Forum, Inglewood* · Hours & price: see organizer · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

Straight No Chaser · Concert · *Fred Kavli Theatre, Thousand Oaks* · 7 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

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Adam Carolla | Fully Seated · Comedy · *Ventura Music Hall* · 8 p.m.. Doors 7 p.m.. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

WEDNESDAY · NOV 18

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Teddy Swims · Concert · *Kia Forum, Inglewood* · Hours & price: see organizer · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

▼ **Nutcracker Dance Showcase** · Dance · *Ray T. Prueter Library, Port Hueneme* · 2–3 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

An Evening of Alton Brown · Talk · *Fred Kavli Theatre, Thousand Oaks* · 7 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

Tree Lighting Celebration at The Collection at RiverPark · Festival · *Collection Park at The Collection at RiverPark, Oxnard* · 7–8 p.m. (complimentary wands from 5 p.m.; more at organizer · Price: see organizer · Organizer

THURSDAY · NOV 19

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Jackson Browne · Concert · *Hollywood Pantages Theatre, Los Angeles* · Nov 19 – Nov 23 · 20, 22, and 23 · all 8 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

FRIDAY · NOV 20

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Arcángel · Concert · *YouTube Theater, Inglewood* · 8 p.m. (doors 7 p.m.) · Price: see organizer · Organizer

▼ **L.A. Zoo Lights** · Holiday Lights · *Los Angeles Zoo and Botanical Gardens* · Nov 20 – Jan 10, 2027 · Contact organizer for hours (select evenings; more at organizer · Tickets start at $19. Official FAQ (prices beginning Oct 16):... more prices at organizer · Organizer

Glendora Village Holiday Stroll & Tree Lighting · Festival · *Glendora* · 6–9 p.m. Tree lighting in the plaza at 6:30 p.m. · ***Free*** · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

National Geographic Live: Wild Cats Revealed · Talk · *Fred Kavli Theatre, Thousand Oaks* · 7 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

SATURDAY · NOV 21

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Enrique Bunbury · Concert · *YouTube Theater, Inglewood* · 8 p.m. (doors 7 p.m.) · Price: see organizer · Organizer

Light Up Main Street · Festival · *Main Street, Old Town Newhall, Santa Clarita* · 4–8 p.m. Tree lighting at approximately 5:30 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

Becky Robinson's Holiday Spectacular · Concert · *Fred Kavli Theatre, Thousand Oaks* · 8 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

SUNDAY · NOV 22

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Enchanted Forest of Light · Holiday Lights · *Descanso Gardens, La Cañada Flintridge* · Full card, p. 1

VENTURA COUNTY

Amjad Ali Khan · Concert · *Fred Kavli Theatre, Thousand Oaks* · 3 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

TUESDAY · NOV 24

ORANGE COUNTY

Journey · Concert · *Honda Center, Anaheim* · 7:30 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

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FRIDAY · NOV 27

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Gerardo Ortiz · Concert · *YouTube Theater, Inglewood* · 8 p.m. (doors 7 p.m.) · Price: see organizer · Organizer

ORANGE COUNTY

Hikari Festival of Lights · Holiday Lights · *Tanaka Farms, Irvine* · Nov 27 – Dec 27 · Wednesday–Sunday, 5–9 p.m.; more at organizer · Price: see organizer · Organizer

Winter Fest OC · Festival · *OC Fair & Event Center, Costa Mesa* · Full card, p. 2

VENTURA COUNTY

Christmas on the Farm · Farm & Harvest · *Underwood Family Farms – Moorpark* · Nov 27 – Dec 24 · 9 a.m.–5 p.m. Closes at 12 p.m. on December 24. Closed December... more at organizer · Ages 2 and older $19.99; 23 months and under free. Santa photos... more prices at organizer · Organizer

A Christmas Carol: A Ghost Story · Theater · *The Rubicon Theatre Company, Ventura* · Nov 27 – Dec 20 · Hours & price: see organizer · Organizer

SATURDAY · NOV 28

ORANGE COUNTY

Los Gemelos de Sinaloa · Concert · *Honda Center, Anaheim* · 8 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

The Nutcracker · Dance · *Scherr Forum Theatre, Thousand Oaks* · Full card, p. 2

MONDAY · NOV 30

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

AHF World AIDS Day Benefit Concert · Concert · *Kia Forum, Inglewood* · Hours & price: see organizer · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

The Carpenters Songbook: A Live Celebration · Tribute · *Fred Kavli Theatre, Thousand Oaks* · 7:30 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

TUESDAY · DEC 1

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Torrance Memorial 43rd Annual Holiday Festival · Festival · *Torrance Memorial Hospital* · Dec 1 – Dec 6 · 1:30–3:30 p.m.; Wednesday, December 2, 10 a.m.–8 p.m.; more at organizer · ***Free*** for the listed public festival sessions. The Fashion Show... more prices at organizer · Organizer

Elf The Musical · Theater · *Hollywood Pantages Theatre, Los Angeles* · Dec 1 – Dec 13 · Tue–Fri 7:30 p.m.; Sat 1 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.; more at organizer · Price: see organizer · Organizer

WEDNESDAY · DEC 2

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Descanso Holiday Market · Makers · *Descanso Gardens, La Cañada Flintridge* · Dec 2 – Dec 6 · 1–4 p.m. and 5:30–8:30 p.m. · Included with Enchanted evening admission. Also open 1–4 p.m.... more prices at organizer · Organizer

BEAT · Tribute · *YouTube Theater, Inglewood* · Full card, p. 2

ORANGE COUNTY

Jonas Brothers · Concert · *Honda Center, Anaheim* · 7:30 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

THURSDAY · DEC 3

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Grand Illuminations · Festival · *The Yard at Cal Plaza, Los Angeles* · Holiday Market 12 p.m.–8 p.m.; Tree Lighting 5 p.m.; more at organizer · ***Free*** · Organizer

▼ **Downtown Culver City Tree Lighting Sledtacular** · Festival · *Town Plaza, Culver City* · 5–8:30 p.m.; Tree Lighting Ceremony livestreamed at 6 p.m. PT · ***Free*** · Organizer

ORANGE COUNTY

Brea Tree Lighting Ceremony · Festival · *Civic & Cultural Center, Brea* · 6:30 p.m. · ***Free*** · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

Mannheim Steamroller Christmas · Concert · *Fred Kavli Theatre, Thousand Oaks* · 7:30 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

Downtown Oxnard Tree Lighting Celebration · Festival · *Plaza Park, Oxnard* · 5–9 p.m.; tree lit at 6:30 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

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FRIDAY · DEC 4

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

TRIVIUM · Concert · *YouTube Theater, Inglewood* · 6:35 p.m. (doors 5:35 p.m.) · Price: see organizer · Organizer

Holiday Promenade & Tree Lighting Ceremony · Festival · *Claremont Village and the Depot* · 5–8 p.m. Pictures with Santa 5–8 p.m. at the City Hall entrance.... more at organizer · ***Free*** · Organizer

The Neighbourhood · Concert · *Kia Forum, Inglewood* · Dec 4 – Dec 5 · Hours & price: see organizer · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

Elijah Fox | Fully Seated · Concert · *Ventura Music Hall* · Doors 8 p.m.; show 9 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

SATURDAY · DEC 5

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Glendora Winter Pop-Up · Makers · *Glendora Promenade* · 10 a.m.–2 p.m. · ***Free*** · Organizer

Your Author Series: Melissa Villaseñor · Talk · *Los Angeles Central Library, Children's Literature Department* · 12–1 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

Alicia Villarreal · Concert · *YouTube Theater, Inglewood* · 8 p.m. (doors 7 p.m.) · Price: see organizer · Organizer

San Fernando Holiday Tree Lighting · Festival · *Downtown San Fernando* · 5–9 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

Too Hot to Handel: The Gospel Messiah · Concert · *Fred Kavli Theatre, Thousand Oaks* · 7 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

SUNDAY · DEC 6

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Adrian Uribe · Comedy · *YouTube Theater, Inglewood* · 8 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

ORANGE COUNTY

▼ **Nutcracker Holiday Village & Tree Lighting** · Festival · *Anaheim City Hall / Downtown Anaheim* · Tuba Christmas 1 p.m. at Center Street Promenade and Clementine... more at organizer · Price: see organizer · Organizer

MONDAY · DEC 7

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Visit Long Beach Christmas Tree Lighting · Festival · *Terrace Theater Plaza, Long Beach* · 5–8 p.m. · ***Free*** · Organizer

VENTURA COUNTY

Niko Rubio: late night swim in california tour · Concert · *Ventura Music Hall* · 8 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

Amanda McBroom – Holiday Showcase · Concert · *The Rubicon Theatre Company, Ventura* · Hours: see organizer · Tickets $64.50; VIP $139.50 · Organizer

TUESDAY · DEC 8

LOS ANGELES COUNTY

Victoria Monét · Concert · *YouTube Theater, Inglewood* · 9 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

WEDNESDAY · DEC 9

VENTURA COUNTY

THE LONG RUN: EXPERIENCE THE EAGLES · Tribute · *Simi Valley Cultural Arts Center* · Dec 9 – Dec 10 · 7:30 p.m. · $48 adults; $40 seniors 60 and above and students; more prices at organizer · Organizer

Jonathan Richman featuring Tommy Larkins on the drums! · Concert · *Ventura Music Hall* · 8 p.m. · Price: see organizer · Organizer

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