

# JANUARY 2022

## Coachella Valley Calendar of Events

### **Palm Springs VillageFest** Every Thursday

Every Thursday evening in downtown Palm Springs, enjoy a diverse array of artists, artisans, entertainers, assorted fruits, vegetables, fresh flowers, jewelry, international cuisine, and don't forget the sweets.

7-10pm / Palm Canyon Drive between Baristo & Amado Roads

760-320-3781 / <http://villagefest.org/>

### **Palm Springs Vintage Market** Jan. 2

Coachella Valley's only boutique vintage market in beautiful Palm Springs. Take a walk down memory lane. Food, entertainment and free parking. Sign up for a discount admission coupon on the website. Amazing desert views and the greatest collection of vintage furniture, clothing, decor and other collectibles in the Coachella Valley. Price: \$5, discount coupon available on website.

7am-2pm / Camelot Theater parking lot

760-534-7968 / [www.palmspringstvintagemarket.com](http://www.palmspringstvintagemarket.com)

### **Palm Springs Kennel Club Dog Show** Jan. 6-9

The Kennel Club of Palm Springs annually hosts one of the most prestigious dog shows in the world and is considered the opening event of the dog show year in the west coast.

Empire Polo Club in Indio

[www.kennelclubpalmsprings.org](http://www.kennelclubpalmsprings.org)

### **Palm Springs International Film Festival** Jan. 6-17

The festival is also known for its annual Film Awards Gala, honoring the best achievements of the filmic year by a celebrated list of talents. Produced by the Palm Springs International Film Society, the Festival offers events and film screenings featuring films from 60+ countries.

Downtown Palm Springs

760-322-2930 / [www.psfilmfest.org/film-festival-2022](http://www.psfilmfest.org/film-festival-2022)

### **El Paseo Cruise Night** Jan. 7

The cool, shiny, lovingly cared-for cars begin arriving around 2pm at the upper level of the parking structure behind The Gardens on El Paseo. Get a look at these beauties and talk to the owners before the cruise, or find a corner on El Paseo to watch the passing parade when they start cruising around 4:30pm.

2-5pm / The Gardens on El Paseo

[www.elpaseocatalogue.com](http://www.elpaseocatalogue.com)

### **Palm Springs Pinot Noir Festival** Jan. 8

During this Celebration of Pinot Noir, you will discover just what it is that makes Pinot Noir so unique. Join with other Pinot aficionados as you share in classes, tastings and food and wine matches that will profile the uncompromising characteristics and unforgettable characters, highlight the different winemaking practices and philosophies that produce wines of such distinction.

JW Marriott Desert Springs Resort & Spa

760-805-2131 / [www.palmspringspinotfest.com](http://www.palmspringspinotfest.com)

### **Art on Main Street** Jan. 8 & 22

Features over 100 artists each season showing and selling their paintings, jewelry, mixed media, photography, ceramics, glass, woodwork, textiles, sculptures and more. The shows are a local favorite and an Old Town tradition. They are set amidst Main Street's charming cafes and boutiques. Come for the art and stay for the day! Premiere Sponsor is The City of La Quinta. Admission, parking and entertainment are free.

10am-4pm / Old Town La Quinta

760-600-0758 / [www.oldtownlaquinta.com](http://www.oldtownlaquinta.com)

### **Back 9 Walk** Jan. 16

Come join fellow residents for stretching, provided by Desert Recreation District, and a healthy 5k walk through the scenic golf course. Complementary coffee/tea will be provided. Start your New Year off right and come out and meet some fellow residents. Meet in the Clubhouse Lobby at 6:45am. No RSVP necessary and no dogs allowed.

6:45-7:45am / Indian Wells Golf Resort

760-346-2489 / [www.cityofindianwells.org](http://www.cityofindianwells.org)

### **American Express PGA Golf Tournament** Jan. 19-23

A 72-hole event featuring a field of the world's best professional golfers. Since its introduction in 1960 as the Palm Springs Golf Classic, the tournament has generated more than \$60 million for numerous nonprofit organizations dedicated to supporting Coachella Valley residents. The tournament's roster of 156 professional golfers will play a round each at PGA WEST's Stadium Course and Nicklaus Tournament Course over the first two rounds on Thursday and Friday before playing the Stadium Course exclusively on the weekend after the 36-hole cut.

PGA West La Quinta 833-888-6227 / [www.pgatour.com](http://www.pgatour.com)



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### **Desert Circuit Equestrian Events Jan. 19-23 & 26-30**

The Desert Circuit is eight weeks of USEF Premier-rated Hunters and 5\*/6\* Jumpers running from mid-January through mid-March with one week off in mid-February. The circuit draws thousands of equestrians to the premier Southern California show grounds.

Desert International Horse Park, Thermal  
442-200-4919 / [www.deserthorsepark.com](http://www.deserthorsepark.com)

### **Les Misérables Jan. 21-Feb. 13**

The story of Jean Valjean, a peasant, and his desire for redemption, released after serving nineteen years in jail for stealing a loaf of bread for his sister's starving child. Valjean decides to break his parole and start his life anew, but a police inspector, Javert, refuses to let him escape.

Palm Canyon Theatre [www.palmcanyontheatre.org](http://www.palmcanyontheatre.org)

### **Palm Springs Pickleball Classic Jan. 21-23**

\$5K cash prize (3.0 and up) Registration required. Price: Event \$30 per person Registration \$70 per person.

The Resorter Tennis & Pickleball Club  
[www.wptevents.com](http://www.wptevents.com)

### **Palm Springs Escapes Jan. 21-24**

Hidden gems, architecture, social sophistication and the perfect balance of kitsch. Relax in this spacious oasis filled with curated tranquility, wellness programs, sustainability-focused practices and artistic creations from the best of LGBTQI artists, female and Black entrepreneurs, and enduring luxury goods. Access wellness product samples, wine & spirits tastings, meditation and health experts, stargazing, and art social hours. It's all wrapped into a social/shopping/dining experience like no other.

[www.exploretock.com/reservebrandcloset](http://www.exploretock.com/reservebrandcloset)

### **The Gardens Concert Series Jan. 22 & 29**

22nd: Gypsy benefiting Guide Dogs of the Desert (Stevie Nicks). 29th: Music with Finesse benefiting Junior League (Top 40, Oldies) The series has united music for over two decades. Since its inception, this event has raised more than \$1 Million for those in need. The one-hour concerts take place on Saturdays on the center lawn in front of Saks Fifth Avenue. Entertainment takes the stage at 6pm.

6pm / The Gardens on El Paseo  
760-862-1990 / [www.thegardensonelpaseo.com](http://www.thegardensonelpaseo.com)

### **Desert Town Hall Jan. 23**

Paul Nicklen and Cristina Mittermeier are conservation photographers, co-founders of SeaLegacy. One of the pre-eminent speaker series in the nation, Desert Town Hall features world-class speakers, intellectual content, and youth education to the Coachella Valley. The series offers four programs each year, typically from January to April.

6-9pm / Renaissance Esmeralda Resort and Spa  
760-610-2852 / [www.deserttownhall.org](http://www.deserttownhall.org)

### **Oasis Music Festival Jan. 26-30**

Witness history as the inaugural Oasis Music Festival, presented by Agua Caliente Casinos, revives the storied past of the musical playground that made Palm Springs famous. The Oasis Music Festival will re-create anew the celebrity, excitement, and swank of Palm Springs through this world-class music festival featuring all genres of music taking place at more than 30 venues over five days.

[www.oasismusicfestival.com](http://www.oasismusicfestival.com)

### **Southwest Arts Festival Indio Jan. 27-30**

The acclaimed art festival features a variety of traditional, contemporary, and abstract fine works of art, jewelry and quality crafts. This year's festival will feature live music, with pottery, glass and fine art painting scheduled to be on display.

10am-5pm / Empire Polo Club  
760-347-0676 / <https://gcvcc.org/>

### **Meeting of Mentors: T-34 Fly-In Jan. 28-29**

Built as a replacement for the training planes of WWII, the T-34 Mentor developed into an aircraft cherished by the military and civilian pilots alike. In fact the T-34 remains in service more than six decades after it was first designed. Come visit us as a group of T-34 pilots drop into the Air Museum for a weekend of flight exhibitions, formation flying, contests and just plane fun.

11am-4pm / Palm Springs Air Museum  
760-778-6262 / [www.palmspringsairmuseum.org](http://www.palmspringsairmuseum.org)

### **Shred Event Jan. 29**

Please note that proof of current Indian Wells residency or business is required and a maximum of 4 banker-sized boxes per vehicle will be accepted.

7-11am / Burrtec Parking Lot: 41575 Eclectic St., Palm Desert  
760-346-2489 / [www.cityofindianwells.org](http://www.cityofindianwells.org)

### **Palm Springs Health Run & Fitness Expo Jan. 29**

Participants will experience the incredibly scenic neighborhoods of Palm Springs in one of the largest events of its kind in Southern California. More than 100 health and wellness booths provide giveaways and services, nationally recognized fitness experts, Rock Climbing Wall, Walk on Water and much, much more. Fun for the entire family! Price: Starts at \$35, kids under 12 are free.

8am-1pm / 700 Tamarisk Road  
760-409-1530 / [www.palmspringshealthrun.com](http://www.palmspringshealthrun.com)