



Local Events

This list is updated monthly to keep our students informed of local events and art shows.

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Bowers Museum

FRIDA KAHLO - HER PHOTOS

February 25 - June 25, 2017

Frida Kahlo - Her Photos offers an intimate glance into the life of one of the world's most beloved artists. Throughout her life, Kahlo meticulously collected over 6,000 photographs of loved ones as well as scenes of Mexican culture, politics, art, history and nature.

WEBSITE: <https://www.bowers.org/index.php/exhibitions/current-exhibitions/477-frida-kahlo-her-photos>

Festival of the Arts Laguna Beach

FINE ART SHOW

July 5 - August 31, 2017

The Festival's prestigious juried art show includes a wide variety of media such as paintings, photography, printmaking, sculpture, jewelry, handcrafted wood and furniture, ceramics, glass and more – all by 140 of Orange Country's finest artists.

WEBSITE: <https://www.foapom.com/summer-art-show/>

Festival of the Arts Laguna Beach

PAGEANT OF THE MASTERS

July 7-August 31, 2017

On each evening of the Festival of Arts summer schedule, ticket holders are amazed and enchanted by ninety minutes of tableaux vivants (living pictures), incredibly faithful recreations of classical and contemporary works of art, with real people posing to look exactly like their counterparts in the original pieces.

WEBSITE: <https://www.foapom.com/pageant-of-the-masters/>

Sawdust Festival

LAGUNA SAWDUST FESTIVAL

June 30-September 3, 2017

Designed to both entertain and educate, the Sawdust Art Festival draws more than 200,000 visitors worldwide each year. Visitors are invited to shop along sawdust-covered paths through a hand-crafted village of fine arts and superb craftsmanship. Artists that exhibit during the summer festival are Laguna Beach residents. The Sawdust Art Festival also features art demonstration booths such as glassblowing, complimentary hands-on art workshops, a children's art booth, a Ceramic Center, as well as refreshments from four outdoor cafes and a saloon, live musical entertainment and more.

WEBSITE: <https://sawdustartfestival.org/>

Art-A-Fair

LAGUNA ART-A-FAIR

June 30-September 3, 2017

Laguna Beach is famous for its art community, but Art-A-Fair goes beyond to find artists from other parts of the country and around the world.

WEBSITE: <http://art-a-fair.com/about/>

The Irvine Museum

DUSK TILL DAWN

May 27 – September 28, 2017

The Irvine Museum Collection at the University of California, Irvine presents an exhibition that goes against the grain of what we typically think of as landscape painting. This exhibition showcases normal landscape subjects, but at night or at the outer edges of the day, when the sun is setting or rising.

WEBSITE: <http://www.irvinemuseum.org/currentexhibition.html>

Orange County Museum of Art

FAMILY FREE DAYS

Every Friday

The Orange County Museum of Art in Newport Beach offer free admission every Friday. Families can take a look at a variety of exhibits and learn something new.

WEBSITE: www.ocma.net

Downtown San Clemente

VILLAGE ART FAIRE

First Sunday of every month, 9:00am-3:00pm

The Village Art Faire is a decades old San Clemente tradition, born from a desire to put gifted artists and craftspeople in touch with their local community. It has grown to include artists from all over Southern California and attracts visitors from near and far.

WEBSITE: <http://villagesanclemente.org/event/village-art-faire-3/all/>

LA County Museum of Art

ANDELL FAMILY SUNDAYS

Every Sunday, 12:30pm-3:30pm

Make, look, and talk about art at Andell Family Sundays! This weekly family event features artist-led workshops and friendly gallery tours and activities thematically based on special exhibitions and LACMA's permanent collection. Create memories together and have fun!

WEBSITE: <http://www.lacma.org/kids-families>

Bowers Museum

KIDSEUM

Saturdays and Sundays, 10:00am- 4:00pm

Kidseum is a high-tech and interactive childrens museum with a focus on its mission, "Igniting imagination through exploration," stressing the excitement of art, archaeology and world cultures. Check out the "Glow Cave" with its fun art making activities, ride the magical Wells Fargo stagecoach through time in the "Green Screen Time Machine," and explore archaeology like never before in our Archaeology Lab.

WEBSITE: <http://www.bowers.org/index.php/visit/kidseum/visit-kidseum>

Chuck Jones Center

DROP IN AND DRAW

Most Saturdays, 9:30am- 12:00pm

Held most Saturdays from 9:30 AM to 12:00 PM*. It's a great place to express yourself creatively. Good for children of all ages. No unaccompanied minors, please. Free, but a nominal donation is suggested to help cover the costs of materials.

WEBSITE: <http://chuckjonescenter.org/calendar>

The Art Lab

CREATION STATION

Saturdays and Sundays, 10:00am- 4:00pm

The Art Lab: Creation Station at the Orange County Great Park in Irvine offers hands-on activities and encourages innovative thinking and problem-solving. Kids of all ages are welcome to participate.

WEBSITE: <http://www.ocgp.org/events/>

Laguna Art Museum

KID'S ART STUDIO

Third Sunday of every month, 2:00pm-4:00pm

Kids' Art Studio is a hands-on art-making program offered by Laguna Art Museum on a drop-in basis. Children and their families create a piece of art from start to finish, inspired by one of the exhibitions on view in the museum.

WEBSITE: <http://lagunaartmuseum.org/education/kids-art-studio/>

ART WALKS

SOBECA "Last Tuesdays" ARTwalk at the LAB, Costa Mesa. Every last Tuesday of the month.

Santa Ana Artists Village Art Walk at the Santa Ana Arts District. Every first Saturday of the month.

Laguna Beach Art Walk at the Laguna Beach Arts District. Every first Thursday of the month.

HB Art Walk at the Huntington Beach Downtown Improvement District. Every third Thursday of the month.



Every Child is a Masterpiece