

san diego

MARCH 2018

calendar of events

Spring Home/Garden Show | Mar. 2-4

"Garden Masters" landscapes, hands-on demos, home-improvement products/services, plant sales... Fri & Sun 10am-5pm, Sat 10am-6pm. Del Mar Fairgrounds.

www.springhomegardenshow.com

San Diego Undy Run/Walk | Mar. 3

Participants run in underwear-themed outfits to get people talking about colon cancer. 7am-12pm. 2750 North Mission Bay Drive. www.undyrunwalk.org

Insane Inflatable 5K | Mar. 3

Dynamic 5K made of inflatable obstacles! 8-11:30am. Antique Gas & Steam Engine Museum, Vista.

www.insaneinflatable5k.com

Finish Chelsea's Run 5K | Mar. 3

In honor of Chelsea King. Featuring a competitive 5K race and fun run/walk, family festival, children's activities... 6:30-11am. Balboa Park. www.chelsealight.org

San Diego Science & Engineering Fair | Mar. 3

10-day experience that encompasses STEM (science, technology, engineering and math). 10am-3pm / Expo at Petco Park. www.sdsciencefestival.com.

Taste of Third | Mar. 3

Savory samples from Village eateries! A variety of entertainment will keep you grooving. 4-8pm. Third Ave., Chula Vista. www.thirdavenuevillage.com

American Ninja Warrior Experience | Mar. 3-4

Live event, test your skills on obstacles from NBC's American Ninja Warrior and watch top ninjas compete live! SDCCU Stadium. www.anwexperience.com

Spring Busker Festival | Mar. 3-4

Professional street performers from across the country perform their bizarre talents. 12-6pm. Seaport Village.

www.seaportvillage.com

CRSSD Festival | Mar. 3-4

Electronic music fest at Waterfront Park featuring 3 stages, 36+ performers, craft beer, mixed drinks and food. 1600 Pacific Highway. www.crssdfest.com

St. Patrick's Day Half Marathon | Mar. 4

Half marathon and 5k, the Green Mile for kids and adults with special needs in Downtown El Cajon. 7am-1pm. Main Street & Magnolia Ave. www.stpatricksdlayhalf.com

EC Craft Beer Invitational | Mar. 4

Craft beers, food trucks, live music, entertainment, and great company! 8am-12pm. Centennial Plaza, El Cajon

www.stpatricksdlayhalf.com/ec-craft-beer

Cherry Blossom Festival | Mar. 9-11

Enjoy Japanese custom of hanami, various food vendors, cultural performances and demos. 10am-6pm. Japanese Friendship Garden of San Diego. www.niwa.org/cbf18

Best Coast Beer Fest | Mar. 10

200+ beers from 100 local breweries, food truck alley and sweet sounds of local bands. 1-5pm. Embarcadero Marina Park South. www.bestcoastbeerfest.com

SD Homebrew Festival & Competition | Mar. 10

Taste and vote for your favorite beer, enjoy street-side chats by beer professionals, vendors & food. 12-4pm.

North Park & South Park. www.sdhomebrewfest.com

Tomatomania | Mar. 10-11

100+ heirloom & hybrid varieties, expert advice & accessories to grow your own tomatoes. 9am-3pm. Water Conservation Garden, El Cajon. www.thegarden.org

Spring Forward | Mar. 11

Daylight saving time 2018 begins at 2AM.

San Diego Half Marathon & 5K | Mar. 11

Spectacular 13.1-mile USATF-certified course! 6:30am-1pm. Petco Park. www.sdhalfmarathon.com

International Mariachi Festival | Mar. 11

Celebrate SD's Mexican heritage through Mariachi music, colorful traditional ballet folkloric dancing. 11am-7pm. Pepper Park, National City. www.mariachifest.com

San Diego shamROCK | Mar. 17

50,000+ sq ft of astroturf will be rolled out for an epic block party. 3 stages, non-stop music, and of course plenty of green beer. 4pm-Midnight. Gaslamp Quarter.

www.sandiegoshamrock.com

SeaWorld's 7 Seas Food Festival | Mar. 17-Apr. 14

Craft beer from favorite local breweries, fresh international cuisine infused with local, sustainable ingredients.

www.seaworld.com/san-diego

San Diego Cake Show | Mar. 17-18

Celebrity chefs, raffles, cake competitions, classes by world-renowned cake artists. 10am-5pm. Del Mar Fairgrounds. www.sandiegocakeshow.com

Hot Chocolate 15/5K San Diego | Mar. 18

Afterwards enjoy music, kid-zone & a finisher's mug filled with hot chocolate, chocolate fondue & tasty dippable treats! 6:45am. Petco Park.

www.hotchocolate15k.com/sandiego/race

Fishing Tackle, Boat and Travel Show | Mar. 22-25

The largest selection of travel resorts, fishing tackle, and hunting outfitters throughout the county. 12pm-8 pm.

Del Mar Fairgrounds. www.fredhall.com

Uncorked: San Diego | Mar. 31

60+ wineries, 200+ wines, champagne bar, local ciders, food trucks, lawn games, live dj 1-5pm. Embarcadero Marina Park North. www.uncorkedwinefestivals.com