

Costa Mesa Announces Southern California Summer Specials and Events

COSTA MESA, Calif. (June 23, 2015)- Costa Mesa has just announced an exciting lineup of summer specials and events, including hotel deals, exciting concert performances, the 125th celebration of the world-renowned Orange County Fair and new easy transportation to the *Disneyland*® Resort!

An Easy Way to Get to the Disneyland® Resort

ART Shuttle Transportation –Enjoy easy transportation from participating Costa Mesa hotels to the *Disneyland*® Resort, a perfect way to travel to the happiest place on earth, make everlasting memories and celebrate the park's 60th anniversary. Shuttle passes start at \$5 for adults and \$2 for children ages 3-9 (children under 2 are free with a pass-holding adult). Shuttle passes and room night packages are available at participating hotels. Service based on advance reservations made through hotels. For more information, visit www.travelcostamesa.com/ART

Events and Performances

- The Orange County Fair The OC Fair returns to the OC Fair & Event Center July 17th August 16th. One of the top-10 largest fairs in the country, the OC Fair is expected to be especially grand this year as it celebrates its 125th year! Enjoy thrilling concerts featuring some of the biggest names in music like Pat Benatar and The B-52s; action sports, including motorcycle racing and bull riding; unique fair food ranging from chocolate covered bacon and endless deep fried treats to wine seminars and craft beer tastings; shopping, carnival rides, animal exhibits, a 5K marathon and more!
- <u>SOCO Nights</u> SOCO Nights, an outdoor summer movie series on the first
 Tuesday of every month, begins when the sun sets with free admission! From
 June to October, enjoy live music and movie screenings in the SOCO courtyard.
 Along with special deals at SOCO's restaurants, LCA Wine will offer a beer and
 wine garden with proceeds benefiting the Costa Mesa High School Foundation.
 Spaces are limited, so you must RSVP!
- Dancing with the Stars LIVE Segerstrom Center for the Arts presents
 "Dancing with the Stars LIVE: The Perfect Ten", hosted by DTWS All Stars champion, Melissa Rycroft. Featuring the faces you know and love, the
 July 15th show will bring plenty of action and excitement, including never-before seen choreography, as well as memorable numbers from all 10 years of Dancing
 with the Stars.
- Movie Mondays Enjoy free outdoor movie screenings every Monday outside Segerstrom Center for the Arts all summer long. The line-up includes new

favorites such as "Pitch Perfect" (July 20) and Hollywood classics like "E.T. The Extra-Terrestrial" (Aug. 10).

Summer Hotel Deals

- The Westin South Coast Plaza- Book a stay and receive a \$100 American Express gift card or save 20% off when you arrive Thursday through Saturday, and stay a minimum of three nights.
- Hilton- Book a stay at least 7 days prior to arrival, and save 20% off of your stay.
- Residence Inn by Marriott- Book a weekend stay of at least two nights and receive a \$50 American Express gift card.
- Avenue of the Arts Wyndham Hotel- Endless Summer package. Enjoy 20% off a stay of 2 nights or more.
- Ayres Hotel & Suites- The Advance of Summer package. Plan ahead and save 15% off your stay when you book 14 days in advance.
- **Marriott-** Stay the Night package. All summer long enjoy deluxe accommodations including breakfast for two and complimentary self-parking.

For a complete list of Costa Mesa hotel specials, visit www.travelcostamesa.com/hotel-specials-and-discounts/. Hotel offers based on availability at time of booking and are subject to change.

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About the Costa Mesa Conference & Visitor Bureau:

The Costa Mesa Conference & Visitor Bureau was established in 1995. The Bureau's primary goal is to promote tourism to the city and to fund programs and activities that benefit the hotel and motel businesses within the city of Costa Mesa. For more information on travel to the city of Costa Mesa, visit www.travelcostamesa.com. The Costa Mesa Conference & Visitor Bureau is a 501(c)(6) nonprofit organization.

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