

Calendar of Events

January 2016

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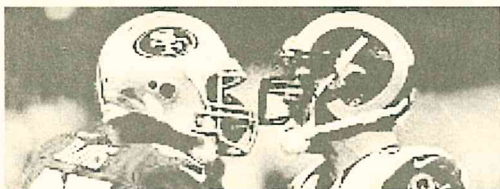
New Years Day Events

On New Year's Day, you will find a lot of fun things to do all around town. Some top museums and attractions take the day off, however, you will still find plenty of places open. You can stroll through the Botanical Gardens (free this day to all visitors), experience the California Academy of Sciences, or watch the jelly fish at the Aquarium of the Bay. You will also find most tour companies offering their regular schedule of tours.

01/03/2016

SF 49ers at Levi's Stadium

Head down to Santa Clara to see the SF 49ers in action. On Sunday, January 3, the 49ers take on the St. Louis Rams. Game time is 1:25pm.



01/07-24/2016

SF Sketchfest

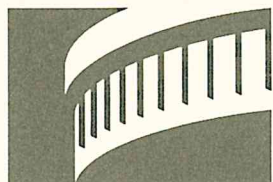
SF Sketchfest is a two and a half week long comedy festival at several venues around town. Each night, you will find several performances from both local and nationally recognized names. In the past, this festival has drawn in thousands of attendees to watch comedians such as Margaret Cho, Kevin McDonald, Janeane Garofalo, and Maya Rudolph. I recommend buying tickets to the big name performances well in advance as these tickets sell out quickly. **Learn More:**

www.sftourismtips.com/sf-sketchfest.html

01/09-31/2016

SF Symphony

The SF Symphony continues their 2015/2016 season on January 9. This month, you will find several shows including Itzhak Perlman and Emanuel Ax (January 18) and European Exoticism: the Magic of Weber, Saint-Saens, and more (January 28 - 31). All performances are at the Davies Symphony Hall.



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01/10/2016

Hot Chocolate 15k/5k

Enjoy a cool run and some hot chocolate on Sunday, January 10. This fun race starts in Golden Gate Park. You will run through the park as well as along the Great Highway. A 15 minute mile pace is required of all runners for this race. At the end, warm up with some creamy, hot chocolate.

01/01-31/2016

Portals of the Past: The Photographs of Willard Worden

All month long, you can enjoy the photography of Willard Worden at the de Young Museum in Golden Gate Park. He captured San Francisco and other local spots during his life here. The collection is from the first two decades of the 1900s and includes early photos of Chinatown, the SF shoreline, and the devastation of the 1906 Earthquake and Fire. He was also on hand to photograph the 1915 Panama Pacific Exposition. It's a great look at what San Francisco was long ago.

01/14-17/2016

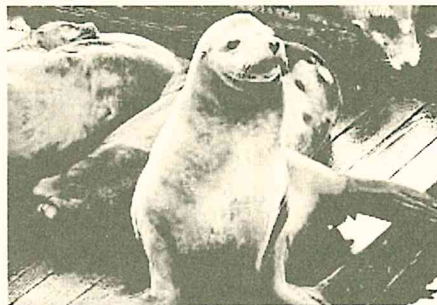
Fog Design + Art Fair

The 2016 Fog Design + Art Fair is Thursday, January 14 - Sunday, January 17. The event features contemporary design made out of a variety of techniques. This year, they will again collaborate with San Francisco Museum of Modern Art's On the Go Series. In addition to art, you can also participate in one of almost a dozen lecture sessions. Tickets start at \$20 per person per day online or \$25 at the door.

01/15-18/2016

Sea Lions' Arrival Celebration at Pier 39

This year, Pier 39 will celebrate the 26th Anniversary of the sea lions' arrival. These playful creatures began frequenting the Fisherman's Wharf area shortly after the October 1989 earthquake. Today, they are one of the top attractions in the district and Pier 39 celebrates their arrival every January.



01/17-19/2016

Winter Fancy Food Show

The Winter Fancy Food Show is one of the largest food trade shows each year on the west coast. This year's event will be at the Moscone Center in SF's South of Market (SOMA) district. The show will feature 80,000 best-in-class and on trend products including cheese, coffee, gluten free, low carb, natural, organic and more.

01/20-02/19/2016

Jersey Boys at the Orpheum Theater

Jersey Boys returns to San Francisco on January 20. It's based on the true story of Frankie Valli and The Four Seasons. Discover how they rose to fame and listen to some of their hits songs such as "Walk Like a Man," "Oh What a Night," and "Big Girls Don't Cry."

01/24/2016

SF Ballet

The SF Ballet opens their 2016 season on January 24. Their first program features three parts: 7 for Eight, Margittomania, and Pas/Parts. All of the performances are at the War Memorial Opera House.



01/30/2016

William Shatner at the Warfield

See William Shatner live at the Warfield on January 30. His one man show, called Shatner's World, will give you an inside look at this famous actor, singer, author, comedian, director, spokesperson, and producer. This funny and entertaining show starts at 8pm.

