



# Special Fall Events

The City of Sunnyvale Department of Library and Community Services provides a wealth of resources and opportunities to enrich the lives of those who live, work, play and learn in Sunnyvale. The City invites you and your family to join us at one of our upcoming events that is open to the entire community. Please note: Some events require advance registration on a first-come, first-served basis. Sign up early, so you don't miss out. For more information, visit [Sunnyvale.ca.gov](http://Sunnyvale.ca.gov) or the Sunnyvale Recreation page on Facebook.



**FREE**

## Let's Go on a Trip!

Extended trip excursions for adults 50 years and up

Come learn about the Sunnyvale Senior Center's extended trip plans for 2017 by attending an upcoming slide show presentation. During each presentation, learn detailed information about one specific trip outlining travel destinations, meals, travel accommodations and early booking discounts as well as answer any questions.

<b>Extended Trip Excursion Presentation Topic:</b>	Location: Senior Center Laurel Room		
	Wednesday, August 10	Best of Australia and New Zealand	Time: 10 to 11 a.m.
		Natural Park Wonders (Yellowstone and Mount Rushmore)	Time: 11 to noon
	Location: Recreation Center Community Room		
Tuesday, August 16	Peru: Ancient Land of Mysteries (Machu Picchu)	Time: 10 to 11 a.m.	
	Arizona and Baseball Spring Training	Time: 11 to noon	

Hosted by: Sunnyvale Senior Center · See page 43 for trip information

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## Friends of the Sunnyvale Library Book Sale

Get great deals on thousands of books, movies and music at the Friends of the Sunnyvale Library Book Sale. Proceeds support Sunnyvale Public Library programs and services. Want to get in at 9 a.m. on Saturday? Become a member at the sale. Membership is \$5 for individuals, \$10 for families per year or \$100 for lifetime membership. Membership fees are tax-deductible.

**Dates:** Saturday, September 17 to Sunday, September 18 and Saturday, November 19 to Sunday, November 20

**Note:** all Sunday sales are bag sales, where you purchase a large shopping bag for \$5 and fill it with whatever books you like.

**Saturday Time:** 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. (members only 9 to 10 a.m.)

**Location:** Sunnyvale Public Library

**Sunday Time:** Noon to 3 p.m.

**Hosted by:** Friends of the Sunnyvale Library

For information, visit [Library.inSunnyvale.com](http://Library.inSunnyvale.com)

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## Pumpkin Decoration and Costume Contest (3 – 10 years)

The City of Sunnyvale Teen Advisory Committee is hosting the 2nd annual Pumpkin Decoration and Costume Contest! Choose to participate in one or both contests. Participants are divided into age categories: three to five years old or six to 10 year olds. Your registration includes one pumpkin to decorate per registration, snacks, drinks and games. Parents must supervise their child throughout the event.

**Date:** Saturday, October 22

**Time:** 2:30 – 5 p.m.

**Activity Code:** 212780.0C

**Location:** Senior Center Orchard Pavilion

**Fee:** \$5 residents, \$6 non-residents

**Hosted by:** Sunnyvale Teen Advisory Committee

**Online Registration:** [RecreationClasses.inSunnyvale.com](http://RecreationClasses.inSunnyvale.com)

**For information, call** 408-730-7350

## 18th Annual Family Fun Day (All Ages)

**FREE**

Celebrate health and active lifestyles this fall. Get Halloween safety tips for trick-or-treating. Costumes are encouraged. Bring your treat bag and join the fun! Games and activities are geared toward children in elementary school.

- Children's Activities and Games
- Refreshments and Snacks for Children

**Date:** Saturday, October 29

**Time:** 2 to 5 p.m.

**Location:** Columbia Neighborhood Center

**Hosted by:** Youth and Family Resources

**For information, call**  
408-730-7800



Photo by Alison Pina



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### Showcase Sunnyvale 2016 Photo Contest

**Calling all photographers** – professionals, amateur and students! Enter the City of Sunnyvale photo contest to showcase Sunnyvale and celebrate our community. The contest is free and open to photographers of all ages.

**Entry Deadline:** November 1, 2016 by 5 p.m.

**Email submissions only.** We will not accept photographs submitted through the mail or in person. Photos taken prior to the start of the contest (July 1, 2016) are eligible.

**Categories:** Capture Sunnyvale’s beautiful environment, eclectic architecture, active people and vibrant community life. Submit your favorite photographs in these categories:

- 1. **Outdoors**—open spaces, parks, scenery, wildlife (without people)
- 2. **Community**—people-focused, events, diverse population, activities, business, service, everyday life
- 3. **Architecture**—landmarks, buildings, structures, public art (without people)
- 4. **Artistic**—photos manipulated for artistic purposes

Cropped photos and minor photo editing are acceptable for all four categories.

**Winners:** A First, Second and Third Place winner will be announced in each category. These winning photos will be posted to the City’s Facebook page where the public will vote to select the “People’s Choice Award.” All winning photos will be displayed in the City Hall Gallery, posted on the City website and published in the City’s newsletter.

For image requirements and photo contest rules, visit [Sunnyvale.ca.gov](http://Sunnyvale.ca.gov)



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### Celebrate Veteran's Day

Thank a veteran who is serving or has served in the military at the Veteran's Day Open House featuring a Quilt of Valor presentation. Enjoy complimentary coffee and dessert. Bring items to donate for care packages to be sent to active military.

**Date:** Wednesday, November 9

**Time:** 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.

**Location:** Sunnyvale Senior Center Sequoia Room

**Hosted by:** Sunnyvale Senior Center

For information, see page 36



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### Unique Boutique Annual Holiday Fair

Come browse a large variety of hand-crafted jewelry, cards, hats and scarves, baby items, quilts, towels and so much more. Handcrafted items created by more than 20 creative artisans.

**Date:** Wednesday, November 2 to Friday, November 4

**Time:** 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

**Location:** Sunnyvale Senior Center

**Hosted by:** Sunnyvale Senior Center

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## HOLIDAY POTTERY SALE

Friday, December 9 and Saturday, December 10  
10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

**FREE  
ADMISSION**

Browse a large selection of handmade ceramics created by local artists. Find unique holiday gifts and support the arts in Sunnyvale! A portion of the proceeds benefit the Sunnyvale Pottery Studio.

**Location:** Sunnyvale Community Center, Creative Arts Center

**Hosted by:** Friends of the Sunnyvale Pottery Studio

For information visit  
[Pottery.inSunnyvale.com](http://Pottery.inSunnyvale.com)



## Breakfast with Santa

Grandparents, grandchildren and families, treat your loved ones to a fun breakfast! Join us for this wonderful opportunity to have your picture taken with Santa, participate in a variety of crafts and enjoy special performances by The Singing Children and The Entertainment Choir.

**Date:** Saturday, December 10

**Seating times:** 8 – 9:30 a.m. or 10:30 a.m. – noon

**Location:** Senior Center Orchard Pavilion

**Fee:** \$5 general admission,  
\$7.50 if purchased after December 2\*

**Purchase Tickets:** Call 408-730-7360 or stop by  
the Sunnyvale Senior Center.

**Hosted by:** Sunnyvale Senior Center

For more information, call 408-730-7360





2016-2017

# Evenings of Cultural Arts



September 17, 2016

## Rupa and the April Fishes | Indie

San Francisco Bay Area group Rupa and the April Fishes is a mosaic of international sound and a melodic homage to the pain, love and strength of humanity. Lead singer Rupa's reflective and yearning vocals soar in English, Spanish, French and Hindi to the background of cumbia, Indian raga, folk, soul, ska and jazz. When not performing, Rupa is a doctor of internal medicine at the University of California, San Francisco.



October 22, 2016

## The Wee Trio | Jazz

The Wee Trio performs jazz with a fresh energy achieved by their trifecta of vibraphone, bass and drums. Their debut release, *Capitol Diner, Vol. 1*, received international acclaim and was named as one of the top 10 albums of the year by the San Francisco Chronicle. *Ashes to Ashes: A David Bowie Intraspective*, their latest studio album, delightfully reimagines the artist's iconic work and is a fan favorite.



November 26, 2016

## The County Line Trio | Folk

For more than 45 years, The County Line Trio has been delivering true Americana folk music from their banjos and guitars. A tribute to the Kingston Trio, The County Line Trio makes music to sing along and tap your feet to using timeless beats and rhythms.



December 17, 2016

## The Coverlettes | 50's Rock

Hey mama, it's the '60s. Ella, Bella and Stella Duvet are The Coverlettes, three sisters hailing from "the wrong side of Vermont" with a sassy and sweet '60s girl group sound. Get into the holiday spirit and croon along with The Coverlettes to a medley of Christmas songs and hits from the likes of The Shangri-Las, The Shirelles, The Ronettes and The Crystals.

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For more information, including links to our artists' websites, please visit us online at

*Arts.inSunnyvale.com*

**Sunnyvale Theatre • 550 E. Remington Drive**

See page 60 to fill out Box Office Ticket Form



Photo by Todd Jenkins

January 14, 2017

**Maurice Tani and 77 El Deora |  
Americana**

San Francisco's Maurice Tani and his band, 77 El Deora, deliver a strong and soulful country sound. Self-described as "hillbilly noir", Tani is known for his inspiring storytelling Americana with a West Coast flavor.



February 4, 2017

**California Guitar Trio | Instrumental**

Alongside classics like Bach's Toccata and Fugue in D Minor and Queen's "Bohemian Rhapsody," the California Guitar Trio entertains with a medley of surf, Spaghetti Western tune, Pink Floyd and their own original songs. Lively, and with a strong yet unassuming technical command, the trio delivers an unforgettable experience.



March 18, 2017

**The Black Brothers | Celtic**

The Black Brothers repertoire includes Dublin street songs, sea shanties, soulful ballads and Irish, English and Scottish traditional music. Get ready to laugh with the infectiously humorous Shay and Michael Black and sing along to the rhythmic, lilting harmonies.



April 1, 2017

**James Garner's Tribute to  
Johnny Cash | Folk**

A celebration of a legend's spectacular life and music, "James Garner's Tribute to Johnny Cash" honors the Man in Black with a rich authenticity. Garner faithfully performs Cash's greatest hits, sprinkled with historical accounts and anecdote, delivering a lively and enthralling performance following Cash's influence.