

29th Annual University City Celebration

Wednesday, July 4th at Standley Park

Festivities kick off bright and early with the Pancake Breakfast, run by the Knights of Columbus, starting at 7:30am by the Standley Park Rec Center. The smell of pancakes and sausages cooking will tempt the 1-Mile Fun Run and 5k Race participants to finish up as they begin races at 7:45 and 8:00am respectively. The British Invasion starts too, but don't get worried, it's a Band not the Red Coats. Throughout the day, the UC community will be entertained by musicians and performances, be able to participate in field games, eat tasty dishes from food vendors, and even go swimming at Swanson Pool. Below is detailed info.

1-Mile Fun Run/5K Race: Participants can register starting at the Rec Center from 5:00-7:00pm on July 3 or on July 4 starting at 6:30am by Swanson Pool. The 1-Mile starts at 7:45am, and the 5K at 8:00am.

Beer & Wine Garden: Open 12:00noon to 7:00pm at the Gazebo. Must be 21 and older to enter.

Bike and Pet Parade: Starts at 10:30am by Standley Middle School and will be led by the Standley Middle School Marching Band. Decorate your bikes and dress up your pets.

Book Barn: The popular Book Barn will be open all day. Donations for books, especially children's books, are being requested. Please no textbooks, encyclopedias, dictionaries, manuals, or tapes of any kind. Books can be dropped off anytime at 4315 Huggins Street, or delivered to Standley Rec Center on July 3.

Booth Rentals: Booths are available for vendors, artists & crafters, food sales, groups...anyone. The booth reservation form is available online at uccelebration.com, or is available at the Standley Rec Center office.

Children's Area: Open from 12:00noon to 4:00pm. Activities include the Rock Wall, Monkey Bridge, Obstacle Course, Jumpers, and Bungee Run. Tickets required for each activity, and can be purchased at the event. Each activity will cost 1 – 3 tickets; tickets cost \$1 each.

Entertainment: Stage performers throughout the day include: British Invasion Band, Polynesian/Hawaiian Dancers, Nick Crook, and Martin Coughlin. Special evening headliner band True Stories plays from 5:00-7:00pm.

Field Games: Played throughout the day in front of the stage, includes: Sack Races, Balloon Toss, Tug of War.

Free Swim at Swanson Pool: The UC Celebration sponsors free swim time at Swanson Pool from 12:00noon-4:00pm. Open to all, bring your swimsuits and towels.

Official Opening: 11:00am – the National Anthem will be performed by the Standley Band with Color Guard.

Opportunity Drawing: Get your tickets for chances to win all types of baskets – dining, activities, services, etc.

Photo Scavenger Hunt: The hunt starts at 11:30am. Sign up at the Scavenger Hunt table in advance of the start.

Snow Play: New this year – find the snow behind the rec center. Children will enjoy snow ball and sledding fun!

Classic Car Show: Vote for your favorite car at the Celebration Classic Car Show, which will be located in the Spreckels Parking Lot. Auto enthusiasts are invited to show off your pride and joy. Space is limited. Contact David Wright david.wright@caliberhomeloans.com.

Contributors and Donors: Contributions towards the opportunity drawing and general donations are always appreciated. Contact jemmasamala@gmail.com or send to: Standley Park Recreation Council, 3585 Governor Drive, San Diego, CA 92122. Thanks for your support!

Sponsors: Thanks to our generous event sponsors – UCCA, Regency Centers/Costa Verde, and the La Jolla Historical Society. Please make sure to thank them and consider becoming members.

Volunteers: People are the backbone of the UC community and of the UC Celebration. We need volunteers to make the day a success. A quick two-hour shift is all we ask for: set up and tear down, beer garden (must attend training), children's area, field games, parking lot monitors, pet & bike parade, and the 1-Mile Fun Run and 5K Walk/Run. Please take a look at the volunteer link on www.uccelebration.com.

Next UC Celebration Committee Meetings:
Wednesday, June 6 & 20, 6:30-7:30pm
Standley Rec Center



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