



2017 – 2018 City Parks & Recreation Public Special Events Calendar



February 2017

Dates	Event Name/Sponsor	Location(s)	For information	Description
5, 12, 19, 26	SB Arts and Craft Show City of SB Parks & Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Weekly Show featuring local artists.
12	C.A.R.E. 4 Paws Pet Vaccine Clinic C.A.R.E. 4 Paws	Eastside Park	(805) 968-2273	Low cost or free vaccination clinic for cats and dogs.
18	Holiday SB Arts & Crafts Show City of SB Parks & Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Holiday show featuring local artists.
18, 19	Leslie Allen Tennis Tournament SB Tennis Patrons	Municipal Tennis Courts	(805) 680-3870	Annual tournament. A USTA-sanctioned event. All levels represented.

March 2017

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5, 12, 19, 26	SB Arts and Crafts Show City of SB Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Weekly Show featuring local artists.
11	Barbara Ireland Walk and Run for Breast Cancer Cancer Center of Santa Barbara	Chase Palm Park – Pavilion, Great Meadow & Casa Las Palmas	(805) 898-2116	The 17th annual Barbara Ireland Walk and Run for Breast Cancer features 5K, 10K and 15K events along the scenic waterfront. One hundred percent of entry fees and pledges support local programs including genetic counseling, patient navigation, and research. Event features lunch and a spa zone.
25	H4O Walk for Water Hands 4 Others	Chase Palm Park – Soccer Field	(805) 636-0475 www.hands4others.org	H4O Walk/Run for Water 2017 starts in the grassy field across from Chase Palm Park. It's a 5K walk and run to bring water to developing nations.

April 2017

Dates	Event Name/Sponsor	Location(s)	For information	Description
1	Special Olympics Polar Plunge Special Olympics Santa Barbara	Leadbetter Beach	www.sosc.org/santabarbara	Special Olympics Polar Plunge: third annual fundraiser benefitting the Santa Barbara region Special Olympics.

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1	Visions of Hope Community Bbq, Coat & Blanket Drive Visions of Hope	Oak Park - Main	(805) 331-3730	Please donate new and gently used coats and blankets which will be donated to the SB Rescue Mission and Pathway. Bbq lunch served noon-3 pm.
2, 9, 16, 23, 30	SB Arts and Crafts Show City of SB Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Weekly Show featuring local artists.
8	Bar Foundation Race for Justice Santa Barbara County Bar Foundation	Leadbetter Beach	(805) 895-1471	The Santa Barbara County Bar Foundation is hosting the 5K Fun Run Race for Justice to help fund local programs facilitating access to justice.
15	EGGstravaganza City of SB Parks & Recreation & Police Officers/Firefighters Assns	Chase Palm Park Great Meadow and Bohnett Park	(805) 564-5495	Free egg hunt at 10 am for toddlers to eight years of age. Includes thousands of chocolate and plastic eggs filled with prizes. Fire engine and SBPD SWAT vehicle (BearCat) for kids to play on. Easter Bunny included. Co-sponsored by City fire and police department associations.
15	Santa Barbara Chardonnay 10-Miler and 5K Santa Barbara Action Pro	Leadbetter Beach	www.sbactionpro.com	The Santa Barbara Chardonnay 10-Miler & 5K is the premier Spring running event in Santa Barbara. A beautiful out-and-back course along the waterfront. Join us for the fun, festivities and post-race wine tasting!
22, 23	Earth Day Community Environmental Council	Alameda Park	(805) 963-0583 www.sbearthday.org	The Community Environmental Council held one of the first Earth Day celebrations back in 1970. Alameda Park is now home to the largest annual Earth Day Festival on the West Coast.
29	Walk MS National MS Society, So. California Chapter	Leadbetter Beach	(805) 682-8783 www.nmss.org	Walk MS connects people living with multiple sclerosis and those who care about them. When you participate in the 1K or 5K walk, the funds you raise go to support vital programs and research to end MS forever.

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3, 10, 17, 24, 31	Nite Moves Nite Moves	Leadbetter Beach	www.active.com/santa-barbara-ca/races/nite-moves-2017	Nite Moves is an official community event in Santa Barbara that provides runners, walkers, swimmers and fitness enthusiasts an affordable event. Centering on family, Nite Moves provides an ideal

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5	Walk for Mental Wellness Mental Wellness Center	East Beach – Bathhouse Beach	www.mentalwellnesscenter.org	A 5K walk for the Mental Wellness Center to fundraise, bring awareness to mental health issues.
6	CBVA Tournament City of SB, Parks and Recreation	East Beach – Volleyball Courts	(805) 897-1944	California Beach Volleyball Association's volleyball tournament for men's AAA-rated and women's B-rated amateur players.
6	SB Birth Center 5K Santa Barbara Birth Center	Leadbetter Beach	805 770-3700 www.sbbirthcenter.org	Join us for a celebration of family and wellness as we host a (family friendly) 5K run/walk that ends with kids activities, massage, yoga and more! Come see why so many families chose SBBC for their journey into parenthood.
7, 14, 21, 28	SB Arts and Crafts Show City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Weekly show featuring local artists.
13	"Investing in Our Youth" Gala & Auction Sprout Up	Chase Palm Park – Plaza	www.SproutUp.org	This year marks Sprout Up's fifth annual gala and auction - a celebration of our mission to inspire the youngest members of society to be the next generation of environmental stewards. Come enjoy food, wine and auction items with friends, family and community members who support our cause.
17	Amgen Tour of California Visit Santa Barbara	Cabrillo Boulevard	www.amgentourofcalifornia.com	The 7-day, professional cycling event returns to the waterfront area of Santa Barbara for the 6 th time. The Men's Stage 4 starts in Santa Barbara so come cheer as the cyclists head to Santa Clarita today.
20	CBVA Tournament City of SB, Parks and Recreation	East Beach – Volleyball Courts	(805) 897-1944	California Beach Volleyball Association's volleyball tournament for men's B-rated and women's AA-rated amateur players.
20	City Pickleball Tourney City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Municipal Tennis Courts	(805) 564-5573	First-ever Santa Barbara pickleball tournament on four brand-new courts. All-day adult competition.
20	Ka Nai'a Outrigger Rig Run Race Ka Nai'a Outrigger Canoe Club of Santa Barbara	Leadbetter Beach	(805) 969-5595	Three long-distance outrigger canoe races: six-mile novice and open short course at 8 a.m.; 12-mile women and co-ed course at 10 a.m.; and 12-mile men and masters co-ed course at 11:30 a.m.
21	Jewish Festival Santa Barbara Jewish Federation	Plaza del Mar	(805) 957-1115 www.jewishsantabarbara.org/	Ethnic festival celebrating Jewish arts, culture and heritage.

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29	Holiday SB Arts & Crafts Show City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Holiday show featuring local artists.
TBA	Operation Harbor Clean Sweep City of SB Waterfront Dept.	Waterfront Harbor	(805) 564-5531	The annual harbor seafloor debris clean up day will be held from 8am to 12noon. Past clean ups have collected 10 tons of debris, including bicycles, barbeques, plastic barrels, boat propellers & more.
TBA	Santa Barbara Harbor Nautical Swap Meet City of SB Waterfront Department and Santa Barbara Harbor Merchants Association	Waterfront Harbor	(805) 564-5531	The 7 th annual harbor nautical swap meet attracts hundreds of treasure-seekers to the Main Harbor Parking Lot from 8 am to noon. Dozens of vendors sprawl out their tackle & gear, surfboards, fishing poles, inflatable boats, boat motors and other marine/nautical items. The SB Harbor Merchants Association will provide free coffee & refreshments to the public (while supplies last). Admission is free.
TBA	Best Day at the Beach Best Day Foundation	Leadbetter Beach	www.bestdayfoundation.org	A day for people with special needs to enjoy the beach and be assisted in water activities. Forty children will be preregistered each day. Event runs 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

June 2017

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2, 9, 16, 23, 30	SB Arts and Crafts Show City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Weekly show featuring local artists.
3	CBVA Tournament City of SB, Parks and Recreation	East Beach – Volleyball Courts	(805) 897-1944	California Beach Volleyball Association's tournament for men's and women's A-rated amateur players.
7, 14, 21, 28	Nite Moves Nite Moves	Leadbetter Beach	www.active.com/santa-barbara-ca/races/nite-moves-2017	Nite Moves is an official community event in Santa Barbara that provides runners, walkers, swimmers and fitness enthusiasts an affordable event. Centering on family, Nite Moves provides an ideal location on the grass at pristine Leadbetter Beach. Please come and join in the fun.

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8, 15, 22, 29	Reef and Run Reef and Run LLC	East Beach – Bathhouse Beach	(805) 886-8123 www.reefandrun.com	Reef & Run is a weekly ocean swimming event at East Beach featuring 500m, 1000m or 1 mile swims. A biathlon 1000m/2 mile beach run will be offered when the tides are low. Entry fee includes hot showers and lockers at the Cabrillo Bathhouse and after party at East Beach Grill with food, refreshments and live music.
9	AIDS/LifeCycle AIDS/LifeCycle	Leadbetter beach	(323) 860-7380 or (415) 581-7077 www.aidslifecycle.org	AIDS/LifeCycle is a seven-day fundraising bicycle ride from San Francisco to Los Angeles. Cyclists will travel through town and pause at our Leadbetter Beach rest stop. We are bringing the popular Paradise Pit from its historic location down the road to make the experience safer for our cyclists.
17	Buddy Walk and Festival Down Syndrome Association of SB County	Chase Palm Park – Great Meadow & Pavilion	(805) 886-4411 www.dsasbc.org	The Down Syndrome Association of Santa Barbara County's 8th Annual Buddy Walk & Festival is a fun filled family festival for all with live music, games, activities, face painting, informational vendor fair, silent auction, ceremonial fundraising walk to the carousel and more!
17	Climb Out of the Darkness Postpartum Education for Parents (PEP)	Leadbetter Beach	(805) 564-3888	Climb out of the Darkness is the world's largest event raising awareness of maternal mental illness, including postpartum depression, anxiety, OCD, psychosis and pregnancy depression and anxiety. The event was created and is run by the non-profit Postpartum Progress Inc. Every year on or near the Summer Solstice, teams of mothers and their supporters gather to climb out of the darkness by walking, climbing or hiking together to help shine the most light on maternal mental illness and raise funds to support the work of Postpartum Progress.
17, 18	Copa Cabana Beach Soccer Copa Cabana Sports	West Beach	(949) 294-2989 www.copacabanabeachsoccer.com	Copa Cabana Beach Soccer Tournaments are family-oriented youth and adult sport events played on the sand on a 30x40-yard pitch with 7x17-foot goals and five players on the field. Teams competing have a variety of skill levels and are matched up by age and ability. Copa Cabana Sports promotes a friendly and safe environment with food, games and entertainment for everyone.

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23, 24, 25	Summer Solstice Celebration Summer Solstice	Alameda Park	(805) 965-3396 www.solsticeparade.com	Summer Solstice Celebration is a parade and festival fêted each year around the summer solstice. The parade is a green parade that is very creative with colorful floats, giant puppets masked dancers, musicians, drummers and much more. The festival kicks off on Friday for three days of live entertainment, arts and crafts and food booths, beer and wine. The Children's Solstice Festival is open Saturday and Sunday with arts projects, entertainment featuring lots of local kids and fun activities. All free!
TBA	Lolë White Tour Lolë	Mission Rose Garden	(805) 770-7948 www.LoleWhiteTour.com	The community yoga event starts at 6:30 p.m. and ends at sundown to the tune of live guitar. Join fellow yogis all dressed in white to celebrate International Yoga Day. It will be an intimate experience dedicated to inner peace that promises to create unforgettable moments. Tickets are \$15.
TBA	Santa Barbara Half Marathon SB Timing LLC	Leadbetter Beach	www.sbhalfmarathon.com	The 37 th year of running the iconic beachfront course.

July 2017

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1	CBVA Tournament City of SB, Parks and Recreation	East Beach – Bathhouse Beach	(805) 897-1944	California Beach Volleyball Association's Semana Nautica tournament. Men's open on Saturday.
1	Holiday SB Arts & Crafts Show City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Holiday show featuring local artists.
2	CBVA Tournament City of SB, Parks and Recreation	East Beach – Bathhouse Beach	(805) 897-1944	California Beach Volleyball Association's Semana Nautica tournament. Women's open on Sunday.
2, 9, 16, 23, 30	SB Arts and Crafts Show City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Weekly show featuring local artists.
4	4th of July Fireworks Celebration City of Santa Barbara	West Beach	(805) 564-5418 www.santabarbaraca.gov	The City of Santa Barbara host a spectacular 18-20 minute fireworks display at West Beach starting at 9pm. Come down early as there will be food vendors lining the boulevard from 11am – 9pm and musical entertainment starting at 12noon.

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6, 13, 20, 27	Reef and Run Reef and Run LLC	East Beach – Bathhouse Beach	(805) 886-8123 www.reefandrun.com	Reef & Run is a weekly ocean swimming event at East Beach featuring 500m, 1000m or 1 mile swims. A biathlon 1000m/2 mile beach run will be offered when the tides are low. Entry fee includes hot showers and lockers at the Cabrillo Bathhouse and after party at East Beach Grill with food, refreshments and live music.
8	Kardboard Kayak Race Santa Barbara Maritime Museum	West Beach	(805) 962-8404 x115 www.sbmm.org	Participants have one hour to construct an ocean kayak using two sheets of cardboard (4'x8'), a roll of duct tape, a yardstick, a magic marker and a utility knife. Teams must paddle their kayak to the buoy and back without sinking. Heats are divided among adult, children and family categories.
8	Run to Surf iSurf	Leadbetter Beach	(805) 699-5371 www.isurfschool.com/	Run to Surf is a sports challenge event that includes a 5K run, beach obstacles and a 1.5K paddle.
8, 9, 15	Santa Barbara Open Tennis Tournament SB Tennis Patrons	Municipal Tennis Courts	(805) 680-3870	Annual USTA-sanctioned event. All levels represented.
11	CBVA's Youth Beach Volleyball Tournaments City of SB, Parks and Recreation	East Beach – Volleyball Courts	(805) 897-1944	California Beach Volleyball Association volleyball tournaments sponsored by City Parks and Recreation. For youth in 12 th , 10 th , 8 th grades and under. CBVA youth membership required.
14	California Wine Festival – Rare & Reserve Wine Tasting California Wine Festival	Chase Palm Park – Plaza	(800) 936-3126	This romantic evening of rare and reserve wine tasting under the stars at Santa Barbara's charming old-world carousel is not to be missed. Extremely limited reserve-level wines are matched with gourmet appetizers from top local chefs and food purveyors.

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15	Beachside Wine Festival California Wine Festival	Chase Palm Park – Soccer Field	(800) 936-3126	Hit the grassy, palm-lined Chase Palm Park to experience the quintessential California wine tasting event at our 13 th annual California Wine Festival grand finale. Sip California wines, sample dozens of hot and cold gourmet appetizers, artisan bread, cheeses and much more.
15	CBVA Tournament City of SB, Parks and Recreation	East Beach – Volleyball Courts	(805) 897-1944	California Beach Volleyball Association’s men’s masters for ages 37-44, 45+ and 55+ players and women’s masters for ages 37+.
15, 16	French Festival Center Stage Theater	Oak Park	(805) 963-8198 frenchfestival.com	A two-day celebration of Bastille Day and all the things that make the French cultural history so rich. Great food, wine, mimosas, crepes, delicious pastries, music, dance and of course the infamous Poodle & Pals Parade! The 27 th annual French Festival is the weekend where Santa Barbara truly is the American Riviera.
18	CBVA’s Youth Beach Volleyball Tournaments City of SB, Parks and Recreation	East Beach – Volleyball Courts	(805) 897-1944	California Beach Volleyball Association volleyball tournaments sponsored by City Parks and Recreation. For youth in 12 th , 10 th , 8 th grades and under. CBVA youth membership required.
22	CBVA Tournament City of SB, Parks and Recreation	East Beach – Volleyball Courts	(805) 897-1944	California Beach Volleyball Association’s tournament for men’s AA- and women’s B-rated amateur players.
22	Outrigger Canoe State Sprints Championships SB Outrigger Canoe Club	Leadbetter Beach	www.sbocc.org	Participants compete in outrigger canoe sprint races at this annual event that is part of the Southern California Outrigger Racing Association race series. Event includes food, beer garden, music and vendors.
22, 24	Knowlwood Junior Tennis Tournament SB Tennis Patrons	Municipal Tennis Courts	(805) 680-3870	Annual USTA-sanctioned, level 4 event.
25	CBVA’s Youth Beach Volleyball Tournaments City of SB, Parks and Recreation	East Beach – Volleyball Courts	(805) 897-1944	California Beach Volleyball Association volleyball tournaments sponsored by City Parks and Recreation. For youth in 12 th , 10 th , 8 th grades and under. CBVA youth membership required.

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29, 30	Santa Barbara Greek Festival SB Greek Orthodox Church	Oak Park	(805) 683-4492 www.saintbarbara.net	Annual celebration of food, music and fun. This family-friendly event is a function of St. Barbara Greek Orthodox Church and has been blessed to be a part of the community for 45 years. Don't miss it!
TBA	Argentine Festival Criollos USA, Inc.	Plaza del Mar		Introduction to Argentinean culture. Merchandise, music, food and beverages available.
TBA	Concerts in the Park City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Chase Palm Park Great Meadow	(805) 564-5418 www.santabarbaraca.gov/gov/depts/parksrec/recreation/events/parkrec/concerts.asp	Free concerts on Thursday evenings from 6 – 8:30pm geared toward families. Bring blankets, chairs and picnic.
TBA	Summer Fun and Nutrition Program City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Bohnett Park		Final 2016 concert for "No Kid Hungry: takes place on blacktop adjacent to Boys & Girls Club on lower level next to the field. SBUSD Nutrition Program serves participants food while they listen to a live concert from 12 to 1 p.m.

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1	CBVA Youth Beach Volleyball Tournaments City of SB, Parks and Recreation	East Beach – Volleyball Courts	(805) 897-1944	California Beach Volleyball Association volleyball tournaments sponsored by City Parks and Recreation. For youth in 12 th , 10 th , 8 th grades and under. CBVA youth membership required.
2, 3, 4, 5	Fiesta Mercados Old Spanish Days	De la Guerra Plaza & Mackenzie Park	(805) 962-8101 www.oldspanishdays-fiesta.org	Celebrate the 93 rd Old Spanish Days Fiesta by enjoying food, live entertainment, arts and crafts at the downtown and uptown outdoor mercados. A family carnival with mechanical rides and kiddie inflatable slides and bouncers is also at the uptown location at Mackenzie Park.
2, 9, 16, 23, 30	Nite Moves Nite Moves	Leadbetter Beach	www.active.com/santa-barbara-ca/races/nite-moves-2017	Nite Moves is an official community event in Santa Barbara that provides runners, walkers, swimmers and fitness enthusiasts an affordable event. Centering on family, Nite Moves provides an ideal location on the grass at pristine Leadbetter Beach. Please come and join in the fun.

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5	Fiesta Children’s Parade City of SB, Parks & Recreation	State Street	(805) 564-5418 www.oldspanishdays-fiesta.org	Annual Fiesta parade featuring Santa Barbara’s children dressed in costume & celebrating Santa Barbara’s Old Spanish Days.
5	Holiday SB Arts & Crafts Show City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Holiday show featuring local artists.
5, 6	Fiesta Arts & Crafts Show Old Spanish Days	Cabrillo Boulevard west of Stearns Wharf	(805) 962-8101 www.oldspanishdays-fiesta.org	Crafts people and artists from across the state display and sell a colorful variety of unique designs and handmade items along the Cabrillo Boulevard beachfront from State Street to Bath Street.
6, 13, 20, 27	SB Arts and Crafts Show City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Weekly show featuring local artists.
8	CBVA’s Youth Beach Volleyball Tournaments City of SB, Parks and Recreation	East Beach – Volleyball Courts	(805) 897-1944	California Beach Volleyball Association volleyball tournaments sponsored by City Parks and Recreation. For youth in 12 th , 10 th , 8 th grades and under. CBVA youth membership required.
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19, 20, 26, 27	Santa Barbara Junior Tennis Tournament SB Tennis Patrons	Municipal, Pershing Park, and SBHS Tennis Courts	(805) 680-3870	Annual USTA-sanctioned, level 3 event.
26	Pacific Pride Festival Pacific Pride Foundation	Chase Palm Park – Great Meadow and Pavilion	(805) 963-3636	Pacific Pride Festival is the largest LGBT celebration on the Central Coast. It features an all-day line-up of live entertainment, food booths, vendors and activities. All proceeds benefit the programs and services of Pacific Pride Foundation.

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26, 27	Santa Barbara Triathlon Santa Barbara Triathlon	East Beach	(805) 682-1634 or www.santabarbaratriathlon.com	Annual triathlon featuring swim, bike and run events. Long course on August 27; women's sprint and coed sprint on August 28.
TBA	Vitamin Angels Community Event Vitamin Angels	Alameda Park	(805) 564-8400 www.vitaminangels.org	Vitamin Angels is holding a community event for kids and families to introduce them to the work the organization does to help stop malnutrition around the world and in the United States.
TBA	Best Day at the Beach Best Day Foundation	Leadbetter Beach	www.bestdayfoundation.org	A day for people with special needs to enjoy the beach and be assisted in water activities. Forty children will be preregistered each day. Event runs 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
TBA	Wine & Roses Regatta Santa Barbara Yacht Club	Leadbetter Beach East	(805) 379-9192 www.wineandrosesregatta.com/	Charity regatta featuring catamarans from California, Arizona and Nevada. All proceeds benefit the Make-A-Wish Foundation of the Tri-Counties.

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2	Holiday SB Arts & Crafts Show City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Holiday show featuring local artists.
3, 10, 17, 24	SB Arts and Crafts Show City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Weekly show featuring local artists.
9	Avon 39 – The Walk to End Breast Cancer Avon Foundation for Women	Chase Palm Park – Soccer Field	www.avonwalk.org	A two-day, 39.3 mile fundraising walk in and around Santa Barbara County. Funds raised go towards supporting 5 areas of the breast cancer cause including awareness & education, screening & diagnosis, access to treatment, support services and research.
9, 10	Santa Barbara Jr. Satellite Tennis Tournament SB Tennis Patrons	Municipal Tennis Courts	(805) 680-3870	Annual USTA-sanctioned, level 6 event.
10	Out of the Darkness Community Walk Santa Barbara American Foundation for Suicide Prevention	Leadbetter Beach	(424) 327-7101 www.afsp.org	Out of the Darkness community walks are AFSP's signature fundraising and awareness events bringing together family, friends, colleagues and supporters to raise funds and awareness for research and education programs to prevent suicide and save lives.

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15	California Coast Classic Bike Tour Arthritis Foundation	Shoreline Park West	www.californiacoastclassic.org	The California Coast Classic Bike Tour, presented by Amgen, raises money for arthritis research and programs. For the 17th consecutive year, an estimated 250 cyclists will ride 525 miles from San Francisco to Los Angeles. Santa Barbara is a rest stop during the Buellton-to-Ventura stage.
22	Dos Pueblos Invitational High School Cross Country Race + Community 5K Dos Pueblos High School	Shoreline Park	www.dpicrosscountry.com	Fiftieth annual Dos Pueblos Invitational Cross Country races at Shoreline Park. This year we will also host a community/alumni 3-mile race on the same course at 4:15 p.m. following the high school event. All are welcome to join.
30	SB Aquathon SB Channelkeeper	Leadbetter Beach	(805) 563-3777 www.sbck.org	Family-friendly water event based at Leadbetter Beach. Teams will compete by swimming, stand-up paddling and kayaking to boats anchored off shore. Primary goal is to celebrate the clean water and beautiful beaches in Santa Barbara.
TBA	Ventura Beach Party Century Vendurance	Shoreline Park West	(805) 218-1496	The Ventura Beach Party Century is an organized bike ride consisting of varying distances that start/end in Ventura and travel through Ventura and Santa Barbara counties.
TBA	9/11 Never Forget Young America's Foundation	West Beach	www.yaf.org	Local community volunteers will plant 2,977 American flags in the sand to memorialize those lives lost during the September 11 terrorist attacks in 2001. The event starts at 8:46 a.m. with bagpipes and ends with a bugler. During the afternoon, organizers will deliver comments on the importance of the memorial. The flags will remain out all day for those who wish to pay their respects.
TBA	She.is.beautiful She.is.beautiful	East Beach	www.runsheisbeautiful.com/santa-barbara	All-womens and girls 5K and 10K run and walk. All levels and abilities welcome, from those racing for the prize money to those completing their first 5K! Great, feel-good morning!

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7	JDRF One Walk Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation	Leadbetter Beach	(877) 500-9629	JDRF One Walk is a 5K fundraiser that entails a 3-mile walk and a “village” at Leadbetter Beach with entertainment, music, food and vendors.
7, 8	Santa Barbara City Chamionship Tennis Tournament SB Tennis Patrons	Municipal Tennis Courts	(805) 680-3870	Annual USTA-sanctioned event. All levels represented.
14	Great Strides Cystic Fibrosis Foundation	Chase Palm Park – Soccer Field	(323) 939-0758 fightcf.cff.org/site/TR/GreatStrides/GreatStrides?pg=entry&fr_id=5731	5K Walkathon to raise awareness about the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and to fund the research and drug development for those living with Cystic Fibrosis.
14	Harbor and Seafood Festival City of SB Waterfront Department and SB Maritime Museum	Waterfront Harbor	(805) 564-5530	The annual Harbor and Seafood Festival is Santa Barbara’s signature Autumn event. Timed with the opening of lobster season, the festival is presented by the City, Commercial Fishermen of Santa Barbara, Inc., Santa Barbara Harbor Merchants’ Association, and the Santa Barbara Maritime Museum. Festival-goers will meet local fishermen and enjoy fresh lobster, crab, prawns, and other local-caught seafood. Live entertainment and other family-oriented activities round out a full day of fun. Event admission is free.
19	Santa Barbara’s 2017 City Vigil for Domestic Violence Domestic Violence Solutions	De la Guerra Plaza	(805) 964-5245 www.dvsolutions.org	Santa Barbara’s 2017 City Vigil for Domestic Violence is an annual event that honors the lives lost to intimate partner violence. It increase awareness about this social problem in hopes that we, as a community, can create zero tolerance for intimate partner violence.

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21	Santa Barbara 100 Santa Barbara 100	Leadbetter Beach	(619) 996-9002 www.sb100.org	The Santa Barbara 100 takes place in one of the most beautiful and challenging cycling locations in the United States. We offer four distinct courses to suit every cyclist ability level. All courses start at Leadbetter Beach allowing riders to experience all Santa Barbara has to offer with scenic beach views and climbs in the surrounding foothills and mountains. All proceeds support local charities.
29	PEP Halloween Celebration Postpartum Education for Parents	Oak Park	(805) 564-3888 www.sbpep.org	A free community Halloween event for families with young (ages 0-4) children. There will be music, face painting, family photos and pumpkin raffle. Costumes for the entire family are encouraged.
TBA	City of Santa Barbara's Annual Community Clean-up Looking Good Santa Barbara	Ortega Park	(805) 897-2526	Neighborhood improvement clean-up day sponsored by the City of Santa Barbara. Projects include litter clean-up, graffiti removal, creek and park clean-up, tree maintenance and a variety of other enhancement projects.

November 2017

Dates	Event Name/Sponsor	Location(s)	For information	Description
5, 12, 19, 26	SB Arts and Crafts Show City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Weekly show featuring local artists.
11	Santa Barbara Veterans Day Half Marathon Santa Barbara Intl Marathon	Leadbetter Beach	www.sbmarathon.com	Santa Barbara Veterans Day Half invites runners to a three-day weekend of events from local veterans organizations, to nightlife, a half marathon and a five-mile run that overlook the Pacific ocean from beginning to end.
23	ZeeBlu Thanksgiving 5k + Family Fun Run ZeeBlu	Leadbetter Beach	(805) 280-8001 www.5k.zeeblu.com/	ZeeBlu is hosting its 5th annual Thanksgiving 5K + Family Fun Run on Thanksgiving morning at Leadbetter Beach. One hundred percent of the proceeds benefit Rocco's Ranch, a summer camp for kids with special needs and disabilities. This is a family-friendly opportunity for us to give back to our community.

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25	Holiday SB Arts & Crafts Show City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Holiday show featuring local artists.
TBA	National Runaway Prevention Vigil CIYMCA – Youth & Family Services	De la Guerra Plaza	(805) 963-8775	November is national runaway prevention month. Youth & Family Services is hosting a vigil to raise awareness, to educate the public about solutions and the role we all play in ending youth homelessness.

December 2017

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2	Mike Koury Junior Novice Tennis Tournament SB Tennis Patrons	Municipal Tennis Courts	(805) 680-3870	Annual USTA-sanctioned, level 7 event.
3, 10, 17, 24, 31	SB Arts and Crafts Show City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Weekly show featuring local artists.
9	Tuba Christmas Santa Barbara Downtown Organization	Storke Placita	(805) 962-2098	Since 1993, the local musicians of Tuba Christmas have performed songs to celebrate the holidays. The show now includes appearances by the Santa Barbara High School DOLLZ, Christmas Brass and Trombone Choir.
16	Lakey Peterson Keiki Bowl Surf Happens Foundation	Leadbetter Point	(805) 966-3613 www.surfhappens.com	The Lakey Peterson Keiki Bowl presented by the Surf Happens Foundation is a FREE under-14 surf contest where nobody loses in the first round. The competition is designed to promote community while sharing environmental stewardship.
23	Holiday SB Arts & Crafts Show City of SB, Parks and Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Holiday show featuring local artists.
TBA	Pilgrimage of Our Lady of Guadalupe Our Lady of Guadalupe	Ortega Park	(805) 965-4060	Community celebrating the Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe. The event includes a pilgrimage procession, Aztec dancers, pray rosary and traditional songs. Image of our patroness will be carried from Ortega Park to Our Lady of Guadalupe Church on Nopal Street.

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TBA	Parade of Lights City of SB, Waterfront Dept.	East Beach, West Beach and Stearns Wharf	(805) 897-1962	The 31st annual Parade of Lights will begin at 3 pm with Santa's Village at the Santa Barbara Harbor. The boat parade starts at 5:30 pm with a fireworks show launched from West Beach around 6:30/6:45 pm. Great family fun! Best viewing is from Stearns Wharf or the harbor. Event is free.
TBA	Guadalupe Procession Staging Our Lady of Sorrows Church	De la Guerra Plaza	(805) 963-1734	Cultural celebration to kick off Guadalupe festivities and celebration through greater Santa Barbara. Parade procession from park to church.

January 2018

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7, 14, 21, 28	SB Arts & Crafts Show City of SB Parks & Recreation	Cabrillo Boulevard	(805) 897-2519	Weekly Show featuring local artists.
TBA	New Year's Resolution Day Run Santa Barbara Athletic Association	Leadbetter Beach	www.sbrunning.org	5K and 10K running events that begin and end at Leadbetter Beach. Both courses run out and back east along the Cabrillo bike path. The 10K course continues up to Shoreline Park to Meigs Road before heading back down to the beach.
TBA	Return to the Pier SB Outrigger Canoe Club	West Beach	(805) 455-8296 www.sbocc.org/Events.html	Prone boards, stand-up paddle boards, surf skis and outrigger canoe race.
TBA	Santa Barbara City Junior Tennis Tournament SB Tennis Patrons	Municipal Tennis Courts	(805) 680-3870	Annual USTA-sanctioned, level 4 event.

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