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Music and Market series in full swing

Concord's free Thursday music concert and farmers' market series is in full swing in Todos Santos Plaza. This month, check out the dynamic Oakland Gospel Choir (June 4), '60s favorite David LaFlamme of It's a Beautiful Day, pictured (June 11), Beatles tribute band Sun Kings (June 18) and Battle of the Bands (June 25). Market 4 to 8 p.m., music 6:30 to 8 p.m.

[Learn more](#)



California Symphony at the Concord Pavilion



The California Symphony returns to the Concord Pavilion! On July 3, enjoy the [Independence Day celebration concert](#) with the 1812 Overture featuring real cannons, and all-American favorites from Broadway and the movies. Mayor Tim Grayson narrates the James Beckel piece "Liberty for All." On August 21, [The Wizard of Oz](#) will be screened with the symphony providing live musical accompaniment. Discount for buying tickets to both shows.

[Get tickets](#)

Sign up to be part of the July 4th celebration

Planning for the July 4th holiday? A full day of festivities is planned in downtown Concord including a 5K run at 8 a.m., parade at 10 a.m., festival at 4 p.m. and fireworks at 9 p.m. There's still time to submit a parade entry, sign up for the run, or apply to be a vendor at the festival. Sponsors are always welcome.

[Get the details](#)



Bring the kids to try out new pool toys



Families are having fun playing on the two new 60-foot inflatables at Concord Community Pool. See these giant obstacle courses that are challenging for swimmers of all ages. Hours are 1 to 4 p.m. Saturday and Sunday until June 13, then weekdays 1 to 4 p.m. and weekends 1 to 5 p.m.

[Learn more](#)

Have your say on the City budget

The Concord City Council will consider the proposed fiscal year 2015-16 and 2016-17 City budgets at two public hearings on June 9 and June 23 at 6:30 p.m. in the City Council Chamber at Civic Center, 1950 Parkside Drive. Residents are welcome to attend and comment. The meetings are televised on Concord Cable TV and streamed live on the [City's website](#).

[Learn more](#)



Graduations broadcast from the Concord Pavilion



Mt. Diablo Unified School District graduations will be broadcast from the Concord Pavilion during the week of June 7 through 12 on Concord Cable TV, channel 28 (Comcast), 29 (Astound) and 99 (AT&T Universe). The graduations will also be rebroadcast several times in the weeks following the graduations, and streamed on the City's website.

[TV Listings](#)

What are you doing to conserve water?

The Contra Costa Water District is asking residential customers to reduce overall water usage during the drought by 25%. Most customers can meet the goal by cutting back on landscape watering. CCWD offers lots of tips and rebates to help residents conserve water. The City is meeting a 45% reduction target in parks and medians through its Drought Management Plan.

[Water District info](#)

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