



Halloween in downtown Concord

Trick-or-treat with your little ones on Halloween at participating downtown stores around Todos Santos Plaza from 3 to 5 p.m. featuring special ice cream treats at Umpqua Bank, 1900 Grant Street at the corner of Willow Pass Road. Keep everyone safe when trick-or-treating after dark. Remember to bring flashlights and walk in groups. See more tips below.

[Halloween safety tips](#)



Enter the new photo contest on Facebook and Twitter



The City is hosting a month-long contest, giving away two prizes a week to those sharing photos of their favorite Concord businesses on Facebook or Twitter. Upload a photo of a favorite business and tag it with the hashtag #ConcordCA. Each week, the two photos with the most likes and retweets will win a prize!

[Learn more](#)

[Contest rules](#)

Voting Information: November 2014 is around the corner

The City of Concord encourages all eligible Concord voters to participate in the upcoming November 4 election. For your convenience, you can find a list of important dates on the City website, including how to get registered to vote, key dates and deadlines, polling location information, and more about what's on the ballot.

[Read more about the November Election](#)



City Council candidates' forum televised on Concord Cable TV



The City Council Candidates' Forum, hosted by the Greater Concord Chamber of Commerce on September 29, will be rebroadcast on Concord Cable TV over Comcast channel 28, Astound channel 29 and AT&T U-verse channel 99 throughout the month of October. On November 4, voters will choose three City Council members from a field of nine candidates.

[Concord Cable TV Listings](#)

Mercedes-Benz self-driving cars coming to Concord

Mercedes-Benz has selected the former Concord Naval Weapons Station property as the site to test its self-driving cars as well as cutting-edge transportation technology such as traffic signals that 'communicate' with the cars. Although the site isn't open to the public, information will be shared about technological advances happening in our own backyard.

[Learn more](#)



Help prevent flooding by keeping fall leaves out of the street



Please place leaves, cuttings and other yard trimmings in the Green Waste container provided by Concord Disposal. The City's Municipal Code prohibits sweeping leaves and yard waste into the street; the City's street sweeper was not designed to pick up piles of leaves. Flooding is likely to occur in areas where debris is left in the streets, eventually blocking the storm drains. Thank you for your assistance.

[Learn more](#)

Taste of Monument

On Sunday, Oct. 12, plan to attend the inaugural Taste of Monument food fest, featuring foods from 10 to 20 local restaurant and five food trucks. The event will take place in the parking lot adjacent to Monument Boulevard and Erickson Road from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Food served will represent many different cultures. Parking and admission are free.

[Learn more](#)



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