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HALLOWEEN TAKES TOWN!

Local Businesses Celebrate with Festive New Offerings!

It's official! Emerging holiday "Halloween" has become Buena Vista Street's latest craze. Citizens from Elysian Arcade to Carthay Circle are carving "jack-o-lanterns" from pumpkins and threading spiffy costumes for masquerades, while youngsters can be heard practicing the nifty phrase "trick-or-treat" throughout the neighborhood.

Indeed October 31st is approaching fast, and even the local businesses are getting into the spirit, offering new seasonal items like Halloween ornaments, Mickey pumpkins, eerie ears, and terrifying treats. Said Los Feliz Five & Dime owner, Mr. Dominguez, "Our motto has always been, if we don't have it, we'll find it. And our loyal patrons want Halloween, so we're filling up

their goodie bags, so to speak."

Added Trolley Treats candy shoppe owner Carol Hoffenberger, "Halloween is becoming a unique time for us, and this year we'll be offering several creepy confectionary creations - bones and skulls candy, coffin tins with gummy worms, and even Madame Leota lollipops."

Prepare to have your sweet tooth indulged, kids of all ages! And who knows where the colorful, Irish immigrant-rooted holiday goes from here, but it's certainly a frightfully fun time to be on Buena Vista Street.

Halloween offerings can be found at Julius Katz & Sons, Elias & Co., the Los Feliz Five & Dime, Clarabelle's Hand-Scooped Ice Cream, and Trolley Treats.



Frankenweenie Unleashed in Hollywood Land!

New Screen Star the Bark of the Town!

Calling all Frankenweenie fanatics! Tinseltown is celebrating its latest holiday hit with an exclusive, behind the scenes look at the making of the Tim Burton film. Catch a Red Car Trolley to Hollywood Land's Disney Animation Building and head inside for the fascinating "Art of Frankenweenie Exhibition." The touring exhibit features inspirational sketches, props, sets, and even the actual puppets from the film.

Afterwards, take a stroll across the boulevard to Muppet*Vision 3D for a sneak peek at Frankenweenie, the film. The added special effects are certain to bring you back from the dead. And keep an eyeball out for limited Frankenweenie merchandise, including adult and children's clothing, trading pins, drinkware, and the film's eccentric soundtrack.

"I" on Food



I always dress for dinner. No questions asked. It is what is proper. But upon being encouraged to appear at a dining establishment in a costume, well, this critic found it utterly preposterous. And

despite being assured this is the way it was at Ariel's Grotto, I would simply fail to participate.

Descending its spiral staircase, I entered Ariel to discover a royal undersea banquet attended by princesses from around the world. Ariel, Belle, Cinderella, and Snow White to name a few. And among them were commoners, children mostly, dressed as princesses,

with Inglebert Irving

Of Costumes and Cuisine

witches, knights and pirates. While they all appeared to be indulging in a great deal of fun, I would not be seduced. I was here for the food. And there's nothing better than a bit of foul, rubbery seafood to induce the red pen of disaster.

Escorted to a table near a window, out which unfolded a stunning view of Paradise Bay, I found myself softening somewhat. My food arrived a few moments later, and I was delightfully surprised. A bold, flavorful cioppino, rich with lobster tail, scallops, shrimp, and Bilbao chorizo, all in a fire-roasted tomato broth. Slowly, I removed my dinner jacket to reveal my pristine Prince Charming costume. For the record, I had put it on simply as a precaution. But after one taste of my

decadent dessert, a white chocolate conch shell of fresh berries, I was sauntering around the room like an aristocrat. And before the evening was over, every damsel in the place had eagerly placed a heel in my glass slipper.

Needless to say, I give Ariel's Grotto my finest recommendation and suggest a visit in your most whimsical attire, right away. Ariel's is located in Paradise Pier, overlooking the bay, and it offers character dining for breakfast, lunch, and dinner. Priority seating is recommended. Call 714-781-DINE (3463).

Inglebert also recommends:

- The "Frankenweenie" at Award Wieners
- Hand-dipped vanilla ice cream bars with a variety of toppings at Clarabelle's Hand-Scooped Ice Cream
- Build-Your-Own Asian Bowls with choice of chicken, beef, tofu vegetables, and sauce (Spicy Korean Barbecue, Thai Coconut Curry, Mandarin Orange or Pineapple Teriyaki) at Lucky Fortune Cookery
- The Malibu Mocha at Schmoozies
- Carthay House Biscuits, stuffed with white cheddar, bacon, and jalapeno, served with apricot honey butter, at Carthay Circle Restaurant
- Family recipe Mediterranean skewers with sauces at Paradise Garden Grill



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Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

How old is too old to go trick-or-treating? Because I really don't think there should be an age. I'm still enjoying it, and I'm planning to go again this year. Not on my bike, of course, because that would be too slow. I'm still not very good at riding my bike.

Sincerely,
Molly the Messenger

Dear Editor,

My lovely dog, Lady, is simply the best trick-or-treater in the neighborhood. She always knows which houses have the best goodies, in fact, she can track a candied kumquat from several blocks away. As a warning, if anyone approaches her with candied fruit, she will assume it is for her.

Lovingly,
Donna the Dog Lady

Dear Editor,

I can't wait to put on my costume for Halloween this year. I'll be going as a police officer. I enjoy going out as a police officer. I'm also looking forward to giving out lots of good behavior tickets on this tip-topperest holiday.

Officially,
Calvin the Cop



Lost Little Goblin? Or forgotten baby supplies?



Visit the Baby Care
Center and Lost
Children Services -
located in the
Pacific Wharf

Duffy Gets in the Spirit!

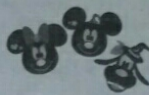
Halloween is spreading all around the Disneyland Resort, and Duffy the Disney Bear is leading the way! Not only is he showing off his new trick-or-treating costume at Paradise Pier, but he's also making appearances at Mickey's Halloween Party on select nights at Disneyland Park. He's

eager to help you celebrate the season, and Disney's PhotoPass photographers are standing by to capture all the warm fuzzies.

After meeting Duffy, head over to Treasures in Paradise for all the new items inspired by his costume, including an open edition pin and a matching costume for your very own Duffy bear.



Spirit of Optimism: Elias & Co.



From his humble Chicago roots, Elias Walter Parr climbed the mountain of commerce to become the owner of Buena Vista Street's largest, most stylish department store, Elias & Co. But just how did this son of a preacher get there? What exactly was his street of dreams?

"Well, I was raised to appreciate hard work and a positive outlook," revealed Mr. Parr, "and I suppose it stuck with me. Even through the tough times."

And tough times he endured. What we now call the finest jewelry department in town was the back of a horse wagon in the 1880s. But slowly and surely, Mr. Parr purchased a permanent location and began to expand the operation. In fact,

the original hand-painted Elias & Co. logo can still be spotted today on the brick elevation near the Chamber of Commerce. And evidence of the store's expansion can be realized by the street addresses outside. While the main entrance is at 2750 Buena Vista Street, the Children's Department is at 2700, and the Jewelry Department is at 2766.

"We've always been open to new ideas, and that's what I believe keeps us moving forward," announced Mr. Parr. "And I'm particularly excited about our new Halloween offerings. I hope our loyal patrons will be as well."

Visit Elias & Co. today for all your fashion needs, including the popular Cars Land, Storytellers, and Bad Apple Merchandise.



Who Knew?

The Buzz with Gayle & Gail Scream



Primal. Bloodcurdling. Silent. Even silly. Indeed, screams are the sound of the season, dearies, and we've been hearing every type imaginable. So what are the best attractions, on which to deafen your pals? Pull up a chair. Grab that coffee at the Fiddler, Fifer & Practical Cafe. G & G have got the scoop on this one.

We'll start with the obvious. The grand-daddy of them all. A Paradise Pier flagship that induces so many screams, it's even got one in its name. California Screamin' is a white knuckle coaster with a kick start that'll induce wails of fear all up and down the coastline!

And if speed isn't your phobia, then maybe it's creepy crawlies. Slither on down to "a bug's land" for It's Tough to be a Bug! where an army of slimy, vile pests will make it tough to stay in your seat.

After running through those doors, head on down to Monsters, Inc. Mike & Sully to the Rescue!, where the beastly staff is actually trying to capture your screams. The louder, the longer, the better, we hear. So let 'em rip, boys and girls.

Speaking of rip, how about some roaring rapids? Grizzly River Run tosses you through jagged boulders, past erupting geysers, and over steep falls. If you're not soaking wet by the time you're done, you'll be squealing like an indigenous sus scrofa. That's a wild boar, dearies.

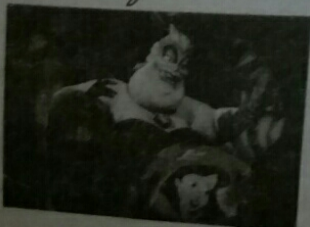
But if you really want wild, take a whirl on Mickey's Fun Wheel and ask for one of the swinging gondolas. Trust us, everyone'll be hearing your screams clear across the bay.

And now for our top shock. Shhhh, keep this one on the Q.T., people. Okay, here goes. Take a Red Car Trolley to Hollywood Land and check into the Hollywood Tower Hotel. Board the freight elevator and head to the thirteenth floor. And wait. And wait. And wait. You can thank us later. As if we won't hear you.

Now get out there and get those hearts pounding, those uvulas shaking. And we'll keep an extra set of earplugs handy. Until next time, we'll see you on the streets. And as always, your secrets are safe with us.

CELEBRITY SIGHTINGS!

Villains on the Town!



Ursula plotting evil in her lair
Take a clamshell to see Ariel and Eric prevail on The Little Mermaid - Ariel's Undersea Adventure!

Jafar casting a sinister spell!

Wish him into an itty-bitty living space at Disney's Aladdin - A Musical Spectacular!



Cruella De Vil cutting a rug at Dancin' with Disney!

Creep on over to Stage 17 and show her up on the dance floor! You never know what villains might appear!



Package Check Service

After shopping, check your purchases for pickup later in the day at Elias & Co. Resort hotel. Guests may have purchases delivered to Bell Services for next-day pickup after 7 a.m. Certain restrictions apply.

Ghost Hunters Materialize at Hollywood Tower Hotel!

As the October 31st anniversary of its lightning strike opens, the Tower Hotel is reporting increased episodes of paranormal activity. As you recall on that fateful day, several hotel guests were struck by a phantom storm while in a service elevator, and they vanished to a place only referred to by spectrologists as "The Twilight Zone." Since then, apparitions of the guests who went missing have been reported and even photographed. Still, more questions than answers remain.

If you dare to join those seeking a deeper truth, bring your recording equipment and your courage to Hollywood Land tonight. Meteorologists have predicted decreasing air pressures in the area.

And after you've had your fill of frights, be sure to check out the new merchandise inspired by *Towers of Terror* and Tim Burton's *Nightmare Before Christmas* in the Tower Hotel Gift Shop.



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World of Color

Viewing Tips:

- Grab a FastPass ticket at Grizzly River Run.
- For reserved viewing areas, get a dining package at Carthay Circle Restaurant or Golden Vine Winery, or pre-purchase a picnic meal at the Sonoma Terrace.
- Put on your Glow with the show. Ears to magically become part of the show!



Light My Way

*Travels with Phippi Francis
Neither Here, Nor There, M'dear*



In my vast array of worldly voyages, I have journeyed through Jackson Hole, Wyoming, Woods Hole, Massachusetts, Pithole, Pennsylvania, and even Hole, Norway. But I had never journeyed through a rabbit hole. Until now.

Following my light somewhere in the art deco labyrinth of Hollywood Land, I rounded a corner to discover a sight I had never seen before. A dizzying porthole of sorts, which appeared to open to something of a wild, whimsical tea party. I wasn't even sure it was real, but of course my light encouraged me to enter. And despite my inhibitions, I would indulge.

As the glowing, vivid world unfolded before bewildered eyes, I found myself entranced by a fantastic live band. Joyous dances engulfed me, and I was whisked into the party. Quickly, I befriended an eccentric, poetic man in a large hat. He referred to himself as "The Statler" and seemed to be the star

of this show. He introduced me to a pair of eccentric, rather buoyant twins, and even a white rabbit, before just as quickly vanishing in the crowd. I wasn't sure how to respond, yet somehow I felt validated, and I decided to embrace the foreign culture as I had done numerous times before. Grabbing a pair of glowing ears and an illuminated beverage, I danced the night away among the likeminded.

And as the journey concluded, I found myself on the streets of Hollywood Land again, uncertain when the party had ended, or even how I had returned to familiarity. There was no evidence of the porthole, and I wondered if it would ever open for me again. But either way, I held my head high as I was proud of my courage, and, as always, grateful to my light for providing the experience.

Inspired by the manic energy of Tim Burton's *"Alice in Wonderland,"* Mad T Party transforms the backlot of Hollywood Land on Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights. With the rabbit hole open for you!



More Magic in Beast's Library!

Enchanted Books Expand Characters, Traits

Whether you're seeking a revealing psychological profile or just an answer to which Disney character you want to be for Halloween, the enchanted books of Beast's Library have been updated with enlightening answers. Deep in the Sorcerer's Workshop at Hollywood Land's Disney Animation Building, Lumiere is at your service, guiding you through a mystical personality

test to discover your perfect Disney doppelganger.

Whether you're Lightning McQueen, Merida, Rapunzel, or even Captain Hook, only the enchanted books know for sure. And only you can release the truth, by opening a book today.

Once matched and inspired to delve deeper into your character, journey over to Treasures in Paradise on Paradise Pier for any of your costume needs.

Enjoy Halloween fun at Disneyland



• Step into *Hunted: Halloweentown*, inspired by Tim Burton's *The Nightmare Before Christmas*.

• Witness the terrifying transformation as *Space Mountain* becomes *Ghost Galaxy*.

• Trick-or-treat at *Nick's Halloween Party* on select nights. Separate admission required.

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Buena Vista Street

Red Car News Boys

Our own News Boys keep all the latest Red Car Trolley and parade the government of Buena Vista Street, peddling papers and performing a variety of authentic period tunes, all showcased via exciting new arrangements. What's more, spirited young Hollywood hopeful Mickey Mouse, when you stepped off the trolley with his pal Walt Disney, makes a surprise appearance and joins in the fun!

Five & Dime

This talented bunch of singing-dancing buddies played their way down Route 66 to Los Angeles, hoping for their big break. After they met a sensational female singer ("Dime") at the local variety store, their band instantly made "saves." These swingin' "boppers" just up 1930s & '40s tunes from the back of their makeshift jukebox and cheer anyone who'll sing and dance along.

Citizens of Buena Vista Street

Buena Vista Street is a boulevard of dreams... and dreams! These particular dreamers, who populate the scene, go about their daily lives, interacting with guests and creating memorable laughs, smiles... and memories, whenever they go. They reflect, in a variety of ways, aspects of California, and, in a greater sense, the resilient American spirit.

Character Meet-n-Greet

Buena Vista Street is alive with optimism and opportunity. Something good is just around the corner. Thanks to his pal Walt Disney, Mickey Mouse is "just getting started" in making his dreams come true. His pals Goofy, Pluto and Chip 'n' Dale are always up for a small adventure. Don't they look cozy in their spiffy new outfit? They're in the best of times! The car's painted!

"a bug's land"

Character Meet-n-Greet

Visit with some of your favorite Disney-Pixar pals at "a bug's land"

Condor Flats

Minnie's Fly Girls

Charter Airlines

Minnie's Fly Girls Charter Airline is now providing service to Condor Flats with a tune-filled menagerie of song, dance and audience interaction. Your spirit will soar to Minnie and the girls serenade you with high-flying renditions of classics from Frank Sinatra's "Come Fly With Me" to Disney's "When I See an Elephant Fly." When passing through Condor Flats, be sure to book a flight with Minnie's Fly Girls Charter Airline. You'll soon be on cloud nine!

Grizzly Peak

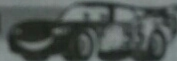
Campfire Songs

Share your favorite campfire songs as you stroll along Grizzly Trail.

Wilderness Explorer Ceremony

Do you have what it takes to become a Wilderness Explorer? Join Disney-Pixar's Russell and his dog Dag to take the Challenge and earn your merit badge! Who knows... you might even spot Russell!

Cars Land



Red to the Rescue

Big and bold on the outside, gentle and warm on the inside, Red the Fire Truck from Disney-Pixar's "Cars" arrives with siren blaring, to water the flowers and cheer up the streets of Radiator Springs. You're invited to meet him, take pictures and enjoy some "good clean fun." You might get wet!

DJ's Dance 'n' Drive

Regrets are coming in from the sleepy town of Radiator Springs that ultimate party car DJ has been drifting things into high gear. DJ's giant speakers and built-in disc changer guarantee a dance party will break out whenever he goes. And when he spins this like "Life Is a Highway" and "Car Wash," he's bound to get everyone in Cars Land shaking their chains to smooth tunes like the Shoggs, the Radburns and the Fiddlers.

Character Meet-n-Greet

Our two favorite Sun-Drenched Friends, Mater and Lightning McQueen, appear in Cars Land... taking time from their busy road trips to meet guests and pose for photos! Here, in the heart of Route 66, they can frequently be found parked in front of the Cars Cafe Motel, where they interact with everyone... saving their engines, showing their horns and having a grand ol' time!

Character Meet-n-Greets

Disney's Cars	Disney's Pixar
Pin	Aviation Music
Disney's Pixar	
Mickey	Redwood Creek
Pluto	Challenger Boat
Goofy	Russell
Chip 'n' Dale	Dag
Cars Land	Hollywood Land
Lightning McQueen	Stanley Mouse
Mater	Mr. Incredible
Red the Fire Truck	Mrs. Incredible
	Fremont
	Butler
	Paradise Pier
	Sailor Donald
	Duffy
	Buzz Lightyear
	Woody
	Jessie

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Hollywood Land

Mad T Party

Step through the rabbit hole into a wild, unbelievable world where up is down, this is that and everything is wonderfully off-kilter! Mad T Party is a fantastical nighttime party experience in the Hollywood Land complex with a hip live band, unique entertainment, fan-filled games and plenty of dancing... all in a bright and vivid atmosphere readily inspired by Tim Burton's "Alice in Wonderland."

Muppet*Vision 3D

Get a hint, behind-the-scenes look at the Muppet's new 3D special effects laboratory in this wacky 3D film. Watch eye-popping pyrotechnics and other "cheap shots" as Kermit, Miss Piggy and other Muppets show off the latest in their cutting-edge, movie-making technology.

Disney's Aladdin - A Musical Spectacular

"Disney's Aladdin - A Musical Spectacular" is a 45-minute triumph of classic storytelling, fantastic effects, incredible dance numbers, impressive sets and imaginative pageantry, all set to the music of composer Alan Menken, Howard Ashman and Tim Rice. Hollywood Land, therefore, is the best place to see or hear, will be talking about this musical comedy long after the curtain drops.

Disney Junior - Live on Stage!

Join the gang from Disney Junior shows like "Mickey Mouse Clubhouse," "Stanley Mouse," and "Little Einsteins." Be on the lookout for "Jake and the Never Land Pirates" (the newest addition to the Disney Junior lineup) as they discover their true, Captain Jack!

Dancin' With Disney

Ever want to hit the dance floor with some of your favorite Disney characters? Well, here's your chance. A rockin' DJ hosts the ultimate Disney Dance Party in Stage 17 - you never know who might show up!

PIXAR Play Parade



Paradise Pier

Phineas & Ferb's Rockin' Rollin' Dance Party

The ultimate summer vacationers, Phineas and Ferb, will join Paradise Pier to party with their friends! "Phineas and Ferb's Rockin' Rollin' Dance Party" is a fun, interactive celebration of some of the biggest hits from their incredibly popular Disney Channel series.

Operation Playtime! Featuring the Green Army Men

A squad of Green Army Men take into Paradise Pier with a built new mission to serve, protect and entertain!

Instant Concert! ... just add water

The fountain of Paradise Pier splashes to life in a series of mini-concerts, conducted by the superbly accomplished Maestro Goofy. Visible from all around the lagoon, this "Instant Concert" will delight music lovers of all ages!

World of Color

The "World of Color" nighttime water spectacular weaves water, color, fire and light into a kaleidoscope of fantasy and imagination. Nearly 1,000 fountains form incredible shapes in time to the music as Disney and Pixar characters come to life on a shimmering veil of mist. You will believe the world truly is a canvas of color. Wonderful, wonderful color.

Pacific Wharf

Mariachi Divas

Heard your favorite Mariachi music, played by the best of the best!

Pixar Play Parade

Count down to fun with the Pixar Play Parade, a bubbly daytime spectacular that invites you to play along with your favorite Disney-Pixar pals from "Toy Story," "A Bug's Life," "Monsters, Inc.," "Finding Nemo," "The Incredibles" and "Cars." Family fun and interactive surprises for guests of all ages. You might get wet!

NEED SUPPLIES?

MAPS

Plan your day by obtaining a map at the following locations:

- Main Entrance
- Chamber of Commerce (for other languages too)
- Tip Board

Our Cast Members and Guest Relations Park Ambassadors often carry maps too!

SUNDRIES

- Sunscreen lotions, sunglasses, hats can be found at:
 - Onond's
 - Los Feliz Five & Dime
 - Radiator Springs Canteen
 - Radcliffe River Outfitters
 - Studio Store
 - Tower Hotel Gift Shop
 - Sideshow Store
 - Treasures in Paradise

REFRESHMENTS

- Stay hydrated by picking up your favorite beverages at convenient locations throughout the park. Here are a few of our favorites:
 - Merchandise Market on Buena Vista Street
 - Fillmore's Toss-In at Cars Land
 - Fairfax Market in Hollywood Land
 - Studio Canteen Co. in Hollywood Land



STATION

ATMS

- Buena Vista Street near the Scepter Building
- Hollywood Backlot near Off the Page
- Pacific Wharf near Lucky Fortune Cookery
- Cars Land near Flies 'n' Caffe
- Paradise Pier - near Mickey's Funhouse
- Near Restaurants by Embroidery Gifts

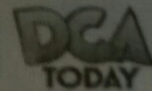
LOCKERS

Located just outside the park on the East Esplanade and inside the park on Buena Vista Street near the Scepter Building.

Insider Tip: There are a limited supply of lockers near Grizzly River Rafts that offer the first 2 hours free. To keep your items dry while you ride the rapids.

NEED INTL?

The Chamber of Commerce is a great resource for general information such as planning your day. You can also get special occasion business, foreign money exchange, Disney Dollars and more!



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