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WINTER DREAMS ARRIVE!

"World of Color" Celebrates the Season in Splashy New Style



Indeed, fellow citizens, Paradise Pier is pulling out all the stops this year as they ring in the holidays with the new nighttime spectacular "World of Color - Winter Dreams." Featuring heart-warming seasonal music, breathtaking special effects, and, of course, appearances by beloved Disney characters, this snowy show-stopper is being talked about from Buena Vista Street to Grizzly Peak. And be sure to keep your eyes peeled for the enchanting new characters from the Walt Disney Animation Studios 53rd feature film, "Frozen".

"World of Color - Winter Dreams" springs to life nightly on Paradise Bay and can be experienced until January 6th. FastPass tickets are distributed at the Grizzly River Run FastPass ticket distribution area, and reserved viewing areas are available with World of Color dining packages at Ariel's Grotto, Carthay Circle Restaurant and Wine Country Trattoria, so there's no need to get left out in the cold on this one, folks. For World of Color dining package information call 714-781-DINE.

Holiday Spirit Shines on Buena Vista Street

It's that time of year again, and the swell citizens from Elysian Arcade to Carthay Circle are decking the halls with boughs of trolley. Well, the Red Car News Boys are anyhow. With their spunky festive attire and upbeat holiday repertoire, they're ready to give a whole new meaning to dear ol' Dad's traditional caroling. And that's just the tip of the iceberg here on Southern California's street of dreams.

Vintage wreaths with bells, nostalgic window displays, and an inspiring 50-foot Christmas tree encircled by a miniature electric train adorn the neighborhood like nowhere else this side of the North Pole. Speaking of the North Pole, don't forget to pay a visit to dear Kris Kringle. That's right, Santa Claus himself has landed at Elias & Co. and is eager to hear from all the good little boys and girls. Just be sure to get



yourself on his list before he flies away on December 24th.

And, in perhaps the finest example of holiday spirit here on Buena Vista Street, the dandy Buena Vista Street Community Bell Ringers come out each evening, gathering the neighborhood with their caroling and bells for a magical procession to Carthay Circle. It all culminates with a tree-lighting moment that'll melt the heart of even the iciest of humbugs. Indeed, merry Buena Vista Street is the place to be this holiday season.

Three Caballeros Flock to "Disney ¡Viva Navidad!"



That's right merry-makers, Donald, Panchito, and José Carioca have officially landed on Paradise Gardens for the holidays, and they're eager to celebrate with you. Inspired by the joyous spirit of Latino cultures, the colorful, new Disney ¡Viva Navidad! unfolds throughout the seaside gardens with traditional holiday cuisine, arts and crafts, themed merchandise, and festive entertainment, including the Disney ¡Viva Navidad! Street Party. Led by Mickey, Minnie,

and The Three Caballeros, Guests of all backgrounds are invited to join this moving fiesta of dancers, drummers, and giant "Mojiganga" puppets of Santa and Mrs. Claus. It's a holiday celebration like no other, and it's certain to have everyone flying South for the winter.

Disney ¡Viva Navidad! can be experienced daily at Paradise Pier until January 6th, with the grand finale Three Kings Day (Día de los Reyes) celebration taking place from January 3-6.

◆ Look inside to get the latest scoop ◆

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

I just wanted all the good citizens out there to know that I'm going to do my very best this holiday season. I have a big responsibility in delivering the holiday cards for everyone on Buena Vista Street, but I have an even bigger one in delivering the letters from all the kids to Santa. I'm very nervous, so if you see me on the street, stop me and we'll make sure we get it just right.

Merrily,
Molly the Messenger

Dear Editor,

Citations always go up this time of year. And that's why it's my favorite time of year. With so much holiday cheer on the streets, it's easy peasy lemon squeezy to stop a citizen and issue them a 4306. In fact, I'm quite confident I'm going to break my own record for Holiday Good Behavior Citations this year. And not to take anything away from that jolly ol' soul from the North, but I've got my eye on you too, people.

Officially,
Calvin the Cop

Dear Editor,

My lovely dog, Lady, simply loves the holiday season. She, like me, understands that giving is much more important than receiving, but she really, really likes receiving, too. If anyone would like to give her, or even me, a gift this year, it would be very much appreciated. In fact, Lady is renowned for knowing if a gift is for her. She simply sniffs it out, then gently opens it with her teeth. And she's never wrong. Last year, she received a pair of panty hose and a stapler.

Lovingly,
Donna the Dog Lady



Who Knew? *The Buzz with Gayle & Gail* *Oh, Christmas Card! Oh, Christmas Card!*



Personalization. It's all the cat's pajamas now. Seriously, dearies, who wants to wear the same blouse as everyone else? Eat the same blue plate special? Wash the same avocado green plates with the same zippy detergent? No, thank you. Not us. Indeed, loyal readers, it's what sets us apart that makes us special. Individuals! So what're you gonna do about it? Mosey on down to the thrift store and pick up a box of the same ol' Christmas cards you sent out last year? Hmmm?

Or, maybe, just maybe, you'll cut a new rug this year. Maybe you'll do like we've done. Take a gander over to the cheeriest, holiday spot you

know and grab a snapshot of you and yours. Slap a festive border on it, and voila! You'll blow right past those Joneses. The talk of the town, we tell ya! But where, just where, to get that perfect shot?

Green and red's a good start, and nothing says green and red like Mickey's Fun Wheel this time of year. Capture those gargantuan holiday lights at just the right time of day, and trust us, your second cousins'll either be green with envy or red with rage.

Speaking of rage, subtle and organic seem to be all that and a box of crackers this year. Hike on over to Redwood Creek Challenge Trail and find yourself a towering timber in all its natural glory. Indeed, flannel-men, nothing says Christmas like a brawny pine in the forest.

But if sparkle is more your speed, twinkle around the block to "Tinsel" Town. That's right, Hollywood Land, where all of Hollywood Boulevard is a shimmering swirl of tinsel trinket. Throw yourself in the center, flash a

little smolder, and your neighbors'll think you're the newest star on the walk of fame.

Then there's always our personal favorite, Buena Vista Street's very own Storytellers Statue. With the towering, vintage Buena Vista Street Christmas tree behind, who wouldn't want to throw an arm around Walt and Mickey and show off those pearly whites for the camera. Seriously, dearies, where else you gonna get a shot with a handsome, mustached visionary this time of year.

And of course, these are just a scratch on the ol' surface of the endless opportunities at *Disney California Adventure* Park. Look for a friendly PhotoPass® photographer to capture that perfect holiday shot. Just remember, tiny details lurk around every corner this season, so get out there and get your creative juices flowing. After all, you don't want to be just like us, do you dearies? Well, of course you do. Until next time, we'll see you on the streets. And as always, your secrets are safe with us. Happy holidays, everyone.

"I" on Food



with Inglebert Irving
**Paradise Garden Grill:
Viva Victuals!**

I like my holiday food traditional, soothing, and prepared in my very own kitchen. So while road-tripping recently, and getting nowhere fast, I came to the dismaying realization that I would be spending a holiday meal far away from the comforts of home. Over-spiced, under-cooked mush was my visualization, however, it would not be my destiny.

Passing through the charming seaside town of Paradise Pier, I stumbled upon the open Victorian dining establishment of Paradise Garden Grill. And while it was a beautiful setting for a meal, I was absolutely certain my review of its holiday fare would remind everyone that it is always, without question, about the food. But I digress.

Entering the lush gardens, I quickly realized that a colorful, holiday festival had taken over. Disney ¡Viva Navidad! A sprawling celebration of Latino music, dance, art, and traditional holiday foods from various regions of Mexico captured

my imagination, and perhaps even provided me with a little unconventional courage. I valiantly ordered the street style barbacoa tacos, served with achote rice, tortilla chips, and salsa, paired with a "Lift Apple" soda to wash it down. And while nothing says holiday like tacos and soda, I pleasingly found their presentations simple, clean, and not pretending to be something they weren't.

Choosing a table near the spirited mariachis, I took my initial bites. And while startled by the bold, zesty flavors, my stomach soon felt warm, soothed, as though I were on the familiar receiving end of a pillowy embrace from my dear Aunt Hortense. I eased back into my seat, relieved. Thankful. I would indulge in that lovely holiday meal after all. And I wouldn't even have to do the dishes.

I topped it all off with a trio of Cajuzinhos (mini peanut kisses), from a colorful vending cart nearby, which I didn't finish by the way. Okay, I did. In truth, I ordered the Abuelita Hot Cocoa as well. And I finished them both. But I had a long drive ahead of me and it is the holidays after all.

I give my highest recommendation for the festive flavors of Disney ¡Viva Navidad! and suggest a visit right away. Paradise Garden Grill is located on the west side of Paradise Pier and is open daily for

lunch and dinner. Disney ¡Viva Navidad! can be experienced until January 6th.



Inglebert also recommends:

- Ice-cream bars dipped in Crushed Candy Cane and Red & Green Sprinkles at *Clarabelle's Hand-Scooped Ice Cream*.
- Holiday Cone Sippers and Lightning McQueen Popcorn Buckets at *Cozy Cone Motel*.
- Turkey Pot Pie Soup at *Pacific Wharf Café*.
- Starbuck's Holiday flavors Peppermint Mocha, Eggnog Latte, Caramel Brulee Latte at *Fiddler Fifer & Practical Café*.
- Holiday shaped sourdough breads can be found at *Mortimer's Market* and the *Pacific Wharf Café*.
- Slow Roasted Turkey, Mashed Potatoes and Cranberry Marmalade can be found at *Flo's VB Café*.

Enjoy Holiday
FUN

at
Disneyland
PARK



CELEBRITY SIGHTINGS! Frosty Fashions!



Daisy looking ducky in seasonal snowflakes!

Waddle on down to Paradise Pier and meet the fashionista for feathery fun.



Goofy going green!

Drop by Buena Vista Street and rub elbows with the tall drink of water in the questionable cravat.



Mater rockin' the ten gallon cap!

Squeal over to Cars Land and rub paint with the Santa-lovin' six-wheeler.



Hollywood Land Goes "Tinsel" Town!

Indeed, Hollywood Land has rolled out the holiday red carpet this year like never before. From the tinsel wreaths and garland up and down Hollywood Boulevard to the awe-inspiring Santa and his reindeer flying high above the hubbub, it's a shimmering seasonal display fit for the stars! Even the shops below have gotten into the act this year with classic, detailed Christmas window displays that'll make one think it was award season or something. Eh hem.

Oh, and hush, hush, strictly on the Q.T., rumor has it, it's been "snowing" at night over on the Hollywood Backlot. That's right, the wild, whimsical Mad T Party has gotten into the spirit with their very own topsy-turvy take on the holidays. Festive costumes and effects,

a line-up of rockin' holiday tunes, and that's right... "snow!"

And don't forget to head over to the Animation Building, where budding artists are invited to learn how to draw some of their favorite holiday characters, including Scrooge McDuck from "Mickey's Christmas Carol" and Olaf from Disney's "Frozen".

With so much going on in Hollywood Land this holiday season, you won't want to miss a single frame. So catch a Red Car Trolley to "Tinsel" Town today. Who knows, you might even get discovered, baby!

Mad T Party Holiday comes to life Friday, Saturday, and Sunday nights during the holidays and every night during the weeks of Christmas and New Year's, 12/20/13 - 1/5/14. Check the *Disney California Adventure* Park Entertainment Times Guide for details.

Coollest Holiday Ever!



Always ready to put their own spin on things, Phineas and Ferb have unveiled their seasonal sensation, "Phineas and Ferb's Rockin' Rollin' Dance Party." Holiday Edition. Straight out of their garage, it's a high-tech, high-octane, holiday bash that invites everyone to get down, right there in the middle of the street! And, duh, everyone knows there's no better way to get in the spirit than to shake it to holiday hits like "Run Run-

dolph Run" and "Christmas Is Starting Now."

And with pumpin' DJ mobile decked out in festive lights, even the dastardly Dr. Heinz Doofenshmirtz will be inspired to get out there and cut a rug!

"Phineas and Ferb's Rockin' Rollin' Dance Party." Holiday Edition rolls onto Paradise Pier daily during the holidays. Show times can be found in the *Disney California Adventure* Park Entertainment Times Guide.

ELIAS & CO



Becomes Holiday Headquarters!



That's right, kids, you've been eagerly awaiting this all year long, and it's finally here. The world famous Elias & Co. has undergone its annual holiday transformation and opened its doors! Declared store owner Elias Walter Parr, "The holidays are always a special time here on Buena Vista Street, and for all of us at Elias & Co. as well, and we've really gone the extra mile this year, spared no expense."

Indeed they have, from the nifty "Silly Symphony" window displays to the slick Santa meet and greet location, this decked out department store truly captures that childhood winter wonderment that swirls inside us all.

And as for the merchandise, Elias & Co. representatives have traveled to the four corners of the globe to bring you

the very finest in holiday offerings. Timeless Victorian-style tree skirts, stockings, and figurines. Whimsical Santa Mickey ornaments and greeting cards. Ornately detailed Mickey nutcrackers. And, of course, the wildly popular Ear Hat ornament line, featuring Cinderella, Snow White, Belle, Ariel, and Rapunzel, along with adorable Baby's First Christmas and commemorative Bride and Groom additions. And that doesn't even touch upon the rows of dandy clothing lines, zippy headwear, and charming collectibles. It's truly a sight to be seen in person.

So what're you waiting for, Buena Vista Street? Catch a Red Car Trolley on down to Elias & Co. today for all your holiday needs!

Happy New Year!

Come celebrate with us with special one-night-only entertainment at Disney California Adventure® Park on New Year's Eve!*

- * Special midnight showing of "World of Color"
- * Countdown with the Mad T Party Band
- * Live jazz band at Sonoma Terrace featuring California craft beers
- * Dine and dance to live music at Carthay Circle Restaurant, Flo's V8 Café in Cars Land and Paradise Garden Grill

*Subject to capacity



Christmas Cruises Into Carburetor County!

Perhaps nowhere along the historic Route 66 does there exist a more appropriate place for a Christmas acceleration than in the shadows of Ornament Valley. And trust us, weary travelers, if you didn't stumble upon it, you'd never know it was there. But truly, the citizens of Radiator Springs have ignited their seasonal spirit to create something transformative, unique, and remarkable. A roadside Christmas like no other.

And it all begins at the entrance to the delightful desert community, where one is greeted by a charming, made-with-love Snow Car. That's right. Not a typo. A Snow Car. And one with a street cone nose and two eyes made out of coal to boot.

High above the inviting thoroughfare hangs unconventional strands of air filter garlands. Spark plug ornaments and tire wreath accents bring the cleverness to the forefront. And one quickly concludes, this is not the home-for-the-holidays Christmas one grew up with. Yet strangely, it is nonetheless warm and inspired.

Deeper into town sprout up the "trees." One for each of the lovingly maintained storefronts. Only they're not trees at all. There's a tipsy tire tree, made entirely of white-walled radials. Another made of rusty Route 66 street signs. Another still, finely crafted with bright orange street cones. One stacked from a tower of oil cans. And even one constructed of twisted, artistic sheet metal.



Thoughtful, personalized details everywhere one looks. Like nothing you'd ever see anywhere else. Indeed, road warriors, if you're lucky enough to discover Radiator Springs this time of year, you'll be rewarded by holiday surprises you'll not soon forget. Perhaps, you'll even find a way to weave the innovative spirit into your own holiday.

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Special Holiday Entertainment



Buena Vista Street

Red Car News Boys - *

Our own News Boys leap off the historic Red Car Trolley and pound the pavement 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, who's just stepped off the train, makes a surprise appearance and joins in the fun!

Five & Dime

This talented bunch of working-class 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 "cents." These swingin' "hepcats" jazz up 1920s & '30s tunes from the back of their makeshift jalopy and cheer anyone who'll sing and dance along.

Citizens of Buena Vista Street - *

Buena Vista Street is a boulevard of dreams ... and dreamers! The citizens who populate the area, are preparing for the holidays, interacting with Guests and creating impromptu laughs, smiles ... and memories, wherever they go. They reflect, in a variety of ways, aspects of California, and, in a greater sense, the resilient American spirit.

Buena Vista Street Community Bell Ringers - *

Join the Community Bell Ringers throughout the day, as they sing holiday tunes and ring joyous seasonal bells.

Buena Vista Street Holiday Tree Lighting - *

Holiday bells ring as the community of Buena Vista Street invites everyone to join together in a heartfelt tree lighting tradition. Daily at 5pm.

Santa at Elias & Co. - *

Children of all ages are invited to share their holiday wishes with Santa Claus at Buena Vista Street's Elias & Co.!

Character Greetings - *

Buena Vista Street is alive with optimism and opportunity. Something good is just around the corner, Mickey Mouse is "just getting started" in making big dreams come true. His pals Goofy, Pluto and Chip 'n' Dale are always up for a swell adventure. Don't they look snazzy in their spiffy new holiday outfits? They're the bee's knees! The cat's pajamas!

"a bug's land"

Character Greetings

Visit with Flik from Disney-Pixar at "a bug's land."

Grizzly Peak

The Happy Camper

Hear some 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 Dug to take the Challenge and earn your merit badge! Who knows - you might even spot Kevin!

Cars Land



Red to the Rescue

Big and red on the outside, gentle and warm on the inside, Red the Fire Truck from Disney-Pixar's "Cars" arrives with sirens blaring, to water the flowers and clean 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

Reports are coming in from the sleepy town of Radiator Springs that ultimate party car DJ has been shifting things into high gear. DJ's giant speakers and built-in disc changer guarantee a dance party will break out wherever he goes. And when he spins hits like "Life Is a Highway" and "Car Wash," he's bound to get everyone in Cars Land shaking their chassis to smooth moves like the Merge, the Rubberneck and the Fishtail.

Cars Land Lighting

Each evening as night falls over Cars Land, don't miss a special moment showcasing the beautiful neon lights and views of Radiator Springs. Excellent viewing is available all along Route 66 at dusk.

Character Greetings - *

Our two favorite four-fendered friends, Holiday 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 Cozy Cone Motel, where they interact with everyone - revving their engines, blowing their horns and having a grand ol' time!

Character Greetings

"a bug's land"

Flik
Buena Vista Street
Santa & his helpers
Buena Vista Street Bell Ringers
Mickey Mouse
Pluto
Goofy
Chip 'n' Dale

Cars Land

Lightning McQueen
Holiday Mater
Red the Fire Truck
Redwood Creek
Challenge Trail
Russell
Dug

Paradise Pier

Holiday Daisy
Holiday Duffy
The Three Caballeros
-Donald Duck
-José Carioca
-Panchito Pistoles
Mickey Mouse
Minnie Mouse
Buzz Lightyear
Woody
Jessie

Hollywood Land

You may spot some of your favorite Disney-Pixar Pals and Disney Junior Stars.

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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 celebrates the holidays with new

arrangements of popular holiday hits played live by the Mad T Party band. This fantastical nighttime party experience features unique entertainment, fun-filled games and plenty of dancing...all in a bright and vivid alternate reality inspired by Tim Burton's "Alice in Wonderland."



Disney's Aladdin - A Musical Spectacular

"Disney's Aladdin - A Musical Spectacular" is a 50-minute triumph of classic storytelling, fantastic effects, incredible dance numbers, impressive sets and imaginative pageantry, all set to the music of composers Alan Menken, Howard Ashman and Tim Rice. Hollywood Land theatergoers, be they street rat or sultan, will still be talking about this musical comedy long after the curtain drops.

Disney Junior - Live on Stage!

Doc McStuffins and Sofia the First join the fun with Mickey Mouse and friends in this entertaining musical show.

Muppet*Vision 3D

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



PIXAR Play Parade

Count down to fun with the Pixar Play Parade, a bubbly playtime spectacular that invites you to play along with some of your favorite Disney-Pixar pals from "Toy Story," "A Bug's Life,"

"Monsters University," "Finding Nemo," "The Incredibles" and "Cars"! Family fun and interactive surprises for Guests of all ages. You might get wet! See Park map for parade route.

Need Supplies?

Maps

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

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

Our Custodial and Guest Relations Park Ambassadors often carry maps too!

Sundries

Suntan lotion, sunglasses, batteries can be found at:

- Oswald's
- Los Feliz Five & Dime
- Radiator Springs Curios
- Rushin' River Outfitters
- Studio Store
- Tower Hotel Gift Shop
- Sideshow Shirts
- Treasures in Paradise

ATMs

- Buena Vista Street near the Sepulveda Building
- Hollywood Backlot near Off the Page
- Pacific Wharf near Lucky Fortune Cookery
- Cars Land near Flo's V8 Café
- Paradise Pier - near Mickey's Fun Wheel
- Across from The Little Mermaid - Ariel's Undersea Adventure

Lockers

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

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

Refreshments

Stay hydrated by picking up your ice cold beverages at convenient locations throughout the park. Here are a few of our favorites.

- Mortimer's Market on Buena Vista Street
- Fillmore's Taste-In at Cars Land
- Fairfax Market in Hollywood Land
- Studio Catering Co. in Hollywood Land

NEED INTEL?

- The Tip Board on Buena Vista Street posts the latest information about Attraction wait times.
- The Chamber of Commerce is a great source for general information such as planning your day. You can also get special occasion buttons, foreign money exchange, Disney Dollars and more!