

# The Buena Vista Bugle

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## FROZEN FUN CAPTURES HEARTS



Indeed, dear readers a wayward snowflake from Hollywood Land has planted itself right here, on Buena Vista Street bringing hope and optimism to its citizens. The magic of "Frozen Fun" has taken over neighboring Hollywood Land and evidence of this winter wonderland has found its way to Buena Vista Street. There's a flurry of new merchandise and food offerings for

Guests to take some heartwarming "Frozen Fun" home with them. That's right, candy makers at Trolley Treats have created an assortment of mouthwatering "Frozen"

inspired treats. A caramel dipped apple or cake pop with Olaf the Snowman smiling back at you or a rice krispy treat shaped like a snowflake to bring to your loved ones "chillin" at home.

Speaking of chilly, there are sweatshirts, t-shirts, plush, toys and storybooks at Big Top Toys celebrating the "Frozen" theme and nifty T's and tanks for adults can be found at Elias & Co.

The success of "Frozen Fun" has inspired local businesses to locate special offerings for almost everyone, right here on the street of dreams!

### Heritage Tours Heralded



The Buena Vista Street Chamber of Commerce receives accolades for their nifty guided tour introduced earlier this year. The "Disney California Adventure Story" Tour invites Guests to explore the vibrant stories behind the icons, attractions and landmarks of Disney California Adventure Park.

This tour gives you insider access, as it includes a special peek into the members-only 1901 Lounge, priority access to two popular

Disney California Attraction experiences, a special Animation Academy experience, a private lunch and a collectible pin. This tour gives you insight into the exciting backdrop that served to influence daring dreamers like Walt Disney.

For more information, pricing, and booking, call 714-781-TOUR. Entertainment and attractions are subject to change and restrictions apply.

### "I" on Food

with Inglebert Irving



Carthay Circle Restaurant & Lounge Earns High Marks

In this season where humanity seeks humanity, I aspire to remain unattached. As a food critic, my preference is to dine alone, where I can concentrate uninterrupted on the glorious food as it rests hopefully on my palate. So, upon learning that my latest victim was to be an old favorite, Carthay Circle Restaurant, I knew I would have to put my blinders on. I would not be seduced by the magnificent details of this grand establishment. Like the rich art deco design, the warm and intimate setting, and the impeccably trained wait staff. I would have to focus all my ire on the food, as for me it is always, only about the food.

The editor had informed me that the Carthay Circle Restaurant and Lounge recently received highest honors from the Southern California Restaurant Writers. I decided to schedule a visit right away.

I was escorted to a quiet table and prepared to wield my red pen of sardonicism. My food arrived a few moments later, and I was delightfully surprised. The bold, flavorful Ceviche of "Blue Cobia"



was set before me, with fresh avocado, tomatillo-cilantro essence, and the simplicity of crispy plantain chips. I found myself softening. I followed it up with a simple but elegant thick cut pork chop with roasted harvest apples, mustard greens and bacon cheddar grits and could not resist finishing with their signature dessert, the Valrhona Caramel Chocolate Turnover with house-made marshmallow and Carthay Theatre Popcorn ice cream at the turnover's side.

I have to admit that I had tried this dessert before but at this point I had surrendered myself to the dreamy flavors of this magnificent meal. Needless to say, Carthay Circle Restaurant and Lounge deserves all accolades and is deserving of my highest recommendation. I suggest a visit right way. Priority seating is recommended by calling (714)781-DINE.

### Inglebert also recommends:

- Brioche French Toast smothered with salted caramel sauce and topped with fresh bananas for breakfast at **Flo's V8 Café** in Cars Land.
- Aged Cheddar Risotto Bites served with roasted garlic herb aioli and marinara sauce at the scenic **Al Fresco Tasting Terrace** at Golden Vine Winery.
- Five-Cheese Ravioli with pesto sauce and toasted pine nuts at **Boardwalk Pizza & Pasta** at Paradise Gardens.
- Kristoff's Corn dog Bites and Warm Hugs Hot White Cocoa with house made minty marshmallows at **"Olaf's Snow Fest"** in Hollywood Land.

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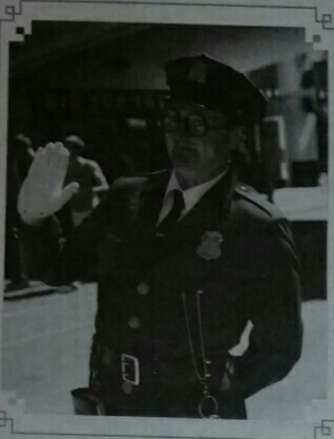


## Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

As we're all aware, I've travelled this wondrous world of ours extensively. My recent wanderings took me to the quaint Nordic village of Arendelle to enjoy the winter snow. While there, I had the opportunity to take photos of 2 lovely sisters Anna and Elsa who, in this season of l'amour, are a shining example of the strength of love.

Dearly,  
Phi Phi Francis



Dear Editor,

I'm proud to say I successfully broke my own record for the most Good Behavior Citations issued last year. It was *easy peasy with all the nice visitors and citizens* out there. I intend to continue keeping a keen eye out and have ordered a brand new supply of citations. So beware everybody, I have my eye on you!

Officially,  
Calvin the Cop

Dear Editor,

My mailbag is bursting at the seams this month. It seems like everyone is sending gifts to their sweetheart. I just want everyone to know that I will try my very best to make sure these get delivered to their destination, as I understand how difficult the expression of love can be. In fact, I have a special Valentine to deliver to Calvin the Cop from a secret admirer. If anyone sees him, please let me know where he is.

Sincerely,  
Molly the Messenger

## Cinderella sweeps into "a bug's land"



Indeed, "a bug's land" celebrates the season of love, with an exclusive preview of Disney's all-new live action feature, "Cinderella," arriving in theaters on March 13. Guests visiting Disney California Adventure Park have an opportunity to see an extended sneak preview for the film. So, don your glass slipper, grab your princess or prince charming and head over to A Bug's Life Theater for this dazzling sneak peek of the movie. But beware, this special preview of "Cinderella" is only available for a limited-time... your time runs out on March 26th.

## Baking up new experiences



Right in the heart of Pacific Wharf, you step into a bountiful land of delicious smells, tastes and experiences

from a variety of cultures. These diverse cultures are synonymous with California as is the The Boudin Bakery® whose humble beginnings as a tiny, old-world bakery began in 1849 and is now the oldest operating sourdough French bread baker in Northern California.

Celebrating the heritage of the bakery is The Boudin Bakery® Tour which recently re-opened adding new interactive storytelling elements to the tour. Guests can test their knowledge of the history of sourdough bread, and watch bakers taking it from "dough to delicious" using a 72 hour process to proof, knead, form, hand score, and bake each loaf with care.

Guests may enjoy a free sample of delectable bread and learn about Boudin's founding and popularity during California's early gold-mining days when the mother dough was said to be more valuable than gold! The Boudin Bakery® Tour is located on the Pacific Wharf.



## Sweet Indulgences

Looking for something that will make you the bee's knees, the cat's pajamas, the toast of the town? Well readers, we've got the skinny on gifts sure to make your sweetie swoon. How about decadent indulgences from Trolley Treats? That's right, they've got decadent chocolates, caramel dipped apples, heart shaped cookies and rice krispy treats sure to capture your sweetie's heart.

Nothing says romance more than something for the ol' jewelry box. Check out the latest in watches, charms and necklaces. For those of you really in the know of high fashion trends check out the popular Alex & Ani bracelet collection or designer purses from Dooney & Bourke.

No sweetheart in sight? How about showing yourself some love this Valentine's Day? You can have exactly what you want and there's no waiting for someone else to get it! Like a sundae at Clarabelle's, sure it's big enough to share, but why? Now that is sweet indulgence.



## Happy Lunar New Year Celebration is Baaaa-ck!



Indeed, a celebration of the "Year of the Sheep" will be brought to life in a salute to the sparkling Far East cultures of the world, Paradise Gardens will host exhilarating live performances, fun filled activities and unique food and merchandise offerings to commemorate the Lunar New Year. This tradition, gives one time to look back on the year and prepare to take on the new one.

The celebration of the Lunar New Year highlights the customs and traditions of Chinese, Korean and Vietnamese cultures. Featuring local artisans,

colorful performance groups and a Lunar New Year Procession featuring Mulan and Mushu.

Some of your favorite Disney characters will be in attendance. Mickey Mouse, Minnie Mouse, and Chip 'n' Dale will be there in their best Lunar New Year costumes.

Disney Happy Lunar New Year Celebration can be experienced daily 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on February 19 - 22 throughout Paradise Gardens on Paradise Pier. Check the Entertainment Times Guide for Show Times.



# Who Knew? *The Buzz with Gayle & Gall*

## Warm Hugs Await



Sure, every gal likes a warm hug and a serenade this time of year. What better way to celebrate than with Arendelle's most huggable snowman, Olaf? As you may know, warm hugs are one of Olaf's favorite things, and now during "Frozen Fun" at Disney California Adventure Park, guests can get a warm hug from our favorite snowman himself at "Olaf's Snow Fest." Speaking of favorite things, we've talked to Olaf himself and we've got the scoop on Olaf's top five favorite things from "Frozen Fun". So, dearies pull up a chair and grab that coffee at the Fiddler, Pifer & Practical Café. G & G have got the scoop on this one.

Of course, AFTER hugging Olaf himself and checking out the snow play area at "Olaf's Snow Fest", head over to The Disney Animation Building and grab a FastPass Ticket for "Anna & Elsa's Royal Welcome" where you can visit with the beloved sisters Anna and Elsa. Olaf tells us the sisters are pretty good at giving warm hugs too!

And, there's nothing like using your creativity, which brings us to the next must do. While you are at the Disney Animation Building, spend some time in the Animation Academy, where talented Disney artists ask the question "Do you want to draw a snowman?" Aspiring artists are taught how to draw

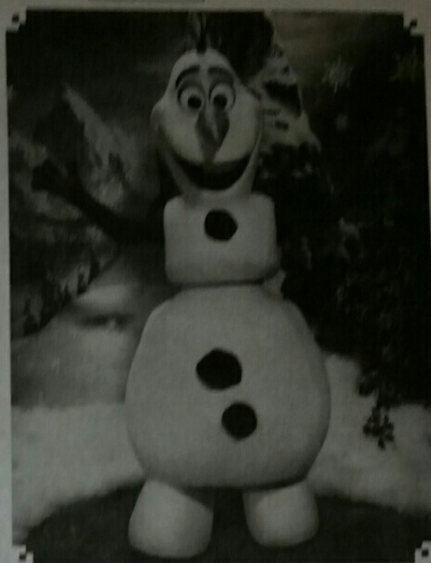
either Marshmallow or Olaf himself. Even the most novice of artists are welcome.

Did you say serenade? Next on the list is the Crown Jewel Theatre to sing along with Arendelle Historians, who tell the tale of "Frozen," and sing some of the film's most popular tunes at "For the First Time in Forever - A Frozen Sing-Along Celebration". Take it from us, there's nothing as liberating as belting out "Let It Go" with a theatre full of "Frozen" fans!

Jitterbugging more your style? Join "Freeze the Night! A Family Dance Party". It's the perfect place to dance the night away, and don't forget to check out all this 'cool' party has to offer! Ice sculptors, dancers and the not-so-huggable snowman, Marshmallow are all invited to this nighttime celebration.

Still don't have enough "Frozen Fun"? Take some warm hugs home with you. Stop by Wandering Oaken's Trading Post and grab your very own Olaf plush and take a peek at the rest of the "Frozen Fun" merchandise available.

And that, dearies is the best of "Frozen Fun" according to Olaf himself. You can thank us later. Until next time, we'll see you on the streets. And as always, your secrets are safe with us. Visit soon as "Frozen Fun" ends May 15, 2015. Check the Entertainment Guide for show times.



## Disney California Adventure Park sparkles for the 60th



That's right, dear readers, you heard it here first, the Disneyland Resort Diamond Celebration marking the resort's 60th anniversary begins on Friday, May 22nd.

Citizens are busy planning quite a bit of ballyhoo for this momentous occasion. The Chamber of Commerce announced that as part of the celebration, the Carthay Circle Theatre will glisten and gleam, with its own diamond medallion featuring the letter "D." Shopkeepers from Elysian Arcade to Paradise Gardens are preparing to sparkle with Disneyland Resort Diamond Celebration décor and festive banners. Also bearing the diamond anniversary theme, creative merchandise and food items will be

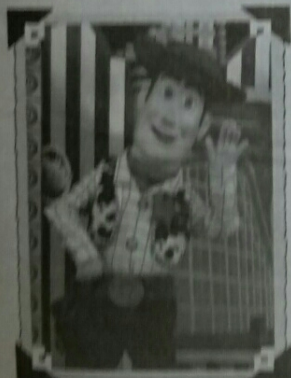
designed to complement the celebration.

Talk about sparkling. On May 22nd, Paradise Pier will unveil a brand new "World of Color - Celebrate! The Wonderful World of Walt Disney" that will illuminate the night in a moving celebration of Walt and his dream of Disneyland, showing that anything is possible if we never give up on our dreams. This prismatic spectacular is filled with animated imagery, live-action footage, fountains, lasers, special effects and a stirring musical score.

And this is just the beginning, dear readers. Be sure to stay tuned here as the festivities in Disney California Adventure Park are revealed. It's sure to be a year to remember!

## CELEBRITY SIGHTINGS!

Loveable Characters



**Woody**

Hellop over to Paradise Pier and say, "Yee Hoo! Partner!" to your pal Woody.



**Mickey Mouse**

Cinema charmer signs autographs on Buena Vista Street.



**Mater**

Hub chassis with the "world's best backwards driver" in Cars land.

## PERSONALS

### Siren of the Sea

Must love the ocean, possess wicked sense of humor and enjoy helping poor unfortunate souls. Please contact Ursula at her secret lair under the sea.

### Bouncy

Energetic and fun-loving with bouncy personality seeks partner who likes to have fun, fun, fun, fun! Interested parties please respond to Tigger at One Hundred Acre Wood.

### Loyal

Physically strong and extremely loyal, skilled at military affairs. Seeks courageous partner who has a brain and speaks her mind. Please send formal inquiries to Imperial City.

### Unique as a Snowflake

Graceful, regal and sometimes misunderstood. Loves frosty winters and making snowmen of all shapes and sizes. Suitors must first pass security clearance. Please contact Marshmallow at the Ice Palace.



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## Buena Vista Street

### Red Car Trolley 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, go about their daily life, 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.

### 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 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."

### Cars Land

### Red the Fire Engine

Big and red on the outside, gentle and warm on the inside, Red the Fire Engine 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!"

### Ask



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### Cars Land

### 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, 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"	Hollywood Land
Flik	Olaf
Mickey Mouse	Anna
Oswald the Lucky Rabbit	You may spot some of your favorite Disney-Pixar Pals and Disney Junior Stars.
Pluto	Paradise Pier
Goofy	Sailor Donald
Chip 'n' Dale	Buzz Lightyear
Cars Land	Woody
Lightning	Jessie
McQueen	
Mater	
Red the Fire Engine	

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### Hollywood Land



A MUSICAL SPECTACULAR

### 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.

### Anna & Elsa's Royal Welcome

Enjoy a "royal reception" with Queen Elsa and Princess Anna! Meanwhile, next door in the Animation Academy, a skilled artist will teach you how to draw Olaf and Marshmallow from "Frozen"!

### Olaf's Snow Fest

Step into the fabulously frozen kingdom of Arendelle ... where there's real snow to play in, fun activities to enjoy, and special friends to meet! Be sure to give Olaf a warm hug and pose for a photo with him!

### For the First Time in Forever: A Frozen Sing-Along Celebration

Join the historians of Arendelle as they re-tell the exciting tale of "Frozen" and lead everyone in a fun-filled group sing-along that features Anna, Elsa and Kristoff!

### Freeze the Night!

A Family Dance Party  
Guests are invited to "chill out" at a family-friendly dance party experience, inspired by the icy environment of "Frozen".



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.

### Paradise Pier

### Operation: Playtime! Featuring the Green Army Men

A squad of Green Army Men ride into Disney California Adventures Park with a bold mission: to serve, protect...and entertain!

### Paradise Garden Bandstand

Musical acts reflecting a variety of diverse cultures and nationalities share their unique tales.

### Pacific Wharf

### Mariachi Divas

Hear your favorite Mariachi music, played by the GRAMMY® Award winning recording artists, the Mariachi Divas!



### Disney FASTPASS® Service is available for the following:

- Anna & Elsa's Royal Welcome
- California Screamin'
- For the First Time in Forever: A Frozen Sing-Along Celebration
- Goofy's Sky School
- Radiator Springs Racers - near entrance to "a bug's land"
- The Twilight Zone Tower of Terror™

## Need Supplies?

### 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 Cafe
- Paradise Pier - near Mickey's Fun Wheel
- Across from The Little Mermaid - Ariel's Undersea Adventure

### 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!

### 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!

### Lockers

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

### Sundries

Suntan lotion, sunglasses, batteries can be found at:

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

### 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

