

"We Create Community Through
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Redwood City presents
SUMMER SERIES 2022
Sweet 16 Summer Season

Redwood City, CA – Redwood City Events is celebrating sixteen years of exciting events and fun activities for the entire family! Renowned for its incredible variety of FREE concerts and entertainment, Redwood City is proud to feature top-quality local and national performers, along with the latest films. From rock, funk, Celtic, and soul, to Latin, reggae, bluegrass, just-for-kids and more, these free concerts are a great way to enjoy summer with friends, family, and neighbors in beautiful Redwood City. The series revs up in June, on Wednesdays with Music in the Park; on Thursdays with Movies on the Square; and on Fridays featuring Music on the Square. Other ongoing events in the coming months include Pub in the Park featuring bluegrass music; Kids Rock! a concert series for kids; a Classical Concert with Redwood Symphony; Shakespeare in the Park; as well as special outdoor exhibits featuring ART on the Square.

The pleasant European atmosphere of Courthouse Square, with its cooling fountains and surrounding exotic shops and eateries, offers friends, family, and neighbors a stunning spot to gather and enjoy balmy summer evenings. Redwood City is still the only city on the SF Peninsula to be offering so many free events of this scope, so come on out and join the fun! (Details at www.RedwoodCityEvents.com)

Music in the Park

Free music for ten full weeks throughout the summer! The 2022 season features concerts in a laid-back park ambiance on Wednesday evenings from 6 to 8 pm, starting off with *Top Shelf* on June 22nd. With unique and varied musical performances — including Funk, Soul, Celtic, Zydeco, Blues and much more— families and friends will enjoy our free outdoor concert series, in the relaxing setting of beautiful Stafford Park, this year through August 24th. There is also a concession tent selling hamburgers, hot dogs, potato chips and drinks, graciously operated by the Optimist Club of Redwood City. All proceeds benefit the Save the Music program in Redwood City Schools. More info at: www.redwoodcity.org/musicinthepark

Movies on the Square

Redwood City's summer movie experience brings you FREE movies on Thursday evenings starting on June 9th. Enjoy Downtown Redwood City on Courthouse Square by bringing the family out to a FREE movie! Your summer movie experience will be enhanced with a mix of family movies and feature films on Thursday evenings, now offering double features with Kids Movies at 6pm and Bravemaker Independent Films at 8pm! Movies are shown in high-definition Blu-Ray and Surround sound when available. Redwood City is THE ONLY city in California offering surround sound movies, so come enjoy the scene and experience outdoor "theater" with our new Jumbotron LED Video screen. Come early for the best seats (a limited number of chairs and tables are available).

Bring your blankets and pick up take-out food from the nearby wonderful restaurants! More info about Movies on the Square at: www.redwoodcity.org/movies

Music on the Square

We're celebrating our 16th year by bringing you FREE music for fourteen weeks throughout the summer on Friday evenings from 6 to 8 pm, beginning with Beatles Tribute *Ticket to Ride* on June 3rd and winding up on September 2nd with *Steel N Chicago*, performing the sounds of Steely Dan and Chicago. With top-quality local and national musical performers — from rock and reggae, to Salsa and much more— music fans of all ages will be thrilled to discover and enjoy the most popular summer concert series on the Peninsula! Courthouse Square is the Community's "Living Room" and the weather can't be beat! Come down and spend Friday evenings with us! More details are at www.redwoodcity.org/musiconthesquare

Sounds of the Shores

Redwood City takes its summer music out to Redwood Shores for three weekends this summer. These performances at Marlin Park, including *The Shanks* on June 26th, the *Cocktail Monkeys* on July 24th, followed by *The Deep Fakes* on August 21st, are all local family favorites. Marlin Park is located on the lagoons of Redwood Shores and provides a picturesque setting for live music, to the enjoyment of kids and adults alike! Learn more at: www.redwoodcity.org/residents/redwood-city-events/music/sounds-of-the-shores

Kids Rock! – Kids Concert Series

Redwood City is pleased to offer its kids music series for the ninth year! MC'd by Andy-Z, the Master of Music and Play, Andy brings his high energy to both kids and adults on Courthouse Square. Sponsored by Redwood City's Public Library and Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department, this series provides a safe and fun environment for kids to dance and enjoy live music. Your family will be thrilled to enjoy free live music, along with an inflatable play-land and more, at the Kids Rock! series this summer! Read more at: www.redwoodcity.org/kidsrock

Pub in the Park

Imagine a leisurely summer afternoon, lounging in a park, while listening to bluegrass music, sipping delicious local brews and enjoying lawn games. During four Saturdays from June to September, we stock our British-style inflatable pub with quality beers and ciders on tap from local breweries. Pub in the Park offers a laid-back space to hang with friends and family and enjoy some cold ones. Bring lawn chairs and blankets for a picnic style afternoon, complete with FREE live music and lawn games such as croquet, cornhole (bean bag toss), and more! Redwood City Parks are perfect spots for friends and family to hang out and enjoy a chill vibe, complete with grassy lawns and shady trees. Each event will be stocked with beer and cider from local microbreweries and there will be multiple food trucks on site to feed you. Brewery and food selection will vary at each event. Learn more at: www.redwoodcity.org/pubinthepark

Shakespeare in the Park

Free Shakespeare in the Park is celebrating 40 years of free, in-person outdoor theater performances in Redwood City, this year featuring Shakespeare's delightful romantic comedy, *Much Ado About Nothing*. San Francisco Shakespeare Festival brings its production for 3 weekends, from August 13th through August 28th, and offers 4:00pm shows on both Saturdays and Sundays. Our relaxing outdoor setting provides an opportunity to see high quality, professional theater, free of charge. Treat yourself to some Shakespeare this season, for a moment that is sure to please. Learn more at: www.redwoodcity.org/shakespeare

Classical on the Square

For the classical music lover, or anyone who appreciates great musical talent, Redwood City offers its Classical Music Concert on June 25th, featuring *Redwood Symphony* at 6pm. Concert-goers will love this free classical concert, performed outdoors on beautiful Courthouse Square. Learn more at: www.redwoodcity.org/classical

ART on the Square

ART on the Square celebrates Sweet 16 by bringing fine arts and crafts to downtown Redwood City with juried special events on June 17th, July 22nd and August 26th at Courthouse Square. Complementing Music on the Square, ART on the Square showcases original painting, photography, jewelry, glass, ceramics, and more, at prices for every budget. There's also exquisite jewelry at every show, and for those who can't get enough of it, there is a special **Jewelry on the Square** on July 8th. Plus, every ART on the Square event is combined with great music, food, and fun! Plus, there is a drawing for a \$25 gift certificate to spend on your art of choice at every show. More information about ART on the Square is at: www.redwoodcity.org/artonthesquare

More info about all of the events at www.RedwoodCityEvents.com

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