

NEWSROOM

NEWS AND HAPPENINGS

PLAYHOUSE
DISTRICT

JUNE 2018

UPCOMING EVENTS



It's Block Party Time!

June 9 | 12:00 PM - 10:00 PM

The Playhouse District Association and Pasadena Playhouse are celebrating the theatre's Centennial on Saturday, June 9 with Playhouse Block Party from 12 PM to 10 PM on El Molino Avenue at Colorado Blvd., free to the public.

All of Southern California is invited to attend and participate – enjoying live music, performances, interactive exhibits, food, libations, guided tours, a kids' zone, silent disco, and much, much more. The Playhouse Block Party will be an all-day event for all ages.

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Fard Long "Love Was Cool" Artist Reception

Saturday, June 9
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM
Walt Girdner Studio & Gallery

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Open House with Free Tastings

Saturday, June 9
6:00 PM

Kitchen United

[RSVP »](#)

THIRD THURSDAYS

Third Thursdays in the District

June 21, July 19, August 16, September 20 | 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

See. Hear. Play. throughout the Playhouse District, every Third Thursday of the summer months! Enjoy visual art with live mural painting, arts & crafts, and free museum admission to [Pasadena Museum of California Art](#) and [USC Pacific Asia Museum](#) on Union Street & Los Robles. Encounter performance art with live

music at [Lyd & Mo Studio & Gallery](#), activities at [Boston Court Pasadena](#) and more on Mentor Ave. Engage with [Pasadena Playhouse](#), live music, projections, giant games, and more interactive experiences on El Molino Ave. — or discover it all with Pasadena Walking Tours! Playhouse District's Third Thursdays kicks off June 21 from 6 PM to 9 PM.

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Bordertown Now

Through June 30

Twenty years after their searing hit *Bordertown* premiered, LA's very own Culture Clash returns to the southern border to investigate the state of affairs once again. Presented at the Pasadena Playhouse, re-imagined, remixed and fully reloaded, *Bordertown Now* is an irreverent look at the people at the center of one of America's most hot-button controversial issues, and the walls that divide us all. Infused with their trademark comedic approach, the nation's premier Chicano/Latino performance trio joins Obie Award-winning artist and director Diane Rodriguez to redefine the boundaries of theater and break down the divisions between cultures.

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Three New Exhibits at PMCA

May 30 - June 24

The Pasadena Museum of California Art opens three new exhibits for all to view and experience this month. Catch three exhibits featuring works of various mediums, inviting you to explore thoughts and spaces personal, intimate, or public.

Judy Chicago's *The Birth Project* body of work, which was decades ahead of its time, is timely and relevant as society experiences a renewed interest in maternal and female bodies. Her imagery encourages viewers to perceive



Breakfast Connection

Thursday, June 14
7:00 AM - 9:00 AM
Pasadena Chamber of Commerce & Women's City Club of Pasadena
[RSVP »](#)



Raul Pacheco & The Immaculate Conception

Thursday, June 14
8:00 PM - 11:00 PM
Zona Rosa Caffe
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Lobster Night

Friday, June 15
7:00 PM
University Club of

women in unaccustomed ways and offers women powerful symbols with which to identify.

Grafton Tyler Brown: Exploring California will include paintings, prints, and objects from Brown's oeuvre, including a breadth of imagery detailing the early development of California and the West.

Los Angeles based artist, Brody Albert's *Strata* focuses on unseen sites, both intimate and public, throughout California, and the communities that inhabit them.

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Emerging Artists Series

June 8, 9, 16, 17

The Emerging Artists Series returns to Boston Court Pasadena for its second year. Providing young musicians with a platform to further develop and hone their professional repertoire and performance skills, this series also gives audiences a chance to hear talented and on-the-rise musicians. Tickets begin at \$10, and are FREE for students with valid student ID. Visit their [website](#) for complete schedule and more information.

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PDA Meeting Schedule

ECONOMIC ENHANCEMENT COMMITTEE Thursday June 14 at 8:30 AM Pasadena Presbyterian Church	DESIGN & PHYSICAL ENHANCEMENT COMMITTEE Wednesday June 20 at 8:30 AM Playhouse District Office
BOARD OF DIRECTORS Wednesday June 27 at 8:30 AM 790 E. Colorado Boulevard	

Pasadena

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Caroline Kepnes & Lena Dunham: Providence

Friday, June 22

7:00 PM

Vroman's Bookstore

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