

Getting Downtown

Where to Park

With **more than 23,000 spaces** in public and private facilities, it's easy to find parking in downtown San Jose.



Receive validated parking from more than 100 participating businesses, and three and a half hours from Camera Cinemas at designated lots and garages.

To find out more about this program or to get up-to-date parking information, visit sjdowntownparking.com.

Take Public Transit

VTA Light Rail and Buses run seven days a week and make several stops in downtown San Jose. The free Downtown Area Shuttle (DASH) runs about every 5 to 15 minutes from approximately 6:30 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday through Friday, except on major holidays.

For information and schedules, visit vta.org or stop by the Downtown Customer Service Center at 2 N. 1st St., weekdays from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Closed weekends and most holidays.

Take a Pedicab

Door-to-door pedicab service. Fast. Friendly. Green. Eco City Cycles provides an affordable and convenient way to get around downtown. Knowledgeable drivers are happy to provide suggestions on downtown San Jose's popular destinations. 771-7723; ecocitycycles.com

Take a Taxi

Grab a cab to get around. Taxi stands, marked by T's on the adjacent map, are conveniently located throughout the downtown core where the action is.

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Receive great offers from downtown businesses with your Discover Downtown San Jose Card.

To view the offers, visit sjdowntown.com/Offer. Then go to a participating business and show your card. It's that simple.

Some restrictions may apply. For more information, call the San Jose Downtown Association at 279-1775.

Downtown San Jose offers validated parking in selected lots and garages. For locations, visit sjdowntownparking.com.



More to Do Downtown

Performing Arts

Broadway San Jose

San Jose Center for the Performing Arts, 866-395-2929 or 792-4111
www.broadwaysanjose.com
Through June 12 — Mamma Mia!
September 20 to 25 — Shrek the Musical

City Lights Theater Company

529 S. 2nd St., 295-4200; www.cltc.org
Through June 19 — Distracted
July 21 to August 28 — Nine
July 25 to August 5 — Summer Conservatory

Children's Musical Theater San Jose

Montgomery Theater, 288-5437; www.cmstj.org
CMT Mainstage Production
July 29 to August 7 — Elton John & Tim Rice's AIDA
Rising Star Production
July 15 to 24 — The Wiz (showcasing performers ages 10-14)
August 11 to 14 — The Velveteen Rabbit (showcasing performers ages 6-9)

Lyric Theatre of San Jose

Montgomery Theater, California Theater, 986-1455; www.lyrictheatre.org
June 18 to 26 — The Sorcerer
July 3 — Oh Mr. Sousa!

Northside Theater Company

848 E. William St., 288-7820; www.northsidetheatre.com
June 16 to July 10 — Darwin in Malibu

Opera San José

California Theatre, 437-4450; www.operasj.org
September 10 to 25 — Idomeneo

San Jose Repertory Theatre

101 Paseo de San Antonio, 367-7255; www.sjrep.org
June 14 to 19 — Reduced Shakespeare Company's The Complete World of Sports
July 14 to 17 — One-Man Star Wars
September 1 to 25 — Spring Awakening

San Jose Stage Company

490 S. 1st St., 283-7142; www.thestage.org
Through July 3 — Avenue Q
June 20 — Monday Night Live!

The Tabard Theatre Company

Theatre on San Pedro Square, 800-838-3006, 408-679-2330; www.tabardtheatre.org
June 24 to 25 — Three Little Words Cabaret Show
July 8 to 10 — Disney's Aladdin
July 15 — Jason Stowe Comedy Showcase
Aug 5 to 7 — Willy Wonka!
Aug 12 to 14 — San Jose Jazz Festival's Big Band Stage
Aug. 26 — Jason Stowe Comedy Showcase
Sept. 16 to Oct. 9 — Bandstand Beat! Jukebox Musical

Cinemas

Camera 3 Entertainment

288 S. 2nd St., 998-3300; www.cameracinemas.com

Camera 12 Cinemas

201 S. 2nd St., 998-3300; www.cameracinemas.com

The Hackworth IMAX Dome Theater at The Tech Museum

201 S. Market St., 294-8324; www.thetech.org

Comedy Clubs

ComedySportz

Camera 3, 288 S. 2nd St., 985-LAFF; www.comedysportzsanjose.com

San Jose Improv Comedy Club & Dinner Theatre

62 S. 2nd St., 280-7475; www.improv2.com

Galleries

Anno Domini // the second coming of Art & Design

366 S. 1st St., 271-5155; www.galleryAD.com

Art Glass Center of San Jose

465 S. First St., 971-1530; www.sjgaa.org

Higher Fire Clayspace & Gallery

499 S. Market St.; www.higherfirestudios.com

KALEID gallery

88 S. 4th St., 947-1785; www.KALEIDgallery.com

MACLA/Movimiento de Arte y Cultura Latino Americana

510 S. 1st St., main: 998-2783; gallery: 287-5819; www.maclaarte.org

The San Jose Institute of Contemporary Art

560 S. 1st St., 283-8155; www.sjica.org

SLG Art Boutiki Gallery

577 S. Market St., 971-8929; www.slgcomic.com/boutiki

Natalie and James Thompson Art Gallery

1 Washington Square, San Jose State University; 924-4327;
ad.sjsu.edu/places/thompsongallery/

Works/San Jose

365 S. 1st St., 286-6800; www.workssanjose.org

Museums

Children's Discovery Museum

180 Woz Way, 298-5437; www.cdm.org

Peralta Adobe - Fallon House Historic Site

175 W. St. John St., 993-8300; www.historysanjose.org

San Jose Museum of Art

110 S. Market St., 294-2787; www.sjmusart.org

San Jose Museum of Quilts & Textiles

520 S. 1st St., 971-0323; www.sjqquiltmuseum.org

The Tech Museum

201 S. Market St., 294-8324; www.thetech.org

Recreation

The Children's Carousel

Arena Green, 999-6817; www.grpg.org

Eco City Cycles

Pedicab service, 771-7723; www.ecocitycycles.com

Guadalupe River Park & Gardens

438 Coleman Ave., 298-7657; www.grpg.org

Silicon Segway

Segway tours, (650) 355-8655; www.siliconsegway.com

Sports, Events & Entertainment

Center for the Performing Arts

255 Almaden Blvd., 792-4111; www.sanjose.org

HP Pavilion at San Jose

525 W. Santa Clara St., 287-9200; www.hpps.com

San Jose Civic

135 W. San Carlos St., 792-4111; www.sanjosecivic.com

San Jose SaberCats

HP Pavilion at San Jose, 673-3400; www.thesanjosesabercats.com

San Jose State University Event Center

290 S. 7th St., 924-6360; www.union.sjsu.edu/

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SAN JOSE
CAPITAL OF SILICON VALLEY

Summer Downtown — a perfect place for exploration and discovery

SAN PEDRO SQUARE, downtown's restaurant row, pours out good cheer with every meal.

In the **HISTORIC DISTRICT**, discover unique retailers and restaurants inside some of downtown's most distinguished buildings.

SOUTH FIRST AREA (SoFA) redefines downtown's entertainment experience, especially when nightclubs, restaurants and art galleries light up South First Street.

In the **CONVENTION & CULTURAL DISTRICT**, make a day or weekend of exploring museums, relaxing at Plaza de Cesar Chavez, strolling the paseo, catching a matinee and staying at a chic hotel.

A walk through **ST. JAMES PARK** reveals protected historic architecture, new residences and other gems, all surrounding a beautiful, shady park.

CITY HALL includes a rotunda, fountain and plaza. Nearby, new restaurants mix with old favorites in an area undergoing its 21st Century Renaissance.

SAN JOSE MARKETCENTER, the northern gateway to downtown, bustles with new and exciting retail activity.

ARENA/DIRIDON is where urban meets utopian. The high energy of downtown juxtaposes the simple and soothing serenity of the Guadalupe River Park and Gardens and its carousel playground.

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Stay

Stay and play in downtown this summer:

Great **events** every week
 World-class **treatment** at hotels
 Museums full of art and gadgets that **amaze and inspire**
 Enjoy **patio dining** and **cocktails** under the stars
 Our **theaters** stage **world-class** productions
 Lush grass in our **parks** and **meadows** are perfect for picnics
 Hunt for **unique finds** in the **eclectic** Historic District
 Stroll, explore and **discover** downtown San Jose

Play

Downtown San Jose Farmers' Market at San Pedro Square

Every Friday (except July 1), more than 40 growers and artists offer brightly blooming flowers, appetizing foods, unique gifts and California-grown fresh fruits and vegetables. Topping it off – great lunch spots and people-watching. San Pedro Street. 279-1775; www.sjdowntown.com

Thursdays through August 25 — Music in the Park

Enjoy free Thursday concerts by internationally renowned performers while taking in the charm of downtown's central park, Plaza de Cesar Chavez. 279-1775; www.sjdowntown.com

Wednesdays through August 31 — Starlight Cinemas (except June 29 and Aug. 3)

Take advantage of San Jose's near-perfect weather by grabbing a lawn chair or blanket, and enjoying free films and pre-show shenanigans under the stars on Wednesdays at dusk in downtown's unique neighborhoods: San Pedro Square, Historic District and SoFA District; 279-1775; www.sjdowntown.com

June 18 to 19 — Juneteenth in the Park Festival

Take part in the Bay Area's largest annual gathering to celebrate the spirit of African American Independence Day in the United States. The festival features a children's expo, food and retail marketplace and performing artists covering a range of music genres. Plaza de Cesar Chavez. 292-3157; www.bayareajuneteenth.org

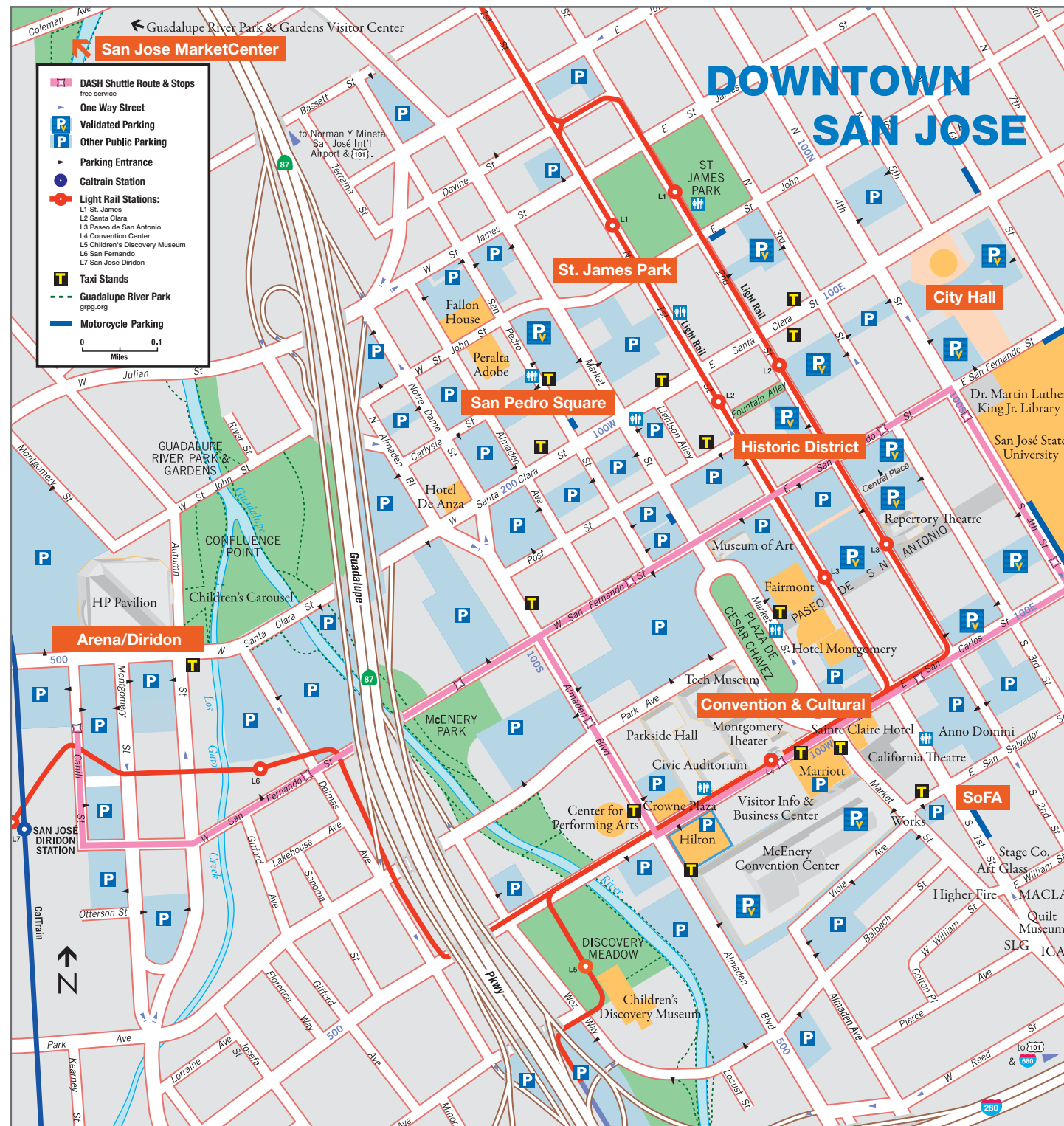
June 22 to July 3 — Dine Downtown San Jose Restaurant Week

Special promotions and \$20, \$30 and \$40 three-course prix fixe menus beckon diners to explore downtown's culinary diversity and feel satisfied long after the meal is over. More than 25 restaurants invite patrons to Dine Downtown San Jose, starting with the City Bites sampler event on June 22 from 4-6 p.m. 279-1775; www.sjdowntown.com

Daily starting July 1 — Scan Jose History

Explore downtown San Jose's history on three Smartphone enabled self-guided walking tours. See the past meet the present right before your eyes and uncover the mysteries of the heart of San Jose. 808-2167; www.scanjose.org

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July 2 to 4 — Tahiti Fête of San Jose

San Jose State University Event Center hosts a Tahitian Dance Competition extravaganza. Join us in this not-to-be-forgotten Polynesian Cultural event. Crafts, food and exciting Tahitian dance and music. (808) 935-3002; www.tahitifete.com

July 9 — Metro Fountain Blues Festival

Enjoy the best musicians playing wonderful American music, a family friendly atmosphere, food and crafts vendors and a great beer and wine garden. \$10. St. James Park. 924-6262; www.fountainbluesfestival.com

July 23 to 24 — Summer Soul Festival

An exhilarating two day festival of soul music with live bands, dance performers, art vendors, the Ultimate BBQ Cook-Off and one unforgettable charitable weekend. Guadalupe River Park. 300-0265; www.sanjosesummersoul.com

July 30 to August 7 — Target Summer Pops with Symphony Silicon Valley

A family-friendly free outdoor music festival featuring light classics, Latin, big band, Hollywood and kids nights. On the green at San Jose State University, 4th and San Carlos streets. 286-2600; www.symphonysiliconvalley.org

August 5 and September 2 — South First Fridays

An eclectic evening of arts and culture - SoFA galleries stay open from "8 'til late." Anno Domini hosts Street Mrkt with a diverse showcase of local artist vendors and live local music on South First between San Carlos and San Salvador. 271-5155; www.southfirstfridays.com

August 12 to 14 — 22nd annual San Jose Jazz Festival

Voted best festival of Silicon Valley, the San Jose Jazz Festival brings intoxicating aural feasts to downtown San Jose in the form of jazz, blues, salsa, Latin, R&B beats and more, with over 100 acts on 10 stages. 288-7557; www.sanjosejazz.org

August 20 to 21 — San Jose Pride 2011

Fill a day of fun family activities while listening to favorite local, bay area, and national bands. Free on August 20 and \$15 gate fee for the large Festival Day on August 21. Special Sunday advance tickets for only \$10 can be purchased at the Information booth on site on Saturday, August 20. Discovery Meadow. 505-1725; www.sanjosepride.com

August 27 to 28 — 31st annual Italian Family Festa

Enjoy a family fun event with Italian specialty foods, live music and entertainment, arts and crafts, bocce ball contests, children's activities and more. Free admission. Guadalupe River Park. 293-7122; www.iahfsj.org

September 18 to 25 — 20th Annual San José Mariachi and Mexican Heritage Festival

Explore the heritage of Mexico's diversity. The weeklong multi-disciplinary cultural destination will feature concerts, visual arts events, film screenings, theatre and community conversations. The Festival's signature finale event, the acclaimed Festival musical gala, will close the festival at the HP Pavilion on September 25. 920-6070; www.sanjosemariachifestival.com

All phone numbers are 408 area code, unless otherwise noted.

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Special Offer

Make more **downtown discoveries** with your Discover Downtown San Jose card. Simply clip the card below and use it at one of the more than **45 downtown businesses** listed below. Be sure to show your card prior to ordering.

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19Market - Modern Vietnamese Bistro & Bar
 A Perfect Finish Wine Bar
 Affinity in the Hilton San Jose
 Angelou's Café & Grill
 Arcadia Modern American Steakhouse

Bella Mia
 Cafe Too!
 Downtown Britannia Arms
 Emile's Restaurant
 Eulipia Restaurant and Bar
 Fahrenheit Restaurant & Lounge
 Fountain Restaurant in the Fairmont
 Fuji Sushi
 The Grill on the Alley
 Habana Cuba Restaurant
 Henry's Hi-Life
 The Lobby Lounge Bar in the Fairmont
 Maceio Brazilian Steakhouse
 McCormick & Schmick's Seafood Restaurant
 Miro's Restaurant in the Crowne Plaza Hotel
 Morton's The Steakhouse
 Mosaic Restaurant in the Four Points
 by Sheraton
 P.F. Chang's China Bistro
 Pagoda Restaurant in the Fairmont
 Peggy Sue's on Park Ave.
 The Pita Pit
 Pizz'a Chicago in San Jose
 Scott's Seafood
 Subway Sandwich & Salads on San Fernando
 The Tandoori Oven

Retail

Bronze Beachwear & Tanning
 R & J Jewelry and Loan
 Sherman Cellars Wine Tasting and Wine Store

Print & Copy Services

The UPS Store

Health & Beauty Services

Bronze Beachwear & Tanning
 Family Life Chiropractic
 Tova Day Spa at the Fairmont Hotel

Dry Cleaning Services

Angel's Cleaners & Alterations

Arts, Cinema and Entertainment

Ballet San Jose
 Camera 3
 Camera 12
 Children's Musical Theater San Jose
 ComedySportz
 San Jose Museum of Art
 San Jose Museum of Quilts & Textiles
 The Tech Museum

Nightclubs & Entertainment

A Perfect Finish Wine Bar
 Fahrenheit Restaurant & Lounge

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Participant list as of June 1, 2011.
 List of participants subject to change.

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