10 Things to do This Weekend in Phoenix: Family Edition

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Temperatures are rising, and we know you are desperately looking for cool, family-friendly activities to pack your weekend. With new science exhibits, water games, foam parties and free summer concerts, you are sure to have an action-packed weekend that is suitable for the whole family. Here is what's going on in the Valley, June 29 to July 1.

Friday:



Photo by Thomas Serer

Phoenix Rising FC vs. Orange Country SC

Are you in the mood for live soccer after watching some of The FIFA World Cup? Grab the kids and take them out to the Phoenix Rising game this Friday night at their Tempe stadium. Ticket prices vary so click here to purchase now.



Our favorite Arizona Diamondbacks are playing the San Francisco Giants, and they need all it's fans to come out and support. This family-friendly game is filled with summer activities for kids and game-time food (one soft pretzel, please!) Click here for more information, parking and directions to Chase Field in Downtown Phoenix.



Mirror Maze: Numbers in Nature at the Arizona Science Center

This new, interactive and immersive exhibit at the Arizona Science Center will have you navigating twists and turns, discovering secret rooms and solving puzzles in an advanced and creative way. With one of Arizona's most challenging mirror mazes, this innovative adventure awaits you. A Mirror Maze is open to all ages and perfect for the whole family. To purchase tickets in advance, click here.

Saturday:

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Fourth of July Freedom Fest at the Fairmont Scottsdale Princess

Mermaid story-time, watermelon-eating contests, a pirate treasure hunt and a family foam party? Sounds like a Saturday suitable for the whole family. Guests are invited to enjoy an afternoon at the Fairmont Scottsdale Princess in preparation for the upcoming Fourth of July celebration. With activities happening every hour, visit the resort web site by <u>clicking here</u> for a full schedule and more information.



Davis Circus of Illusion at the Cattle Track Theatre

Master illusionist, Craig Davis, is here to combine the art of illusion with the spectacle of the circus for a mind-blowing performance that will leave you in awe. With juggling, comedy and magic, this amazing showcase is an event you don't want to miss. For tickets and information, click here.



Photo by chuttersnap

Wet 'n' Wild Summer Fun

Temperatures are soaring past 100 degrees, and you are looking for a new way to stay cool while keeping the kids entertained. Well, Wet 'n' Wild is your destination. With slides, rides, food and the Crazy-Cactus-Lazy-River, grab the kids (and the sunscreen) and head out for a day of fun in the sun. Shaded, comfortable cabanas are also available to rent. Click here for more information, parking and directions.

Sunday:



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OdySea Aquarium: Summer of Sharks

To celebrate the upcoming Shark Week, OdySea Aquarium will be launching its SOS, Summer-of-Sharks program. Guests are invited to come, explore and marvel at the exciting creatures of the sea, up-close and personal. For more information and other upcoming events, clic.

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Summer Concert at the McCormick-Stillman Railroad Park

Rewind your weekend with this free outdoor concert at the Railroad Park in Scottsdale. Coming this Sunday, Mogollon Band, who performs high-energy country, is going to rock your Sunday night. Bring a blanket or chair and kickback while enjoying this popular band as they perform a country soundtrack. There will also be fireworks after the concert. The Railroad Park is recognized as one of the best live music venues, and this event is perfect for the whole family.



Bodies Revealed at OdySea in the Desert

Looking for an educational, indoor activity for the whole family? Look no further than the Bodies Revealed exhibit at OdySea in the Desert. Guests are invited to explore deep within the human body in an inspiring and fascinating way. This limited-time exhibit offers hours of entertainment for all ages. For directions and more information, click here.



Sunday's on the Lake: Boat Rentals at Tempe Town Lake

You don't have to travel far to get the full experience of Sundays on the Lake. Tempe Town Lake offers boat rentals covering everything from kayaks, pedal boats, electric boats and paddle boards. Grab your friends, families and neighbors, pack a picnic, and hit the lake only minutes from your front door. For more information and prices, visit their Web site <a href="https://example.com/here/be/h