CALIFORNIA HISTORIC ROUTE 66 ASSOCIATION

CENTENNIAL EVENTS CALENDAR FROM NOVEMBER 7, 2026

- **Through November 22 (weekends):** "Motel 66" (8 short plays set along Route 66), The Group Rep theatre, North Hollywood
- **Through November 30 -** Route 66 Centennial Exhibit, Feldheym Public Library, San Bernardino
- **Through December 31** – Route 66 exhibit, "Engines of Change: How Transportation Shaped Monrovia," Monrovia Historical Museum
- **Through January 24**– Exhibit "Where History Meets the Road: Celebrating Route 66 & Colorado Blvd," Pasadena Museum of History
- **November 7** – Documentary screening: "Route 66: The Main Street of America," Los Angeles Theatre, downtown L.A.
- **November 7** - Community Fall Festival: Cruisin' the Century in Needles, Santa Fe Park, Needles
- **November 7** - Veterans Salute & Parade and Route 66 Centennial Celebration, San Bernardino
- **November 7 -** Route 66 Centennial Bash & car show, Red Hen Cafe, Helendale
- **November 7 -** Route 66 centennial screening of "The Grapes of Wrath," Vidiots at Eagle Theatre, Eagle Rock neighborhood, L.A.
- **November 7 -** Morning Octane car show by Rusnak Auto Group, Colorado Street Bridge, Pasadena
- **November 7-8**: 28th annual Pistachio Farm Festival, CSD Park, Newberry Springs
- **November 8 -** Route 66 100 Year Anniversary Party street festival, Eagle Rock Blvd at Hill Dr, Eagle Rock neighborhood, LA.
- **November 8 -** Cruising Back 2 Route 66 car show & toy drive, downtown Azusa
- **November 8 -** Art/Found 2026: Arroyo Arts Collective Discovery Tour, Highland Park historic district, northeast L.A.
- **November 10 -** Celebrate the Route 66 Centennial event (reception & exhibit viewing), Pasadena Museum of History
- **November 11 -** 30th annual Veterans Day Celebration & Parade, Route 66, downtown Victorville
- **November 11-22:** Santa Anita Show Jumping, Santa Anita Park (horse racetrack), Arcadia
- **November 12 -** Presentation: "Route 66: Travelers and Tribes," by Shawn Price, Pasadena Museum of History
- **November 12 -** Exhibit opening & reception, "Creating Route 66: Road, Legend, Community," Santa Monica History Museum
- **November 13-15:** Secret Movie Club Film Festival, Palace Theatre, Broadway, downtown L.A.
- **November 14 -** Route 66 100th Anniversary Celebration, Camp Cajon, Phelan (Cajon Pass)
- **November 14 -** Route 66 Centennial Celebration & ribbon cutting of the new Main Street Heritage Park, Main & 1st, Barstow
- **November 14** - Panel: "On the Road Again: Route 66 at 100." Part of 29 Palms Book Festival (Nov. 13-15), Twentynine Palms
- **November 14 -** Barstow Turkey Trot 5k, Casa Del Desierto Harvey House, Barstow
- **November 14 -** Salute to Veterans event, Cucamonga Service Station, Rancho Cucamonga
- **November 14 -** Lecture, "Discovering the Sensory Heritage of Route 66" by Sofia Ehrich, Hi-Desert Nature Museum, 29 Palms
- **November 14 -** Route 66 Trivia, Wild Parrot Brewing Co, Pasadena
- **November 14 - "**An Afternoon of Vintage Glamour" from Art Deco Society of LA, Million Dollar Theatre. Broadway, downtown LA
- **November 14-15:** Jackalope: An Indie Artisan Fair, Central Park, Pasadena
- **November 15 -** "Modernism on Route 66 in Claremont": Luncheon with lecture by Alan Hess for Claremont Heritage, Walter's Restaurant. * Followed by screening of documentary "Googie" & Q&A, Regency Directors Cut Cinemas, Claremont
- **November 15 -** CicLAvia Pasadena. An Open Streets (car-free) event on Colorado Blvd., Pasadena
- **November 18 - January 3:** Swiss Winter Village, Santa Monica Pier's event deck

- **November 19 -** Documentary screening, “Route 66: The Main Street of America,” Whittier Public Library, Whittier
- **November 19 -** Locals Night at the Pier, Santa Monica Pier
- **November 20 - December 27:** Enchant Christmas (“world's largest Christmas light maze”), Santa Anita Park, Arcadia
- **November 20 -** Glendora Village Holiday Stroll & Holiday Market, historic downtown Glendora
- **November 21 -** 21st annual Great Los Angeles Walk, Route 66 edition. Santa Monica Blvd from Echo Park to Santa Monica Pier
- **November 21 -** Root 66: 66 Trees for Route 66. A Tree People tree-planting volunteer event. Pacific Electric Trail, Cucamonga
- **November 22 -** 46th Occasional Pasadena Doo Dah Parade, Old Pasadena
- **November 22 -** Last day of performance, “Motel 66” (8 short plays set along Route 66), The Group Rep theatre, North Hollywood
- **November 27 -** Green Friday event with free admission, California Botanic Garden, Claremont
- **November 28 - December 23:** Yuletide Cinemaland (holiday outdoor screenings in festive setting), Heritage Square Museum, NE LA
- **November 28 - December 24: ”**A Christmas Carol” performances, A Noise Within theatre company, Pasadena
- **November 30 -** Final day of Route 66 Centennial Exhibit, Feldheym Public Library, San Bernardino
- **December 3 -** DTLA ArtNight, Broadway and surrounding streets, downtown L.A.
- **December 4-5, 11-12, and 18-19:** Luminaria Nights festivities (6-9pm), California Botanic Garden, Claremont
- **December 4-6:** Annual volunteer Work Party and Clean Up, Road Runner's Retreat, Chambless
- **December 9 -** Once Upon a Troubadour: slideshow & storytelling by ‘60s-'70s concert photographer Henry Diltz, Troubadour, WeHo
- **December 9 -** Retro Nights Vintage Market, Sunset Triangle Plaza, Silver Lake neighborhood, L.A.
- **December 12 -** Final day of exhibit, “The Journey Is the Destination: 100 Years of Route 66,” Hi Desert Nature Museum, Yucca Valley
- **December 12 -** Holiday Fair, First Ave. between Huntington Blvd (Route 66) & California St, downtown Arcadia
- **December 12 -** “A Christmas Festival” performance by San Bernardino Symphony Orchestra, California Theatre, San Bernardino
- **December 12 -** Breakfast with Santa (hosted by South Pasadena Community Services), War Memorial Building, South Pasadena
- **December 13** - Coca-Cola Holiday Caravan (tour stop for festive event), Grand Central Market, downtown L.A.
- **December 14 -** Public hearing on landmark nomination for Mel's Drive-in / The Penguin, 7pm, Santa Monica Landmarks Commission
- **December 17 -** Locals Night at the Pier, Santa Monica Pier
- **December 19 -** Secret Movie Club's Classic Hollywood Christmas: White Christmas & It's a Wonderful Life, Los Angeles Theatre, dtla
- **December 23:** Last day of Yuletide Cinemaland (holiday outdoor screening series in festive setting), Heritage Square Museum, NE LA
- **December 24** - Last day of ”A Christmas Carol” performances, A Noise Within theatre company, Pasadena
- **December 27**: Last day of Enchant Christmas (“world's largest Christmas light maze”), Santa Anita Park, Arcadia
- **December 31** – Last day of “Engines of Change: How Transportation Shaped Monrovia,” Monrovia Historical Museum
- **January 1, 2027** - 138th annual Rose Parade, Colorado Blvd, Pasadena
- **January 3 -** Last day, Swiss Winter Village, Santa Monica Pier
- **January 24** – Final day, “Where History Meets the Road: Celebrating Route 66 & Colorado Blvd,” Pasadena Museum of History
- **March 6 -** Roy's Route 66 Cruisin’ Car Show, Roy's Motel & Cafe, Amboy
- **April 10 -** 4th annual Inland Empire History Festival (with CHR66A booth), Norton Air Force Base Museum, San Bernardino
- **June [date TBA] -** Exhibit ends: “Creating Route 66: Road, Legend, Community,” Santa Monica History Museum

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