ARTS DISTRICT LIBERTY STATION

Monthly Update - November 2026

The Monthly Update is designed to keep Arts District Liberty Station tenants informed of opportunities, events and other information that may impact your business.

ARTS DISTRICT UPDATES & OPPORTUNITIES
Upcoming meetings, events and announcements for tenants

Swiss Winter Market: Buskers and Vendors
Participate in the Swiss Winter Market this year by applying to be an entertainer or vendor. For entertainers, the market operators are looking for performers, instructors, and activity providers. If selected, entertainers will receive five free tickets to the village and a stipend. Apply here to be an entertainer by **November 10th**. For vendors, apply here for food and drink or apply here to be a product vendor.

Tenant Orientation Refresher
If you need a refresher on the information shared during your new tenant orientation led by ADLS staff, you can attend the next scheduled tenant orientation on **December 7th at 11am**. If you would like to attend, please email Elyse Gwannulla at egwannulla@artsdistrictlibertystation.org to be added to the list and to receive the virtual meeting link. Only one representative per organization, please.

2027 High Tech High Interns Available
Be a mentor at one of the High Tech High schools by taking on a student intern. Interns can help on a plethora of projects or tasks for a 4-week time period between May and June 2027 as they check off one of their graduation requirements. Check out this website and this PDF for the specifics of the program and apply HERE for an intern. Email Sharon Mayer at smayer@hightechhigh.org with any questions.

Outdoor Use Permits **Update**
Direct all questions or concerns about outdoor use permits to Elyse Gwannulla at egwannulla@artsdistrictlibertystation.org. Please follow the existing instructions for permit submission: To reserve an outdoor space, please fill out the **LSCA Outdoor Permit Request Form**. As a reminder, *please do not send permits to Meissner property managers* . Permit requests will only be processed via the submission form. Permits must be submitted **at least 60 days** prior to event date. Failure to do so will result in delayed permit approval. Submitting the form and permit request does not guarantee event approval.

Tenant Group Collaborative Meeting
The Tenant Group Collaborative meeting, facilitated by Peggy Fischbeck, provides and opportunity for tenants of Arts District Liberty Station to meet, promote events and share events that provide collaborative opportunities. The next meeting will be **Wednesday, November 11, 2026, from 10 to 11 AM in San Diego Writer's Ink** (Barracks 16 #204). If you cannot attend the meeting but have announcements to share, please send to Peggy prior to the meeting. Tenants also have a Facebook page that serves as a "bulletin board" for tenants to contact other tenants. If you have a current facebook account you can request to join "Arts District Collaborative." Point of contact, Peggy Fischbeck, peggyfischbeck@aol.com, 619-548-2137, Barracks 19 #209.

Tenant Funding is Closed for 2026
Thank you to all those who participated in the Arts District Liberty Station Community Impact Grant Program for 2026. The funding period for 2026 is now closed and the online application will no longer accept new submissions. Please check the tenant portal and upcoming newsletters for information on funding in 2027.

Tenant Resources Portal 💻
Please visit the **tenant resources portal.** Some important links are listed below for your convenience.

Submitting Events & Classes to the Liberty Station Website
Before submitting classes to the Liberty Station website calendar, ***please read the "how to" section*** in the Tenant Portal. If you assign this task to staff, interns or volunteers, have them read this section and become familiar with these tips as well. If you have questions, please email tmedina@artsdistrictlibertystation.org

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Large Events that may impact foot and car traffic in/around Arts District 📅

- Young Adult Rally Night - November 3rd, 6:30 - 9:30 PM (Rock Church)
- Great Big Family Play Day - November 7th, 9:30 AM - 5 PM (Ingram Plaza)
- ACHA Walk for 1 in 100 - November 7th, 9 AM - 12 PM (NTC Park)
- Sea Hive Second Sundays - November 8th, 11 AM - 4 PM (Lot E)
- Breakthrough T1D Walk - November 14th, 8 AM - 12 PM (NTC Park)
- Rady's Children Ice Rink - November 19th - January 3rd, 10 AM - 10 PM (Central Prom)
- Tree Lighting - November 27th, 5 - 9 PM (North Prom)
- San Diego Made Holiday Market - November 27-29th, 10 AM - 5 PM (NTC Park)
- Swiss Winter Village - November 27th - January 3rd, Hours Vary (South Prom)
- KUSI Silver Pigskin Gala - December 1st, 7 - 8:30 PM (Rock Church)

Link to Liberty Station Website **Events** **HERE**
Link to Liberty Station Website **Classes** **HERE**

ARTS OPPORTUNITIES IN SAN DIEGO
Grants, Webinars, Workshops, Resources and More

Call for Artists - City of San Diego's 2027-2028 Poet Laureate
The City of San Diego is seeking applications from interested qualified Artists to provide literary services for San Diego Poet Laureate Project for the period covering Jan. 1, 2027 - Dec. 31, 2028. The Poet Laureate serves as an ambassador and advocate for poetry, spoken word and the literary arts. During the two-year term, the appointed Poet Laureate produces engaging and conceptually rich original works inspired by and in response to San Diego. **Deadline: November 6, 2026**. More details HERE.

Open Call - "In With The Old" Art Exhibition at Chula Vista Brewery
In With the Old is asking for artwork that considers the necessity of slow transformation, what to do with what we inherit, natural cycles, and the act of revisiting the same questions as different people, in different conditions, and yielding something new each time. Themes could include, but are not limited to, material transformation, slow alchemy, biological process, interconnectedness, organic material, tradition, ritual, and art-making techniques from the past. Artists, both emerging and established, are invited to interpret this prompt from any angle and through any medium. **Submission Deadline: November 13, 2026**. More info and how to submit you work HERE.

Art + Design District, Downtown SD: Call for Artists + Designers
The Art + Design District invites artists, designers, and multidisciplinary teams from San Diego County and Tijuana to propose temporary creative projects in Downtown San Diego. Selected projects will receive funding to activate storefronts, façades, windows, sidewalks, vacant spaces, and other public-facing locations. Opportunities include storefront and pop-up activations, murals, light-integrated design, urban greening, and site-specific art and design interventions. **Proposal deadline: November 20, 2026**. More details and how to apply HERE.

The Front Arte y Cultura: New Native Narratives Artist Apprenticeship
Call for applications inviting emerging artists from San Diego, Tijuana, and Indigenous Nations. 10 applicants will be selected to participate in an intensive, paid program in 2027 where they will acquire the skills needed to develop an artistic project. Each artist will receive guidance on the conceptual aspects of their creative process, spanning from initial conception to the creation of a fully realized artwork and a $1K stipend. **Deadline: December 5, 2026**. More details and how to apply HERE.

San Diego County Grant Opportunities
The Economic Development Government Affairs Grants Office administers County grant programs benefiting nonprofits and small businesses throughout the region. The County of San Diego offers Community Enhancement Grants, Neighborhood Reinvestment Grants and Small Business Grants. For more information visit this LINK.

The California Grants Portal - Find grants and loans!
The California Grants Portal (a project by the California State Library) is your one destination to find all grants and loans offered on a competitive or first-come basis by California state agencies. Learn More.

ARTS DISRICT LEASING
Available Space

Building 176, Suite 204 (Creative Workspace)
2590 Truxton Road, Second Floor
868 Rentable Square Feet

Barracks 15, Suite 209 (Artist Suite)
2750 Historic Decatur Road
300 Rentable Square Feet

Contact Julie Schraeger at **j.schraeger@meissnerCRES.com** for information and to schedule a tour.

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