



Channel Islands Social Services

Activity Guide

May 2026

Fun Arts and Crafts

Reminder: Chat with the individual or family you support to plan activities together!

Get permission to attend an activity (within 5 miles from their home if you are on the authorized driver's list at CISS) or to purchase anything such as craft supplies needed to make the items in this guide.

Dotted Pastel Hydrangea



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Dinosaur Fossils



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Pool Noodle Boats



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Egg Carton Turtles



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These bi-weekly guides were created with our Direct Support Professionals in mind. Our DSPs work tirelessly providing In-Home Respite Care, Independent Living Services, and Personal Assistance. Within these pages you will find information on helpful resources you can share with those you support. We've also included ideas for fun crafts, games and sensory-friendly activities you may consider doing while providing care, or to suggest to others.

Got an idea for a future guide? Email us!



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Ventura County Activities

(Ojai, Ventura, Oxnard, Port Hueneme, Santa Paula, Fillmore)

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MAY 5TH

LITTLE LAB (AGES 3-7)

10:30AM

VENTURA LIBRARY 1070 S. HILL RD, VENTURA



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MAY 15TH

SENSORY PLAYGROUP WITH AUTISM SOCIETY (AGES 5 & UNDER)

10:00AM

510 PARK AVE, PORT HUENEME



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MAY 16-17

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL

10AM-6:30PM

10 W. HARBOR BLVD, VENTURA



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MAY 23-24

OJAI ANNUAL ART IN THE PARK

10AM-5PM

LIBBEY PARK 210 S. SIGNAL ST, OJAI



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Activity Key:



Wheelchair & Stroller Accessible



Sensory Friendly



Indoor Activity



Outdoor Activity



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(Camarillo, Somis, Newbury Park)

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ONGOING

SUPPORT GROUPS FOR YOUNG ADULTS
IN-PERSON & ZOOM



SUPPORT GROUPS

IN-PERSON & VIRTUAL

Meetings every other Monday

Young Adults 6 PM - 7:30 PM

Parent & Caregiver 7PM-8PM

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MAY 8TH

TEEN GAME DAY

3PM-5PM

4101 LAS POSAS RD, CAMARILLO



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MAY 12TH

TODDLER STORYTIME (AGES 1-3)

10:30AM-11AM

4101 LAS POSAS RD, CAMARILLO



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ONGOING

FARMERS MARKET

SATURDAYS 8AM-12PM

2220 VENTURA BLVD, CAMARILLO



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(Thousand Oaks, Westlake, Agoura, Moorpark, Simi Valley)

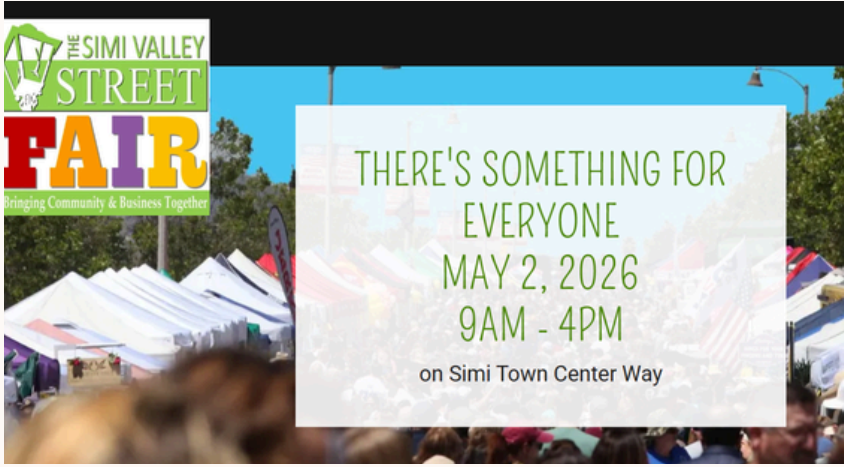
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MAY 2ND

SIMI VALLEY STREET FAIR

9AM-4PM

1555 SIMI TOWN CENTER WAY, SIMI VALLEY



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MAY 9TH

MOORPARK APRICOT FESTIVAL

10AM-4PM

HISTORIC HIGH ST, MOORPARK



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MAY 16TH

ARTS FEST 2026

10:00AM-3:00PM

3700 AVENIDA, SIMI VALLEY



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ONGOING

ART CLASS, 1PM-2PM

ZOOM LINK: PROVIDED UPON REGISTRATION



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COMMUNITY PARTNERS

Amigo Baby

Amigo Baby offers family support services in various natural settings such as homes, daycare centers, and community parks. Their services focus on providing emotional support to families, fostering growth and learning within a safe and familiar environment.

Find out more: <https://amigobaby.com/our-services/>



A Heart of An Angel

This non-profit organization offers enrichment programs with outdoor exercise that focus on children's education, leadership, physical fitness, and spiritual well-being. These programs aim to foster holistic development by enhancing each child's strength, character, and confidence in mind, body, and spirit.

Find out more: <https://aheartofanangel.org/>



SERT

Formerly a center for Special Needs Riding Therapy, SERT now offers a limited number of openings for Equine Care Activities that include grooming, preparing supplements, maintaining stalls and how to safely interact with a horse. This program is designed to provide therapeutic activities for people with special needs.

Explore more by visiting: <https://sert.org/>

