

Mayor Jay Tibshraeny and the Chandler City Council

INFORMATION PACKET



CHANDLER JUNIOR OPEN

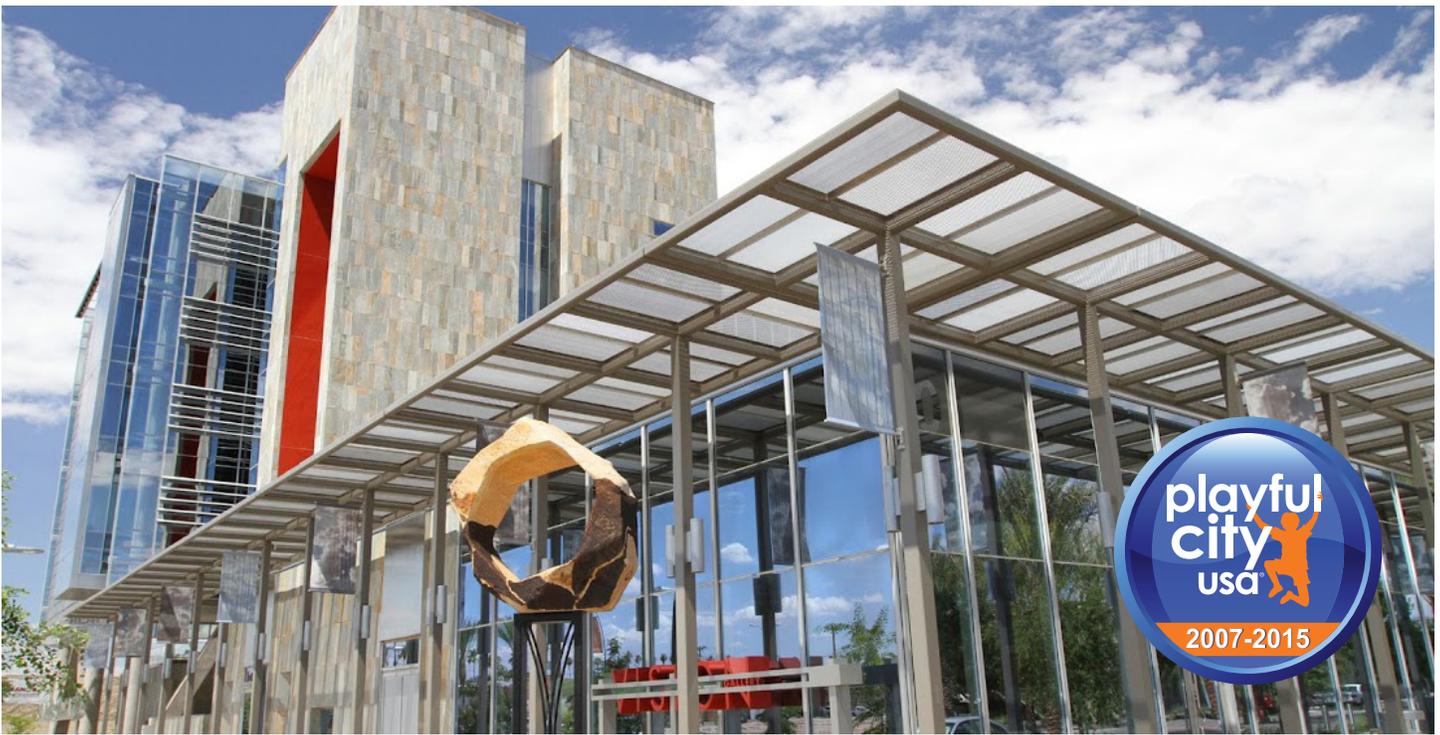
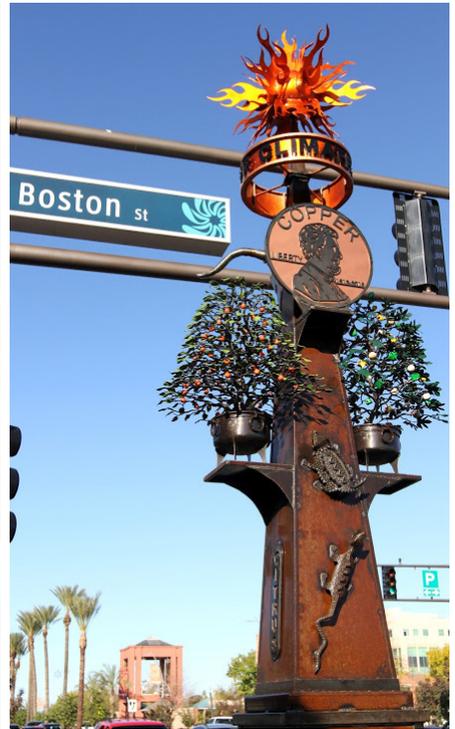


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February 11, 2016

Dear Player and Family,

The City of Chandler Recreation Division welcomes you to the Inaugural USTA L6 Chandler Junior Open. We are excited to be hosting this event at our award winning facility, the Chandler Tennis Center. The tournament will feature boys and girls singles divisions including (BG 10's 60' Orange Ball, BG 10-12's 78' Green Ball, and BG 14-18 78' Yellow Ball) and will be held March 4-6, 2016.

We are privileged to have you visit our City and Tennis Center. Our staff is working diligently to ensure a memorable and fun weekend for you and your family. There is a host of activities offered in Chandler and the surrounding valley for you to take advantage of. Enclosed in the information packet is a list of some local attractions and restaurants. To assist you in making accommodations for you and your family, we have also included information on local hotels.

We look forward to meeting and welcoming you to our community in March! We are confident that you will love coming out to Chandler, Arizona for our inaugural junior tennis tournament!

Sincerely,
Sean Paulson

Facility Manager of the Chandler Tennis Center
Tournament Director
City of Chandler
Community & Neighborhood Services Department



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GENERAL INFORMATION

AGE DIVISIONS

BG 10 (60' Orange Ball), BG 10-12 (78' Green Ball), BG 14-18 (78' Yellow Ball).

AWARDS

Awards will be given to the champion and finalist of each division in the main draw, and the consolation champion. All participants will receive a t-shirt upon check-in.

MATCH FORMAT

All matches will be 2 out of 3 sets with a 10-point match tiebreak in lieu of the third set. All draws will feature a consolation bracket for players that lose in the first round, ensuring that everyone will play at least two matches. Matches are scheduled to begin as early as 4 p.m. on Friday and as early as 8 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday. In the event of large draws, play could begin a day earlier on Thursday, March 3, at 6 p.m.

OFFICIAL GAME BALL

The official tennis balls for the event are Penn tennis balls.

DRAW

The draws will be posted no later than Wednesday, March 2, 2016. It is the player's responsibility to visually check the draws frequently before and during the event as draw times may change.

PET POLICY

There are no pets allowed at the Chandler Tennis Center (except service animals).



IMPORTANT CONTACT INFORMATION

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CHANDLER TENNIS CENTER

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Chandler, AZ 85286
480-782-2650

HOUSING INFORMATION

HAMPTON INN & SUITES
Phx Chandler-Fashion Center
1231 S. Spectrum Blvd.
Chandler, AZ 85286
Mention group code **JOO** for discounted rates*
**While supplies last.*

For up-to-date tournament information visit
www.chandleraz.gov/tennis

CHANDLER FAST FACTS

249,497

Population as of January 1, 2016

1,212

Feet of Elevation above Sea Level

330

Sunny Days a Year

153+

Species of Birds Identified at Veterans Oasis Park

85

Average High Temperature

60

Events Held in Downtown Chandler Each Year

62

Community & Neighborhood Parks

55

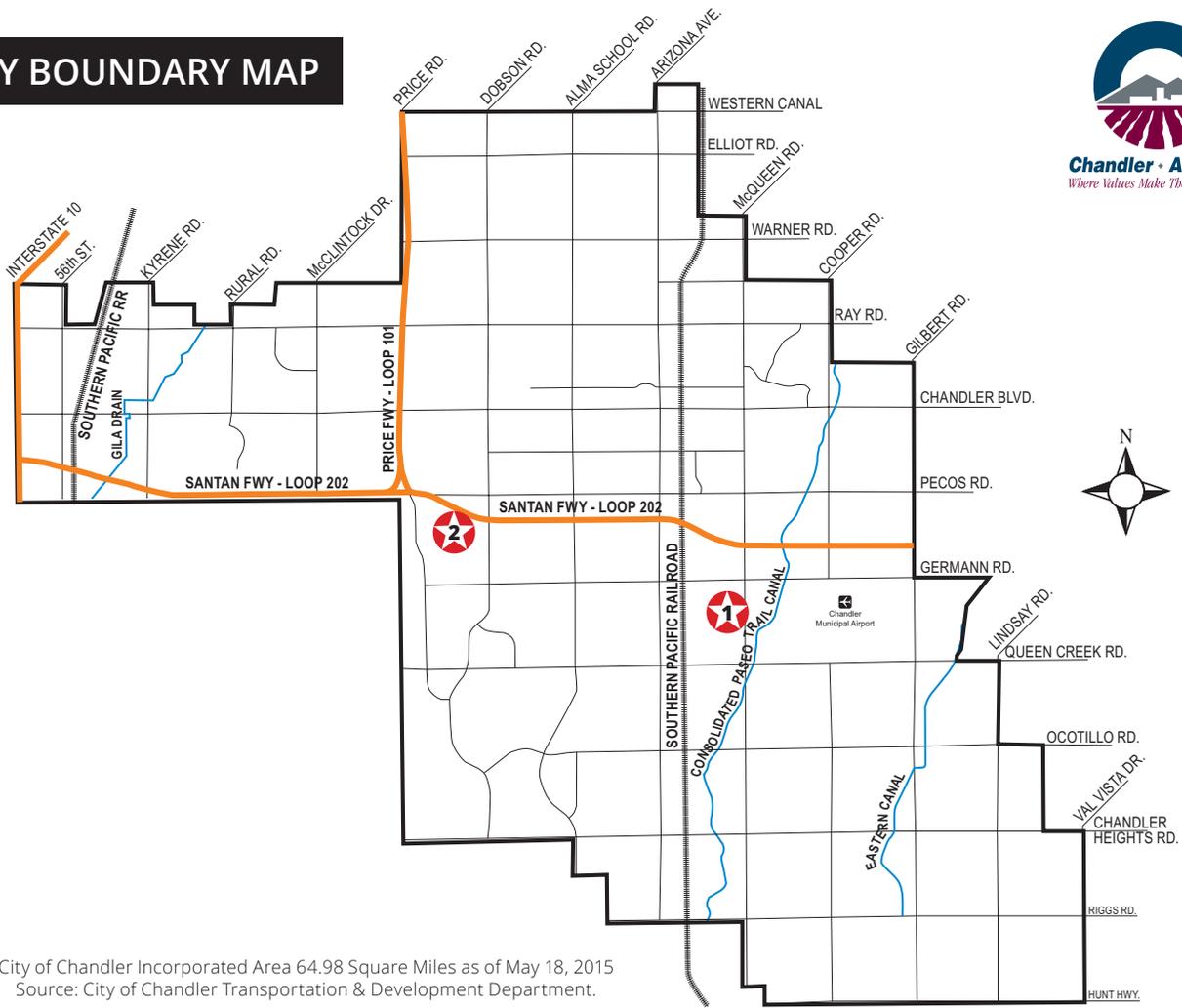
Public Art Installations in Downtown Chandler

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Aquatic Centers & Pools



CITY BOUNDARY MAP



City of Chandler Incorporated Area 64.98 Square Miles as of May 18, 2015
 Source: City of Chandler Transportation & Development Department.



CHANDLER TENNIS CENTER
 2250 S. McQueen Rd., Chandler, AZ 85286 | 480-782-2650



**HAMPTON INN & SUITES
 PHOENIX CHANDLER-FASHION CENTER**
 1231 S. Spectrum Blvd., Chandler, AZ 85286 | 480-917-9500





CHECK IT OUT!

Dear friends,

I take great pride in this community; and for very good reason. I believe you'll find Chandler to be a very special place to visit. We encourage you to explore the many opportunities you have around you.

The many dining choices, unique shops and galleries, outdoor recreation and other local amenities detailed here represent just a small sampling of the tremendous effort being made to keep Chandler a premier destination point for families and business travelers alike.

Please take a few moments to review the destinations listed below and see why Chandler has been named one of Money Magazine's Best Places to Live.

As a lifelong resident of Chandler, I hope you share my enthusiasm for the City during your stay. I'm confident you will find it to be one of the Southwest's friendliest and most accommodating communities.

Sincerely,

Jay Tibshraeny - Chandler Mayor

ATTRACTIONS AND RESTAURANTS IN THE CHANDLER AREA

Amazing Jake's Food and Fun

1830 E. Baseline Rd., Mesa - 85204
480-926-749

This all-indoor "fun factory" includes a pizza, pasta and salad buffet. Enjoy hours of fun with Galaxy Bowling, Mini-golf, Kiddie Rides, a Game Pavilion, Bumper Cars, Go-Karts, a Rock-climbing wall and Laser Tag. Appropriate for all ages.

Hale Theatre

50 W. Page Ave., Gilbert - 85233
480-497-1181

Known for presenting quality, value-oriented comedy and musical productions, the Hale Centre Theatre seats 380 guests in the round and opens with select live evening and weekend performances.

Ice Den Chandler

7225 W. Harrison St., Chandler - 85226
480-598-9400

This state-of-the-art ice-skating facility has two regulation-sized ice surfaces, available for public skating, hockey and skating lessons. The 80,000-square-foot facility also houses a pro shop, video game arcade, eatery, and party rooms. Open daily, hours vary.



Chandler Center for the Arts

250 N. Arizona Ave., Chandler - 85225
480-782-2683

The Chandler Center for the Arts is a premier cultural resource that focuses on leading, advocating and advancing arts and culture in the greater Chandler area. As a shared facility with the Chandler School District, the Chandler Center for the Arts provides local, national and international performances.

Hot Air Expeditions

480-502-6999 • Toll Free: 800-831-7610

As you gently leave the Earth, you'll be amazed at how light the balloon feels. During the flight you have an unobstructed 360-degree view to take excellent photographs. At this altitude you are able to see the sights and sounds of desert life. Commonly seen are jack-rabbit, quail, roadrunner and coyote. Occasionally even deer, javelina and other desert animals are seen.

Jumpstreet

455 E. Warner Rd., Chandler - 85225
480-780-8008

We have all seen kids and families jump on a trampoline just about everywhere, but have you seen them bounce from the walls? Jumpstreet is a beloved family fun center where kids and adults can jump on a trampoline, and then bounce off a WALL of trampolines! Take in a great game of dodgeball or just some time to bounce off the walls and be a kid again. You have to see it and try it for yourself!

Makutu's Island

6919 W. Ray Rd., Chandler - 85226
480-344-3740

A great place to let the kids play around and let their imaginations run wild! A hallmark of the 20,000 square-foot center is its 25-foot indoor oak tree that is connected to climbing tubes, tunnels, slides and more. In addition to the tree, the kids will be delighted to discover a newly unveiled amenities including a 25-foot-tall bungee jump with a trampoline, zip line, caves to explore and tunnels for the little ones to run through! This Arizona family fun center also features an aquarium, cafe, parents lounge, theater and private party rooms.

Rawhide Western Town and Steakhouse

Wild Horse Pass and I-10 Freeway
Chandler, AZ

480-502-5600 • Toll Free: 800-527-1880

Arizona's largest western-themed attraction has a new location, Wild Horse Pass on the Gila River Indian Community. The authentic replica of an 1880's frontier town and legendary Steakhouse is known world-wide as a "must-see Arizona destination." With dozens of Wild West attractions and unique retail shops, Rawhide offers guests non-stop action. The Rawhide Steakhouse serves delicious cowboy fare including mesquite-grilled steaks and mouth waterin' barbecue with all the fixin's and live entertainment nightly.

Schnepf Farms

22601 E. Cloud Rd., Queen Creek - 85142
480-987-3100

As family farms in Arizona disappear, Schnepf Farms continues to develop and thrive by creating a place where people from all over can visit, get educated and be entertained all while visiting a farm. In 2006, Schnepf Farms celebrated 65 years of farming.





RESTAURANTS

Abuelo's Mexican Food

3440 W. Chandler Blvd., Chandler - 85226
480-855-0960

At Abuelo's you'll experience the art, culture and diverse recipes of Old Mexico.

Bernard's at Ocotillo

3751 S. Clubhouse Dr., Chandler - 85248
480-917-6600

Bernard's at Ocotillo is a gem of a restaurant located in one of Chandler's most beautiful settings, overlooking the lush fairways of the Ocotillo Golf Resort. The restaurant also features a wonderful, waterfall patio perfect for enjoying a meal or drinks at sunset. Located in south Chandler, Bernard's offers breakfast, lunch and dinner service including their Wednesday Prime Rib and Friday Fish Fry and a great 19th Hole Appetizer and Happy Hour Menu. The restaurant does offer gluten-free dining options as well.

Barro's Pizza

950 E. Riggs Rd., Chandler - 85249
480-895-2555

Convenient, fast, and tasty thick slices of Chicago style pizza are synonymous at Barro's Pizza! Pizza served by the slice or in whole pies for dine in or take away. In addition to a large variety of fresh toppings, Barro's also offers a gluten-free pizza featuring Udi's® crust in a 10-inch style pizza. This location also serves a variety of deli-style sandwiches, pastas, salads, wings and offers daily lunch specials.

BJ's Restaurant and Brewery

3155 W. Chandler Blvd., Chandler - 85226
480-917-0631

Award winning Chicago-style pizza and fine, handcrafted beer in a high-energy, fun, and child-friendly environment. Be sure to save room for the famous Pizookie, part cookie, part pizza!

BLD

1920 W. Germann Rd., Chandler - 85286
480-779-8646

Short for Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner, BLD believes every meal is the most important part of your day. That's why they serve up chef-crafted comfort foods in a casual neighborhood environment—all day, every day.

Buffalo Wild Wings

3163 W. Chandler Blvd., Chandler - 85226

480-289-5200

All you need to know "About Us" is these three things: Wings. Beer. Sports.™ Why do those three things matter to us so much? Because that's what our fans want, and that's what we're all about—making our fans happy.

Cafe Rio Mexican Grill

3400 W. Chandler Blvd., Chandler - 85226

480-355-8750

Cafe Rio is synonymous with fresh, featuring made-from-scratch meals finely crafted by their amazing staff who diligently hand-craft all the components for each dish. From hand squeezing 1,000 limes to hand scooping avocados to grating the cheese to crafting each and every sauce and dressing - everything is made on-site, daily. Of course, this is in addition to the hundreds of hand-rolled tortillas cooked up on the coal in front of your very eyes! This family-friendly Tex-Mex restaurant is sure to please.

Charm Thai Cuisine

11 W. Boston St., Chandler - 85225

480-917-7222

Experience traditional Thai food in a contemporary styled restaurant at this locally owned eatery in Downtown Chandler. The restaurant features lunch specials Monday to Friday and an inviting Happy Hour from 5-7 p.m.

Rita's Burritos

4040 S Arizona Ave #17, Chandler - 85248

480-404-9128

Traditional Mexican recipes made from scratch and prepared daily using high quality ingredients.

Floridino's Pizza and Pasta

590 N. Alma School Rd., Chandler - 85224

480-812-8433

Our menu boasts of oven-baked sandwiches, heaping salads, mouth-watering pizzas, generous portions of pasta and calzones stuffed to the brim. While that is enough incentive to give us a try, a meal at Floridino's is hardly complete without our renowned pizza muffins or a Sicilian sundae.

Mikado Sushi

3125 S. Alma School Rd., Chandler - 85248

480-726-0255

Family owned Sushi Bar and Restaurant.

Peter Piper Pizza

2965 S. Alma School Rd., Chandler - 85286

480-782-1533

Pizzas made to order with dough made fresh daily. Peter Piper Pizza offers a fun atmosphere with arcade and other games to enjoy with your food.

Rock Lobster

2475 W. Queen Creek Rd., Chandler - 85248

480-753-6622

Located in south Chandler in Downtown Ocotillo, Rock Lobster features Japanese fusion inspired cuisine and finely crafted sushi rolls in a hip, modern, lounge-like setting while serving up a robust sake menu and engaging cocktails. In addition to a popular happy-hour, the restaurant highlights creative fun and energy at three teppanyaki tables.

Serrano's Mexican Restaurant

141 S. Arizona Ave., Chandler - 85225

480-899-3318

Serrano's Mexican Restaurant has been serving the finest Sonoran Mexican food in the East Valley for many years. The Serrano family have been residents of Chandler since 1919, and are considered to be the oldest continuous family-owned business in Chandler. Dishes are made fresh daily, from the homemade flour tortillas to the warm bean dip Serrano's is famous for. Located just south of the Historic Downtown Square.

Stone & Vine Urban Italian

1035 W. Queen Creek Rd., Suite 103

Chandler - 85248

480-659-7438

Stone & Vine serves authentic, family recipes and provides an inviting ambiance that is perfect for dinner with family and friends. Chandler's Stone & Vine features wood-burning pizzas, traditional Italian dishes including house specialties: spaghetti and meatballs, eggplant parmigiana and ravioli. The restaurant also offers a full bar, cocktails, selection of beers and a variety of wines available by the glass or bottle. Open daily at 11 a.m. with a daily happy hour from 3-7 p.m.

For more information on local restaurants, shops, and attractions go to
www.visit Chandler.com/vguide



For more information visit

www.chandleraz.gov/tennis