



# Silver Dollar City's 2015 Festival Highlights

New for 2015, Silver Dollar City presents Fireman's Landing, an \$8 million all-new themed area with 10 new family adventures. Opening in March, Fireman's Landing substantially increases the park's attractions, adding six family rides and four interactive play zones for kids and families, with theming that salutes the spirit and training activities of volunteer firefighters. Plus, new for *Star-Spangled Summer*, the park presents the world famous Harlem Globetrotters in their first-ever extended-run show, making 2015 the park's *biggest family year ever*.

# WORLD-FEST (April 9 - May 3)

America's largest international festival celebrates the cultures and heritages that built our nation:

- NEW: Cirque Zuma Zuma, a show featuring a troupe of 28 African performers, including acrobats presenting acts of balance, juggling, pyramids and more, plus dancers and musicians. Plus, an African Village pre-show presents music acts with African drummers and musicians.
- NEW: Ireland The Show, a world-traveling Celtic production celebrating the best of Irish heritage, showcased by 14 world champion Irish dancers, singers and musicians
- NEW: Ansambel Navihanke, an award-winning female Slovenian folk band
- NEW: Duo del Sol, presenting Latin American music with new ways of playing traditional instruments
- Stix on Steel from Trinidad and Tobago presents the sounds of the Caribbean, as they perform traditional calypso and reggae music of the islands on steel drums.
- Island Fire, featuring the music of Tahiti, Samoa and Hawaii with native musicians and dancers, including two world-champion Fire Knife Dancers who dance while twirling flaming knives
- Plus groups from Ecuador and more, plus international cuisine

# BLUEGRASS & BBQ (May 7-25)

The International Bluegrass Music Association's Bluegrass Event of the Year features:

- Bluegrass music's top artists and award-winning performers including Rhonda Vincent & the Rage, Balsam Range, Blue Highway, The Grascals and more
- New artists bringing the bluegrass heat, including Flatt Lonesome, Driven, The Lindsey Family, The Baker Family, and The Willis Clan
- The 14<sup>th</sup> annual Youth In Bluegrass Band Contest (May 23), drawing competitors from across the nation, presenting the hottest new talent in bluegrass
- A Barbecue Feast on grills throughout the park, plus hundreds of sauces to sample

### STAR-SPANGLED SUMMER (June 6 – July 19)

Silver Dollar City's family-focused festival Star-Spangled Summer features slam-dunk hit entertainment with the Harlem Globetrotters headlining, performing in an exhibition of basketball expertise:

• NEW: The Globetrotter Experience, the world premiere of an all-new show from the Harlem Globetrotters, showcasing highlights from the Globetrotters' one-of-a-kind touring show, featuring their trademark basketball wizardry in a unique and innovative exhibit of skill, athleticism and humor. Next Page...

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SHOWCASE: the NEW Fireman's Landing Area with 10 Family Adventures, part of the park's 40 Rides & Attractions

Wacky Science with television's David Willey, presenting science fun with fire and explosions

Plus champion cloggers and cartoon character meet-and-greets

# MOONLIGHT MADNESS (July 18 – August 2)

It's all about summer night thrills and family adventure from night rides to street dances:

- Ride into the night with **extended ride time on over 40 rides and attractions** including the 10 new adventures at **Fireman's Landing** and the top thrill ride **Outlaw Run**
- Fireworks finale each night ending the Echo Hollow show

### SOUTHERN GOSPEL PICNIC (August 27 – September 7)

America's top Southern Gospel artists perform, with hundreds of performances from Grammy winners, Dove Award winners and top gospel acts

- The Booth Brothers, Jeff & Sheri Easter, The Isaacs, The Hoppers and more
- A special Gold City Reunion Concert, with performances by quartet members from their classic years
- Southern Gospel Nights concerts each evening
- Mouthwatering picnic-style foods including the park's famous chicken

# COUNTRY MUSIC WEEKEND (September 11-13)

The popular September Music Event returns – A weekend presenting concerts from the stars of classic country hits, featuring Joe Diffie on September 11, Lonestar on September 12, and Diamond Rio on September 13.

### NATIONAL HARVEST & COWBOY FESTIVAL (September 16 – October 31)

# Celebrate America with the nation's largest festival of demonstrating craftsmen and a salute to the American adventures of the Western frontier:

- Wild West Show, with trick riders and ropers, Native American dancers and more
- Western Barn Dance, with a live band and kick-up-your-heels fun
- Over 125 visiting craftsmen from around the country demonstrate their art in the nation's largest festival of demonstrating craftsmen
- Legendary Western actor and water color artist Buck Taylor hosts "Buck Taylor's Cowboy Emporium," featuring a variety of Western crafts
- Plus Chuck Wagon & Food Network Chef Kent Rollins, Extreme Mustangs, Western music, and cowboy poetry

### AN OLD TIME CHRISTMAS (November 7 – December 30)

### One of the nation's most acclaimed Christmas festivals presents:

- Rudolph's Holly Jolly<sup>TM</sup> Christmas Light Parade, led by the most famous reindeer of all, with musical lighted floats with 200,000 lights accompanied by 33 costumed characters
- Two original musical productions: It's a Wonderful Life, adapted from the Frank Capra classic, and the acclaimed production A Dickens' Christmas Carol
- The *Christmas on Main Street* light & sound show featuring the 5-Story Special Effects Christmas Tree
- **5 million lights**, holiday shows, a musical Living Nativity, rides, shopping and legendary Silver Dollar City dining

