



TENTH ANNUAL Spartans in the Desert



It's that time of the year
to make your reservation
for the SPARTANS IN THE DESERT
REUNION WEEKEND
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18 through
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 2011



Enjoy yourself in the desert sun at one or all the fun activities we have planned for you and your fellow Spartans during the weekend. Attend the casual Friday night no-host get together, play a round of golf, or stroll through the College of the Desert Street Fair on Saturday, and dine at the Living Desert on Saturday evening. Visit the Living Desert on Sunday morning for a no-host lunch and private viewing of the leopards.

Watch the Spartans in the Desert video
and get the more details at
go.sjsu.edu/spartansindesert

For more information, or to make
reservations, please contact
Sheri Bragg at 408-924-1472

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Linda Fineo

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FRIDAY NIGHT is a no-host, very casual get together at **Stuft Pizza** in Old Town, La Quinta. Pat and Jack (Phi Sig '59) Bertram are the owners. When making reservations tell them you are with Spartans in the Desert. Reserve a table between 5 and 7 pm. Come by for a drink and dinner. Reserve ASAP (they don't normally take reservations—this way we can take over the whole restaurant). The bar is also an option if you come later or don't want a table.

SATURDAY, golf option. We have six tee times starting at 8:20 am. Check out Desert Willow on its website. There are two fabulous courses and newly remodeled clubhouse. The tee rate at this time of year is \$185 but our Spartans in the Desert rate is \$130. But you need to reserve before Feb. 3 with a check or credit card. We will release any times not filled on that date.

Let Sheri Bragg at SJSU know if you want to be part of a foursome, or if you have your own group. This is not a tournament—just a fun golf outing on a fabulous course.

Don't forget to visit the famous **College of the Desert Street Fair** from 7 am–2 pm on the weekend. Visit www.codstreetfair.com for more information.

Evening wine bar reception honoring past student body presidents and officers will begin at 5:30 pm at **The Living Desert** in Palm Desert. Let former student body president Steve Larson '64 know what year you were part of student government (sjlarson_14@msn.com).

Dinner will follow with a welcome from SJSU President Don Kassing and presentations from deans, as well as a movie highlighting current programs on the campus. The room is limited to 90 people so be sure to reserve early. Reception and dinner—\$65 per person.

SUNDAY we are back at The Living Desert. Complimentary admission tickets will be passed out Saturday evening. The zoo opens at 9 am. We will meet at 12:15 pm at the Commander's House in Village WaTuTu for a no-host lunch, a private viewing of the leopards and a discussion with an animal expert. Enjoy the Wildlife Wonders show at 11 am or 2 pm.

Please forward this invitation on to your Spartans friends. Help us spread the word about our 10th Spartans in the Desert Reunion Weekend. See you there!

Connie

415-392-2470

Contact Sheri Bragg at sheri.bragg@sjsu.edu or 408-924-1472 to make your reservation/payment for golf, Saturday night dinner or Sunday lunch.

EVENT LOCATIONS

Stuft Pizza

78015 Main Street, La Quinta, California
760-777-9989 www.stuftpizza.com/laquinta

Desert Willow Golf Resort

38995 Desert Willow Drive, Palm Desert, California
www.desertwillow.com

The Living Desert

47900 Portola Avenue, Palm Desert, California
www.livingdesert.org

Saturday reception and dinner in the Stephen Chase Building

Sunday lunch and leopard showing in the Commander's House at Village WaTuTu

HOTEL SUGGESTIONS

Miramonte Resort and Spa (*award-winning resort and spa—highly recommended*)

4500 Indian Wells Lane, Indian Wells, California
760-341-2200 www.miramonteresort.com

Embassy Suites Hotel Palm Desert Resort

74700 Highway 111, Palm Desert, California
760-340-6600 www.embassysuites1.hilton.com

Best Western Palm Desert Resort

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