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12/11/08	12/28/08	Fri. 7:30pm; Sat 2pm & 7:30p; Sun 1pm &5pm.	Ballet Arizona - Nutcracker	Symphony Hall	www.balletaz.org	602-381-1096	Stage Production	23,000	Yes	lb Andersen's spectacular reimagining of this holiday classic, set to Tchaikovsky's famous score. This classic masterpiece is complete with a miraculous, growing Christmas tree, sparkling snowfall on stage, and the magic of the Sugar Plum Fairy. At Symphony Hall with the Phoenix Symphony. Tickets range between \$15-\$117 and are available at ticketmaster.com, the Ballet Arizona box office or by phone 602-381-1096
12/17/08	12/17/08	Doors open at 12:30; Ceremony at 2pm	ASU College of Nursing & Healthcare Convocation	PCC - South Building Ballroom	www.asu.edu	602-496-0874	Graduations	2,180	No	Doors open at 12:30; Ceremony at 2pm. By Invitation only.
12/18/08	12/18/08	Doors open at 4pm. Ceremony at 5pm	ASU College of Public Programs Convocation	Orpheum	www.copp.asu.edu	602-496-0410	Graduations	800	No	By Invitation only.
12/19/08	12/19/08	Doors open at 5:30pm. Ceremony at 7pm	Anthem College Graduation	PCC - South Building Ballroom	unknown	602-627-1316	Graduations	2,000	No	Must purchase ticket to attend. Tickets available at Phoenix Convention Center Ticket Office or call 602-262-7272.
12/20/08	12/20/08	7:30pm	The Phoenix Boys Choir Holiday Concert	Orpheum	www.boyschoir.org	602-264-6778	Concert	1,000	Yes	Tickets range between \$10-\$30. Tickets available at Phoenix Convention Center Ticket Office or call 602-262-7272.
12/22/08	12/23/08	Mon & Tue 7:30pm	Forgotten Carols	Orpheum	www.deseretbook.com	801-534-1515	Stage Production	1,000	Yes	Tickets available at Phoenix Convention Center Ticket Office or call 602-262-7272.
12/25/08	12/25/08	9:30am-2:30pm	Salvation Army Dinner	PCC - South Building Halls F-G	www.salvationarmycares.org	not available	Special Event	1,500	Yes	Free and open to the public.
12/27/08	12/28/08	Sat 10-5; Sun 9-4	Phoenix Feline Fanciers Cat Show	PCC - South Bldg Hall G	www.phxfeline.com	480-893-7695	Consumer Show	1,000	Yes	"It's Feline A Lot Like An After Christmas Extravaganza" Sponsored by CFA and Royal Canin. Over 300 pedigreed cats from across the nation competing for top distinction. Supermarket of cat supplies available. Come see the largest Cat Show in Arizona. South Building. Sat.10-5; Sun 9-4. Tickets available at Phoenix Convention Center Ticket Office or call 602-262-7272.

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12/30/08	12/31/08	Performances Times: Tues 6pm & Wed 3pm	Ballet Academy of Phoenix Nutcracker Performance	Orpheum	www.BalletAcademyofArizona.com	(602) 502-2743	Stage Production	2,100	Yes	The Ballet Academy of Phoenix presents their Children's Nutcracker with performances on Tues at 6pm and Wed at 3pm. Tickets are \$25 adults- \$20 children. Tickets are available at TicketMaster or PCC Ticket Office 602-262-7272
12/31/08	12/31/08	Fri 7pm - 9:30pm	Phoenix Symphony - New Year's Eve	Symphony Hall	www.phoenixsymphony.org	602-495-1999	Concert	4,500	Yes	Celebrate New Year's Eve with The Phoenix Symphony and a tribute to Broadway! "The World's Longest Running Phantom," Franc D'Ambrosio, joins the Symphony to perform some of Broadway's biggest hits, concluding the evening with a New Year's tradition, Auld Lang Syne! Your ticket includes a complimentary glass of champagne. Tickets range \$26-\$76 and are on sale at the Phoenix Symphony Box Office at 602-495-1999 or www.phoenixsymphony.org .
01/02/09	01/04/09	Performance Time: Fri 7pm; Sat 3pm & 7pm; Sun 3pm	Nutcracker 2008	Orpheum	www.balletandfriends.org	602-996-8000	Stage Production	3,500	Yes	Director Slawomir Wozniak. Benefit for Toys for Tots. Tickets prices are unknown at this time. Contact client.
01/03/09	01/04/09	Performance Times: Sat 7pm-10pm Sun 2pm-4:30pm	Bugs Bunny on Broadway	Symphony Hall	www.phoenixsymphony.org	602-495-1999	Concert	4,500		Beep! Beep! Experience your favorite "Wascally Wabbit" and his friends Elmer Fudd, Daffy Duck, Wile E. Coyote, and Porky Pig—in full movie palace glory. Watch classic Warner Bros. Studios cartoons on the big screen—including The Rabbit of Seville and What's Opera, Doc?—while The Phoenix Symphony plays Carl Stalling's original Looney Tunes scores LIVE, inspired by the classics of Rossini, Wagner, Strauss, and many others. Fun for the whole family. Tickets range \$26-\$45 and are on sale at the Phoenix Symphony Box Office at 602-495-1999 or www.phoenixsymphony.org .

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01/08/09	01/09/09	Performance Times: Thur 7:30pm Fri 11am and 8pm	The Phoenix Symphony - Respighi: The Pines of Rome	Symphony Hall	www.phoenixsymphony.org	602-495-1999	Concert	4,500	Yes	Explore the sounds of the Eternal City with The Phoenix Symphony as your guide. Hear Respighi's <i>Fountains of Rome</i> and <i>Pines of Rome</i> on this musical tour through the glittering Italian capital. Conductor Michael Christie, Percussions Colin Currie. Tickets range \$22-\$72 and are on sale at the Phoenix Symphony Box Office at 602-495-1999 or www.phoenixsymphony.org .
01/10/09	01/11/09	Sat & Sun 9am-3pm	Bridal Fashion Debut, Inc	PCC - South Halls F-G & Ballroom	www.ArizonaBridalShow.com	480-860-6692	Consumer Show	8,000	Yes	America's biggest & best bridal show. Over 600 wedding professionals to help plan your wedding. All in one place, all in one weekend! Over \$100,000 in prizes & coupons given away. A bridal gown given away every hour! Get discount tickets online. Tickets are \$12
01/11/09	01/13/09	Sun, Mon & Tue 8am-5pm	Imaging USA	PCC Entire Campus	www.ppa.com	(800) 786-6277	Convention with Exhibits	15,000	No	Professional Photographers of America Convention. Must register to attend. Portion of conference is Open to Public exhibition of photography.
01/13/09	01/18/09	Performance Times: Tue, Wed, Thur 7:30pm Fri 8pm Sat 2pm and 8pm Sun 2pm and 7pm	Chicago	Orpheum	www.theaterleague.com	(913) 652-7405	Stage Production	1,200	No	"Chicago" tells the story of corruption, greed, lust and "all that jazz" as it follows the rise and fall of infamous Roxie Hart. Ticket prices \$47.50-\$57.50. Tickets available at Phoenix Convention Center Ticket Office or call 602-262-7272.
01/15/09	01/15/09	Noon-6pm	Multicultural Job & Business Expo	PCC - West Building Hall 1	www.nnrmulticultural.com	(602) 265-6910	Job Fair	2,000	Yes	Job & Business expo for the multicultural markets. Free and Open to the public
01/15/09	01/15/09	7:30am	ULI Arizona Real Estate Trends Day	PCC - West 301 A-D	www.arizona.ULI.org	(623) 581-2851	Meeting	1,500	Yes	Open to the Public. Call for more details.
01/16/09	01/17/09	Health & Fitness Expo ONLY: Fri 10am-7pm Sat 9am-5pm	Rock "N" Roll Marathon Health and Fitness Expo	PCC - South Halls F-G	www.eliteracing.com	(858) 450-6510	Convention	28,000	Yes	The Ultimate Destination Marathon! Flat, fast, FUN courses and live bands every mile combine for rockin' good times, while sunny skies, soothing spas and beautiful desert scenery make for the ultimate destination marathon experience. Register and start training today!
01/18/09	01/28/09	9am - 5pm	Mary Kay Inc Leadership Conference	PCC - West & North Buildings	www.mkcorp.com	(972) 687-6300	Convention with Exhibits	32,400	No	Convention. Must register to attend.

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01/18/09	01/25/09	Trade Show Hours: Sun, Tues, Wed, Fri, & Sat. 11am-7pm Mon & Thurs 9am-1pm & 2:30pm-7pm	Carich Expos Showcase of Exhibits	PCC - West Halls 2-3	www.carichexpos.com	(203) 268-6812	Trade Show	8,000	Yes	Carich Expos produces this event twice a year during the dates when Mary Day, Inc hosts its two main conventions. Carich Expos, Inc. has no affiliation with Mary Kay whatsoever and does not claim to be endorsed by mary Kay in any way.
01/18/09	01/25/09	unavailable	Bien Enterprises Inc Tradeshow	PCC - West Hall 1	n/a	(202) 256-3439	Trade Show	5,000	No	Specific event information unavailable at this time
01/21/09	01/25/09	Wed 3pm-9pm, Thurs Noon-9pm, Fri Noon - 9pm, Sat 10am-9pm and Sun 10am-6pm.	AZ National Boat Show and Fishing Expo	PCC - South & West Buildings	www.greenband.com	(888) 696-5606	Consumer Show	20,000	Yes	The biggest boat show in the Southwest returns to the Phoenix Convention Center. Halls F-G and the Ballroom. Tickets are \$8 adults, \$7 seniors 55+, kids 7-12 \$6 and 6 and under are free.
01/22/09	01/22/09	5pm-7pm	ASU College of Nursing & Healthcare Lighting of Lamp	Orpheum	www.asu.edu	(602) 496-0874	Special Event	1,000	No	By Invitation only.
01/22/09	01/25/09	Performance Times: Thurs, Fri & Sat 7:30pm Sun 2pm	Arizona Opera - The Elixir of Love	Symphony Hall	www.azopera.org	(602) 266-7464	Stage Production	5,600	Yes	In a picturesque early 20th century American town, love triumphs with the aid of a willing heart and a "magic potion." Critically acclaimed bass Donato Di Stefano assumes the role of the traveling salesman, adding spice and hilarity to this comic story of true love. Sung in Italian with English surtitles. Tickets are \$25 - \$144. Call 480-784-4444 for tickets.
01/24/09	01/24/09	Unknown at this time	Silent Sundays Movie Performance	Orpheum	na	(480) 225-2931	Stage Production	300	No	Ticked event. For tickets call 602-262-7272
01/25/09	01/25/09	2pm-4pm	Dr. Daniel Amen Lecture Seminar	Orpheum	www.azpbs.org	(602) 496-9614	Meeting	1,000	No	By Invitation only.
01/29/09	01/31/09	Unknown at this time	Desert Pool and Spa Show	PCC - South Hall G	N/A	(602) 580-9802	Trade Show	600	No	Must register to attend.
01/29/09	01/31/09	8am-5pm	National Cattlemen's Beef Association Annual Convention	PCC - West & North Buildings	www.beef.org	unavailable	Convention with Exhibits	15,000	No	Convention. Must register to attend.

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01/30/09	02/01/09	Fri 7:30pm & Sun 2pm	PHX Met Opera - Aida	Orpheum	www.phoenixopera.org	(866) 673-7248	Concert	1,400	Yes	"Aida," Giuseppe Verdi's classic tale of love, loyalty, betrayal and courage, will showcase some of the world's most stirring arias, such as "Celeste Aida" "O Patria Mia," and "O terra, addio," as well as the triumphant "Grand March," and the famous double scene which brings the opera to its heart-rending climax. Tickets through Ticketmaster and from the Orpheum Theatre box office at 602-262-7272. Tickets are \$50 - \$95.
01/30/09	02/01/09	Performance Times: Fri & Sat 8pm Sun 2pm	Phoenix Symphony - Doc Severinsen; and Family Concert	Symphony Hall	www.phoenixsymphony.org	602-495-1999	Concert	6,000	Yes	With his signature trumpet, Doc Severinsen returns with his new show, El Ritmo de la Vida (Rhythm of Life). This spectacular concert features Spanish music with a jazz flair, gorgeous American and Latin. Tickets are \$26-\$76. Tickets through TicketMaster
01/31/09	01/31/09	7am	Coastal Corporation Cheerleading and Dance Competition	PCC - South Hall F	www.thecoastalcorporation.com	(866) 946-2232	Competition	2,000	Yes	Open to the Public. Call for more details.
02/02/09	02/04/09	7am - 9pm	EUEC Energy & Environment Conference, 12th Annual	PCC - West & North Buildings	www.euec.com	(520) 615-3535	Convention with Exhibits	6,000	No	Convention. Must register to attend.
02/03/09	02/05/09	8am - 5pm	Purina Mills LLC West Coast Retail Solutions Expo	PCC - North Halls 5-6	n/a	(314) 768-4622	Convention with Exhibits	1,000	No	Convention. Must register to attend.
02/05/09	02/08/09	Performance Times: Thur 7:30pm, Fri 11am and Sat 8pm	Phoenix Symphony - Beethoven: Piano Conerto No.4	Symphony Hall	www.phoenixsymphony.org	602-495-1999	Concert	6,000	Yes	Known for his impressive interpretations of Beethoven's music, Canadian pianist Louis Lortie returns to The Phoenix Symphony displaying his prowess with Beethoven's Piano Concerto No. 4. Stravinsky's <i>Symphony of Psalms</i> and <i>Symphony in Three Movements</i> round out the concert. Tickets are \$22-\$72. Tickets through TickerMaster.

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02/06/09	02/06/09	Unknown at this time	An Evening with Edward Albee Presented by Scottsdale Performing Arts Center	Orpheum	n/a	(602) 482-6410	Concert	1,000	Yes	Tony and Pulitzer Prize-winning American playwright Edward Albee presents "An Evening With Edward Albee." He'll take the stage at the Orpheum, discussing whatever is on his mind. "It will be wonderful," Hotchner said. "I don't know what he will be talking about." He wrote the play "Who's Afraid of Virginia Wolf?" and "The Zoo Story" Tickets are \$42.00 through TicketMaster or call 602-262-7272
02/06/09	02/06/09	7am-4pm	Bureau of Education and Research Meeting	PCC - West Building Rm 104 B	www.ber.org	(425) 453-2121	Meeting	75	No	Must register to attend.
02/06/09	02/08/09	Preview & Auction: Thurs 10am-7pm Fri. 9am-5pm Sat 9am-4:30pm	LA High Noon Western Americana Show and Auction	PCC - South Building F-G & Ballroom	www.highnoon.com	(310) 202-9010	Consumer Show	750	Yes	Bringing together over 200 dealers of fine Western Americana Art. Call for more information, or visit their website.
02/07/09	02/07/09	Unknown at this time	Phoenix Chinese Week Performance	Orpheum	n/a	(602) 548-8398	Stage Production	750	Yes	More information to follow.
02/08/09	02/08/09	7pm-11:30pm	Body Art Ball	Orpheum	n/a	(480) 272-8963	Special Event	1,300	No	Celebration of Body Art. By Invitation only.
02/12/09	02/15/09	Information to follow	NBA All Star Jam Session	PCC - W&N			Convention with Exhibits	25,000	No	
02/12/09	02/15/09	Performances: Thur thru Sun 8pm Sat also 2pm	Ballet Arizona - Romeo & Juliet	Symphony Hall	www.balletaz.com	602-381-0184	Stage Production	5,600	Yes	With spectacular coreography of IB andersen, shakspear's star-crossed lovers are back for Valentine's Day weekend, with extravagant sets and costumes, and accompanied by one of the greatest ballet scores ever created by Sergei Prokofiev as performed by the Phoenix Symphony. Tickets are \$15-\$117. Tickets are available through TicketMaster.
02/13/09	02/14/09	Fri & Sat 8pm	Jim Brickman Concert	Orpheum	www.theaterleague.com	(913) 652-7405	Concert	1,300	Yes	Exclusive two-night engagement of romantic music just in time for valentines day. Tickets are \$48 through TicketMaster.
02/15/09	02/15/09	Sun 7:30pm	Off Campus Jams	Orpheum	www.offcampusjams.org	(602) 439-2171	Stage Production	1,000	Yes	A magic and comedy variety benefit show to help raise awareness about children living in foster care, especially about foster children living in group homes. Tickets available through TicketMaster.

