



PRIVATE EVENTS

3581 Mission Inn Avenue, Riverside CA 92501

The Cheech

THE CHEECH MARIN CENTER
FOR CHICANO ART & CULTURE
OF THE RIVERSIDE ART MUSEUM

The Cheech Marin Center is Open for Private Events!



Host your corporate holiday party or non-profit gala in the bright open space of the Jose Jaime Medina Sala, or your next board meeting in our classroom-style auditorium with built-in AV equipment,

The Cheech Event Rental Program offers something for everyone in our newly renovated mid-century center full of colorful works of art and sculptures.

For details and rates, please contact the Event Rental Manager at 951.547.0898 or email facilityrentals@riversideartmuseum.org.

SPACES AVAILABLE

The Jose Jaime Medina Sala



Dimensions:

- 81 feet x 68 feet/5,508 square feet

Occupancy:

- 125 seated for dining/standing reception
- 150 seated theatre style

Evening Reception or Event Package:

Monday–Thursday \$4,450* **

Friday & Sunday \$5,450* **

Saturday \$6,450* **

Additional time may be added:

Weekdays: \$275/hr

Weekends: \$300/hr

Reception Package includes:

- Six-hour use of the Sala space
- Black padded chairs for up to 150 guests
- Combination of round and/or rectangular tables (seats 8–10 each)

*Extra security guard(s) required if alcohol is served and for guest counts over 50.

**Plus \$1 per person City facility fee





The Cheech Auditorium

Dimensions:

- 32 feet x 39 feet/1,248 square feet

Occupancy:

- 50 seated classroom style
- 80 seated theatre style
- 80 standing reception
- 72 seated for dining

Hourly Day Rates (3-Hour Minimum)

Weekdays: \$275/hr*

Weekends: \$300/hr*

*Plus \$1 per person City facility fee



FAQs

Q: How much does it cost to have an event at the RAM?

A: After your scheduled site tour, a customized contract will be presented to you based on the space(s), day, time, and length of the rental you have selected. To secure your date, 25% of rental fee, as well as the refundable \$500–\$1,000 security deposit, is required.

Q: Do you have packages?

A: Yes. We have a bundled 6-hour event package, as well as the flexibility to accommodate hourly-rate space rentals. You may add hours and end your event as late as 12 a.m.

Q: Can I bring in my own caterer?

A: Yes. No on-site cooking permitted. Your caterer is responsible for their clean up, must work within your rental times, and provide a certificate of insurance. Your caterer must provide serving and waitstaff.

Q: Can I rent more than one part of the museum at a time?

A: Absolutely! You may choose separate sites for your ceremony, cocktails, and reception.

Q: When can we have access to the spaces for drop off of nonperishables, decorating, and set up?

A: We are available for private events after 5 p.m. Your set-up time must be included in the contracted rental. No access for deliveries or vendors is permitted prior to the contracted time. Additional time can be contracted if required. Storage space is available for early or night-of- rehearsal drop off at additional cost.

Q: Can I have just a ceremony or reception only?

A: Yes. Reception-only events may be hosted on any day; ceremony-only events may be hosted Sunday through Friday. (Some exceptions may apply.)

Q: What about guests that smoke?

A: There is absolutely no smoking or vaping on museum property including the rooftop.

Q: Can we bring in alcohol?

A: Yes. You must hire a RBS certified professional bartender to serve your guests. No alcoholic beverages may be brought into the event by guests. Alcoholic beverages must be consumed within the building.

If at any time we observe underage drinking, destruction of property, or disorderly or disrespectful conduct, we will close the bar and may end the event immediately without notice or refund. Remember, you are responsible for all your guests.

Q: Do we need any insurance or permits?

A: For all events at RAM, a liability insurance policy, including alcohol coverage (if applicable), naming the Riverside Art Museum as additional insured is required. Your caterer and all vendors will also be required to provide insurance naming the Riverside Art Museum as additional insured and bar staff will need to provide RAM with a copy of their RBS certification. For all events held at The Cheech, an additional liability insurance policy is required naming the City of Riverside.

Rates and the event rental terms and conditions are subject to change without notice.