



# You're invited to Create an Ofrenda



**WHAT:** 2025 Dia de Los Muertos Festival (Day of the Dead)

**ADDRESS:** 137 Strathearn Pl, Simi Valley, CA 93065

**DATE:** Sunday, October 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025

**EVENT TIME:** 11:00 AM –5:00 PM

**ALTAR SPACE FEE:** **FREE! There is no fee to set up an altar (+ TWO FREE ADMISSIONS)**

Join us in honoring loved ones and celebrating the rich traditions of Dia de los Muertos by setting up a personal altar (ofrenda) at our 11th Annual Dia de los Muertos event!  
Whether your altar honors family, friends, or community heroes, your creativity and heartfelt tributes will help make this event even more meaningful for everyone.

## What to Bring:

- Photos and mementos of loved ones
- Traditional decorations like marigolds, flameless candles, papel picado, or sugar skulls
- Any special touches that represent your family's traditions

Spaces are limited, so please let us know if you'd like to participate!

Let's come together as a community to remember, celebrate, and share the beauty of this timeless tradition.

**We look forward to seeing you beautiful ofrendas!**

## HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

All Participants agree to "Hold Harmless" the Simi Valley Historical Society/Strathearn Historical Park and Museum/Rancho Simi Recreation and Park District, and all its officers / agents from any and all loss or liability resulting at any time from injury to or the death of any person or persons and/or omission or yours, your agents, employees and/or patrons, or any damage to property owned in care, custody and control, or resulting from non-compliance with any law, ordinance, or regulation regarding the condition or use of your operation, and to indemnify Simi Valley Historical Society/Strathearn Historical Park and Museum/Rancho Simi Recreation and Park District and its officers / agents as to all costs, expenses, damages including reasonable attorney fees relating to your operation at said event.

Under no circumstances will Simi Valley Historical Society/Strathearn Historical Park and Museum/Rancho Simi Recreation and Park District assume liability for any vendor, exhibitor, participant or volunteer without prior written approval from the Simi Valley Historical Society/Strathearn Historical Park and Museum/Rancho Simi Recreation and Park District's Insurer.

By my signature below I agree to the "Hold Harmless" agreement above. I also acknowledge that I am authorized to sign this agreement.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Name (please print): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**All completed forms along with payment must be received no later than: Friday, October 10<sup>th</sup>**



# 2025 Dia de los Muertos Altar Application



Thank you for your interest in our Dia de Los Muertos event at Strathearn Park!  
To become a part of this event please complete all the information on the following pages  
and return it for processing. Every altar will also receive two free admissions tickets to the event!

**Please complete and return both pages of application .**

## Contact Information

**HOST:** Simi Valley Historical Society  
**ALTAR CHAIR:** Frank Sinsheimer  
**EMAIL:** [Strathearnpark@gmail.com](mailto:Strathearnpark@gmail.com)

**ADDRESS:** 137 Strathearn Place  
**PHONE:** 805-526-6453  
**WEB:** [www.simihistory.com](http://www.simihistory.com)

## ALTAR (Ofrenda) Request

(Please initial each line)

A 4' x 6' space will be provided (You may request multiple spaces)

I WILL need: ☐ 48" round table ☐ 8' rectangular table ☐ I do NOT need a table

## ALTAR (Ofrenda) Guidelines

- Altars may **NOT contain OPEN FLAMES OR BURNING INCENSE**; please use battery powered candles
- Food to be included on the altar may not be put out until just prior to the event
- Access to the Park will be available only as specified
- Altars may be taken down immediately after the event or left up through Wednesday, (10/29/25)
- For each altar, you will receive two (2) complimentary tickets to the event
- Please be aware that the building where the altars are located will be open to the public during park hours after the event. Neither the Simi Valley Historical Society and/or RSRPD will be responsible for lost, stolen, and/or damaged items.

**(PLEASE CALL TO SCHEDULE YOUR SET-UP DATE AND TIME) 805-526-6453**

The Park will be available to set-up altars from:

- Thursday October 23rd—Friday, October 24th (from 9am—3pm)
- Saturday, October 25th (from 10 am—4 pm)

**All altars MUST be taken down no later than Wednesday, Oct. 29th due to rentals happening in the barn**

The Park will be available to tear-down altars from: Mon. Oct. 27th—Wed., Oct. 29th (from 9am—3pm)

## YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION

\* NAME OF PERSON/PEOPLE BEING HONORED WITH THE ALTAR:

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\* YOUR NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

\* CITY/TOWN: \_\_\_\_\_ \* PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

\* CELL: \_\_\_\_\_ \* EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

# OF SPACES: \_\_\_\_\_ ORGANIZATION: \_\_\_\_\_

SEND APPLICATION: [Strathearnpark@gmail.com](mailto:Strathearnpark@gmail.com) or P.O. Box 940461, Simi Valley CA 93094-0461