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## **OOH-LA-LA! GLENDALE TRANSFORMS INTO PARIS IN THE SPRING MARCH 11 Experience a French Market Without Traveling Around the World**

GLENDALE, Ariz. – Put on your beret and head to Historic Downtown Glendale and Catlin Court for a très magnifique event on Saturday, March 11, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Paris in the Spring will bring all things French to Glendale, with shopping, dining and much more.

This is an opportunity to experience the fine food, culture and shopping of Paris without making a trip half-way around the world. Start at the Glendale Visitor Center to pick up an event map to find out where to go for all the activities and enter-to-win for a specialty themed gift basket from Cerreta Candy Company.

Activities will have a Parisian theme and include fashion, arts and crafts. New this year, horse-drawn carriage rides will be available for visitors to enjoy, between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. The cost is \$25 per carriage, and 4-6 people can comfortably sit in the carriage.

Shopping will be a must for the day and shoppers will discover special finds at boutiques and specialty shops throughout Catlin Court and Old Towne.

What French event would be complete with delicious food? Foodies will find specialty treats and enjoy fresh finds at the Glendale Farmers Market taking place from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The market will be decorated with a French theme and will feature blooming spring flowers.

Many shops and restaurants will features special activities and discounts for the day, including:

### **Activities and offers:**

2 Share Gifts

7142 N. 58<sup>th</sup> Drive

Offer: Selected items in the store 20-50% off

Activity: Romance authors will be at the shop to autograph their books. A portion of the proceeds from the sale of the books will benefit the 2Share Foundation.

## **Paris in the Spring/Add 1.1.1**

The Astrology Store  
5735 W. Glendale Ave.  
Offer: 20% off books  
Activity: \$15 readings, \$5 massages

Bears & More  
7146 N. 58<sup>th</sup> Dr.  
Activity: Outdoor Vintage Shoppe

Bitzee Mama's  
7023 N. 58th Ave.  
Menu Item: Strawberry Crepes

Blue House Boutique  
5807 W. Myrtle Ave.  
Activity: Hosting several of artists making & selling their goods.  
Annie Sloan Chalk Paint® Furniture transformation from 11-2.

The Cottage Garden I  
7142 N. 58<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Offer: Select items on sale

The Cottage Garden II  
Discounts: Special sale on clothing rack items  
Activity: Outdoor French Market

Cuff New American Eatery  
5819 W. Glendale Ave.  
Offer: \$2 off French-themed cocktails  
Menu Item: French Toast Brunch available until 2 p.m.

Glendale Farmers Market  
59<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Myrtle  
Activity: Fresh produce and Spring Flowers

Glendale Flowers & Gifts  
7145 N. 58<sup>th</sup> Dr.  
Offer: 20% off all gift items  
Activity: Special purchase French Pave' dried flower bouquets  
Make-and-take hair accessories with silk flowers

Horse-drawn Carriage Rides  
Starting at 58<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Palmaire  
Cost: \$25 per carriage ride, up to six can fit comfortably in the carriage

J & R Accessories and Much More  
5748 W. Glendale Ave.  
Offer: \$5 off purchases of \$25 or more  
Activity: Coloring contest with Cinderella

## Paris in the Spring/Add 2.2.2

Papa Ed's Ice Cream  
7146 N. 58<sup>th</sup> Ave.

Menu Item: Free Madeline Cookies while supplies last

Pink House Boutique  
7009 N. 58<sup>th</sup> Ave.

Offer: Spring Cleaning SALE- Buy 2 sale items & get the 3rd for \$1

Ropin' the West  
5807 W. Myrtle Ave.

Activity: 'The Doc Is In' – Purse Repair Clinic. Free estimates for low-cost purse repairs. Quick fixes may be done on the spot.

Shelley's Specialty Desserts  
5845 W. Paltaire Ave.

Activity: Tarot Card Readings

Menu Items: Eiffel Tower Cake Pops - \$3, Stuffed Croissant Sandwiches - \$6, Fleur De Lis Cookies - \$2.25

The Spicery in Our 1895 Home  
7141 N. 59<sup>th</sup> Ave.

Menu Items: French Dip Sandwich, Baked French Onion Soup with Garlic Croutons and French Macaroons for dessert

Velma Teague Library  
7010 N. 58<sup>th</sup> Ave.

Activity: Dazzling Masquerade Mask-Making at the Library for children ages 5-12 between noon and 3 p.m.

For additional information on Paris in the Spring, call 623-930-4500. You can also stay in touch and up to date on travel tips and upcoming events at [www.VisitGlendale.com](http://www.VisitGlendale.com). The Glendale Visitor Center is located at 5800 W. Glenn Dr., Suite 140 in Historic Downtown Glendale.

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