

Tempe Festival of the Arts is a signature event for the City of Tempe, the DTA, and TEAM.

Over 400 Artists will display one-of-a-kind work over 7 blocks in the down-town Tempe area, all while the regular stores, restaurants and bars are open. It's a little crazy, a bit chaotic, and tremendous fun. Also, it is the best place to find gifts for people.

Below you will find driving and parking directions, but we highly suggest the Light Rail. Dispatch is located at: **25 W 5th Street, Tempe 85281** (see red box below) and Dispatch will open THURSDAY at 3pm (1500). **Prior to that shifts should report to specific duty locations and bring a shirt.**

There are many not options for parking. The dirt lot at Rio Salado and Hardy is the easiest place to park if you are coming from Priest but it is a mile from dispatch. There is street parking throughout the area but it will be very limited. DO NOT park at 5th Street and Farmer Avenue. You can also download a parking app to show you locations and cost. The absolute best option is to take the LIGHT RAIL as we will be doing full reimbursements if you keep your receipt.

Please plan ample extra time to get to shift. This year we not only have TFA but also Innings Festival running downtown at the same times and the area will be extremely congested.

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Shirts will be provided

