

Your Local Guide To Summer in **GILBERT**



About Kelly Saggione

When it comes to Gilbert real estate, Kelly is your go-to expert. Ranked among Arizona's top 1% of agents with over \$100 million in sales, she brings unmatched experience and a genuine passion for helping clients succeed. Kelly knows Gilbert inside and out—from the best neighborhoods to hidden investment gems—and she's committed to helping you find not just a house, but the right home in the right community.

As a seasoned realtor, investor, and mentor, Kelly offers more than real estate guidance—she provides a smart, strategic, and personalized approach every step of the way.

Let this guide be your first step toward discovering why Gilbert is one of Arizona's most desirable places to live—and how Kelly can help you thrive here.

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FAMILY-FRIENDLY Summer Events In Gilbert

01

H2O Fest

Thursday, June 5, Gilbert Regional Park

Tickets cost \$7.55

A water-themed festival with various activities for children aged 4 and older. Children under 4 are not permitted. Adult supervision is required for children aged 4-8.

PRO TIP: Purchase tickets early as they are single-use and non-transferable. Bring towels and sunscreen for a fun day in the sun.

03

Juneteenth Celebration

Thursday, June 19, Southeast Regional Library

Tickets cost: Free

This year's celebration is packed with fun for all ages—honoring freedom with live entertainment, local vendors, hands-on crafts, and a storybook walk that brings history to life.

PRO TIP: Come early to explore vendor booths and snag a spot for the family-friendly activities before the crowds roll in!

02

Public Star Party

Friday, June 13, Riparian Preserve-Water Ranch

Tickets cost: Free

Join the East Valley Astronomy Club for a night of stargazing. Telescopes will be available for public use.

PRO TIP: Bring a flashlight with a red filter to preserve night vision.

04

4th of July Celebration

Friday, July 4, Gilbert Regional Park

Tickets cost: Free

Bring the whole family for an unforgettable night of patriotic fun! Enjoy live music, food trucks, yard games, and one of the best firework shows in the East Valley.

PRO TIP: Arrive early to grab a shaded spot and bring folding chairs or a picnic blanket for comfort.

ADULTS ONLY

Summer Events In Gilbert

01

The East Valley Gold Cup

Saturday-Sunday, June 7-8,
Pickleball Backyard

Tickets cost \$35 and above

Open to players rated 2.5-5.0. Skill-based matchups, then age. Enjoy 6 guaranteed games—most play 7-9 in round-robin and bracket play.

PRO TIP: Warm up with different partners beforehand to get a feel for varied play styles—adaptability can give you a real edge in round-robin matchups!

02

Kings at Tap Dragon

Friday, June 20, Tap Dragon Bar

Tickets cost: Free

Enjoy live music from the band Kings while sipping on a selection of craft beers and wines.

PRO TIP: Check their rotating tap list for seasonal brews and arrive early to grab a seat.

03

Scavenger Hunt Gilbert

Saturday, June 21, Downtown Gilbert

Tickets cost \$35 and above

Open to players rated 2.5-5.0. Matchups are based on skill, then age. Enjoy 6 guaranteed games, with most playing 7-9 in round-robin and bracket play.

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04

Elton & Billy: A Tribute Concert

Thursday-Saturday, July 24-26, Hale Theater

Tickets cost: \$47-\$60

Experience a high-energy tribute to Elton John and Billy Joel, featuring their greatest hits performed live.

PRO TIP: Arrive early to enjoy nearby dining options in Downtown Gilbert before the show.

SHOP LOCAL THIS SUMMER

Small Businesses in Gilbert



Restaurants

Joe's Real BBQ
The Uprooted Kitchen
Origen Mexican Kitchen
The Hidden House
Nico Heirloom Kitchen

Cafes/Coffee Shops

Peixoto Coffee
The Coffee Shop at Agritopia
Sweetz Cold Brew Coffee Co.
Mythical Coffee
Romeo's Euro Café



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Small Businesses in Gilbert



Home Decor

The Collective
Old Habits Vintage
Candle Chemistry
C & J's Antiques and Garden
Vintage Home Decor

Clothing Boutique

Blue Linen Boutique
Lizzy & Me Boutique
Aesthetic Soul Boutique
The Red Arrow Boutique
Tumbleweed Boutique



Farmers Markets

NEAR GILBERT



01

Gilbert Farmers Market

Saturdays year-round

Here's why I love this spot:

Located in Downtown Gilbert near the Water Tower, this lively market features 100+ vendors with fresh produce, artisan goods, food trucks, and family-friendly fun.

02

Eastmark Farmers Market

Saturdays year-round

Here's why I love this spot:

Described as one of the Valley's most charming markets, it provides a relaxed and welcoming environment with easy access and beautiful walking paths.

03

Agritopia Farm Night

2nd Wednesday of each month

Here's why I love this spot:

Hosted at Agritopia Farm, this evening market features organic produce, handmade goods, and a relaxed, community vibe—perfect for a midweek outing.

04

Power Road Farmers Market

Monday–Saturday: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM;

Sunday: 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Here's why I love this spot:

Just north of Gilbert, this daily indoor market offers local produce, honey, and gifts—more like a specialty store with the charm of a farmers market.

Where to join a Community Garden

NEAR GILBERT



01

Agritopia Community Garden

Located in the heart of the Agritopia neighborhood, this beautiful, well-maintained garden offers private plots, composting areas, and even fruit trees. It's ideal for gardeners of all experience levels—and a great way to become part of a close-knit, green-thumbed community.

03

Jones Point Community Garden

Grow your own fruits and veggies and give back to the community—without using up your own yard! Jones Point is open during daylight hours and has water access, watering cans, and simple gardening tools available to all members. A peaceful spot to cultivate both plants and connections.

02

Heritage Community Garden

Nestled behind Heritage Park, this garden features raised beds, composting, and shared tools. Plots are available to residents on a seasonal basis and support Gilbert's efforts in sustainability and local food access.

04

Superstition Farm

This working dairy farm offers hands-on agricultural experiences like farm tours, community gardens, and seasonal events—perfect for families seeking a rustic learning adventure. You'll find it just between Gilbert and Mesa, making it a convenient local gem.

The Ultimate Guide to Dog Parks

AND OTHER PET-FRIENDLY SUMMER
SPACES IN GILBERT

01

Cosmo Dog Park

Gilbert's most popular off-leash spot, with a lake where water-loving pups can splash and cool off. Bonus: shaded seating areas for you!

02

Crossroads Park

A fully-fenced dog zone with agility equipment and plenty of room to chase balls. There's even a nearby playground, making it great for kids and fur babies alike.

03

Discovery District Park

Known for its wide-open fields and walking trails, this spot is ideal for early morning or evening strolls with your furry friend during cooler hours.

04

The Porch

Not your traditional dog park, but a dog-friendly restaurant with a relaxed vibe and misted patio. Perfect for social pups and humans looking to beat the heat with snacks and shade.

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The Ultimate Guide to Summer Date Nights IN GILBERT

01

Postino East

302 N Gilbert Rd – Downtown Gilbert

Shareable boards, great wine, and twinkly patio lights make Postino a go-to for low-key, high-vibe nights. Their bruschetta menu is perfect for grazing and conversation, and summer evenings feel magical under the string lights.

03

The White Rabbit

207 N Gilbert Rd – Downtown Gilbert

For a night that feels like a secret, head to this speakeasy-style bar tucked beneath the streets. Creative cocktails, cozy booths, and vintage charm set the tone for an unforgettable evening.

02

Buck & Rider

3150 E Ray Rd – Morrison Ranch

Set in the upscale Morrison Ranch area, Buck & Rider brings a taste of the coast to the desert. Known for its fresh, globally sourced seafood, raw bar, and stylish cocktails, it's the perfect place for a chic, relaxing evening on the patio.

04

Liberty Market

230 N Gilbert Rd – Heritage District

This locally loved spot serves up gourmet comfort food in a historic setting. Their rotating seasonal menu and intimate ambiance make it an easy win for a chill but delicious date.

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The Ultimate Guide to Outdoor Dining

IN GILBERT

01

O.H.S.O. Brewery

335 N Gilbert Rd – Downtown Gilbert

Dog-friendly, bike-friendly, and people-friendly! O.H.S.O. is all about good food, house-brewed beers, and one of the most relaxed patios in town—perfect for summer sipping under the stars.

02

The Porch

312 N Gilbert Rd – Downtown Gilbert

True to its name, The Porch offers comfy, colorful outdoor seating with games, upbeat music, and an energetic crowd. Their creative cocktails and elevated pub food make this a fun evening hangout.

03

Joe's Farm Grill

3000 E Ray Rd – Agritopia

Set on a working urban farm, this retro-style grill serves up fresh, locally sourced fare with plenty of shady picnic tables beneath mature trees. A true Gilbert classic—family-friendly and uniquely charming.

04

Culinary Dropout

383 N Gilbert Rd – Heritage District

Sprawling patio space, lawn games, live music, and shareable eats make this gastropub a go-to for group dates or double nights out. Summer evenings come alive here.

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The Ultimate Guide to Summer Pickleball

IN GILBERT

01

Tuesday Night Adult League

The Orchard

Pro pickleball every Tuesday at The Orchard®—AC courts, full bar, and high-energy action.

02

Center Court Pickleball Club

1433 E Williams Field Rd

A variety of events including 'Glow in the Dark' nights and 'Whole Crew' gatherings, fostering a vibrant community atmosphere.

03

Encinas Ward Women's Group

9am, Wednesdays, June 18, June 25, July 2

A free, recurring pickleball event organized by the Encinas Ward Women's Group, open to women of all skill levels. It takes place at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 1100 North Cooper Road, Gilbert.

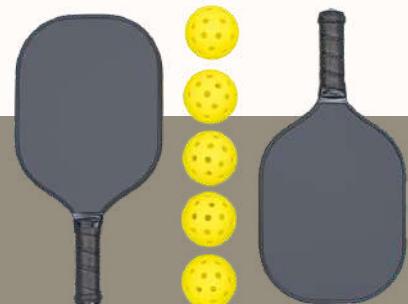
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High School Pickleball Social

1pm, July 12, Freestone Recreation Center

High schoolers - come chill at our Indoor Pickleball Social at Freestone Rec Center! Whether you're a pro or a first-timer, enjoy snacks, music, and friendly matches. No registration needed - just show up and have fun!

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The Ultimate Guide to Where to Swim

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Mesquite Aquatic Center

100 W Mesquite St, Gilbert, AZ 85233

Type: Public

Greenfield Pool

35 S Greenfield Rd, Gilbert, AZ 85296

Type: Public

Perry Pool

1919 E Queen Creek Rd, Gilbert, AZ 85297

Type: Public

Williams Field Pool

2076 S Higley Rd, Gilbert, AZ 85295

Type: Public

Lifetime Fitness Gilbert

381 E Warner Rd, Gilbert, AZ 85296

Type: Private

Enjoy Gilbert this Summer.

I hope this guide helps you make the most of the season.

As a passionate resident and experienced real estate agent in Gilbert, I'd be thrilled to help you or someone you know buy or sell a home here.

Have any questions or want to discuss your real estate needs?

Schedule a consultation with me using the link below or call me to chat. I'd love to provide the guidance and support you need to find your fit in Gilbert.

SINCERELY,

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Let's Chat →

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