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## ***Spiked!*** ***Thursdays at DBG***

### **Desert Botanical Garden's Popular Social Happy Hour Returns to Celebrate the Fall Season**

The Desert Botanical Garden is pleased to announce that ***Spiked! Thursdays at DBG*** returns to celebrate the cooler weather of fall. Each Thursday, ***Spiked!*** will showcase a different creative cocktail, light hors d'oeuvres, some of the Valley's most popular DJs and bands in a unique Garden location. ***Spiked! Thursdays at DBG*** are \$20 for Garden Members and \$25 for the General Public, and include Garden admission featuring hors d'oeuvres and entertainment. A cash bar is available each evening.

### ***Spiked! Thursdays at DBG Lineup***

#### **Thursday, October 1 / Binns Wildflower Pavilion**

Featured cocktail: Raspberry Spiked! Apple Ale (cider, ale and raspberry liquor)

Featured entertainment: The Market – Funk/Jazz/Rock

#### **Thursday, October 8 / Ullman Terrace**

Featured cocktail: Cranberry Margarita (cranberry juice, lime juice, tequila and Grand Marnier)

Featured entertainment: Thankful Birds – Blues/Indie

#### **Thursday, October 15 / Steele Herb Garden**

Featured cocktail: Roasted Pear Billini (pear nectar, agave nectar, champagne)

Featured entertainment: dk.stricker and World Famous Rani "g" – Worldbeat/Jazz Centric/House

#### **Thursday, October 22 / The DBG Pumpkin Patch**

Featured cocktail: Smashing Pumpkin (vodka, pumpkin butter, triple sec)

Featured entertainment: Rose's Pawn Shop – Bluegrass/Punk/Folk Rock

#### **Thursday, October 29 / Ullman Terrace**

Featured cocktail: Caliente Roja (Tabasco sauce, tequila, ginger beer)

Featured entertainment: Los Ramblers – Latin/Blues

**Thursday, November 5 / Boppart Courtyard**

Featured cocktail: Hot Spiked! Cider (apple cider, cloves, apple brandy)

Featured entertainment: Burning Sky – Americana/Acoustic/Roots Music

**WHAT:** Thursday night happy hour and social event.

**WHEN:** **Thursdays, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 and November 5, 2009**

**WHERE:** Desert Botanical Garden  
1201 North Galvin Parkway  
Phoenix, AZ 85008

Regular Garden admission will be available for visitors during *Spiked! Thursdays at DBG*.

**COST:** \$20 for Garden Members. \$25 for the General Public. Includes Garden admission, hors d'oeuvres and entertainment. A cash bar is available for each evening and will showcase the specialty cocktail. Must be 21 or older to attend and must show proper identification to be admitted.

**INFO:** Tickets available at [www.dbg.org](http://www.dbg.org) or by calling 480-481-8188.

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