

2024 Applicants (arranged in alphabetical order)

Ananda Mela: Joyful festival of India including traditional aspects of Indian culture. Location: Municipal Campus; *Non-profit*

Cinco de Mayo: Bilingual festival celebrating Mexican culture and inclusive of food trucks, cultural music, arts and craft vendors, a beer garden, COVID-19 vaccinations, and more. Location: Downtown Park; *Non-profit*

Colombian Independence Day (*NEW*): Second year event showcasing Colombian culture through music, dance, food, games, activities, and more. Location: Downtown Park; *For-profit*

Crossfire Challenge: One of the state's largest reoccurring youth soccer tournaments hosted by Crossfire Premier Soccer Club, an affiliate of Lake Washington Youth Soccer Association. Location: 60-Acres; *Non-profit*

Crossfire Select Cup: Large three-day youth soccer tournament, an affiliate of Lake Washington Youth Soccer Association (separate event from Crossfire Challenge). Location: 60-Acres; *Non-profit*

ECNL Girls Youth Soccer Playoffs: Large, week-long soccer tournament to proceed to the ECNL National Championship held in July. They used to come to Redmond every 3-4 years and now want to come every other year. Location: 60-Acres; *Non-profit*

Emerald City Gymnastics - USA Gymnastics: A gymnastics training event for athletes and an education event for 70 Washington State Gymnastics club parents and coaches. Location: Emerald City Gymnastics Academy 17695 NE 65th St.; *Non-profit*

Festival of Color – Northwest Share: An event to celebrate the traditional Indian arrival of Spring - festival of Holi. Location: Municipal Campus; *Non-profit*

International Winter Festival – OneRedmond Foundation: Bring vendors, music, and activities for a multicultural winter festival. Location: Marriott; *Non-profit*

Journey to Silk Road (*NEW*) - Not recommended for funding: Dance group that would like to plan an event in Redmond. Possibly a dinner show or health and wellness getaway at a hotel or partial virtual ZOOM conference. No contacts or plans in place yet. Location: TBD; *Non-profit*

NAMI Fundraising GALA - Not recommended for funding: Annual fundraising Gala for mental health with attendees including public officials, providers, non-profits, volunteers, community members, educators, students, responders, faith leaders, and non-profit organizations. Location: Marriott; *Non-profit*

NAMI Youth Mental Health Conference: A conference for young people, educators, families, and community members to understand youth mental health challenges and gain tangible skills and resources to support youth and providers. Location: Overlake Christina Church; *Non-profit*

Oktoberfest (*NEW*): A three-day, authentic German Oktoberfest featuring a biergarten, multiple entertainment stages, games, competitions, and more serving imported German and NW craft brews. Location: Municipal Campus; *For-profit*

Redmond Arts Festival – VALA: Multiday event connecting the community to local artists. Location: Redmond Town Center; *Non-profit*

Redmond Saturday Market: Weekly Saturday farmer market that takes place May through October. Location: Overlake Christian Church; *Non-profit*

Redmond Wine Walk – OneRedmond Foundation: Wine Walk weekend in August to coincide with the Washington State Wine Commission's August month-long wine activities. Location: Redmond Town Center; *Non-profit*

Robot Combat – OneRedmond Foundation: A one-day robot competition a part of the "Robot Combat League." This event will be a part of the scoring point system which will be a point qualifier for the National Championships. Location: Redmond school; *Non-profit*

StoryEast Theater (*NEW*): Public outdoor live theater written for children 3 – 10 years old and their families. StoryEast would like to do outdoor park shows in Redmond for 2024. Each show is 55 minutes in length and focuses on a positive life lesson with a happy ending. Location: TBD; *Non-profit*

Vegan Festival – Northwest Share: Community event that includes talks by eminent speakers on diet and health, food vendors, and multicultural entertainment. Location: Downtown Park; *Non-profit*

Velodrome - Junior Take Over: New event in 2022, junior track cycling clinics and racing event. Location: Marymoor Park; *Non-profit*

Velodrome - Junior Track Nationals (*NEW*): The organization is finalizing a multi-year contract for this event beginning in 2024. This will be a national championship event and may include future Olympians. Location: Marymoor Park; *Non-profit*

Velodrome - Vision Grand Prix: National track calendar cycling championships comprised of the largest weekend track bike cycling racing event in North America drawing racers from across North America, New Zealand, Australia, Great Britain, and beyond. Location: Marymoor; *Non-profit*