



Science Distilled: Drive-in for Science

Buckle up for the exciting intersection of cinema and science

RENO, Nev. (Aug. 27, 2024) – Pull in, sit back and enjoy an intergalactic film experience at the latest installment of Science Distilled. Desert Research Institute (DRI) and The Discovery present “Science Distilled: Drive-in for Science” on Saturday, Sept. 14 from 7 to 9 p.m. at West Wind El Rancho Drive-In Theater located at 555 El Rancho Dr. Doors open at 7 p.m. and film begins at 7:30 p.m.

The evening will feature an out-of-this-world science documentary, “NOVA: New Eye on the Universe.” This groundbreaking film highlights the work of scientists using NASA’s James Webb Space Telescope to peer deep into time, hunting for the first stars and galaxies in the universe and attempting to detect signs of life in the atmospheres of distant exoplanets.

Science Distilled, the lecture series created by DRI and The Discovery, makes cutting-edge science approachable through presentations on current and curious topics, held at hip locations in a social atmosphere. Started in 2016, speakers at Science Distilled events have covered topics ranging from genetics, to climate change, to personal energy independence.

Tickets for “Science Distilled: Drive-in for Science” are \$5 for children and \$10 for adults. Science Distilled is presented with support from Ormat Technologies Inc., IMBIB Custom Brews, KUNR and PBS Reno. Visit sciencedistilled.org for more information or to purchase tickets.

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About The Discovery

The Discovery creates interest and engagement in science for all. Through unique, hands-on programs, exhibitions and events, The Discovery creates learning experiences that range from simple curiosity to deep understanding, empowering a community of critical thinkers. The Discovery is a locally founded nonprofit 501(c)3 organization. To learn more about The Discovery and how you can help support the museum’s mission, visit nvdn.org.