

The history of... *Menifee*



Time Line **Menifee**

- 1880** — *Luther Menifee Wilson establishes the Menifee Quartz Lode.*
- 1922** — *The Bouris Brothers buy a 640 acre farm in Menifee.*
- 1940** — *Evans Fish Camp opens in Canyon Lake.*
- 1950s** — *The Quail Valley Country Club is formed. Visitors enjoy swimming, fishing, and picnics at the spring-fed lake.*
- 1960** — *Sun City is developed as a retirement community.*
- 1989** — *Menifee Lakes is built on land formerly farmed by the Kirkpatrick family.*
- 2008** — *Menifee becomes a city.*

Word Search!

Find the Menifee landmarks and features listed below. Words may be horizontal, vertical, or even upside down!

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 N P N S U V U T B G G N
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 A U C L T R M Z K S A E
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 P B J O I P P E E N B K
 A O U A D T H A E D A E
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Audie Murphy
Oak Tree
Menifee Lakes
Sun City
Quail Valley

Did you know "ringing rocks" can be found in Menifee? The Luiseno Indians who onced lived in this area used the rocks for ceremonies. The rocks ring like chimes when lightly struck. Today the rocks are protected by the Pechanga Band of Indians.



Find the following on the seal...

A California Quail, a miners pick, wheat stalks, an oak tree, and the date the city was founded.