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**CITY OF NEWPORT BEACH**  
**City Manager's Newsletter**

**TO:** Mayor Dixon & Council Members

**FROM:** Dave Kiff, City Manager

**DATE:** September 23, 2016

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Please enjoy the attached newsletters...





## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

To: Dave Kiff, City Manager

From: Kimberly Brandt, Community Development Director

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "KB", is written next to the name Kimberly Brandt.

Subject: City Manager's Newsletter

Date: September 23, 2016

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### ***Ebb Tide***

A new 81-unit residential project is taking shape. The project located on Placentia Avenue bordering Costa Mesa has been given the name Ebb Tide paying homage to the mobile home park that occupied the site for decades. Rough grading of the project is complete and infrastructure is under construction.



### ***Vue Newport***

Vue Newport is nearing completion! The mixed-use project located at 2300 Newport Boulevard includes 27 condominium units and approximately 36,000 square feet of commercial space. There will be a public plaza and full access to the bay front. Parking will be provided in an underground garage. A series of historical panels in the plaza will inform the public of the historical significance of the South Coast Shipyard that built minesweepers at the site during World War II. The City is currently working with the owner and builder to establish several restaurants. The building shell is scheduled for completion by the end of the year.



## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT



Here is a view along Newport Boulevard.



The view along the public walkway by the bay.

### ***Commercial Water Quality Enforcement***

Code Enforcement staff responded to what initially appeared to be a routine call involving wastewater runoff from a restaurant whose employees were allegedly washing mats in the alley. Further investigation determined that the water runoff was coming from a pipe that was used to drain an unpermitted sump pump located behind the restaurant.



## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Restaurant employees poured the water used to clean the restaurant into the sump pump, not realizing that it was being discharged into the alley, adjacent properties, and the City's storm drain system. Code Enforcement issued a Notice of Violation to the business owner and the property owner requiring them to obtain permits for the sump pump.



Special thanks to John Kappeler and the Building Division for their help in coordinating with the property owner and the business owner to assist them with the permitting process.



### ***Building Division Hosts Disabled Access Requirements Seminar***

The Building Division hosted a free seminar on disabled access requirements as related to design and construction this week. The seminar focused on the changes to the upcoming 2016 building code and how the requirements affect existing buildings. Over one hundred members of the commercial design community which included architects and inspectors attended the seminar.





## Newport Beach Fire Department Office of the Fire Chief

DATE: September 23, 2016  
TO: Dave Kiff, City Manager  
FROM: Scott Poster, Fire Chief  
SUBJECT: **CITY MANAGER'S NEWSLETTER**

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### **MARINE OPERATIONS**

#### **Lifeguard Stats for September 1-20, 2016**

PUBLIC ASSISTS	2,764
ENFORCEMENTS	999
MEDICAL AIDS	148
PREVENTATIVES	3,043
RESCUES	70
TOTAL CALLS	7,148
<b>BEACH POPULATION</b>	<b>646,000</b>

On September 7, a new sign was installed on the front of the Benjamin M Carlson Lifeguard Headquarters building. The sign project was awarded to Sunset Signs, and we think this new addition to the building looks great!

On September 21, early in the morning, Newport Beach experienced surf reaching 6-8 feet at The Point. The Point is between Towers 17-19. The large surf is due to tropical storm Paine, coming in from the Southeast out of Baja, Mexico.



## **FIRE OPERATIONS**

### **Fire Service Day Open House October 9**

On Sunday, October 9, the Newport Beach Fire Department and Newport Beach Firefighters' Association will be hosting its annual Fire Service Day.

Fire Station 7, located at 20401 SW Acacia, will be open to the public as part of Fire Prevention Week from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. On behalf of the Newport Beach Fire Department and Newport Beach Firefighters' Association, we invite you, your family, and friends to be our guests.

The event will feature firefighting demonstrations, apparatus, EMS & lifeguard displays, live rescue demonstrations, antique fire engine and station tours. Our award winning CERT members will also be on hand. Lunch and snacks will be provided by our Firefighters' Association.

### **Disaster Preparedness Presentation - Jasmine Park**

On Saturday, September 17, Newport Beach Fire Captain Ron Gutierrez and his crew gave a disaster preparedness presentation to Jasmine Park Homeowners Association. The presentation covered how the fire department responds to any unexpected disaster and how residents can best prepare. Topics such as how to build a disaster supply kit, develop a family emergency plan, and how to organize their neighborhood were also discussed. Interested residents were also encouraged to participate in the fire department's CERT program.



Any groups interested in a disaster preparedness presentation are encouraged to email [nbcert@nbfd.net](mailto:nbcert@nbfd.net) or call (949) 644-3112.

### **Stephen Siller Tunnel to Towers Run & Walk**

This annual event was created to honor the heroic life and death of Stephen Siller, a New York City Firefighter (FDNY) who lost his life on September 11, 2001. Stephen, who was assigned to Brooklyn's Squad 1, had just finished his shift, and was on his way to play golf with his brothers when he got word of the first plane hitting the Twin Towers over his scanner. Upon hearing the news, Stephen called his wife and asked her to tell his brothers he would catch up with them later, and returned to Squad 1 to get his gear.

Stephen drove his truck to the entrance of the Brooklyn Battery Tunnel, but it had already been closed for security purposes. Determined to carry out his duty, he strapped 60 lbs. of gear to his back, and raced on foot through the tunnel to the Twin Towers, where he gave up his life while saving others.



Stephen's parents taught him the guiding philosophy of St. Francis of Assisi, whose encouraging and inspirational phrase, "while we have time, let us do good" were words that Stephen lived by. Stephen's life and heroic death serve as a reminder to us all to live life to the fullest and to spend our time here on earth doing good – this is his legacy.



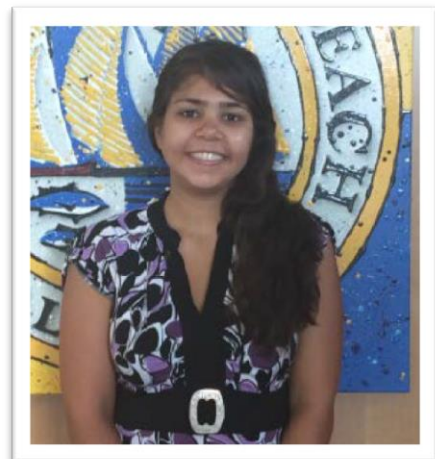
To honor Stephen, and all of those who lost their lives on September 11, 2001, and to support our first responders and military who make extraordinary sacrifices in the line of duty, the Siller Family started the Stephen Siller Tunnel to Towers Foundation. One of the many programs in the Foundation constructs specially adapted smart homes for our most catastrophically injured service members.

The annual Tunnel to Towers Run & Walk is a 5K (3.1 miles). The Newport Beach Fire Department had 15 members run the 5K in FULL turnouts, while they raised \$15,000 for wounded combat veterans.

Paramedic John Kluve and his family, Nicole, and Charlotte, took 1st, 2nd, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place.

## **EMS DIVISION**

We would like to welcome EMS Division Intern, Urvashi Parti, as one of the newest members of the Newport Beach Fire Department's team. Urvashi is currently attending University of California, Irvine and majoring in Public Health Science. While attending UCI, she was selected to be on the Dean's Honors List Winter 2016. She previously interned at the Bali Institute for Global Renewal (Bali, Indonesia) where she served as a valuable asset in their public health practices with a non-governmental organization. She will be working with the EMS Division filing medical reports, assisting with auditing ePCR's, flu shot/TB testing paperwork, and special projects.





## HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

### CITY MANAGER'S NEWSLETTER

DATE: September 23, 2016

TO: Dave Kiff, City Manager

FROM: Barbara J. Salvini, Human Resources Director

SUBJECT: News and Updates from Human Resources

#### **HUMAN RESOURCES WELCOMES LAURIE ROCK**



Please join us in welcoming the Human Resources Department's new Department Assistant, Laurie Rock. Laurie recently relocated to Southern California from Minneapolis, Minnesota. While in Minnesota, Laurie worked in Administration and Recruitment for Planned Parenthood, and more recently as a Generalist at Q-Logic in Aliso Viejo. In her spare time, Laurie enjoys cooking, paddleboarding and hiking. We are very excited to have her as part of the Human Resources Team.

Welcome, Laurie!

#### **HEALTH FAIR NEXT WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28**

As a reminder, City of Newport Beach employees and retirees are invited to attend the 2016 Health Fair scheduled next Wednesday, September 28, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., in the Central Library Friends Room. Please see your department's Administrative Assistant if you have not yet received your lunch ticket.



## HR BENEFITS ROADSHOW

As a kick off for the first week of open enrollment, HR staff went on the road. First stop was the Municipal Operations Department. We assisted staff with the online process of completing their open enrollment through Tyler Munis ESS. As you can see, they were very happy to have us!



The Roadshow continued to the Police Department this week, with two more stops scheduled for next week. Please visit the HR table during the **Health Fair** on Wednesday, September 28, or at our last stop in the **Harbor Island Conference Room (Civic Center, Bay 2C)**, on Thursday, September 29, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

# ENROLL NOW!

If you have not made your elections for 2017, please do so no later than **October 7**. In order to complete your open enrollment, please log in to Tyler Munis Employee Self Service (ESS). If you are unsure how to make your elections, or if you have questions regarding the various health plans, the HR staff is here to help!



## LIBRARY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

### Library – Cultural Arts



September 23, 2016

**To:** Dave Kiff, City Manager

**From:** Tim Hetherton, Library Services Director

**Subject:** City Manager's Newsletter

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## Library Services

### Digital Saturday

The Library held its first Digital Saturday this weekend and it was a big success. Digital Saturday, was conceived by Santiago Library System, a network of Orange County public libraries, to shine a spotlight on the variety of digital tools and resources available for free to residents in the Orange County area with a library card. Over 200 customers showed up to learn about the NBPL's digital resources, including eBooks and eMagazines, databases with online classes and tutorials, the Media Lab and Sound Room, and our new Tech Toys. Representatives from Axis 360 also participated with a presentation on downloading eBooks, one-on-one instruction and a drawing for an iPad Mini. All six special presentations were filled with standing-room only attendance and there was lots of valuable customer interaction.



### All Staff Meeting

Last Wednesday, we had an all-staff meeting that brought together staff from Central and the three branches for a morning information session.

Natalie Basmacyan presented updates on Reference Desk procedures and policies and Melissa Hartson reviewed the newly integrated addition of Novelist Select to our Catalog. She demonstrated how library staff can find valuable series information and "read alike" to recommend to customers.



### Staff News

Evelyn Rogers has been promoted to the Librarian II position at the Balboa branch. Evelyn's years of programming, operations, and community outreach on the Peninsula were key in her new appointment. Kristen Sonntag has been promoted to the Part-Time Library Assistant position. Kristen started with NBPL in September 2015 as a Clerk at Central, and has worked at all the branches. She brings years of customer service and public instruction to her new role. Kristen will be assigned to the Central Reference department. Additionally three new pages have been hired. Leslie LaCount will be started at the Mariners Branch this week and Chris Hennigen and Duncan Kistler will be starting at Central next Monday.

### CENIC

CENIC (Corporation for Education Network Initiatives in California) goes live at NBPL on September 26. The CENIC project will help provide a quality online experience for NBPL customers by providing increased bandwidth and faster network speed. The speed of our network affects nearly every device used in the Library, whether it is the public Internet stations or a customer's personal cell phone. By switching from a roughly 12.5 megabytes per second system over to gigabit (1000-Mbps) speed, NBPL increases our customer's potential tenfold, minimizes transfer times, and greatly enhances the public's ability to stream high-bandwidth files to connected devices without interference. Special thanks to City IT for their assistance with the circuits and hardware.

# Cultural Arts Services

## Cultural Arts Grants

The Newport Beach City Arts Commission is currently accepting applications from arts organizations offering cultural arts programs for Newport Beach residents and visitors for 2016/2017 Newport Beach Cultural Arts Grants.

Cultural Arts Grants, as determined by the City Arts Commission, will be awarded to qualified arts organizations with strong projects that enhance arts education and community programs for the citizens of the City of Newport Beach. Successful applicants must propose projects/programs for funding that directly benefit children, youth, adults or seniors living in Newport Beach, as well as schools within the City's geographic boundaries. Applicants must also be able to document need, quantifiable success, a realistic budget and an implementation plan.

Grant applications are available online on the City's website, [www.newportbeachca.gov/culturalarts](http://www.newportbeachca.gov/culturalarts) under "Cultural Arts Grants," and must be completed according to the instructions. Applications may be emailed and/or dropped off at the Cultural Arts Office by 4 p.m. on Friday, September 30, 2016.

Past recipients of the City's Cultural Arts Grants have included such organizations as the Baroque Musical Festival, ExplorOcean, Newport Beach film Festival, Festival Ballet Theatre, Orange County Museum of Art, Southland Opera and others.

### Arts Lecture on "Finding Meaning in a Work of Art" Part II

Dr. Lila Crespin, arts educator and very active member of the Arts Foundation, will present Part II of "Finding Meaning in a Work of Art" on Thursday, September 29, in the Friends Room. She will share a method for viewing and acquiring meaning from works of art that she developed while studying at the J. Paul Getty Institute for Education in the Visual Arts. The method and handouts were built on her research and the research of her teaching colleagues with the goal of developing a method for appreciating visual arts.

Dr. Crespin has been an art educator for over 40 years and has written many articles on art appreciation and art programming. Her teaching career has included classroom instruction for students in grades kindergarten through twelve and university students seeking careers in elementary teaching or as specialist art teachers. Dr. Crespin has a Bachelor of Arts in education, a Master's Degree in studio art, and a Ph.D. in art education.



Festival Ballet Theatre presented the Nutcracker for Kids with a 2015/16 Cultural Arts Grant.

*The Newport Beach Arts Foundation & City Arts Commission Presents*

# Finding Meaning in a Work of Art - Part II

*An arts lecture presented by Dr. Lila Crespin*

**Thursday, September 29 • 7p.m. • Central Library Friends Room**

A woman with long dark hair, wearing a grey tank top and a light-colored skirt, is looking at a colorful abstract painting on a wall in an art gallery. Other paintings are visible on the wall in the background.



## MUNICIPAL OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT

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September 23, 2016

**TO:** Dave Kiff, City Manager

**FROM:** George Murdoch and Mike Pisani, Directors

**SUBJECT:** City Manager's Newsletter

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### **Balboa Island Repairs for Centennial Celebration**

In preparation for the Balboa Island Centennial celebration, in the last few weeks repairs to damaged curb, sidewalk, and storm drain lids were made by the Field Maintenance Crew. Curb re-painting also occurred at venue locations on the Island. The Turquoise Avenue street end at South Bay Front received an additional bench with the new "Herman and Lois Durkin" sculpture from artists Miriam Baker and Rhonda Jones. Additionally, the crew made repairs around the Carroll Beek Community Center which is in close proximity to the new murals painted by artist Gary Miltmore. Bronze plaques were installed at both locations to memorialize the contributions of the artists and donors.



## Keeping Our Eyes Open



Recently, while on a routine call, Wastewater Crewmembers Jonathan Garrett and Chris Malvin spotted a 2-inch deep, 2-inch by 3-inch hole in a traffic lane on San Joaquin Hills Road. The crewmembers set up a lane closure until the Utility Company and the Irvine Ranch Water District arrived with their repair crews.



## Training for Municipal Operations Department (MOD) Staff

### Traffic Control Class

Thirty-two MOD staff and crewmembers attended a Traffic Control and Delineation class at the Utilities Yard on September 15. The class was repeated for another 42 staff members on September 22.



### CPR, AED, and First Aid Class

Twenty-two MOD staff and crewmembers attended a CPR, AED, and First Aid class on September 20 at the Corporation Yard.





## NEWPORT BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF POLICE

TO: Dave Kiff, City Manager

FROM: Jon T. Lewis, Chief of Police

DATE: September 23, 2016

**SUBJECT: CITY MANAGER'S NEWSLETTER**

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### CONGRATULATIONS!

On Wednesday, September 14, at a ceremony in the Civic Center's Community Room, I had the pleasure of formally announcing several changes in our Police Department personnel. We had two promotions, with Detective Justin Morouse being promoted to the rank of Sergeant and Community Services Officer Emma Santiago being promoted to the rank of Records Supervisor. In addition, Jesse Castro was sworn in as our newest Animal Control Officer and Officer Nickalis Carr, who recently graduated from the Police Academy, was introduced as the newest addition to the NBPD Family.

Please join me in congratulating these employees on their new positions.



*Shown left to right: Chief Lewis, Jesse Castro, Emma Santiago and Justin Morouse  
Insert: Nickalis Carr*

## POOL RESCUE



While NBPD is a law enforcement agency, our work often challenges us to address issues above and beyond criminal activity. Let me share one recent example with you.

On Wednesday, September 14, shortly before 7 a.m., two officers responded to a series of noise complaints at a local hotel. They eventually located the rowdy guests at the hotel pool area and asked everyone to exit the pool.

One of the men had been swimming to the bottom of the deep end of the pool when officers arrived. Now, he was not

returning to the surface. Our officers sprang into action: one grabbed a rescue hook from the hotel's pool safety equipment and pulled the unconscious man to the edge of the pool; the other officer pulled the man onto the pool deck.

The man was blue, unconscious, not breathing, and officers could not find his pulse. The officers worked together to administer chest compressions and clear his airways, and the man's pulse returned. Fire Department personnel responded and took over medical aid, transporting the man to the hospital for additional treatment. He is expected to make a full recovery.

Officers Gregson and LaRuffa may have been on a "routine" call, but they ended up taking extraordinary action. We applaud them both for their life saving actions.

## “THIS IS A DRILL”

On September 22 at 10 a.m., Newport Beach residents—and more than two million other Orange County residents—received a test call from the AlertOC system. The test replicated a large scale, multi-jurisdictional emergency that would require thousands of numbers to be called simultaneously across the Orange County region. This was the seventh annual regional test of the system and included 24 participating cities as well as the County's unincorporated areas.

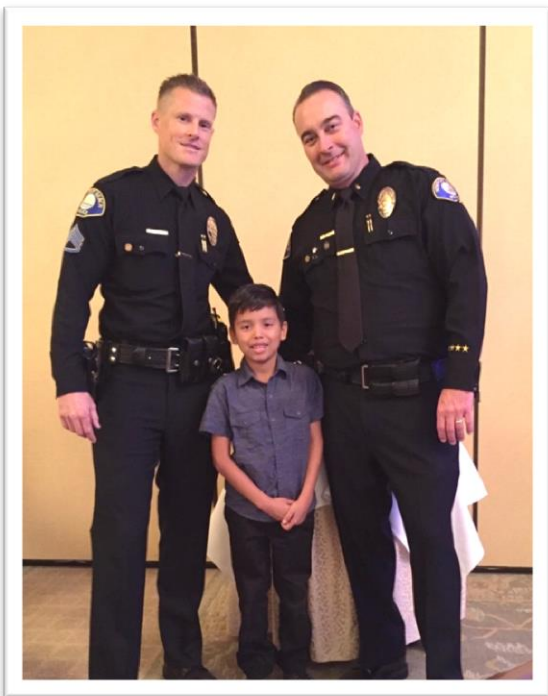


All residents and employees in Orange County can do their part to prepare for emergencies by registering for AlertOC. For more information, or to register alternate phone numbers or e-mail addresses, visit [AlertOC.com](http://AlertOC.com) or call 949-644-3620.

## LITERACY PROJECT GALA

The Literacy Project Foundation invited Sergeant Ryan Peters to be a Role Model to eight-year-old Armando, a student graduate of the Foundation's reading program, at their 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Gala. Lieutenant Jay Short and Sergeant Ryan Peters attended the event, which was held on Friday, September 16, at the Island Hotel.

It was an exciting night for Armando, who wants to be a police officer when he grows up... but an opportunity like this is also a heart-warming experience for our staff. Reading Armando's final project, we can't help but smile: "When I grow up, I want to be a police. Reading will help me because I will learn how to catch bad guys. I will also read books on police science. I will help make my neighborhood safe." Wherever his future takes him—be it to a career in law enforcement or another line of work—the Foundation has given Armando the gift of literacy and the tools he needs to succeed. We wish him all the best in his future endeavors and are honored we could be a part of his special night.



## JOIN KAJO & HONDO AT THE OCPCA'S K9 DEMONSTRATION

# ORANGE COUNTY POLICE CANINE ASSOCIATION 28TH ANNUAL POLICE K-9 DEMONSTRATION

Saturday, October 8, 2016 - Glover Stadium  
1151 N. La Palma Pkwy. Anaheim



[www.OCPCA.org](http://www.OCPCA.org)



VENDOR FAIR  
K-9 DEMONSTRATION  
SWAT TEAM  
OBEDIENCE  
MILITARY POLICE  
RAFFLE

AIR OPERATIONS  
ARTICLE PROTECTION  
TOUGHEST DOG  
COMPETITION  
FIREWORKS  
MEET & GREET

### TICKET INFO

ADULTS: \$15 (ADMITS 1) - AGE 14-59  
SENIORS: \$10 (ADMITS 1) - AGE 60 & OVER  
CHILDREN: \$10 (ADMITS 1) - AGE 13 & UNDER  
(CAN BE PURCHASED AT BOX OFFICE ON DAY OF EVENT)

FAMILY TICKET: \$50 (PRESALE ONLY)  
(2 ADULTS & 4 CHILDREN)

Vendor Fair 3:00 pm - K-9 Demonstration 6:00 pm

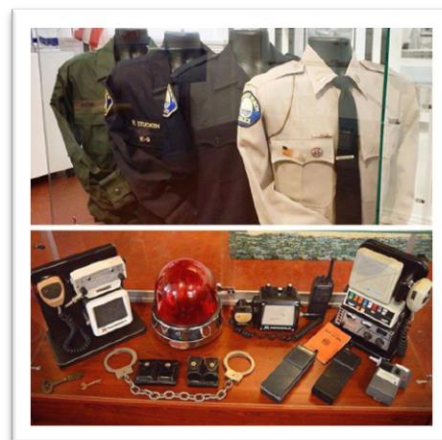
### SHOW/ VENDOR INFO

PURCHASE TICKETS,  
ADVERTISING OR  
VENDOR BOOTH INFO  
CALL 949-783-0289

OR EMAIL  
[BENEFITSHOW@OCPCA.ORG](mailto:BENEFITSHOW@OCPCA.ORG)  
SEE OUR WEBSITE  
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## BALBOA ISLAND MUSEUM FEATURES NBPD

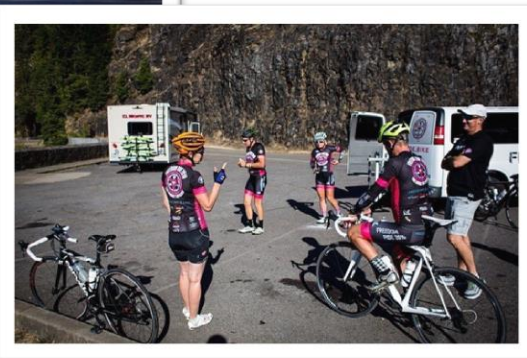
On Friday, September 16, the Balboa Island Museum and Historical Society hosted an event celebrating the history of the Newport Beach Police Department. NBPD Retirees shared memories of the Department and the City with those in attendance, and Chief Lewis offered his own perspective from his 25 years with the Department. If you missed the event, you can still visit the museum through the end of the month to see an exhibit of local law enforcement artifacts.



## FREEDOM RIDE UPDATE

We are proud to partner with the Freedom Ride Project in their mission to raise awareness about human trafficking. Freedom Ride 2016 began on September 10, when the bicyclists left Bend, Oregon, and began the 1,500-mile journey to Newport Beach. After a day-long break in the San Francisco area on Tuesday, the crew is back on the road and working their way south again. Among them are Deputy Chief David McGill (as a member of the support crew) and Detective Jason Prince (as a participating cyclist). Check our [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) accounts for more photos and updates.

We hope you can join us on Sunday, September 25, at the Newport Dunes Resort for the [Finish Line Celebration](#). In addition to the other activities at the event, we will be formally announcing that the NBPD will be joining the Orange County Human Trafficking Task Force, assigning one police officer to work with the Task Force on a full-time basis.



## Public Works Department City Manager's Newsletter

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To: Dave Kiff, City Manager  
From: David A. Webb, Public Works Director  
Date: September 23, 2016

### LED Streetlight Retrofit – In Progress

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The LED Streetlight Retrofit project is approximately halfway completed. Public Works staff has been working with the contractor (Express Energy Services, Inc.) to upgrade approximately 3,000 streetlights. As the new LED fixtures are installed, community members will notice the LED fixtures casting a whiter light rather than the traditional yellow lights of older and less efficient fixtures.

Whiter lighting generally improves nighttime visibility through better color rendering and it provides a uniform distribution of light. Additionally, this conversion will potentially save the City over \$100,000 annually in energy costs and an estimated \$55,000 in yearly maintenance costs. The balance of the streetlights will be installed by the end of October 2016.



### Newport Heights Sewer Lateral Replacement

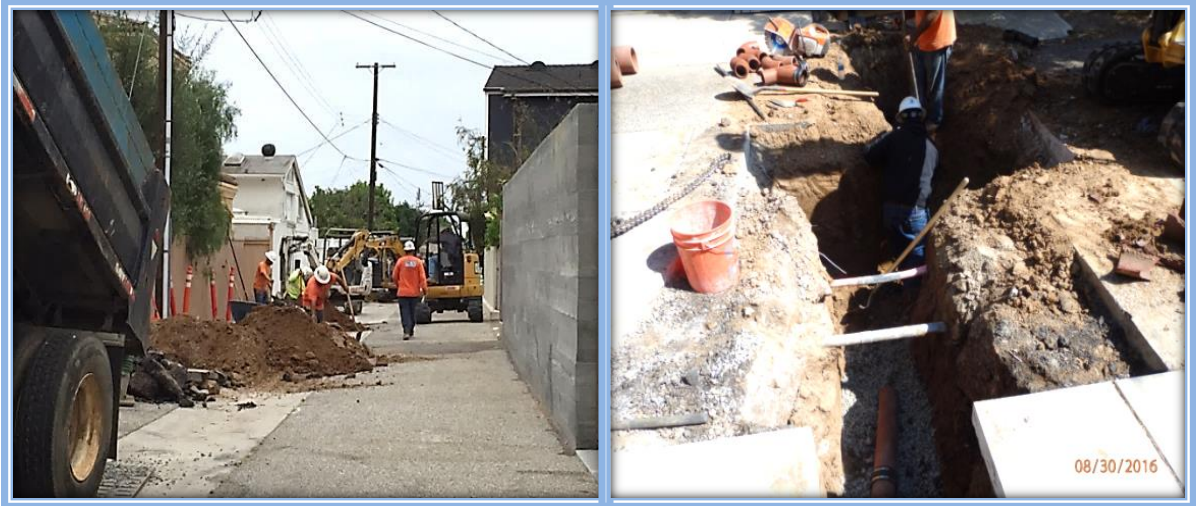
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Public Works began the Newport Heights Sewer Lateral Replacement project in August 2016, which consists of removing existing sewer laterals, replacing with new laterals and installing new clean-outs at the property lines.

Although, the work has been a little slower than expected, due to encountering many existing utilities underground, we expect to be completed by December and ready for new alley paving in 2017.

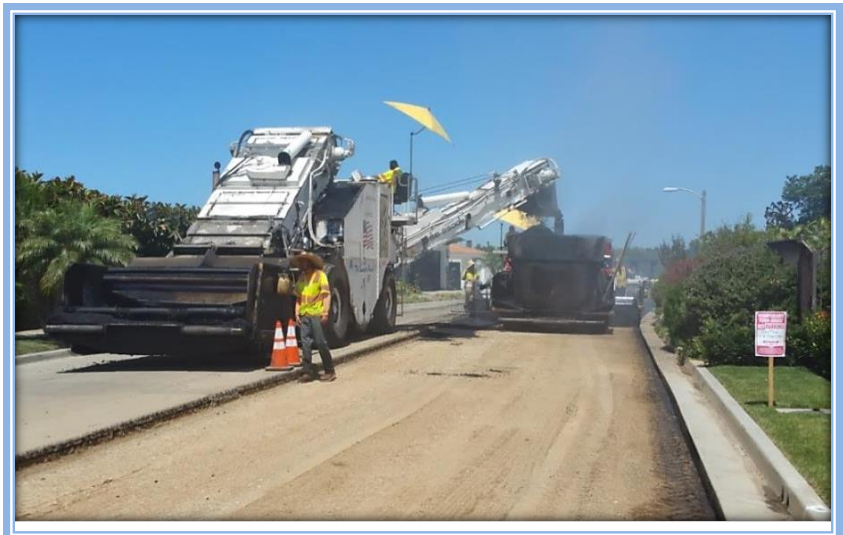
Public Works staff will continue to work very closely with the affected residents and would like to thank them for their patience throughout the process.



## Cameo Shores Pavement Reconstruction

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The Cameo Shores Pavement Reconstruction project, which started in June 2016, has completed all concrete work and base paving of all streets in the tract per schedule. Public Works along with the contractor, All American Asphalt, will perform some additional isolated dig-outs (full depth pavement removal and reconstruction) next week



at a few locations throughout the tract due to encountered bad subgrade materials. The final asphalt cap will be placed in October throughout the entire tract. All American Asphalt did a fantastic job, never missing a date in the schedule.

Public Works staff also worked very closely with the residents of Cameo Shores and would like to thank them for their patience throughout the process. Staff is excited to see the final completion to this large scale construction project and we can't wait to show you the final product that you've been waiting for for many years!

## Making Progress on the Park Avenue Bridge

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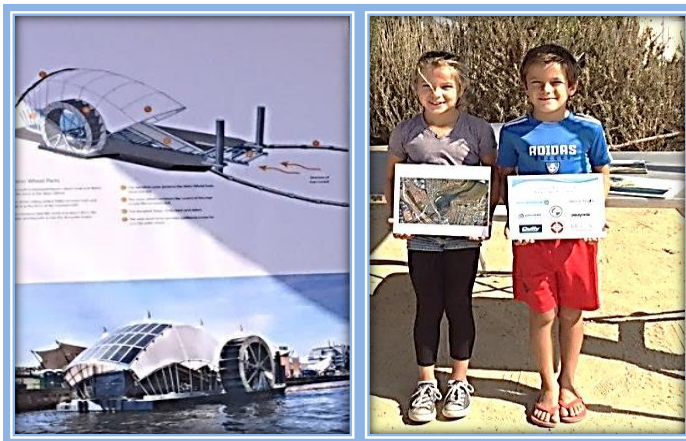
After making some operational adjustments over the past weeks, the Park Avenue Bridge project has made meaningful progress. This week Public Works, along with the contractor (Meek), constructed interlocking concrete secant piles (serving as a new seawall) along the east Bridge abutment.



Once this set of secant piles has been completed, around the end of next week, the heavy equipment will be moved over to the Balboa Island to construct the westerly set of secant piles. The new 75' deep concrete bridge piles in the Canal and the existing bridge removal will soon follow. Visit [www.parkavebridge.com](http://www.parkavebridge.com) for updates.

## Coastal Cleanup Day – Water Wheel

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Last weekend Public Works staff had help from some very energetic young folks spreading the word and educating the community about our proposed Water Wheel Project. The Water Wheel is a revolutionary project to capture trash from San Diego Creek before it enters Upper Newport Bay. Modeled after a similar installation in Baltimore Harbor, the proposed Newport Bay Water Wheel uses booms, water current and potentially solar power to capture trash and convey it into a trash container before it gets into the bay. For more information please go to <https://youtu.be/RkQbcrzyAeE>.

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Green on the Green – Reducing our Water Footprint

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Municipal Operations, Public Works and Community Development took part in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual **Green on the Green Expo** at the Civic Center on September 10<sup>th</sup>.



Cindy Owens (MOD), Shane Burckle (PW), and Brian Contino (CDD) worked together promoting the City's



continued efforts in promoting water conservation. All who visited the booth were very enthusiastic and appreciated the reminders and free give-a-way's like, shower timers, sprinkler keys and rebate information.

## Water Conservation: Back by Popular Demand

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This last week, Shane Burckle from Public Works and Brian Contino from Community Development were asked to speak to the East Bluff Community HOA on the topic of Water Conservation and the Enforcement of water consumption.

Water usage is still a very popular subject. The City



enacted level two water use restrictions, requiring all to reduce by 15% from their 2013 water usage. East Bluff Community Association appreciated the timely information and is actively striving to do their part in reducing their water use. For more information about water conservation in Newport Beach visit our website [newportbeachca.gov](http://newportbeachca.gov).

## RECREATION & SENIOR SERVICES

To: Dave Kiff, City Manager

From: Laura Detweiler, Recreation & Senior Services Director

Date: September 23, 2016



### **BALBOA ISLAND CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION**

The Recreation & Senior Services Department participated in the *Balboa Island Centennial Celebration* on Sunday, September 18 providing a nautical craft for participants. At this fun filled and successful event, staff promoted the fall programming offered at our two newest community centers, Marina Park and 16<sup>th</sup> Street Recreation Center.



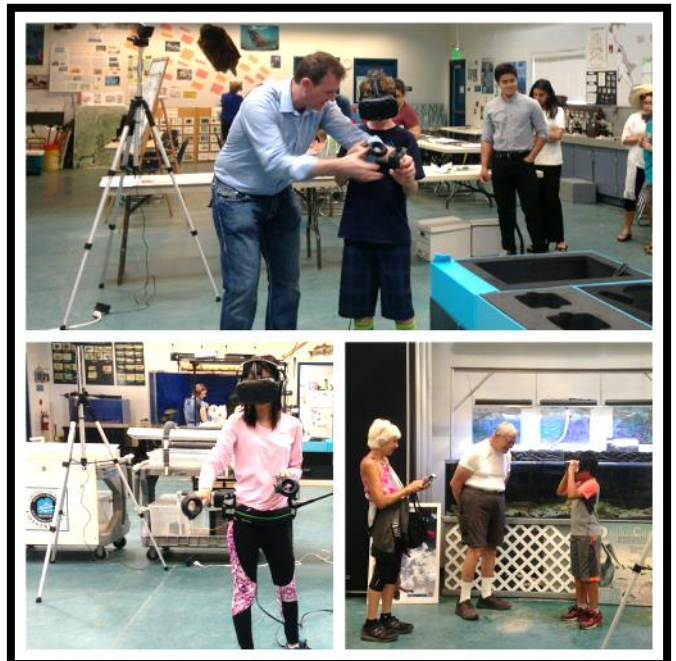
### **NATURE GOES FUTURISTIC AT THE BACK BAY SCIENCE CENTER**

When nature and technology combine, the options can be limitless. Linden Entrainment came to the Back Bay Science Center on the last *Community Day* and allowed visitors to demo their virtual reality educational tools. Visitors of all ages participated in amazing adventures as they geared up with immersive headsets and hand controllers that enabled them to experience the underwater and learn about sea life in an interactive way.

The educational tool offered a variety of models such as walking on Mars, painting with light, and the ability to learn about different careers virtually. Through these interactive activities, the Office of Natural Resources aims to engage and encourage the public to learn about the local ecosystems and how to protect them.

Every Sunday, the Office of Natural Resources host *Community Day* and they offer a variety on hands-on experiences teaching about our local ecosystems at the Back Bay Science Center.

For more information on Community Day and/or other educational activities provided by the Office of Natural Resources, please e-mail [marineeducation@newportbeachca.gov](mailto:marineeducation@newportbeachca.gov)



## **OASIS FRIENDS' ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE**

OASIS is diligently working and preparing for the Annual Rummage Sale. The collection begins on Monday, September 26 and will run up until the day the sale begins on Friday, October 7. Staff and about 60 volunteers will spend time collecting, sorting and pricing donated items. This event is the main fundraiser for the Friends of OASIS and brings in about \$20,000 each year. We look forward to another successful year. If you are interested in donating any items, please contact the Friends of OASIS at 949-718-1800.



## **16<sup>TH</sup> STREET RECREATION CENTER IS NOW OPEN!**

The new 16<sup>th</sup> Street Recreation Center officially opened its doors to the public on Monday, September 12. This hip urban facility welcomed hundreds of people opening week as it introduced the community to a gymnastic room that includes a 20 foot gymnastic TumbleTrak and a dance room with a professional grade dance floor.

The center rests on the west side of Newport Beach in an industrial park off West 16<sup>th</sup> Street & Placentia Avenue. The building offers a parking lot in the back and is now the home of programming such as art, music, gymnastics, dance, yoga, guitar and more.

### **16<sup>th</sup> Street Recreation Center Hot Tips:**

- Address is 870 W. 16<sup>th</sup> Street  
(Don't forget the "W." Before 16<sup>th</sup> Street on your G.P.S.)
- Parking is available in the parking lot behind the building.
- Register online before arriving.

Click [here](#) to view a listing of classes offered this fall.



## **SUMMER CONCERT**

The evening was picturesque for the last concert of the summer and in perfect OASIS form it ended with the conga. British Beat entertained 255 guests and played American Rock classics of the 60's. Tickets sold for \$10 and included a delicious boxed meal from Jersey Mikes and a surprise dessert from Cream. The crowd was filled with smiling people, lip-synching, and clapping to the beat. The night was a blast and a great way to end the summer.

Although it's sad to see the days getting dark earlier, the summer concerts were a success and the ideas are already flowing for 2017.





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## NATURAL RESOURCES PRESENTS:

### **NEWPORT BEACH GEOGRAPHIC – NATURE UP!**

Take a tour in Newport Beach with our new educational #geoclips. Michelle Clemente shares interesting facts and news about everything nature in Newport Beach. For a look at the first clip, click the link below.

[Take a look at the first Newport Beach Geographic clip here for Snowy Plovers.](#)

## City of Newport Beach ~ Recreation & Senior Services Department Things To Do In: **Newport Beach**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> AUG 2-<br>SEPT 30      | <b>ART EXHIBITION BY FERNANDO DEL ROSARIO "REAL HEROES"</b><br>Central Library- 1000 Avocado Ave, Newport Beach  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SEPT 9-<br>OCT 9       | <b>NEWPORT THEATRE ART CENTER "I DO! I DO!" MUSICAL</b><br>For more information, please visit <a href="http://www.ntaonline.com">www.ntaonline.com</a> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 9/24-9/25<br>SAT.-SUN. | <b>RVCA &amp; CITY OF NEWPORT BEACH SURF CHAMPIONSHIPS</b><br>For more information, call 949-644-3151  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SUN. 9/25<br>3PM       | <b>SUNDAY MUSICALES: QUARTETO NUEVO FREE</b><br>Central Library- 1000 Avocado Ave., Newport Beach  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FRI. 9/30<br>6PM       | <b>MOVIE IN THE PARK - "ZOOTOPIA" FREE</b><br>Cliff Drive Park - 301 Riverside Ave., Newport Beach   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> WED. 10/5<br>7PM       | <b>BEYOND THE CANVAS: LES FAUVES FREE</b><br>Central Library- 1000 Avocado Ave., Newport Beach   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FRI. 10/14<br>5PM      | <b>OKTOBERFEST AT OASIS</b> (must be 21+yrs) \$5/person<br>OASIS Senior Center - 801 Narcissus Ave, CdM  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SAT. 10/15<br>10AM-4PM | <b>13TH ANNUAL ART IN THE PARK FREE</b><br>Central Library- 1000 Avocado Ave., Newport Beach   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SUN. 10/16<br>11AM-5PM | <b>BALBOA CHILI &amp; CHALK WALK</b><br>For more information, visit <a href="http://balboavillage.com">balboavillage.com</a>                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FRI. 10/21<br>6PM      | <b>MOVIE IN THE PARK - "HOTEL TRANSILVANIA 2" FREE</b><br>Bayview Park - Off Mesa Drive, near Bay View Ave.  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SAT. 10/22<br>9AM-NOON | <b>SENIOR RESOURCES EXPO FREE</b><br>OASIS Senior Center - 801 Narcissus Ave, CdM  |



### **SOMETHING TO PONDER**

*"Individual commitment to a group effort—that is what makes a team work, a company work, a society work, a civilization work." - Vince Lombardi*