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Monthly Meeting Wednesday, May 15th
At 7:00 pm in the [Lakewood Park Building](#)

This month our guest is:
Assistant City Manager Robert Walker
To give an update on the Branch Library

President's Column

-Judy Fernandez

Dear Neighbors,

Our April meeting was very disappointing. The topic was one that I thought more of you would have attended since it was about a proposed "dog park". We had exactly 7 people from a neighborhood of 1600 homes, 3 board members and 4 neighbors'. I am not sure why people are not attending these meeting and giving voice to what you would like to see come and go in the Village.

As I walk the neighborhood nightly and see a lot of you with dogs, I am just wondering why you didn't attend. Oh well. Maybe this month will bring more of you out since it will be a discussion of the new branch library in place of our neighborhood pool.

Hope to see you there. ◆



Free Dental Services

The California Dental Association will be providing free dental services to children (accompanied by an adult) and adults.

When: Saturday, May 18th and Sunday, May 19th

Time: 5:00AM doors open

**Where: San Jose Convention Center, South Hall
150 West San Carlos Street
San Jose, CA 95113**



Patients are seen on a first-come, first-served basis with a goal of providing care to more than 2,000 people during the two-day, free dental clinic.

For more information call [408.874.1998](tel:408.874.1998) or go to: www.healthyfamilyfund.org ◆

Newsletter Walker Needed for Fairwood Side!

Keep that New Years resolution to get more exercise by walking the LVNA newsletter once a month! This route is only 35 homes!.

If you are interested

Call:
Fred at (408) 505-2748



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A Good Deed

I live on the Fairwood side of Lakewood on Pecos Way. We read the Villager every month when it comes....We wanted to see if you would post a note for us (we see the reports of any crimes in our Lakewood area etc.) well this is the chance to print a good deed.....

3 My son went to Fairwood Park on Tues (4/9) with his daughter who was here for Spring break. While at the park my son lost his wallet. He went back looking for it but didn't find it. On Wednesday we all got home from work and went to get the mail.....TA DA.....

5 Whoever found his wallet put it in the mailbox at our house. We want to say a big **THANK YOU** to whoever did that.

Doreen Martinez ◆

ZUMBA CLASS!



When: Every Wednesday

Time: 7 – 8 p.m.

Where: Columbia Middle School Gym
739 Morse Ave

Cost: \$1.00 per class

Come and dance your pounds off at this fast-paced, energetic class. The class will continue every Wednesday night through June. The Health Trust of Silicon Valley will present Zumba for \$1 per participant per class. Additional donations are always accepted.

Children 10 years old and up can attend with a parent. Due to the nature of the class, no younger children will be allowed to participate or watch.

All participants are required to sign a registration form and waiver prior to their first class, so come a few minutes early to sign up! ♦

39th Annual Sunnyvale Art & Wine Festival

Saturday, June 1 & Sunday June 2
10 a.m. - 6 p.m.

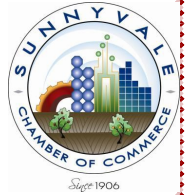
Location: Downtown Sunnyvale, Murphy Avenue

Get ready to kick off the summer at the Sunnyvale Art & Wine Festival. 350 artists and great entertainment on two stages. This year we are including a community cultural dance stage where local dance groups can sign up to show off their talent. The main stage will feature Rock, Top Hits, Country Western, and a Beatles cover band.

There is an expanded kid's carnival ride area and a 2013 display of over 20 new models by Toyota Sunnyvale. Beverage booths will be serving Margaritas, Sangria, Champagne, quality Beers, and excellent Wines.

Souvenir glass purchases available but not mandatory like at other festivals. Located at the Sunnyvale Historic Downtown on Murphy Ave, famous for their large selection of outdoor restaurants, Irish Pubs, and bars.

Sorry no pets ♦



YOGA CLASS!



When: Every Tuesday

Time: 6 – 8p.m.

Where: Columbia Middle School Gym, at 739 Morse Ave

Cost: FREE !

This class is taught by a team of volunteer yoga instructors. Bring an exercise mat or towel and wear loose fitting clothes.

For adults and children (aged 9 and up, accompanied by a parent or adult).

Come 10 minutes before your first class to fill out a registration form and to sign in ♦

Summer Series Music & Market

June 19-August 28, 2013

Wednesdays from 5:30-8:30pm

Sunnyvale's favorite night of the week includes live entertainment, arts & crafts, food vendors and dancing. 100 Block of S. Murphy Avenue, Sunnyvale



Jazz & Beyond Concert Series

July 6-August 24, 2013

Saturdays from 5:30-8:30pm

Murphy Avenue transforms into one big street cafe where you can enjoy dinner with over 20 restaurants to choose from. Live entertainment, beverages and dancing!



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CTC Summer Rep Season

Dangerous Corner

by J.B. Priestley

A group of posh Brits sequestered together in a cozy, country retreat – lies, betrayals, and dramatic disclosures abound!

The Caplans host a dinner party for their colleagues and friends, but a chance remark sparks a series of dangerous revelations. The truth is exposed as the group's perfect lives begin to crumble in this play of psychological intrigue, but then "life's got a lot of dangerous corners – hasn't it?"

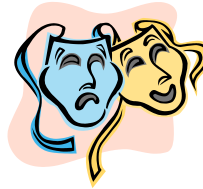
7:30 pm – May 30 (Preview), May 31 (Opening), June 1, June 13 – 14, June 22, July 11 & 20
3:00 pm – July 7 (Talk Back)

Lost in Hollywood by Gayle Cornelison,

Quirky characters, upbeat songs, and the often hilarious growing pains of a new and burgeoning industry.

Follow the adventures of Richard Nelson, a would-be movie actor delighted to have his "big-break" with a new movie studio. He soon discovers that his path to fame will be challenging, that the scrip is not likely to win any awards and that his director has never directed anything – much less a major motion picture.

7:30 pm – June 6 (Preview), June 7 (Opening), June 8, June 15, June 20 - 21
3:00 pm – July 6, July 20, July 21 (Talk Back)



The Women by Clare Boothe

Luce

The revival of a play you can really sink your nails into!

Centered on a group of gossipy, Manhattan socialites, this all-women cast of CTC alumnae actresses return to the stage to play a host of colorful characters in this classic which touches on themes relevant today – marriage and divorce, socioeconomic class, female friendship, standards of beauty and the role of the woman in the modern world – all wrapped up in the most delicious, fast-paced, razor-sharp dialogue ever!

7:30 pm – June 27 (Preview), June 28 (Opening), June 29, June 12 – 13, July 18 - 19
3:00 pm – July 14 (Talk Back)

TICKETS & INFO: www.ctcinc.org 408-245-2978

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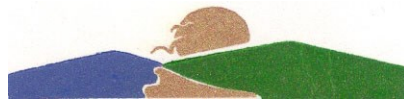
Front Row – ANY performance: \$10 each
Other Rows – Evenings: \$26 adult, \$22 senior/student
Other Rows – Previews & Matinees: \$18 adult, \$14 senior/student

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National River Cleanup Day

When: May 18, 2013
Time: 9 a.m. - noon
Registration starts at 8:40 a.m.



Be the Solution to Creek Pollution!
This year's event in Sunnyvale will focus on picking up litter and debris from the Sunnyvale East Channel and areas around Baylands Park.

Youth under the age of 18 must have parental approval and anyone age 16 and under must be accompanied by an adult.

This event may not be suitable for young children due to steep banks in some areas.

To register or receive further information, call the City of Sunnyvale's Environmental Outreach division at (408) 730-7717, TDD (408) 730-7501 or send an email to wpcp@sunnyvale.ca.gov



Reducing Robocalls: Practical Tips & Tricks

By Kati Daffan, Attorney, Division of Marketing Practices, FTC

You don't have to tell us twice, we know robocalls are annoying. Our *Robocall Challenge* generated advice we wanted to share, from consumers who say they're using certain tricks to stop these harassing calls now.



Here are the tips, in a nutshell:

1. Ask your telephone company if it allows customers to block calls from multiple phone numbers, but note that it may charge for this service. You might also want to check out the call-blocking services offered by other companies, including Voice over Internet Providers.
2. Search online shopping sites for "call blocker" — you'll find a variety of products you can buy for your landline, along with reviews about how well they work.
3. Consider putting a "special information tone" that signals a non-working number at the beginning of your voicemail or answering machine message.
4. If you have a smartphone, look for call-blocking apps — and reviews — in your app store. Use a "virtual phone line" with call screening options, forward that number to your actual phone, and only give out the virtual number. This option might work if you're willing to change your phone number and are tech-savvy enough to set up call forwarding and screening.

These tips might not work for everyone, but the good news is that they are helping some people block illegal robocalls. What works best for you?

For more information about the FTC's battle against illegal robocallers, visit: ftc.gov/robocalls. ♦

New Recycling Carts are Coming!

It's time to replace your 64-gallon split-lid recycling carts, most of which have been in use for 12 years and are beyond the end of their useful lives. The old carts will be removed and recycled to make new plastic products.

Between May 31st and June 5th all Sunnyvale residents who are currently subscribing to residential recycling will be receiving new recycling cars. There is no extra cost to residents; it is part of our service.

This is how the new cart selection process works:

- ♦ Sometime between May 31 and July 5, a 64-gallon recycling cart will be delivered to your residence the **day before your normal garbage/recycling service day.**
- ♦ Once you receive your new cart, place your old cart, whether full or empty, out for retrieval on your new regularly scheduled service day.

Do not bring in your old cart after it has been emptied! Leave it at the curb and it will be picked up.

If you don't currently subscribe to recycling service, but would like to, please call City of Sunnyvale at 408.730.7400.

If you have question or comments, please call Specialty at 408.565.9900. ♦

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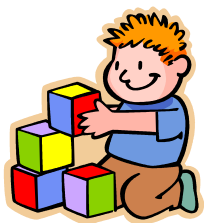
Sunday Services
9:30 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
11:00 a.m. Worship Service

Wednesday
7:00 p.m. Corporate Prayer Meeting



“Large Family Day Care” in Residential Areas Study

When: Wednesday, May 15, 2013
Time: 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Where: Sunnyvale City Hall
West Conference Room
456 W. Olive Ave.



The City of Sunnyvale recently began a process to study large family day care (LFDC) locational requirements (LFDC is 9-14 children and operated from a residence).

The purpose of the study is to:

- ◆ look at spacing and concentration of LFDC’s in residential neighborhoods;
- ◆ identify possible traffic control, noise and parking standards for new LFDC operators;
- ◆ review state law;
- ◆ survey other jurisdictions; and
- ◆ conduct community outreach



Please Join Us to Contribute to the Discussion!

If you cannot make it to the community outreach meeting and would like to provide input on the topic please contact Amber El-Hajj at aehajj@sunnyvale.ca.gov or (408) 730-2723. ◆

Bike Lane Survey - El Camino Real

You are invited to take an online survey about the possibility of bike lanes on El Camino Real!



The City of Sunnyvale is collecting feedback regarding bike lane options along the portion of El Camino Real between Sunnyvale Avenue and Fair Oaks Avenue/ Remington Drive.

The addition of bike lanes on this portion of El Camino Real is part of the City’s plans to add bike lanes on all major streets in the City and would also connect existing bike lanes on Sunnyvale Avenue and Fair Oaks Avenue/Remington Drive.

Caltrans has given the City permission to remove the existing on-street parking lanes to accommodate the bike lanes. Caltrans determined that modifying the median or narrowing or removing travel lanes, were not practical.

As a result, the City is considering two potential options:

1. Remove the parking lane in each direction and replace them with bike lanes, or
2. Do nothing.

There is virtually no demand for on-street parking on this portion of El Camino Real and there is considerable off-street parking supply. The City currently has funding to install the bike lanes. Please visit the following site to participate:

<http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/ElCaminoBikeLane> ◆

Discover the Beauty and Benefits of California Native Plants in the Landscape!



When: May 18th
Time: 10am – 1pm
Where: Full Circle Farm — 1055 Dunford Way
Instructor: Deva Lune

This Hands-on Workshop at Full Circle Farm will introduce you to various CA native plant species and discuss plant selection, care and maintenance that is right for your landscape.

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Neighborhood Crime Corner

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Commercial Burglary - March 15 @ 10:52 am S. Murphy Ave. an unknown person attempted to break into South Bay Sports Cards with a sledgehammer. The person was unable to get the door open and fled.

Auto Theft - March 25 @ 9:48 a.m. Vienna Drive. A 1995 Honda Accord was stolen.

Vandalism - March 24 @ 9:36 a.m. Kifer Road. The exit sign at Taco Bell was hit overnight and left dangling in the parking lot.

Petty Theft - March 23 @ 8:19 a.m. S. Fair Oaks Avenue. An unknown person stole a purse from an unlocked vehicle. The purse contained \$10 in cash and several keys.

Vandalism - March 21 @ 9:37 p.m. Borregas Avenue. An unknown person scratched a car on two separate occasions and broke the tail lights.

Petty Theft - March 21 @ 9:27 p.m. Reed Avenue. A boy's 14-inch Hawk 360 bicycle was stolen from in front of a store.

Auto Burglary - March 21 @ 7:58 p.m. Sunnyvale Saratoga Road. An unknown person broke the rear passenger's side window and removed a purse, which contained a driver's license, keys and credit cards.

Graffiti - March 21 @ 10:13 a.m. Payette Avenue and Banff Drive. An unknown person spray- painted graffiti on a city sound wall on a walking path.

Fraud - March 29 @ 8:42pm, Sandia Ave. an unknown person used another person's Bank One credit card to make purchases without his permission or knowledge.

Vandalism—April 2 @ 8:28 am Lakeside Dr. an unknown person smashed the windshield of a 2011 Toyota Camry.

Vandalism - April 2 @ 4:55pm, S. Fair Oaks Ave. an unknown person slashed the tires and keyed the paint of a car parked at the Blue Bonnet Bar. ♦

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| Parks and Maintenance | 730-7506 |
| Speeding Cars, parking complaints, traffic signal | Dispatch 730-7180 |
| Noise complaints—Desk Officer | 730-7110 |
| Neighborhood Preservation Complaints on decrepit fences, , weeds, illegal home businesses or rentals | 730-7610 |
| Animal Control | 730-7178 |
| Public Works- sidewalks, trees, streetlights, etc. | 730-7505 |
| Nuisance Vehicle Hotline | 730-7706 |
| Drug Hotline | 245-3784 |
| Graffiti Hotline & Shopping Cart Pickup | 730-7680 |

Street Sweeping:

Fairwood Side - 5/21 & 6/4 & 6/18

Lakewood Side - 5/14 & 5/28 & 6/11

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