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## **◄** July 4th Festivities

The City of Cupertino is pleased to announce the schedule for the annual July 4th festivities.

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## Summer Concert Series 2013

6:30 - 8 pm, Memorial Park Ampitheatre

Pack a picnic and bring a friend to enjoy a fun-filled evening of music!

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# happenings in cupertino



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#### **Morning Events**

7 - 11 am - Pancake Breakfast

Hosted by the De Anza Optimist Club Quinlan Community Center

Adults - \$6 (3 pancakes, 2 sausages, coffee or tea) Children (12 and under) - \$3 (2 pancakes, 1 sausage) Orange Juice - \$1

#### 9:30 am - Flag Raising

Memorial Park, Veteran's Memorial Celebrate our nation's independence

#### 10 am - Children's Parade

Memorial Park, Softball Field Wear your best red, white, and blue outfit! Decorated bikes, scooters, and strollers are encouraged. We'll travel through Memorial Park and the parade will end at the Amphitheater just in time for the concert by the Cocktail Monkeys!

#### 10:30 am – 12 pm Live Music by the Cocktail Monkeys

Music from the 60's until today! Pack a blanket, hat and snacks and be ready to dance the morning away to music from the 60's through today!

#### Afternoon Events at Blackberry Farm

10 am - 4 pm - Free Swimming

#### 12 - 2 pm - BBQ Lunch BBQ Tickets:

\$5 per person

Advanced BBQ ticket sales will begin on June 27 at Blackberry Farm.

#### 12 – 3 pm - Live Music by The Dave Crimmen Band

Classic 50's Rock & Roll

5 pm - Park closes







#### O Cupertino.org/PaperlessPlans



TAKE THE PAPER OUT OF THE PLAN!

#### - Paperless Plan, continued from page 1

Cupertino Community Development, Building Division is "taking the paper out of the plan" beginning this summer. This move eliminates the need for architects, contractors, or designers to haul large rolls of paper plans to City Hall, as they will be able to submit the plans for review online through a web application.

This new service allows all relevant people to review plans simultaneously. Architects, contractors and engineers will be able to access submitted plans, comment and act on them through a password-protected web-based system. In February 2012, Council unanimously voted to propel Cupertino into the 21st century and supported the eight month research process that led the City to conclude that paperless was the way to go.

Benefits of paperless building plans include: the ability for various offices to work on the plans simultaneously, ability to track and see plans as they move through the approval process and transparency in the process of building plan review.

"We will work with customers to reduce any initial growing pains. Once the word spreads, users will see vast improvements over the outdated system we've had since 1998," said Aarti Shrivastava, Director of Community Development.

Look for the plan review details in the next edition of Scene.

## Stevens Creek Trail Joint Cities Feasibility Study

The cities of Cupertino, Sunnyvale, Mountain View, and Los Altos invites interested citizens to apply for a Citizens Working Group position to assist agency staff, a consultant team, and policy representatives in preparing a feasibility study of trail development in the Stevens Creek Corridor with the intent of connecting completed or planned trail segments in Cupertino and Mountain View. If interested, please submit an application to the City of Sunnyvale Department of Public Works by Friday, June 7, 2013 at 5 pm. More information and application is available at:

sunnyvale.ca.gov/Departments/ PublicWorks/StevensCreek TrailJointCitiesFeasibilityStudy.aspx







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# Summer Concert Series 2013

#### Cupertino Symphonic Band - June 6

This local non-profit organization features music from musicals and movies, classical, big band and so much more!

#### Zydeco Flames - June 13

The Zydeco Flames have gained a reputation as the West Coast's premiere Zydeco band. Their sizzling roots rhythms are timeless and the execution of them relentless, with a stunningly powerful groove.

#### West Grand Boulevard - June 20

West Grand Boulevard specializes in the rich sounds of classic Motown, R&B, and Soul hits, performing the popular music of influential artists like Stevie Wonder, the Temptations, Otis Redding, Aretha Franklin, Michael Jackson, and more.

#### Long Train Runnin' - June 27

A tribute to the Doobie Brothers, Long Train Runnin's live performance will excite you, like a charged up concert by the Doobie Brothers themselves.

#### Volifonix - July 11

Volifonix is the true sage of its form with an original hair-on-fire approach to the hot/rock/funk genre. From the woods of the Pacific Northwest, Volifonix is a funk-fried rock band that is sure to please

#### Cocktail Monkeys - July 4, 10:30 am - 12 pm

The Cocktail Monkeys are considered a Bay Area favorite, covering the best of decades from the 60's through current favorites, their songs range from rock, pop, funk and disco.

# General Municipal Election Date Change

On February 19, 2013 the City Council of the City of Cupertino adopted Ordinance No. 13-2106 changing the date of the City's general municipal election from November odd-year to November even-year. On April 23, 2013 the Santa Clara County Board of Supervisors approved City of Cupertino Ordinance No. 13-2106.

Beginning November 2014, the City of Cupertino General Municipal Election will be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November of even-numbered years.

The reasons for this change are:

- The November date will allow the City of Cupertino to consolidate its election with the Statewide General Election which is held on the same date therefore resulting in a substantial cost savings.
- A majority of local governments in Santa Clara County would share the same election date.

The next City of Cupertino General Municipal Election will be held on November 4, 2014. The terms of office of current City Council members will be extended twelve months to coincide with November 2014 and 2016 general municipal elections. Questions can be directed to the City Clerk's Department at 408.777.3223 or contact the City Clerk at graces@cupertino.org.

# Humane Society FREE Pet Adoption

On June 1 - 2, 2013, the Humane Society Silicon Valley offers free pet adoptions at 901 Ames Avenue, Milpitas. This event is sponsored by Maddie's Fund Family Foundation.

> For more information, visit hssv.org/AdoptForFree or call 408.262.2133.



# simply safe june

### by Jerry Tallinger - Cupertino CERT member

#### **Pool and Water Safety**

Summer is here and we will all be looking forward to a dip in the pool or ocean. Now is the time to start thinking about your safety and the safety of your children. Around a pool or spa apply these simple steps to save lives.

Never leave a child unattended in a pool or spa and always watch your child when he or she is in or near water

- Watch a child closely around the pool or spa. If a child is missing, look in the pool or spa first.
- Learn and teach children basic water safety tips. Have a set of rules for around the pool such as no running, no diving in the shallow end, no fighting or holding others under the water
- Keep children away from pool drains, pipes and other openings to avoid entrapments where they can get caught and drown.
- Have a telephone close by when you or your family is using a pool or spa so you can call 911 if needed.
- Learn how to swim and teach your child how to swim. There are good swim schools and programs available in Cupertino.
- Learn to perform the basics of life-saving and CPR on children and adults, and update those skills regularly.
- Having the appropriate equipment for your pool or spa such as a four-feet or taller fence with a self-closing and self-latching gate. Install and use a lockable safety cover on your spa. Have a life rings and reaching poles easily available for non-swimmers and know how to use them.
- Ensure any pool and spa you use has compliant drain covers, and ask your pool service provider if you do not know
- Maintain protective pool and spa covers in good working order.
- Consider using a surface wave or underwater alarm.
- In public pools, is there a lifeguard at the pool or spa to watch children and adults?
   In the ocean or at lakes, the drowning danger is amplified by the fact that there are often significant waves or undercurrents. Here are a few additional safety tips to remember.
- Make sure you are within easy reach of small children who cannot swim. They can quickly get swept away and drown if a wave or undercurrent knocks them down. Wearing a life preserver is advised for non-swimmers.

If you do only 1 thing to prepare this month: Fence in your pool, spa and pond and make sure you keep it locked with a self-closing latch and lock.



- If available, note the location of the nearest lifeguard station to call for help if needed.
  - Don't swim out beyond the distance that you are confident you can swim back without a life preserver or floatation device.
- Always make sure you tell someone where you are going, whether in the water or not, at the beach or lake.
- Watch for signs of hypothermia such as blue lips, uncontrolled shivering, or altered mental state, especially in children. Get the victim out of the water and use a blanket or towel to warm them.
- Wear a waterproof sunscreen to prevent sunburn with an SPF appropriate for the length of time you plan on being in the sun and the degree of protection desired. Consult your dermatologist for their recommendation for your skin type.

From the good folks on the Cupertino Citizen Corps, have a safe and fun time swimming this summer

Get some training at one of the class opportunities below.

#### **Upcoming Public Sessions:**

FREE! Earthquake Preparedness and Home Safety. The class is one hour and is scheduled on request for Cupertino businesses, churches, or social groups of 8 or more. This class can come to you! Contact the Cupertino Office of Emergency Services (OES) at 408.777.3335, email OES@cupertino.org for more information, or to request a class for your company, group or organization.

FREE! Personal Emergency Preparedness Workshop (PEP) Earthquake safety, disaster preparation, disaster communication tips, First aid techniques that save lives, Home safety, Fire safety including how to use a fire extinguisher, emergency supply suggestions - and more! The next PEP class is on Wednesday, June 5, 6 - 9 pm, Cupertino City Hall, EOC, 10300 Torre Ave, Cupertino. For registration by e-mail, info@cnt. sccgov.org, (provide your full name, e-mail address, phone number and residential or work address in the West Valley, or contact the Santa Clara County Fire Department at 408.378.4010.

Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) training schedule. Learn to be part of the disaster response solution. CERT members can

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# roots Piece by Piece

### by Gail Fretwell-Hugger

Cupertino used to have some grand Victorianstyle estates in the old days. Land and labor were inexpensive and there was lots of lumber to be had, thanks to the extensive forests in our nearby mountains.

Sadly, those old homes decorated with ginger-bread trim are gone... victims of rampant subdivision development after WWII. Some of the old Victorians have survived in San Jose, Los Gatos, Saratoga and other nearby communities and occasionally there are home tours where folks can wander through these grand old "ladies" and marvel at the moldings, pocket doors, original glass and features that most modern homes do not have.

Every year in Sutter Creek, in the Gold Country, the AAUW holds its annual home tour - usually a mix of old classic homes and newer estates - some with quite a bit of acreage, wine cellars, high tech gadgetry, bocce ball courts, pools and so on. It's a fun way to spend a weekend and the Gold Country in the spring is absolutely lovely - rolling green hills, wildflowers and usually great weather.

This story actually comes from an experience in Sutter Creek. Quite a few years ago I was invited to go see "Chip's house" after completing a day of home touring with a cousin. On a side street just outside of town, a big Victorian home came into view and a friend introduced us to a fellow who spent most of the last 20+ years moving and restoring a huge old Victorian he and his wife purchased near Azusa in Southern California. The house was dismantled in 1980 and moved in pieces, on two trucks, to a lot they purchased in Sutter Creek. The house - when I first saw it in the 1990's - had been put back together but the interior was years from being completed. There was a staircase that went to the 2nd floor and some interior framing, but the whole project looked like it would take an army of carpenters and another few decades to complete. Chip still lived in southern California - in Covina - and made the 800 mile round trip to Sutter Creek an astounding 35 times a year to work on the old Victorian.

The house is 3,000 square feet with a full basement and attic and was originally built in the 1890's. It was a wreck when Chip and his wife bought it for \$51,000. The plan evolved to move it and restore it and each of their children picked out the room they wanted when the project would be completed. (The children are now grown and all on their own and probably will never live in the house)

So now it's 2013 and Chip has been working on the house for over 30 years. All the ladies in our home tour group finished the day by trooping up to see how the house was coming along. There was landscaping - lawn, bushes, trees and the property now had a genteel air - the plantings went in fairly recently and dressed the property up quite a bit. Entering the house, I was curious and a little apprehensive... but things looked different! The staircase was in a different position and the downstairs walls had been moved about. The restoration was never intended to make it exactly like it was in the 1890's, but very close... and now there were interior walls and rooms with doors and transoms, working bathrooms (only two for this big home - we forgot to count all the bedrooms) and a working kitchen with huge antique cabinets. A large old fash-

ioned stove stood on one wall in the downstairs kitchen, with a big pot of something cooking and filling the house with great smells.

Chip was as enthusiastic as ever about this 30+ year project. Two of his buddies were helping that day and we got the grand tour. I took a couple of decades off my previous assessment. We all might see this wonderful old house complete-

ly finished in the not too distant future. There is a contractor helping now and that has added a lot of motivation to the project. The house occasionally has informal get-togethers with rollicking music, family and guests who appreciate Chip and his wife's efforts to give this architectural gem a 2nd lease on life.

And speaking of giving old homes a second lease on life, Cupertino has its own hero who saved an old house many years ago. The Montgomery house stood on Stevens Creek Blvd. - it was the second home built by Alexander Montgomery on his property - pictures of the first home he built in the late 1800's hang in the Cupertino Museum. The second home Montgomery built was a different style than the first, but after many years it was due to be torn down in the late 1980's even though in its day it had been quite a showplace.

Enter Bobby Bell - a man with a mission. Bobby was going to move into an old house on Stevens Creek Blvd., but just before moving in, the house burned down. Then someone offered him the aging Montgomery house. Initially he didn't want it but was talked into it taking it for \$25 and was given some funds to move it. The house was a large two story building - the interior had been damaged by boys running motorcycles up and down the stairs. Bobby had the house cut up in 3 pieces. Then he started arranging to have stop lights moved, power turned off, a huge truck to haul the house parts... loaded up and headed down Stevens Creek Blvd. in the middle of the night. Plans went awry, of course, and quite a few mishaps later and in the wee hours of the morning, the truck and all the crew attending to

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# cupertino library

#### **LIBRARY INFORMATION** | 10800 Torre Avenue, Cupertino

LIBRARY HOURS		TELEPHONE NUMBERS	5
Monday	10 am – 9 pm	General Library Numbe	r408.446.1677
Tuesday	10 am – 9 pm	Adult and	
Wednesday		Teen Reference	408.446.1677, ext. 3372
Thursday		Children's Reference	408.446.1677, ext. 3373
Friday	· ·	Accounts, Billing	800.286.1991
Saturday Sunday		TeleCirc	

To see the programs and events offered at all Santa Clara County Library District Community Libraries, search our online catalog, review your library account, get homework help, and conduct research using our online databases, please visit the Santa Clara County Library District Web site at: www.sccl.org

#### **FEATURED SERVICE:**

#### **Get Your Head in the Cloud!**

Introducing the **Tech Toolbar @ the Cupertino Library**. *Ask. Learn. Use.* 

The Tech Toolbar can help you tap into the Library's vast collection of online resources and e-books. Trained Tech Toolbar volunteers are on site:

Monday, 10 am - 12 pm Wednesday, 6 - 8 pm Saturday, 12 - 4 pm Sunday, 12 - 4 pm

#### PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

The Cupertino Library presents a wide variety of programs for children of all ages. For more information on all of our Children's programs, including our Storytimes, please visit the Events section of the Library's website at www.sccl.org, or stop by the Children's Desk in the Library. The Friends of the Cupertino Library sponsor many of the Library's programs for children and families.

# Dig Into Reading: Summer Reading Club at Cupertino Library

All children from birth to 8th grade are invited to dig into reading and join our Summer Reading Club! Sign-up online beginning June 1, and log at least 5 books in your online reading log by August 1 to receive a certificate and a free book starting August 7. Last day to pick up your certificate and free book is August 31. Stop by the Children's Desk in the Library for more information.

# **Summer Reading Club Wednesday Fun Programs**

Wednesdays, June 19, 26, 3 pm Cupertino Community Hall

Children and their families are invited to attend!

#### **Cupertino Cinema Club**

Thursday, June 13, 4 pm Cupertino Library Story Room

School-aged children are invited. Patrons may call 408.446.1677 ext. 3321 for the free movie title.

#### **Reading Buddies**

Come read to a therapy animal! Children who have completed kindergarten to 5th grade may register in person at the Children's Desk starting June 17 for one of our July programs.

#### **PROGRAMS FOR TEENS**

#### **Teen Study Day**

Sunday, June 2, 12 – 5:30 pm Cupertino Community Hall

Join us in Community Hall to study, work on projects, and get ready for the end of the school semester. Open work spaces and seating will be available. Refreshments will be served throughout the day. Ages 13 – up. Sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

#### **Father's Day Picture Frames**

Saturday, June 8, 2 – 3 pm Cupertino Library Story Room

Treat your dad to a great gift for Father's Day and join us as we craft cool cards and awesome art (including picture frames!). All supplies and craft materials will be provided. No registration is necessary. Sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

#### **Make Your Own Smoothies!**

Tuesday, June 25, 2 – 3 pm Cupertino Library Story Room

Beat the heat, and join us as Chef Bernadette Reed leads a hands-on lesson on how to make cool summer drinks and chilled smoothies. All participants will make their own healthy, delicious drinks onsite. All food and ingredients will be provided. Registration is required at the Adult Reference Desk on the second floor of the Library, or call 408.446.1677 ext. 3310.

Ages 12 – 19 only. Sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

#### **Teen Book Club**

#### Thursday, June 27, 4 – 5 pm Cupertino Library Story Room

Join us for fun, food, and prizes as our Teen Book Club discusses the Markus Zusak's bestselling novel, The Book Thief. Register and pick up your copy of the book at the 2nd floor, Adult Reference Desk. Space is limited. Ages 12 - 18 only. Sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

# Speaking the Language of 21st Century Teens

#### Wednesday, June 26, 7-8:30 pm Cupertino Library StoryRoom

From 12 - 18 teenage brains are developing at a rapid pace. What's more, teenage brains don't all process information in the same way – and talking with an adult can seem like talking to someone who doesn't get it, or who hasn't been there. Join Mike Lysaght as he explores what teens hear, what parents actually mean and how you can tell the difference. Mike is a Marriage and Family Therapist Intern, offering teen and family counseling services under the supervision of Amy Powell, Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist (MFC42915).

#### PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS

### **ESL Conversation Club**

#### Every Friday, 1 - 2:30 pm Cupertino Community Hall

Please join us for this fun learning experience. Stop by and improve your English listening and speaking skills, and learn about other cultures in a friendly, casual setting. Native speakers of English who would like to volunteer to assist with the ESL Conversation Club, please e-mail **wjaw@sccl.org**. Sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

# Beneath the Surface: Summer Reading Program Special Events

International Motorcycle Traveler Ben Slavin

A Summer Reading Program Special Event

#### Wednesday, June 5, 7 - 8:30 pm Cupertino Library Story Room

In October 2009, Cupertino resident Ben Slavin left his home in search of adventure. Over the course of 6 months he rode his motorcycle 23,000 miles through 15 countries until he

reached the southernmost city in the world – Ushuaia, Argentina. Join Ben as he shares photos and stories from his amazing rides through Latin America. Sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

### Hypnotize Yourself Slim!™

A Summer Reading Program Special Event

#### Wednesday, June 19 from 7 - 8:30 pm Cupertino Community Hall

If you've ever said to yourself, "I'll eat just one," only to find the bag empty a short while later, then... stop, mark your calendar, and show up for this amazing event. You'll experience group hypnosis and explore your mind-body connection as Certified Hypnotherapist Eric Rosen debunks common myths and reveals why diets fail and hypnosis works.

## Summer of Science Series: Exploration for all ages

This series of programs is sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library

# Chabot to Go Interactive Astronomy Program

A Summer of Science Special Event Saturday, June 22, 3 pm At the Cupertino Library

Join us for this free, interactive astronomy program. Bring the entire family!

Please call the Adult/Teen Reference Desk at 408.446.1677 ext. 3310 for more information.

#### **TechShop San Jose**

A Summer of Science Special Event Saturday, June 29, 3 pm Cupertino Community Hall

Techshop San Jose will demonstrate 3-D printing and laser engraving, two hot trends sweeping the country today.

Stay tuned for more Summer of Science programs in July and August!

### **Adult Book Discussion Group**

#### Thursday, June 20, 7 - 8:30 pm Cupertino Library Story Room

This month, the Cupertino Library Adult Book Discussion Group will talk about *The Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet* by Jamie Ford. This event is generously sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.



# adult 50 plus news

#### **Season To Grow**

To everything there is a season, a time for every purpose! Come to the Senior Center to participate in classes and trips that can enhance your personal growth, or become a volunteer to fulfill that purpose in your heart.

#### **Legal Planning for the Future**

#### Tuesday, June 4, 1:30 - 4 pm

Join us for a presentation by Janis Carney, certified Elder Law attorney. We will explore the various stages of planning with concentration on planning for the second half of life, available care options, public resources, and pre-planning options. Sign up at the lobby table, open to the public.

#### **Pedestrian Safety Presentation**

#### Wednesday, June 5, 9 - 9:30 am

The Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office will be present to discuss pedestrian safety in our city and discuss laws that affect pedestrians and drivers. Open to the public, sign up at the lobby table. Mandarin Presentation, Tuesday, June 4, 9 - 9:30 am.

#### **Healthy Body, Healthy Mind**

#### Monday, June 17, 10 - 11 am

The health of the brain plays a critical role in almost everything you do: thinking, feeling, remembering, working, playing, even sleeping. Come and learn what you can do to keep your brain healthy and active. Presented by the Alzheimer's Association. Open to the public. Sign up at the lobby table. Two presentations, English/Mandarin

#### **VTA Photo Session**

#### Friday, June 21, 11 am

Valley Transit Authority will be at the Senior Center to take photos for the Regional Transit Connections (RTC) Clipper Card. No appointment needed.

#### **Meet Monsieur Georges Seurat**

Art History Presentation

#### Tuesday, June 25, 1:30 - 2:30 pm

Monsieur Seurat (1859-1891) stirred the art world at the time with his famous painting done with small dots and other small marks which was referred to as a style called "pointalism." Come and ask Mr. Seurat about his life and work. Ken Young, an award winning art educator, will be dressed as the character and appear in the "first person." Members free, senior guests pay \$5 day pass. Please sign up at the lobby table.

#### **Art History Class**

The Impressionist Period

#### Tuesday, July 16 - August 20, 1:30 - 3:30 pm

Join art historian, Ken Young, as he explores the life and work of different artists representing this period. He will discuss the works of Manet, Degas. Renoir, and Cassatt, ending the six week

course with an impersonation of Claude Monet. Member fee \$45.

#### 50+ Softball

#### Thursdays, 9 am - 12 pm

Join us for the love of the game; softball for 50+ has hit Cupertino so dust off your cleats and oil the glove. 50+ softball will be played at the Memorial Park softball field on Thursday mornings. Warm-up and batting practice will begin at 9 am with a pick-up game starting promptly at 10 am. Fee is \$38 for the year. Membership required.

#### **Basic Ukulele Strumming**

#### Tuesday, June 4 - July 23, 3:15 - 4:15 pm

Prerequisite: Beginning Level 1 class or equivalent. Focus will be on various rhythmic strums such as March, Waltz, 12-Bar Blues, and Swing; and learning favorite songs. Bring your "C" tuned soprano, concert, or tenor ukulele tuned to G-C-E-A. Member fee \$20

#### **Accordion Class**

#### Wednesday, June 12 - July 31, 2 - 3 pm

Bring your accordion out of the closet and play. Taught by our talented instructor Reno Di Bono, learn how to play left hand bass and coordinate with right hand melody. The class will be individualized to each student's level. Member fee \$20

#### **Caregiver Support Group**

#### Thursday, June 13, 3 - 4:30 pm

Provides a safe place for family caregivers to share their experiences and challenges. Join our circle of support.

#### **Grief and Loss Support Group**

A monthly group for anyone who has experienced recent loss and is seeking support. Call for dates. Open to the public. 408.777.3155

#### Volunteer Nurse -Blood Pressure Checks

Monday, June 10, 24, 1:30 - 2:30 pm Tuesday, 21, June 4, 18, 12:15 - 1:15 pm

## Ballroom Dance Demonstration

Wednesday, June 19, 2 - 3:30 pm

David, a popular dance instructor, will demonstrate his unique teaching style. Each dance has its own character, to dance well, you need to have the right posture frame, also learn the proper leading and following techniques. Come and acquire new dance skills. Members free, senior guests pay \$5 day pass. Sign up at the lobby table.

#### **Ballroom Dance Class**

#### Wednesday, July 10 - July 31, 1:30 - 3 pm

Instructor will teach Rumba and Waltz, not only the steps, but a solid foundation in posture and techniques in leading and following. Member fee \$32

#### iPad Fundamentals Part II

#### Thursday, June 20 - July 18, 1 - 3 pm

Know the basics? Learn to take advantage of functions like sync, backing up your iPad, getting familiar with Safari, Contacts, the Calendar, the Camera, Messages, Maps, FaceTime, PhotoBooth, Music, Video, iTunes Store, the App Store, and Managing Apps. Please bring your fully charged iPad to class. No class July 4. Member fee \$22

## Bingo Lasagna Lunch

#### Friday, June 14, 12 pm

Join us for lunch before bingo, where you will find tasty lasagna, garlic bread, and salad. After lunch stay for bingo, bingo cards are \$4 - \$7 for 12 games.

Pre-registration is required. Member fee \$8

#### Luau Social and Birthday Bash Wednesday, June 12, 12 pm

Celebrate June birthdays with a traditional Hawaiian Luau. We will serve Teriyaki chicken, Haupia (coconut pudding), tropical fruit, sweet rolls, and fried rice. Our own Kani Ka Pila Ukulele Band will entertain you with beautiful Hawaiian music and dance. Members with June birthdays will be honored. Members \$10, senior guests add \$5 day pass. Sign up early.

#### **Yogalates Demonstration**

#### Monday, June 24, 5:30 - 6:30 pm

This is a combination class, learn breathing techniques, perform yoga stretches, and practice Pilates exercise to build strong core muscles to improve your flexibility and posture. Come and check this new exercise out! Members free, senior guests pay \$5 day pass. Sign up at the lobby table.

#### **Yogalates Class**

#### Monday, July 8 - September 9, 5:30 - 6:30pm

This is a combination of Yoga and Pilates, learn breathing techniques, perform yoga stretches, and practice Pilates exercise to build strong core muscles, which may improve your flexibility and posture. All levels welcome. Member fee \$45

#### 4th on the 3rd and July Birthday Bash Wednesday, July 3, 12 pm

Independence Day is coming early to the Cupertino Senior Center, come get patriotic with us! Wear your Red, White, and Blue! We will celebrate our nation's birthday as well as honor members with July birthdays with Americanthemed music by the Rhythmaire's Band and BBQ'd burgers with all the fixings. Members \$8, senior guests add \$5 day pass. Sign up early!

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#### **ADULT 50 PLUS TRIPS**

#### Itineraries subject to change.

Call the Senior Center at 408.777.3150 for reservations or more information on any trip.

#### **TOURS**

Discover Switzerland, Austria, and Bavaria, September 18 - 27, 2013, \$4,406 double occupancy. Highlights include Chateau de Chillon, Bern Dian Around, Montreux Golden Pass Panoramic Train, Gstaad, Lucerne, Innsbruck, Austrian Alps Salzburg, Mirabell Gardens, St. Peter's Restaurant Bavaria, Oberammergau, and more!

An Autumn Adventure – 4 day Mystery Trip, \$824 double occupancy. Join us for a fall adventure and you will love the surprises. Sign up early for this popular trip, it sells out quickly!

Rediscover Cuba – A Cultural Exploration, November 17 - 25, 2013, \$4,219 double occupancy. Travel to Cuba to participate and engage in a full-time schedule of activities involving meaningful interaction between you and local people. Highlights include Trinidad, Cienfuegos, Havana, and Ernest Hemingway Home. Space limited!

Christmas in Connecticut, December 2 - 7, 2013, \$2,479 double occupancy. This classic tour features Mystic Seaport, Newport, Rhode Island, and New York City with the Rockettes!

#### **DAY TRIPS**

A Tale of Two Towns with Gary, Tuesday, June 4, \$99

**Big Sur and Point Sur Lighthouse,** Tuesday, June 11, **\$71** 

**Progressive Lunch at the Ferry Building,** Wednesday, June 19, **\$79** 

Out-to-Lunch Bunch – Aqui, Wednesday, June 26

Movie Night Out in Palo Alto, Thursday, June 27, **\$39** 

Old and New in San Francisco, Wednesday, July 10, \$109

Shakespeare Under the Stars, Saturday, July 13, \$123

National Steinbeck Center and Cannery Row, Thursday, July 18, \$98

Gilroy Garlic Festival, Friday, July 26, \$42
Masterpieces of California Landscape,

Thursday, August 1, **\$98 America's Cup Challenger Series,**Saturday, August 10, **\$104** 

Google!, Tuesday, August 13, \$45

**Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous,** Tuesday, August 20, **\$112** 

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# eco news june

#### **Compost with Success**

Over one third of the waste entering landfills is organic material, with food comprising 15% of the total waste stream. Composting is a beneficial option to reduce the volume of wasted organic material, and it produces a valuable product that enhances soil and benefits new growth. Rotting organic matter turns into methane, a very potent greenhouse gas. What can you do to help our environment? Place all food scraps directly into your yard waste cart, or wrap them in newspaper or a paper bag first. The City provides free compost to its residents from the last weekend in March

through October 19 on Fridays and Saturdays from 8:30 am – 11 am at 12100 Stevens Canyon Road.

For the best gardening results, mix compost with 50% dirt. Compost is intended as an amendment to the soil; unblend-



ed compost is nutrient-rich and may burn plant roots and lawn if applied directly. The free compost comes from Cupertino's food and yard waste collection program through Recology and is processed at South Valley Organics, Inc. through a strict quality assurance program. For more information please contact Environmental Programs at environmental@cupertino.org 408.777.3354.

# Cupertino Will Become a Clean Zone - No Butts about it

Cupertino's parking lots, curbs and creeks have been negatively impacted by litter. To prepare for the new state mandate requiring the City to reduce 100% of its litter by July 1, 2022, and to reduce 40% of the litter by July 1, 2014, anyone caught littering in Cupertino will be cited and fined a minimum of \$100 for a first-time litter violation. Locally and nationwide, cigarette butts are the number one littered item. The problem is that litter doesn't stay in one place. When it lands on the ground, if not swept up or cleaned

up, litter may be carried by wind or rain to stormdrain inlets that are designed to divert rain to local creeks to prevent flooding. When litter enters the drainage system it has begun its journey, first to our creeks, then to the Bay and on to the ocean. Please do your part. NEVER litter our environment. When



safe to do so, pick up litter and properly dispose of it and consider joining an on-land or creek cleanup event. Visit www.cleanacreek.org to find local events.

#### 2013 Garage Sale Date Set

The Citywide Garage Sale will be held on September 21 and 22 this year. Look for sale details in next month's Scene and on our website at www.cupertino.org/garagesale in the coming months.

#### What Do You Do with Household Hazardous Waste?

Contact Waste Management (WM) At-Your-Door service to collect your household hazardous waste. An appointment for collection can be made at www.wmatyourdoor.com or by calling 800.449.7587.

#### **Help Water Flow**

Keeping debris out of creeks helps water flow. Creeks are a valuable natural resource that support sensitive wildlife and ecosystems and also serve as natural drainage systems that carry storm water away from homes, roads and businesses safely to the bay. For our waterways to carry runoff during heavy rainfall, it is important to keep creeks free of trash and debris, which can impede the flow of water and cause flooding. While most people realize trash and chemicals should not go into a creek, many don't know that yard waste, leaves and soil also pollute a creek and can obstruct water flow, resulting in flooding and erosion.

#### **Use Reusable Bags in Cupertino**

Starting October 1, 2013 retail stores in Cupertino will no longer be allowed to distribute disposable, thin plastic carryout bags. Recycled paper bags may be distributed by retailers with a minimum charge of ten cents per bag. This bag charge will increase to twenty-five cents on January 1, 2015. For additional information, please visit www.cupertino.org/reusebags or call 408.777.3354. Free

reusable bags are available at the Cupertino City Hall for Cupertino residents.



# news items

### **Exercise Caution When Choosing Pesticides**

With spring comes new life and new opportunities to make better decisions for your garden and the environment. With all the new growth, pests are not far behind. Please make careful choices when purchasing pest control products.

After the highly publicized voluntary recalls of diazinon and chlorpyrifos (Dursban) as home and garden pesticides, consumers might think that most products on store shelves are safer. But this is not the case. A new class of pesticides has become prominent: pyrethroids. Pyrethroids are



designed to kill a wide variety of pests, such as lawn grubs and ants. But pyrethroids are highly toxic to beneficial insects like ladybugs, earthworms, and lacewings, which help to keep problem pests in-check. Once these beneficial insects and the natural checks and balances they provide have been eliminated, pests are free to multiply. Pyrethroids are also priority pesticides of concern because they have been linked to widespread toxicity in California surface waters.

Garden pesticides are a particular problem when it comes to stormwater pollution. Once they are washed away by rain and watering, pesticides flow into storm drains, polluting local creeks and the Bay, and harming fish and other aquatic life. Tips to avoid toxic choices while maintaining beautiful yards and gardens are:

- Read labels. The word "pyrethroid" may not appear on a label, but look for these active ingredients: permethrin, bifenthrin, cyfluthrin, cypermethrin, deltamethrin, lambdacyhalothrin, and tralomethrin. Active ingredient names ending in "-thrin" are usually pyrethroids. Download a free pocket guide that gives examples of products without pyrethroids at www.ourwaterourworld.org.
- When shopping, seek the least toxic products. Look for shelf signs with the Our Water, Our World name and logo, which draw attention to safer choices. Participating stores include Orchard Supply Hardware, Ace Hardware, Home Depot, Summerwinds and Yamagami's Nursery.

#### Neighborhood Block Leaders Honored; Program Welcomes New Leaders

Last May, 39 residents were recognized for their volunteer efforts for one, five and 10 years at the Annual Block Leader Recognition Dinner. Each neighborhood leader organized a block party, or neighborhood meeting, emergency training, or other activity to get the neighbors acquainted. The Cupertino Block Leader Program was created in 2002 to improve communication, increase public safety, and enhance cultural understanding in the neighborhoods. 360 residents currently volunteer as block leaders and block leader sets the number of homes to connect, which is on average is 20.

In addition to learning how to connect neighbors, block leaders meet two times a year for updates and communication training – and to gain tips from more experienced peers. Leaders receive timely and pertinent information from the city, such as notices about local building activities and new Citywide programs, and detailed guidebooks to help them get started. As a first event, new block leaders typically plan a neighborhood block party. And the warm summer months ahead are the most popular time of year to get neighbors together. For tips on how to plan a block party and to apply for a party online, visit: www.cupertino.org/blockparty.

If you would like to help organize your neighborhood as a block leader, or co-leader, or to find out if there is a block leader in your neighborhood, contact Laura D. Lee at **communityrelations@cupertino.org**, or call 408.777.3331.

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#### THE BETTER PART

The programs listed below are aired on Mondays at 4:30 pm on Channel 15. The repeat showings are on Tuesdays and Fridays at 7 pm on Channel 15.

JUNE 3, 4 & 7: **Education of a Musician**– Exploring the education of musical prodigy
Nathan Chan. WAVE Award Winner

JUNE 10, 11 & 14: **Juvenile Rheumatoid Arthritis** – A Los Altos resident with rheumatoid arthritis set a goal to climb Mount Everest in March of 2011. This program explains why and how he managed to achieve his goal.

JUNE 17, 18 & 21: **Life Changing Story – Ana Maria Sanchez –** Meet the author of a bestselling autobiography, *Girl from the Hood Gone Good*. Her career is dedicated to empowering people to live the lives they deserve.

JUNE 24, 25 & 28:

**The Power of Two** – Featured are two identical, Asian twins who overcame Cystic Fibrosis and flourished. Hear their brave story.

JULY 1, 2 & 5: **Home Safety for Seniors** – If you're concerned about falls, or fires in the home or any other safety topic, watch this show. An education officer from the Santa Clara County Fire Department educates us on how to stay safe.

# community calendar

JUNE	CLUB / ORGANIZATION	TIME	LOCATION	PHONE	WEB/EMAIL
1 SAT	De Anza Flea Market	8 to 4 pm	De Anza College	408.864.8946	deanza.fhda.edu/ fleamarket/
	Cupertino Kids Chess Club*	10 to 12:30 pm	10675 S. De Anza Blvd. # 4	408.996.1236	Albert Rich [cchesschampions@yahoo.com]
	Organization of Special Needs Families*	2 to 4 pm	20920 McClellan Rd.	408.996.0558	osfamilies.org
	Planetarium Shows*	7 pm	De Anza Planetarium	408.864.8814	planetarium.deanza.edu
3 MON	Cupertino Toastmasters*	6:30	Saint Joseph of Cupertino School-Science Room, 10110 N. De Anza Blvd.	650.492.0859 Ask for Dorothy Liu	cupertino.freetoasthost.net
4	American Legion Post 642	7 pm	10201 Imperial Avenue #3	408.374.6392	sccgov.org/portal/site/va
TÜE	School Emergency Preparedness	9:30 am	City Hall Mtg. Room 100	408.777.3176	3 31
6 THUR	C.A.R.E.S	7:30 pm	City Hall Mtg. Room 100	408.345.8372	cupertinoares.org/
12 WED	Viewfinders Digital Video Club	7:30 pm	Community Center - In Cupertino Room	408.996.0750	viewfindersclub.org
13 THUR	Cupertino Quota*	12-1 pm	The Blue Pheasant	408.252.8568	cupertino.quota@yahoo.com
14	Cupertino Las Madres*	10 to 1 pm	Call for location	408.861.0417	lasmadres.org
FRI	De Anza Kiwanis*	7:15 am	Intl. House of Pancakes	408.973.1832	classic.kiwanis.org
	HP Communicator Toastmasters	7 am	10181 Finch Avenue-Bethel Lutheran Church	408.673.1820	jwassocs.com
	Cupertino Coin Club	7:30 pm	West Valley Pres.Church 6191 Bollinger Ave.		CupetinoCoinClub.com
	CCWG	6:30-8 pm	City Hall Mtg. Room 100		
15 SAT	American Association of University Women	11 am	Sunnyvale Presbyterian Church 728 West Fremont Ave.	408.298.656	eadorable@sbcglobal.net
16 SUN	Hindu Swayamsevak Sangh USA*	10-1:30	Creekside Park Hall	408.368.0357	www.hssus.org
17 MON	Cupertino Odd Fellows*	8 am	20589 Homestead Rd.	408.252.3954	cupertinoioof70.org
19 WED	Fine Arts League	7 pm	Community Center	408.863.9991 Ask Janki Chokshi	falc.org
	Al-ANON Family Group*	7 pm	Bethel Lutheran Church, 940 S. Stelling Rd.	408.379.9375	ncwsa.org/scvafg
	Cupertino Sanitary Dist*	8 pm	20833 Stevens Creek #104	408.253.7071	cupertinosanitarydistrict.com/
	De Anza Optimist Club*	7:15 am	Holder's Restaurant	408.863.0835	optimist.org
	Cupertino Optimist Club*	12:15 pm	Blue Pheasant	408.255.3212	optimist.org
	Tandem Toastmasters*	12 to 1 pm	HP Building 48L, Carmel Conference Room 19483 Pruneridge Avenue	408.447.0797	tandemtoastmasters. vsgcorp.com
	Macintalkers Toastmasters*	5:30 pm	Apple Computer, 1 Infite Loop		macintalkers.com vppr@ macintalkers.com
	Cupertino Rotary Club*	Noon	Community Center	408.920.2224	cupertinorotary.org
	Philotesian Rebekah #145	7:30 pm	Cupertino Odd Fellows	408.252.3954	caioof.org/IOOF/CA_RA_ Officers.html
	Cup. Symphonic Band*	7 pm	Monta Vista High School	408.262.0471	netview.com/csb/
	Krazy Dazys Square Dance Club*	7 pm	Hyde Middle School	408.747.0943	krazydazys.org/
	Cupertino Las Madres*	10 to 1 pm	Call for location	408.861.0417	lasmadres.org
	Cup. Host Lions Club*	7:15 pm	Mariani's Restaurant, BBLC Hall, 99 North Bascom Avenue, San Jose	408.209.7251	cupertinohostlionsclub.org

Submit information about clubs and organizations meeting in Cupertino to Brittany Carey, City of Cupertino, 10300 Torre Ave., Cupertino, 95014, 408.777.1312, brittanym@cupertino.org Clubs with asterisks meet more than once monthly. Call the contact number for details.

JUNE	CLUB / ORGANIZATION	TIME	LOCATION	PHONE	WEB/EMAIL
20	De Anza Lions Club*	6:45 am	Holders Country Inn	408.255.3093	deanzalions.org/
THUR	Northwest Y Service Club*	6:30 pm	Northwest YMCA, 20803 Alves Drive	408.351.2444	yserviceclub@ymcasv.org
	Connect Club I*	Noon	Holders Country Inn	408.252.7054	cupertino-chamber.org
	Connect Club II*	8 am	Chamber of Commerce	408.252.7054	cupertino-chamber.org
	Business Networking Intl.*	7 am	BJ's Brewery	408.996.9111	BNI.com
	Overeaters Anonymous*	7 pm	Union Church	408.253.8394	oa.org
	Embroiders' Guild of America	7 pm	Sunny View Retirement Community	408.873.1190	ega-gpr.org
	Food Addicts in Recovery (FA)*	7 pm	St. Jude's Church	408.354.8493	foodaddicts.org/
	Cupertino Las Madres*	10 to 1 pm	Call for location	408.861.0417	lasmadres.org
25 TUE	Alcoholics Anonymous* Women's Group	7 pm	Bethel Luth. Church, 940 S. Stelling Rd.	408.374.8511	aasanjose.org
	Al-ANON Family Group*	5 pm	Bethel Lutheran Church, 10181 Finch Ave., Fireside Room	408.379.9375	ncwsa.org/scvafg
	Cupertino Kiwanis*	Noon	The Blue Pheasant	408.252.3830	cupertinokiwanis. homestead.com
	Knights of Columbus 4981*	7:30 pm	10201 Imperial Ave.	408.296.8146	kofc.org/un/
	Cupertino Men's Service*	Noon	The Blue Pheasant		
	Cupertino Sr. TV Production*	9:30 am	Senior Center	408.252.2667	
27	Cupertino Quota*	12-1 pm	The Blue Pheasant	408.252.8568	cupertino.quota@yahoo.con
THUR	CERT/MRC	7-9 pm	City Hall MTg. Room 100		
28 FRI	Malihini Orchid Society	7:30 pm	Hewlett-Packard, Oak Rm.	408.267.3397	malihini.org

	CITY MEETINGS	
JUNE 4	City Council Meeting (Community Hall)***	6:45 pm
JUNE 5	Library Commission (EOC)	7 pm
JUNE 5	Technology, Info & Communication Comm. (Conf. Rm. A)	7 pm
JUNE 6	Environmental Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)	9:30 am
JUNE 6	Design Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)	5 pm
JUNE 6	Parks and Recreation Commission (Community Hall)	7 pm
JUNE 11	Planning Commission (Community Hall)***	6:45 pm
JUNE 13	Housing Commission (Conf. Rm. C)	9 am
JUNE 13	Administrative Hearing meeting	5 pm
JUNE 13	Public Safety Commission (Conf. Rm. A)	7 pm
JUNE 18	City Council Meeting (Community Hall)***	6:45 pm
JUNE 19	Bicycle and Pedestrian Commission (Conf. Rm. A)	7 pm
JUNE 20	Environmental Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)	9:30 am
JUNE 20	Design Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)	5 pm
JUNE 25	Planning Commission (Community Hall)***	6:45 pm
JUNE 27	dministrative Hearing meeting	5 pm

Unless otherwise noted, all City Council and commission meetings are held at 10350 Torre Ave. City Hall is open Monday through Thursday, 7:30 am to 5:30 pm; Fridays, 7:30 am to 4:30 pm

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> These meetings will be seen live via webcast at www.cupertino.org, or on The City Channel, Cable 26.

For all city meetings' agenda and minutes go to www.cupertino.org/agenda

# council actions

#### **REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 2013**

#### **Council Members Present:**

Chang, Mahoney, Santoro, Sinks, Wong **Absent:** None

- 1. Received a report and gave direction to staff for closed session regarding Workers' Compensation Claim (Government Code Section 54956.95); Claimant: Scott Nemetz; Agency Claimed Against: City of Cupertino
- 2. Presented a proclamation to Wen-Ying Jaw congratulating her for her academic contributions to the community
- 3. Accepted a presentation from The Water Savers, fifth grade students from Eaton Elementary School, introducing their water conservation website
- 4. Approved the March 19 City Council minutes
- 5. Adopted Resolution No. 13-028 accepting Accounts Payable for period ending March 8, 2013
- Adopted Resolution No. 13-029 accepting Accounts Payable for period ending March 15, 2013
- 7. Adopted the policy for processing budget requests from non-profit organizations providing services for the general Cupertino community with an amendment to the language on the 9th criteria point to read: non-profits will be notified of our process in advance and no proposals will be entertained after March 1 of each year except under dire circumstances and must be approved by the majority of City Council
- 8. Approved the modifications to the Community Special Events in Memorial Park policy, including criteria for City sponsorship of a special event with the following amendments: the second sentence for #7 under special conditions will read: organizers are responsible for ordering, paying for, and emptying trash receptacles in memorial park on event days; the first sentence for #11 under special conditions will read: organizers are required to have Sheriff's department deputies to patrol the park during the event; the 3rd and 4th bullet points under criteria for Cupertino support of a special event are combined to read: benefit charitable causes in Cupertino and/or Cupertino businesses; the 5th bullet point under criteria for Cupertino support of a special event should read: the city may request a copy of the event budget, volunteer hours, and a list of sponsors
- 9. Conducted the second reading and enacted Ordinance No. 13-2108 "An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Cupertino amending Chapter 5.32 of the Cupertino Municipal Code regarding bingo; conducted the second reading and enacted Ordinance No. 13-2109 "An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Cupertino amending sections 14.04.170 and 18.32.390 of the Cupertino municipal code regarding acceptance of public improvements"
- 10. Adopted Resolution No. 13-030 approving the 2013-14 Fee schedule as submitted by staff with the following amendments: fee for paper plan set submittals and conversion to electronic format, including R-1 submittals will be actual cost plus handling fee; no increase to R-1 fees; 2% increase for new permitting system instead of 3.77% increase
- 11. Approved the request to allow Council member

Sinks to teleconference for the closed session on April 16

12. Continued the reading of Ordinance No. 13-2110 an ordinance rescinding and reenacting Cupertino Municipal Code Chapter 14.08 regarding obstruction and encroachments into City rights-of-way to May 7

#### **SPECIAL MEETING TUESDAY, APRIL 16, 2013**

#### **Council Members Present:**

Chang, Mahoney, Santoro, Wong **Absent:** Sinks

- 1. Met in closed session with Labor Negotiators, obtained data, and gave instructions (Government Code 54957.6); Agency designated negotiators: Director of Administrative Services, City Manager, and Dania Torres Wong; Employee organizations: Operating Engineers Local No. 3 Union; Cupertino Employees' Association; Unrepresented (Management and Confidential) Employees' Compensation Program; Appointed Employees' Compensation Program
- 2. Presented a proclamation to West Valley Community Services for Volunteer Appreciation Day
- 3. Presented a proclamation recognizing City volunteers for National Volunteer Week
- 4. Presented proclamation to GreenBiz recognizing 15 new local small businesses for achieving Green Business Certification in our community and for their continuing commitment to protect and enhance the quality of life for all residents of Cupertino
- 5. Presented a proclamation to SV FACES/Victim Witness Assistance Program for National Crime Victims' Rights Week
- 6. Received the Annual Report on Pavement Management Program
- 7. Approved the April 2 City Council minutes
- Adopted Resolution No. 13-031 accepting Accounts Payable for period ending March 22, 2013
- 9. Adopted Resolution No. 13-032 accepting Accounts Payable for period ending March 29, 2013
- 10. Approved the Alcohol Beverage License Application for Gumbas Restaurant, 21678 Stevens Creek Boulevard
- 11. Approved the Alcohol Beverage License Application for Lei Garden, 10125 Bandley Drive
- 12. Approved the Alcohol Beverage License Application for Cuocui, 10619 S. De Anza Boulevard
- 13. Approved the final 2013-2014 City Council Work Program with two amendments: strike out "Civic Center area" under item #4 on page 69; add new item D "enlarge Library Story Room" under item #5 on page 71"; and continue to use the previous color format going forward
- 14. Conduct the second reading and enacted Ordinance No. 13-2107 "An Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Cupertino amending Chapter 14.18, Protected Trees, of the Municipal Code"
- 15. Conducted the public hearing for Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds, Human Service grants and FY 2013 Annual Action Plan and concurred to continue final approval of the

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funding allocations and FY 2013 Annual Action Plan to May 7, 2013 to complete the 30 day comment period

16. Considered the Petition for Reconsideration of the extension of the Blue Pheasant lease and no action was taken thereby upholding the City's decision to extend the lease on the Blue Pheasant restaurant

#### 17. Canceled the August 6 meeting

18. Discussed the potential Foothill Boulevard Live-Work Development project in study session and provided comments to staff

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give critical support to overwhelmed first responders and provide immediate assistance to victims. The CERT program educates people about disaster preparedness for hazards that may impact their area and trains them in basic disaster response skills, such as fire safety, light search and rescue, disaster medical operations and team organization. Classes run quarterly, stay tuned for more information on the next session. The cost is \$35 for all classes which is reimbursed for Cupertino residents upon successful completion. For If you have questions or want to register contact, info@sccfd.net or call 408.341.4410.

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lights, power, traffic, etc. made it across the narrow bridge over Stevens Creek at the bottom of the dip (by the Blue Pheasant Restaurant). Then they inched up the hill. At the old Cupertino Road turnoff, the truck groaned around the sharp turn, slid backwards and the back end went up the roadside bank. Finally at 9 am the following morning the truck made it around the hairpin turn, crawled up the hill and slowly deposited the house parts on a bare lot. A year later the house was rebuilt and still stands today - a beautiful and proud reminder of Cupertino's past. No one in Cupertino has ever attempted to move a house of that size - before or since. The entire tale of the Montgomery house move would make fascinating reading and a testimony to one man's dream and determination to save a grand old house. Kudos and many thanks to Bobby Bell and his wife Rita.

#### Welcome New Businesses

#### Aethereal

20540 Stevens Creek Blvd

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#### Masquerade Beauty

20540 Stevens Creek Blvd

#### **Boho Studio**

20540 Stevens Creek Blvd

### Setareh Mozafari DDS Inc

10055 Miller Ave Ste 101

### **Higoo Corporation**

10070 Imperial Ave

#### The Canson Group 10706 Linda Vista Dr

Tavistock Freebirds LLC

## 20688 Stevens Creek Blvd

Parlour 17 20540 Stevens Creek Blvd

Sophie's Fashion 10889 N Wolfe Rd

### Amper Image Science Group

19925 Stevens Creek Blvd

Mu Babay 3D/4D Ultrasound 10062 Miller Ave Ste 260

### Whaleback El Roya LLC

20380 Town Center Ln Ste 18

#### Shear Tease Hair Studio

20540 Stevens Creek Blvd

#### **Cutie Clippie**

10253 Nile Dr

### **Trewport Technologies Incorporation**

19925 Stevens Creek Blvd Ste 100



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