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The Cupertino Bicycle Pedestrian Commission (BPC) and Cupertino Library, in conjunction with the Silicon Valley Bicycle Coalition (SVBC) and many other community BPCs, are encouraging commuters and students to leave their cars at home and join tens of thousands of their fellow Bay Area residents in biking to work or school.

Once again this year, the Cupertino BPC will set up an Energizer Station in front of the Quinlan Community Center at 10185 North Stelling Road, operating from 6:30 - 9 am, serving both coffee and food while dispensing information and encouragement to all passing cyclists.

New for this year, the Cupertino Library will set up an Energizer Station in Cali Mill Plaza at the corner of De Anza and Stevens Creek Boulevards from 7 - 10 am stocked with edible goodies and refreshments.

Bike to Work Day (BTWD) is a community event that encourages residents to try bicycling as their mode of transportation to get

healthy exercise while relieving traffic congestion, improving air quality, reducing petroleum consumption, and saving money.

SVBC coordinates BTWD for Santa Clara and San Mateo Counties. Bay Area-wide BTWD contests challenge groups of cyclists to form teams and submit records of their bike commuting during National Bike Month, which is the month of May. Information can be found at bikesiliconvalley.org/btwd/, the SVBC website. Check the 511 website at bicycling.511.org/ for information to help map bike routes to work.

Cupertino had a very successful BTWD last year with a count of 241 cyclists pedaling past the Quinlan Community Center Energizer Station, of which more than 90 stopped for coffee and a chat about their commute.



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The person selected will serve from October 2013 - September 2015, the second in the City to officially promote the wonderful world of poetry and other literary forms to Cupertino's diverse population. David Denny is serving through September as Cupertino's first Poet Laureate.

Pick up applications at the City Hall Reception Desk, or the Reference Desk of the Cupertino Public Library, Quinlan Community Center, Senior Center, De Anza College, and other places throughout the city or visit cupertino.org/poetlaureate. Applications are due to City Hall by 5 pm, July 26, 2013.

Through personal presentations and hosted educational events, the Poet Laureate will introduce youth and adults to the benefits of personal and community expression, calling attention to our City, its incredible variety of cultures, and history. Our first-rate Library will continue to host poetry events, as will other Cupertino locations, throughout the year.

Folks with disabilities and candidates fluent in languages in addition to English, are encouraged to apply, though poem samples must be submitted in English. Applicants must have resided or worked in Cupertino for at least two consecutive years, have published or been recognized as a poet, and be at least 21 years old.

Setting criteria, publicizing, interviewing

and recommending candidates to the City Council falls to the Cupertino Poet Laureate Selection Committee. The members are Adrian Kolb, chair, and Ann Stevenson from the Cupertino Library Commission; Thomas Ray, the Dean of Language Arts at De Anza College; Kathy Stakey, The Friends of the Cupertino Library; Roz Davis, Library Foundation; Deborah Vanni, English Teacher in the Fremont Union High School District; Dave Denny, current Poet Laureate, and Beverly Lenihan, from the Library Foundation are ad hoc members; Ron Miller, past Selection Committee Chair is a resource to the Committee. For more information contact poetlaureate@cupertino.org or visit cupertino.org/poetlaureate.

Celebrate Cupertino Day at Blackberry Farm

**May 4, 2013, 10 am - 6 pm,
21979 San Fernando Avenue**

Cupertino residents are invited to enjoy and explore Blackberry Farm. There will be a BBQ lunch from noon to 1 pm and residents can enjoy free swimming at the pools from 10 am - 5:30 pm.

Pools close at 5:30 pm.



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Cupertino Recognizes Community Volunteers



This year, nine individuals and two organizations listed below will receive the Cupertino Recognizes Extra Steps Taken (CREST) Award. The awards ceremony and reception will be held in the Cupertino Community Hall, 10350 Torre Avenue, May 29, at 7 pm and will include a brief presentation by City Council members. The ceremony is free and open to the public. This year's winners are:

1) Fari Aberg: Fari has been a longtime volunteer in the City of Cupertino. She is a member of the Block Leader, CERT (Cupertino Emergency Response Team), CARES (Cupertino Amateur Radio Emergency Service), MRC (Medical Reserve Coordinator) and Fall Festival coordinator.

2) Alberto Boleda: Alberto Boleda has been active Citizen Corps member since March 2009. As a member of the Citizen Corps Steering Committee which develops the direction of emergency preparedness, exercises, outreach events in the Cupertino community. Al has also stepped up to various leadership positions such as: July 4th Fireworks Show Incident Commander, Citizen Corps Exercise Management Team, Fall Festival, Big Bunny Fun Run and many more over the years.

3) Diane Heckman: Diane is a valued hardworking volunteer. She volunteers 6 hours a week for the (WVCS) West Valley Community Services. As part of her morning routine, she helps unload the donations received which on some days could total over 1,000 pounds of food. She has to lift and carry boxes and bags weighing up to 50 pounds. Once all the donations have been delivered, she helps sort through the boxes and bags putting the food out onto the shelves for the WVCS clients. Diane also helps out at her local middle school and the Pandemonium Aviaries. She is always looking to see what needs to be done.

4) Thersy Lorenzen: Thersy has logged in less than a year over 160 hours of service to her community. She takes great pleasure in her work and loves to donate her time in making sure West Valley Community Services clients are well informed about all the services offered at WVCS. She also helps to ensure that families don't miss out on valuable services which are offered free of cost to them, including free birthday programs for children, workshops, and trainings. To ensure that even more families can be served, Thersy has also taken on the tasks of data entry and analysis. Thersy is helping WVCS understand the actual cost of living for our clients residing in this thriving West Valley region of the Silicon Valley.

5) LaWanda Moore-Khorsand: Since April of 2011, LaWanda has volunteered in West Valley Community Services' Cupertino food pantry every Monday afternoon. Aside from assisting roughly 15 clients during her shift, a task in and of itself, our Monday afternoon food pantry shift is a very active one, with a delivery of over 1,000 pounds of Second Harvest Food Bank donations to be unloaded and organized into the pantry for distribution to WVCS clients. LaWanda is also a very pleasant and sociable volunteer, making sure all clients feel knowledgeable and comfortable while making their selections, and also guaranteeing that all policies and procedures are being followed.

6) Janet Riddell: When Janet retired after 25 years of

service of Library Administration in Mountain View she began giving back to her community of Cupertino. Janet has been a Board member in Quota International of Cupertino for the past eight years and currently serves as Recording Secretary. Each year in the month of December she participates in the Kiddie Shopping Day which affords a less fortunate child a shopping day for the purchase of shoes and new clothing, a pizza luncheon and a visit with Santa. She also serves on The Board of Directors of West Valley Community Services and The Friends of the Cupertino Library. Janet is also active in the Cupertino Rotary Club of Cupertino, a member of The Council of her Lutheran Church and was a founding member of Amazing Creations Preschool serving the need of growing families in the community of Cupertino/Sunnyvale

7) Beverly & Jerry Tallinger: Actions speak louder than words, and Jerry and Beverly deep commitment to Cupertino disaster preparedness is reflected in the hundreds of hours of volunteer work. They do not just show up, they lead and they contribute. Both Beverly and Jerry are dedicated to raising and maintaining proficiency of CERT (Cupertino Emergency Response Team) volunteers and ensuring the ongoing viability of the CERT program in Cupertino. She runs 'welcome to Cupertino CERT' course for city residents who take the CERT course offered by Santa Clara County Fire. This crucial course is required to matriculate city residents into the city's CERT program. Bev and Jerry have served as instructor for weekly classes for approximately 20 weeks in 2012 using their course materials. Jerry also writes a monthly Simply Safe article in the Cupertino Scene. He is an excellent writer and provides pertinent safety and preparedness advice each month with a new topic. Jerry has written detailed training documents on a wide variety of emergency response topics, including: Disaster psychology, Incident reporting, Safety and security, First Aid / Triage and many others.

8) Don Van Buren: Don's generosity of his time, talent and resources and exemplary and reaches a wide range of people that span various geographies, age groups, and faith communities over many years. He has given his time to AYSO as coach and referee, volunteers at the West Valley Community Services, member of the board of Cupertino HOOPS basketball and volunteer track and field official. He is also volunteers with the CONNECT Group that helps the economically disadvantaged and also contributes his time to Kennedy Middle School as parent chaperone on overnight field trips.

Cupertino Historical Society and Museum Annual Meeting and Speaker Program

Wednesday, May 1, 2013, Quinlan Community Center, Cupertino Room
The Battle for Peaceful Mountain (The Little City That Could), Presented by Doug McNeil

There will be refreshments at 6:30 pm, board elections at 7 pm followed by the presentation at 7:10 pm. For more information visit www.cupertinohistoricalsociety.org.

by Jerry Tallinger - Cupertino CERT member

Will You Be Ready For The Next Earthquake?

There is probably one happening today, in fact, there are several thousand earthquakes worldwide and about 60 every day in California. It's hard to believe, but it is true. Most earthquakes are below 2.5 in magnitude and generally cannot be felt by humans. You should really be concerned about the next BIG earthquake. With the density of population in Cupertino and expensive expensive infrastructures, large earthquakes pose a risk to our lives and community. With all that risk, it is time to get educated about earthquakes. **Are you ready?**

Earthquakes happen along fault lines or cracks in the earth's mantle or shell where large sections of the earth are either slowly grinding together sideways, or slowly moving under one another. Of course there is resistance and every so often, it moves suddenly. This creates an earthquake. The earthquake is measured in terms of magnitude and intensity. Magnitude is measured by sensitive instruments called Seismograms. Magnitude is the size of the earthquake at its source and intensity is the effect which varies by location. In the Richter scale, an increase of one unit of magnitude (from 4.0 to 5.0) means a 10-fold increase in the size of the earthquake.

There are plenty of good sources of earthquake information on the internet, but the best source I found for current information is the United States Geological Survey site (USGS).

You can look at recent earthquakes at: <http://earthquake.usgs.gov/earthquakes/recenteqs/> or explore the Cupertino area fault lines at: <http://geohazards.usgs.gov/qfaults/ca/California.php> or view interactive shake maps at <http://quake.abag.ca.gov/shaking/> (this one is fun!) or to simply learn more go to: <http://earthquake.usgs.gov/learn/>

What If a Large Earthquake Hits

Your first priority during an earthquake is to stay safe. The USGS website has this advice.

If you are indoors, DROP to the ground; take COVER by getting under a sturdy table or other piece of furniture; and HOLD ON until the shaking stops. If there isn't a table or desk near you, cover your face and head

with your arms and crouch in an inside corner of the building. Stay away from glass, windows, outside doors and walls, and anything that could fall, such as lighting fixtures or furniture. Stay in bed if you are there when the earthquake strikes. Hold on and protect your head with a pillow, unless you are under a heavy light fixture that could fall. In that case, move to the nearest safe place. Stay inside until the shaking stops and it is safe to go outside. If you attempt to go outside while it is shaking, you risk falling down or getting hit by falling debris.

If you are outdoors, stay there. Move away from buildings, streetlights, and utility wires. Once in the open, stay there until the shaking stops. Again, the greatest danger is from falling debris.

If you are in a moving vehicle, stop as quickly as safety permits and stay in the vehicle. Avoid stopping near or under buildings, trees, overpasses, and utility wires. Proceed cautiously once the earthquake has stopped.

Have a Communications Plan

Phones may not work after an earthquake or may be overloaded. Everyone wants to call family and relatives at the same time. Out of area calls will get precedence so have an out-of-area contact such as a family member, and give them a list of others who may be calling them. Let all your family and friends know that this is going to be your main person for information after an earthquake or other disaster and that everyone should contact them.

Also, cell phones may not work but hard wired phones (not cable or internet phones) and pay phone booths may work, so keep some quarters handy for pay phones. Also, it is better to send a text message as it is more likely to make it through if lines are clogged. If you don't know how to text, have a teenager show you how, or consult your cell phone company for text message instructions before you need it.

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If you do only one thing to prepare this month...

Find out more about volunteering by talking to an existing Cupertino CCC team member or sign-up for one of classes above. Be a volunteer!

by Gail Fretwell-Hugger

In 1975, I took my two daughters, aged 12 and 11, up Mt. Eden Road in the Saratoga foothills, to visit a grand old lady – the Garrod family matriarch - Emma S. Garrod. After a lively visit, with many stories, Emma gave us a signed copy of the book she had written about her life in the mountains when they were wild and somewhat woolly in the early 1900's.

Her book, entitled "One Life, Mine" is probably one of the best reminiscences and cultural histories of the early days in the last century. The Garrod family property has survived into the present, as a family run winery and vineyards with a renowned riding stable and horse boarding facility - one of the very few family ranch properties to survive the 20th century onslaught of post WWII development and explosion of high-tech complexes.

For anyone interested in the common, everyday living experiences of a woman and period of time that seems foreign to our modern way of life, Emma's book is a treasure. She explains her days and the era she lives in with poignant clarity - as a motherless young woman, with two sisters, trying to work as hard as possible on the ranch and trying to please her demanding and autocratic father. She did a man's work without complaint and when things between them grew unworkable, her father demanded that she leave and make her own way. So she did, moving to San Francisco, going to Heald's Business College with her meager savings and working - sometimes for 10 cents a day.

After the 1906 Earthquake and several jobs and mishaps later - in 1916, at the age of 30 and nearly resigned to being an old maid forever... Emma Stolte married. In her book, she describes herself... "Now here I was thirty odd years old with a goodly number of years of housekeeping, farm work and what not to my credit; no different than any innocent sixteen year old, preparing to embark on the matrimonial sea. I had long been accustomed to having some wag introduce as "the best preserved antique on the mountain" or to being told, "You've been on the shelf so long, you are dusty."

Emma describes how widowers with grown families had never appealed to her (as potential suitors) and the single men that did appeal to her had wanted her to go to faraway places like Alaska, Canada or the (Hawaiian) Islands. Then she says that this time it was "different." She describes her future husband as "straight and dependable."

Vince Garrod was an eldest son, partly

responsible for the family farm, a 65 acre property in the Saratoga foothills. She describes her marriage plans - hers, Vince's and her father's. "Now we had three different points of view: I said, let us be married by a justice of the peace, as I have no hard and fast religious convictions nor any church affiliations." Vince said, "We will be married by an Episcopal minister. That has always been my faith. I wouldn't feel right about being married any other way." Emma's father said, "Now see here my girl - both your sisters had their weddings away from home, the way they wanted. I'm not letting you get away with anything like that, whether you choose a justice of the peace or an Episcopal minister is your affair, settle it between you. You will be married here at home, invite relatives, friends and neighbors and have a real jollification." Emma's next comment is..."Guess who won."



Emma and Vince took a very dusty trip over the mountains on the graveled, newly completed Santa Cruz Highway, to obtain their marriage license (as Emma's home was in S.Cruz County in the mts.) She handwrote all the invitations and one neighbor - a lady of whom she was fond - responded and exclaimed, "Good Lord, I'd rather go to your funeral than your

wedding! Marriage is a delusion anyway you look at it!" So the neighbor was not invited and she was deeply offended. Emma remarked that this lady would not be able to come to Emma's funeral as her own took place some years hence.

A hundred guests came and the minister was described as a "frail, little man who looked as though his greatest need was for someone to say "rest a bit while I untangle some of life's problems for you and ease the load generally." The guests dined on cold, roast pork and potato salad with wine and coffee and the pork was good.

Vince's father and young cousin came to the wedding. His mother stayed home for this strange reason -her own mother had not attended any of her children's weddings, so neither would she attend Vince and Emma's wedding. Thus Emma began her life as a ranch wife and eventually mother to three children - Louise, Vince and Dick. Emma's descriptions of her in-laws, especially her mother-in-law, are in the tradition of fun family stories.

Her book contains vivid stories of the many aspects of ranch life, her early working years in San Francisco, the 1906 Earthquake, and stories of city and mountain neighbors, dances and colorful mountain characters.

cupertino library

LIBRARY INFORMATION | 10800 Torre Avenue, Cupertino

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday.....	10 am – 9 pm
Tuesday.....	10 am – 9 pm
Wednesday.....	10 am – 9 pm
Thursday.....	10 am – 9 pm
Friday.....	10 am – 6 pm
Saturday.....	10 am – 6 pm
Sunday.....	12 pm – 6 pm

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

General Library Number.....	408.446.1677
Adult and Teen Reference.....	408.446.1677, ext. 3372
Children's Reference.....	408.446.1677, ext. 3373
Accounts, Billing.....	800.286.1991
TeleCirc.....	800.471.0991

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:

SAVE ENERGY AND MONEY WITH A GREEN@HOME DO-IT-YOURSELF TOOLKIT!

The City of Cupertino and the Cupertino Library have teamed up to bring library patrons a new, free, eco-friendly service – the Green@Home Do-It-Yourself (DIY) Toolkit!

Cupertino Library patrons can borrow a Green@Home DIY Toolkit for one week and use the kit's tools to install a range of FREE utility conserving devices, also provided in the kit. After installing the DIY Toolkit's equipment, which includes CFL light bulbs, faucet aerators, a low-flow shower head and weather stripping, patrons can save up to \$200 annually.

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 staff would like to thank the Friends of the Cupertino Library for its generous sponsorship of many of the Library's programs for children and families.

JOIN THE LIBRARY KIDS CAN! CLUB TODAY

What can Library Kids do? Anything! Ask for the Library Kids Can! booklet at the Cupertino Children's Reference Desk to be part of the Library Kids Can! club. There are different activities and programs to do each month for children 3rd grade and older.

Programs for Teens

MONTA VISTA HIGH SCHOOL & CUPERTINO LIBRARY TEEN TECHNOLOGY

Symposium – PART 2!

Friday, May 17, 5 – 9 pm

Cupertino Community Hall

Get ready, because the Teen Technology Symposium is back! Join us as we welcome some of the top names in the technology field as they provide the audience with inside information on what it takes to be a titan of the tech industry. If you have budding interest in the technology field, you do not want to miss this! Raffle prizes will be given and refreshments will be served. Open to all ages.

TEEN BOOK CLUB

Thursday, May 23, 4 – 5 pm

Cupertino Library Story Room

Join us for fun, friends, and food as our Teen Book Club discusses the bestselling hit, *Looking for Alaska*, by John Green. Register and pick up your free copy of the book at the Adult Reference Desk, on the second floor of the Library. Space is limited. Ages 13-18. Sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

TEEN STUDY DAYS

Saturday, May 25, 12 – 5:30 pm

Sunday, May 26, 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 – 18. Sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

Programs for Adults

ESL Conversation Club

Every Friday, 1 – 2:30 pm

Cupertino Community Hall*

(*The May 3rd meeting will be held in the Cupertino Library Story Room; all other meetings in May will be held at 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 Conver-

sation Club, please e-mail wjaw@sccl.org. Sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

BIG HISTORY: An Introduction to (Nearly) Everything with John Hostettler

All programs will be held in the Cupertino Library Story Room

**Wednesday, May 1, 7 – 8:30 pm:
Agricultural Civilizations**

**Wednesday, May 8, 7 – 8:30 pm:
The Industrial Revolution**

**Wednesday, May 15, 7 – 8:30 pm:
20th Century and the Future**

This nine-part series on Big History continues. Curious about the history of the cosmos, Earth, life and humanity? Join chemistry professor John Hostettler he explores Big History – from the Big Bang to the formation of the Earth and from the evolution of life to human history using DVDs from the Teaching Company.

CHINESE BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

**Thursday, May 9, 10 am – 12 pm
Cupertino Library Teen Study Room
(2nd floor)**

The group will read and discuss *Hand Me Down World* by Lloyd Jones.

This program is conducted in Mandarin Chinese.

Sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

AN INTRODUCTION TO ZEN MEDITATION

**Wednesday, May 15 from 7 – 8 pm
Cupertino Community Hall**

This workshop will introduce the basic points of posture and correct breathing which helps focus the mind on chakras, or energy points within the body.

ADULT BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

**Thursday, May 16 from 7 - 8:30 pm
Cupertino Library Story Room**

The Adult Book Discussion Group reads *Plainsong* by Kent Haruf. This event is generously sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

**AUTHOR VISIT: Ro Khanna,
author of Entrepreneurial Nation
Saturday, May 18, 2 – 3 pm**

Cupertino Community Hall

Author Ro Khanna discusses his book *Entrepreneurial Nation*. This provocative book from a former Deputy Assistant Secretary of Commerce will explode the myths you've been fed by the media and reinforce your faith in American ingenuity. Khanna takes you inside Washington's economic think tanks and onto the front lines of the most innovative companies in the nation. Ro Khanna served as the Deputy Assistant Secretary at Commerce in the Obama Administration.

BONE MARROW DRIVE

Sunday, May 19, 12 – 4 pm

Cupertino Community Hall

The Asian American Donor Program is hosting a bone marrow/stem cell registration drive, and the organization needs your help! Be the one to save a life!

Also at the Cupertino Library

KNITTING AT THE LIBRARY

**Every Tuesday, 4 – 6 pm
Cupertino Library Story Room**

Bring your needles and yarn to the Library every Tuesday and join the drop-in knitting program. Knitters of all skill levels and ages are welcome.

For Your Information

THE FRIENDS OF THE CUPERTINO LIBRARY BESTSELLER COLLECTIONS: Print, DVD and BluRay formats now available

Funded by the Friends of the Cupertino Library, these Bestseller Collections are designed to make it easier than ever to find a bestselling book or movie (in DVD or BluRay formats) when you visit the Library. The items are available on a first-come, first-served basis (no reserves). All titles check out for one week.

FRIENDS OF THE CUPERTINO LIBRARY BOOK SALE

**Saturday, May 4, 9 am – 4 pm
Sunday, May 5, 12 pm – 3 pm
Cupertino Community Hall**

There are no preview sales. Come on in and browse the gently-read books for sale – you never know what treasures you can find.



adult 50 plus news

Season To Grow

To everything there is a season, a time for every purpose! Come to our 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

May BBQ and Blues Birthday Bash Wednesday, May 8, 12 pm

We will be cranking up the grill for some delicious BBQ chicken and Blues music, performed by Steve Siacotos of the bay area's own Groove Kings. Join us for great food, great fun, and great music! Members with May birthdays will be honored. Members \$8, senior guests add \$5 day pass.

Accordion Concert

Monday, May 13, 12 - 1 pm

Ten accordionists from bay area will join their talents in offering a concert for our members; they will play classical music from famous composers. Don't miss this great opportunity to listen to the masters play. Members free, senior guests pay \$5 day pass. Please sign up at the lobby table.

Nutrition and Forever Young

Wednesday, May 15, 10 - 11 am English 11 am - 12 pm Mandarin

Join registered dietician Grace Shi, as she discusses the role of nutrition in ways to prevent high blood pressure, high cholesterol, osteoporosis, etc. Members free, senior guests pay \$5 day pass. Please sign up at the lobby table.

Aging Eye - Health Lecture

Monday, May 20, 10 - 11 am

Dr. Barbara Erny, ophthalmologist from Palo Alto Medical Foundation, will discuss conditions that affect the eye as people age, such as cataract, glaucoma, dry eye, etc. Free for members, senior guests pay \$5 day pass. Please sign up at the lobby table.

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 \$10, senior guests add \$5 day pass. Space limited, register early.

Wednesday Lunch!

Join us for a delicious meal at 12 pm. Members \$6, senior guests add \$5 day pass. Pre-registration is required. Some items may be substituted due to availability.

May 15 - Shredded chicken taco

May 22 - Chicken Waldorf sandwich

Book Review Meeting

Friday, May 3, 1:15 - 3 pm

Enjoy the stimulating monthly meeting. Book of choice: In the Garden of Beasts by Erik Larson, reviewed by Alan Johnson. Free for members. Senior guests pay \$5 day pass.

Sing-A-Long

Wednesday, May 22, 1:30 - 2:30 pm

Sing-A-Long to popular songs and old favorites while accompanied by guitar and ukulele. Members free, senior guests pay \$5 day pass. Sign up at the lobby table.

Movie of the Month

Wednesday, 1:30 - 3:30 pm

May 29 - Hachi: A Dog's Tale 2009 movie based on a true story. Lemonade and popcorn will be served. Members free, senior guests pay \$5 day pass.

Spring Chickens Fitness

Monday & Wednesday, May 20-July 15, 2:30 - 3:30 pm

This is a chair-based fitness class designed by the Generations Community Wellness to improve strength, balance, and flexibility for members with a wide range of abilities. Sign up and get moving, every little bit helps. Member fee \$50

Gourmet Cooking for Health

Wednesday, May 1, 10 am - 1 pm

Join Suzanne as she shows you how to cook a gourmet meal without compromising on good taste and a healthy diet. She will prepare Mediterranean Red Lentil Soup, Salmon Cakes with creamy dill sauce, Asian Style Slaw, Black Rice, Cherry and Kale Salad, Grilled Cinnamon Pineapple with Yogurt Balsamic Citrus Sauce. Member fee \$60

Sandlot Social 2013

Thursdays, 9am - 12 pm

Join us for the love of the game; softball for 50+ has hit Cupertino so dust off your cleats and oil your glove. The Memorial Park softball field will be the home of the Sandlot Social on Thursday mornings in 2013.

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.

Legal Planning for the Future

Tuesday, June 4, 1:30 - 4 pm

Join us for a presentation by Janis Carney. This presentation will explore the various stages of planning with concentration on planning for the second half of life, and what may happen when one fails to plan for these years. It will also discuss the available care options, public resources, and pre-planning options. Planning ahead will en-

sure your readiness for whatever the future may bring. Sign up at the lobby table, open to the public.

iPad Fundamentals II

Thursdays, May 16 - June 6, 1 - 3 pm

Know the basics? This class will help you take full advantage of your mobile device. Please bring your iPad fully charged. Best if taken after iPad Fundamentals. Member fee \$22.

Maintain Your PC

Tuesday, May 7 - June 4, 1 - 3 pm

This is quite possibly the most important course a computer user can take to learn to prevent computer catastrophes – how to repair problems that occur – how to energize your computer by deleting unnecessary files. Demonstration of how to use an 'external drive' (bring yours for hands-on use). Member fee \$22.

Apple 101 & More

Wednesday, May 15 – June 19, 12 – 2 pm

We are very excited to offer you the ability to learn the Apple computer which makes its home here in Cupertino. Learn how to navigate an Apple computer with the basics of typing, keyboarding, and the art of using the

mouse. Member fee \$32.

PC Beginning: Internet Basics

Tuesday, May 7 – June 4, 10 - 12 pm

Surf the net, ask questions, shop, shed light on medical problems, and more!

Pre-requisite: Familiarity and prior knowledge of computer basics. Member fee \$22.

ADULT 50 PLUS TRIPS

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

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! Price: \$4,406 double occupancy

Rediscover Cuba – A Cultural Exploration November 17 - 25, 2013

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. Member Cost: \$4,219 pp double. Space limited!

DAY TRIPS

Out-to-Lunch Bunch – Boudin, Tuesday, May 7

**History by the Bay with Gary,
Thursday, May 9, \$99**

**Jack London Call of the Wild,
Thursday, May 16, \$91**

Cruising Napa, Thursday, May 23, \$159

Carmel-by-the-Sea, Wednesday, May 29, \$39

**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 – Aqi,
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

The Better Part

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

MAY 6, 7 & 10

Serving Your City – Find out how volunteer commissioners are appointed to advise the Cupertino City Council in specified areas where they have expertise.

MAY 13, 14 & 17

The Culture of Tea – Tea is served at local restaurants with food from around the world. Learn about buying tea and its health benefits.

MAY 20, 21 & 24

American Institute of Mathematics – Learn about the American Institute of Mathematics, AIM, from its Director, Dr. Brian Conrey, in Palo Alto and moving to a "Castle" in Morgan Hill, California.

MAY 27, 28 & 31

Agricultural History Project - Agricultural History Project – Antique farm and dairy equipment donated from Central Coast farms are displayed and demonstrated in the Agricultural History Project Museum at the Santa Cruz Fairgrounds.

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EMAIL: seniorcntr@cupertino.org
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Environmental Recycling Day & Document Shredding Event Saturday, May 18

The next Environmental Recycling Day & Document Shredding Event will be held on Saturday, May 18 from 9 am – 1 pm at De Anza College, parking lot “A”. The City of Cupertino and Recology offer this free drive-through, drop-off service for Cupertino residents three times per year to encourage extended use of products and to prevent valuable resources from being sent to the landfill. Accepted items are: Electronic Waste (i.e., computers, monitors and printers), Universal Waste (batteries, cell phones, CFLs and fluorescent tubes), reusable furniture and clothing (please no dirty, stained, or torn items, and no mattresses), and residential documents for confidential on-site shredding (two (2) box limit). Recycling Day compliments the FREE e-waste drop off location offered each Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 8 am - 4:30 pm at Apple Computer, 10300 Bubb Rd.

Creek Clean Up Event, Saturday, May 18

The City of Cupertino will be hosting a community cleanup on Saturday, May 18th, from 9 am to noon at Creekside Park, 10455 Miller Avenue, Cupertino. Volunteers and City staff will clean up areas surrounding Calabazas Creek, which runs along Creekside Park. Gloves, trash grabbers, and other tools will be distributed. Volunteers are encouraged to dress for safety; wear old shoes, rain boots or equivalent, long sleeves, pants, and sunscreen. Free refreshments will be offered. Do something good for your community and have fun. Make it a family event! Register at www.cleanacreek.org or contact the City at 408.777.3354.

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.



To avoid a missed pickup on garbage day and to help prevent the spread of litter, be sure that your garbage, recycling, and compost bins are always completely closed when placed at the curb. Do not overfill containers to the point where they cannot close all the way. An overflowing container may result in the garbage company not emptying your container, for concerns that it may be overweight. In addition, a container that is not completely closed is exposed to rodents, birds, and wind that could remove the materials from your container, create unsightly litter and cause the spread of garbage to the storm drain system. Garbage that enters a storm drain is not removed or treated, but flows to our local creeks and Bay, which can be hazardous to water quality and animal and aquatic life. If you have excess garbage, recycling, or organic material, consider putting it out over multiple service days or call Recology at 408.725.4020, for extra weight tags (for a fee) or to see if you can use one of your free On-Call pickup days.

End Cigarette Litter or Pay the Price

Cigarette butts are one of the most costly forms of litter. On March 15, 2013, the City Council adopted a litter ordinance (9.18.210 CMC) that includes fines from \$100 - \$500 to litterers for damage to the environment and the expense they bring to the City.

Cigarettes are often thrown from cars, discarded in parking lots, and other open areas outside. When tobacco products are disposed in the environment they often make their way to the storm drain system and into local creeks and the Bay. Studies show, 32% of the litter found in drain inlets are tobacco related products. Cigarette litter is unsightly and expensive for our city to clean up and it's hazardous to waterways and wildlife. Cigarette filters are composed of cellulose acetate, a form of plastic which persists in the environment. Cigarette butts release toxic chemicals into the water and animals and marine life often mistake cigarette filters for food. If you smoke, please do your part. Always use your car ashtray, carry a pocket ashtray, or seek out a public ashtray or cigarette receptacle.



Is Your Bin Too Full?

Car Washing Tips to Save the Bay

Wash cars on an unpaved surface where dirty water won't flow into a driveway, street, gutter or storm drain. Empty your bucket of soapy water into a sink or toilet. Minimize soap and water use. Even biodegradable soap is toxic to wildlife. Clean brake dust off of wheels with paper towels, and dispose of towels in the trash. Wash your car at a professional car wash where rinse water is recycled. A Watershed Watch Discount Card is available at www.mywatershedwatch.org.

A Green Teen Project

Ardak Askhatova, Cupertino Library Teen Advisory Board member

This spring, big things are sprouting up at the Cupertino Library. Most notably, the addition of a full-scale, self-contained vegetable garden housed in the library's courtyard! The garden is part of the new Green Teen Garden Project, an initiative designed to help teach gardening and green living skills to local high school teenagers. This project developed by Teen Services Librarian, Matthew Lorenzo, and his Teen Advisory Board (TAB), will enhance the courtyard's appearance and benefit the community by creating a space where gardening workshops could be held.



In order to gain support for the project, the TAB did a presentation for the Cupertino Library Commission. Two raised garden beds, protective fencing, and a compost bin were erected, and, in keeping with the project's green theme, teens recycled empty 2-liter soda bottles and soil to create seed sprouters. Plants were cultivated as organically as possible and for the inaugural growing season, vegetation will consist of cucumbers, lettuce, peppers, tomatoes, beans, cilantro and basil.

Teens involved in the project are responsible for the daily maintenance and upkeep of the garden. Providing additional assistance, Cupertino's chapter of the Master Gardeners organization will lead ongoing workshops for the teens. Yamagami's Nursery has donated all of the soil and amendments; Reenee's Seeds has contributed all of the seeds and sprouts; the City of Cupertino's Public Works Department installed the irrigation system, and donated the compost bins. The entire project is being generously funded by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

Dispose of Pet Waste Properly

Pet waste is among the common stormwater pollutants that contaminate creeks. The storm drain system is a network of gutters, pipes and open channels designed for flood control. It directs runoff – untreated – from streets and parking lots to our local creeks. Polluted stormwater degrades our water quality and can kill or damage plants, fish and wildlife. In your yard or walking your dog, it's easy to do the right thing. Please bring a dog duty bag or a used plastic bag on walks and always pick up after your pets.



Helping Geese Migrate Here's why

Pilot Program to Manage Canadian Geese in Memorial Park to begin in May

Goose droppings are a problem in Cupertino, particularly at Memorial Park. Following public discussion and direction provided by City Council, Cupertino's Department of Public Works is moving forward with using dogs to harass the geese.

Starting in mid-May through mid-June, specially trained, dogs will be at Memorial Park to manage and reduce the geese population in Memorial Park. Through this pilot program, we're hopeful that the park will become more people friendly as a result.

Dogs will be under the control of a trained dog handler at all times and will be leashed or kenneled when they are not actively working. In the past, the City has employed other methods such as the use of a mute swan decoy (a natural predator), sprinklers, and use of black dye in the Memorial Park pond.

For questions or more information about this pilot program, visit cupertino.org/geesemanagement.



community calendar

MAY	CLUB / ORGANIZATION	TIME	LOCATION	PHONE	WEB/EMAIL	
2 THUR	C.A.R.E.S	7:30 pm	City Hall Mtg. Room 100	408.345.8372	cupertinoares.org/	
4 SAT	De Anza Flea Market	8 to 4 p.m	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	
6 MON	Planetarium Shows*	7 pm	De Anza Planetarium	408.864.8814	planetarium.deanza.edu	
	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	
7 TUE	American Legion Post 642	7:00 pm	10201 Imperial Avenue #3	408.374.6392	sccgov.org/portal/site/va	
	School Emergency Preparedness	9:30 am	City Hall Mtg. Room 100	408.777.3176		
8 WED	Viewfinders Digital Video Club	7:30 pm	Community Center - In Cupertino Room	408.520.1379	viewfindersclub.org	
9 THUR	Cupertino Quota*	12-1 pm	The Blue Pheasant	408.252.8568	cupertino.quota@yahoo.com	
10 FRI	Cupertino Las Madres*	10 to 1 pm	Call for location	408.861.0417	lasmadres.org	
	De Anza Kiwanis*	7:15 am	Intl. House of Pancakes	408.973.1832	classic.kiwanis.org	
	HP Communicator Toastmasters	7:00 am	10181 Finch Avenue-Bethel Lutheran Church	408.673.182	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 WED	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	
	16 THUR	De Anza Lions Club*	6:45 am	Holders Country Inn	408.255.3093	deanzalions.org/
		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	408.873.119	ega-gpr.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.

MAY	CLUB / ORGANIZATION	TIME	LOCATION	PHONE	WEB/EMAIL
16 THUR	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
18 SAT	American Association of University Women	11:00 am	Sunnyvale Presbyterian Church 728 West Fremont Ave.	408.298.656	eadorable@sbcglobal.net
19 SUN	Hindu Swayamsevak Sangh USA*	10-1:30	Creekside Park Hall	408.368.0357	www.hssus.org
20 MON	Cupertino Odd Fellows*	8 am	20589 Homestead Rd.	408.252.3954	cupertinoioof70.org
	Fine Arts League	7 pm	Community Center	408.863.9991 Ask for Janki Chokshi	falc.org
23 THUR	CERT/MRC	7-9 pm	City Hall MTg. Room 100		
	Cupertino Quota*	12-1 pm	The Blue Pheasant	408.252.8568	cupertino.quota@yahoo.com
24 FRI	Malihini Orchid Society	7:30 pm	Hewlett-Packard, Oak Rm.	408.267.3397	malihini.org
28 TUE	Alcoholics Anonymous* Women's Group	7:00 pm	Bethel Luth. Church, 940 S. Stelling Rd.	408.374.8511	aasanjose.org
	Al-ANON Family Group*	5:00 pm	Bethel Lutheran Church, 10181 Finch Ave., Fireside Room	408.379.9375	ncwsa.org/scvafg
	Cupertino Kiwanis*	Noon	The Blue Pheasant	408.252.383	cupertinkiwani.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	
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CITY MEETINGS

MAY 1	Library Commission (EOC)	7 pm
MAY 1	Technology, Info & Communication Comm. (Conf. Rm. A)	7 pm
MAY 2	Environmental Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)	9:30 am
MAY 2	Design Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)	5 pm
MAY 2	Parks and Recreation Commission (Community Hall)	7 pm
MAY 7	City Council Meeting (Community Hall)***	6:45 pm
MAY 8	Teen Commission (QCC)	6:15 pm
MAY 9	Housing Commission (Conf. Rm. C)	9 am
MAY 9	Administrative Hearing meeting	5 pm
MAY 9	Public Safety Commission (Conf. Rm. A)	7 pm
MAY 14	Planning Commission (Community Hall)***	6:45 pm
MAY 15	Bicycle and Pedestrian Commission (Conf. Rm. A)	7 pm
MAY 16	Environmental Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)	9:30 am
MAY 16	Design Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)	5 p.m
MAY 18	Environmental Recycling Day	9 am - 1 pm
MAY 21	City Council Meeting (Community Hall)***	6:45 pm
MAY 22	Teen Commission (QCC)	6:15 pm
MAY 22	Fine Arts Commission	7 pm
MAY 23	Administrative Hearing meeting	5 pm
MAY 28	Planning Commission (Community Hall)***	6:45 pm

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

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council actions

SPECIAL MEETING TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 2013

Council Members Present:

Chang, Mahoney, Santoro, Sinks, Wong

Absent: None

Received the report and no action was taken on the Conference with Labor Negotiator (Government Code 54957.6)

Gave instructions to staff on Conference with Real Property Negotiator (Gov't Code Sec. 54956.8)

Presented the Proclamation for 2013 Arbor Day

Accepted the presentation from the Board of Trustees of the Foothill-DeAnza Community College District

Approved the March 5th City Council minutes

Adopted the Resolution No. 13-022 accepting Accounts Payable for period ending February 22, 2013

Adopted the Resolution No. 13-023 accepting Accounts Payable for period ending March 1, 2013

Amended the Salary Schedule to reflect new position; Traffic Signal Technician, Apprentice

Adopted the Resolution No. 13-024 supporting SB629-TEA

Continued the item to April 2nd to Approve attached criteria for Cupertino support of special event

Adopted the Resolution No. 13-025 approving the Tract Map, Bollinger Venture, LLC

Adopted the Resolution No. 13-026 approving the Improvement Agreement, Bollinger Venture, LLC, APR: 359-22-077

Approved the Alcoholic Beverage License, Ajito Izakaya Dining, 7335 Bollinger Road, #C1

1. Conducted the first reading of the 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" to clarify references to public trees and modify penalties for violations

2. Provided direction to staff on scope of further amendments to Chapter 14.18 to be studied: to review tree removal process for planned residential development; and authorized the City Manager to enter into a consultant services contract in an amount not to exceed \$65,000

Denied the appeal, upholding the Director of Public Work decision to require the relocation of the existing utility pole, located near the northeast corner of appellant's property, to a location behind the proposed new curb and gutter required along the property frontage

1) Adopted the Resolution approving streamlining of the City Council's Consent Calendar by amending the approval authority for Bingo permits, improvement agreements and public improvement acceptance. (Alcohol Beverage License approval authority shall remain with the City Council and will continue to appear on the Consent Calendar)

2) Conducted the first reading of the Ordinance

3) Conducted the first reading of the Ordinance

Authorized the City Manager to negotiate and execute lease agreement for property known as The Blue Pheasant Restaurant with Hungry Jack's Restaurant Corporation and Mike Tsachres:

1) Add a sign in the parking lot noting when the lot closes (staff to work with sheriff's dept to make sure sign is enforceable)

2) Lessee to provide security to ensure trash is picked up in parking lot

3) Doors closed at 11 pm and no more patrons allowed in

4) Stop serving alcohol at 11:30 pm

5) Stop music at 12 am

6) All patrons must be out of parking lot by 12:30 am

7) 5-year lease

8) Fines of \$200, \$400, \$1000 (equivalent to two times the penalty for administrative citation) for allowing patrons to come in after 11 pm

9) Include percent of revenue in lease (staff to find out what is common)

10) Lessee to paint inside of facility and add new carpet

11) City to paint outside of facility and landscape

12) Option to extend lease

REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 2013

Council Members Present:

Chang, Mahoney, Santoro, Sinks, Wong

Absent: None

Gave direction to staff on Workers' Compensation Claim (Government Code Section 54956.95); Claimant: Scott Nemetz; Agency Claimed Against: City of Cupertino

Presented the Proclamation for Wen-Ying Jaw congratulating her for her academic contribution to the community

Accepted the Presentation from The Water Savers

Approved the March 19 City Council minutes

Adopted the Resolution No. 13-028 to accept Accounts Payable for period ending March 8, 2013

Adopted the Resolution No. 13-029 to accept Accounts Payable for period ending March 15, 2013

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 proposal will be entertained after March 1st of each year except under dire circumstances and it requires the approval of a majority of the City Council.

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 benefit 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 and the event volunteer hours and sponsors

1) Conducted the second reading and enacted the Ordinance No. 13-2108 for Bingo permits

2) Conducted the second reading and enacted the Ordinance No. 13-2109 for Acceptance of Public Improvements

Adopted the Resolution approving 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

Approved the Council member Sinks request to teleconference for the closed session on April 16th

Continued item to May 7th to conduct the first reading of Ordinance No. 13-2110

news items

Simply Safe, Continued from Page 4

Upcoming Public Sessions:

Get some training at one of the class opportunities below.

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 Monday, May 6, 6 – 9 pm, Joan Pisani Community Center, Arts & Crafts Room, 19655 Allendale Ave, Saratoga. 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 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 408.341.4410.

Have Something to Contribute?

To submit information to "Cupertino Scene" email: scene@cutertino.org

Submission deadline
for the June edition is May 8.

Welcome New Businesses

Kara Kara Inc

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Gumba's Restaurant

21678 Stevens Creek Blvd

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20450 Stevens Creek Blvd Ste 140

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20400 Stevens Creek Blvd Ste 200

Scion Asset Management LLC

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Boudin SF

20682 Stevens Creek Blvd

Chase Lay MD

10050 Bubb Rd Ste 2

The Mothers Day Festival

World Journal invites you to join its annual "Mother's Day Festival" on Saturday and Sunday, May 11 - 12 from 10 am - 5 pm, at Cupertino Memorial Park. Come enjoy the event with your mom and family for two days of fun filled with live performances, arts and crafts vendors, and food prepared by Bay Area renowned food trucks. Over the two days of celebration, enjoy your days strolling in the park to booth area for gifts and crafts. While you're re-energizing with drinks and food, don't forget to check out the main stage for dance and band performances, and culinary shows brought to you by international acclaimed Taiwanese chefs. Visitors are also welcome to pick up a limited goodie bag prepared by World Journal and various community sponsors. For more information on Mother's Day event, please contact Peter Ho at 650.259.2045 or Sebastian Liu at 650.259.2024 or visit event website at: wjsf.us/mothersday.

Cupertino Symphonic Band Spring Concert

Sunday, May 19, 3 pm,
Quinlan Community Center

Come and enjoy the spring concert by Cupertino Symphonic Band conducted by Tom Narcisso. Donations of canned food for West Valley Community Services are welcome. For more information, call 408.262.0471 or visit www.netview.com/csb.



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