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SAVE the DATE

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME - Sunday, March 10

EARTH HOUR - Saturday, March 23, 8:30 pm

SPRING EGG HUNT - Saturday, March 30
La Colonia Park - 10:00 am

CINCO DE MAYO - Saturday, May 4
La Colonia Park - 1:00 - 4:00 pm

BIKE TO WORK DAY - Friday, May 17

MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY - Monday, May 27
La Colonia Park - 11:00 am

FIESTA DEL SOL - June 1 & 2
Plaza & Highway 101

CONCERTS AT THE COVE - June 13 - August 22
6:00 PM Thursdays - Fletcher Cove Park

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General Plan Update



On October 24, 2012, the City Council authorized release of the draft Housing Element to the State Housing and Community Development Department (HCD) for review and comment. At the end of November, HCD requested a few modifications to the document and City Staff addressed the topics identified through further discussion with HCD staff. On December 20, 2012, a letter was received from HCD stating that the City's draft Housing Element addresses all statutory requirements.

The Housing Element, with the modifications requested by HCD, was adopted by City Council at the February 13, 2013 Council meeting. The document has been resubmitted to the state for final certification and the associated Negative Declaration has been filed. With the Housing Element complete, emphasis for the General Plan Update is now on Land Use, Circulation, and the Climate Action Plan.

- ⊗ The Land Use Element identifies the location and intensity of land uses and specifies the types of uses permitted, the population density (persons per acre), and the building intensity (units per acre, the ratio of building floor area to total site area, etc.) for various land use designations.
- ⊗ The Circulation Element identifies the general location and extent of existing and proposed major thoroughfares (both within and outside the city), transportation routes, terminals (bus, train), and other local public utilities and facilities, all correlated with the Land Use Element of the plan. This Element must plan for a balanced, multimodal transportation network that meets the needs of all roadway users. It must also plan for safe and convenient travel in a manner that is suitable to the coastal community context of the General Plan.
- ⊗ The local Climate Action Plan (CAP) lays out a strategy and details the specific policies and measures that the City will take to address climate change and reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions.

The City offers on-going opportunities to be involved in the General Plan Update process through workshops, Council meetings, and the City website. The most recent public workshop was held on February 21, 2013, at City Hall, which included an update of the project to date, provided public review of the Land Use and Circulation Elements and the ability to give feedback, and engaged citizen participation in an interactive exercise to obtain community priorities and opinions regarding circulation.

For more information regarding the General Plan Update, please visit the [City's website](#).

CITY HALL GALLERY ARTISTS

SPRING 2013

March 1 - March 30

"The View From Here"

Fritz Rothman - Woodblock Monoprints
Carol Beth Rodriguez - Paintings



April 2 - May 15

"Exploring 3 Dimensions"

Cal Coast Academy Students
Paintings ~ Sculptures ~ Mixed Media



May 16 - June 30

"Oceans"

Tina Christiansen - Paintings



For more information about the City Hall Gallery, contact [Anita Edman](#) 858-720-2454.

Action Highlights

November 2012 – February 2013

Regular Meetings of the Solana Beach City Council are held at 6:00 p.m. on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at City Hall, 635 S. Highway 101. Agendas are posted online. Meetings are broadcast live on Cox (channel 19), Time Warner (channel 24 analog, channel 131 digital), AT&T U-Verse (channel 99), and are webcast live and archived online for future reference. For more information, contact the City Clerk's Office at 858-720-2400.

NOVEMBER 2012

- ⊗ Authorized an agreement with Teleque...On Fire for the Phase II installation of fire station alerting equipment in the amount of \$14,700.
- ⊗ Authorized an agreement amendment with Mikhail Ogawa Engineering for Stormwater Program Implementation Support, in the amount of \$10,000.
- ⊗ Approved an agreement with Darnell & Associates for On-Call, As-Needed Traffic Engineering Services, in the amount of \$10,000.
- ⊗ Approved an agreement with KOA Corporation for On-Call, As-Needed Traffic Engineering Services, in the amount of \$10,000.
- ⊗ Approved an agreement with the National Joint Powers Alliance for streamlining the purchasing of large, specialty items such as an emergency generator for City Hall.
- ⊗ Authorized the release of the Draft Integrated Report for a 60-day public review and comment period once the United States Army Corp Engineers (USACE) completes the draft report.
- ⊗ Assessed Del Mar Shores Beach Stairway Condition resulting in closure due to structural compromise. Final construction plans are being developed and Staff is exploring funding opportunities for the replacement project.
- ⊗ Re-established the Army Corps of Engineers and Regional Beach Nourishment Ad Hoc Committee appointing Councilmembers Campbell and Nichols.
- ⊗ Re-established the Environmental Sustainability Ad Hoc Committee appointing Councilmembers Heebner and Zahn.
- ⊗ Authorized the City's member share of the Hazardous Incident Response Team (HIRT) in the amount of \$17,272 to the County of San Diego

Office of Emergency Services.

- ⊗ Authorized the purchase of four (4) Mobile Data Computers for Public Safety from CDCE, Inc.
- ⊗ Provided support of the community group's fundraising for the independent construction of the Veteran's Memorial at La Colonia Park.
- ⊗ Authorized an agreement with Dudek in the amount of \$76,029 to design and prepare construction documents for the Solana Beach Pump Station electrical upgrades.
- ⊗ Authorized issuance of the Draft CEQA (California Environmental Quality Act) Initial Study and Mitigated Negative Declaration for a 60-day public review/comment period for the Fletcher Cove Community Center.

DECEMBER 2012

- ⊗ Certified the November 6, 2012 election results:
 - ⊗ Lesa Heebner, David A. Zito, and Peter Zahn were elected to the positions of Member of the City Council.
 - ⊗ Citizen Initiative Proposition W (Ordinance 437) to allow medical marijuana dispensaries in nonresidential zones failed to pass.
- ⊗ Annual Mayor Rotation: Council appointed Mayor Nichols and Deputy Mayor Campbell to the respective positions.
- ⊗ Authorized an amended contract with California Department of Boating and Waterways in the amount of \$94,000 for 50% of the direct costs associated with the preparation of technical studies.



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JANUARY 2013

- ⊗ Re-established the NCTD / Train Station Site Ad Hoc Committee, appointing Councilmembers Heebner and Nichols.
- ⊗ Annual Citizen Commission Applications were reviewed and appointments were made:
 - ⊗ Budget and Finance Commission - Craig Anthony, Gordon Johns, and Michael Whitton.
 - ⊗ Parks and Recreation Commission - Holly Coughlin, Chris Hohn, Steve Ostrow, and Peggy Walker.
 - ⊗ Public Arts Advisory Commission - Allen Moffson, Brett Reisdorf, and Carol Beth Rodriguez.
 - ⊗ Public Safety Commission - David Bittar, Bernhard Geierstanger, and Morey Rahimi.
 - ⊗ View Assessment Commission - Jewel Edison, Jack Hegenauer, Rebecca Lawson, and Dean Pasko.
- ⊗ Adopted General and Specialized Law Enforcement and Traffic Services agreement with County of San Diego for July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2017.
- ⊗ Approved a resolution of the City's position in support of the concept of a regional governance model for the Del Mar Fairgrounds to include representation from the cities of Solana Beach, Del Mar, San Diego, and the County of San Diego, in partnership with the 22nd District Agricultural Association for the purpose of achieving the best representation of impacted jurisdictions and regional interest to advance the successful operation of the Fairgrounds.
- ⊗ Annual Citizen Commission Applications were reviewed and appointments were made for remaining two positions:
 - ⊗ Public Safety Commission - William Fuhrman and Thomas Alexander.
- ⊗ Adopted the June 2011 Local Coastal Program (LCP) Land Use Plan (LUP) as modified by the California Coastal Commission on March 7, 2012 and June 14, 2012 and released specific proposed revised policy amendments for a six-week public review comment period.

FEBRUARY 2013

- ⊗ Authorized the submittal of the Housing Element and Negative Declaration document to the California Department of Housing and Community Development for Certification.

City Council Reorganization 2013

CITY COUNCIL 2013

MIKE NICHOLS - MAYOR (Dec 2012 - Dec 2013)

Appointed term expires Dec 2014

THOMAS M. CAMPBELL - DEPUTY MAYOR (Dec 2012 - Dec 2013)

Appointed term expires Dec 2014

LESA HEEBNER - COUNCILMEMBER

Appointed term expires Dec 2016

DAVID A. ZITO - COUNCILMEMBER

Appointed term expires Dec 2016

PETER ZAHN - COUNCILMEMBER

Appointed term expires Dec 2016



Come on out to this year's Fiesta Del Sol on Saturday, June 1 and Sunday, June 2. It is the 34th annual Fiesta held in Solana Beach and the principal fundraiser for the Solana Beach Chamber of Commerce.

Once again, the Belly Up is coordinating a great list of musicians to perform over the two days! This year the event coincides with the completion of the revamped Highway 101, and the merchants on the Highway 101 will also share in the Fiesta.

2013 offers a larger children's area for families to enjoy fun and exciting rides and games! In

addition to the regular merchant planned activities, monitored bike parking will be available and NCTD will provide special fares for the event days.

Fiesta Del Sol is designed so there is something for everyone. Everyone loved the food trucks, so there will be more food trucks. People wanted more upscale artists, so we contacted 90-juried artists to be part of our event. The local artists and food vendors will also be an integral part of the Fiesta. The beer and wine gardens are in their usual locations and the Lions Club volunteers will be returning to serve in the gardens to raise funds that support their local causes.

For more information about the 2013 Fiesta or the Solana Beach Chamber of Commerce, please contact Nichole Peterson, Executive Director, at 858-755-4775.



The City of Solana Beach Invites you to

The Children's Spring Festival & Egg Hunt

Saturday, March 30, 2013
at La Colonia Park -715 Valley Ave -Solana Beach

Limited to Children 3rd Grade & Under

10:30 ~ Egg Hunt - Plastic Eggs Filled with Treats
Bring a Bag or Basket to Collect Your Eggs

10:45 am - Noon ~ Games & Refreshments

For more information contact the City of Solana Beach
Parks & Recreation Department at 858-720-2453

Temporary Public Art Program

HEAVY METAL GUITAR

Heavy Metal Guitar, a sculpture by well-known artist Elon Ebanks, was recently installed in the median in front of the Sprouts/ Dixieline Shopping Center on Lomas Santa Fe Drive. The graceful piece leans in silence among the sturdy succulents, waiting to surprise motorists as they slow to turn into the shopping center. The Guitar is the one of the recent sculptures added to the City's Temporary Public Art Program and will be on loan for a minimum of one year.

For more information on the Heavy Metal Guitar, the Yoga Tree, or the Temporary Public Art Program, contact

[Anita Edman](#) at 858-720-2454



YOGA TREE

A new sculpture has been added to the City's popular Temporary Public Art Program at the corner of Highland Drive and Sun Valley Road, across from San Dieguito Park. Titled "Yoga Tree," the twelve-foot piece was inspired by a common Yoga posture known as "Tree Pose." Created by artist Brennan Hubbell, the sculpture balances firmly on one foot as it stretches upward, seeking harmony with the setting.

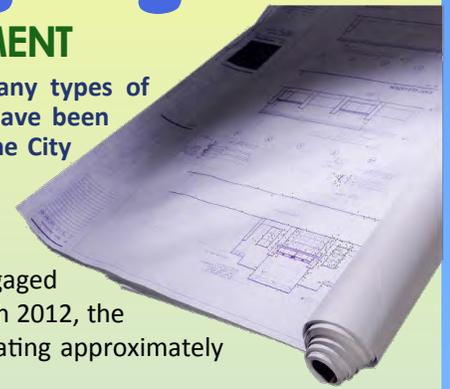
With the newly improved City sidewalk, the handsome landscaping, sponsored by the Solana Beach Civic & Historical Society, and the new Yoga Tree, the corner has become an inviting scene.

Planning Division Highlights

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

The State of California and local jurisdictions establish criteria for public review of many types of projects. The following is an abbreviated list of the larger projects and proposals that have been presented to the City of Solana Beach for consideration. For more information, contact the City Staff member assigned to the project at the number listed.

(All area codes 858 unless otherwise noted)



Draft Local Coastal Program Land Use Plan - The City of Solana Beach has been actively engaged in the preparation of a Local Coastal Program (LCP) Land Use Plan (LUP) since 2000. In March 2012, the CCC rejected the City's LUP and instead approved a modified version of the LUP incorporating approximately 150 CCC staff-initiated changes to the City's LUP.

On September 26, 2012, following several hours of public comment on the City's LUP and the CCC modified LUP, the Solana Beach City Council directed City Staff to accede the majority of the CCC revisions to the City's LUP and develop alternative policies to respond to the key issues raised in the lawsuits filed against the CCC.

City Staff prepared a revised draft LUP which was released for a six week review period in October 2012. Following the public review period, the City Council brought the item back for discussion at a Special Meeting of the City Council on December 5, 2012. At that time, the City Council directed Staff to continue working with interested stakeholders and CCC staff to develop compromise LUP policies that reflect the input of all participants and narrow the range of policies where there was not agreement. The item was brought back to the Council at a public hearing on February 27, 2013 to report back on progress made over the last six months and to present the City Council with various options for proceeding with the next steps in the LUP development process. The Council opted to adopt the CCC-approved LUP and concurrently prepare a draft Amendment to the LUP containing revisions to key policies to address the issues raised in the lawsuits relating to seawalls and bluff top development. The draft LUP Amendment will be publicly circulated for a six week review and comment period beginning in mid-March. The item is expected to be back before the City Council at a future public hearing in late May or early June 2013.

The LCP LUP contains key strategies and policies to provide comprehensive Citywide land use planning and sustainable shoreline policies focused on local conditions, goals and interests. The LCP is a planning document prepared by cities and counties for areas within the coastal zone as required by the California Coastal Act of 1976.

The LCP LUP is available for public review at City Hall and hard copies of the document are available for purchase. City Staff are currently preparing an updated version of the LUP which will incorporate the proposed LUP Amendment revisions into the CCC-approved LUP. In the interim, the October 2012 Draft LUP can be accessed [City's website](#). ([Wendé Protzman](#) 720-2439)

Beach Sand Replenishment and Retention Projects

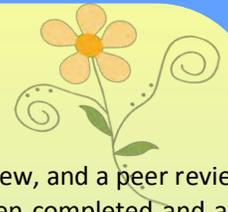
SCOUP - In January, the City initiated the process to extend its SCOUP regulatory permits from the California State Lands Commission, California Coastal Commission, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, and Regional Water Quality Control Board for an additional five years. Solana Beach was the first city to obtain all necessary federal, state, and regional regulatory permits needed to implement the Sand Compatibility and Opportunistic Use Program (SCOUP) in 2009. The City's SCOUP program is a key element of the City's long term shoreline management strategy. The program will allow placement of beach compatible sand on the City's beaches for development projects up to 150,000 cubic yards per year. The City is working to develop a SCOUP project and anticipates implementing its first SCOUP project in 2013-2014. If you know of a project which will have beach quality export material from a project site, please call [Wendé Protzman](#) 720-2439.

Southern California Reef Project at Fletcher Cove - The City continues to pursue federal and state grants and other funding opportunities to support continued progress to develop an offshore shoreline protection structure. In December 2011, the City hosted a public roundtable discussion at City Hall to discuss the current status and future of its reef project and to identify and discuss challenges and opportunities associated with building the structure. The meeting was facilitated by Dr. Richard Seymour, head of the Coastal Engineering Department at the Scripps Institution of Oceanography at UCSD.

More than 30 residents, surfers, biologists, engineers, and scientists attended the meeting and participated with City Staff and Council members in a productive discussion. Additionally, federal, State, and regional regulatory agency staff from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, California Department of Fish and Game, Regional Water Quality Control Board, and National Oceanic Atmospheric Administration also participated in this roundtable discussion.

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PLANNING DIVISION HIGHLIGHTS CONTINUED...



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Several reports on this project, including a conceptual engineering design, technical engineering design review, and a peer review of the draft report by ASR by Dr. Richard Seymour of UCSD Scripps Institution of Oceanography have been completed and are available for public review on the [City's website](#).

The City is in the process of applying for additional federal and state funds for the next phase of the project that would involve engineering design as well as environmental review and permitting tasks. ([Wendé Protzman](#) 720-2439)

Regional Beach Sand Project #2 - The City is pleased to announce that the second Regional Beach Sand Project (RBSP) was successfully completed in late 2012. The sand replenishment project was identical to the successful 2001 project and placed an estimated 140,000 cubic yards of sand on the City's beaches in November and December 2012. According to SANDAG, gains in beach widths from the 2001 project lasted for approximately five years on average. Although the sand does move around after placement, shoreline monitoring in 2011 showed that the sand that was placed in 2001 remained along our coastline providing long-term recreational, economic, environmental and shoreline protective benefits for our region.

The region's beaches have been steadily eroding over the past 30 years. Due to urbanization, development of roadways, freeways, the railroad, water storage and flood control projects, sand and sediments are no longer flowing down rivers to our beaches. As a result of this lack of sand, our beaches have become sand starved and are eroding as the waves crash directly onto the beaches and bluffs. During the next few decades, our beaches could become too narrow to provide any real benefit unless positive action is taken to maintain and preserve this resource. Beach sand replenishment has been popular on the U.S. East and Gulf coasts and is gaining momentum in Southern California as a preferred approach to protecting our beaches.

Protecting the City's beaches and bluffs for our residents and visitors continues to be an important priority in Solana Beach. The RBSP will help restore the eroding coastline in Solana Beach and elsewhere in the region and will provide improved recreational beach area and shorebird habitat as well. Representatives from various State agencies including the California Department of Boating and Waterways, California Department of Fish and Game (renamed the Department of Fish and Wildlife), California Coastal Commission, California State Parks, and many others came together for the benefit of the region and have worked tirelessly to make this project a reality.

SANDAG coordinated the RBSP with support from community leaders in five of the County's coastal cities which officially kicked off the project in September 2012. Funding for the project came from the 5 participating cities as well as our partner at the State of California – the Department of Boating and Waterways. The five participating cities of Solana Beach, Encinitas, Carlsbad, Oceanside and Imperial Beach collectively received more than 1.5 million cubic yards of high-quality sand, which was placed on a total of 8 beaches. The primary goals of the RBSP were to restore the eroded beaches, support local tourism, and preserve recreational opportunities for residents and visitors alike.

The sand was recovered from offshore sand deposits (borrow sites), which are relic beaches that signal the location of the former shoreline many thousands of years ago when sea level was lower. The dredge sites have been specifically selected to ensure only clean, beach-quality sand with a color, texture, and size similar or slightly coarser than what currently exists on the beaches be used for replenishment. The goal was to find coarse grained sand that will remain on the beaches for a longer period of time.

Members of the SANDAG Shoreline Preservation Working Group are optimistic that a third and other future RBSP will be implemented in the region in the years ahead and will enjoy the widespread support of all SANDAG member cities in San Diego County. Additional and updated information is available at [Sandag.org](#). ([Wendé Protzman](#) 720-2439)

USACE Coastal Storm Damage Reduction Project - The cities of Solana Beach and Encinitas are local sponsors jointly developing a long term storm damage reduction/shoreline protection project with the state and federal government. The state entity directly involved in financially supporting the project is the California Department of Boating and Waterways (DBW). The Cities (with the support of the DBW) and the USACE have prepared a joint Environmental Impact Report/Environmental Impact Statement (EIR/EIS) which evaluates options for reducing storm damage related coastal erosion over a 50-year period anticipated to occur from 2015 through 2065.

It is currently envisioned that the USACE Solana Beach-Encinitas Shoreline Protection Project will consist of initial placement of sand along two coastal shoreline segments within the boundaries of Solana Beach and Encinitas. The beaches would be renourished on a regular cycle during a Federal participation period of 50 years currently estimated to be 2015 through 2065. The Draft Integrated Report (Feasibility Study and EIR/EIS) was released for a public review and comment on December 26, 2012. Public meetings on the Draft EIR/EIS were held in Encinitas on February 6th from 6-8pm at Encinitas City Hall and in Solana Beach on February 7th from 6-8pm at Solana Beach City Hall. The USACE and the Cities are in the process of reviewing the comment letters received on the Project during the public review period and will prepare responses to comments and a Final EIR/EIS this spring. ([Wendé Protzman](#) 720-2439)

Celebrate * Cinco de Mayo * in Style at La Colonia Park

All Solana Beach residents are invited to attend with family and neighbors for this FREE community fiesta!

Activities

Live Mariachi Band
Ballet Folklorico Dancers
Artistic Creation Station
Enjoy Mexican Food & Beverage Favorites
Game Booths* Fun Jump * Pinatas * Crafts
(No Alcohol, Smoking or Pets Permitted)

Join Us!

Saturday, May 4, 1:00 - 4:00 pm

La Colonia Park, 715 Valley Ave., Solana Beach

For more information, call 858-720-2453 or
visit: cityofsolanabeach.org

Free Vision & Health Checks
by Del Sol Lions Club



Solana Beach Garden Club Springs Forth

HAPPY SPRING! - Plants are blooming and garden enthusiasts are gathering at the monthly meetings of the Solana Beach Garden Club, aka SEAWEEDERS.

Rejuvenated in May 2012, the club meets the first Wednesday of each month (except August) at 7:00pm in the yellow cottage of the Center for a Healthy Lifestyle - behind the Boys and Girls Club at 533 Lomas Santa Fe Drive in Solana Beach. The calendar of upcoming speakers and topics will be as follows:

- ⊗ **MARCH:** Irina Gronborg, a passionate gardener, teacher and fine artist, will display her botanical prints and speak about “Art in the Garden”.
- ⊗ **APRIL:** “Photographing Your Garden” This will be a how-to capture the best images of your ever changing garden.
- ⊗ **MAY:** “From Your Garden to Gifts” Brittany Cranmer from Blush Botanicals will demonstrate how to make floral bouquets for any occasion.
- ⊗ **JUNE:** “Raised-bed Gardens from Scratch to Finish” Andi MacLeod from the Center for a Healthy Lifestyle will demonstrate how to make amazing soil for growing vegetables.

In addition to these monthly programs, many projects have been identified in the community that will help to beautify the City of Solana Beach and foster community spirit. The Seaweederers are presently prioritizing the list, determining possible work dates and developing a website. You will be able to visit us soon at our new website.

Whether you choose to get involved a little or a lot, the Seaweederers welcome you to join the Solana Beach Garden Club. For additional information, contact [Katie Pelisek](#).



New Bike Racks

As part of the Highway 101 construction project, 30 new bike racks will be installed along the Highway 101 corridor.

The bike racks have been custom designed for Solana Beach and feature a design that resembles the City seal.

Eventually, additional bike racks will be purchased for use at other City facilities such as the Fletcher Cove Community Center and City Hall.

Environmental News You Can Use

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE AND ELECTRONIC WASTE PROGRAM

Items such as electronics (E-Waste) or other hazardous materials can have an adverse impact on the local environment if not handled properly. The City would like remind you of its highly successful and convenient Household Hazardous Wastes (HHW) program. Residents have a couple of options available through the HHW Program to make it easier and more convenient to dispose of their HHW in the proper manner.

The first option available is the home pick up program where, for a small co-pay of \$10 dollars per visit, you can get your HHW picked up at your residence. To schedule an appointment for home HHW collection, please call 800-714-1195 or 858-481-SAFE(7233). The second option is to bring the HHW to one of two specialized collection centers (Poway or Vista) and the City will pay for the entire disposal cost (no co-pay). Residents much show proof of residency to qualify.

There is also a special service to the homebound and elderly (age 65 and over) which is free of charge for household hazardous waste (including E-Waste) pick-up at your residence.

Some common HHW and e-Waste items are:

| | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| Aerosols | Fluorescent | Oil Based Paint |
| All Purpose Cleaners | Light Bulbs | Oven Cleaner |
| Antifreeze | Furnisher Polish | Pesticides |
| Asbestos | Gasoline | Pool Chemicals |
| Auto Batteries/Fluids | Household Batteries | Solvents |
| Computer Monitors | Insecticides | Televisions |
| Disinfectants | Latex Paint | Thinners |
| Drain Opener | Lighter Fluid | Varnishes |
| Fertilizers | Oil & Filters | |



For more information on the City's HHW Program, please call 1-800-444-4244.

Reduce, Reuse and Recycle What you need to know



Curbside Cell Phone and Household Battery Collection

This new program is designed for a convenient solution for the proper disposal of cell phones and household batteries.

Residents may place unwanted cell phones and used household batteries in a clear plastic storage bag and place them on top of their recycle cart for collection on service day. For added safety, remove any personal data from your phone before collection. Used batteries accepted for collection are AA, AAA, C, D, 9-volt, Alkaline, Rechargeable, Lithium and coin cells, and small button-size.



Polystyrene Now Accepted

Residents may now add polystyrene packaging to the list of what they can recycle. Polystyrene items include packaging, cups, food containers, and other similar items. All material must be free from food residue and other contaminants to be acceptable. Polystyrene packing peanuts are not accepted, but can be brought to local mailbox and shipping stores for reuse.

THINK GREEN.®



Environmental News You Can Use

POOL DRAINING TIPS TO PROTECT WATER QUALITY

With summer right around the corner, many Solana Beach residents are readying their swimming pools for this summer season. As part of this process, some pool owners like to drain old swimming pool water which has been sitting all winter. Here are some tips on how to drain your pool to help protect water quality:

- ⊗ Whenever possible, it is best to drain your pool onto your landscape. This recycles your pool water, conserves irrigation water, and avoids the environmental risks associated with draining your pool to the street. Before draining your pool water to the street or to your landscape, be sure to follow the guidelines below.
- ⊗ While draining pool water to the street is a common practice, it can prove harmful to the environment if the pool owner does not properly plan and prepare prior to draining. When pool water is drained to the street, it can carry pollutants such as oil, grease, sediment, bacteria, and trash down the storm drain and into the nearest creek, river, or the Pacific Ocean. Swimming pool water often contains harmful additives and chemicals. If the water is not properly treated to remove these pollutants prior to draining, they can cause damage to the health of our waterways and to the plants and animals that live downstream.
- ⊗ Also, prior street draining, residents are asked to sweep the curb and gutter between the discharge points from their yard to the storm drain downhill. This will remove any pollutants from the gutter that maybe carried with the drained pool water to the storm drain.
- ⊗ For chlorine pools, chlorine levels must be lowered to less than 1 part per million prior to draining. This can be done naturally, by simply allowing the pool water to sit in the sun for a minimum of three days. Alternatively, de-chlorination kits can be purchased at home supply stores at a very reasonable cost. These kits have the tools you need to reach the appropriate chlorine levels before draining your pool to the curb and gutter.
- ⊗ For salt water pool systems, the pool water may not be drained to the storm drain system due to their high salt content relative to the fresh water system they drain into. Total dissolved solids (TDS) must be below 500 parts per million in order to drain into the street. For more information on how to reach acceptable chemical and TDS levels, call your pool maintenance specialist.



By taking these simple steps, you can enjoy your pool, stay cool, and protect the environment too!

For questions regarding proper pool drainage, call 858-720-2487.



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www.twitter.com/CitySolanaBeach, and find the City at
www.facebook.com/CityofSolanaBeach.



Only Rain in the Storm Drain

Residents frequently ask what can and can't be put in the storm drain. The City's Municipal Code (located on the City's website) outlines the regulations regarding stormwater management. It is prohibited to discharge all of the following:

- ⌘ discharges resulting from the cleaning, repair, or maintenance of any type of equipment, machinery, or facility;
- ⌘ discharges of wash water from mobile automobile washing, steam cleaning, power washing, carpet cleaning, and similar activities; discharges of runoff from material storage areas containing chemicals, fuels, grease, oil or other hazardous materials.

If you are unsure if your activity is prohibited or not, please call 858-720-2487.



Memorial Day Ceremony 2013

The City of Solana Beach and Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 5431 host the 2013 Memorial Day Ceremony.

On Monday, May 27, 2013, join us for a Memorial Day Ceremony at the Veterans' Memorial at La Colonia Community Park, located at 715 Valley Ave in Solana Beach. The ceremony will take place from 11:00 until noon. Some highlights of the ceremony include the Col. Frank Brezina Venture Scout Crew #42 as Color Guard, the Santa Fe Christian School Band, Camp Pendleton Young Marines, and a special guest speaker who will address the community. City dignitaries and representatives from all branches of the Armed Forces will also be present.

Light refreshments will be served.
For more information: 858-720-2453
Parks & Recreation Department





Free Disaster Training

AVAILABLE TO SOLANA BEACH RESIDENTS & EMPLOYEES

The Solana Beach City Council and Solana Beach Fire Department are sponsoring two free disaster training programs for Solana Beach residents or employees.

“Are You Ready, Solana Beach?” is a 1-hour disaster preparedness training customized for disaster risks that face Solana Beach residents. This training is provided neighborhood by neighborhood with the goal of teaching you how to prepare and join in the event of a local disaster. The format of these meetings brings small groups of neighbors together to connect, learn, and plan how to respond to threatening situations. If you are interested in hosting or attending an “Are You Ready, Solana Beach?” neighborhood meeting, please call 720-4412 or email [Linette Page](#).



Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) training is a more extensive training program that teaches residents basic disaster preparedness, response, and organizational skills that can save and sustain lives until professional help arrives. In a major disaster, this could be 72 hours after the initial disaster occurs! Techniques taught in this class include triage of victims in a disaster situation, disaster medical and patient assessment, basic firefighting skills, and light search and rescue including victim extrication.

Building a safe, prepared, and strong Solana Beach community is the aim of both of these training programs. The more residents and employees we can train, the stronger our City will be!

The next CERT class begins April 24, 2013. For more information, or to enroll in the next CERT class, please contact [Eric Phillips](#), CERT Manager at the Solana Beach Fire Department, at (858)720-4412.

AARP Tax-Aide Program

Under the auspices of the AARP Tax-Aide program, income tax assistance and tax form preparation for 2012 Federal and California returns will again be offered this year. This free tax-preparation service is available to low- and middle-income taxpayers, with the primary focus being on those who are 60 and older. From February 1 through April 14, tax-preparation is available on Monday mornings at Solana Beach Presbyterian Church and on Saturday mornings at St. James Catholic Church. To make an appointment, call the Solana Beach Senior Center office (858) 509-2587, 9:00am - 5:00pm, Monday through Friday.

Mondays 9am-1pm

Solana Beach Presbyterian Church,
120 Stevens Ave., Solana Beach

Saturdays 9am-1pm

St. James Catholic Church,
625 South Nardo Ave., Solana Beach

Solana Beach Community Senior Center Hosts a Healthy Aging & Retirement Expo

Solana Beach Community Senior Center is hosting a Healthy Home and Housing Informational session on Wednesday, March 13 from 10am to 1pm in Debin Hall, located at the Solana Beach Presbyterian Church, 120 Stevens Ave., Solana Beach 92075.

This event will help mature adults and their adult children gather information that will benefit you as you age safely in place or choose to move to a retirement community. Get all your questions answered and make valuable comparisons, all under one roof. The event is free and open to everyone!

Brief presentations include:

- ⊗ How to choose a rental retirement community.
- ⊗ What to look for in a “buy-in” community.
- ⊗ Balance & Fall Prevention: Keys to Living Safely.
- ⊗ What to Know When Considering In-Home Care.

Vendors related to home care, residential communities, and a few select services will be available to discuss their organizations’ offerings. Refreshments, door prizes, and a free lunch make this great day even better!

For more information, call 858-509-2587 or email

sharon@solanapres.org.

Solana Beach Library

LIBRARY OF THE YEAR 2012

The Solana Beach Library, in addition to serving the community, is a shared use library, also serving the staff and students of Earl Warren Middle School.

When school is in session, the Library opens at 7:30am Monday through Friday - a special benefit of being a shared use facility. When school is not in session, we open at 9:30am, such as Spring Break, April 8-12. We will be closed Monday, April 1, in observance of Cesar Chavez Day, and Monday, May 27, for Memorial Day.

In addition to books, magazines, newspapers, music, and books on CD, our electronic resources include downloadable audio books, eBooks, and videos; Homework Help sites; and patron library account services, such as ordering and renewing materials. We offer access to two library consortiums outside of the county collection: [The Circuit](#) and [Link+](#). The Circuit includes academic libraries in our area, including UCSD, USD, CSUSM, San Diego Public Library, and SDSU. Link + expands our borrowing capacity to encompass public libraries across California and Nevada. For more information, select "catalogs" on our SDCL Catalog home page.

Want a free activity to entertain and educate the children in your family? Various children's programs are held throughout the week at the Solana Beach Library. Children's Programs are presented by Renee Hanson, the Children's Librarian. The Children's department has just added Tuesday Family Fun Nights! Families with children of all ages can join us for something fun. There will not be any children's programs during Spring Break, April 1 through April 13.

For the regular Children's Programs, the Children's Special Programs, Teen After School Activities, Continuing & Special Adult Programs, check the Activates & Programs Spring 2013 on the following page.

Programs are subject to change without notice.

**You may contact the Library at 858-755-1404,
or go to the [San Diego County Library's website](#).**



Our regular hours of operation are:
Monday/Thursday 7:30am-6:00pm
Tuesday/Wednesday 7:30am-8:00pm
Friday 7:30am-5:00pm
Saturday 9:30am-5:00pm



FELICIA AND MAX FROM THE
BOOK BUDDIES PROGRAM



ROSIE AND JULIA ENJOYING
GASTON'S PUPPET SHOW AT THE
2012 DIA DE LOS NINOS PROGRAM



TWO MIDDLE SCHOOL
LEARNERS

Solana Beach Library

ACTIVITIES & PROGRAMS SPRING 2013



Children's Programs:

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| Toddler and Preschool Storytime | Mondays, 9:30am | For children 1 – 6 years old. Held in 6-week sessions |
| Baby Storytime | Mondays, 10:30am | For infants to walkers. Held in 6-week sessions |
| Tuesday Family Fun Nights | Tuesdays, 6:30pm | For families with children. Wear your pajamas! |
| Read for Wags | 3 rd Tuesdays, 6:30pm | Children practice reading to a certified therapy dog |

Children's Special Programs:

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| Puppet Show: Martina the Beautiful Cockroach | Tuesday, February 26, 6:30pm |
| Puppet Show: The Monkey and the Crocodile | Tuesday, March 26, 6:30pm |
| Dia de los Niños celebration, Gaston's Puppet Show | Tuesday, April 23, 6:30pm |
| County Library's 100th Birthday Celebration | Saturday, May 4, 2:00pm |

Teen After School Activities:

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| Lego Club | Mondays after school |
| Bridge Club for Teens | Tuesdays after school |
| Crochet Club | Tuesdays after school |
| Theater Thursdays | Thursdays after school |

Continuing Adult Programs:

Rebecca Lynn, the Branch Librarian, presents a variety of adult programs, including rotating exhibitions by local artists.

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| Origami Club | Saturday, 1 st of the month, 1:00pm |
| Knitting Club | Tuesdays, 2 nd and 4 th , 9:30am |
| Bridge for Adults | Tuesdays, 10:30am |
| Spanish Classes with Lucy | Tuesdays/Wednesdays, 6:00 pm |
| English Café | Tuesdays 12:30pm – Practice your English Conversation Skills |
| Spanish language instruction with Raquel | Wednesday & Friday Mornings – Beginning, Intermediate, and Advanced. Check Library calendar for specific class times |
| Family Drawing | Saturdays, 11:00am |
| Conversational French | Saturdays, 1 st and 3 rd , 10:00am |

Adult Special Programs:

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| Foreign Film Showing | Wednesday, March 20, 6:00pm. See Library calendar or call for film title. |
| Friends Night Out | 2 nd Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm, each month a different program either entertainment or informative. Check Library calendar or call for monthly program details. |



Friends' Night Out Programs

SPONSORED BY THE FRIENDS OF THE SOLANA BEACH LIBRARY

Tuesday, March 12, 2013 (6:30 PM)

David Jesse McChesney: *The Mojave Desert: Miles of Wonders*

David Jesse McChesney has photographed 54 of America's national parks and has compiled the most compelling body of Mojave Desert images to date.

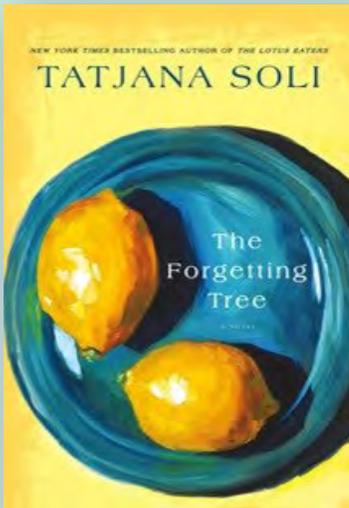
He is the author of *Muir Woods: At One with the Wild* and a national harmonica champion.

His presentations are lively and full of tales about his many adventures as a wildlife photographer and traveling lecturer/performer.



Tuesday, April 16, 2013 (6:30PM)

Tatjana Soli: Author of *The Forgetting Tree*, A New York Times Notable Book of 2012



We welcome back to the Solana Beach Library, Tatjana Soli, a novelist and short story writer. In the Spring of 2011, Tatjana's debut novel, *The Lotus Eaters*, was the subject of a very popular Friends Night Out Program. This novel was a New York Times Notable Book for 2010.

Our upcoming April Friends Night Out program will feature Tatjana discussing her second book, *The Forgetting Tree*. In this novel, Tatjana weaves a story of two women from different cultural backgrounds on a remote citrus farm in Southern California and shows how their two cultures collide with dramatic consequences. In a September, 2012 NYT Book Review this novel was called "daring and haunting".

Copies of Soli's book are available at the Solana Beach Library ("Hot Right Now" section) and through the San Diego County Library system.

Tuesday, May 14, 2013 (6:30PM)

Musical Program by the TubaFours

The TubaFours, a quartet of Frank Baker and Paul Henkart on tenor tubas and Jim Hooper and Bill Riddell on bass tubas, will play a variety of classical, popular, and marching music. The Program will include selections such as John Philip Sousa's Washington Post March, the Pink Panther, Sixteen Tons, The Wabash Cannon Ball, Mozart's Eine Kliena Nachtmusik, Rossini's William Tell Overture, and Sea Tubas, a unique medley of sea chanteys.



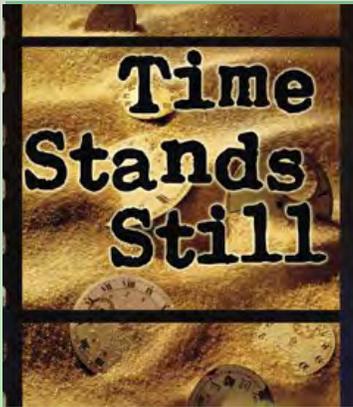
The Friends Night Out programs are free to the public and presented at the Solana Beach Library, 157 Stevens Avenue, Solana Beach, (858) 755-1404. Refreshments will be available.

North Coast Repertory Theatre

"I EXPECT ARTISTS TO ASTONISH ME." - JEAN COCTEAU

Presenting a thrilling 31st season filled with laughter, romance, mystery and passion! From our modest beginnings in 1982 we have evolved into an award-winning regional theatre recognized for the world-class quality of our work. Whether you're looking for an evening out with your spouse or a night out with your friends, we offer a tremendous value for our ticket prices. And when you become a subscriber to NorthCoast Repertory Theatre you have the opportunity to save even more money!

TIME STANDS STILL



Artistic Director's Open House: January 26, 2013, 10 - 11:30 am

By Donald Margulies and Directed by David Ellenstein

Previews: February 20 – 22, 2013, February 23 - March 17, 2013

Widely hailed as one of the best new plays on Broadway, TIME STANDS STILL is the story of James and Sarah, a journalist and a photographer, who have been together for nine years and share a passion for documenting the realities of war. But when injuries force them to return home to New York, the adventurous couple confronts the prospect of a more conventional life. This is a blazingly important new work about responsibility - to our loved ones, our community, our world, and ourselves.

THE ODD COUPLE



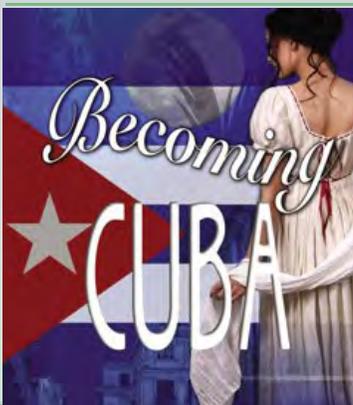
By Neil Simon

Directed by Andrew Barnicle

Previews: April 10 – 12, 2013,
April 13 – May 5, 2013

In this Tony Award-winning comic masterpiece, Neil Simon created two of the most memorable characters in the history of Broadway and broadcast television: Oscar Madison and Felix Unger. Discover (or rediscover) the genius of the original play that has become the high water mark strived for by comedy writers to this day. It is the North Coast Rep's first production of a Neil Simon play since 1999.

BECOMING CUBA



By Melinda Lopez and Directed by David Ellenstein

Previews: May 29 – 31, 2013, June 1 – 23, 2013

Commissioned by North Coast Rep, this World Premiere drama set in 1890s Cuba, introduces a family coping with a changing landscape of their country as it struggles for independence. Melinda Lopez's knack for dialogue and drama, mixed with her knowledge and research of the time, opens the door for issues of loyalty and family, fighting for a cause and finding happiness to be interwoven through this powerful and often humorous drama. The birth of this new work of theatrical art will signal an artistic zenith in our season and in North Coast Rep's development as part of the national theatre community.

For ticket information, call the box office at (858) 481-1055. You also can order tickets by visiting www.northcoastrep.org. North Coast Repertory Theatre is conveniently located at 987 Lomas Santa Fe Drive, Suite D, in the Lomas Santa Fe Shopping Center in Solana Beach.



Junior Lifeguard Program

SUMMER 2013

The City of Solana Beach Junior Lifeguard Program is a comprehensive youth training program (for ages 7-16) designed to build self-esteem, lifesaving/emergency skills & techniques, physical fitness, respect & appreciation of the oceanic environment, and general water safety. This training is accomplished through a variety of techniques including games, competitions, lectures, surfing, body boarding, swimming, skin diving, special guest visits, and training with lifeguard emergency equipment.

| JUNIOR GUARDS Ages 9 - 16 years old - All Session are Monday-Friday | | | |
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| SESSION 1A | 4 Weeks | Monday June 17 th – Friday July 12 th | 8:00 - 11:30 AM |
| SESSION 1P | 4 Weeks | Monday June 17 th – Friday July 12 th | 12:00 - 3:30 PM |
| SESSION 2A | 4 Weeks | Monday July 15 th – August 9 th | 8:00 - 11:30 AM |
| SESSION 2P | 4 Weeks | Monday July 15 th – August 9 th | 12:00 - 3:30 PM |
| SESSION 3A | 2 Weeks | Monday August 12 th – August 23 rd | 8:30 - 1:30 PM |
| SESSION 3P | 2 Weeks | Monday August 12 th – August 23 rd | 12:00 - 3:30 PM |
| GROMS Ages 7 & 8 (No Swim Test Required) – All 2 week sessions | | | |
| GROM 1A | 2 Weeks | Monday June 17 th – Friday June 28 th | 8:00 - 11:30 AM |
| GROM 1P | 2 Weeks | Monday June 17 th – Friday June 28 th | 12:00 - 3:30 PM |
| GROM 2A | 2 Weeks | Monday July 1 st – Friday July 12 th | 8:00 - 11:30 AM |
| GROM 2P | 2 Weeks | Monday July 1 st – Friday July 12 th | 12:00 - 3:30 PM |
| GROM 3A | 2 Weeks | Monday July 15 th – Friday July 26 th | 8:00 - 11:30 AM |
| GROM 3P | 2 Weeks | Monday July 15 th – Friday July 26 th | 12:00 - 3:30 PM |
| GROM 4A | 2 Weeks | Monday July 29 th – Friday Aug 9 th | 8:00 - 11:30 AM |
| GROM 4P | 2 Weeks | Monday July 29 th – Friday Aug 9 th | 12:00 - 3:30 PM |
| GROM 5A | 2 Weeks | Monday Aug 12 th – Friday Aug 23 rd | 8:00 - 11:30 AM |
| GROM 5P | 2 Weeks | Monday Aug 12 th – Friday Aug 23 rd | 12:00 - 3:30 PM |

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Swim Test Dates & Registration for New Applicants

Sundays, May 19th & June 9th 12:00 - 2:00pm

Solana Beach Boys & Girls Club - 533 Lomas Santa Fe Drive

COST

SWIM TEST POOL FEE \$2

SESSIONS 1A, 1P, 2A, 2P (4 Wk Sessions)

\$325 Solana Beach residents - \$350 Non-Residents

SESSIONS 3A, 3P, & GROM SESSIONS (2 Wk Sessions)

\$225 Solana Beach Residents - \$250 Non-Residents

Space is limited. Openings filled on first come first served basis.



For more information, contact the [Solana Beach Junior Lifeguard Program](#) at (858) 720-4445, or [go online to register](#).

Marine Life Protection Act

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
FISH and WILDLIFE



The City of Solana Beach is collaborating with the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (DFW) (formerly the California Department of Fish and Game), the California Resources Agency, and other public agencies and non-governmental entities to promote effective local implementation of the Marine Protected Areas (MPA) in San Diego. The City has been identified by the DFW as having existing activities, jurisdictional authority, specialized expertise, or interest in working in the MPAs that extend from North County south to the border. The nearest MPAs to Solana Beach are the Swami's State Marine Conservation Area (SMCA) and the San Elijo Lagoon SMCA. The Swami's SMCA extends as far south as the City's northern border near Tide Park Beach/Table Tops Reef. City Staff attended the first meeting on January 30, 2013. The next meeting is not scheduled yet, but may be held in March or April. Implementation activities include outreach, education, and enforcement.

The DFW is creating the MLPA "Community Partnership Program" involving affected agencies and interested parties, NGO's and others. The DFW is asking affected cities to install signs, place brochures, and maps at the City, and place a link on the City website to the [DFW website](#). Several signs have been posted along the San Elijo Lagoon trailhead and additional signs are expected to be installed later this year along the Lagoon and near Tide Park Beach/Seaside.

The DFW is implementing the "MPA Community Collaborative Program" to foster a statewide network of county-based councils dedicated to inter-agency communication and localized implementation of Marine Protected Areas in California. DFW acknowledges that MPA implementation efforts will be more effective if non-profits and local government agencies are engaged and willing to share existing resources, area knowledge, access, and local approval. DFW is encouraging the development of multi-member community partnerships that are able to communicate the unique needs and goals of each respective sub-region. In return, DFW is working to provide each county based collaborative with a more streamlined structure for local groups to interface with and obtain approval from the managing agency.

For additional information, please contact [Wendé Protzman](#) at 858-720-2400.

LIFEGUARDS BRACE FOR BUSY SEASON

The City of Solana Beach Marine Safety Department is anticipating a very busy spring and early summer season due to the amount of sand still on our beaches from the sand replenishment project. Recent winter storms caused deep inshore holes and channels in the ocean bottom. This uneven ocean bottom condition causes rip currents. Rip currents usually intensify during spring. Water is pushed into the beach by wave action then flows back to sea and into the channels carved on the ocean bottom. As the water flows into these deep narrow troughs, it accelerates into a river of water flowing seaward. Rip currents can sometimes be identified by churned-up discolored sand or foamy surface conditions. With these bottom conditions, lifeguards expect the rip currents to occur more frequently and be more intense.

The United States Lifesaving Association attributes the majority of ocean rescues to rip current activity. If you are caught in a rip current, do not panic and swim against the current, instead swim parallel to shore until you are out of the current. If swimming is impossible, tread water, wave your arm, and scream for help.

Solana Beach Lifeguards will be on duty daily at Fletcher Cove, Tide Park, Seascape Sur, and Del Mar Shores during the summer months. The lifeguards are requesting all beach visitors swim near a lifeguard, and check with the guards regarding daily ocean conditions and designated swimming areas.

For further information, contact the Marine Safety Department at (858) 720-4444.



 **SAVE THE DATE** 

The City of Solana Beach Parks and Recreation Commission
Presents

Paws in the Park

A "Tail Wagging Day" for Pets and Their People!

Sunday, April 14th

from

11:00-3:00 PM

La Colonia Park • 715 Valley Avenue

Pets on Leashes Please



For more information please contact Kirk Wenger at 858.720.2453



2013 Kids Summer Day Camp for Ages 5-11

Click Here To Register: www.cityofsolanabeach.org



All Sessions meet Monday - Friday from 8:30am to 2:00pm at Fletcher Cove Community Center, 133 Pacific Ave, and Thursdays at La Colonia Park (715 Valley Ave). The fee is \$106/week per child and includes activities such as beach games, swimming at the Boys and Girls Club, arts & crafts, Library visit, fun games, friends, and a Wednesday field trip to an exciting destination. After-care is offered from 2:00pm - 5:00pm (\$27/week). Our popular "Leader in Training" program is also available this summer for 12 - 16 year olds for only \$25/week!

3 Mad Scientists

July 22-26

This exciting week will offer campers a hands-on science experience without leaving Fletcher Cove. With professional equipment and experienced instructors, Mad Science workshops offer engaging learning experiences for all. Are you ready to take your school's Science Day to the next level? Staff will engage your campers in a science experience they will never forget. Scientists will bring interactive science exhibits right to us!

All science activities are hands-on. [San Diego Natural History Museum](#) in Balboa Park is the field trip.



4 Wide World of Sports

July 29-August 2

Summer is a great time to be outdoors and playing! This camp will allow kids to experience popular sports such as soccer, baseball, basketball and more. Kids will have a blast making friends, practicing sportsmanhip, and working as a team. We will visit Petco Park for a

[San Diego Padres Game](#) for this week's field trip.



5 Pirates & World Explorers

August 5-9

Avast, me hearties! Welcome to a week of pirate lore and discovering history through the eyes of famous explorers. Our field trip this week will be to the [San Diego Maritime Museum](#) where campers will tour a real submarine and the historic Star of India. They will also experience sail raising and take a boat tour. Savvy? . . . Aye!



6 Splish Splashtacular

August 12-16

Welcome to the wettest week of summer! Wear your swimsuits and be prepared to get soaked! Water bucket brigade, rubber duck races, slip 'n' slide and water balloons galore are just a taste of what to expect in this wildly wet, water-filled week! Cool off and stay refreshed on the hottest days of summer in our Water Wonderland. Our trip is [Boomers](#) in Clairemont Mesa.

7 Animal Planet

August 19-23

There's Grasslands, Jungle, Rainforest, and even our local beaches with hundreds of animals that campers will get a chance to discover and explore. Learn all about the crazy life of animals of all kinds. A visit to [Pump It Up](#) in Sorrento Valley will be this week's field trip.



1 Fun With Our Environment

July 8-12

There are many exciting ecological discoveries to be investigated here in Solana Beach. Find out how easy it is to appreciate the simple aspects of the world around you. Campers will discover ways in which they can help save the environment, explore the world of marshes and lagoons, and even discover the local [San Elijo Lagoon](#) through a nature walk this week. The field trip will be a day full of active fun at Coronado Island for the [Go Play Get Fit](#) event.

2 Ice Age Adventure

July 15-19

Travel back in time to the prehistoric land filled with dinosaurs and other historic creatures. Campers will get a chance to understand how the world has changed from the prehistoric world to the one we live in now. Kids will have a chance to make some predictions as to what they think the world will look and be like in the future, based on knowledge of the past. This week's field trip will be to the [San Diego Ice Arena](#) in Mira Mesa.

Master Community Directory

Sheriff • Fire • Medical Emergencies • Call 911



Councilmembers
Mike Nichols, Mayor
Thomas M. Campbell, Deputy Mayor
Lesa Heebner, Councilmember
David A. Zito, Councilmember
Peter Zahn, Councilmember



(All numbers are 858 area code unless otherwise noted)

CITY GOVERNMENT OFFICES

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| City Clerk | 720-2400 |
| City Hall | 720-2400 |
| City Manager's Office | 720-2430 |
| Community Development | 720-2440 |
| Finance | 720-2460 |
| Fire Department | 720-2410 |
| Public Works-Engineering | 720-2470 |
| Code Enforcement | 720-2403 |
| Graffiti Hot Line | 720-4457 |
| La Colonia Community Center | 793-2564 |
| Lifeguard Station | 720-4444 |
| Parking Enforcement | 720-2414 |
| Recreation Department | 793-2564 |
| Solana Beach Post Office | 793-1667 |
| Storm Water Hotline | 720-2400 x2512 |

GENERAL SERVICES

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|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| Amtrak | (800) 872-7245 |
| Animal Control | (760) 438-2312 |
| Bus and Coaster (NCTD) | (760) 967-2828 |
| Chamber of Commerce | 755-4775 |
| County Health Department | (760) 967-4401 |
| County Parks Information | 565-3600 |
| Cox Cable | (760) 943-9000 |
| Olivenhain Municipal Water District | (760) 753-6466 |
| Post Office | (800) 275-8777 |
| Santa Fe Irrigation (Water) | 756-2424 |
| Sheriff's Non-Emergency | (760) 966-3500 |
| Surf Conditions (Solana Beach) | 720-4441 |
| Time Warner (cable service) | (760) 438-7741 |
| Visitor Information Center | 350-6006 |
| Weather Information | 289-1212 |

SCHOOLS & LIBRARY & MUSEUMS

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| Carmel Creek Elementary School | 794-4400 |
| Canyon Crest Academy High School | 350-0253 |
| Earl Warren Jr. High School | 755-1558 |
| Heritage Museum | 259-7657 |
| San Dieguito Academy High School | (760) 753-1121 |
| San Dieguito Adult School | (760) 753-7073 |
| Santa Fe Christian School (K-12) | 755-8900 |
| Solana Beach School District | 794-7100 |
| Solana Beach Library | 755-1404 |
| Solana Highlands Elementary School | 794-4300 |
| Solana Santa Fe Elementary School | 759-1834 |
| Solana Vista Elementary School | 794-3700 |
| Skyline Elementary School | 794-3600 |
| St. James Academy (K-12) | 755-1777 |
| Torrey Pines High School | 755-0125 |

YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS

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|--------------------------------|----------------|
| Boys & Girls Club-Lomas Branch | 755-9373 |
| Boy Scout Council | (619) 298-6121 |
| Campfire Council | (619) 291-8985 |
| Girl Scout Council | (619) 298-8391 |
| Solana Beach Little League | 824-6696 |
| Solana Beach Soccer Club | 794-9898 |
| YMCA | (760) 942-9622 |

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| Public Works Inspector | tdunbar@cosb.org |

SENIOR SERVICES

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| AARP | (619) 641-7020 |
| AARP Tax Aid | 759-4286 |
| Area Agency on Aging | 560-2500 |
| Dial-A-Ride: Taxi Voucher Program | 720-2400 |
| Meals on Wheels | (760) 736-9900 |
| Senior Nutrition | 509-2580 |
| Solana Beach Senior Center | 509-2580 x1400 |
| St Leo's Mission Church | 481-6788 |



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