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The Rotary Club of Cupertino and The World Journal announce the 2014 Silicon Valley Fall Festival will take place at Memorial Park in Cupertino, on Saturday, September 13 from 10 am - 5 pm. This premier multicultural community festival is a family event of games, music, education, entertainment, and food for all. There is no entrance fee, and parking is free at De Anza College.

"Families throughout Silicon Valley enjoy this day of fun and relaxation," said Sunil Nethisinghe, Cupertino Rotarian and co-chair of this year’s festival. "We responded to attendee input and have expanded the Kids Zone, and we will bring back the HS Robotics Competition again this year." Additional support of SV Fall Festival is provided by the City of Cupertino and the Cupertino School Districts.

As in previous years, the educational activities start with the Earth Zone, providing tips and information on sustainability, wellness, and emergency preparedness. Businesses and non-profits will display the latest in energy saving programs, alternative vehicles, and other green activities. The learning and fun continue in the Cultural Fair area where cultures from countries around the world display information to help in bringing us closer together through displays and interactive activities. The amphitheater stage will also highlight musical and dance performances from around the world.

Local high school robotics clubs will compete for all to observe; robots will compete in a unique game called Aerial Assist, played by two competing Alliances of three robots each. The objective is to score as many balls in goals as possible during a two and a half minute match. There will also be seminars where parents and students can learn the latest about the new common core curriculum. The fun will be enhanced this year with an expanded Kids Zone with many rides, jump houses and crafts, as well as a kids’ petting zoo, designed for learning as well as fun. Other key features continuing this year will be a High School arts exhibition, where visitors to the art exhibition will vote to choose the winner of the Silicon Valley Fall Festival award. A variety of International gourmet food trucks will add to the festival’s experience as well. All proceeds from the event go to local charitable projects conducted by the Cupertino Rotary. More details are available on www.SV-FF.com.

Citywide Garage Sale Is Almost Here!

September 20 - 21, 2014

Cupertino’s annual Citywide Garage Sale will be held September 20 and 21 at individual homes and other private locations throughout the city. All residents and community organizations are invited to register online at the City’s website, www.cupertino.org/garagesale, or by calling 408 777.3354, now through September 5. All registered sellers will receive free advertising. On September 10, a list and map of all registered sale locations will be published on the City’s website, and printed copies will be available starting September 17 at City Hall, Quinlan Community Center, Cupertino Senior Center and the Cupertino Library. Online viewers will be able to electronically search the list for desired items. Don’t throw away usable items as garbage – have a sale! Reuse, repurpose, and have fun shopping!
El Camino Hospital and the South Asian Heart Center are proud to present this year’s Diwali Festival. They look forward to providing fun and engaging ways to learn about heart health and lifestyle changes that can help reduce the incidence of diabetes and heart disease in South Asian families.

Organized by the Cupertino Chamber of Commerce and its Asian American Business Council (AABC), festivities will include a wonderful feast of food, business and craft booths, music and dance including a traditional Rangoli display. Admission to the festival grounds is free with plenty of free parking available at De Anza College.

Diwali – Festival of Lights marks the beginning of the new business year in India and it is a festival of joy, splendor, brightness, happiness and prosperity. Celebrated throughout the world, typical Diwali traditions include exchanging gifts, new clothes, meeting new and old friends, offering traditional sweets and wishing each other a prosperous new year.

Visitors to the festival will be treated to a festive atmosphere of sari festooned trees, spectacular lanterns, and a cultural kaleidoscope of activities and performances. Beginning at 10 am with the popular “Kids Zone” art show and grand opening ceremony at 12 pm featuring Cupertino City Council and elected leaders in native Indian clothing. The festival appeals to all senses with Indian food, music and dancing, featuring classical “Kathak” and “Bharatanatyam” to folk “Koli”, to popular “Bollywood” dances.

The elaborate and exciting “Kids Zone” will be packed throughout the day with children visiting the magic show, petting zoo, pony rides, jump house, wood workshop, face painting and coloring contests.

Mahesh Nihalani, Event Chair states, “The Diwali Festival of Lights is an excellent opportunity to bring the business community together to celebrate a holiday that is very significant for our Indian population.” The mission of the AABC is to promote, strengthen and enhance the inter-ethnic business environment in the Cupertino Chamber and the Diwali Festival has proven to be an excellent way to bridge our business community with the residents of Cupertino.

For more information about the festival or membership in the Cupertino Chamber of Commerce and the Asian American Business Council, please contact the Chamber in Cupertino at 408.252.7054 or visit the Chamber’s website www.cupertino-chamber.org
Earthquake, When Is the Next One?

Usually the answer is ‘Today’. Every year there are several thousand earthquakes worldwide and about 60 per day in California. You probably don’t believe it, but it is true. Most earthquakes are below 2.5 in magnitude and generally cannot be felt by humans. Large earthquakes still pose a risk in Cupertino due to our density of population and both expensive and expansive infrastructures. For the Cupertino residents, it’s time to get educated about earthquakes!

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 Seismographs. Magnitude is the size of the earthquake at its source and intensity is the effect which varies by location. On 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 for current information is the United States Geological Survey site (USGS).

You can look at recent earthquakes above 2.5 at http://earthquake.usgs.gov.

What If a Large Earthquake Hits

Your first priority during an earthquake is to stay safe. 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. If you are in bed when an earthquake strikes, stay in bed and cover your head with a pillow. If you have a heavy light fixture over the bed that could potentially fall on you, move to the nearest safe place such as the floor, under the bed or near an interior wall. 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 or may be overloaded after the earthquake. 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. Cell phones may not work but hard wired phones (not cable or internet phones) may work. 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.

Upcoming Public Sessions:

Earthquake Preparedness and Home Safety. The hour long free class is scheduled on request by 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 1.408.777.3335, or email OES@cupertino.org for more information, or to request a class.

Personal Emergency Preparedness Class (PEP)
The free class covers 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 two PEP classes are: Wednesday, September 3, 6 - 9 pm, Cupertino City Hall, 10300 Torre Ave, Cupertino and Tuesday, October 14, 6 - 9 pm, Campbell Community Center, 1 W. Campbell Ave Room E-42, Campbell. For e-mail registration, info@cnt.sccgov.org, (provide your full name, e-mail address, phone number and residential or work address), or contact the Santa Clara County Fire Department at 408.378.4010.

Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) training schedule. This is the perfect time to learn to be part of the disaster response solution. This is an intensive training session by the Santa Clara - Continued on page 14
Cupertino has an on-line site called, “You know you’re from Cupertino if...” People post lots of memories of earlier days in Cupertino and related subjects. The other day an on-line discussion arose on clothing made from “feed sacks”; specifically “feed sack underwear.” For those readers who didn’t grow up in a rural farm or ranch area, a bit of explanation may be in order. Most rural farm/ranch folks in Cupertino remember the tall stacks of the Cali Feed and Grain Mill at the crossroads. Everyone went there for their feed and grain and fertilizer needs. Cupertino Union Store, just across the road, supplied locals with flour, sugar, salt, cornmeal and coffee. All these commodities came in 25 or 50 lbs. Sacks made out of heavy cotton sacking. Housewives were world-class recyclers in those days and the big cotton sacks were washed, ironed and re-made into baby diapers, hand towels, sheets, quilting pieces, pillowcases... and underwear.

Pretty soon, the big manufacturers figured out that if they made the cotton fabric more attractive with floral patterns, stripes, polka dots and the like, they could better compete to sell their particular product. Adding “premiums” inside the bag made the product even more desired. Feed and household commodities sacking became prized material for dresses, blouses, aprons, skirts for mom and sis and shirts and boxer shorts for dad and sonny. All this sack material added to people’s wardrobes in an inexpensive way and cut down on the store-bought clothing bill. Countless adults and children across the U.S. were clothed in feed sack and flour sack garments, especially during the Great Depression. Some companies offered “premiums” like flour sifters, rolling pins, glassware, dolls, silverware and nylons inside the big bags, nestled in the middle of the flour, sugar and grain.

I was probably 11 years old before I realized there was such a thing as store-bought undergarments; a fact which came to light on my first overnight trip to Camp Campbell with my 6th grade class. Imagine my surprise to find the other girls in the cabin didn’t have “feed sack” undies – which prompted my demand that immediately after camp, Mom had to take me shopping for “real” underwear. Many a small girl and boy started school in the fall with brand-new feed sack outfits in the early and mid-1900’s. In one of the pictures accompanying this article, a young lady is featured in a red and white striped dress that her mother made for her. According to a tiny caption, she was so proud of the dress, she wore it on her honeymoon.

Design Challenge: Aging-in-Place, Silicon Valley
September 30, Quinlan Community Center
Empower and support older adults to thrive in their home and community

Be part of the solution at this Sixth Annual Positive Aging Forum on September 30, 2014 at the Quinlan Community Center, where design innovation meets the challenges and opportunities of Aging-in-Place. Presented by the Institute for Age-Friendly Housing, and co-hosted by Cupertino Quota and the City of Cupertino, the Forum’s goal is to create new awareness, energy, and initiatives for Aging-in-Place.

The all-day Forum will kick off with nationally recognized experts sharing how new technology, innovations in services, and community connections can change the future of aging. The attendees, a cross-section of professionals & community stakeholders, will learn and apply the process of design thinking to the needs and desires of people who want to age in the community of their choosing.

Cupertino Mayor Orrin Mahoney remarked after last year’s Forum that he was interested in “learning how some of these ideas could be implemented in our City.” The September 30 Forum targets that objective—to create implementable action steps for Aging in Cupertino, and throughout Santa Clara County. Space is limited, register online at www.agefriendlyhousing.org.
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.

Garden Storytime:
A Children’s Garden Program
Wednesday, September 10, 7 pm
Cupertino Library Courtyard
Meet us at the Cupertino Library Children’s Garden for a special garden storytime. All ages are welcome.

Cupertino Cinema Club
Thursdays, September 11, 4 pm
Cupertino Library Story Room
School-aged children are invited. Patrons may call 408.446.1677 x3321 for the free movie title.

Reading Buddies
Come read to a therapy animal! Children who are currently in kindergarten to 5th grade may register in person at the Children’s Desk starting September 15 for one of our October programs.

PROGRAMS FOR TEENS

Teen Back to School Movie Break & All-You-Can-Eat Popcorn
Saturday, September 27, 3 - 5pm, Story Room
Break those back to school blues and join us for a teen movie matinee and all-you-can-eat popcorn. Please call the adult reference desk to find out the title of this newly released feature film!

Banned Books Week Vote
September 21 – 27, Teen Room
Teens are encouraged to exercise their freedom and stop by the Cupertino Library’s Teen Room during BANNED BOOKS WEEK to vote for their favorite BANNED BOOK. A drawing will follow the vote and a prize will be awarded!

PROGRAMS FOR ADULTS

BoAi Chorus
Saturday, September 6, 2 - 3:30 pm
Cupertino Community Hall
The Cupertino Library is pleased to welcome the BoAi Choir back to Community Hall for the first performance in our 2014 Fall Arts and Culture Series. The chorus will offer selections from Chinese folk music as well as some American songbook standards. The BoAi Choir, formed in 1991, is a group of fun loving community citizens who love to sing.

Chinese Book Discussion Group
Thursday, September 11, 10 am - 12 pm
Cupertino Community Hall
The Cupertino Chinese Book Discussion Group will discuss Yi xiao sheng da: Ruo zhe ru he zao dao you shi (David and Goliath: Underdogs, Misfit and the Art of Battling Giants) by Malcolm Gladwell. The discussion will be in Mandarin.
Master Gardeners: Growing Cool Season Vegetables in Santa Clara County
Wednesday, September 10, 7 pm
Cupertino Community Hall

Here in Santa Clara County, many vegetables grow best during the cool season of fall, winter and early spring. Learn from UC Cooperative Extension Master Gardeners how to grow a bountiful crop of vegetables in your own garden during the cool season. Topics include plant and site selection, plant care, pest control, and harvesting.

ALSO AT THE CUPERTINO LIBRARY

Adult Book Discussion Group
Thursday, September 18, 7 pm
Cupertino Library Story Room

This month, the Cupertino Library will read the novel *Longbourn* by Jo Baker. Jane Austen made the marital and romantic trials of the five Bennett daughters famous in *Pride and Prejudice*. *Longbourn* tells a parallel story in the same place and time, but told from the point of view of the Bennet family’s servants. Orphaned Sarah is the Bennet’s new housemaid who is not sure domestic service is to her liking. Sarah’s romantic trials are as complicated as any of the Bennet daughters’ as she is simultaneously attracted to James Smith, the new footman at Longbourn, and also to Ptolemy, Mr. Bingley’s footman who, like her, dreams of leaving service to be his own man.

ESL Conversation Club
Every Friday, 1 - 2:30 pm
Cupertino Community Hall

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

@Your Service... Personal E-Reader Tutorials by Appointment

Do you want to learn how to load e-books and library e-content on your fancy new device? Get all of your e-reader questions answered by scheduling a personal consultation with a Cupertino librarian! For more information, call the Cupertino Library Adult Reference Desk at 408.446.1677. To book an appointment, please visit our web site: www.sccl.org/at-your-service.

The Green@Home DIY Toolkit Available NOW at the Cupertino Library

The City of Cupertino and the Cupertino Library have teamed up to bring you a new, free, eco-friendly service – the Green@Home Do-It-Yourself (DIY) Toolkit! This kit makes cutting energy and water costs at home as easy as checking out a book from the library. Cupertino Library patrons can now check out 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 (the devices are yours to keep!). Swing by the Cupertino Library to borrow a kit to start saving energy, water and money!

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

The Friends of the Cupertino Library Bestseller Collections:
Print, DVD and BluRay formats now available

Sponsored 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).

Friends of the Cupertino Library Book Sale
Cupertino Community Hall
Saturday, October 11, 9 am - 4 pm
Sunday, October 12, 12 - 3 pm

Come on in and browse the gently-read books for sale – you never know what treasures you can find!
**Be Experts at Living Well and Build Steps to a Brighter Future**

Let the Adventure Begin!

National Senior Center Month is celebrated every September. Cupertino Senior Center has resources and tools to empower older adults and help them to become Experts at Living Well. For a week in October it is time to celebrate and recognize all the great things about the Senior Center case management program as it is Building Steps to a Brighter Future as part of National Case Management Week. International Active Aging Week takes place in September as the Senior Center supports the adventurous spirit of all adults 50 plus to Let the Adventure Begin by living an active, healthier lifestyle regardless of age or health condition. Be an Expert at Living Well and Build Steps to a Brighter Future – Let the Adventure Begin at the Cupertino Senior Center! Get in touch with us by calling 408.777.3150.

**SOCIAL EVENTS**

**Lunch with Friends**
Wednesday, September 3, 12 pm
Join us for lunch! Serving roast beef wraps, salad and dessert. Pre-registration is required. Member fee $6, senior guests add $5 day pass. Sign up at the lobby table.

**Book Review Meeting**
Friday, September 5, 1:15 – 3 pm

**Marv’s Musical Memories**
Monday, September 8, 2 – 3 pm
Marv Emerling is a local musician and music collector with great interest in performers, composers, and players. Specially recorded music is accompanied with thoroughly enjoyable commentary. Members free, senior guests pay $5 day pass. Sign up at the lobby table.

**Aunt Venna’s Home Gym**
Monday, September 8, 10 – 11 am
This practical and fun workshop presented by El Camino Hospital breaks through the nutrition myths and provides practical tips that will impact the health of every cell in the body. Members are free, senior guests pay $5 day pass. Sign up at the lobby table.

**September Social and Birthday Bash**
Wednesday, September 10, 12 pm
Come savor a meal of miso soup, steamed rice, and shrimp tempura, then participate along with the Obon dancers’ performance as you learn a traditional Japanese dance. Members with September birthdays will be honored. Member fee $8, senior guest add $5 day pass. Space is limited, sign up early.

**Medication and Mercury Thermometer Drop-off**
Tuesday, September 16, 9 – 11:20 am
Bring in your expired and unneeded medicine and safely drop them off for disposal. Learn about the new county-wide disposal program for medicines and other programs available to you. Mercury thermometers will also be accepted for disposal. Sharps will not be accepted, but information will be provided on disposal locations.

**Nutrition Tips for Life**
Monday, September 22, 10 – 11 am
With so much conflicting information about what to eat and what not to eat, this workshop presented by El Camino Hospital breaks through the nutrition myths and provides practical tips that will impact the health of every cell in the body. Members are free, senior guests pay $5 day pass. Sign up at the lobby table.

**Hidden Treasures Wanted**
Collecting August 1 – October 24
Please donate your gently used jewelry, craft items, and knick-knacks to our Hidden Treasures fund raising event scheduled for Thursday, October 30. We will start collecting these items in August. The proceeds will benefit our Case Management Program for at risk seniors and the Stay Active Fund to provide assistance to offset the cost for Senior Center membership and classes. Thank you for your continued support.

**LIFELONG LEARNING CLASSES + GREAT VALUE**

**Intermediate ESL Conversation**
Tuesday, September 9 - October 28, 1:30 – 3 pm
This class is for persons with some English knowledge. Instructor Joann will focus of conversational skills, ability to speak, listen, and comprehend vocabulary development in small group setting. Member fee $20.

**Feldenkrais-Mindful Movement Chair Exercise**
Wednesday, September 10 - October 29, 1:30 – 2:30 pm
Awareness of habits in thought and action and exploring options can lead to less stress, more comfort and increased well-being. Through gentle movement lessons, guided breathing, reading, writing and discussion, students will have the opportunity to make discoveries about themselves. Self-care is critical to a healthy life and healthy relationships. In this class we will discuss practical ways to put these concepts into action. Member fee $40.

**Japanese Class – Beginning**
Thursday, September 11 - October 30, 9:30 – 10:30 am
Experienced Japanese instructor, Tomoko Terry, will focus on speaking Japanese, introducing the Japanese alphabet. You will learn basic language skills, vocabulary, expressions, and customs. Member fee $35.

**AARP Smart Driver Class - RENEWAL**
Wednesday, September 17, 12:30 – 5:30 pm
This is a renewal only course for those who have taken the full course within the past 3 years. Call Les Schreiber 408.316.8654 for program information and to register.

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ADULT 50 PLUS TRIPS

Itineraries subject to change. Call the Senior Center at 408.777.3150 for reservations or more information on trips.

TOURS


San Juan Island Cruise, April 15 – 20, 2015, $2,495. Small ship cruising, only 17 cabins. Highlights include Roche and Friday Harbors, Fort Casey, Mt. Vernon Tulip Farms, Deception Pass Bridge, Bridge of Glass and Dale Chihuly, and the most peaceful quiet nights you can imagine! Space limited- sign up early.

Travel Presentation with Captain Jeff on Friday, October 24 at 2pm


Travel Presentation Tuesday, September 30 at 1:30 pm

Inpiring Iceland, August 16 – 24, 2015, $4,999 double occupancy. Small group travel-limited to 24. Highlights include Reykjavik, Golden Circle, Thingvellir National Park, Snaefellsnes Peninsula, Puffin Cruise, and Blue Lagoon.

Travel presentation Tuesday, September 30 at 2 pm

Tuscan and Umbrian Countryside, October 16 – 26, 2015, $4,999. Italian small group travel-limited to 24. Highlights include: exploring smaller more authentic towns, a cooking class held in a 16th century farmhouse, a home-cooked meal at a local Umbrian’s family home, local wine tasting, Volterra and Guamacci Museum, Assisi, San Gimignano, Olive Oil factory, and more!

Travel presentation Tuesday, September 30 at 2:30 pm.

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RESOURCES

Humanities Lecture
Thursday, September 23 – November 18, 10:30 am – 12:30 pm

Humanities instructor, Carl Jech, bases his lectures on the latest book written by John Shelby Spong, The 4h Gospel: Tales of a Jewish Mystic. The author is a retired bishop of the Episcopal church and a liberal Christian that calls for the re-thinking of Christian belief. Member fee $40.

Chair Exercise
Monday & Wednesday, September 29 - November 5, 11 am – 12 pm

Designed for students with a wide range of abilities, the instructor will adjust her teaching to suit students’ needs. This gentle exercise class may improve muscle strength, balance, and flexibility. Member fee $40.

Art History – Pop Art
Tuesday, September 30 - November 4, 1:30 – 3:30 pm

This is an art form that emerged after World War II. Painters challenged the traditional fine arts and incorporated popular culture, such as advertisement, news, cartoons, and more in their paintings. Art history instructor Ken Young will explore the life and works of Robert Rauschenberg, Roy Lichtenstein, Wayne Thiebaud, Jasper Johns, and ends the session with an impersonation of Andy Warhol. Member fee $45.

Blood Pressure Checks
Tuesday, September 2, 16, 30, 12:15 – 1:15 pm
Monday, September 8, 22, 1:30 – 2:30 pm

Health Insurance Counseling (HICAP)
Thursday, September 11, 25

Consultation on Medicare and health insurance. Please call 408.777.3150 to schedule an appointment.

Housing
Wednesday, September 3 & 17, 2 – 4 pm

Information on resources for senior housing options. Please call 408.777.3150 to schedule an appointment.

Senior Adult Legal Aid (SALA)
Friday, September 5, 12, 19, 10:30 – 12:30 pm

Free assistance to elders for basic legal matters in public benefits, long-term care, elder abuse, housing, consumer issues, incapacity planning, probate alternative, and simple wills. Must be 60 or older and live in Santa Clara County. Please call 408.777.3150 to schedule an appointment.

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Cupertino Wants Your Food Scraps

Cupertino has set a goal to achieve zero waste by 2020. That means sending nothing to the landfill, but recycling and composting ALL of our waste. Food scraps and food soiled paper are the largest single items in our waste stream—making up approximately 35% of what we throw away in Cupertino. Food scraps are a resource, not waste! Instead of taking up space in the landfill, your food scraps become compost—a valuable commodity used by landscapers and farmers, and even Cupertino residents. Free compost is provided to Cupertino residents from the food scraps and yard waste collected from residents and businesses. The compost site is located at 12100 Stevens Canyon Road (across from the Stevens Creek Reservoir) and is open Fridays and Saturdays 8:30 - 11 am through October 18, 2014.

Collecting Kitchen Compost

Composting starts in the kitchen. First, you’ll want to catch compostable materials from your meals. You’ll need a small container with a tight fitting lid to put scraps while you prepare your meal and while you clean up afterwards. You’ll want one that can be easily cleaned once you transfer the compostable materials to your outside compost bin (like the Recology pitchers many Cupertino residents have). You’ll want to keep the outside of the container clean, and empty it frequently to avoid odor and fruit flies. You can empty your kitchen container into your yard waste bin for collection, or start composting right at home. Visit www.cupertino.org/environmental to view what is accepted and not accepted in the yard waste container. Acceptable materials include vegetable scraps, grains, pasta, fruit rinds and peels, breads, cereals, coffee grounds and filters, tea bags, egg shells, paper napkins, even meat, fish and more!

Compost Classes & Compost Bins

It’s fast and easy to start outdoor composting. The City is hosting a free backyard composting workshop at Cupertino’s Quinlan Community Center, 10185 North Stelling Rd. on Saturday, October 4, 10 am – 12 pm. Register online with the County of Santa Clara Home Composting Program at www.reducewaste.org/classes. Cupertino residents attending a compost workshop will receive one free compost bin per household; contact environmental@cupertino.org after attending a class to receive your bin. Visit www.bayareaecogardening.org to learn more about Eco-Friendly Gardening.

Paint Recycling – Take Back Program

Disposing of paint the right way just got easier. You may bring your used household paint back to one of 20 paint retail locations in Santa Clara County. Find a drop-off site at hhw.org. Paint must be in the original can with a label. Please do not place paint in your garbage cart or pour it down the drain. You may also dispose of paint and other household hazardous waste through Waste Management (WM) At Your Door services. Appointments are required via www.wmatyourdoor.com or 800.449.7587.

Saturday, October 25 – Environmental Recycling & Document Shredding Day

Gather up your old confidential documents, the items you’ve been meaning to donate and that broken printer in your cupboard and head to Environmental Recycling and Document Shredding Day! It will be held on Saturday, October 25, 2014, 9 am - 1 pm in De Anza College’s Parking Lot A. Accepted items are:

- Electronic waste (computers, monitors and printers)
- Universal waste (batteries, cell phones, CFLs and fluorescent tubes)
- Reusable furniture (not dirty, stained, or torn)
- Clothing
- Residential documents (for confidential onsite shredding; two box limit)

Please note: NO paint, toxic chemicals, or mattresses accepted.

For further information, contact Recology at 408.725.4020. This event compliments the FREE e-waste drop off offered for Cupertino residents by Apple Computer (now at 1326 Kifer Road in Sunnyvale).

Need to Drain Your Pool?

Steps must be taken to protect the creeks when draining pools and spas. If pool water is pumped directly into the street or gutter, it will flow into a storm drain and pollute one of Cupertino’s beautiful creeks. Chlorine and pool chemicals are a threat to aquatic life in the creeks—so draining into the gutter is prohibited by City ordinance. Pool water must be discharged to landscaping or pumped into a sanitary sewer clean-out. Before a pool is drained to a sanitary clean-out, the pool owner should call the Cupertino Sanitary District at (408) 253-7071. District staff can
provide assistance in finding the home’s clean-out and can answer questions about the appropriate flow rate, technique, and the right time of day to drain a pool. To obtain more guidance for the pool draining process, visit www.MyWatershedWatch.org, or email the City at environmental@cupertino.org.

Clean a Creek! Saturday, September 20

The City of Cupertino will host a community creek cleanup on Saturday, September 20, 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, long pants, and sunscreen. Free refreshments will be offered. This event is a fun, family-friendly way to help clean up our local environment! Register at www.cleanacreek.org or contact the City at 408.777.3354.

Is Your Gardener a Green Gardener?

Residents, ask your yard maintenance professional to become a Green Gardener! Gardeners who attend a ten-week class will learn to conserve water, protect soil, reduce waste and improve the health, appearance and value of landscape while reducing toxic chemical run-off that impacts our creeks. Gardeners who successfully complete the hands-on training will be certified as Santa Clara Valley Green Gardeners and will benefit from online advertising and promotions. Visit www.mywatershedwatch.org/greengardener.html.

Training in English: Wednesdays, September 10 to November 12, 4 – 6 pm
Training in Spanish: Thursdays, September 11 to November 13, 4 – 6 pm
Cost: $120 (Scholarships for up to $60 are available for landscape maintenance professionals)

Location: Sunnyvale-Cupertino Adult Community Education (ACE), 591 West Fremont Avenue, Sunnyvale, CA 94087
Registration is now open!
To register: Call Sunnyvale-Cupertino Adult Community Education (ACE) at 408.522.7201.

Cupertino Alert System

Have you heard about the “Cupertino Alert System” or “CAS?” You may know of Santa Clara County’s “AlertSCC.” These are two separate systems which have the ability to send alert notifications to a small geographical area or to the entire city. Alerting every possible telephone in the city is reserved for emergency or life-threatening situations which AlertSCC and CAS, both can perform. CAS can also send alerts about non-life-threatening situations like a missing person, traffic alerts, health-related issues, power or water disruptions. When you create your CAS opt-in account, you can choose none, one or all the community notification groups of notifications you would like to receive. Also, within your opt-in account, you can select which contact method (telephone, cellular phone, email, and SMS) you want to be contacted at. You can also select the order of your preference.

If you have children that attend a Cupertino school, add the school’s address. If the school is within the notification area, you will get the message. (You have the ability to add up to a total of five Cupertino addresses in one account.) Create your new opt-in account at cupertino.org/cas. Please take a few minutes and add your contact information with the Cupertino Alert System. If you do not have access to the internet, call Robert Kim 408.777.1359 to setup your CAS contact information.

Cupertino Rotary, Global Elegance 2014
Sunday, September 7, 2014, 5:30 pm
Dinner starts: 7 pm
Please join us for Rotary’s Global Elegance Dinner and Reception at Hakone Gardens, Saratoga. The special evening celebrates Rotary Club of Cupertino’s partnerships and support of international programs. These humanitarian projects are truly worthy of your time and support. We look forward to your company and outstanding fellowship and gourmet food; all surrounded by the beauty and grandeur of Hakone Gardens. Feel free to arrive before dinner and tour the beautiful gardens and outstanding buildings. Take a few moments to relax by the magnificent pond.

For more information, please contact John Nadolski at john@water.cc or Padma Chari at padma@charihome.com.
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<td>tandemtoastmasters.vsgcorp.com</td>
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<td>Mariani’s Restaurant, BBLC Hall, 99 North Bascom Avenue, San Jose</td>
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<td>Northwest YMCA, 20803 Alves Drive</td>
<td>408.351.2444</td>
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<td>Embroiders’ Guild of America</td>
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<td>Moorpark Hotel 2nd Floor, 4241 Moorpark Ave, San Jose, CA 95129</td>
<td>408.996.7492</td>
<td><a href="mailto:Susans@sonic.net">Susans@sonic.net</a></td>
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Submit information about clubs and organizations meeting in Cupertino to City Clerk, City of Cupertino, 10300 Torre Ave., Cupertino, 95014, 408.777.3223, cityclerk@cupertino.org. Clubs with asterisks meet more than once monthly. Call the contact number for details.
SEPT 18
Overeaters Anonymous*
7 pm
Union Church
408.759.2617
oa.org

Cupertino Sister Cities
7:30 - 9:30 pm
City Hall Conference Room A
408.867.2162
jeang8@hotmail.com

Small Business Symposium
9 am - 1 pm
Quinnian Community Center
408.252.7054
cupertino-chamber.org

SEPT 23
Al-ANON Family Group*
5 pm
Bethel Lutheran Church, 10181 Finch Ave., Fireside Room
408.379.9375
nccwa.org/scvafg

Alcoholics Anonymous*
Women's Group
7 pm
Good Shepard Christian Church, 940 S. Stelling Rd.
408.374.8511
aasanjose.org

Cupertino Kiwanis*
Noon
The Blue Pheasant
408.252.3830

cupertino.kiwais.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

Cupertino Quota*
12 - 1 pm
The Blue Pheasant
408.252.8568
cupertino.quota@yahoo.com

Viewfinders Digital Video Club
7:30 pm
Community Center - In Cupertino Room
408.520.1379
viewfindersclub.org
http://viewfindersclub.org/Meetings.html

Malihini Orchid Society
7:30 pm
Valco Shopping Center
408.267.3397
malihini.org

Diwali Festival
10 am - 5 pm
Memorial Park
408.252.7054
cupertino-chamber.org

Hindu Swayamsevak Sangh USA*
10 am - 1:30
Creekside Park Hall
408.368.0357
www.hssus.org

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Citizen Corps Steering Committee
6:30 - 8 pm
City Hall
408.777.3176

CITY MEETINGS

SEPT 2
City Council Meeting (Community Hall)***
6:45 pm

SEPT 3
Library Commission (Conf. Rm. A)
7 pm

SEPT 4
Technology, Info & Communication Comm. (Conf. Rm. A)
7 pm

SEPT 5
Environmental Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)
9:30 am

SEPT 6
Design Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)
5 pm

SEPT 7
Parks and Recreation Commission (Community Hall)
7 pm

SEPT 8
Planning Commission (Community Hall)***
6:45 pm

SEPT 9
Housing Commission (Conf. Rm. C)
9 am

SEPT 10
Administrative Hearing meeting
5 pm

SEPT 11
Public Safety Commission (Conf. Rm. A)
7 pm

SEPT 12
City Council Meeting (Cancelled) (Community Hall)***
6:45 pm

SEPT 13
Bicycle and Pedestrian Commission (Conf. Rm. A)
7 pm

SEPT 14
Environmental Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)
9 am

SEPT 15
Design Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)
5 pm

SEPT 16
Fine Arts Commission Meeting (Conf. Rm. A)
7 pm

SEPT 17
Planning Commission (Community Hall)***
6:45 pm

SEPT 18
Administrative Hearing meeting (Conf. Rm. C)
5 pm

Unless otherwise noted, all City Council and Commission meetings are held at 10350 Torre Ave.
City Hall is open Monday through Thursday, 7:30 am to 5:30 pm; Fridays, 7:30 am to 4:30 pm.
*** These meetings will be seen live via webcast at www.cupertino.org/webcast, or on The City Channel, Cable 26.
For all city meetings’ agenda and minutes go to www.cupertino.org/agenda.

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SPECIAL STUDY SESSION & REGULAR ADJOURNED MEETING
TUESDAY, JULY 15, 2014

Council Members Present:
Chang, Mahoney, Sinks, Santoro, Wong

Absent: None

Reviewed the Climate Action Plan (CAP) measures alternatives and provided comments
No reportable action was taken regarding Workers’ Compensation Claim
No reportable action was taken regarding Conference with Real Property Negotiators
Accepted Audit Committee’s Annual Report
Received update from Rotary Club of Cupertino immediate past President Savita Vaidyanathan
Presented the Proclamation to the City of Cupertino Parks and Recreation Department recognizing “Parks Make Life Better!” month

Approved July 1 City Council minutes as amended
Adopted Resolution No. 14-175 accepting Accounts Payable for period ending June 6, 2014
Adopted Resolution No. 14-176 accepting Accounts Payable for period ending June 13, 2014
Adopted Resolution no. 14-177 accepting Accounts Payable for period ending June 20, 2014

Authorized the City Manager to execute a contract with Dan Gertmenian for the Math Olympiad Program for the one-year period of August 1, 2014-July 31, 2015

Authorized the City Manager to award the construction contract with a construction contingency of up to 10% if the bids are within the established budget and there are no unresolved bid protests
Adopted Resolution No. 14-183 approving the assessment of fees for the annual weed abatement program (private parcels) with the following amendments (Sinks and Mahoney voting no)

- Mr. Biswas must still pay the $41 fine but his property will be removed from the list
- The $250 fee from Mr. Baum was waived but his property will remain on the list

Accepted the Appellants’ appeal withdrawals and upheld the Planning Commission’s June 9, 2014 approval of a use permit (U-2014-01) and architectural and site approval (ASA-2014-05) (Santoro voting no)

Energy Services Contract was dropped from the agenda
Adopted Resolution No. 14-180 approving architectural and site approval (ASA-2013-08) with the following amendment:
- If desired, the applicant may work with staff to incorporate the architectural enhancements or changes as outlined by the City’s architectural consultant visual illustration dated June 17, 2014 into the project design

Adopted Resolution No. 14-181 approving use permit (U-2014-05)
Adopted Resolution No. 14-182 approving the development application (ASA-2013-09) with the following amendment:
- The applicant shall work with staff to incorporate the additional architectural enhancements as outlined in the City’s architectural consultant visual illustration dated July 9, 2014 into the project design. The final revised plans shall be provided to the City Council as any item of interest.

Set the application date for Friday, August 8 at 4:30 pm and conduct interviews at 5:05 pm on Tuesday, August 19 (Chang absent)

Conducted the first reading of Ordinance no. 14-2120, “An Ordinance of the City council of the City of Cupertino amending section 11.08.250 of the Cupertino Municipal code relating to Bicycle Lanes-Designated”

Adjourned the meeting to Tuesday, August 19 at 5:05 pm for Housing Commission interviews, Cupertino city hall, 10300 Torre Avenue.

Have Something to Contribute?
To submit information to “Cupertino Scene,” email: scene@cupertino.org

Submission deadline for the October edition is September 3.

- Simply Safe, Continued from page 4

County Fire Department on preparedness and helping others during a disaster. The course is offered four times a year and you will have one year to make up any missed sessions for graduation. You may attend the final exercise once all six sessions have been completed. We encourage all Cupertino residents to attend this worthwhile training. The next class runs November 4, 5, 6 and November 11, 12, 13, from 6 - 9 pm with the final exercise on November 15, 10 am - 1 pm. All classes will be held at the Los Gatos Council Chambers 110 E. Main Street, Los Gatos, CA, 95030. The registration fee is $35 which will be reimbursed to Cupertino residents upon successful completion of the course. For more information and to register, email info@sccfd.org or call 1.408.378.4010.
THE BETTER PART

Welcome New Businesses

- Dollar Plus
  10123 N Wolfe Rd, Ste 2028
- Sumi Beauty Land
  21269 Stevens Creek Blvd, Ste 610
- J J Hawaiian BBQ
  10745 S De Anza Blvd, Ste D
- Aegis Financial Advisory
  19925 Stevens Creek Blvd, Ste 100
- U Gym LLC
  10945 N Wolfe Rd
- Tilted Head Fabrication
  10641 Stokes Ave
- Clairvoyance College LLC
  19925 Stevens Creek Blvd, Ste 100
- Valley Health & Acupuncture
  10353 Torre Ave, Ste B
- Hummingbird Day Spa
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Caregiver Support Group
Wednesday, September 17, 5 – 6:30 pm, in Mandarin
Thursday, September 11, 3 – 4:30 pm
Provides a safe place for family caregivers to share their experiences and challenges. Join our circle of support.

VOLUNTEERING

Hidden Treasures Sorting
Mondays, September 8 – October 27, 1:30 – 4 pm
We need many volunteers to sort through donated items on a weekly basis starting September 8. You will get a sneak preview of the donated items and have a lot of fun! To join this exciting event, email Alex at alexf@cupertino.org or call 408.777.3150.

Front Desk Volunteer
Front Desk Volunteers create a bright, vibrant, and wonderful place to be for the 50+ community. Bi-lingual volunteers are highly desirable. If you are interested in becoming a Front Desk Volunteer or want to learn more, please contact Justin at JustinC@cupertino.org or call 408.777.3150.

THE BETTER PART

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

September 8, 9 & 12
Age-Friendly Cities – Communities adapt to an aging population

September 15, 16 & 19
Technology Helping Seniors – Seniors staying in touch with just a touch screen

September 22, 23 & 26
Seniors’ Quality of Life and Care – This program addresses how seniors can improve quality of life as they age and discusses long-term care alternatives.

September 29 30 & October 3
Preparing for Pandemic Flu Collection – Learn what you can do to avoid the H1N1 (swine flu) virus in the coming flu season.

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DAY TRIPS

Earthbound Farm,
Thursday, October 2, $104
Pippin,
Wednesday, October 8, $159
Sargent Equestrian Center,
Wednesday, October 15, $99
Out-to-Lunch Bunch,
Thursday, October 23
I Love Lucy Live on Stage,
Sunday, November 23, $141
Levi’s Stadium Tour,
Tuesday, November 25, $113
Kinky Boots,
Tuesday, December 9, $139
Yuletide Lights of Livermore,
Thursday, December 11, $114
Moscow Ballet’s Great Russian Nutcracker, Friday, December 19, $89
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