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COMMUNITY UPDATES

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Hi Neighbors,

As we approach the holiday season, I hope everyone is taking the time to get into the spirit! We have a busy few weeks coming up at City Council, but I'm hoping to take some time after that to start decorating around the house. While we have many more community events to look forward to before the end of the year, this also means that we'll be entering our budget season soon. Stay tuned for updates on how you can share your valuable input for the FY25 budget cycle to shape the future of our City.

DISTRICT 6 NEWS

The Scripps Ranch Civic Association and Scripps Ranch Fire Council hosted an informative presentation and discussion about the Cedar Fire on its 20th anniversary, the devastating wildfire led to the loss of 312 homes in Scripps Ranch in October 2003. San Diego Police Department Captain Holden and San Diego Fire Rescue Department Chief Stowell spoke about what we have learned and how we can move forward to prevent future wildfires.

For more information on the City's Wildland Management, visit

www.sandiego.gov/fire/services/brush



Thank you to everyone who attended our Epicentre Info Session. It was great to hear feedback from so many people including community leaders and families, but it was especially touching to hear from our youth on what types of programs they would like to see at a revitalized Epicentre.

We want you to know that outreach occurs continuously, and feedback is always welcome. To learn more, please visit

bit.ly/MMEpicentre and
bit.ly/EpicentreFactSheetCountyOfSanDiego



San Diego Asian Film Festival | November 2-11

This cinematic extravaganza offers more than 130 films at select cinemas throughout San Diego County. Renowned for being the largest showcase of Asian cinema in the Western United States, SDAFF is a must for those eager to explore captivating narratives and independent works from Asia. See the schedule and locations at sdaff.org/2023/schedule



SD Beer Week | November 3-12

District 6 is home to many of our local breweries, and San Diego Beer Week is a great way to explore them! The San Diego Brewers Guild is proud to be a source for breweries, tradespeople, restaurants, and craft beer aficionados. The Guild is a nonprofit organization that seeks to promote San Diego breweries and creates an open line of communication among brewers — connecting a strong and vibrant community. Check out [SDBEER.COM/EVENTS](https://sdbeer.com/events) for specific event times and details.



Fleet Week | November 3-12

San Diego is home to the largest U.S. military concentration in the country. Experience one of San Diego's largest military events featuring military displays, high-tech equipment in the innovation zone, active Navy, and Coast Guard ship tours, live music, food, and fun for the whole family! <https://www.fleetweeksandiego.org/>

District 6 Event Calendar

[Click here to see](#) a calendar full of items such as community planning groups, local events, and town council meetings.

DISTRICT 6 BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT



Flour Atelier

Congratulations to Chrisell Nguyen and Evelyn Ozburn on the opening of Flour Atelier.

This will be your go-to destination for custom cakes, inspiring desserts, and stunning floral arrangements to elevate any celebration. With their passion, attention to detail, and artistic vision, they've transformed from a home kitchen to a brick-and-mortar establishment that is sure to be a success. Welcome to District 6!

Check out their Instagram @FlourAtelier.SD
www.flouratelier.com

4240 Kearny Mesa Rd Suite 116, 92111

Follow along on social media to see more weekly business spotlights!



COMMUNITY RESOURCES



Our office invites constituents to a community event where residents can dispose of oversized items, as well as donate food for families in need this Thanksgiving season! Visit bit.ly/D6DumpsterDay to register.

Donate most-needed food items e.g., canned foods, rice, beans, cereal, nuts, peanut butter, and infant formula. To donate without participating in Dumpster Day, please visit the San Diego Food Bank.

Dumpster Day is limited to District 6 constituents only, by pre-registration only. Confirmed registrants will then receive instructions via email, including timeslot and location in Mira Mesa.

Hazardous waste, electronics, and mattresses are not allowed; please dispose of these items separately and free of charge by visiting sandiego.gov/environmental-services/recycling.

Our office has partnered with the San Diego Humane Society for another affordable pet care event!

AFFORDABLE PET CARE EVENT

Mira Mesa Community Park
8555 Westmore Rd, San Diego, CA 92126
Saturday, November 18th
9 AM – 4 PM



SERVICES PROVIDED

- Free Microchips
- Veterinarian Exam \$40
- Flea Medicine \$15 and up
- Vaccines \$20 and up
- Deworming \$20 and up
- Adult Bloodwork \$80 and up



Mira Mesa Community Park
(north side by Westmore Rd lot)
8555 Westmore Rd, San Diego, CA 92126
Saturday, November 18th
9 AM – 4 PM (while supplies last)

Dogs must be on leashes and cats in carriers. Walk-up services on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information, please contact the San Diego Humane Society - Community Veterinary Program at CVP@sdhumane.org or visit sdhumane.org/cvp.

Attention Sorrento Valley transit riders!

North County Transit District (NCTD) wants to improve your travel to/from the Sorrento Valley COASTER station. [Please complete this 5-minute survey.](#) Your responses will help planners and schedulers create transit service to meet your transportation needs.



2024 Tourism Accelerator Program

The San Diego Tourism Authority (SDTA) is thrilled to announce the return of its award-winning DEI program – Tourism Accelerator. Aimed at elevating local businesses owned by people of color, LGBTQ+, women, veterans, and people with disabilities, this high-impact program champions inclusion and equity in the tourism economy. The program offers a suite of services and benefits valued at over \$14,000, including free SDTA membership for one year, mentoring, education, alumni, and networking opportunities.

Check out the full benefits and eligibility guidelines [here](#) and apply today! The deadline to apply is November 22, 2023.

APPLY NOW
www.sandiego.org/accelerator



SDHC First-Time Homeownership Advisor

The first-time homebuyer program for middle-income, Black, Indigenous, People of Color (BIPOC) households in the City of San Diego helps address the gap in homeownership rates for People of Color. A Homeownership Advisor is now available to assist households interested in financial assistance or programs like credit counseling and debt reduction. Call 619-578-7788 or email homeownership@sdhc.org.

Visit the SDHC website for more information:
sdhc.org/housing-opportunities/first-time-homebuyers

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