Mayor Barbara Delgleize is thrilled to announce Huntington Beach will be one of 300 cities nationwide to participate in the 2017 Mayor’s Challenge.

This challenge will help hundreds of mayors develop, test, and implement innovative solutions to emerging issues that they face. In the coming months an innovation expert will visit the City and conduct a one-day training session to accelerate idea development and to understand the community.

Out of the 300 cities, 35 Champion Cities will be awarded up to $100,000 to begin to bring their ideas to life. Champion Cities will test and refine these ideas, creating a coast-to-coast civic-solutions laboratory. Cities will then compete against each other for a chance to win up to $5 million.

We will keep you posted on how Huntington Beach progresses throughout the challenge!

SAVE THE DATE!
City of Huntington Beach Night at Angels Stadium!
Friday, June 25
7:07 vs Astros!
$22 per ticket
Includes at hat AND a Nolan Ryan Bobble Head!
Get your tickets here www.angels.com/hb
See flier on page 16!
US OPEN RECAP—Family Friendly Fun!

The US Open was held from July 29-August 6, and was a huge success! This year’s venue was very well attended with reports of approximately 300,000 people. A large portion of the crowd included families who were in attendance throughout the contest. The police department was well represented in all aspects of the event. Not only did we have HBPD officers in the venue and Pier Plaza, we also had our Beach Detail officers and our downtown officers working for multiple consecutive days to ensure the event was a safe one. We also had a lot of outside help from Probation and Parole, the Orange County Regional Mounted Enforcement Unit, and Alcohol Beverage and Control Agents.

Our parking control officers stayed very busy writing a number of parking tickets to make sure our residents were not as impacted as in past years. Our Motor Officers wrote multiple traffic citations to ensure our streets were safe and traffic incidents remained low. There was a lot of proactive enforcement for alcohol violations, and the security measures put into place at the entrances to the venue greatly reduced the amount of alcohol being brought inside.

There were very few disturbances, and minimal felony arrests. Overall, the 2017 US Open of Surfing was a peaceful, well attended, and successful event. We even received recognition on a national stage from CBS Sports, who commented on how well the Huntington Beach Police Department did to keep everyone safe throughout the entire sporting event. We thank all of our residents who attended for helping us have a great nine days during this annual event which highlights our city to people all over the world.
Women of Surfing: Art & History
Good Vibrations Celebration Fundraiser
August 12 | 7 – 10 pm

Join the Huntington Beach Art Center as it celebrates the rich history of surfing in Surf City, USA, with its “Good Vibrations Celebration” fundraiser. This event supports the important exhibitions and education programs that HBAC showcases each year and will feature live music from “Surf’s Up,” a Beach Boys tribute band. Full BBQ catering, craft beer tasting, silent auction, and photo op will be provided. The fundraiser also acts as an opportunity for HBAC to honor the artists and surf legends of Women of Surfing: Art & History. This is the second exhibition in a series celebrating women in the arts delving into artworks by national and international artists who have an intimate relationship with the ocean and the sport of surfing. Tickets are $65 and can be purchased by calling (714) 374-1650.

54th Annual Huck Finn Fishing Derby

On Saturday, August 12, the Community Services Department will host the 54th Annual Huck Finn Fishing Derby on the beautiful Huntington Beach Pier.

This is a free fishing event for all children up to age 15. Bring your child dressed as their favorite Huck Finn character to compete for the biggest fish in one of three age divisions. Be sure to stay until the end of the event to participate in the costume contest for a chance to win a brand new bicycle!

The derby begins at 9:15 a.m. and will conclude at noon with the costume contest. Registration begins on the pier at 8 a.m. For more information, please contact Edison Community Center at 714-960-8870.
FALL CLASS REGISTRATION STARTS TODAY

Registration month is here! Starting Tuesday, August 8, you’ll be able to sign up for fall classes. During the fall, we have swim lessons at the City Gym & Pool only. Swim classes will fill up quickly, especially our private swim lessons, so make to log onto hbsands.org and register soon. Aqua Exercise classes will also be offered for adults and can be paid on a month-to-month basis.

During the fall we offer youth soccer for ages three to eight years old, and our indoor co-ed volleyball league for athletes in third to eighth grade. There are many great classes offered during the fall, whether you’re interested in exercise, dance, martial arts, educational, art, and much more. We have classes for all ages, starting from infants and tots to adults. We look forward to seeing you this fall!

CITY CLERKS OFFICE

Congratulations go out to Donna Switzer who was recently hired as a full-time Deputy City Clerk. Donna began working in the City Clerk’s Office as a Department Services Aide II/Passport Agent, and recently finished in the top five of a recruitment of over 450 applicants competing for the position. Donna calls Huntington Beach home, and is excited about becoming a full-time member of the City Clerk team. If you haven't met Donna, please stop by the second floor and introduce yourself!
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Magic of Composting Seminar on Saturday, August 19, at Shipley Nature Center

Shipley Nature Center will host a seminar on backyard composting and food composting with worms on Saturday, August 19, at 9:30 a.m. Approximately 90 minutes in length, the lecture covers the various techniques for reducing waste and creating rich compost for gardens, flowerbeds, and lawns. The cost is $10 per person. Register in advance to reserve your seat at www.shipleynature.org/magic-composting-2017/.

The seminar is held at Shipley Nature Center, 17851 Goldenwest St. (in Huntington Central Park). Huntington Beach residents attending the lecture will receive a $50 voucher that can be used toward the purchase of a backyard composting unit or complete worm composting kit. This lecture series is sponsored by the Department of Public Works, Enrecos, and Friends of Shipley Nature. For more information visit www.shipleynature.org.

Capital Improvement Project – Arterial Rehabilitation

- Atlanta Avenue (between Newland and Magnolia)
- Indianapolis Avenue (between Newland and Magnolia)

These two segments of roadway are being rehabilitated with new asphalt, sections of curb, gutter and sidewalk, new ADA compliant access ramps, new traffic signage and thermo plastic striping. Methods for these rehabilitated areas are the grinding out and replacing of failed asphalt and replacement with fiber reinforced asphalt concrete. Sewer and storm drain manholes, valves and water boxes are being replaced and adjusted to grade. Areas of curb gutter and sidewalks are replaced as necessary. This project is utilizing rubberized asphalt concrete (RAC) which contains crumb rubber derived from 100% California waste tire rubber. This project will divert more than 9,000 waste tires that would otherwise end up in a landfill. The total cost for this rehabilitation is $1.4 million.
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Planning Commission Study Session
Tonight, Tuesday, August 8, at 5:15 p.m. in the Council Chambers the Planning Commission will hold a study session regarding the following item:

GENERAL PLAN AMENDMENT NO. 14-002/ ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT NO. 14-001 (GENERAL PLAN UPDATE): To update the comprehensive General Plan, Citywide. Please contact Jennifer Villasenor, Planning Manager, for more information.

A copy of the agenda is available on the City’s website at http://www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/government/departments/planning/agendas/ Please contact the Planning Division, at (714) 536-5271, with any questions.

Design Review Board
On Thursday, August 10, at 3:30 p.m. in Room B-8 the Design Review Board will hold a meeting to review the following item:

SIGN CODE EXCEPTION NO. 17-002 (PIERSIDE PAVILION): To permit a Sign Code Exception for four (4) signs with the following exceptions from the sign code: 1) To install box type signs where box type signs are not permitted; 2) Building identification signs on a 91 ft. in high building in lieu of a minimum 100 ft. high building; 3) Signs covering an architectural feature in lieu of maintaining clear view of architectural features at 300 Pacific Coast Highway, 92648 (Southeast Corner of Main Street and Pacific Coast Highway). Please contact Jessica Bui, Assistant Planner, for more information.

A copy of the agenda is available on the City’s website at http://www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/government/departments/planning/PJB/drb1/index.cfm Please contact the Planning Division, at (714) 536-5271, with any questions.

Zoning Administrator
On Wednesday, August 16, at 1:30 p.m. in Room B-8 the Zoning Administrator will hold a meeting to review the following items:

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT NO. 17-020 (CLANTON RESIDENCE ROOF TOP DECK): To permit an approximately 404 sq. ft. roof top deck above the second story top plate of an existing single family residence. 21851 Kiowa Lane, 92646 (west side of Kiowa Ln. at the terminus of Mahalo Dr.). Jessica Bui, Assistant Planner, for more information.

COASTAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT NO. 17-007 (SILVERMAN RESIDENCE): To permit the demolition of an existing 2,450 sq. ft. single-family residence to construct a new 5,139 sq. ft. single-family residence with a 626 sq. ft. garage and 115 sq. ft. of second floor decks. This includes a review and analysis for compliance with the Infill Lot Ordinance which encourages adjacent property owners to review proposed development for compatibility/privacy issues, such as window alignments, building pad height, and floor plan layout. This project is located at 16777 Bolero Lane, 92649 (north of Finisterre Dr., west of Bolero Ln.). Please contact Kimo Burden, Planning Aide, for more information.

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT NO. 17-023 (MCGUIRE RESIDENCE ADDITION): To permit an approximately 418 sq. ft. addition above the second story top plate of a two-story single family residence with an accessory dwelling unit at 8222 Snowbird Drive, 92646 (southwest corner of Snowbird Dr. and Schooner Ln.). Please contact Joanna Cortez, Assistant Planner, for more information.

A copy of the agenda is available on the City's website at http://www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/Government/Departments/Planning/PJB/zal/ZAAgendas.cfm. Please contact the Planning Division, at (714) 536-5271, with any questions.
MIGUEL’S JR OPENING SOON!
Huntington Beach will soon welcome another one of SoCal’s favorite eateries when Miguel’s Jr. opens their doors this month (firm date TBD, but before the end of August). This new addition to HB will feature a full menu of homestyle Mexican dishes, seven breakfast burritos - including the popular chorizo and green pig - and a variety of breakfast plates. All meals are made using only premium ingredients including fresh Haas avocados, all natural & hormone free poultry, pasture-raised, corn fed beef, 100% stone ground tortillas and tortilla chips, as well as their famous fresh-made daily hot sauce. The new 3,000 square foot, drive-in restaurant was built within Newland Center as part of an extensive renovation of the entire center and the newly-constructed building features original murals depicting both the Pier and the Newland House.

LOCAL BUSINESS HEADLINES
Huntington Beach businesses continue to make news across a broad range of fields. Here are just a few exciting headlines that have highlighted Surf City businesses within the past month:

♦ **Technology and Defense:** Boeing Co has recently launched underwater testing of the unmanned underwater vehicle developed here in Huntington Beach. The 51-foot Echo Voyager has been canvassing the Palos Verdes Peninsula, where Boeing test engineers are gauging the vehicle’s communications, autonomy, propulsion, systems integration, and battery operations.

♦ **Active Sports:** Boardriders Inc., which owns the Quiksilver, Roxy, and DC Shoes Brands has named its new president for the Americas division. In July, Nate Smith, formerly VP of Oakley’s wholesale sport and optical, was appointed to take the helm as the company continues its successful return from difficult financial times following its bankruptcy.

♦ **Health Care:** CiceroDX says they have launched their first product, a test panel for unexplained fertility, to be marketed under the name ReceptivaDX.
OFFICE OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

BUSINESS LINK BRINGS COUNCIL INTO THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY

The Office of Business Development recently implemented the BusinessLink Program, which brings City Council-members and staff into the Huntington Beach community to speak directly with firm owners and operators at their place of business. The goal of the program is to further the relationship between the City and the business community by asking what can be done to assist them, and sharing information and resources of which the business owner may be unaware. Thus far visits have been made with Geosyntec Consultants, one of the fastest growing private firms in OC, and Randall Lumber, one of the oldest and most successful materials businesses in the OC. If your business would to participate, please feel free to contact the Office of Business Development at (714) 536-5582.

FREE FAIR HOUSING WALK-IN COUNSELING AND LANDLORD/TENANT WORKSHOPS

The Fair Housing Foundation will provide three opportunities for the public to learn more about fair housing opportunities in August – all workshops are free of charge:

**August 14 Landlord’s Rights Workshop:** 2-4 p.m. at the Central Library (Balboa Room) – workshop to help inform and educate landlords on their rights and responsibilities. RSVP required.

**August 28 Tenant’s Rights Workshop:** 2-4 p.m. at the Central Library (Balboa Room) – workshop to help inform and educate residential tenants on their rights and responsibilities. RSVP required.

**August 28 Monthly Walk-In Clinic:** 10 a.m. to noon in Fifth Floor Office of Business Development at Huntington Beach City Hall. No appointment or RSVP is necessary. A counselor will be available on a first-come, first served basis to discuss any rental housing issues, tenant/landlord disputes and to ask questions about Fair Housing Laws. The City partners with the Fair Housing Foundation to provide services to the community related to fair housing issues and is also available by phone Monday through Friday at (800) 446-3247 or on a walk-in basis at their offices in Anaheim and Long Beach.

To RSVP for workshops, speak directly to a Counselor or ask additional questions, please contact the Fair Housing Foundation at (800) 446-3247. More information is also available on their website at www.fhfsa.org.
LIBRARY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

OAK VIEW BRANCH LIBRARY TO OFFER ADULT COLORING CLASS

Coloring can be stress and anxiety-relieving, and just plain fun! The Oak View Branch Library invites teens and adults of all ages and abilities to attend the Coloring for Relaxation program on Friday, August 11 from 3 to 4:30 p.m. The library will provide fun coloring sheets and tools, light refreshments and relaxing music! The Oak View Branch Library is located at 17251 Oak Lane in Huntington Beach. For more information, please call (714)375-5068.

THERE’S SOMETHING FUN FOR KIDS OF ALL INTERESTS AT THE LIBRARY

Kids between the ages of 4 and 12 are invited to the Tabby Theater from 3:30 and 5 p.m. to practice making architectural masterpieces on Wednesday, August 9 at the next Lego Fun session. The library provides the Legos, and kids will provide the fun and creativity.

For the musically inclined book lover, kids and their families can come to this month’s Rock and Roll Pajama Storytime, featuring the talented and animated Mr. Brian, on Thursday, August 10 at 7:00 pm in the Tabby Theater. Kids will enjoy lively stories and songs, and be then treated to refreshments provided by the National Charity League after storytime.

Fans of both animals and reading are in for a treat at the monthly Read to a Therapy Dog storytime, to be held on Saturday, August 12 starting at 3 p.m. in the Talbert Room. Shy readers aged 4-12 in search of encouragement from a non-judgmental, canine listener are invited to attend.

It’s never too early to get youngsters involved with computers, especially when it comes to reading. Children ages 3 to 5 years old and a parent will enjoy listening to stories and songs during the iPad (Digital) Storytime coming up on Monday, August 14 at 3:30 p.m. in the Tabby Theater. iPads are included for use during storytime, and older children are welcome to attend as well.

For more information on these and other events in the children’s department of the Huntington Beach Public Library, please visit our website at http://hbpl.libguides.com/kids/home or call 714 375-5107.
Children’s August Reading Raffles

The Children’s August Reading Raffles starts August 7 and ends September 9. For every 10 points children earn through their reading efforts they will earn a digital badge and a virtual raffle ticket. Children can earn up to ten tickets for a chance to win a large stuffed Little Elliot Elephant, toy circus set, a variety of stuffed bears, coupons and books. Go to hbpl.org and click on the Beanstack Banner.

If you are already registered, you can log in with your email or phone number. If our staff or teens registered you into the summer reading program, your password is password. Pictures of the prizes children can win will be posted on the Friends of the Children’s Library of Huntington Beach Facebook page.

Did you know you can report a crime online on the City website? By using this online reporting system, you can report harassing phone calls, thefts, hit and runs, vandalism, lost property and vehicle burglaries. You can find a quick link to this system on the Police Department homepage.

http://www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/Government/Departments/PD/online_services/online_crime_reporting.cfm
Huntington Beach Fire Department

Congratulations to four members of the Huntington Beach Search & Rescue Explorer Post #563, for their completion of the 19th Annual Orange County Fire Authority’s Fire Explorer Academy! Explorers Shane Nunan, Samuel Blodgett, Clayton Culhane, and Justin Salazar (pictured left to right) completed a week long, all inclusive, firefighting camp. Topics included Auto Extrication, Wildland Firefighting, Rope Rescue Systems, A Day in the Life of a Firefighter, and Live Fire Suppression exercises. Days began at 4:30 a.m. with physical fitness and concluded at 10 p.m., following an instructional class on the next day’s training. Explorers continued development of their interagency coordination skills, working with members from eight different agencies including Big Bear Fire and Kern County. Congratulations on their exemplary representation of the City of Huntington Beach!
Marine Safety Heroic Stories

On August 3, Junior Lifeguard Captain, Hunter Seals, 16, was on his way home when he came upon an auto versus pedestrian accident. Mr. Seals took it upon himself to render care utilizing skills learned as a Junior Lifeguard. Communication from an off duty Los Angeles Fire Captain, who arrived on the scene a short time later, highlights the calm and clear thinking and actions of Mr. Seals throughout the ordeal. Mr. Seal’s actions exemplify the traits we instill in future Safety Service personnel.

Then, on August 4, while body surfing in the area of Tower 7, two 12-year-old off duty Junior Guards, Caden Cunningham and Lucca Deocariza, noticed three victims struggling and being pulled out in a rip current. Both Caden and Lucca reacted to the situation without hesitation and swam to their aid. Despite not having any equipment to perform a water rescue, they proceeded to assist the victims. After calming them, the two Junior Guards assisted the group towards shore. Lifeguard Jennifer Schulman had recognized the situation from the shore and quickly rushed to help with the rescue.

By utilizing skills they had obtained in the Junior Guard program, the quick action of Caden Cunningham and Lucca Deocariza helped two swimmers in distress and prevented what could have been a very serious situation.
Electric Lawn Mower Rebate Program

The Air Quality Management District has established a residential Electric Lawn Mower Rebate Program (available to Huntington Beach residents) to offset the cost of an electric lawn mower.

Through the Electric Lawn Mower Rebate Program, participants can purchase a new electric lawn mower either online or from a manufacturer-authorized retailer or dealer, including hardware and home improvement stores. The program will allow residents to turn in their old gasoline lawn mower to an approved dismantler for permanent destruction and receive a rebate based on the purchase price of a new battery operated electric lawn mower.

The Electric Lawn Mower Rebate Program will be implemented on a first-come, first-served basis and will provide up to $250 towards the cost of the battery electric lawn mower.

Electric Lawn Mower Requirements

The electric lawn mower purchased must be new, not used or previously owned, or factory reconditioned. It has to be zero-emission electric, battery-powered lawn mower. Corded electric mowers are not eligible. It must also be a push or self-propelled mower specified for residential use and have a minimum one year manufacturer warranty.

To apply for the residential Electric Lawn Mower Rebate Program, please visit: Electric Lawn Mower Rebate Application Form

CLICK HERE

HB Sustainable Business Certification

The City of Huntington Beach is launching its 2017 round of Sustainable Business Certifications! From financial corporations to manufacturers and builders, most any company can now reap the plentiful financial rewards of taking their business in a sustainable direction. Your company can benefit from incentives, rebates, technical assistance and increased popularity and demand through your standing as a sustainable company.

For more information on the program and to enroll your HB Business please go to: www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/sustainablecert
Read a good book lately?
Better yet, have you written one?

Self-Publishing Workshop
with author
Christopher J. Lynch

This free workshop will include:
* Pros and Cons of self-publishing versus traditional
* Editing
* How to format your manuscript as an E-Book or POD (print on demand)
* Cover design
* ISBN’s and bar-codes
* Costs of services
* Pricing
* Sales channels
* Promotion
* A live step by step demonstration of an e-book being uploaded and created on Amazon

Saturday
August 26th
10:00am to 1:30pm
Talbert Room

Free! Registration required.
Go to the Library Events calendar to register.
UPCOMING EVENTS

MAY 27 - OCTOBER 1, 2017

Surf City USA

SHUTTLE

HUNTINGTON BEACH

COMPLIMENTARY HUNTINGTON BEACH TRANSPORTATION

Stops throughout Huntington Beach on the new City and Coastal Loops

Additional service for Fourth of July and US Open of Surfing weekends

FOR THE SHUTTLE SCHEDULE AND LIVE GPS TRACKING VISIT

SURFCITYUSAASHUTTLE.COM
Join the Huntington Beach Community!

- Discounted Reserved Tickets in Left Field Pavilion for $22 each
- It’s a giveaway night! Everyone in attendance will receive a Nolan Ryan bobble-head
- Every ticket purchased through the Chamber comes with a FREE Angels Hat
- Access to the Huntington Beach Tailgate and Community Village
- Community Partners who purchase a minimum of 50 tickets will have their group/company name displayed on the scoreboard during the game
- The Community Partner who sells the most tickets will receive 4 VIP passes to watch batting practice from the field
- Mayor Barbara Diggs will be recognized on the field during the game

FRIDAY
AUG 25
7:07 PM

ASTROS
VS
ANGELS

Please contact the HB Chamber for tickets at (714) 536-8888
Shipley Nature Center Presents

“Ask a Master Gardener”

Monthly Talks and Demonstrations
by UCCE Master Gardeners of Orange County

Saturday, July 22nd at 10:00 am
Composting 101

Saturday, August 26th at 10:00 am
Raised Beds and Container Gardens

Saturday, September 23rd at 10:00 am
Growing Bulbs

Saturday, October 28th at 10:00 am
Growing Herbs

Shipley Nature Center
Located in Huntington Central Park
17851 Goldenwest St. Huntington Beach
714/842-4772
August 2017

♦ August 9 — HB Day at the OC Fair. Flag raising ceremony at 12:30pm at the Hanger. [www.ocfair.com](http://www.ocfair.com) for ticket info

♦ August 25—HB Night at Angels Stadium. $22 [www hbchamber org](http://www hbchamber org)

September 2017


♦ September 29 to October 1—2nd Annual Airshow [www hbairshow com](http://www hbairshow com)
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