

City Manager's Report

CITY OF HUNTINGTON
BEACH

Week of January 10, 2017



U.S. Navy Blue Angel #7 Jet Plans Jan. 12 Site Visit for the 2017 Breitling Huntington Beach Airshow, Sept. 29 – Oct. 1

The second annual Breitling Huntington Beach Airshow, Sept. 29 – Oct. 1, will be headlined by the U.S. Navy Blue Angels and the Canadian Forces Snowbirds. In preparation for the fall airshow, Blue Angels # 7 (Lt. Brandon Hempler – “Mr. B”) and #8 (Lt. Dave Steepe “Skippy”) will complete a survey flight over Huntington Beach on Thursday, Jan. 12, followed by interviews and then a safety briefing at the Joint Forces Training Base in Los Alamitos.

Attracting more than 560,000 visitors for its inaugural show, the Breitling Huntington Beach Airshow is the West Coast’s only beachfront airshow. Breitling, the independent Swiss watch company that has established itself as the privileged partner of aviation, will continue to be the show’s presenting sponsor.

Flyover—January 12 between 9:30 and 10 a.m.

Blue Angel #7, piloted by Lt. Brandon Hempler, the show’s narrator, and Lt. Dave Steepe, the Blue Angel Event Coordinator, will complete a technical evaluation flyover above Huntington Beach on Thursday, Jan. 12 between 9:30 and 10 a.m. If it rains, the flyover will be postponed to Friday, Jan. 13. **This is a flyover by a Navy F-18 jet. Very loud noise is associated with low altitude flyovers.**



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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Public Works Projects Update

Arterial Street Rehabilitation Project

This project covers the following streets: Talbert Avenue (Gothard to Newland), Main Street (Garfield to Delaware), and Heil Avenue (Goldenwest to Edwards).

Construction is nearly complete for these three roadway segments. The project consisted of grinding sections of asphalt pavement and replacing those sections with fiber reinforced / rubberized asphalt concrete. The asphalt material contains crumb rubber derived from 100 percent California waste tire rubber having recycle value which provides a quiet drive effect. Additional rehabilitation efforts concentrated on the replacement of curbs, gutters and sidewalks, sewer/storm water manholes, water valves, traffic signal loops, striping and signage including replacement of overgrown trees that were causing issues with the City's infrastructure. Overall associated costs amount to \$2.6 million.



Brookhurst Street Frontage Road/ Tree Petition Project

The project rehabilitated the Brookhurst Street frontage road, from Kamuela Drive to Yorktown Avenue, based on the established Tree Petition Program.

The scope of work included removal and replacement of concrete curbs, gutters and sidewalks, driveway approaches including landscaped parkways and the installation of a catch basin on Kamuela Drive. The roadway work included grinding and overlay with new asphalt due to previous damage from the tree roots. Overall associated costs amount to \$251k.



Rule 20a Edison Undergrounding Project – Brookhurst Street, between Garfield and Indianapolis

Phase One of the undergrounding of overhead utilities is nearly complete. That effort performed by Edison's contractor involved numerous traffic control phasing in order to perform dewatering and installation of underground vaults, multiple conduit runs followed by Edison forces installing transformers, pulling and terminating cables. Most of the surface restorations of the roadway and concrete curbs, gutters and sidewalks are underway (weather permitting) and are targeted for completion by the end of January.

Phase Two, which is in progress involves Frontier and Spectrum who are removing their overhead communication wires and, eventually, utility poles. This effort will not require as extensive traffic control on Brookhurst and is forecasted to be complete by the end of February.

COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Boutonnieres & Bows Dance

On Saturday, February 18, the City of Huntington Beach will host its inaugural dance for guardians and children! The Boutonnieres & Bows Dance is a great opportunity for moms, dads, grandmas and grandpas to invite their little ones for a night of dancing, dinner, dessert, arts & crafts, and even a photo booth. Please dress to impress!

This event will be held at the City Gym & Pool from 6-8 p.m. and is for children from kindergarten-fifth grade. The cost is \$15 for each guardian/child pair and \$5 more for one additional child. You can register now at any of our community center locations or online at HBSands.org. Please contact the City Gym for more information 714-960-8884.



The City Of Huntington Beach Presents

Boutonnieres & Bows Dance

February 18th, 2017 6:00PM - 8:00PM

Attention all moms and dads! Make your child's first dance special by inviting them to the Boutonnieres and Bows Dance! There will be dancing, dinner and dessert, arts and crafts and a photo booth! Dress to impress!

<i>Location</i>	<i>Age</i>
Huntington Beach City Gym & Pool	Kindergarten - Fifth Grade

	<i>Price</i>	
	\$15 for each guardian/child pair \$5 for one additional child	

Register online at hbsands.org!

Huntington Beach Art Center

The Huntington Beach Art Center is proud to announce an award by the *OC Weekly* "Best of 2016" in Art for the contemporary exhibit, *Memento Mori: Skulls and Bones in Art*. Described as "all things boney and cranial, curated with taste and elegance, including an entire wall of biomorphic creepy-crawly sculptures by innovative local artist Laurie Hassold, the exhibition featured local, national, and international artists whose works incorporate images and objects of skulls and bones exploring classic images from the Renaissance period to new expressions in contemporary art. Curator Phil Roberts brought an extended look at a new generation of artists exploring the concepts of life, death, and the afterlife through thought-provoking contemporary works. The exhibition delved into the concept of *Memento Mori*, translation: "Remember (that you have) to die," to reveal the unique techniques these artists implement to engage viewers in the concepts of life and death. With grant support from the NEA (National Endowment for the Arts), the exhibition included a "Day of the Dead" component in partnership with the Oak View community.

<http://www.ocweekly.com/arts/orange-countys-best-art-of-2016-was-frequently-woman-made-or-curated-7759631>

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Planning Commission

On Tuesday, January 10, 2017, at 7 p.m. in the Council Chambers the Planning Commission will hold a meeting to review the following items:

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT NO. 16-040 – APPEAL (SESSIONS BEER AND WINE): To permit the on-site sale, service, and consumption of beer and wine (ABC Type 41 License) within an existing approximately 1,295 sq. ft. restaurant space located at 414 Pacific Coast Highway, 92648 (north side of Pacific Coast Hwy., and south of 5th St.). Please contact Jessica Bui 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.

CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE



Primal Elements is dedicated to providing the highest quality bath and skin care products and is a Huntington Beach Certified Sustainable Business that believes in giving back.

The company has partnered with Children's Hunger Fund, a non-profit organization that works to secure food and other resources for families in need. Over the past year, Primal Elements has donated over five tons of soap, allowing for families to allocate their funds to other needs such as paying bills and purchasing school supplies or clothing.

To learn more about Primal Elements visit primalelements.com.

INFORMATION SERVICES

The City website contains comprehensive City Budget information. You can find such the Proposed City Budget, Adopted City Budget, Comprehensive Annual Finance Reports and the Popular Annual Financial Reports.
http://www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/government/budget_information/

LIBRARY SERVICES**Upcoming Computer, LEGO, and Storytime Events at the Central Library's Children's Department**

In addition to an expansive selection of books for children of all ages, the Children's Library offers an array of both fun and educational activities every month. Budding computer programmers, ages 10 and up, are invited to the free **SCRATCH Computer Coding** classes, which meet the **second and fourth Monday of every month at 7 p.m. in the Tabby Theater**. Chrome books are provided for use during the class, but students are encouraged to bring their own laptop if they have one. Registration is not required. The classes for this month will meet on **January 9 and January 23**.

Future architects ages 4 to 12 are invited to hone their skills at the **Lego Fun Club**, a "STEAM" activity which meets **every other Wednesday from 3:30 to 5:00 in the Tabby Theater**. The library will supply the legos, children bring the creativity!

The next **Family Evening Storytime**, featuring the children's library's newest storyteller, Mr. Brian, will take place on **Thursday, January 12, at 7 p.m.** in the Tabby Theater. Children of all ages are invited to wear their pajamas and join in the fun with seasonal stories and tons of rockin' music! Refreshments are kindly supplied by the National Charity League after storytime. Free to children of all ages and their families.

There is still time to sign up for the **Beanstack Winter Reading Raffle**, which runs until **February 26**. Children ages 0 to 12 can register online at hbpl.org to earn digital badges, as well as virtual raffle tickets for a chance to win a bubble tumbler or ooze timer. Those who complete the program can choose either a winter themed pencil or sticker!

Coming up on **Saturday, January 21, tickets will go on sale for the library's upcoming Ballet Etudes production of "The Jungle Book,"** which will take place on Tuesday, February 28 and Wednesday, March 1. Tickets are \$5. Patrons are encouraged to purchase their tickets early. For more information on these and other upcoming events in the Children's Library, please call 714 375-5107 or visit the website at www.hbpl.org, click on Kid Stuff, then Storytimes & Events.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT

**Looking for a Book Club?
Check out the Main St. Library Book Club for Adults**

The Library hosts a variety of book clubs throughout the year. February’s adult book club selection is the award-winning novel *Bel Canto* by Ann Patchett. The novel weaves a fascinating tale, set “somewhere in South America,” at the home of the country’s vice president. A lavish birthday party is being held in honor of the powerful businessman, Mr. Hosokawa. Roxanne Cross, opera’s most revered soprano, has mesmerized the international guests with her singing. It is a perfect evening – until a band of gun-wielding terrorists take the entire party hostage. But what begins as a panicked, life-threatening scenario slowly evolves into something quite different, a moment of great beauty, as terrorists and hostages form unexpected bonds and people from different continents become compatriots. Friendship, compassion and the chance for great love lead the characters to forget the real danger that has been set into motion... and cannot be stopped.

Sound interesting? Then join us to discuss the book at the downtown Main Street Library on **Thursday February 16, from 5:30-7 p.m.** Coffee and refreshments will be provided. More information, contact the Main Street Library at 714-375-5071. *The Main Street Library is located at 525 Main St. in the downtown district of Huntington Beach.*

FIRE DEPARTMENT



Cooking Safety

Cooking brings family and friends together, provides an outlet for creativity and can be relaxing. But did you know that cooking fires are the number one cause of home fires and home injuries? By following a few safety tips you can prevent these fires.

“COOK WITH CAUTION”

- »» Be on alert! If you are sleepy or have consumed alcohol don’t use the stove or stovetop.
- »» Stay in the kitchen while you are frying, grilling, or broiling food. If you leave the kitchen for even a short period of time, turn off the stove.
- »» If you are simmering, baking, roasting, or boiling food, check it regularly, remain in the home while food is cooking, and use a timer to remind you that you are cooking.
- »» Keep anything that can catch fire — oven mitts, wooden utensils, food packaging, towels or curtains — away from your stovetop.



Cooking and Kids

Have a “kid-free zone” of at least 3 feet around the stove and areas where hot food or drink is prepared or carried.

For more information, please visit www.nfpa.org/education

POLICE DEPARTMENT

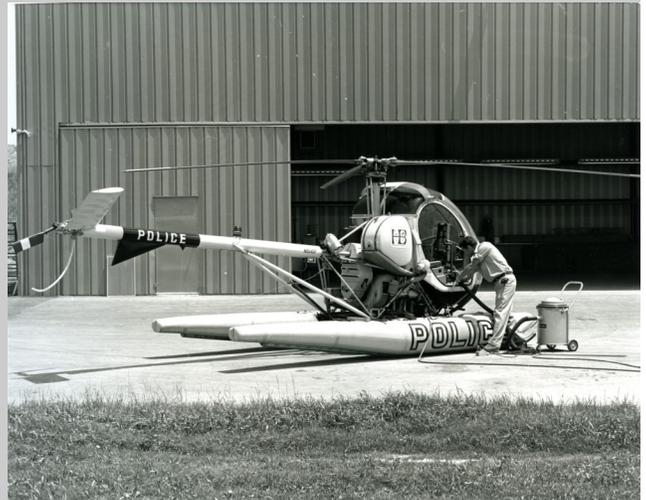
**Huntington Beach Air Support Bureau Celebrates
70,000+ Hours of Accident-Free Flying**

Since its inception in 1968, the Huntington Beach Police Department’s Air Support Bureau, known by residents as “HB-1,” has patrolled the skies keeping an eye on the community and our police officers. Six pilots, one sergeant pilot, and two mechanics support the fleet to ensure seven-day-a-week availability to the cities of Huntington Beach, Costa Mesa, and Newport Beach.

Decades of experience, thousands of hours of flight time, combined with meticulous maintenance on the helicopters, has contributed to the Air Support Bureau’s accident free record.

On Thursday, January 12, 2017, MD Helicopters, Inc. (MDHI) will celebrate Huntington Beach Police Department’s Air Support Bureau with a special commendation for its outstanding record of over 70,000 accident-free flight hours. The Huntington Beach Air Support Bureau began flying MDHI-model helicopters in 1984 with the iconic MD 500E. The department acquired its current all-NOTAR fleet of three, MD 520N helicopters between 1992 and 2002. Designed to reduce noise by an average of 50 percent versus helicopters with tail rotors, NOTAR-equipped helicopters are among the quietest helicopters available worldwide.

HBPD will continue to keep the city safe from the air , and prolong our accident-free flying record.





SURF CITY SHOWCASE

What does recreation mean to you?
Be part of a show that showcases how recreation
makes life better in Huntington Beach!

Who

Individual or group performers in grades 9-12 who live, attend school and/or work in Huntington Beach. Show us what recreation means to you through your choice of talent: dance, art, athletics, general entertainment, etc. Be creative!
*All talents are subject to approval

When

Meet & Greet: Friday, February 3
First Rehearsal: Tuesday, March 7
Dress Rehearsal: Tuesday, March 21
Talent Show: Saturday, March 25

How

Visit HBsands.org to download talent show participation application. Send completed application to Erin.Burke@surfcity-hb.org or deliver directly to the City Gym & Pool (1600 Palm Ave) by Friday, January 27.

More information to follow via email once application is accepted by committee.

Prize

First Place: \$500
Second Place: \$300
Third Place: \$200

First place winner will perform at the Annual Easter Egg Hunt & Family Fun Day and will be featured on HBTv3!

**Parks
Make
Life
Better!**
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Huntington Beach
Community Services

Contact Erin Burke Erin.Burke@surfcity-hb.org for more information!



SANDBAGS

FREE

to Huntington Beach & Sunset Beach Residents

Identification May Be Required – Bring ID/Driver License & current utility bill.

City of Huntington Beach Corporate Yard

17371 Gothard Street

West side of Gothard Street, between Warner & Slater Avenues

8:00AM-3:30PM Monday-Friday

Two additional locations are available for your convenience:

Edison Community Center

21377 Magnolia Street

Warner Fire Station

3831 Warner Avenue

Questions? Contact Public Works at (714) 960-8861.



Bags are for residents only – no businesses, please.



There is a limit of 20 bags per household.



The City provides the sand and sandbags. Bring a shovel and be prepared to fill your own sandbags. Resident is responsible for lawfully disposing of sand and sandbags after use.



Elderly and disabled residents may call the HB Fire Department CERT Message Line at (714) 536-5974 to arrange for free sandbag delivery.



For information on flood preparedness, call the Emergency Management & Homeland Security Office at (714) 374-1565.





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Authors' Luncheon

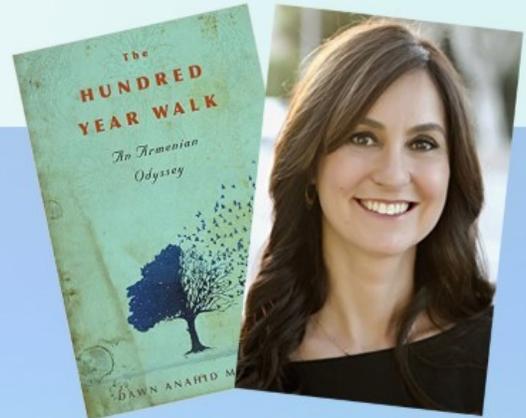
Theme: Family Sagas

Tues., January 17th - 12 pm

The Hundred-Year Walk: An Armenian Odyssey

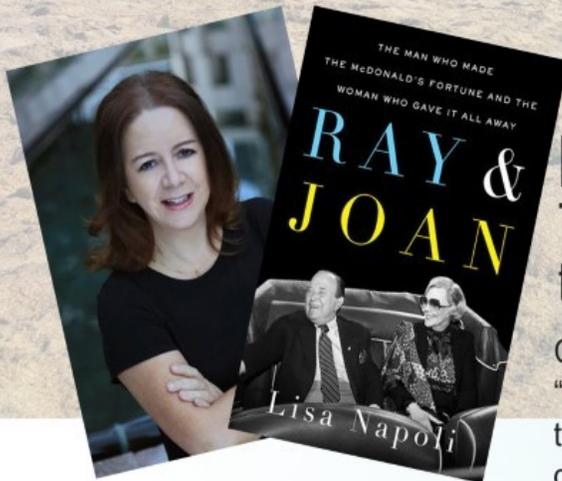
"An epic tale of one man's courage in the face of genocide and his granddaughter's quest to tell his story"

After reading her grandfather's long-lost journals describing his escape from the Armenian genocide, MacKeen retraces his steps across Turkey and Syria, growing closer to the man she barely knew as a child.



Dawn MacKeen

Southern California Native
Journalist



Ray & Joan

The Man Who Made the McDonald's Fortune and the Woman Who Gave It All Away

Complete with "corporate intrigue", "private passion" and a "dark secret", *Ray and Joan* is "...a compelling portrait of the twentieth century: a story of big business, big love and big giving."

Lisa Napoli

Southern California Resident
Journalist



Central Library, 7111 Talbert. Rooms C/D (Theater Entrance) Doors Open at 11:30 am
Limited Seating - Reservations at www.fotlhb.com/programs--special-events_1.html

Purchase tickets by 1/12/17 Book sales/signings before luncheon/after authors' program

5k Fun Run/Walk

Saturday, March 11, 2017

8:00 a.m.

\$35 / \$40 / \$45

(See Details Below)



**Join us in Supporting the City's adopted
3rd Battalion / 1st Marines in a 5K Fun Run/Walk
Along the Beautiful HB Coastline**

Check out our event Facebook Page at: <https://www.facebook.com/HBMEA43ONE>



Brief Description:

5K Fun Run/Walk along the beautiful Huntington Beach Coast. Runners and Walkers will take off from the parking lot at Beach Blvd./PCH and proceed North, past the Pier and back again (relatively easy course with one small incline). NO ANIMALS allowed on the course. We will be filming the event! Please come support the 3rd Battalion/1st Marines and enjoy a great morning at the beach! Pancake breakfast served by Huntington Beach Firefighters begins at 8:30 a.m. and is INCLUDED in Run Registration. Breakfast is also open to the public for \$5 per person.

ENTRIES ARE LIMITED ❖ THIS EVENT SELLS OUT ❖ REGISTER EARLY

Fees:

Online registration is now open at Active.com (<http://www.active.com/huntington-beach-ca/running/distance-running-races/3-1-marines-5k-fun-run-walk-2017>). Limited time only: Register by February 5th for only \$35. Register between February 6th and February 19th for \$40. Register between February 20th and March 8th for \$45. If you are unable to register online, you may mail -in (details below) prior to March 3rd.

Packet Pick-Up: Friday, March 10, 2017 from 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Location to be determined

Registration Closing Date:

Wednesday, March 8, 2016 @ 5:00 PM PST

Parking:

Beach Parking Lot: \$15. Metered Spaces on PCH. Limited Surface Streets

MAIL-IN REGISTRATION:

Name _____ Sex ____ (M/F) Age _____

Address _____ City, State Zip _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

SHIRT SIZE (circle One) SM M L XL XXL For questions regarding registration contact Chris at HBMEA43ONE@aol.com or (714) 307-3688. Make checks payable to: HBMEA. Mail to: HBMEA – 3/1 Run, P.O. Box 449, Huntington Beach, CA 92648.

Waiver (MUST BE SIGNED)

In consideration of your accepting this entry, I, the below signed, intending to be legally bound, for myself, my heirs, my executors and administrators, waive and release any and all rights and claims for damages I may have against the race, and sponsors and their representatives, the City of Huntington Beach, its officers, elected or appointed officials, employees, agents and volunteers, successors and assigns for any and all injuries suffered by me in said event. I attest that I will participate in this event as a footrace, that I am physically fit and sufficiently trained for the completion of this event. Furthermore, I hereby grant full permission to use my name and likeness, as well as any photographs and any record of this event in which I may appear for any legitimate purpose, including advertising and promotion.

Signature _____ Date _____

Parent or Guardian if under 18 _____

RAIN or SHINE

NO refunds will be issued for any reason

Week of January 10, 2017

UPCOMING EVENTS

January 2017

- ◆ Jan. 17 — Friends of the Library Authors' Lunch. Noon. www.fotlhb.com/programs
- ◆ Jan. 30 — Kinder Vision "The Greatest Save" Golf Tournament email: hbnews1@aol.com or 714.914.9797

February 2017

- ◆ Feb. 5 — Annual Surf City Marathon. <http://www.runsurfcity.com/>

March 2017

- ◆ March 11 — HB Marine 3/One 5k Run. Facebook: 3/1 5k Fun Run/Walk Benefiting the 3rd Battalion
- ◆ March 19 — Annual Cherry Blossom Festival at Central Park. 11 am to 4pm. <http://www.hbcbfest.com/>

City Hall Directory

City Attorney	(714) 536-5555
City Clerk	(714) 536-5227
Passports	(714) 536-1600
City Council	(714) 536-5553
City Manager	(714) 536-5202
Community Services	(714) 536-5486
Beach Operations	(714) 536-5281
Business Development	(714) 536-5542
Finance Department	(714) 536-5630
Business Licenses	(714) 536-5267
Fire Department	(714) 536-5411
Human Resources	(714) 536-5492
Information Services	(714) 536-5515
Library Services	(714) 842-4481
Community Development	(714) 536-5271
Code Enforcement	(714) 375-5155
Police Department	(714) 960-8811
Public Works	(714) 536-5431
Graffiti Removal	(714) 960-8861



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