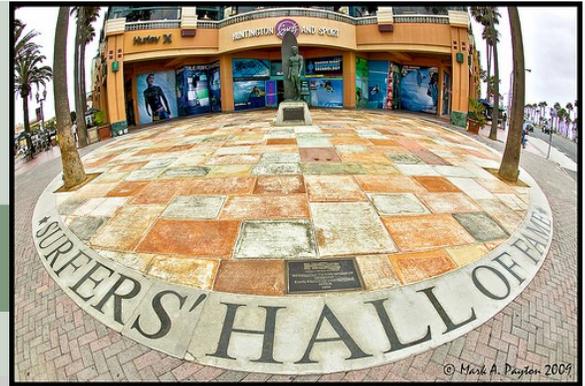


City Manager's Report

CITY OF HUNTINGTON
BEACH

July 25, 2017



VANS US OPEN OF SURFING

Exciting Action Starts This Saturday, July 29, through August 6!



The Vans US Open of Surfing has evolved into one of the largest action sports festivals in the world. The historic event showcases the best in surfing, while inviting locals and fans to celebrate the diverse culture of action sports. Attendees will enjoy premier skateboarding and BMX competitions, artist workshops, retail spaces, and free day-long activities for the entire family.

Vans will bring forth House of Vans, which will transform the Vans US Open of Surfing into a festival of discovery with creative workshops, classic games and interactive activities available for all. With artists, musicians and athletes at the helm of each workshop, the US Open will provide an engaging atmosphere, encouraging fans and spectators to discover a new form of art and inspiration.

The Vans US Open of Surfing will be webcast LIVE through August 6 on VansUSOpenofSurfing.com and WorldSurfLeague.com and on the free WSL app. For the live webcast, a full schedule of events and more, please visit: www.vansusopenofsurfing.com.

All Vans US Open of Surfing events are free and open to the public.

Join Us Next Week for Two Annual Surfing Events!

Thursday, August 3, at 10 a.m. for the Surfing Walk of Fame on Main Street by Jacks www.surfingwalkoffame.com



Friday, August 4, at 9 a.m. for the Surfer's Hall of Fame by HSS <https://www.hsssrf.com/pages/shof>

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COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT**HUNTINGTON BEACH SENIOR CENTER IN CENTRAL PARK CELEBRATES ONE YEAR ANNIVERSARY, SATURDAY, JULY 29!**

Celebrating a year of unprecedented success, the Senior Center in Central Park, along with the Huntington Beach Council on Aging, will mark this wonderful milestone with an Anniversary Gala on Saturday, July 29, in the beautiful Parkview Room. The Gala will begin at 6 p.m. and a cocktail hour sponsored by Hoag, and dinner and dancing at 7 p.m. Individual tickets are on sale for \$125 with special corporate tables available for \$1,200.



The Anniversary Gala will feature a sumptuous dinner with lively music and dancing for all ages. With beautiful views of Central Park, the evening will feature an outdoor patio bar for those who want to enjoy the sunset. Recognizing the need for additional funding, a total of \$325,000 for programs and services have been generated by the Huntington Beach Council on Aging. Additional assistance is provided by a number of valued partners including Hoag, Orange Coast Memorial Medical Center, and the Assistance League of Huntington Beach. With supportive services tailored to ensure healthy living, seniors are finding it easier to age in their community. With an eye towards the future, the HBCOA will continue to lead the fundraising efforts for the Senior Center in Central Park to expand services in Huntington Beach.

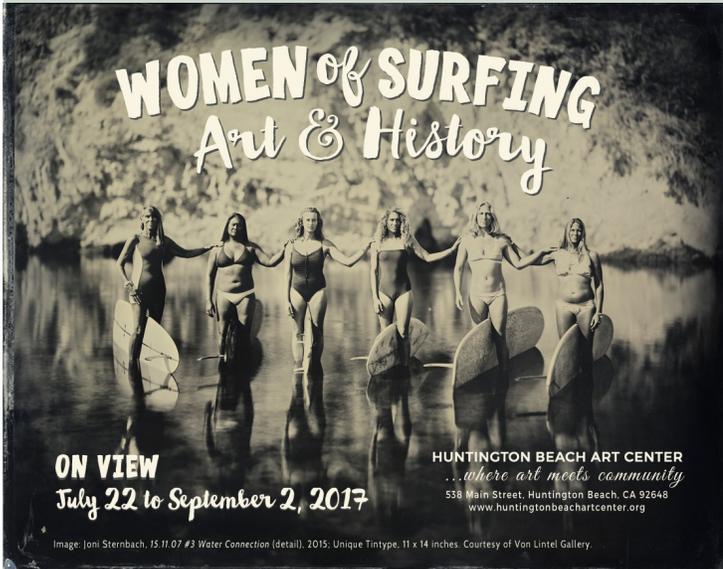
The Senior Center in Central Park continues to offer life-enhancing services and recreational classes tailored to the “over 50” population of Huntington Beach. Innovative classes and activities ranging from memoir writing to boxing for seniors continue to attract hundreds of people per day to the center. The popular “Tuesday Afternoon at the Movies” sponsored by the HBCOA can bring in as many as 250 visitors to see recently released films.

Since opening in July of 2016, more than 12,000 individuals registered for services with the Center. Participation in center classes, lectures or activities increased four-fold with daily attendance reaching 400. Edinger Medical Group, Orange Coast Memorial Medical Center, Alzheimer’s Orange County, and Hoag Memorial Hospital Presbyterian have joined the Huntington Beach Council on Aging in sponsoring the evening. For more information, contact Heather Dodd at 714.374.1517 or email at Heather.Dodd@surfcity-hb.org.

COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Women of Surfing: Art & History

Art for Lunch: August 3 | 11:30 a.m.– 1:30 p.m.



Bring your lunch and join us in the galleries while enjoying the exhibition *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. Complimentary drinks and desserts will be provided. Free event. Call the Art Center (714-374-1650) or visit our website (www.huntingtonbeachartcenter.org) for more information. See you there!

SOFTBALL REGISTRATION

Registration for the Fall 2017 Adult Softball leagues is now underway. The registration deadline is August 4. Senior Men's leagues are offered on Sunday mornings and Thursday nights; Senior Coed leagues are offered on Tuesday nights; Senior Women's leagues are offered on Monday and Thursday nights; Men's leagues are offered on Sundays, Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays; Coed leagues are offered on Sunday afternoons and evenings and Wednesday nights. The leagues will start play August 21 and will conclude in November. Registration packets are available on the City Adult Softball page or can be mailed out. For more details or information, please contact the Community Services office at 714-536-5230.



COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

The Planning Commission has received several emails over the past two days opposing re-zoning of the Goldenwest/Slater area. There is no proposal to re-zone this area. Additionally, there is no proposal by the City to re-zone any areas of the City for high density residential development. If you have questions on potential development being proposed in the City, please contact the Community Development Department at 714-536-5271 or you can refer to the list of current projects available on the City's website, which is updated monthly (refer to link below).

<http://www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/announcements/attachments/Planning-Division-Application-Log-July-2017.pdf>

Planning Commission

On Tuesday, July 25, at 5:15 p.m. in the Council Chambers the Planning Commission will review the following items:

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 Villaseñor, Planning Manager, for more information.

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT NO. 13-022 / COASTAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT NO. 13-014 / RECIRCULATED MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION NO. 13-008 (ROFAEL MARINA AND CARETAKER FACILITY: CUP/ CUP 1) To construct a boat marina consisting of a 66 ft. community dock area, a floating pedestrian ramp, public access to the water, and five surface parking spaces; and 2) To construct a two-story building with a 508 sq. ft. marina office and public restroom on the first floor, a one-bedroom 565 sq. ft. caretaker's unit with a 249 sq. ft. balcony on the second floor, and a detached 441 sq. ft. two-car garage on a 6,179 sq. ft. vacant lot. **MND:** To analyze the potential environmental impacts associated with the proposed project at 16926 Park Avenue, 92649 (terminus of Park Avenue, east of Pacific Coast Highway in Huntington Harbour) Please contact Tess Nguyen, Associate Planner, for more information.

ZONING TEXT AMENDMENT NO. 17-001 (COMMERCIAL/ RECREATIONAL MARIJUANA SALES, DELIVERIES, AND MARIJUANA CULTIVATION): To amend the Huntington Beach Zoning and Subdivision Ordinance to prohibit commercial/recreational sales and deliveries of non-medical marijuana as well as adopt regulations regarding non-medical marijuana cultivation within the City. Please contact Tess Nguyen, Associate Planner, for more information.

GENERAL PLAN CONFORMANCE NO. 17-002 (CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEAR 2017/18): To evaluate Capital Improvement Program for Fiscal Year 2017/18 for compliance with the General Plan, Citywide. Please contact
Nicole Bourgeois, Planning Aide, 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.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

General Plan Update

Upcoming Project Meetings

Planning Commission Study Session

July 25

5:15 P.M.

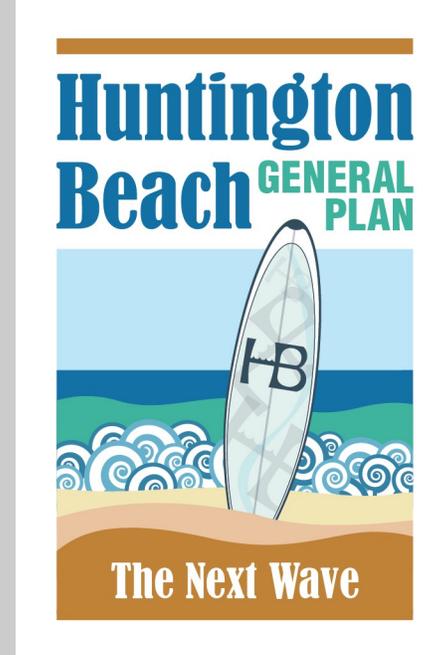
City Council Chambers – City Hall – Lower Level

Planning Commission public hearing (tentative)

August 15, 2017

City council public hearing (tentative)

September 18, 2017



LIBRARY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Magical Celebrations at the Central Library

To celebrate Harry Potter's birthday (July 31), the 20th anniversary of the release of the first Harry Potter book, and the close of our **Reading is Magic** summer reading program, we will be having a variety of "magical" events.

Magical Coloring Night

Our normal coloring night will be transformed into a magical event! We will provide tea, a variety of coloring sheets, including special magic related options and tools, along with relaxing music. Bring your friends or come solo! This is a program for adults of all ages and abilities.

Tuesday, August 1, 5:30p - 7:00p ; Talbert Room



Harry Potter Trivia Night

Join us for Harry Potter Trivia Night at Central Library. Stupify your fellow trivia contestants, enjoy some magical snacks, meet new muggles - all in celebration of Harry Potter's Birthday Week! This event is best for tweens, teens and adults.

Wednesday, August 2, 6p – 7:30p ; Talbert Room

Wizard's Wand Making Workshop

It's Harry Potter's Birthday Week at the Library! Join your fellow wizards for a special wand-making workshop. We will be providing all the supplies to make a hand-crafted wizard wand for you to take home. This event is designed for teens and adults. Space and supplies are limited so registration is required.

Friday, August 4, 3p - 4:30p ; Talbert Room



Harry Potter Interactive Movie - Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone

Join us for the close of Harry Potter's Birthday Week! We will be showing Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone and asking our audience to join in the fun by participating in the live action. This will be a lively, possibly noisy event designed for teens and adults.

Reservations required.

Saturday, August 5, 2pm - 4:30pm; Talbert Room

LIBRARY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Wrap Up the Children's Summer Reading Program with Fun Activities at the Library

Starting now, kids can bring in their favorite toy during library open hours to the Children's Desk **up until Saturday, August 5**, and enroll them in the library's **Stuffed Animal Sleepover Circus Camp**. The admission price for each toy is \$4. Then, on **Saturday, August 19**, the public is invited to a special slideshow storytime in the Tabby Theater, at both 10 and 11 a.m. featuring all the toys who went to camp. After enjoying the show, kids can pick up their toy to take home. The slideshow will also be available for viewing on the library's website, hbpl.org, under "Kids Stuff" starting Monday, Aug. 21.



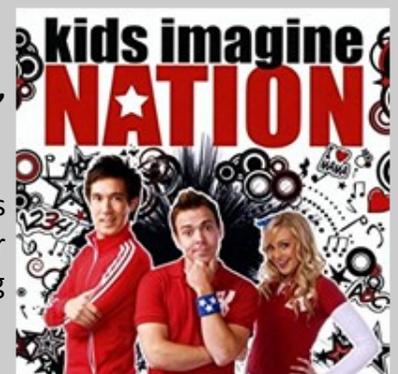
For those who missed the first few sessions of the **Girl Scouts' Silver Award STEM (Science Technology Engineering and Mathematics) project**, there is still one more taking place, "Texture Art," on **Tuesday, July 25, at 3:30 p.m.** in the Tabby Theater. Children between the ages of 5 and 9 can come to this free event and learn how to create different textures of paints using various materials. All supplies are provided.

Next, the final movie in the **July Friday Film Festival -- Lego Batman --** will be showing on **Friday, July 28, at 2 p.m.** in the Tabby Theater. This free event is a great way to beat the heat and grab a treat while watching a fun children's movie.



There's still so much to do as August rolls around. On **Tuesday, August 1**, tickets for the **"Best Bubble Show"** (taking place on August 29 at 10 a.m. in the Tabby Theater), go on sale for \$4 each in the Children's Library. See amazing bubbles -- square bubbles, bubbles you can blow smoke into and bubbles so BIG that they cover an entire person!

Then, to cap off another exciting Summer Reading Program, on **Saturday, August 5 at 10:30 a.m.**, kids and their families are invited to a free concert featuring **Kids Imagine Nation** at the Central Park Bandstand. Bring your blankets and picnic snacks. The show runs roughly 45 minutes and everyone is welcome to attend. CDs of the performer will be available for purchase after the show. This is also the last day that children can add to their online reading log in order to win prizes during the Summer Reading Program.



LIBRARY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Flappy and Buttons Children's Show

Oak View Branch Library invites children and parents to a high energy show featuring “**Flappy and Buttons**” on Friday, August 4, at 2 p.m. **Flappy and Buttons** will offer a 45-minute variety show, which will include silly puppets, magical surprises, lots of audience participation, and crazy juggling tricks. This program is sponsored by the Friends of the Children's Library (FOTCL).



Tickets are on sale for \$2 at Oak View Branch's Circulation Desk. Children under seven years old must be accompanied by an adult. Refunds must be made at least 24 hours in advance. For more information, please call (714) 375-5068.

OFFICE OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

The Mobile Home Advisory Board (MHAB) is currently seeking application for vacant positions from Huntington Beach mobile home park owners/mangers, residents and at-large representatives to fill five (5) vacancies on the Board (see attached notice). Board Members are currently meeting quarterly in January, April, July, and October on the fourth Monday at 6 p.m. Anyone interested in obtaining an application should contact the Office of Business Development at 714-536-5470. Applications are also available online at www.huntingtonbeachca.gov

INFORMATION SERVICES

Did you know the City website contains a page that has popular links to Water and Sewage service information? You can find links to information about our drinking water quality, water conservation program, water rate information, water sources, etc. To find a link to this information, click on the Services navigation tab and then click on the Water and Sewage link.

<http://www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/services/water-sewage.cfm>

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Residential Structure Fire, July 11, 2017

Early Tuesday morning Fire Department units responded for a reported house fire. On arrival units reported a two story single family home with heavy smoke coming from the garage. Three residents had been alerted to the fire by a neighbor and evacuated prior to the arrival of the first unit. In order to gain access to the seat of the fire, firefighters forced entry through the garage door. In a coordinated effort hose lines were pulled to the garage and front door of the home to perform a search and check for fire extension into the living space. The fire was isolated to a car parked in the garage and remains under investigation.

Fire Department Response ~ Fire Sprinklers Saved Life and Property!

On July 19, Fire Department units responded to a fire at an apartment. First arriving units reported smoke coming from the third story of the building. Crews advanced up the stairwell and a rapid fire attack was initiated. More resources were called and search efforts were made to be sure the residents in the unit involved were not still inside. The fire was contained to one unit in the building largely due to the buildings fire sprinkler system that activated and helped prevent the spread of fire. Investigators determined the fire was caused by a portable air conditioning unit inside the apartment.

This serves as a great reminder that building sprinkler systems are there for our safety. Eighty five percent of fire related fatalities occur in residential occupancies. Having sprinkler systems that are regularly serviced and maintained will drastically reduce this number and help to keep fires small and protect life and property from further loss.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

GoFundMe Campaign for HBPD's Officer Gance



On Monday July 17, the Huntington Beach Police Department received devastating news regarding a car accident involving one of our police officer's family. Officer Jeff Gance, who recently laterally transferred to our department, was informed that his parents and two siblings were involved in a car accident on the 15 freeway.

The accident resulted in the fatality of both of his parents, Jeff and Glendale Gance. Jeff's sister sustained minor injuries however his younger brother is currently being treated in an out of the area hospital for serious

injuries. He is expected to have a long and difficult recovery. Officer Gance has now taken on the responsibility of care for both of his siblings.

This tragic event has touched the hearts of everyone here at HBPD and is a reminder of how important family is to each and every one of us. Many people in the community have inquired about ways to help out the Gance family. There is currently a "Go-Fund Me" page set up to help offset the funeral, medical, and many other expenses brought on by this tragedy. We have included the link below for those who would like to contribute. The family is extremely thankful for the outpouring of support they have already received and is truly grateful for the continued support from the community.

<https://www.gofundme.com/hopeful-healing>

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.



Huntington Beach Public Library

Central Library
7111 Talbert Avenue
Huntington Beach, California 92648 | 714.842.4481
www.hbpl.org



a
Celebration

**Join the HBCOA and
the City of Huntington Beach
for a Spectacular Dinner Dance in the Park**

Saturday, July 29, 2017

6 p.m. Cocktails on the Patio

7-10 p.m. Dinner and Dancing

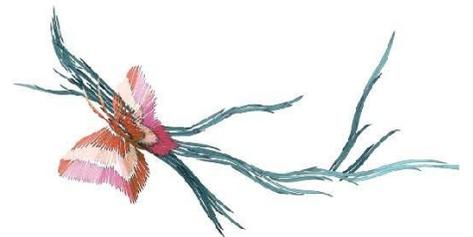
\$125 Per Person to attend

(includes cocktail hour with appetizers and drinks, a three course plated dinner with choice of entrée and drink, live entertainment by a world renowned band and dancing)

**Tickets available at the Senior Center front desk
18041 Goldenwest St., HB CA 92648**



**For additional information please call
(714) 536-5600 or email heather.dodd@surfcity-hb.org**



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

July 25, 2017

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 2017

- ◆ July 29 to August 6—**US Open of Surfing** www.vansusopenofsurfing.com
- ◆ July 29 — **Senior Center in Central Park Gala**, 6pm. \$125 www.hbcoa.org

August 2017

- ◆ August 3— **Surfing Walk of Fame** www.surfingwalkoffame.com
- ◆ August 4—**Surfers' Hall of Fame** <https://www.hsssurf.com/pages/shof>
- ◆ August 9 — **HB Day at the OC Fair**. Flag raising ceremony at 12:30pm at the Hanger. www.ocfair.com for ticket info
- ◆ August 25—**HB Night at Angels Stadium**. \$22 www.hbchamber.org

September 2017

- ◆ September 10 — **Annual Blessing of the Waves**. <https://ghbic.org/blessing-of-the-waves/>
- ◆ September 29 to October 1—**2nd Annual Airshow** www.hbairshow.com

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City Clerk	(714) 536-5227
Passports	(714) 374-1600
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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