

# City Administrator's Weekly Briefing

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"Rich Heritage, Bright Future"

## Happy Fourth of July

The City of Placentia wishes you a happy and safe Fourth of July. Please note: City Hall will be closed Thursday, July 4<sup>th</sup> in honor of this holiday.



## Fireworks are Prohibited in Placentia

As the Fourth of July approaches, we want to remind residents that the sale, discharge or possession of fireworks is illegal in Placentia. Firecrackers, bottle rockets, cherry bombs and other devices that explode, or travel through the air are banned throughout the State of California. The City recommends that residents enjoy a Fourth of July celebration with friends and family at a professional fireworks show. Please click on the link below to view a list of professional shows in Orange County.



## [Professional Fireworks Shows in Orange County](#)

## Holiday Trash Collection Schedule

Due to the Independence Day holiday on Thursday, July 4<sup>th</sup>, Republic Services will be closed and operating on a one-day delay for the remainder of the week. Trash collection regularly scheduled for:

- Thursday, July 4<sup>th</sup> will be picked up on Friday, July 5<sup>th</sup>
- Friday, July 5<sup>th</sup> will be picked up on Saturday, July 6<sup>th</sup>

The City and Republic Services apologizes for any inconvenience this may cause. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Republic Services at (714) 238-2444.



Read Republic Services Article on "[Simple swaps for a sustainable July 4 celebration.](#)"

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### Upcoming Meetings and Events

- 07/08/19 Recreation and Parks Commission Meeting
- 07/09/19 City Council Meeting
- 07/09/19 Planning Commission Meeting
- 07/10/19 Heritage Festival Committee Meeting
- 07/10/19 Senior Advisory Committee Meeting
- 07/12/19 Movies in the Park
- 07/15/19 Traffic Safety Commission Meeting

For additional information or

questions about this

Weekly Briefing please email:

[CAWeekly@placentia.org](mailto:CAWeekly@placentia.org)



## ADMINISTRATION

### Residents Can Sign Up to Receive Local Alerts By Text and Email

The City has partnered with Nixle to provide an Emergency Notification System to alert residents in real-time about critical emergency information and relevant community advisories in Placentia. Notifications may be sent for emergency updates, crime alerts, power outages, road closures, construction advisories, and weather-related issues such as flooding. Subscribers have the ability to select how they would like to receive notifications. These alerts can be sent to a home, cell or business phone, email, text message or hearing impaired receiving devices at no cost to the subscriber. To register, residents or business owners in Placentia can simply text 92870 to 888777 from a mobile phone. Once registered, residents will receive a confirmation text message. Residents may also customize their alert settings by going to [www.nixle.com](http://www.nixle.com) and creating a user profile. For additional information regarding this emergency communication system, please call (714) 993-8117.



## COMMUNITY SERVICES

### Teen Center Now Open!

The City of Placentia is excited to offer the Placentia Teen Center this summer at Kraemer Park - 116 N. Walnut Avenue. Improvements were made possible through grant funding provided by the North Orange County Public Safety Task Force and through a partnership with the Placentia Community Foundation. The grant funding provided a number of upgrades including: new furnishings, a variety of exciting technology, and instructional classes to include, art, music, and cooking. For participants who are interested in computer design, Mac computers and 3D printers will be available. All Teens are welcome.

Summer hours are Monday-Thursday 12:00 p.m.- 6:00 p.m. For more information about the Teen Center, please contact the Placentia Community Services Department at (714) 993-8232 or visit [www.placentia.org](http://www.placentia.org).





## COMMUNITY SERVICES

### Movies in the Park Begin Friday, July 12<sup>th</sup>

The Movies in the Park series will begin on Friday, July 12<sup>th</sup> at Champions Sports Complex, 505 N. Jefferson St., Placentia, 92870. The first feature presentation will be *Ralph Breaks the Internet*. The Movies in the Park events will be held every Friday this summer through August 16<sup>th</sup>. Movies begin at dusk. Please arrive early for the best seats. Limited snack options will be offered for a nominal fee. Moviegoers are encouraged to bring a picnic dinner. For more information, please call the Placentia Community Services Department at (714) 993-8232, or visit us at [www.placentia.org/movies](http://www.placentia.org/movies).



### Placentia Partners with St. Jude to Provide Free Zumba Classes in the Parks

The City of Placentia has partnered with St. Jude to provide two free Zumba classes for the community this summer. The classes are located at Kraemer Park, 201 N. Bradford Blvd., Mondays at 6:00 p.m. and the Whitten Community Center, 900 S. Melrose St., Wednesdays at 9:00 a.m. Everyone is welcome to join these fun classes! Special thank you to Mayor Rhonda Shader and Tracy Bryars of St. Jude for their participation. For more information, please call the Neighborhood Services Office at (714) 986-2333.



### Concerts in the Park Begin Thursday, July 18<sup>th</sup>

The Concerts in the Park series will begin on Thursday, July 18<sup>th</sup>. The first concert will feature Upstream, performing Steel Drum, Reggae and Calypso. Concerts begin at 6:30 p.m. at Tri City Park, 2301 N. Kraemer Blvd. A variety of refreshments and light dinner options will be available from local Food Trucks. Beer and wine will be available for sale by the Placentia Community Foundation. In addition, tickets will be sold for opportunity drawings to benefit the C.A.P.E.S. Program (Cultural Arts Projects for Every Student). Inclement weather will cancel an event. For more information, please contact the Community Services Department at (714) 993-8232.





## DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

### Village Plaza Center Update 4: New Buildings Near Completion

The Village Plaza shopping center is nearing completion with scaffoldings removed and all facade improvements to the new corner building completed. These improvements include: installation of storefront windows and doors, stone veneer, composite wood wall layer, stucco, and Spanish roof tile. Some finishing touches remain, but the building is nearing the final product.

Tenant improvements are underway with Starbucks leading the charge. Starbucks is looking to complete all interior improvements within the next couple weeks with a goal of opening their doors to the public in August. Chipotle and Pizza Rev are not far behind with expected openings to occur either in late August or early September. Please contact the Development Services Department at (714) 993-8124 for any further project status updates.



## POLICE DEPARTMENT

### Placentia CERT Hosts First Community Meeting July 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.

The Placentia Police Department has set a goal of connecting 2,000 City of Placentia residents and community partners through CERT and Emergency Services Programs to increase community communication and neighbor-to-neighbor interactions. To meet this goal, the Placentia Emergency Services Division is proud to invite you to our first, Welcome to Placentia CERT Meeting!

The Placentia CERT program will host its first community meeting on Wednesday, July 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. at the City Council Chambers. The first CERT meeting has 3 goals: to introduce the community to the new and improved CERT program, connect members of the community with trained CERT members, and to inform residents of future CERT programming.



This meeting is not only for CERT trained members, as it will be a great opportunity to share the benefits of the Placentia CERT program with your friends, neighbors, and family members before signing up for the course. We're excited to connect Placentia through emergency preparedness and look forward to your participation.



If you are interested in attending the upcoming meeting, please contact the Placentia Emergency Services Division via the following ways: Follow us on Facebook @PlacentiaPD, call us at (714) 993-8176, or e-mail us at [Storrence@placentia.org](mailto:Storrence@placentia.org).

Food and snacks will be provided for the meeting. We look forward to meeting everyone!



## POLICE DEPARTMENT

### Placentia K9 Foundation Receives Donation from Craftsman Pizza Fundraiser

On July 2<sup>nd</sup>, the Placentia Police Department staff meeting was attended by Joanna Keating-Velasco and Joe Rasic, who presented a \$750 check to Officer King and Police Service Dog (PSD) Kyra to benefit the Placentia K9 Foundation. Craftsman Pizza held a fundraiser on May 15<sup>th</sup> and donated 20% of the proceeds directly to the Placentia K9 Foundation. The Department would like to thank all who organized, attended and supported this event.

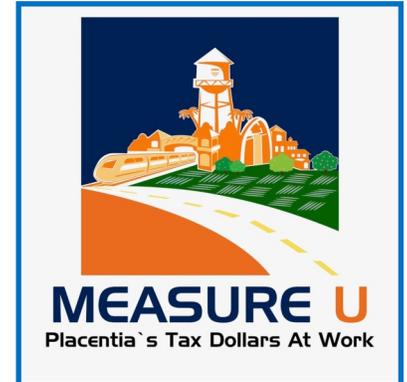


## PUBLIC WORKS

### Street Improvements and Repairs Coming to Placentia

On June 4<sup>th</sup>, the City Council awarded a construction contract to Onyx Paving for the FY 2018-19 Residential Street Rehabilitation Project. This project will repave approximately 198,000 square feet of residential streets as well as remove and replace broken concrete sidewalk panels, curb and gutter as well as reconstruct the existing ADA curb ramps to ensure they are fully compliant with current ADA standards. The condition of the pavement on these streets is among the worst in the City and each street will be repaved with new rubberized asphalt. The project is funded almost entirely with SB1 Gas Tax revenues that California voters decided not to repeal last November. Work on this project is scheduled to begin on July 8<sup>th</sup>. Click [here](#) to view a project map.

In November, Placentia voters overwhelmingly approved Measure U, a 1% increase in the City's Sales Tax to help fund the cost of much needed infrastructure repairs and maintenance as well as public safety and other critical services. The Measure U sales tax increase began collection on April 1, 2019. As a result, for the first time in many years, the City Council will be able to fund much needed road and infrastructure repairs. The City Council has allocated a total of \$3.2 million in Measure U, SB 1 Gas Tax and Measure M Funding to continue funding street repairs and maintenance for Fiscal Year 2019-2020.



City staff anticipates presenting a professional services agreement for engineering design services for the FY 2019-20 Arterial Roadway Rehabilitation Project and the FY 2019-20 Residential Slurry Seal Project to the City Council for its consideration at the July 23<sup>rd</sup> City Council Meeting. The [arterial roadway rehabilitation project](#) will repave more than 800,000 square feet of pavement on Bastanchury Road, Golden Avenue and Kraemer Boulevard. This project also includes replacement of broken concrete, ADA-compliant curb ramps and traffic safety improvements. The residential slurry seal project will slurry seal more than 2.6 million square feet of residential streets noted in the [project area map](#). Replacement of broken concrete and new ADA-compliant curb ramps will also be included as part of this project. Staff anticipates a 6-9 month engineering design phase with construction bids solicited in March 2020 and construction set to begin in June 2020.

For more information about the City's current capital improvement projects, please visit the City's website at [www.placentia.org/19/Public-Works](http://www.placentia.org/19/Public-Works).



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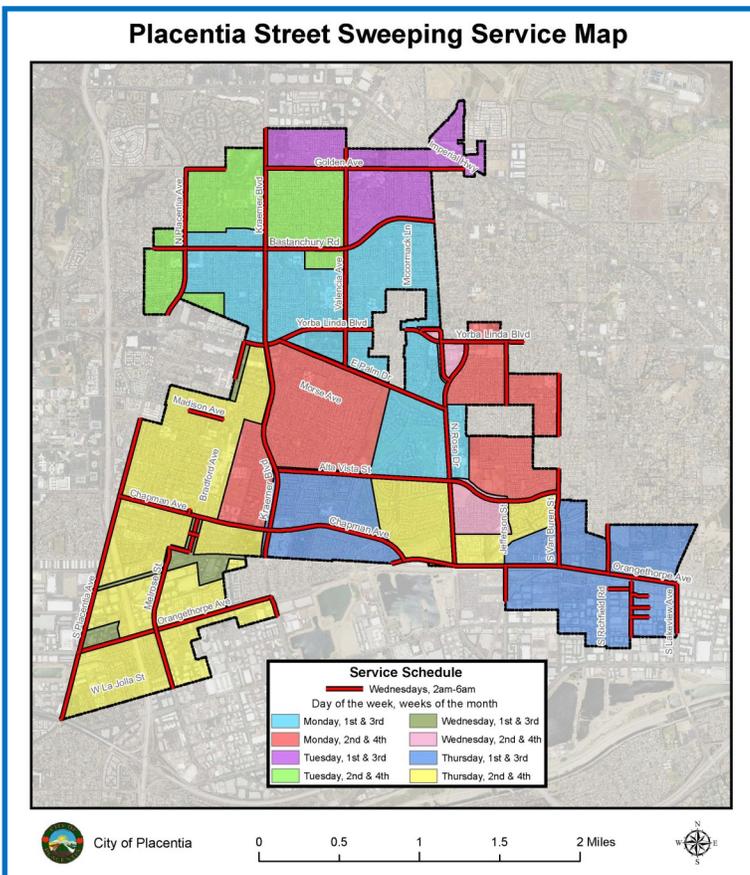
### No Street Sweeping on 4<sup>th</sup> of July

There will be no street sweeping services on Thursday, July 4<sup>th</sup>. If your sweeping day falls on this day, you will be swept on your next regularly scheduled sweeping day. To report problems with service or missed sweeps, please contact R.F. Dickson at 1 (800) 573-3222. To report complaints that could not be resolved with R.F. Dickson, please contact the City's Public Works Department at (714) 993-8245.

Please keep the following guidelines in mind for street sweeping service:

- Please move all vehicles off the street during the times/days posted for street sweeping.
- Please ensure all trash containers and recreational items such as basketball hoops are removed from the gutter area on your service day.
- Don't rake or blow leaves/grass into the gutter or streets. Instead place them inside of your green waste container to be picked up on your scheduled collection day.

To find out when your street will be cleaned, please view Placentia's Street Sweeping Schedule and 2019 Calendar at <http://placentia.org/streetsweeping>.



**2019 PLACENTIA SWEEPING SCHEDULE**

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WEEK 1 & 3  
WEEK 2 & 4  
5TH WEEK NOSWEEP  
HOLIDAY

## EXTERNAL COMMUNICATION

- Placentia Library District Weekly Summary
- Friends of Placentia Gala Invitation
- C.E.R.T. Community Meeting



# PLACENTIA LIBRARY DISTRICT

## WEEKLY SUMMARY – July 5-11, 2019

### LIBRARY SUMMER PROGRAM FOR ALL AGES

#### SUMMER READING PROGRAM: IT'S SHOWTIME AT YOUR LIBRARY!

Ends July 25

Join the fun this summer and participate in our annual Summer Reading Program. The more you read, the more chances you'll have to win! So grab a book and start reading today!



**Children Ages 0-12:** For every 100 minutes you read (or are read to) you'll receive a ticket that will earn you the chance to win one of our fabulous grand prizes. **BONUS PRIZE:** All participants that complete 500 minutes of reading before July 26th will also receive a special reward!

**Teens and Adults Ages 13 and Up:** For each book YOU read YOU will earn a chance at one of our fabulous grand prizes. **BONUS PRIZE:** Read 3 books and you'll receive a \$5 gift card to In-N-Out, Bodhi Leaf Coffee Traders, or Rich Farm Ice Cream. While supplies last only.

#### **Grand prizes:**

- 4 Tickets to Disneyland or Disney California Adventure
- Nintendo Switch
- Dinner for 2 at the Hobbit: A Unique Dining Experience
- Los Angeles Angels of Anaheim Tickets



### ADULT & LITERACY SERVICES

#### READ, WRITE, SPEAK (FORMERLY CONVERSATION CLUB)

Next meeting: Friday, July 12, 9:30 – 11:00 a.m.

*Placentia Library, City Hall Conference Room*

The Read, Write, Speak Club is a great opportunity to chat with other English language learners in a relaxed and comfortable environment. You will pick up new vocabulary, improve your English literacy, and sharpen your pronunciation skills. No registration is required.

### TEEN SERVICES

#### PTAC – PLACENTIA TEEN ADVISORY COUNCIL

Next meeting: Thursday, July 18, 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

*Placentia Library District*

Placentia Teen Advisory Council is open to all high school students interested in gaining community service experience, volunteer hours, and leadership skills, through planning and supporting library events. All applicants must pass an interview. Space is limited. A 6-month commitment is a must. Contact the library for details

## CHILDREN'S SERVICES

\*Designates programs are outdoor programs and will not be held in the event of inclement weather including rain and/or extreme temperatures.

### WACKY WEDNESDAYS: MIGHTY MICKEY'S MAGIC CIRCUS\*

Wednesday, July 10, 2:00 p.m.

*Civic Center Plaza*

Join us for a Big Top adventure while Mighty Mickey dazzles children (and children at heart) with a spectacular circus performance. Come prepared to be amazed and laugh out loud as Mickey takes you on a journey full of magic, juggling, unicycling, and comedy!



### SUNSHINE BABIES STORYTIME\*

Thursday, July 11, at 9:30 – 10:00 a.m. and 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

*Civic Center Plaza*

Get ready to clap and sing along, as we lead you and your baby through a sweet time of engaging songs, delightful stories and bouncing baby rhymes. Class is open to all caregivers and their babies ages 0-2 years.

### PUPPETS ON THE PATIO\*

Next meeting: Saturday, July 13, at 10:00 – 10:45 a.m.

*Civic Center Plaza*

Join us for sunshine and stories on Saturday mornings! All ages are invited!

## DID YOU KNOW?

### SAVE THE DATE: BLACK TIES & TALES GALA

To celebrate 100 years at the Placentia Library District, the Placentia Library Friends Foundation will be hosting the Black Ties & Tales Gala at the Richard Nixon Library on Friday, August 9th. Please share with your friends, family, and colleagues and we hope to see you at this beautiful, Gatsby-inspired evening event! Tickets can be purchased at the Library's Information Desk or at [www.placentialibraryfriends.com](http://www.placentialibraryfriends.com).



### LIBRARY RENOVATION CLOSURE

Friday, August 2 – Friday, September 13

### LIBRARY GRAND RE-OPENING & CENTENNIAL RIBBON-CUTTING CEREMONY

Saturday, September 14, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.



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PLACENTIA LIBRARY FRIENDS FOUNDATION  
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BLACK TIES & TALES GALA



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AUGUST

9

6:00 PM

● DINNER ● DANCING ● AUCTIONS

Richard Nixon Library & Museum  
18001 Yorba Linda Blvd,  
Yorba Linda, CA 92886

\$125.00 PER PERSON

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[WWW.PLACENTIALIBRARYFRIENDS.COM](http://WWW.PLACENTIALIBRARYFRIENDS.COM)  
OR CALL (714) 528-1906 X 200  
DRESS CODE: GATSBY FORMAL ATTIRE



**COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM**

# Information and Community Meeting

**July 10, 2019 – 7:00pm to 8:30pm**

**Placentia City Hall 401 E. Chapman Ave, Placentia, Ca**

Are you wondering what the CERT program is, and is the team for you? Have you been CERT trained and would like to re-connect with the program? Would you like to meet additional CERT trained members who may live in your community?

If you've answered YES to any one of these questions, or you just want to know more about CERT, come out to the City of Placentia's first CERT Information and Community Meeting!

Members of the community will be introduced to members of the Emergency Services team that lead the Placentia CERT program, learn about the ways that everyone can stay or become involved, and most importantly learn how you can better prepare your neighborhood for all-hazards that may impact our community!

**Free food and snacks will be provided. RSVPs are not required.**

For more information, contact the Placentia Police Department - Emergency Services at (714) 993-8176

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