

# City Administrator's Weekly Briefing

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April 29, 2021



“Rich Heritage, Bright Future”

## ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT

### COVID-19 Vaccine Updates

The County of Orange will resume administering Johnson & Johnson (J&J) vaccinations on Sunday, May 2nd. On April 23rd, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the U.S. Food and Drug Administration announced that they would accept the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices’ recommendations to lift the pause on the J&J COVID-19 vaccination for all adults.

The Federal Trade Commission warns against posting your vaccination card information online. Your vaccination card has information on it including your full name, date of birth, where you got your vaccine, and the dates you got it. When you post it to Facebook, Instagram, or other social media, you may be handing valuable information over to someone who could use it for identify theft.

Othena specialists with fluency in a variety of languages are taking calls on the COVID-19 Hotline daily from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm to assist with questions related to the platform and app. Reminder: the Orange County POD sites are not the only way to receive a COVID-19 vaccine in the County. Please [click here](#) for more information. You can also sign up with the State’s vaccination website at <https://myturn.ca.gov/> to find additional vaccine sites near Placentia.

POD SITE SCHEDULE	Vaccine Type	Hours	Fri 4/30	Sat 5/1	Sun 5/2	Mon 5/3
Anaheim Convention Center Super POD	Moderna	8 am – 5 pm	Open	Open	Open	Open
Disneyland Drive-Thru POD (ADA lanes only)	Moderna	8 am – 5 pm	Final Day	Closed		
Soka University Super POD	Pfizer	8 am – 5 pm (Tuesdays: 12 pm – 8 pm)	Open	Open	Open	Open
OC Fair & Event Center Super POD	Pfizer	8 am – 5 pm (Thursdays: 12 pm – 8 pm)	Open	Open	Open	Open
Santa Ana College Community POD	Pfizer	8 am – 5 pm (Mondays: 12 pm – 8 pm)	Open	Open	Open	Open

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#### Upcoming Meetings and Events

- 5/3/21 Veterans Advisory Committee Meeting
- 5/4/21 City Council Meeting
- 5/11/21 Planning Commission
- 5/12/21 Heritage Committee Meeting
- 5/20/21 Public Financing Authority: EIFD

For additional

information or

questions about this

Weekly Briefing, please email:

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



## ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT

### Caltrans Seeking Input on an Active Transportation Plan

Caltrans District 12 is developing an active transportation plan for Orange County. The Caltrans Active Transportation (CAT) Plan will identify opportunities to improve walking and biking on and across the State Highway System. The goal is to improve safety and access for people traveling throughout the County. Public input will play an important role in the outcome of the Plan.

Your feedback will help complete the picture and understand why certain connections, locations, and corridors are important to the community and the opportunities and challenges associated with them. Visit [survey.catplan.org](https://survey.catplan.org) to take the online map survey. The survey will close on April 30th.

### Orange County Community Resources 2019/20 Annual Report

The Orange County Community Resources (OCCR) team is working hard to adapt County programming and services to reflect the evolving COVID-19 guidance. They prepared this annual report from their 2019/20 year to demonstrate how they navigated the unprecedented year. Employees from Parks, Animal Care, Public Libraries, Housing, Community Development, and Community Services all worked to effectively modify their programs and develop alternate service delivery models to protect staff and meet resident needs safely amid a global pandemic. Please [click here](#) to view the OCCR 2019/20 Annual Report.



### Senator Newman Partnership for COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic

Senator Newman has partnered with Teamsters Local 952, SEIU-USWW, and Albertsons to administer 1,500 first doses of the Pfizer vaccine. All individuals, ages 16 and older are eligible. Advance registration is required and can be accessed by [clicking here](#). Walk-up appointments are not available.

### California Small Business Relief Grant Round 6

Round 6 of the California Small Business Relief grant is now open. The grant provides funding to eligible small businesses and non-profits. The program will be accepting applications until May 4th at 5:00 pm. Round 6 represents the final round of funding, unless the Legislature and Administration allocate additional funding to the program through the State Budget. Eligible applicants that were waitlisted in a previous round do not need to reapply, as their applications will automatically roll-over and be eligible for funding. Visit <https://careliefgrant.com/> for more information.

### City Hall Phone Lines Temporarily Disabled

City Hall phone lines are currently disabled. Please call (657) 363-9363 to access City Hall during regular operating hours of Monday through Thursday from 7:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. We are working on restoring the phone lines as quickly as possible.

- To contact Public Works, please email [publicworks@placentia.org](mailto:publicworks@placentia.org)
- To contact Community Services, please email [communityservices@placentia.org](mailto:communityservices@placentia.org)
- To contact Development Services, please email [DSD@placentia.org](mailto:DSD@placentia.org)
- For general Finance inquires, please email [soluna@placentia.org](mailto:soluna@placentia.org)
- For Business License inquires, please email [businesslicense@placentia.org](mailto:businesslicense@placentia.org)



## COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

### Healthcare and Emergency Animal Rescue Team (HEART) Pet Clinics

The City has partnered with the Healthcare and Emergency Animal Rescue Team (HEART) to host monthly low-cost pet vaccination clinics for the community. The pet clinics will take place in the Civic Center parking lot at 401 E. Chapman Ave., every fourth Tuesday of the month. The next clinic date will be **May 24th**. Reservations are required and can be made by visiting the "Clinic Services" section at [www.heart4pets.org](http://www.heart4pets.org). Pets will be treated in order of their arrival time. pet owners must remain in their vehicles and wear a mask that covers the mouth and nose while visiting the clinic. For more information, please contact HEART at (714) 993-9193 or visit [www.heart4pets.org](http://www.heart4pets.org).

### Whitten Community Center COVID-19 Vaccine Clinics

In partnership with Providence St. Jude Medical Center, the City of Placentia will be hosting COVID-19 vaccine clinics every Tuesday through July 27th, from 8:30 am - 5:00 pm at the Whitten Community Center located at 900 S. Melrose Avenue. The clinics will operate by appointment only and will be for those 18 and over. Appointments can be scheduled through <https://myturn.ca.gov/>. Those who wish to be vaccinated at the Whitten Community Center location must choose "Providence-Whitten Community Center Clinic" when registering. Staff at the Whitten Community Center/Neighborhood Services Office is available to help make an appointment for anyone who does not have access to the internet. For more information, please contact the Neighborhood Services Office at the Whitten Community Center at (714) 986-2333 or [click here](#) to view the flyer.

### Arbor Day Celebration

The City of Placentia celebrated Arbor Day on April 28th by planting six Brisbane trees in front of the Placentia Civic Center, along Kraemer Boulevard and Chapman Avenue. Placentia City staff and members of LOT318 helped to plant the new trees and the event was streamed live on the City's Facebook page. To view a video of the event, [click here](#).





## POLICE DEPARTMENT

### Attempt to Identify/Locate



# PLACENTIA

## POLICE DEPARTMENT



DARIN LENYI, Chief of Police

401 East Chapman Avenue, Placentia, CA 92870

## Vandalism – Attempt to Identify/Locate

BULLETIN DATE: 04/26/2021

DR 21-01460



ACTIVITY: Vandalism

LOCATION: 133 N Walnut Ave

SUSPECT 1: Male, light complexion, younger looking, wearing a white shirt and a black hoodie, which he removed during the incident.

SUSPECT 2: Male, light complexion, wearing a white and black t-shirt over a gray t-shirt, and blue jeans.

SUSPECT 3: No description available (appeared to never leave the front passenger seat of the suspect vehicle).

SUSPECT VEHICLE: Silver 2005-2013 Ford Mustang convertible with a light colored top.

DETAILS: On Sunday, April 18, 2021, at approximately 0327 hours, the suspect vehicle pictured above drove into the alley at the location listed above. Suspect 1 exited the driver's side of the suspect vehicle and wrote "enk slow" on a dumpster and a garage door. Suspect 2 then exited the rear passenger side of the suspect vehicle and switched places with Suspect 1. The suspect vehicle then drove away.

**If you have any information that might assist this investigation, please contact Placentia Police Department Detective B. Conroy at (714) 993-8113, or [bconrov@placentia.org](mailto:bconrov@placentia.org).**

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## FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY DEPARTMENT

### Fire and Life Safety Weekly Update

Recently your firefighters have been focusing on Wildland Firefighting. Your firefighters completed RT130 training to prepare for this coming fire season. Experts were brought in from the US Forest Service, "Little Tujunga Hotshots." All of this hard work will allow Placentia Fire to contribute to the master mutual aid system through CalOES.



Earlier in the week, we had a leadership training class put on by retired Fire Chief Dale Vogelsang. To prepare for the leadership training, firefighters and paramedics were asked to watch the movie "A Few Good Men." The class centered around leadership, team-building, and customer service. All of these topics directly correspond to our Departments' core values: "Integrity, Dedication, Community, and Respect."

## DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT

### Construction Underway at Future Luxury Apartment Site

The second development entitled in the City's Transit-Oriented Development (TOD) Zone is currently undergoing construction. The project site comprises seven adjacent properties located between 505-551 W. Crowther Avenue, directly east of Tyler Lighting on the north side of Crowther Avenue.



This development will feature 418 residential units and is a mixed-use development. It also features approximately 10,500 square feet of retail-commercial space on the ground floor, accessible from Crowther Avenue.

Similar to "The Herald" development under construction approximately two blocks to the east, this will be a rental community focusing on high-quality, luxury living with resort-style amenities such as a pool, high-end workout facilities, gourmet kitchens, high-quality courtyards with fire pits, barbecues, pet walking areas and more.

This development and "The Herald" will help achieve the City's goals established for the newly created Transit Oriented Development zone by fostering sustainable living and mobility, increasing pedestrian and bike-friendly options to access mass transit. The developer, JPI Development, obtained building and grading permits in March 2021 and has already begun grading the site. This project is expected to take 18 months to two years to fully complete. Please contact the Planning Division if you have any questions at (714) 993-8124. To view the recent groundbreaking, please [click here](#).

## EXTERNAL COMMUNICATION

### Placentia Library District Weekly Summary



# Placentia Library District

Weekly Summary – April 30 – May 6, 2021

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## Library News

### **WE'RE OPEN!**

We're open for in-person browsing and checkout, passports, computer access, curbside pickup, virtual programs & more! **Face masks and social distancing are required.**

Request books online at [www.bit.ly/placentialib](http://www.bit.ly/placentialib) and learn about our curbside pickup at [www.placentialibrary.org/curbside](http://www.placentialibrary.org/curbside).

Library Hours: Tuesday – Saturday, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Passports are processed from 10am-4pm or until we reach capacity, whichever comes first. In periods of high demand, it is possible we will reach capacity before the library opens. Standing in line does not guarantee or indicate we will be able to process your passport. Thank you for your understanding.

## Adult, Teen and Literacy Programs



### **Take & Make May 1: Plant Your Own Greeting Card**

Pick up your kit, watch the tutorial at home, and make your creation!

### **ADULT & TEEN HANGAR TAKE AND MAKE: MAKE YOUR OWN GREETING CARD (MAY KIT)**

Pickup starting May 1, while supplies last  
Make your own paper, and plant it too! These greeting cards will really grow on you. Want us to save you a kit?  
[www.placentialibrary.org/take-and-make-diy-kits](http://www.placentialibrary.org/take-and-make-diy-kits)

### **LITERACY**

Adult Literacy programs are still available. 1-on-1 tutoring is virtual and in-person instruction. Read, Write, Speak Club and Literacy Reads book club are virtual. Please visit [www.placentialibrary.org/services/literacy](http://www.placentialibrary.org/services/literacy) for more info.



### **Take & Make Preorder June Kit: May 1-7**

Pick up your kit, watch the tutorial at home, and make your creation!

### **ADULT & TEEN HANGAR TAKE AND MAKE: MOSAIC COASTER (JUNE KIT PREORDER)**

Preorder May 1-7, pickup starting June 1  
Take pride in learning something new, and make your own mosaic coaster!  
[www.placentialibrary.org/take-and-make-kit-preorder](http://www.placentialibrary.org/take-and-make-kit-preorder)

## PLACENTIA TEEN ADVISORY COUNCIL (PTAC)

First and Third Thursdays, 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. This week: May 6

Zoom Virtual Meeting - [www.placentialibrary.org/ptac](http://www.placentialibrary.org/ptac)

### Virtual Children's Programs



### SPRING INTO STEAM: LOOM WEAVING

Supply Kit and Facebook Live

Pickups begin Friday, April 30, while supplies last

Program: Friday, May 7, 3:30 - 4:00 p.m. on Facebook Live  
Create your own small yarn tapestry with this month's STEAM supply kit! Gather your supplies, join us for the video on May 7th and learn all about loom weaving!

**About Spring into STEAM:** Jump into the Spring season with our new STEAM program! This program will highlight an engaging educational activity every month from March-June. Pick up a kit at the library the week before each live program. One kit per student, with own or parent library card, and up to 2 kits per family. Kits available while supplies last. *Intended for ages 8-12.*

### VIRTUAL STORYTIMES

Our storytimes are held on Facebook Live at [www.facebook.com/placentialibrary](http://www.facebook.com/placentialibrary)

- Luna, Luna Bilingual Storytime is every other Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.
  - Next week: May 12
- Sunshine Babies & Toddler Tales Storytime is Thursdays at 10:00 a.m.
  - This week: May 6
- Rise and Shine Storytime is Saturdays at 10:00 a.m.
  - This week: May 1



### Library Services

### E-BOOKS AND ELECTRONIC DATABASES

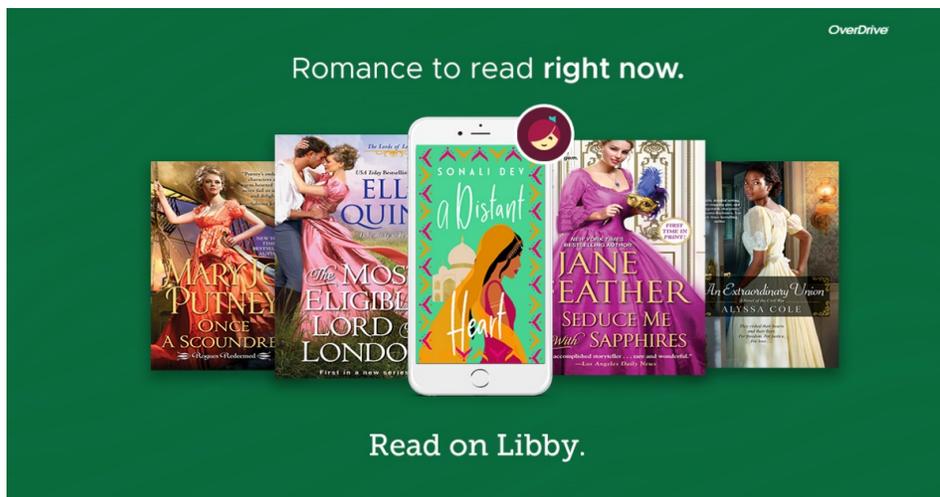
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