

## IN THIS ISSUE



### ◀ 2010 CREST Award Nominations

**Nominations must be in the Public Information Office at City Hall by 4:30 pm on Friday, March 12, 2010**

The city is looking for nominations for the 2010 CREST (Cupertino Recognizes Extra Steps Taken) Award.

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### ▶ Get Fit in 2010

The City of Cupertino invites residents to take advantage of this special offer at the Cupertino Sports Center: **Family Special – 3 Months for \$199.**

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**CUPERTINO GREEN**

### ◀ Free Home Energy Audits

Save money and energy while fighting climate change with Acterra Green@Home. Schedule your home for the audit today. This program is paid by City of Cupertino and is free to all Cupertino residents.

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# events in cupertino

– Crest Awards, continued from page 1

The CREST award honors outstanding community volunteers. Individuals or organizations making major contributions to the quality of life in Cupertino during the 2009 calendar year are eligible to be nominated for the CREST Award. Individuals of all ages will be considered. The CREST Awards presentation will take place on May 27 in the Community Hall. Any person, agency or organization is encouraged to submit nominees for consideration.

All nominations should be submitted online, mailed or hand-delivered, to the Public Information Office at City Hall by 4:30 pm on Friday, March 12, 2010. Applications postmarked on or before this date will not be accepted if they do not arrive by the deadline. Forms may be sent or brought to the Public Information Office, City Hall, 10300 Torre Avenue, Cupertino, CA 95014. Individuals may not nominate themselves nor may an organization nominate itself. A relative may not nominate a family member, and past recipients of CREST within the last five years are ineligible. Nominees need not reside in the city of Cupertino; however, the efforts for which they are being nominated should strongly impact the Cupertino community. For more information on the awards, online and downloadable nomination form, visit [www.cupertino.org](http://www.cupertino.org).



Your Student Trustee presents

## ACTIVIST FILM FESTIVAL 2010

www.cupertino.edu/studenttrustee

Entry after Thursday, Conference Fee: \$10-\$30

Free Movies!

Educate yourself on the various issues of the world that can take a part in solving

Movies about different issues in our society:  
The following films will be shown followed by discussions.

LIST OF FILMS

**WINTER**

- JAN 24th -> Sidis
- \* Intellectual
- JAN 29th -> Bastards of Party
- \* G8888
- FEB 6th -> Anstad
- \* Education
- FEB 13th -> Fahrenheit 9/11
- \* Milk
- MAR 4th -> Walkout
- \* Activism
- MAR 18th -> Capitalism a love story
- \* Capitalism

**SPRING**

- APR 15th -> An Intersection Truck
- \* Environment/Climate
- APR 22nd -> Bowling for Columbine
- \* Violence
- MAY 6th -> Raper and I
- \* Environment
- MAY 13th -> Milk
- \* LGBT Rights
- JUN 3rd -> Food Incorporation
- \* Food
- JUN 17th -> Maria Full of Grace
- \* Activism

De Anza College Entry after Thursday, Conference Fee: \$10-\$30-\$30 p.m. e-mail: [actfest@gmail.com](mailto:actfest@gmail.com)

## Activist Film Festival

De Anza College Students for Justice Club in association with the De Anza College Student Trustee will be screening a series of films on De Anza College Campus followed by facilitated audience discussions related to the subject matter of those films. The schedule for the next two months of the film showings is as follows:

**February 4, 5:30 pm,  
Amistad**

**February 18, 5:30 pm,  
Fahrenheit 9/11**

**March 4, 5:30 pm,  
Walkout**

**March 18, 5:30 pm,  
Capitalism: A Love Story**

For more information on this program and location of the screening, contact Isabelle at 408.510.0971 or [BarrientosIsabelle@fhda.edu](mailto:BarrientosIsabelle@fhda.edu).

– Energy Audits, continued from page 1

Did you know that the energy we use at home accounts for about 21% of the U.S. global warming pollution? This means that smart choices at home really can make a difference.

This FREE home energy audit and retrofit program is offered for all residents in the City of Cupertino, whether you rent or own.



To schedule your convenient 2½ hour appointment visit [www.acterra.org/green](http://www.acterra.org/green) @home and click on “Request a Free HouseCall.” No access to the internet? Please call 650.962.9876 ext. 350. It’s fast and easy to start conserving resources with Green@Home – so call or visit Acterra’s website today.

CITY OF CUPERTINO PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

## Creating a Positive, Healthy, and Connected Community

### Family Special 3 months for \$199

2 ADULTS AND 2 YOUTH UNDER 18 • INCLUDES FREE CHILD CARE

(Child care is open Monday – Friday, 9 am - 11:30 am,  
Saturday & Sunday, 8 am – 12 pm, Monday – Thursday, 5:30 pm - 8 pm)

**Fitness Special includes** full use of the fitness room  
2 racquetball courts • ½ court basketball, badminton  
table tennis • volleyball • aerobics • yoga • TRX  
kick box • Pilates • Latin dance • body sculpting  
teen circuit training • and Zumba! (excludes tennis)

The Sports Center is open 7 days a week

Monday – Friday, 6 am - 10 pm,  
Saturday, 8 am - 10 pm,  
Sunday, 8 am - 8 pm

21111 Stevens Creek Blvd  
Cupertino CA 95014  
408.777.316



## Fitness Tips

### New Year, New Fitness Goals

This year, let's make some basic new year resolutions, everything else will fall into place.

#### Resolution #1 – Eat better

- Make water your choice of beverage
- Have fresh cut and dry fruits for snacks
- Start reading the nutrition label
- Avoid processed food
- Start cooking at home.

#### Resolution #2 – Exercise at least 3 times a week

- Any heart pumping activity like brisk walking, running or swimming for 30 minutes or more
- Take stairs instead of elevator
- Keep your gym bag in the car

Stick to these resolutions and see yourself transform into a healthier you!

These tips are given by Shubha Bhargava, contact her at [rsbhargava@yahoo.com](mailto:rsbhargava@yahoo.com).

## Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance

The Water Conservation in Landscaping Act of 2006 requires cities and counties to adopt landscape water conservation ordinances by January 1, 2010. The State Department of Water Resources (DWR) has prepared a Model Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance and a local jurisdiction may adopt its own ordinance, as long as it complies with the State ordinance.



Cupertino is collaborating with other agencies in the Bay Area to draft a local ordinance that focuses on: (1) conformance with state requirements, (2) streamlining the approval process, and (3) minimizing costs for applicants and homeowners. The new Water Efficient Landscape Ordinance will replace/update the City's existing Xeriscape Ordinance. City staff anticipates that a final draft ordinance will be presented for Council's consideration in March/April 2010. For more information, visit, [www.cupertino.org/index.aspx?page=951](http://www.cupertino.org/index.aspx?page=951)

# simply safe | february

by Marsha Hovey, Emergency Services Coordinator

Are we prepared? That depends on you – the community at large. Are you prepared? Cupertino has developed emergency communication systems to notify you – the community at large – of City news and disaster information. We offer training to anyone who wants to know more about the disaster impact on their home and family. We've even developed volunteer response teams who go out into the community to help the paid first responders identify and reduce hazards, assist the public with basic medical care, and provide up-to-the minute status reports of our local area.

Here's a quiz. What is... an ARK? an out of area contact number? the amount of water you have on hand right now? Where do you keep... your 12" crescent wrench or other gas shut off tool? your emergency medication supply? a paper copy of the numbers in your cell phone? If you have the right answers, you are more prepared than 75% of Cupertino... are we ready?

Here are some facts about earthquake response. The city does not stockpile food or water for its residents. Fire and Sheriff's personnel and the 9-1-1 system will be overwhelmed. They will prioritize their response based on the greatest good for the greatest number of people. For example, if your house catches fire at the same time as *any other building in the city that houses more people*, you are not the priority. Time to process and respond to 9-1-1 emergency requests will go from 3-5 minutes to 3-5 hours. If your situation is not life threatening – even if it's threatening property or is just really inconvenient, you may be denied assistance – depending on other priorities.

Author Amada Ripley has written a fascinating book called "The Unthinkable" that addresses the psychological reasons that people who are perfectly capable of managing day to day life have perished in emergencies because they failed to LEARN, UNDERSTAND and EXPECT certain disaster related issues and outcomes.

My hope is that you will read the book or take a Free personal emergency preparedness class. Our community is only as prepared as the sum of its parts!

## If you do only one thing to prepare this month...

Start the new year off feeling good about preparedness! Take your brand new 2010 calendar and mark dates for you to complete these tasks:

- **February** – Check Cupertino website for emergency preparedness information
- **March** – Sign up for Personal Emergency

Preparedness Workshop

- **April** – Talk with family about earthquake safety and what to do if you're separated during the emergency (stay put or meet somewhere?)
- **May** – Talk with family about alternate methods of communication when cell phones and home phones are overwhelmed and unreliable after earthquakes. Don't forget to give everyone your out of area contact number.
- **June** – Identify and drive by my local Community Emergency Reporting Location (also known as ARKs).
- **July** – Prepare an emergency kit for the car
- **August** – Test gas meter to see if the valve is stuck (only more \_ turn or you'll shut it off!)
- **September** – Review how to use a fire extinguisher
- **October** – Participate in citywide emergency drill on October 16 and 17, 2010
- **November** – Purchase one case of bottled water (equivalent to three gallons) Your goal is to have a case for each family member that you use and replace as a routine grocery purchase so this item may need to go on your calendar several times.
- **December** – Check/update car emergency kit for completeness (at least once a year)

## Upcoming Classes:

**Personal Emergency Preparedness Workshop**, Free, February 26, 6:30-9:30 pm, March 23, 6:30-9:30 pm

**Kaleidoscope Public Safety Training for Young Adults**, February 15-19, 9-Noon

**Community Emergency Response Team Training**. Free, Five Wednesdays, March 10-April 7. Choose day (9 am to Noon) or evening (6:30 to 9:30 pm) Graduation Saturday, April 10 for all participants 9 am to 1 pm.

Pandemic Flu– Online presentation, visit [www.cupertino.org/flu](http://www.cupertino.org/flu) for info.

## One final note:

I will be retiring on February 25, 2010 and want to take this opportunity to thank the Santa Clara County Fire Department, City of Cupertino, Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office, community members and businesses for their continuing efforts to prepare themselves for the next big earthquake (and other emergencies). I'd especially like to thank the people whose passion and commitment for their community has motivated me for ten years to keep working toward 100% preparedness; the Office of Emergency Services Volunteers (Cupertino Amateur Radio Emergency Service, Community Emergency Response Team and Medical Reserve Corps).

# roots | Here and There: Treasures From the Past

by Gail Fretwell-Hugger

One of the neat things about being a docent for the Cupertino Historical Museum at Quinlan Center, is meeting and talking to the people who drop in to see the museum exhibits or viewing the family treasures people bring in to add to the museum collection. In January, Audrey M. Hachen Breeding, who was visiting from the Sacramento/Roseville area, came in with relatives and donated some family treasures to our museum. There were photos of the Baer family, who lived at Cupertino Crossroads. Charlie Baer had the blacksmith shop in the old days and then fixed cars at the shop later on. The blacksmith shop sits down at McClellan Park

and hopefully one of these days it will be restored and the public will be able to view it as a working blacksmith shop on special occasions. Also in the family treasures was a stack of small books, authored by Santa Clara Valley old-timer, Ralph Rambo.

Mr. Rambo was a colorful character and prolific artist and author, whose little books on valley life are humorous (though some are no longer strictly p.c.) and contain a wealth of information and wonderful drawings that illustrate almost every page in each book. Rambo's books are available to purchase at the San Jose History Museum and Park and some bookstores. The books donated to Cupertino Museum will be available for people to look at and read in the museum.

Some memorabilia from the old Cupertino Grammar School was part of Mrs. Breeding's Collection and a wonderful postcard album started by her grandmother and continued by her mother. The antique postcards in the album are lovely.

I spent an enjoyable hour looking through the 8th grade graduation/yearbook (1928) from old Cupertino Grammar School. Lots of names from the Cupertino community in the 1920's and funny sayings from the students in their class "wills" to each other. Yours truly attended this old school in the 1st grade and back again for 7th grade, before the new Cupertino Middle School was built. Well remembered were the buckets on the floor between the school desks to catch rain coming through the leaky old roof. In 1st

grade, Mr. Broughten came in with a butter churn and some milk and part of our school day was spent churning the milk into butter-milk and fresh butter which we then spread on saltine crackers. It tasted sublime.

For your information and reading enjoyment, the following valedictory speech was written and given at the 8th grade graduation in 1928. Consider that this speech was prepared and delivered by a 12 or 13 year old. The student begins by thanking the principal and teachers for their careful guidance and constant willingness to help the students. He goes on to say,



One of the first homes at the Cupertino Crossroads in 1895 was designed and built by local architect, E. Parrish. The people in the photo are William Baer, father; Lydia Griesey Baer, mother; children Charlie and Webster Baer.

"Many of us have realized for some time that if we are going to succeed in life, we should have a good strong character to build on. A strong character is as necessary to our success as a strong foundation is to a beautiful building. Being honest and sportsmanlike is one way to build character. To be a good sport we must be a good loser. It is more honorable to lose honestly than

to win by cheating. If you know you are in the wrong, do not alibi. To have a good character is one of the best treasures of any person. Washington (George Washington) said, "Do not believe that fine clothes make fine men any more than fine feathers make fine birds." It is also very important that we be good citizens. To be good citizens, we must begin by being good persons. Do the thing that you know is right though some of the others may object. I think one of the main things we should strive to develop is determination to succeed, even though the task is difficult. In closing I wish to quote from Abraham Lincoln, who has given us so much worthwhile advice. He has said, "When you cannot remove an obstacle, plough around it".

The student who wrote and delivered this fine speech was George Fujii. Well said, George.

Hope everyone has a very Happy Valentine's Day and Happy Spring! If you like mustard, don't forget that our neighboring village of Saratoga has a fun Mustard Festival on March 1. The Santa Clara Valley Bee Guild will attend and give all kinds of information about keeping and enjoying bees.

## LIBRARY INFORMATION | 10800 Torre Avenue, Cupertino

### LIBRARY OPEN HOURS

Mon-Tues.....	1 to 9
Wed-Thurs .....	10 to 9
Fri-Sat .....	10 to 6
Sunday .....	12 to 6

### TELEPHONE NUMBERS

General Library Number .....	408.446.1677
Adult and Teen	
Reference .....	408.446.1677, ext. 3372
Children's	
Reference .....	408.446.1677, ext. 3373
Accounts, Billing .....	800.286.1991
TeleCirc .....	800.471.0991

### PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

To see the programs and events offered at all Santa Clara County Libraries, search our online catalog, review your library account, get homework help, and conduct research using our online databases, please visit the Santa Clara County Library Web site at:

[www.santaclaracountylib.org](http://www.santaclaracountylib.org)

**The library will be closed Monday, February 15 for Presidents' Day.**

## Programs for Children & Families

### STORYTIME HOURS:

#### Stories for Fours

*3½ to 5 years old* .....Mondays, 4 pm

#### Bedtime Stories

*3 years old and up*..... Tuesdays, 7 pm

#### Stories for Threes

*2½ to 3½ years old* .....Wednesdays, 10:15 am

#### Stories for Twos

*1½ to 2½ years old* .....Thursdays, 10:15 am

### GROUNDHOG DAY FUN

#### February 2, 4 pm, Library Story Room

Celebrate Groundhog Day at the library with all kinds of fun activities.

### VALENTINE'S DROP-IN CRAFT

#### February 10, 3:30 – 4:30 pm, Library Story Room

Make a valentine for yourself or a friend.

### CELEBRATE CHINESE NEW YEAR

#### February 10, 7 pm, Cupertino Community Hall

Families are invited to come celebrate Chinese New Year with a performance by the Red Panda Acrobats in the Community Hall, next door to the library.

### TWEEN WINTER BREAK BOOK DISCUSSION

#### February 17, 3:30 pm, Library Story Room

Join us for a discussion of a story about stories based on "Arabian Nights." 5th – 8th graders are invited to register for this book discussion at the library beginning Monday, January 11.

### EXPLORE YOUR LIBRARY'S RESOURCES @Cupertino Library Every Month

### CALLING ALL LIBRARY EXPLORERS

#### February 22, 7 pm, Library Story Room

We are discovering the wonderful world of science. Learn more about the Library's science databases and how to get started on your science experiments. This class is most appropriate for school age children third grade and older and their parents.

### BE A LIBRARY EXPLORER

Discover the wonderful world of the library. Stop by the Children's Reference Desk to pick up your Library Explorer Passport and earn a stamp each month with a new library adventure.

### CUPERTINO CINEMA CLUB

#### February 11, 4 pm, Library Story Room

School age children in kindergarten through 5th grade are invited to watch a special film.

## Programs for Teens

### HEALTHY COOKING FOR TEENS

#### February 10, 4-6 pm, Cupertino Community Hall

In celebration of Silicon Valley Reads, Teens ages 13-19 can participate in a cooking program to prepare healthy meals and snacks. Program is taught by a culinary professional and all supplies are included. This program is sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library. Please sign up at the Adult Reference Desk or by calling 408.446.1677 x3372. Registration will begin on January 20.

## Programs for Adults

### EXPLORE STOCKS DATABASES

#### February 8, 7 pm, Cupertino Community Hall

Learn how to find stock/industry reports and key information using Standard and Poor's

NetAdvantage. ValueLine and Morningstar's unique features will also be featured. How to use this information to evaluate potential investments will be discussed. Presented by: Marion Michel & Vicky Powell, Silicon Valley Chapter Better Investing.

### **FENG SHUI FOR THE YEAR OF THE GOLDEN TIGER**

**February 17, 7 pm, Cupertino Community Hall**  
Feng Shui master, Mr. Y.C. Sun, will use a combination of Feng Shui and I-Ching, the 2,000-year-old Chinese law of the universe, to make predictions for 2010, the Year of the Tiger. Topics include the outlook of the stock and housing market, U.S. economy, global events, and the impact of the golden tiger year on our daily life. For more information, call Cupertino Library Reference Desk at 408.446.1677 x 3372. The program is sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

### **ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A NEW JOB?**

**February 27, 10-1 pm, Cupertino Community Hall**

Are you looking for a great new job? Are you really ready to go out and meet potential employers? Learn how to best present yourself to hiring managers with an eye-catching resume and effective interview skills. See how your resume is reviewed by hiring managers, and practice improving your interview skills. Two career specialists will walk you through the process and provide personal feedback in this special FREE three-hour workshop.

Instructors will be Amy Brumgard, M.A., GCDF, MCDP of West Valley College and Marcia Stein, PHR, of Stein Consulting, Inc.

### **BOOK TALK AND BOOK DISCUSSION**

**February 18, 2009, 7 pm, Story Room**  
Cupertino Librarians, Judy Dana and Annapurna Dandu, will host a Book Discussion and Book Talk on the third Thursday of each month in the Cupertino Library Story Room. Book talks are short descriptions of several titles, covering all genres and subjects. Each month a new title is selected for the book discussion. Sign up at the Adult Reference Desk and pick up a copy of the book, while supplies last, or place a hold for the next available copy. We will be discussing "Soloist." This program is sponsored by the Friends of the Cupertino Library.

*For more information, on all teen and adult programs call, Cupertino Library Reference Desk at 408.446.1677 x 3372.*

## **Also in the Cupertino Library**

### **KNITTING AT THE LIBRARY**

Bring your needles and yarn to the library every Tuesday, 4-6 pm and join the drop-in knitting program in the Story Room on the main floor. Knitters of all skill levels and ages are welcome.

## **Individual or Small Group programs by Appointment**

### **INTERNET BASICS FOR ADULTS**

Beginning classes on how to use the Internet are available by appointment. Participants must be able to use a computer keyboard and mouse.

### **INTERNET CLASSES IN MANDARIN**

Beginning classes on how to use the Internet are available in Mandarin, by appointment. Participants must be able to use a computer keyboard and mouse.

### **TEEN DATABASE CLASSES**

Database instruction for teens, thirteen to nineteen, is available at the library, by appointment.

*For more information on any of the Cupertino Library's adult programs or to schedule an appointment for the classes, please call the Reference Desk at 408 446 1677, ext 3372.*

## **For Your Information**

### **DATABASES AND RESEARCH TOOLS**

Santa Clara County Library subscribes to online databases for adults and children, on a variety of subjects, including business, science and literature. Many of the databases are available even when the library is closed. If you're not at the library, just go to the library's webpage at [www.santaclaracountylib.org](http://www.santaclaracountylib.org), click on databases, and enter your library card and PIN number to access a database. You may choose from any of the available databases. For example, you can research a company using *Standard and Poor's Net Advantage*, prepare for an academic or professional exam with *Learning Express* or find information for a state report in *America the Beautiful*. If you have any questions about the databases, please call the Reference desk, at 408.446.1677, during the library's open hours.



# senior center news

## Get Cozy Here

With the coldest temperatures yet to arrive, come to the senior center on those drizzly winter days, for fun and warmth. Whether it is sitting by the fire sipping a cup of hot chocolate, reading a book, or getting together with friends, new and old, the senior center is the place to be. We also have planned many activities to chase away that winter chill, keep you toasty, and active this winter.

## Chinese New Year Celebration

**Thursday, February 18, 12-1:30 pm**

What do Marilyn Monroe and Dwight D. Eisenhower have in common? They were both born in the Year of the Tiger. People born under the sign of tiger are said to be adventurous, sensitive, and risk-taking. Join us for a sumptuous meal and fabulous entertainment. Please check our flyer for details. Members \$10, senior guests add a \$5 day pass.

## The Valley of Heart's Delight Slide Show

**Monday, February 8, 10-11 am**

What was it like, living in Santa Clara County 100 years ago? Darlene Thorne, a California native and a 45-year resident of Cupertino, will take you on a tour of "The Valley of Heart's Delight" with vintage postcards from her collection. Many of the postcards are one-of-a-kind and have never been seen before. Funny and sometimes profound, the postcards speak for themselves, with her help. Free for members, senior guests add a \$5 day pass. Please register at lobby table.

## Monthly Social and Birthday Bash

**Wednesday, February 10, 12 noon**

Banish the cold, winter doldrums at February's Monthly Social and Birthday Bash. Our own Kani Ka Pila Ukulele Band will warm you up with favorite tunes from the tropics. Enjoy a lunch of artichoke lemon chicken, rice, roll, and dessert. Senior members with a birthday in February will be honored. \$8 for senior members, senior guests add a \$5 day pass. Space is limited; sign up early.

## AARP Driver Safety Review Class

**Thursday, February 11, 8:30 am-12:30 pm**

This class is for those seniors who have already taken the 8-hour course within the past 3 years. Call Dick Kohl at 408.268.0428 for program information and registration.

## Winter Olympics

**Wednesday, February 24, 9 am-4 pm**

**Lunch served at 12pm**

*With Glowing Hearts* is the motto of the 2010 Winter Olympics from Vancouver, Canada. Join us for a day of televised Olympic sports on the jumbo screen in the Reception Hall. At noon, we will be serving Clam Chowder bread bowls and dessert. Sign up in advance for lunch for only \$6 for members; senior guests add a \$5 day pass.

## Book Review Meeting

**First Friday, February 5, 1:15-3 pm**

Learn about new books and meet new people in a stimulating environment.

*The Longest Half Mile* by Richard Lukon

## Open Bridge

**Thursdays, 2-4 pm**

Want to play Bridge, but don't have partners? Our volunteer, Joyce, is organizing play groups. Please give her a call at 408.257.1440 to join a group. Free for members, \$5 day pass for senior guests.

## Booktalk with Cupertino Library

**Tuesday, January 5 and February 2, 10:30-11:30 am**

Cupertino librarians will host a book talk. Members free, \$5 day pass for senior guests. Please sign up at lobby table.

## Bingo – It's a Mind Game

**Fridays, 1-3:30 pm**

Tests showed bingo players were faster and more accurate than non-bingo players in a range of tests measuring mental speed, memory, and the ability to pick up information from the environment around them. What's more, it's fun and a great way to socialize.

Join us! A 6-pack is \$4 or 4-pack, \$3.50. Membership required, \$5 day pass for senior guests.

## Senior Center Open House

**Thursday, February 11, 2 pm**

Learn about senior center trips, classes, events, volunteer program, and tour the center. Please register at the front desk.

## SENIOR TRIPS

Call the Senior Center at 408.777.3150 for reservations or more information on any trip.

### TOURS

#### Mardi gras Party

**February 16, 3-4 pm, Free**

Be a king or queen for the day as you celebrate Mardi Gras with the travel staff. Find out about the new trips and travel plans for the year and give your input. Eat, drink, be merry, and share discovery through travel.

#### Catch the "Island Spirit"

**April 8-12, \$1793 pp double**

Embark on an exclusive private small ship cruising through the San Juan Islands! Experience fantastic scenery and abundant wildlife, all while being pampered by a friendly crew! Cruise by day and enjoy peaceful nights anchored in hidden coves of Puget Sound. Highlights include Lighthouse tours, tulip fields, Whale Museum, City tour of Port Townsend.

### DAY TRIPS

#### Fiddler on the Roof, \$99

February 3

#### Magnificent Marvelous Museums, \$72

February 11

#### Cirque du Soleil – OVO, \$98

February 19

#### California Academy of Sciences, \$55

February 26

#### San Francisco Surprise with Gary, \$99

March 9

#### Legally Blonde, \$109

March 18

#### Out to Lunch Bunch Bocce Ball, \$10 for Bocce, lunch is on your own

March 23

#### Exploring St. Helena, \$49

March 31

## The Better Part

The programs listed below are aired on Mondays at 4:30 pm on Channel 15. The repeat showings are on Channel 15 at 7 pm on Tuesdays and Fridays.

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FEBRUARY 1, 2 & 5 – CANCER INFORMATION  
Learn what the latest cancer research can tell you about the prevention and the treatment of cancer.

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FEBRUARY 8, 9 & 12 – VISITING AN ABALONE FARM IN MONTEREY BAY  
Learn all there is to know about raising abalone.

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FEBRUARY 15, 16 & 19 – 25,000 MILES TO MATURITY  
An interview with the author of "The Longest Half Mile" the story of a teenager's coming of age during his voyages of discovery to Australia and France.

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FEBRUARY 22, 23 & 26 – AN AMERICAN IN GANDHI'S INDIA  
The remarkable story of Samuel Stokes Jr. who gave up his life of wealth and privilege in America to dedicate himself to living and empowering the rural poor in India.

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For more info visit [www.thebetterpart.com](http://www.thebetterpart.com). Copies of past programs can also be found in the Santa Clara County Library System and on YouTube.

Want to join the group who produces these programs? Call 408.252.2667.

## Affordable Homes

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Four Affordable Homes Coming to Cupertino. Habitat for Humanity Prepares Families for Home Ownership.

### Preparing for Habitat Home Ownership Workshop

Monday, February 22  
6:30 pm - 8 pm

Cupertino Community Hall  
10350 Torre Avenue  
Cupertino, CA 95014

Visit the Habitat website  
[www.habitatsiliconvalley.org](http://www.habitatsiliconvalley.org)  
or contact [apply@hfhsv.org](mailto:apply@hfhsv.org),  
408.942.6444 ext. 311

CUPERTINO SENIOR CENTER  
ADDRESS: 21251 Stevens Creek Blvd.  
OFFICE HOURS: Monday - Friday, 8 am - 5 pm

PHONE: 408.777.3150  
EMAIL: [seniorcntr@cupertino.org](mailto:seniorcntr@cupertino.org)  
WEB: [www.cupertino.org/senior](http://www.cupertino.org/senior)

## Spare the Air Program in the Bay Area

In order to protect public health, the Air District issues **Spare the Air** advisories on days when air quality is forecast to be unhealthy due to high ozone levels. These advisories are posted on the **Spare the Air** website [www.sparetheair.org](http://www.sparetheair.org), recorded on 1.800.HELP.AIR forecast phone line, announced in local newspapers, and broadcast on local TV and radio stations.



The Winter Spare the Air season runs from November 1, 2009, through February 28, 2010. **It is illegal to burn wood, pellets, or manufactured fire logs** when a *Winter Spare the Air* Alert is issued. This applies to households and businesses with fireplaces or other wood-burning devices, such as hotels and restaurants. It is okay to use gas-fueled fireplaces and logs, gas inserts, or electrical fireplaces. On Spare the Air Days, we ask Cupertino residents to reduce pollution by making clean air choices every day. These simple actions include burning less wood, driving less, taking public transportation, trip-linking, walking, biking, choosing non-gasoline-powered lawn and garden equipment, and avoiding polluting household products.

Wood smoke is the biggest source of air pollution that individuals have the greatest power to control. Here are a few things you can do to reduce wood smoke pollution:

- Give your fireplace or wood stove the night off.
- Replace your fireplace or wood stove with a clean burning natural gas device.
- Switch to an EPA-certified wood burning device or pellet stove, which emit up to 70% less PM.
- Never burn, painted wood, treated wood, particle board, plastics, wrapping paper or other garbage; burning them releases toxic chemicals.
- Burn only dry hardwood fuel such as oak or cherry, which produces less smoke and burns hotter; never burn wet wood.
- Keep your fireplace and stove well maintained to improve air flow and reduce emissions.

Residents and businesses can sign up for email AirAlerts and/or automatic Phone

Alerts to find out if there is a Spare the Air Alert, by visiting [www.sparetheair.org](http://www.sparetheair.org).

## Workshops to Build a Sustainable Garden

### COMPOST WORKSHOPS

Visit the City's website [www.cupertino.org/environmental](http://www.cupertino.org/environmental) and click on Compost for the 2010 workshop schedule for Compost Basics workshops. Each class lasts about 2 hours and there is no charge to attend. Please call or E-mail for registration: 408.730.7262 or [www.sunnyvalerecycles.org](http://www.sunnyvalerecycles.org).



### BAY FRIENDLY WORKSHOPS

Bay-Friendly Gardening program was developed to encourage residents to make environmentally friendly gardening choices that work with nature to reduce waste and protect the watersheds of San Francisco Bay. Find out how to build healthy soil, minimize fertilizer use, and select appropriate plants at any of these hands-on workshops. Four different types of classes are provided: *Bay-Friendly Gardening Basics*, *Gardening from the Ground Up*, *Gardening to Manage Pests Naturally*, and *Let Worms Eat Your Garbage*. To register for Bay-Friendly Gardening workshops visit [www.reducewaste.org](http://www.reducewaste.org). For more information, call 408.918.4640. **There is a \$20 Pre-registration cost for each class.**

### Extra Winter Yard Waste?

Residents are reminded that an easy way to dispose of the extra yard waste that results from winter garden cleanups and pruning (that doesn't fit in the yardwaste toter) is to make an appointment for a free **"On-Call" Yardwaste/Woodwaste Recycling Day**. All residents have the right to two **Recycling or Trash Disposal Day** appointments a year, starting each January. Branches can't be larger than 6" in diameter and 6 ft. long. No loose piles. Please bundle or box branches and trimmings. The entire collection of yardwaste should not be bigger than 4'x 4' x 8'. No plastic bags, please. Call the Los Altos Garbage Co. for an appointment: 408.725.4020.



## » Dispose of Household Hazardous Waste Safely, Conveniently and Free

Check your house, garage, and yard for common household products (such as cleaners, paints, car products, and pesticides) that may be hazardous to your children, your pets or the environment. Words such as danger, warning, caution, poisonous, and flammable on the labels can mean a product is toxic. Do not put such materials in garbage cans or storm drains. Residents wishing to make an appointment for disposal can now register online at

[www.hhw.org](http://www.hhw.org) or call 408.299.7300. Typical materials that are brought in include: electronic waste, latex and oil-based paint, solvents, toxic cleaners, pesticides, batteries (car and household), mercury thermometers, old pool care products, used motor oil, antifreeze and other car fluids, fluorescent tubes and bulbs, hobby chemicals, photo developing chemicals, fertilizers and pesticides. There is no charge to residents.



## » How Do Cars Contribute to Bay Pollution?

As the rainy season gets underway, so does the peak time for water pollution. Automotive fluids leak onto streets then the winter rains wash the pollutants into storm drains which flow to our local creeks. There are many ways all cars contribute pollution to our watershed – and they can be prevented! Washing, changing oil, leaking fluids, and engine cleaning all contribute to the pollution problem. Auto fluids and particles from brake pad and tire wear build up on our driveways, streets and parking lots every day. During rainstorms, rainwater carries the oil, antifreeze, brake pad dust and other pollutants into the storm drain system and flows directly to local creeks and San Francisco Bay, where it can harm plants and animals that live there. Follow these tips when working on your car:

- **Fix all leaks as soon as possible.** Do not allow vehicles to drip fluids onto street, or into the gutter or storm drain.
- **Changing the Oil** – Work in an area that is easy to clean up, with a concrete floor if possible. Always use a drain pan when draining oil. Use a funnel to pour used oil into Used Motor Oil one-gallon plastic containers with tight fitting, screw top lids. (Milk and water jugs with pop-on lids are acceptable.) Lids must be taped securely! You may place up to two one-gallon containers next to your recycling bin for pickup. Place fully drained used oil filters in a sealed, leak-proof, plastic bag and place curbside next to your recycling bins.
- **Engine Degreasing** – Engine cleaners contain degreasers that contain highly

toxic solvents that are dangerous to work with and harmful to our watershed. Read labels carefully before you buy.

- **Washing Your Car** – Washing your car in the driveway, street, or carport can carry detergents, oil, brake dust, metals and other chemicals to the storm drain that leads directly to local creeks and the Bay. Wash your car in an unpaved area or better yet, take it to a commercial car wash. Discounts are available at [www.watershedwatch.net](http://www.watershedwatch.net). Clean brake dust off wheels with paper towels and dispose of the towels in the trash. By protecting the watershed, creeks and Bay, you are protecting the environment for yourself, your children and future generations.

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their community has motivated me for ten years to keep working toward 100% preparedness; the Office of Emergency Services Volunteers (Cupertino Amateur Radio Emergency Service, Community Emergency Response Team and Medical Reserve Corps). You're a fabulous group and I hope to see your numbers continue to grow!

Simply Safe is a monthly article provided to inform the community about emergency preparedness, training schedules and volunteer opportunities. Contact the Cupertino Office of Emergency Services (OES) at 408.777.3335, email [OES@cupertino.org](mailto:OES@cupertino.org), or go to the website [www.cupertino.org/emergency](http://www.cupertino.org/emergency) for more information.

Register for classes through the Cupertino Parks & Recreation website or fill out a registration form at Quinlan Center, City Hall or the Cupertino Library.

# community calendar

FEB	CLUB / ORGANIZATION	TIME	LOCATION	PHONE	WEB/EMAIL
<b>2 TUES</b>	Alcoholics Anonymous* Women's Group	6:30 pm	Redeemer Luth. Church 940 S. Stelling Rd.	650.903.0321	aasanjose.org
	Al-ANON Family Group*	5:30 pm	Bethel Lutheran Church 10131 Finch Ave.	379.1051	al-anon.org
	Cupertino Kiwanis*	Noon	The Blue Pheasant	252.3830	classic.kiwanis.org
	Knights of Columbus 4981*	7:30 pm	10201 Imperial Ave.	296.8146	kofc.org/un/
	Cupertino Men's Service*	Noon	The Blue Pheasant		
	Cupertino Sr. TV Production*	9:30 am	Senior Center	252.2667	
	Cupertino Las Madres*	3 to 5 pm	Call for location	861.0417	lasmadres.org
<b>3 WED</b>	Al-ANON Family Group*	7 pm	940 S. Stelling Road	379.1051	ncwsa.org/scvafg
	Cupertino Sanitary Dist*	8 pm	20833 Stevens Creek #104	253.7071	cupertinosanitarydistrict.com/
	De Anza Optimist Club*	7:15 am	Holder's Restaurant	252.3336	optimist.org
	Cupertino Optimist Club*	12:15 pm	Blue Pheasant	253.2337	optimist.org
	Tandem Toastmasters*	Noon	HP, 19333 Vallco Parkway	285.4977	tandemtoastmasters. vsgcorp.com
	Macintalkers Toastmasters*	5:30 pm	Apple Computer DeAnza 3 DeAnza Blvd.		macintalkers.com vppr@macintalkers.com
	Cupertino Rotary Club*	Noon	Community Center	920.2224	cupertinorotary.org
	Philotesian Rebekah #145	7:30 pm	Cupertino Odd Fellows	252.3954	caioof.org/IOOF/CA_RA_ Officers.html
	Cup. Symphonic Band*	7 pm	Monroe Middle School	262.0471	netview.com/csb/
	Krazy Dazys Square Dance Club*	7 pm	Hyde Middle School	747.0943	krazydazys.org/
	Cupertino Las Madres*	10 to 1 pm	Call for location	861.0417	lasmadres.org
	Cup. Host Lions Club*	7:15 pm	Mariani's Restaurant	209.7251	cupertinohostlionsclub.org
<b>4 THUR</b>	De Anza Lions Club*	6:45 am	Holders Country Inn	255.3093	deanzalions.org/
	Northwest Y Service Club*	6:30 pm	Northwest YMCA 20803 Alves Drive	650.964.3734	scvymca.org
	Cupertino Amateur Radio Emergency Service (CARES)	7:30 pm	City Hall Mtg. Room 100	345.8372	cupertinoares.org/
	Connect Club I*	Noon	Holders Country Inn	252.7054	cupertino-chamber.org
	Connect Club II*	8 am	Chamber of Commerce	252.7054	cupertino-chamber.org
	Business Networking Intl.*	7 am	BJ's Brewery	996.9111	BNI.com
	Overeaters Anonymous*	7 pm	Union Church	253.8394	oa.org
	Food Addicts in Recovery (FA)*	7 pm	St. Jude's Church	354.8493	foodaddicts.org/
	Cupertino Las Madres*	10 to 1 pm	Call for location	861.0417	lasmadres.org
<b>5 FRI</b>	Cupertino Las Madres*	10 to 1 pm	Call for location	861.0417	lasmadres.org
	De Anza Kiwanis*	7:15 am	Intl. House of Pancakes	973.1832	classic.kiwanis.org
<b>6 SAT</b>	De Anza Flea Market	8 to 4 pm	De Anza College	864.8946	deanza.fhda.edu/ fleamarket/
	Organization of Special Needs Families*	2 to 4 pm	20920 McClellan Rd.	996.0858	osfamilies.org/
	Planetarium Shows*	7 pm	De Anza Planetarium	864.8814	planetarium.deanza.edu
	Food Addicts in Recovery* (FA)	7 pm	St. Jude's Church	246.1620	foodaddicts.org
	Cupertino Las Madres*	10 to 1 pm	Call for location	861.0417	lasmadres.org
	Cupertino Toastmasters	6 to 7:30 pm	Immanuel Lutheran Church 1715 Grant Rd.	226.8073	cupertino.freetoasthost.net

FEB	CLUB / ORGANIZATION	TIME	LOCATION	PHONE	WEB/EMAIL
<b>8 MON</b>	Cupertino Odd Fellows*	8 am	20589 Homestead Rd.	252.3954	cupertinoioof70.org
	Fine Arts League	7 pm	Community Center	863.9991 Ask for Janki Chokshi	falc.org
<b>10 WED</b>	Viewfinders Digital Video Club	7:30 pm	Community Center – In Community Room	650.967.4679 554.1133	viewfindersclub.org
<b>11 THUR</b>	Cupertino-West Valley Welcome Club	11:30 am		257.6136 252.1529	newcomersclub.com
<b>13 SAT</b>	Daughters of Norway	9:30 am	Sunnyview Retirement Community	255.9828	daughtersofnorway.org
<b>16 TUE</b>	African Violet Society	12:30 pm	Sunny View Lutheran Home	736.9262	avsa.org
	Los Gatos Camel Herders	6:30 pm	Holder's Restaurant	482.0147	
<b>18 THUR</b>	Quota Service Club* (Aids hearing & speech impaired)	Noon	Blue Pheasant	252.8568	quota.org
	Rolling Hills 4H Club	6:30 pm	Monta Vista Recreation Center		clubs.ca4h.org/santaclara/ rollinghills
	West Valley Republican Women	11:30 am		252.6312	Westvalleyrepublican womenfederated.org
<b>19 FRI</b>	Malihini Orchid Society	7:30 p.m.	Hewlett-Packard, Oak Rm.	267.3397	malihini.org
	Cupertino Coin Club	7:45 p.m.	West Vally Pres. Church	253.1232	coinshows.com/sanjose_ ccc.html
<b>23 TUE</b>	Historical Society	6:30 pm	Community Center	973.1495	cupthistory.org
<b>24 WED</b>	The Powerful Pens	7 pm	18000 Chelmsford	626.9784	cupthistory.org
<b>25 THUR</b>	Embroiders' Guild of America	7 pm	Sunny View Retirement Community	873.1190	ega.gpr.org

Submit information about clubs and organizations meeting in Cupertino to Julie Hejza, City of Cupertino, 10300 Torre Ave., Cupertino, 95014, 408.777.3212, [julieh@cupertino.org](mailto:julieh@cupertino.org)

Clubs with asterisks meet more than once monthly. Call the contact number for details.

**The City Hall will be closed on  
February 15 for President's Day**

# council actions

## TUESDAY DECEMBER 1, 2009

**Council Members Present:** Sandoval, Mahoney, Santoro, Wang, and Wong  
**Council Members Absent:** None

Adopted Resolution No. 09-195 receiving the declaration of election results for the General Municipal Election held on November 3, 2009.

Dolly Sandoval's term on Council ended.

Oath given to Orrin Mahoney, Barry Chang and Mark Santoro as newly-elected Council members.

Kris Wang elected as Mayor and Gilbert Wong elected as Vice-Mayor.

## TUESDAY DECEMBER 15, 2009

**Council Members Present:** Sandoval, Mahoney, Santoro, Wang, and Wong  
**Council Members Absent:** None

Received a Presentation from Andy Huang from Community Emergency Response Team (CERT).

Approved the minutes from the November 30 and December 1 meeting.

Adopted Resolution Nos. 09-196, 09-197 and 09-198 accepting Accounts Payable for November 20, 25, and December 4.

Adopted Resolution No. 09-199 accepting Payroll for November 25.

Accepted the Treasurer's Investment and Budget Report for October 2009, including a report on General Fund Revenues and Expenditures.

Accepted the City's annual year-end audited financial reports for 2008-09.

Adopted Resolution No. 09-200 approving the 2009-10 Citizens' Option for Public Safety (COPS) grant funding program.

Accepted the Bicycle Pedestrian Commission (BPC) recommendation to appoint Commissioner James Wiant to the Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee for a 2-year term.

Adopted Resolution No. 09-201 accepting a Grant of Easement for Sidewalk Purposes, 19770 Stevens Creek Boulevard, APN 369-06-009.

Adopted Resolution No. 09-202 accepting a Quitclaim Deed and Authorization for Underground Water Rights, 22045 Wallace Drive, APN 362-20-037.

Adopted Resolution No. 09-203 accepting a Quitclaim Deed and Authorization for Underground Water Rights, Apple Inc., 19333 Vallco Parkway, APN(s) 316-20-075 and 316-20-076.

Adopted Resolution No. 09-204 declaring weeds on certain properties a nuisance and set a hearing date of January 19, 2010.

Approved an expenditure from the Mayor's discretionary fund in the amount of \$1,177.90 for travel to Shanghai by Mayor Wang for the World Expo Forum.

Canceled the January 5 City Council meeting.

Continued the adoption of a Resolution for the CaliforniaFIRST program to January 19.

Voted to proceed with the Cupertino Rotary Housing Foundation (CRHC) to develop 18 affordable senior rental units. Directed staff to prepare a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the City and the Cupertino Rotary Housing Corporation (CRHC).

Received survey results on off-leash dog exercise areas during specific times in Memorial Park, Jollyman Park, Linda Vista Park, and Library Field. Removed Stevens Creek County Park as an option for a fenced in dog park and directed staff to come back in February with a report and recommendation on whether or not fenced in dog areas would work in City parks.

In consideration of providing access to Blackberry Farm and Stevens Creek Corridor Trail from Scenic Circle, staff was directed to come back in February with a safe, cost effective alternative route and to put a monetary placeholder in the mid-year budget adjustment.

Council assignments were accepted as recommended in the handout on the dais with the changes to the Santa Clara County Cities Association Legislative Committee (Wong to be primary and Mahoney to be alternate) and the Santa Clara Valley Water District Guadalupe/West Valley (Mahoney to be primary and Chang to be alternate).

Conducted the second reading and enacted Ordinance No. 09-2051: "An Ordinance of the Cupertino City Council rezoning two parcels of 0.6 gross acre located at the Easterly side of Sterling Blvd. at the Easterly terminus of Barnhart Avenue from R1-7.5 (Single-Family Residential) to PR (Park & Recreation)."

Conducted the second reading and enacted Ordinance No. 09-2052: "An Ordinance of the Cupertino City Council recommending the rezoning of 7.78 acres from P(Res), Planned Residential, to P(MP, Res), Planned Industrial and Residential." This is the Apple, Inc. property located at 19310 - 19320 Pruneridge Avenue.

Received an update report from the Public Safety, Bicycle Pedestrian, Parks & Recreation, and Teen Commissions participation in safe, alternative routes to school. Directed staff to bring back a report on the budget of each of the four commissions and how much has actually been spent on safe alternative routes to school.

Council agreed to hold a Study Session on the Lehigh Cement Plant at 3:00 p.m. on January 12 with an off-site team building immediately afterward; Council agreed to hold a Study Session on the Mary Avenue project at 3:00 p.m. on January 19 and to reserve the 20th at 6:45 p.m. in case the regular meeting goes beyond midnight.

## Valentine's Art Show

Show runs February 1 – 28

**Main Street Cafe,**  
134 Main St, Los Altos

The Fine Arts League of Cupertino will present its member show titled "From the Heart" in honor of Valentine's Day. For more info, contact Janki at 408.863.9991 or visit [www.falc.org](http://www.falc.org)

## Welcome New Businesses

- **7-Eleven 2367-25717D**  
21490 McClellan Rd
- **Doyoulaw, A Professional Corp**  
19925 Stevens Creek Blvd Ste 100
- **Edgebird Tech**  
20370 Town Center Ln, Ste 155
- **Sunon Inc**  
20195 Stevens Creek Blvd Ste 230
- **Qian Fang Acupuncture & Beauty Care Center**  
20279 Stevens Creek Blvd

## Mary Avenue Senior Housing Project

On February 2, 2010, the Cupertino City Council will consider a potential Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Cupertino Rotary Housing Corporation (CRHC) to make land available to construct approximately 18 to 20 affordable senior housing units within a portion of the public right-of-way on the west side of Mary Avenue. This area is currently being used as diagonal parking and an undeveloped strip of land behind the existing curb. For additional information, please contact Leslie Gross at 408.777.1356 or [leslieg@cupertino.org](mailto:leslieg@cupertino.org).

### City Council Review of MOU

Tuesday, February 2, 2010, 6:45 pm  
Cupertino Community Hall,  
10350 Torre Ave (next to the library)

LIVE Web Cast:

[www.cupertino.org/webcast](http://www.cupertino.org/webcast)

Please check the City's website at [www.cupertino.org/MASH](http://www.cupertino.org/MASH) prior to the public hearing for updated information in the event of any changes and/or any additional follow up hearing dates.



## Annual Winter Used Book Sale

February 11, 4 pm, Library Story Room

The annual winter Cupertino Used Book Sale, hosted by the Friends of the Cupertino Public Library, will be held on February 20 & 21 in the Cupertino Community Hall located at 10350 Torre Avenue.

There will be a large inventory of books and other media for this sale, considerably larger than most of the winter sales. A wide assortment of books, compact discs and VHS tapes, spanning all types of subject matter: fiction, non-fiction, travel, health, home and garden, romance, cookbooks, children's and young adult's books, reference, science, engineering, foreign languages, history, test prep, humor and many other topics, will all be sold at very low prices. There is also a separate "Select" area where special interest books on popular subjects are offered at slightly higher prices.

Sale hours are Saturday, 9 am - 4 pm and Sunday noon to 3 pm. The children's book area is open only to children from 9 am to noon on Saturday. The popular "Bag Day" is on Sunday where bags are sold for \$3 each and bag buyers can fill up their bags from the remaining unsold, non-select books.

## Have Something to Contribute?

To submit information to "Cupertino Scene," email: [scene@cupertino.org](mailto:scene@cupertino.org).

Submission deadline

for the March edition is February 3.



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Parks & Recreation	408.777.3120	parks@cupertino.org
Planning/Community Development	408.777.3308	planning@cupertino.org
Public Information	408.777.3262	pio@cupertino.org
Public Works	408.777.3354	—
Sheriff Services	408.868.6600	www.sccsheriff.org

### City Meetings

Feb. 1	Hsinchu Sister City Committee (EOC)	6:30 pm
Feb. 2	*City Council (Community Hall) ***	6:45 pm
Feb. 3	Library Commission (EOC)	7 pm
Feb. 3	Technology, Info & Communication Comm. (Conf. Rm. A)	7 pm
Feb. 4	Environmental Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)	9:30 am
Feb. 4	Design Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)	5:30 pm
Feb. 4	Parks & Recreation Commission (Community Hall)***	7 pm
Feb. 4	C.A.R.E.S. (EOC)	7:30 pm
Feb. 9	Planning Commission (Community Hall)***	6:45 pm
Feb. 10	Teen Commission (Quinlan Community Center)	7 pm
Feb. 11	Housing Commission (Conf. Rm. C)	9 am
Feb. 11	Public Safety Commission (Conf. Rm. A)	7 pm
Feb. 16	City Council (Community Hall)***	6:45 pm
Feb. 17	Bicycle and Pedestrian Commission (Conf. Rm. A)	7 pm
Feb. 18	Environmental Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)	9:30 am
Feb. 18	Design Review Committee (Conf. Rm. C)	5:30 pm
Feb. 18	Toyokawa Sister City Committee (Conf. Rm. A)	7:30 pm
Feb. 23	Planning Commission (Community Hall)***	6:45 pm
Feb. 23	Fine Arts Commission (Conf. Rm. A)	7 pm

Unless otherwise noted, all City Council and commission meetings are held at 10350 Torre Ave.

City Hall is open Monday through Thursday, 7:30 am to 5:30 pm; Fridays, 7:30 am to 4:30 pm

\*\*\*These meetings will be seen live via webcast at [www.cupertino.org](http://www.cupertino.org), or on The City Channel, Cable 26.

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