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 Spring Celebration
 at the
 67th Annual
 Pancake Breakfast
 & Egg Hunt
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 250 South Mission Drive
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Message from our City Manager

Dear Friends,

Spring ... it's a time of renewal, of blossoming, and of new beginnings. And like most good things that happen in spring, spring is also the time when many of our favorite activities beckon us to spend a sun-dappled day at a park, or enjoying a day of leisure at one of our many spring activities. Take a peek at page 5 of this issue for just a sample of what spring offers in San Gabriel:

- On Saturday, April 23, the 67th annual Easter Pancake Breakfast and Egg Hunt takes place at Smith Park. Come join us for a morning of good food and fun!
- On April 30, we invite you to come give a wee bit of your time so that others less fortunate may enjoy safe housing. Each year, volunteers with the Central San Gabriel Valley affiliate of Rebuilding Together, fan out across town to help repair the home of senior, disabled or low income residents who might not otherwise be able to repair their home.
- On Saturday, May 14, come join us for San Gabriel's annual Fire Service Day, a San Gabriel tradition that includes tours of the fire station, fun and games for all ages, and the chance to meet and say 'thanks' to the firefighters who put their lives on the line to protect our homes and families from fire.
- A few days later, on Thursday, May 19, the ninth annual Public Works Day kicks off at the City Maintenance Facility, located behind the San Gabriel Police Department at the corner of Mission Road and Rosenda. Come see the array of sophisticated equipment used by our Public Works crews to keep the city neat, tidy and functioning smoothly. See demonstrations of paving, tree trimming, and signalization equipment; and enjoy a barbecue lunch and refreshments.

As always, there's a wealth of recreation activities, classes and tours conducted by your Parks and Recreation Department; and a wide variety of music and theatre productions available at our Mission Playhouse (to learn more about current shows, log on at www.missionplayhouse.org). What better way could there be to start the most magnificent season of the year?

Yours very truly,

Steven A. Preston
 City Manager

Spring 2011

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Bicycle Transportation: *Share the Road*



San Gabriel's climate makes cycling a great year-round choice for recreation and an active way to get to school, work or around town. It's important that all motorists and cyclists to know rules of the road so everyone can safely share City streets.

DID YOU KNOW? In California, bicyclists have the same rights and responsibilities as motor vehicle drivers. "Every person riding a bicycle upon a highway has all the rights and is subject to all the provisions applicable to the driver of a vehicle."—California Vehicle Code Sec. 21200

Here are some important highlights of California's bicycle laws:

Where Can Cyclists Ride?

- Bicyclists traveling slower than the normal speed of traffic must ride as close to the right side of the road as safely possible, except when passing, preparing for a left turn, avoiding hazards, or if the lane is too narrow.
- Bicyclists must travel on the right side of the roadway in the same direction that cars are traveling, except when passing, making a legal left turn, riding on a one-way street, riding on a road that is too narrow, or when the right side of the road is closed due to road construction.
- The City of San Gabriel Municipal Code prohibits riding bicycles on sidewalks (§ 71.03).

Required Bicycle Safety Equipment

- **Brakes:** All bicycles must have functioning brakes.
- **Reflectors:** Bicycles must have RED reflectors on the back and WHITE or YELLOW reflectors on the front and sides.
- **Lights:** At night a white headlight visible from the front must be attached to the bicycle or the rider.
- **Youths Must Wear Helmets:** State law requires bicyclists and bicycle passengers under age 18 to wear an approved helmet when riding a bicycle.

Cyclist Responsibilities

- **Head phones:** Bicyclists may not wear earplugs or headsets that cover both ears, except hearing aids.
- **Alcohol and drugs:** Bicyclists may not ride while under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- **Pedestrians:** Bicyclists must yield the right-of-way to pedestrians within marked crosswalks or within unmarked crosswalks at intersections. Bicyclists may not leave bicycles on their sides on the sidewalk or park bicycles in a manner which obstructs pedestrians.

Resources for Bicycle Transportation and Safety

- **Bike Safe California**, www.bikesafecalifornia.org (courtesy of the California Bicycle Coalition)
- **Bike Metro**, LA County Metropolitan Transportation Authority's Bicycle Program: <http://www.metro.net/around/bikes/bikes-metro/>
- **Cooperative Cycling: An Introduction To Bicycling Safely With Traffic:** <http://www.bicyclinglife.com/PracticalCycling/VCIntro.htm>

Portions of this article were reprinted with permission from the California Bicycle Coalition website, www.calbike.org. For additional information on bicycle transportation, contact the Engineering Division at (626) 308-2806, Extension 4631.

Helping Neighbors in Need

Rebuilding Together is Saturday, April 30th

Each year, local neighbors and businesses band together to help some of San Gabriel's most needy low-income homeowners make necessary home repairs and improvements. This year our event is scheduled for Saturday, April 30. Over 20 homes have been improved locally over the last several years through the efforts of Rebuilding Together-Central San Gabriel Valley, a non-profit organization dedicated to meeting the needs of our city's low-income homeowners. Over 200 local chapters across the U.S. have assisted the elderly, veterans, single parents, and those with disabilities. Over 100 volunteers including families and youth will band together to help San Gabriel homeowners make necessary home repairs that they could not otherwise afford. Repairs include: painting, yard work, electrical, minor plumbing, new windows and safety grab bars. All services and materials are provided free of charge to needy homeowners.



If you are interested in volunteering for this or future events of Rebuilding Together, please contact us. If you are a low-income homeowner in need of assistance, or know someone who may need help in making needed improvements, contact Rebuilding Together at 626-287-9997.

Fire Service Day

Saturday, May 14th

On Saturday, May 14, everyone is invited to visit the Fire Department Headquarters located at 1303 S. Del Mar, from 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. to celebrate Fire Service Day!

Come tour the facility, see the fire engines, the Urban Search and Rescue vehicle, equipment and command vehicle and watch Firefighters use fire extinguishers and rescue extrication tools. You can even take a turn on the nozzle to knock over cones with a stream of water and try on yellow turnouts and helmets to experience what Firefighters actually wear!



Public Works Open House

Thursday, May 19th

In celebration of Public Works Week, May 15-21, the Public Works Department is hosting its 9th annual Open House. Public Works staff maintains the City's infrastructure by keeping our streets well paved, sidewalks repaired, trees trimmed, street lights and signals in good working order, sewers and storm drains free flowing and your water flowing clean and clear.

You are cordially invited to the celebration, Thursday, May 19th, from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the City Yard, 121 W. Mission Rd.

Various trucks, equipment, demonstrations, tree trimming techniques and exhibits will be on display.

Plan now to enjoy the 9th annual Public Works celebration! Lunch and goodies will be provided. For further information, contact the City of San Gabriel Public Works Department at (626) 308-2825.



Community organizations

SOMETHING OF INTEREST FOR EVERYONE

- **Asian Youth Center** - 100 West Clary Avenue, 309-0622. A non-profit, community-based organization offering programs to address needs of youth and families of all ethnicities, with an emphasis on Asian immigrants.
- **Chamber of Commerce** - 620 W. Santa Anita, 576-2525. Albert Hernandez, President. Networking Mixers are held the third Wednesday of each month.
- **Women's Division, Chamber of Commerce** - Cheryl Weissend, President. Meets the third Thursday of each month in the Padillo Room of the Adult Recreation Center at 11:30 a.m. for business luncheon meeting and program. All women welcome. Call the Chamber Office 576-2525.
- **Coordinating Council** - Mary Garcia, President, 287-4922. Meets the 1st Thursday each month, September-June. 11:45 a.m.- at the Adult Recreation Center, Padillo Room, 324 South Mission Drive..
- **Family Counseling Services** - A Division of Santa Anita Family Service - 121 S. Santa Anita. Services include therapy/counseling for children, individuals and families. Services in English, Spanish, Mandarin and Cantonese. For further information, call 307-1414.
- **Family Resource Center** - 102 East Broadway, 292-2431. Promoting the healthy development of youth and their families through community partnerships.
- **Fine Arts Gallery** - Mission Playhouse Glass Room, 320 S. Mission Drive Saturday, Noon to 4:00 p.m. 282-1448.
- **Friends of La Laguna** – (FoLL) has partnered with the City of San Gabriel to preserve and rehabilitate La Laguna de San Gabriel Playground (aka “Monster” or “Dinosaur” Park), located in Vincent Lugo Park. FoLL works to educate our community about the artist, Benjamin Dominguez and San Gabriel’s historic playground. FoLL is working to secure funding from grants and private donations to rehabilitate the playground. Call 308-3346 or visit www.friendsoflalaguna.org.

- **211 of LA County (Formerly Info Line)** - Dial 211 for information about community organizations throughout L.A. County.
- **La Casa Community Center** - 203 E. Mission Road. Assisting low-income families since 1946. Bilingual/multicultural preschool, English Second Language classes morning and afternoons. Assistance with citizenship, parenting, leadership training, social service information & more. For information, please call 286-2144. Cheryl Prentice, Executive Director.
- **Library** – 500 S. Del Mar Ave. Hours: Tuesday-Thursday 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Friday & Saturday 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Closed Sunday and Monday. Family Storytime Tuesday, 6:30 p.m.: Toddler Storytime Wednesday, 10:30 a.m. Homework help is available daily at the Homework Center. Call the Library for information at 287-0761.
- **Friends of the San Gabriel Library** - A non-profit organization that supports the work of the Library. Meetings are open to public and are held at 1:00 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each month (except December) in the Library Community Room. For additional information, call the Library at 287-0761.
- **Native Sons of the Golden West** - Meets the second Thursday of the month at the Adult Recreation Center.
- **Ramona Museum**, 339 South Mission Drive, open Saturdays 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. 289-0034.
- **Rotary Club of San Gabriel** - President, Chin Ho Liao. P.O. Box 253, San Gabriel, CA 91778. 674-4494.
- **San Gabriel Historical Association Museum** - 546 West Broadway. Museum and adjacent 1887 Hayes House are open to the public on the first Saturday of each month (except August) 11:00 -4:00 p.m. FREE. General membership meetings are held yearly, and guests and new members are welcome. Call the museum for dates and times of meetings. Mary Cammarano, 286-0565.

- **San Gabriel Humane Society** - 851 East Grand Avenue. Hours of operation: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., 7 days a week. Kennel hours are: 10:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Services provided: vaccinations, purchase of pets, animal rescue, low cost spaying and neutering, licensing, animal control and volunteer opportunities. 286-1159.
- **San Gabriel Kiwanis** - President, Bob Bodkin. P.O. Box 352, San Gabriel, CA 91778. 285-9991.
- **San Gabriel Toastmasters** - Colonial Kitchen, 1110 Huntington Drive, San Marino. First and third Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. Ben, 354-6205.
- **San Gabriel Unified School District** - 408 Junipero Serra. Dr. Susan C. Parks, Ed.D., Superintendent. SGUSD Governing Board Meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday each month, 7:00 p.m., at the District Office, 451-5400. For volunteer opportunities with San Gabriel Educational Foundation, SEF, contact Executive Director, Sheryl MacPhee, District Education Center, Rm 119. 408 Junipero Serra, San Gabriel, www.sef4school.com, (626) 451-5465.
- **Adult Tennis Club** - President, Philip Yang. For more information, call Anna Gee, 576-8522.

City Services

- **CITY HALL:** 308-2800
- **MISSION PLAYHOUSE:**
308-2865 – Anna Cross, Manager
- **FIRE DEPARTMENT: Emergency 911**
Business: 308-2880 – Joseph B. Nestor, Fire Chief
- **PARKS AND RECREATION:**
308-2875 – Rebecca Perez, Director
- **PARKWAYS, TREES, STREETS, AND SIDEWALKS:**
Public Works Division: 308-2808. After 5:00 call 308-2825 – Bob Bustos, Public Works Director
- **POLICE DEPARTMENT: Emergency 911**
Business: 308-2828 – David Lawton, Police Chief



Special Events

Playground Super Challenge

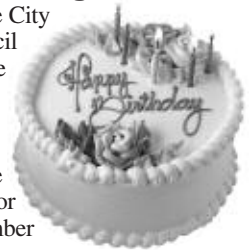
Your child will learn sports fundamentals and gain a sense of pride and sportsmanship when they participate in this fun-filled program. Participants play on teams representing their school. From March 21 through April 8, boys and girls will practice and prepare for the Playground Super Challenge.

Sign-ups for the Playground Super Challenge will start on March 21. The Playground Super Challenge will be held on Saturday April 9 at Washington Elementary School. See page 9 for more information.



City Birthday Celebrated at April Council Meeting

Join us in celebrating the 98th birthday of the City of San Gabriel's incorporation at the City Council meeting on Tuesday, April 19th at 7:30 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers. In addition to celebrating the City Birthday, the 2011 Older American Award winner will also be recognized during the City Council meeting. After the Council meeting everyone is invited to join us for cake and refreshments in the Council Chamber lobby.



San Gabriel's "Egg"straordinary Spring Celebration

The 67th Annual Pancake Breakfast and Egg Hunt, sponsored by the San Gabriel Kiwanis Club and the Parks and Recreation Department, will be held at Smith Park on Saturday, April 23. The morning's activities will get underway with the Pancake Breakfast from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Donation for breakfast is \$5.00 for adults and \$2.00 for children under 10. The menu will be pancakes, sausage, orange juice, and coffee or milk. The exciting Pancake Races will begin at 9:00 a.m. This popular event will include 8 races for children and adults of all ages. Contestants will run 100 feet while trying to balance a pancake on a pancake turner. Local businesses have donated a variety of great prizes for the winners in each category. Participants must bring their own pancake turner. The Spring Celebration will continue with the Egg Hunt at 10:00 a.m. Every boy and girl between the ages of 3 and 6 are invited to hunt for an egg at this free event.



Drill Team Competition

The San Gabriel Parks and Recreation Department will hold its 53rd Annual Drill Team Competition on Saturday, May 21, at 10:00 a.m. The competition takes place at Jefferson Middle School. Youth in grades 4 - 5 from San Gabriel's public elementary schools will participate in this competition that develops teamwork, fundamental body movements, and rhythmic coordination through performing group routines. Interested youth should sign up with the afterschool Recreation Leader at their school.

Kid's Travel Club

Spring Break Trip to Knott's Berry Farm

Thursday, March 31. Departure: 9:00 a.m. Return: 6:00 p.m. Get ready to enjoy a day at "America's #1 Theme Park". Bring extra money for lunch, souvenirs, and treats. All ages are welcome!! Youth participants without parent supervision will be supervised by experienced Recreation Leaders. Fee: \$23. Register at the Recreation Office, 250 S. Mission Drive, no later than Wednesday, March 23.

Happy 98th Birthday San Gabriel



Sea Gulls Swim Team

FOR THE CHILD WHO HAS LEARNED TO SWIM AND WANTS TO TAKE THE NEXT STEP ...

Why is swimming such a great sport?

Only a few of the best swimmers will become Olympians, but kids of all ages remember three things about their swimming experience: fun, friends, and excellence. Swimmers and their parents can participate together as a family. Every swimmer contributes to the success of the team and enjoys the fun of the team experience with friends. With that fun comes the self-discipline that every child needs to achieve excellence. This excellence is achieved in more places than just athletic competition—it shows up as personal achievement in the classroom, self-confidence in every situation, and as personal pride. Swimming is a healthy, non-contact sport that develops stamina, endurance, and overall physical fitness.

Why is the San Gabriel Sea Gulls (SGSG) the right place for your young swimmer?

◆ Excellent Coaching

- The SGSG Staff has over 55 years of coaching experience in the sport of swimming and over 36 years of competitive experience in the sport of swimming.
- All staff members hold current American Red Cross and USA Swimming certification for coaching.
- All training sessions are carefully designed to promote fast swimming using the latest techniques provided by USA Swimming.
- Head Coach, George Young was voted Age Group Coach of the Year for 1994, 1995, 2003 and 2007 by his fellow coaches and he has received three Service Awards from the Southern California Municipal Athletic Federation in 1996, 1999, 2000, 2003 and 2007. Coach Young was also honored with United States Swimming's Safety Award for promoting water safety awareness throughout the San Gabriel Valley.
- The Coaching Staff has developed several Nationally Ranked Swimmers and several Junior National Qualifiers over the last 19 years.

◆ Retention is the Key to Successful Swimming

The Sea Gulls celebrate a great retention rate. Actually, we have one of the best rates in Southern California. The Coaching Staff believes the reason for this is that the Sea Gulls offer something for all swimmers. Ranging from spe-



cial 'BC' novice level meets to Team Championship Meets, Junior Olympics and Senior level meets. The Sea Gulls Swim Team has also developed into a feeder program for local high schools, producing more than 100 CIF Qualifiers. The Sea Gulls have promoted a Water Safety Awareness Program through many activities, including lifeguard and swim instructor training. The Sea Gulls have also produced 5 USA Swimming Scholastic All Americans, promoting fast swimming and high academic values as is the Sea Gull way. Water Safety Awareness programs are offered through many activities including lifeguard and swim instructor training. Many Sea Gull members are hired as Lifeguard / Swim Instructors at local pools.

◆ Progressive Training Levels

Every swim team will have a range of swimmers with different ages and different levels of swimming experience. Sea Gull swimmers are organized into progressive training groups—from Junior Bronze (8 years old & younger Beginning Swimmers), to Bronze (Beginners), to Silver (Intermediate), to Gold (Advanced), to Platinum (Regionally-ranked Swimmers)—so that each swimmer gets to train with others at a similar level of skill. The Junior Bronze swimmers work out roughly 3-4 hours a week while the more advanced Platinum swimmers work out roughly 12-15 hours a week.

***For information, call George Young,
Director of Competition at (626) 291-2901***



After School



RECREATION AND SPORTS PROGRAM

Elementary Program: March 21 – May 27

Your child will learn the fundamentals of sports and gain a sense of pride and sportsmanship. Public school youth in the 4th and 5th grades play on teams representing their school. Boys and girls will participate in the Playground Super Challenge, followed by Soccer and Drill Team. The after-school recreation and sports program will be held at the following locations: Coolidge; Washington; Wilson; Roosevelt; McKinley; Marshall; and Dewey. The program will be run from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., or until dark, Tuesday thru Friday. Each playground will have a male and female leader to provide a traditional sports program. Please stop by and meet the Recreation Leaders. All participants must have a parent or guardian complete and sign a Participant Information Form and return it to their Recreation Leader.



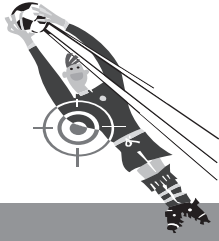
The after school recreation program is not day care. Children are encouraged by staff to remain on the playground, but they are free to come and go at any time. Staff is not responsible for children who choose to leave the playground. Recreation programs close at the time listed above, which concludes the Recreation Department's supervision of participants. Recreation Leaders are instructed to leave the facility at that time.

Playground Super Challenge

From March 21 to April 8, boys and girls participate in the Playground Super Challenge. The Playground Super Challenge is open to all 4th & 5th grade girls & boys who attend any elementary schools within the city limits. Sign-ups begin March 21. The challenge consists of four tournament-style contests consisting of Volley-Tennis, Capture the Flag, Kickball and Basketball Skills. Schools are represented by one team consisting of female and male participants. Teams may compete in one game per each sport. The last challenge is an academic trivia game related to the curriculum from the participant's grade level. The winner is determined by the overall points scored throughout the day. Awards are distributed to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place teams. The Playground Super Challenge will be held on Saturday, April 9 at Washington Elementary School. For more information and to register please contact the Recreation Leaders at your school.

Soccer and Drill Team

Following the Playground Super Challenge, 4th and 5th graders can participate in soccer or drill team. Soccer games are scheduled Saturdays at Washington Elementary. The City Drill Team Championships are scheduled May 21 at Jefferson Middle School in the gymnasium 10:00 a.m. Parents are encouraged to attend these activities. The after-school recreation program will end on May 27.



Youth activities



SPORTS, ORGANIZATIONS, FUN

Please Support These Community Youth Programs



► **American Youth Soccer Organization**
For league information, please call David Alvarez, 277-9880



► **San Gabriel Valley Pony Baseball**
For league information, please call Mike Proctor, 281-2202 or www.eteamz.com/sgvpony



► **San Gabriel Valley Girls Fastpitch**
For league information, please call Rowena Barcelona, 622-4237 or sgvgirlsfastpitch.clubspaces.com

San Gabriel County Library

Ongoing & Special Events

<u>Program</u>	<u>Day/Date/Time</u>
Family Story Time <i>Stories, Music, art, activities, all ages welcome</i>	Tuesdays 6:30 p.m.
Lap Sit Story Time <i>Newborn – Walking (starts 2/9)</i>	Wednesdays 9:30 a.m.
Toddler Story Time <i>Newer readers ages 1-5.</i>	Wednesday 10:30 a.m.
3rd- 5th Book Club <i>Share books and snacks</i>	3rd Thurs. 4:30 p.m.
Special Events	
Introduction to Opera <i>LA Opera presents a lively overview of popular operas.</i>	Saturday, March 12; 2:00 p.m.
Cartooning for All <i>Adults and children learn cartooning techniques from a pro. All materials provided.</i>	Saturday, March 31; 4:00 p.m.
BOOKS, BOOKS, BOOKS. <i>Giant used book sale! Great Bargains!</i>	Saturday, April 16; 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
Sushi Chef <i>Learn to make tasty sushi from a professional Chef.</i>	Saturday, April 30; 1:00 p.m.
Cinco de Mayo Party <i>Stories and art projects for this special festive day!</i>	Saturday, May 7; 2:00 p.m.

All Events are Free and Open to the Public

San Gabriel Library, 500 South Del Mar Avenue (626) 287-0761

Scouting

► **Girl Scouts** — Girl Scouts provides activities and programs for girls ages 5 thru 18 (kindergarten thru high school senior). Girl Scouts builds character and self-esteem as well as establishing moral and civic responsibility in young girls by providing training, camping experiences, and completion of badge program activities. For information, please call 445-7771.

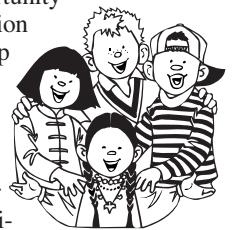
► **Boy Scouts** — Boy Scouts is a program for boys and young men that teach duty to God, country, others, and self. For information, please call 351-8815. Ages 7-9, Tigers; Ages 8-10, Cub Scouts; Ages 11-18, Boy Scouts; Ages 14-15, Varsity Scouts; Ages 14-21, Explorers.

► **International Order of Rainbow** — A program for girls between the ages of 11 and 20, also Rainbow Pledge for girls between the ages of 8 and 11. For additional information, please call Mrs. B. (818) 512-9184.

Share-A-Dream Sponsorship Program

Our dream is to give all youth the opportunity to participate in City of San Gabriel recreation programs. The Share-A-Dream Sponsorship Program will help make that dream a reality.

Youth from low and moderate-income families who are eligible for the Share-A-Dream Program will be able to enroll in recreation classes and aquatics classes for reduced fees. Recreation program participants, community members and local businesses who are interested in sharing our dream can help by contributing to this worthwhile program. Included in this Newsletter and Recreation Guide is an opportunity to participate in this program by donating \$1.00 or more, see page 30. All funds raised will go directly toward the sponsorship program. For more information or to donate to the Share-A-Dream program, please contact the Parks and Recreation Department, 250 South Mission Drive, San Gabriel, CA 91776, (626) 308-2875. The San Gabriel Parks and Recreation Department appreciates your support in providing this opportunity for youth!





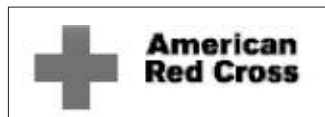
Adult activities



ORGANIZATIONS, VOLUNTEERING

American Red Cross

The San Gabriel Valley Chapter, located at 430 Madeline Drive, Pasadena, offers a variety of courses such as CPR and First Aid. To register for these classes, call the Red Cross at 799-0841 ext. 410.



San Gabriel Educational Foundation (SEF)

Building a Foundation for Our Children's Educational Future.

Founded 1986, SEF is parents neighbors, teachers, community members, just like you, who are dedicated to enhancing student educational opportunities in San Gabriel Unified School District (SGUSD) schools. SEF is an important fundraising partner of SGUSD. Our award winning programs in Music, Art, Drama, History Day, Speech and Debate and Mock Trial have all benefited from SEF donations. SEF makes possible the Tuition Based Summer School providing enrichment classes K-12th grades for all SGUSD students. SEF is a 501-C(3) non-profit organization providing programs and materials that would not otherwise be available to our SGUSD students. Donations are tax deductible. For additional information and volunteer possibilities contact: SEF Executive Director Sheryl MacPhee District Education Center, Room 119. 408 Junipero Serra, San Gabriel, CA 91776. www.sef4school.com, (626) 451-5465.

Volunteer Opportunities

City of San Gabriel

Volunteer opportunities with the City of San Gabriel exist in nearly every area of City operations including serving on City Commissions, non-sworn assignments in the Police and Fire Departments, opportunities with Parks and Recreation, the San Gabriel Mission Playhouse and at City Hall.

Volunteers are needed for a variety of assignments and special programs from clerical and marketing, to programs like the Police Department's *Neighborhood Watch*, *Business Alert Network (B.A.N.)* or *Volunteer Seniors on Patrol (VSP)* or with the Fire Department's *Citizen Emergency Response Team, C.E.R.T.* program. The Adult Recreation Center also utilizes volunteers in the senior nutrition program.

All other inquiries about the City's Volunteer Program or volunteer opportunities with the City can be obtained by contacting the City's Personnel Office at 308-2803.

Your interest in serving and participating in City volunteer activities is appreciated. Through our collective efforts, we work together to deliver the best and most cost-efficient municipal services to the citizens of San Gabriel, and create a community that future generations will be proud of and enjoy.



Mission District Museums

The historic San Gabriel Mission District boasts three (3) diverse museums offering more than 300 years of pre-California and California history. Mission San Gabriel Arcángel, the Ramona Museum of California History and the San Gabriel Historical Association Museum/Hayes House, provide diverse historic, ethnic and cultural insights into the unique story that is San Gabriel. The San Gabriel Historical Association and the Ramona Museum of California History are especially interested in welcoming new members/volunteers.

San Gabriel Historical Association Museum/Hayes House – 546 W. Broadway. Open the first Saturday of each month from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. (Free.) Contact: Bill Williams, 282-0749.

Ramona Museum of California History – 339 South Mission Drive. Open Saturday, 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. (Free.) Contact: Fran Hubert, 332-1203 or 289-0034.

San Gabriel Mission Museum and Gift Shop – 427 S. Junipero Serra Dr. (at Mission Rd.) Open daily except holidays, 9:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m. 457-3048. www.sangabrielmission.net

San Gabriel Valley Medical Center

Your help is needed! If you are over 18 years of age, working part time, going to college, your children have left the nest, have 3 to 4 hours to spare per week, enjoy helping the public, have skills you want to brush up on, want to learn something new and, most importantly, enjoy helping others, please call the San Gabriel Valley Medical Center Director of Volunteers at 570-6533 to get additional information.

SGV Humane Society Volunteers

All animal lovers 18 years of age and older are welcome to assist in helping an animal find a good home. Many positions are available, just contact the Volunteer Coordinator 286-1159.

Can You Teach An Activity, Craft or Workshop?

If you have experience teaching fun and interesting subjects to children, youth, adults and seniors, and would enjoy working in a leisure setting at a Parks & Recreation facility, contact our department at (626) 308-2875. We are currently seeking instructors who can effectively share their knowledge in a variety of areas including but not limited to *Photography, Language, Martial Arts, Cardio Fitness and Crafts*. Instructional experience and bilingual preferred (Chinese/Spanish). Credentials in the field of education are not required.



Youth classes



BATON, DANCE, KARATE, ART... FUN!

Academic Classes

CAHSEE Prep – California High School Exit Exam Prepare NOW!

This course will encompass both the math and English portions. Students are given sample questions and various methods to solve them. Both individual and group tutoring provided. Classes are for adolescents and adults. Richard Wygand—has taught CAHSEE Preparation since 2001.

Eight weeks: 3/25-5/13. \$250 residents, \$253 non-resident. Recreation Center, North Room.

Day	Time	Age	Class#
Friday	6:30-8:00 p.m.	16-Adult	1417.201

SAT Writing Prep

This SAT Preparation course is ideal for high school students but will accommodate slightly younger students. This class focuses on developing essays. Students will be taught how to approach test prompts, brainstorm ideas, select relevant examples, organize material, summarize and conclude. Samples of quality essays will be presented to illustrate the nature of concise concrete writing. Both groups and individual activities will allow the teacher to assess and direct pupil mastery. Ideal for high school sophomores and juniors. Includes one-on-one instruction. Richard Wygand—has taught writing instruction since 2001. Recreation Center, North Room.



Eight weeks. 3/25-5/13. \$238 resident, \$241 non-residents.

Day	Time	Grade	Class#
Friday	5:00-6:30 p.m.	9th-11th	1415.203

Art Classes

Painting and Drawing for Youth

Learn basic drawing and painting techniques including brush handling, color wheels, value lesson and composition. All levels of art ability are welcome. Local Studio Artist, Qian Yu—has been painting and drawing since 1995. Student must provide own materials after first class.

Ten weeks. 3/27-5/1. \$60 resident, \$63 non-resident. Qian Art Studio, 706 West Las Tunas Dr. #B2.

Day	Time	Age	Class#
Sunday	1:00-2:00 p.m.	6 & Up	1302.201

Oil Painting

Learn to draw and paint like a master! Have fun with the process of painting. Study from step-by-step demonstrations and one-on-one instruction. Local Studio Artist, Qian Yu—has taught painting and drawing since 1995. Students must provide own materials after first class.

Six weeks. 3/27-5/1. \$72 resident, \$75 non-resident. Qian Art Studio, 706 West Las Tunas Dr. #B2.

Day	Level	Time	Class#
Sunday	All Levels	11:00a.m.-12:00 p.m.	1307.201

Youth Dance

Baton/Pom

Have a fun and enjoyable experience learning Baton Twirling and Songleading (Pom). Your child's coordination, confidence and talents are sure to grow! New students may enroll in 'New Beginner' classes only. Batons and poms are required and may be purchased from the instructor on the first day. (Batons \$25, poms \$20/set). Liane Aramaki—Former Grand National and International Open Champion, Director/Coach of the San Gabriel Legends Baton Club, athlete, coach and judge for the U.S. Twirling Association, National Baton Twirling Association and Sharp International has coached state, regional, national and world champions since 1990.



Ten weeks. Wed.: 3/23-5/25; Thurs.: 3/24-5/26. \$71 residents, \$74 non-residents. Recreation Center.

Day	Class	Time	Age	Class#
Wed.	Beg. Plus Baton	3:45-4:30 p.m.	Mixed	1216.203
	Jr/Sr. Corps Class Baton	5:30-8:30 p.m. **	Mixed	1232.201
Thurs.	New Beg. Baton/Pom	4:00-4:45 p.m.	6-11	1280.201
	Jr. Sr. Baton/Pom	4:45-5:30 p.m.	12+	1282.201
	Int. Baton	5:30-6:15 p.m.	Mixed	1224.204

Beg. Plus and Int. Classes are for students who were enrolled during the winter session only. Returning students who have not participated in the last two sessions need to speak to instructor for placement in a class.

** Invitation Only

Hula

If your child likes Disney's Lilo & Stitch, they will love learning the hula and traditional dances from this wonderful movie. Parents are invited to observe the first class of each session. Joanne Moser—Professional dancer, choreographer & cheerleader, has taught for the Department for over 15 years.



Ten weeks. Thurs.: 3/24-5/26. \$54 residents, \$57 non-residents. Recreation Center.

Day	Class	Time	Age	Class#
Thurs.	All	5:00-5:30 p.m.	4 - 6	1005.201

Musical Theatre – glee

If you love Glee, you will love learning songs and dances from this popular TV show. Parents are invited to observe the first class of each session. Joanne Moser—Professional dancer, choreographer & cheerleader, has taught for the Department for over 15 years.



Ten weeks. Sat.: 3/26-5/28. \$65 residents, \$68 non-residents. Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Age	Class#
Saturday	11:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	8 - 13	1020.201

Tap, Ballet, Tumbling, and Hip Hop

Beginning to Intermediate classes to fit all needs, including a new combination Ballet Tap class designed to give your child all the basics they need to take them to the next level. Three dance favorites combined in one class—Tap, Ballet, and Tumbling for the younger student and Tap, Ballet, and Hip Hop for the future star! Young people can creatively express themselves, while building self-esteem and confidence. Parents are invited to observe the first class of each session. Joanne Moser—Professional dancer, choreographer & cheerleader, has taught for the Department for over 15 years.

Ten weeks. Tue.: 3/22-5/24; Thurs.: 3/24-5/26; Sat.: 3/26-5/28. 30-minute classes: \$54 residents, \$57 non-residents. 45-minute classes: \$65 residents, \$68 non-residents. Recreation Center.

Day	Class	Level	Time	Age	Class#
Tue.	Tap, Ballet & Tumb.	Beg./Int.	4:00-4:30 p.m.	3 - 5	1000.202
	Tap, Ballet & Hip Hop	Int./Adv.	4:30-5:15 p.m.	5 - 8	1003.201
	Hip Hop	Beg./Int.	5:15-6:00 p.m.	8 - 12	1021.201
Thur.	Classical Ballet	Beg.	5:30-6:15 p.m.	4 - 7	1004.206
Sat.	Tots Classical Ballet	Beg.	10:00-10:30 a.m.	3 - 5	1004.201
	Tap, Ballet & Hip Hop	Beg./Int.	10:30-11:15 a.m.	5 - 8	1000.204
	Tap, Ballet & Tumb.	Beg./Int.	11:15-11:45 a.m.	3 - 5	1000.203

Fitness Classes

Basketball Fundamentals

Improve fundamental basketball skills, develop self-confidence and have fun! Students will practice and strengthen their skills in dribbling, footwork, ball handling, shooting, defense, rebounding and much more.



Sportsmanship modeled and taught to ensure that sports maintain a positive impact on your child. Tom Parada—has taught basketball fundamentals since 2000.

Eight weeks. 3/21-5/9. \$65 residents, \$68 non-residents. Coolidge Elementary School, Basketball Courts.

Day	Time	Age	Class#
Monday	4:30 - 5:30 p.m.	K- 5	1411.205

Youth Fitness

Want to improve your speed, stamina, coordination and confidence? Then this is the class for you! This is a fun workout designed for kids. Fitness and nutrition information provided. Tom Parada—Earned a B.S. in Physical Education and has a coached fitness and sports classes since 2000.

Eight weeks: 3/23-5/11. \$65 residents, \$68 non-residents. Coolidge Elementary School Basketball Courts.

Day	Time	Age	Class#
Wednesday	4:15 - 5:00 p.m.	5-12	1436.201

Gymnastics

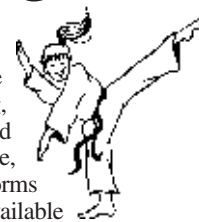
Children are sure to enjoy learning the basics of gymnastics while gaining flexibility, strengthening muscles, and improving coordination and balance. These classes offered through Payke Gymnastics Academy will help increase your child's discipline, skill, concentration, imagination, and self-confidence. Payke Gymnastics requires an additional waiver to be signed by a parent/legal guardian at the first class. Payke Gymnastics Instructors.

Eight weeks. 3/22-5/10. \$125 residents, \$128 non-residents. Payke Gymnastics Academy, 107 S. Garfield Avenue, Alhambra.

Day	Level	Time	Age	Class#
Tuesday	Beginner	3:15 - 4:00 p.m.	4 - 5	1054.205
Tuesday	Beginner	4:00 - 5:00 p.m.	6 - 8	1054.204

Kenpo, Karate

Through the full force Japanese martial arts of Kenpo and Karate, students will learn self-defense techniques with an emphasis on Japanese boxing, blocking, kicking, throwing, locks, chokes and ground combat. Ultimately the student acquires confidence, discipline, focus, humility and self-respect. Uniforms and equipment are required after first class and are available through the sensei. Parents are invited to watch at no charge or sign up. Mark Ishida—is a 4th degree black belt who has taught martial arts since 1998.



Ten Weeks: 3/22-5/24. \$60 residents, \$63 non-residents. Adult Center Grapevine Room.

Day	Time	Age	Class#
Tuesday	6:30-7:30 p.m.	5 & Up	1408.201

Parent & Me Gymnastics

Enhance your child's development and build a special bond with your little one in this Parent & Me Gymnastics class! Payke Gymnastics Academy will help your child get an early start in fun, fitness, flexibility and coordination in this structured class setting with a safety certified instructor. Payke Gymnastics requires an additional waiver to be signed by a parent/legal guardian at the first class. Payke Gymnastics Instructors.

Eight weeks.: 3/22-5/9. \$110 residents, \$113 non-residents. Payke Gymnastics Academy, 107 S. Garfield Avenue, Alhambra.

Day	Time	Age	Class#
Monday	9:45-10:30 a.m.	2 1/2 - 3 1/2	1048.202

Soccer

Pre Soccer

Teaches the basic techniques of the game and builds self-esteem through participating and fun soccer activities. Children learn to follow instructions in a nurturing, age-appropriate environment. Shin guards are required after the first class.



Six weeks. 4/8-5/13. \$63 residents, \$66 non-resident. Coaches from Kids Love Soccer. Smith Park West.

Day	Time	Age	Class#
Friday	3:10-3:45 p.m.	3 1/2-5 yrs.	1440.201

Soccer 1

Players will learn dribbling, passing, receiving, shooting, age-specific defense, etc. Fun skill games are played each class. Every child will have a ball at their feet. Small-sided soccer matches will be introduced gradually. Shin guards are required after 1st class.

Six weeks. 4/8-5/13. \$63 residents, \$66 non-resident. Coaches from Kids Love Soccer. Smith Park West.

Day	Time	Age	Class#
Friday	3:45-4:30 p.m.	5-6 yrs.	1441.201

Soccer 2

Players will improve on individual skills as well as team play. All levels of experience are welcome. Each week fun skill games are used to teach and develop soccer skills and small-sided scrimmages are played to improve positional and team play. Shin guards are required after the 1st class.

Six weeks. 4/8-5/13. \$63 residents, \$66 non-resident. Coaches from Kids Love Soccer. Smith Park West.

Day	Time	Age	Class#
Friday	4:30-5:15 p.m.	7-8 yrs.	1442.201
Friday	4:40-5:15 p.m.	9-10 yrs.	1443.201

Musical Classes

Guitar

This is the perfect class for the beginner or advanced student player! Students will learn to read music notation and develop basic techniques for the guitar. You'll play simple scales, chords and melodies based on the course book & handouts. The advanced level is for students who have completed the beginning level and wish to continue developing their guitar skills. There is a \$10 material fee for the course book payable to the instructor on the first day of class. A limited number of guitars will be made available to rent from the instructor for the duration of the course. Ages 7-12. Enrollment, 3 min./10 max. Instructor, John Axume has taught group and private guitar lessons in SGV since 2004.



Ten weeks Sat., 3/26-5/28. \$120. Residents, \$123 non-residents. Recreation Center, North Room.

Day	Time	Level	Class#
Saturday	12:30-1:30 p.m.	Beg	1419.201
Saturday	1:30-2:30 p.m.	Int./Adv	1421.201

Piano

Learn to play piano and read notes. Create melodies by your own fingers. Don't have a piano – no problem – our studio provides an M-powered digital piano lab for your use!

Ten weeks. Sat.: 3/26-5/28. \$86 residents, \$89 non residents. \$10 lab fee due at first class. Classes are held at Qian Art Studio, 706 West Las Tunas Drive #B, San Gabriel.



Day	Level	Time	Age	Class#
Saturday	Beg.	1:30-2:15 p.m.	5-6	1423.201
Saturday	Beg	2:15-3:00 p.m.	7-12	1424.201
Saturday	Adv.	3:00-3:45 p.m.	5 & Up	1424.202

Vocal Popular Song

Students will learn and perfect the art of singing. Class will emphasize fundamentals, including breathing, power range, pitch and rhythm.

Five week sessions offered, Fridays. \$50 residents, \$53 non-residents per session. \$10 material fee due to instructor at first class. ARK International instructors. Adult Recreation Center, Padillo Room.



Session	Dates	Time	Age	Class#
I	3/25-4/22	4:15-5:15 p.m.	12-16	1425.201
II	3/25-4/22	5:30-6:30 p.m.	5-11	1425.202
III	4/29-5/27	4:15-5:15 p.m.	12-16	1426.201
IV	4/29-5/27	5:30-6:30 p.m.	5-11	1426.202



Tiny Tot Classes

Musical Fun For Tots

Join us for this special time as you and your little one share experiences in art, dance, and music. Each week you'll enjoy guiding your child through dance games and creative movement. Children should wear comfortable clothing. One parent is required to stay and join in the fun! Miss Claire—has been creating a special time for parents and their little ones for over 10 years.



Eight weeks. Thurs.: 3/24-5/12. \$76 residents, \$79 non-residents. Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Age	Class#
Thurs.	10:00-10:45 a.m.	12 mos.-2 1/2 yrs.	1104.201

Ballet for Twinkle Toes

Join us for a class designed especially to welcome your child into the world of dance! This ballet class will delight your child and you! One parent is required to stay and join in the fun. Joanne Moser—Professional dancer, choreographer & cheerleader, has taught for the Department for over 15 years.

Ten weeks. Sat., 3/26-5/28. 30-minute classes: \$54 residents, \$57 non-residents. 45-minute classes: \$65 residents, \$68 non-residents. Recreation Center.

Day	Level	Time	Age	Class#
Sat.	Beg.	9:00-9:30 a.m.	2-3 yrs.	1012.206
Sat.	Beg./Int.	9:30-10:00 a.m.	3-4 yrs.	1012.206

Instructor Profile...

Mario Ross



Meet our new tennis instructor, Mario Ross! He's a top 20 ranked USTA competitor in the Southern California Region and an expert tennis instructor who teaches the principles and practices of modern tennis. Mario's goal is to help his students enjoy the game of tennis and play to the best of their ability. Come out & play, sign up for one of Mario's classes today!

See Page 15 for Tennis Classes

tennis ... adult & youth



Adult Tennis

If you are a beginner or intermediate tennis player, Mario will work with you to improve your skills and increase your confidence. Students must bring 2 unopened cans of tennis balls to first class. Instructor Mario Ross—USTPA Certified Professional Tennis Instructor has taught tennis for all skill levels for 8 years and has played 15 years of competitive tennis.

Ten weeks. Thurs.: 3/24-5/26. \$95 residents, \$98 non-residents. Ages 16 & up only please. Classes held at Smith Park.

<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Level</u>	<u>Class#</u>
Thursday	6:30 - 7:30 p.m.	Beg. /Int.	2500.201

Youth Tennis

Your child will learn basic tennis skills based on their age and experience. Instructor: Mario Ross—USPTA Certified Professional Tennis Instructor, has taught tennis for all skill levels for 8 years and has played 15 years of competitive tennis. Students must bring 2 unopened cans of tennis balls.

Ten weeks. Thurs.:3/24-5/26 \$95 residents, \$98 non-residents. Classes are held at Smith Park.

<u>Day</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Level</u>	<u>Class#</u>
Thursday	3:30-4:30 p.m.	4-7	Pee Wee	1500.201
Thursday	4:30-5:30 p.m.	8-12	Little Stars Beg./Int.	1503.203
Thursday	5:30-6:30 p.m.	13-17	Jr. Champs Beg./Int.	1515.201



SAN GABRIEL TENNIS CLUB

The San Gabriel Tennis Club is actively seeking new members.

The club does not offer lessons, however, the city has an excellent instructional program for all levels of play. Anyone, 18



years of age or over, may become a member. The dues are currently \$25 a year for an individual or \$35 for a couple. The club meets every Sunday morning from 7:30 a.m. - Noon on the San Gabriel High School Tennis Courts. The club publishes a newsletter of all its activities. Special events and tennis matches, with awards to winners, are planned during the year. For additional information or an application, call Anna Gee, (626) 576-8522.

The following guidelines will help you determine your skill level for the adult tennis classes:

- **Beginner** : You are developing your form, but still have grip and preparation problems. You need to build your confidence, develop court coverage, and learn to adjust to various serves. You know how to keep score and you know court procedures.
- **Intermediate** : You are fairly consistent with some directional intent. You are frequently prepared on backhand, but not consistent. Your service is developing rhythm, but little power.
- **Intermediate II** : You are proficient in all of the above and you can return serve on backhand. You are developing match play sense, beginning to have consistency on power serves, and play more aggressively at the net.
- **Intermediate III** : You are proficient in all of the above and you have the ability to direct back hand with consistency, place both first and second serves, and start to use spin. You attack the net and have control of volleys, move up and back well, and have more confidence.
- **Advanced** : You are proficient in all of the above, have a very dependable forehand, and can control direction and depth of backhand. You are an aggressive server using power and spin. You can handle a mixed sequence of volleys and have good footwork. You also have developed teamwork in doubles.

Adult classes

DANCE, FITNESS, FUN

Activity Classes

Computer for Seniors

This course is designed especially for seniors! The San Gabriel Library and the Recreation Department have teamed up to give you the computer assistance you've been wanting. Quality instructors will teach the following: Intro to Computers, Keyboarding, Word processing, and Internet Basics. Then we can advance to Social networking (Facebook, Twitter etc.), Picture loading and Management in the next level of learning. Free library card must be acquired at first class. Registration at the Recreation Department is required prior to attending class, \$5 supply fee payable to instructor at first class. Min. 6 Max. 12. See page 30 to register.

Five week sessions offered. \$50 resident, \$53 non-residents. Classes are held at the San Gabriel Library, 500 S Del Mar, San Gabriel.

Session	Day	Dates	Time	Class#
I	Friday	4/1-4/29	9:00-10:15 a.m.	2444.201
II	Friday	5/6-6/3	9:00-10:15 a.m.	2444.202
I	Saturday	4/2-4/30	8:15-9:30 a.m.	2446.201
II	Saturday	5/7-6/4	8:15-9:30 a.m.	2446.202

Financial Planning Workshop: Passport to Retirement

This class is designed for people who are retired or preparing to retire within 10 years. This course includes the information you need to assess the cost associated with retirement, determine your courses of retirement income, improve investment potential, reduce your financial risk, and preserve your estate for your heirs. Emmy Hernandez—JD, CFP has specialized in the areas of Retirement Planning, Estate and Tax Planning, Investments and Insurance since 1995.

Six weeks. 3/28-5/2. \$49 resident, \$52 non-resident per person; \$69 resident per couple, \$72 non-resident per couple. Adult Recreation Center, Grapevine Room.

Day	Time	Class#
Monday	6:30-7:30 p.m.	2321.201

Art and Music Classes

Beading and Jewelry Making

Make various styles of beaded necklaces, rings or bracelets for yourself or another special person. Instructor can provide materials for sale. Shanadai Su—has taught beading and stringing since 1996.

Eight weeks. 3/25-5/13. \$53 residents, \$56 non-residents. Jewelry Findings & Gifts, 9459 Las Tunas, Temple City.

Day	Time	Class#
Friday	7:30-9:00 p.m.	2327.201

Chinese Painting

Learn Chinese painting skills such as blending, color mixing, and brush loading. Subjects include traditional Chinese floral and landscape. Classes held at Qian Art Studio, 706 West Las Tunas Drive, #B2. Local Studio Artist, Qian Yu—has taught painting and drawing since 1995.

Ten Weeks: 3/27-5/29. \$121 residents, \$124 non-residents. Students must provide own materials after first class.

Day	Time	Class#
Sunday	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	2334.201

Guitar For Adults

This informative fun class is structured as a part of a year-long course where the student can continue learning new material. Participants will develop basic guitar techniques by learning scales, chords and pop music melodies. There is a \$10 material fee for the course package payable to the instructor on the first day of class. A limited number of guitars will be made available to rent from the instructor for the duration of the course. Ages 14 and up. Enrollment, 3 min./10 max. Instructor, John Axume has taught group and private guitar lessons in the SGV since 2004.

Ten weeks. Sat.: 3/26-5/28. \$120 residents, \$123 non-residents. Recreation Center, North Room.

Day	Time	Level	Class#
Saturday	2:30-3:30 p.m.	Beg/Int.	2325.201

Intermediate Watercolor

This course, designed for the intermediate and advanced student, will emphasize color theory, value study, design composition, and unique attributes of watercolor painting. Fealing Lin—is an award-winning painter who has taught watercolor workshops throughout the U.S. Her works have been featured in artist publications including International Artists Magazine, North Light Book and Watercolor Magic. Limit 25 students.

Eight weeks. 3/24-5/12. \$101 residents, \$104 non-residents. Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Class#
Thursday	1:00-4:00 p.m.	2336.201

Plein Air Painting Natural Light

Students will enjoy outdoors class in parks, historical sites, etc. to paint while they can see and feel the landscape or their subjects under natural light. Students can use their own preferred medium such as oil, acrylic, pastel, watercolor, etc. Assistance will be provided with student's individual artwork. Subjects to be covered include Sketching from life and composition, Landscape and structural perspective, value & color, Light and shadow, Form of the Subject, Preliminary review of image and Finish artwork, Critiques on student artwork and more. After taking this class, students will be able to draw and paint on their own. Students must provide materials discussed at first class. Alfred Tse—has taught multi-medium painting for 8 years and is Show Chairman of the San Gabriel Fine Arts Association. Class meets at Recreation Center on the first date. In case of rain class will meet indoors to work on still life or photo.

Four weeks. 3/21-4/11. \$76 residents, \$79 non-residents.

Day	Time	Class#
Monday	9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.	2340.201

Photography 101

In this digital age, digital cameras are simpler and more powerful; everyone can take daily lifestyle photos and record any moments of growth, events, holidays, family reunions, occurrences on the street to seal into eternal memories and email to friends or relatives. This is a simple, relaxed method course that is suitable for different levels. Bring your camera, come and enjoy learning this useful craft! Bing Yeh—has been a Professional Photographer for 25 years.

Six weeks. 3/25-4/29 \$56 residents, \$59 non-residents. \$8 materials fee due to instructor at first class. Adult Recreation Center, Padillo Room.

Day	Time	Ages	Class#
Friday	8:00-9:00 p.m.	16-Adult	2344.205

Rubber Stamping Workshops

Rubberstamping – Learn how to measure and cut cardstock and to assemble and embellish cards with ribbons, buttons and glitter. Make your own greeting cards using rubber stamps, inks, markers, blender pens, watercolor pens, pastels and punches. You'll make 3 cards and learn a new technique for each. \$10 Materials fee due to instructor. Yolanda—is an accomplished teacher who has taught stamping since 2003. Bilingual available.

Two hour workshop each \$36 residents, \$39 non residents. Recreation Center, North Room.

Day	Time	Class#
Wednesday, March 23	7:00-9:00 p.m.	2342.201
Wednesday, April 13	7:00-9:00 p.m.	2342.202

Vocal Popular Song

Students will learn and perfect the art of singing. Class will emphasize fundamentals, including breathing, power range, pitch and rhythm ARK International instructors. Adult Recreation Center, Padillo Room.

Five week sessions offered, Friday. \$60 residents, \$63 non-residents per session. \$10 materials fee due to instructor at first class. Adult Recreation Center, Padillo Room

Session	Dates	Level	Time	Class#
I	3/25-4/22	Beg./Int.	6:30-7:30 p.m.	2302.201
II	4/29-5/27	Beg./Int.	6:30-7:30 p.m.	2302.202

Ballroom Dance Classes

Ballroom Dance, Beginning

You will learn basic Fox Trot, Rumba, Waltz, Cha Cha, and Swing. Leading and following will be emphasized as you learn patterns that can be used in a variety of dances and the importance of good posture for balance and control. Don McGuire—has years of experience in Ballroom Dance instruction including international styling and as Arthur Murray Studio Dance Director. Assistant, Daisy Pan.

Ten weeks. 3/28-6/13 (no class 4/18, 5/30). \$46 residents, \$49 non-residents. Adult Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Class#
Monday	7:00 - 8:00 p.m.	2000.201

Salsa

Learn Salsa dances from Cuba including the Cha Cha, Mambo and Meringue. We'll focus on dance patterns, Cuban motion, arm and head styling and footwork for the faster tempos. Don McGuire—has years of experience in Ballroom Dance instruction including international styling and as Arthur Murray Studio Dance Director.

Ten weeks. 3/28-6/13 (no class 4/18, 5/30). \$46 residents, \$49 non-residents. Adult Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Class#
Monday	8:00 - 9:00 p.m.	2002.201

Foxtrot/Waltz

Foxtrot is the most popular ballroom dance anywhere and Waltz is the oldest! Foxtrot also has been around in different forms since the early 1900's. Both are in the Smooth Dance category. You'll learn a variety of turns and pivots, and gain the mastery needed to have the look of an advanced dancer. Patterns like the grapevine, spins and pivots are great fun. Many of the patterns of the Waltz can be used in Foxtrot. When you have a good knowledge of Foxtrot and Waltz you can be confident of a happy visit to the ballroom! Don McGuire—has years of experience in Ballroom Dance instruction including international styling and as Arthur Murray Studio Dance Director.

Ten weeks. 3/29-6/7 (no class 4/19). Tuesdays. \$46 residents. \$49 non-residents. Adult Recreation Center, Padillo Room.

Day	Time	Class#
Tuesday	7:00 - 8:00 p.m.	2005.201

Tango

The American Tango is one of the most popular dances at ballrooms everywhere and it differs from the Argentine variety. Students will learn to use floor contact for control and a wide range of moves including pivots, fans, flairs and flicks. Add Tango to your list of accomplished dances and become a more complete dancer! Don McGuire—has years of experience in Ballroom Dance instruction including international styling and as Arthur Murray Studio Dance Director.

Ten weeks. 3/28-6/6 (no class 4/19). \$46 residents, \$49 non-residents. Adult Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Class#
Tuesday	8:00 - 9:00 p.m.	2001.201

Dance Classes

Belly Dance for the Beginner

Practice your Belly Dance among friends. Learn and perfect your accents, isolations, shimmies, traveling steps, turns and undulations in a relaxed atmosphere with supportive instruction. Belly Dance provides a great workout along with creative self expression. V. Cox—has taught fitness classes for 15 years and has studied belly dance since 2003.

Ten weeks. 3/23-5/25. \$44 residents, \$47 non-residents. Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Class#
Wednesday	7:00-8:00 p.m.	2121.203



Flamenco International, Basic

Learn this beautiful and expressive dance! We will cover technique and development of flamenco styles including the usage of fans, castanets, Spanish shawls & hats. Maria Elena Megallon—has performed flamenco professionally on television and throughout Southern California. She has taught flamenco since 1997.

Eight weeks. 3/26-5/14. \$57 residents, \$60 non-residents. Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Class#
Saturday	9:00-10:00 a.m.	2035.201

Hoop Dance

Hoop Dance—the hottest new fitness trend is a fat burning workout that both strengthens your core and calms your mind. The hula hoop you remember from your childhood doesn't compare to the enjoyment you'll experience with this class. So join in the fun and sculpt the waistline of your dreams. Anyone can do it—don't miss out! Leela—has an extensive background in classical dance forms. Her teaching brings fun & excitement to her popular teaching style, delighting students with her enthusiasm & playfulness.

Ten weeks. Thurs.: 3/24-5/26. \$70 residents, \$73 non residents. Recreation Center, North Room.

Day	Time	Class#
Thursday	8:00-9:00 p.m.	2122.201

Line Dance—Absolute Beginner

This class is designed for the first-time-ever absolute beginner. You'll learn the basic steps used in line dancing and have fun toning & strengthening your body while dancing to country and non-country music. Suitable for dancers of all ages and no partner is needed. Jimmie Lou Thies—has taught since 2006 and has line danced for over 20 years.

Ten weeks. 4/5-6/7. \$53 resident, \$56 non-resident. Adult Recreation Center Padillo Room.

Day	Time	Class#
Tuesday	8:30-10:00 a.m.	2005.202

Polynesian - Teen & Adult

Have fun exploring Tahitian, Hula, and Ancient Hawaiian Dance and get a great workout at the same time! You will learn the art of speaking with hands and hips using Ancient Lava Rocks, Feathered Gourds, and Pulli bamboo sticks. Joanne Moser—Professional dancer, choreographer & cheerleader, has taught for the Department for over 15 years.

Ten weeks. 3/22-5/24. \$65 residents, \$68 non-residents. Recreation Center.

Day	Level	Time	Class#
Tuesday	Int./Adv.	6:00 - 6:45 p.m.	2020.201

Fitness Classes

Ab Attack Core Workout

Look great & feel even better with our new Abdominals workout! Now your workout can be complete with this new class designed specifically to strengthen your abdominals & tighten your overall look. Get in shape for the holidays. Tom Parada—Earned a B.S. in Physical Education and has coached Fitness and Sports classes since 2000.

Eight Weeks. 3/23-5/25. \$63 residents, \$66 non-residents. Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Class#
Wednesday	5:30-6:00 p.m.	2118.201

Fast & Fun Fitness Workout

Burn Calories, Lose Inches of Waist, Improve health, Gain Energy

This quick and intense nonstop fun class designed for anyone ages 13-adult includes drills, workout stations, mini obstacle course, rope jumping, abdominal work, cardio training and fitness and nutritional information. Tom Parada—Earned a B.S. in Physical Education and has coached Fitness and Sports classes since 2000.

Eight Weeks. 3/23-5/11. \$65 residents, \$68 non-residents. Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Class#
Wednesday	5:00-5:30 p.m.	2111.201

Fitness For Seniors

Come join us for this low-impact fitness class geared toward seniors! You'll gain strength and increase your energy as you participate in this full-body workout with exercises for the upper and lower body and abdominals. Work at your own pace as you get in shape! Please wear comfortable clothes, athletic shoes and bring a mat or towel for floor exercise. Tom Parada—Earned a B.S. in Physical Education and has coached Fitness and Sports classes since 2000.

Eight weeks. 3/22-5/12. \$51 residents, \$54 non-residents. Adult Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Class#
Tues. /Thurs.	10:00-10:30 a.m.	2120.201

Kenpo, Karate For Adults

Through the full force Japanese martial arts of Kenpo and Karate, students will learn self-defense techniques with an emphasis on Japanese boxing, blocking, kicking, throwing, locks, chokes and ground combat. Ultimately the student acquires confidence, discipline, focus, humility and self-respect. Uniforms and equipment are required after first class and are available through the sensei. Mark Ishida—is a 4th degree black belt who has taught martial arts since 1998.

Ten Weeks: 3/22-5/24. \$60 residents, \$63 non-residents. Adult Center Grapevine Room, (3rd Tuesdays class held in Recreation Center North Room).

Day	Time	Age	Class#
Tuesday	7:30-8:30 p.m.	16 & Up	2103.201

Pilates – Teen & Adult

This popular exercise class will tone and strip away excess body mass while focusing on isometric exercises to build, reshape, and revitalize muscle groups. Wear comfortable exercise clothes, and bring a mat or towel. Joanne Moser—professional dancer, choreographer & cheerleader, has taught for the Department since 1992.

Ten weeks. Tues. OR Thurs. classes: Tues.:3/22-5/24; Thurs.: 3/24-5/26. \$65 residents, \$68 non-residents. Tues. AND Thurs. \$104 residents, \$107 non-residents. Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Age	Class#
Tues. Only	6:45-7:30 p.m.	Teen & Adult	2107.202
Thurs. Only	6:15-7:00 p.m.	Teen & Adult	2107.204
Tues. AND Thurs.	Above	Teen & Adult	2107.208

Tai Chi

Tai Chi is an ancient form of Chinese martial arts that focuses on the use of relaxed, graceful and continuous movements. Many people use tai chi to release energy & improve health. Tai chi strengthens muscles, increases flexibility and enhances overall coordination & balance. Sam Guo—a Wushu Grandmaster and gold medalist, was Chief Instructor for one of China's largest martial arts schools, Shandong Laizhou.

Ten weeks. Mon.: 3/28-6/6 (no class 5/30). \$83 residents, \$86 non-residents. Recreation Center, North Room.

Day	Location	Time	Level	Class#
Monday	North Room	6:30-7:30 p.m.	Beg.	2405.201
Monday	North Room	7:30-8:30 p.m.	Inter.	2406.224

Yoga

Experience the healing benefits of Hatha Yoga as your body, mind and spirit embark on this wonderful and profound journey. As you learn to use your most powerful tool for health and relaxation—your own body—you will experience stress reduction, increase your flexibility and begin to live a healthier, more balanced life. This class is for all ages and levels. Please wear non restrictive clothing, bring a sticky mat, a large towel and an empty stomach. Diane Beglin—is certified in Hatha yoga and has taught throughout Southern California.

Ten weeks. Mon.: 3/28-6/6 (no class 5/30); Wed.: 3/23-5/25. Mon OR Wed.: \$65 residents, \$68 non-residents. Mon. AND Wed.: \$95 residents, \$98 non-residents. Adult Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Class#
Monday	5:30-6:30 p.m.	2410.201
Wednesday	5:30-6:30 p.m.	2410.202
Mon. & Wed. (Above only)	5:30-6:30 p.m.	2410.203

Yoga, Gentle

A gentle introduction to yoga with emphasis on breathing, meditation and relaxation exercises as well as restorative poses and exercises to increase strength and flexibility. This class is ideal for new students, seniors, persons with physical limitations and students who prefer a slower gentle experience of yoga. Adults only please. Please wear non-restrictive clothing, bring a sticky mat, a large towel and an empty stomach. Diane Beglin—is certified in Hatha yoga and has taught throughout Southern California.

Ten weeks. Mon.: 5/28-6/6 (no class 5/30); Tue.: 3/22-5/24, Wed.: 3/23-5/25. Tues OR Wed.: \$65 residents, \$68 non-residents. Tues AND Wed. \$95 residents, \$98 non-residents. Adult Recreation Center.

Day	Time	Class#
Monday	9:00-10:00 a.m.	2411.210
Wednesday	9:00-10:00 a.m.	2411.230
Monday & Wednesday	9:00-10:00 a.m.	2411.213
Tuesday	5:30-6:30 p.m.	2411.220
Thursday	5:30-6:30 p.m. (Recreation. Center)	2411.240
Tuesday & Thursday	5:30-6:30 p.m.	2411.224

YOGA EN ESPAÑOL

Bilingual Class - Descubran los beneficios de Hatha Yoga! Practicando yoga ayudaran a mantener el cuerpo sano, reducir el cansancio, tener energia y vitalidad, claridad y equilibrio mental, calmar los nervios y tranquilizar el sistema nervioso. Por favor traigan un yoga mat y el estomago vacio. Dora Hasenbein—desde Sud América, es una profesora de Iyengar yoga.

Diez semanas. Martes: 3/22-5/24; Jueves: 3/24-5/26. \$83 residents, \$86 non-residents. Yoga Studio situado en 11 North Fourth Street, Alhambra.

Day	Time	Class#
Martes	7:15 – 8:15 p.m.	2416.201
Jueves	7:15 – 8:15 p.m.	2416.202

ZUMBA Dance Fitness

Ditch the workout & join the party! Zumba is a high-energy workout that combines Latin-based dance moves such as salsa, merengue, belly dancing, cumbia and reggae! Easy to learn and follow, Zumba will keep you smiling and having fun as you dance your way into a healthier and more fit you! Want to burn some calories and have fun? Then Zumba is for you! Liliana Medina-Gomez—is a certified Zumba instructor.

Eight weeks: Thurs.:3/24-5/12; Mon.: 3/28-5/16 Mon. OR Thurs.: \$71 residents, \$74 non residents. Mon. AND Thurs. \$120 residents \$123 non-residents Recreation Center, Dance Room.

Day	Time	Class#
Thursday Only	7:00-8:00 p.m.	2161.201
Monday Only	6:00-7:00 p.m.	2161.202
Thurs AND Mon.	Above	2161.203



ZUMBA

FITNESS

To register for Zumba or other great classes we offer, See page 30.



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San Gabriel Parks & Recreation Offers Passport Services

Passport Registration & Renewal ○ All Necessary Passport Forms ○ Passport Photos

- It's EASY to get your passport or renewal at Parks & Recreation!
- All travelers who enter the US by air or sea travel must have a passport.
- Passports must be renewed every 10 yrs for adults & every 5 years for children under 16.
- The routine waiting time to receive your passport is 2 weeks.
- No Appointment necessary (626) 308-2875.

Passport Hours: Mon., Wed., Thurs., Fri., 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. and Tuesdays: 8:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
250 South Mission Drive, San Gabriel, CA 91776

FEES

Passport Book ◆

Adult 16+	\$110
Children	\$ 80
❖ Processing	\$ 25

Passport Card Fees ◆

Adult 16+	\$30
Children 15 & Under	\$15
❖ Passport Photo	\$10

Other Fees ◆

Expedite/Express Mail (Book)	\$72.72
Payable to Department of State	
❖ Payable to City of San Gabriel	

Senior citizens

CLUBS, TRANSPORTATION, ASSISTANCE, FUN

San Gabriel SENIOR CENTER

324 S. Mission Drive, San Gabriel

Theresa Johnson, Recreation Coordinator

Phone: (626) 308-2875

Marlene Flores, Senior Services Case Manager
(626) 308-2822

Office hours:

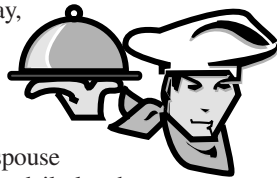
Monday 8 a.m.-5 p.m., Tuesday: 12-5 p.m.,
Wednesday: 1 p.m.-5 p.m., Thursday: 8 a.m.-5 p.m.,
Friday 8 a.m.-12 p.m. After Hours (626) 358-1185

The Senior Services Case Manager can provide referral information for: Low cost rentals, housing, consumer problems, legal services, meals on wheels, property and federal tax assistance, social security, medi-care and medi-cal, health counseling, home chores, case management assistance with forms and telephone reassurance.

Join us for Lunch!

Join us for lunch today! To make your reservation call 308-2823 between 10:00 a.m. and noon, Monday thru Friday, reservations must be made one day in advance.

Lunch is served daily at the San Gabriel Adult Recreation Center to anyone who is 60 and older or is a spouse of someone who is 60 and older. The daily lunch program is sponsored by Intervale Senior Services which is a Division of the San Gabriel Valley YWCA. Reservations must be made one day in advance, Monday thru Friday. Suggested donation for lunch is \$2 per meal. Lunch is served Monday thru Friday at 11:45 a.m.; monthly menus can be picked up at the Adult Recreation Center or from the City of San Gabriel website at www.sangabrielcity.com. The lunch program is funded in part through a grant to Intervale Senior Services/YWCA from the Los Angeles County Area Agency on Aging and the Older Americans Act of 1965, as amended. Other services offered by Intervale Senior Services include information and referral services, home delivered meals and a broad range of social, recreational and educational opportunities.



Meals on Wheels is available for residents of the City of San Gabriel. Each meal delivery includes: a hot entrée and a sack lunch. For further information please visit us on the web at www.volunteercentersgv.org or call (626) 256-8187.

Senior Activities & Clubs

Adult Center Activities

The Adult Recreation Center is open Monday thru Friday for adults who are 50 years of age and older. From 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. older adults can come in and interact with each other. Throughout the week there are activities and programs scheduled. Daily programs include hot lunch, Grapevine Gamers, Craft Circle and movie days. Monthly activities include monthly birthday celebration on the 3rd Wednesday, Bunco, Wii Games and more. Monthly health and wellness presentations are free to all older adults. Special lunches and holiday celebrations also take place throughout the year. For more information about senior programs and activities, contact Recreation Coordinator, Theresa Johnson at (626) 308-2875.

AARP Driver Safety Class

On April 13 & 14 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. AARP will host a Driver Safety class in the North Room of the Recreation Center for adults 50 years and older. Cost is \$14 non AARP members, \$12 AARP members. Payment is due on first day of class, make check or money order payable to AARP. No cash will be accepted. To reserve a seat call (626) 308-2875. A minimum of 10 participants is needed to hold the class. A box lunch will be available by reservation only, cost for lunch is \$2 for adults 60 and over, and \$3.75 for those under 60.

AARP Tax Assistance

The Adult Recreation Center will host tax preparation appointments on Thursdays from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. beginning February 3 through April 7. This FREE service is for low and middle income persons who are age 60 and older. To make an appointment call (626) 308-2875.

A.R.C. Senior Newsletter

Stay current with senior news and monthly activities. Subscribe to the A.R.C. Senior Newsletter for \$5 a year. Receive a digital copy via email for FREE. To sign-up for your annual subscription call (626) 308-2875.

Ballroom Dance Class!

Have you been aching to perfect your Samba or enhance your Foxtrot? Here's your chance, every Tuesday from 12:00 noon-4:00 p.m. free instruction is offered at the San Gabriel Adult Center. Many classic ballroom dances will be taught including various waltzes, the polka and even line dancers. Instruction offered in Chinese & English. So put on your dancing shoes and stop by and join the fun and improve your dance skills. Special holiday dances will be planned. Everyone welcome!

Cell Phone Recycling Program

Through the National Council on Aging, the Adult Recreation Center is participating in a cell phone recycling program that pays! For every cell phone that is collected programs can earn 35cents to \$21 per cell phone. The recycling company also accepts digital cameras, laptops and video game consoles. Support the Adult Recreation Center programs for older adults and donate your old cell phone today.

Friday Senior Dance

Come and kick up your heels dancing to live music. The adult Recreation Center is host to this popular dance. The music starts at 1:00 p.m. and continues until 4:00 p.m. \$4 gets you in the door and covers the refreshments.

Grapevine Gamers

Join us every Tuesday and Thursday morning in the Grapevine Room at the Adult Center from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. We will provide the coffee and games such as Checkers, Scrabble, Backgammon, Dominoes, Mahjong and more. Bring your friends and enjoy some game time over coffee. Plan ahead and make a lunch reservation the day before to stay for lunch. For more information contact Recreation Coordinator, Theresa Johnson at (626) 308-2875.

Junipero Serra Senior Citizens Club

Meets at the Adult Recreation Center on the first Sunday of each month, 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. For more information, contact Anita Salazar, 286-3959.

Senior Sewing Circle

Meets at the Recreation Center on the first and third Thursdays of each month, 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Donations of materials and supplies are greatly appreciated and can be left at the Recreation Center. For more information, please call (626) 308-2875.

VITAS Bereavement Group

VITAS, Innovative Hospice Care of the San Gabriel Valley cities, is offering a bereavement support group for adults seeking support after the loss of a loved one. A safe environment where everyone can share feelings, discuss fears, learn about the grief process and gain strength is provided. The sessions are free and open to the community every Tuesday beginning April 5 through May 10 from 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. in the Lounge of the Adult Recreation Center. To provide the most benefit to the group, new members will not be permitted to join after the second meeting. For more information, please contact the Recreation Department at (626) 308-2875.

Transportation

SENIOR DIAL-A-RIDE

City of San Gabriel provides reduced fare transportation for city residents, 62 and over, and for disabled persons. Service available 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. daily. Cost is 50 cents per one-way trip.



Service is reserved for medical appointments only. To apply, please call 308-2875 Monday – Friday.

L.A. County Transportation Info Line (800) 431-7882

For seniors and qualified disabled persons.

Transportation for Disabled

An important transportation program is available to the disabled residents of our community. Access Services is a high quality, curb-to-curb, para-transit (dial-a-ride) program that provides transportation to eligible individuals in the San Gabriel Valley.



The program offers disabled individuals the opportunity to travel

beyond their current city boundaries to most locations in the San Gabriel Valley and to downtown Los Angeles. Disabled individuals that cannot use the regular fixed route bus system can use this service for their transportation needs beyond the limits of our dial-a-ride program. Cost for one-way fare is \$1.50.

The program is highly specialized. Individuals must be certified for Access Services. Candidates are those persons with disabilities who cannot board, ride, or exit from any established bus or rail system. For information on the certification process and to arrange trips, call 1-800-827-0829, or for the hearing impaired, 1-800-827-1359.

The Access Services para-transit program is funded and operated by the Los Angeles County Transportation Commission as a requirement of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.

M.T.A. Reduced Fare TAP Cards

The City of San Gabriel is offering reduced fare TAP (Transit Access Pass) Cards to San Gabriel senior citizens (62 years and older) and the disabled. The regular \$14 monthly reload can be purchased for \$9 at the Parks and Recreation Office, 250 South Mission Drive. Individuals must be residents of the City of San Gabriel. TAP Card reloads will be sold from 8:00 a.m.-4:30 Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday and Tuesdays from 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m., from the 25th to the 10th of each month at the Parks and Recreation Office, 250 South Mission Drive, San Gabriel. For additional information, please call the Parks and Recreation Office at 308-2875.



Elder Care Planning Attorney

Carlos A. Arcos

Presents a **FREE Workshop Series**
Updates For 2011

Convalescent Care Medi-Cal

Managing Trusts Before and After Death

Dates: **Thursday, March 24, 2011**
Thursday, April 14, 2011
Thursday, May 19, 2011

Time: **10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.**

Location: **Joslyn Senior Center**
210 N. Chapel
Alhambra, CA

No reservations required.

Seating available on a first-come first-seated basis

626-284-9003 or 800-284-9003

Trips



and tours

LET THE ADVENTURES BEGIN!

Tours

Deluxe, charter buses are used for all trips. Every effort is made to use the finest motor coaches and drivers. Bus companies used are properly licensed and insured. Adults are given first priority to register for trips, children ages 8 and up and accompanied by an adult, will be allowed to register for one day trip if space is available, one week prior to the trip. Please take identification on all trips & tours! Trips are subject to cancellation if the required minimum amount of participants does not register.

REGISTRATION is taken on a first registered, first seated basis at the Department Office, 250 S. Mission Dr., San Gabriel, 91776, Mondays, Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m., or Tuesdays 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Full payment for trips and tours are due on or before the date indicated on each individual trip. Please use the Activity Registration Form on the back cover of this publication to register for trips. For mail-in registration, please enclose a check, money order, VISA or MasterCard Information. Make checks payable to: CITY OF SAN GABRIEL.

REFUND POLICY

- ALL refunds are subject to a \$13.00 service charge, unless the trip is cancelled by the San Gabriel Parks and Recreation Department.
- Refunds for day trips will be processed if cancellation is received 2 weeks prior to the trip or if there is a replacement on our waiting list.
- Refunds for extended tours will be processed if cancellation is received 4 weeks prior to overnight trip, except where otherwise noted.
- Trip cancellation insurance is highly recommended on any overnight tour.

TRIP CANCELLATION INSURANCE

Cancellation insurance is available on any overnight or extended trip costing \$100.00 or more. It is your responsibility to buy the insurance or absorb the full loss. For more information on trip insurance contact the Parks and Recreation Department.

RESPONSIBILITY CLAUSE

San Gabriel Parks and Recreation Department acts only as an agent in coordinating day and extended trip packages. We do not assume any liability for illness, injury, damages, loss, accident, or delay due to any act or default of any company or person involved in the trip, nor can we be held responsible for changes made by the tour operator or hotel.

DEPARTURE & RETURN

Weekday bus trips depart from and return to the San Gabriel Mission Playhouse parking lot, 320 S. Mission Drive (formerly Civic Auditorium), unless otherwise noted. All cars must be parked on the Broadway Avenue side of the lot only. Bus boards 15 minutes prior to departure. To maintain your boarding priority, please be prompt.

Palm Springs Follies

Wednesday, May 4. Spend the day in Palm Springs. We will arrive into downtown by 11:15 a.m. for lunch on our own before going to the Plaza Theatre for a 1:30 p.m. performance of The Fabulous Palm Springs Follies. Seating will be on the main floor. This is the last month of their season and their special featured guest is "The Four Prep". Registration deadline 4/4. 9:00 a.m. - 6:45 p.m. Show ticket included \$64. (4013.201)

Leo Carrillo Ranch Historic Park

Thursday, May 12. Discover the history and tranquil beauty of Leo Carrillo Ranch Historic Park, a former working rancho, once owned by actor Leo Carrillo (Pancho in The Cisco Kid). There will be a 13-minute introductory film on the history of the ranch and the life and career of Leo Carrillo. The tour lasts up to 90-minutes. Wear comfortable walking shoes, irregular earthen and paved surfaces and rolling terrain. After the tour we will have lunch at Karl Strauss Brewery in Carlsbad. Choose when booking from Honey Lager Chicken Salad or Brewpub Club sandwich, with unlimited soft drinks, coffee or tea and carrot cake for dessert. Registration deadline 4/29. 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Tour and lunch included \$50. (4143.201)

L.A. Architectural Tour Day

Tuesday, May 24. Today is L.A. Architectural Tour Day! Our first stop this morning will be at the Disney Concert Hall for a 10:30a.m. self-guided audio tour. Your audio tour lasts 45-minutes and is narrated by Emmy & Tony Award winning actor, John Lithgow. Tour does not include the staging area of the theater due the L.A. Philharmonic rehearsal schedules. Afterwards, its lunch time at the famous Canter's Delicatessen, one of the oldest eatery's in town. Choose when booking from one of their 1/2 sandwiches: Hot Corned Beef, Pastrami, or Roast Turkey Sandwich, a cup of soup, coffee or tea, and a cookie for dessert. After lunch it's onto the famous Hollyhock House. Designed by Frank Lloyd Wright in 1921 it's considered one of his finest works. Registration deadline 4/29. 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. 2 tours & lunch included \$45. (4190.201)

Palm Springs Air Museum

Wednesday, June 1. The day begins at 10:00 a.m. when we arrive at the Palm Springs Air Museum for a docent led tour. The Palm Springs Air Museum houses one of the nation's largest collections of World War II flying aircraft displayed in modern hangars. The Buddy Rodgers Theater shows daily documentaries about aviation in the military with an emphasis on World War II. You will have an opportunity to tour one or more of the Warbirds during this extensive 2 ? hour walking tour. Then enjoy lunch at the museums Freedom Fighter Cafe. You have a choice of a Grilled Chicken wrap or a Palm Springs Salad, or Tuscan Panini on a baguette. All meals come with a non-alcoholic beverage. Our last stop of the day will be in Cabazon at Hadley's Fruit Orchard for some shopping before returning home. Registration deadline 5/16. 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Museum admission w/docents and lunch included \$47. (4016.201)



Brunch at Las Brisas Restaurant

Friday, June 10. This morning we arrive at the Las Brisas Restaurant in Laguna Beach for a delicious brunch style breakfast that includes made to order omelettes, Belgium waffles, fresh fruits, breakfast meats, potatoes, pastries, orange juice, coffee and more along the ocean bluff. After our leisurely meal we will visit Rogers Gardens in Newport Beach. Presented in a garden like setting, this nursery offers one of the most extensive varieties of plants, outdoor living, home decor, landscape, holiday, pottery and fountains. Registration deadline 5/20. 8:15 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Brunch is included \$40. (4144.201)

Callaway Vineyard & Winery in Temecula

Saturday, June 18. We travel south to So. Cal's wine country – Temecula! We'll travel into the green valley filled with vineyards along the hillsides to the famous Callaway Vineyard & Winery. Where you will be taken on a grand tour of their wine winning facility and learn the history of this family winery along with an opportunity to sample some of their wines in the tasting room and receive a souvenir glass. Then enjoy a delicious buffet luncheon. We'll give extra time for browsing in the gift shop before getting back on the bus. Our next stop will be Tom's Farm in Corona. With a fun country setting you can visit the mercantile for some great gourmet foods. Registration deadline 5/13. 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Winery tour, wine tasting, and luncheon included \$65. (4113.201)



Valley View Casino

Wednesday, June 22. Spend the day at the Valley View Casino located in Valley Center, CA. This is a 4-hour stay. All "New Guests" to the Casino will receive a coupon for a free buffet with a player's card. All "Returning Guests Card holders" will receive \$15.00 in free play (meal will be on own). Everyone on the bus must fill out the required manifest sheet and have their valid California ID with them to receive the casino incentive. Register deadline 6/10. 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. \$25 (4147.201)



Sawdust Festival in Laguna Beach

Tuesday, June 28. Enjoy a day at the Sawdust Festival in Laguna Beach, admission included. Enjoy visiting all the different vendors; hand blown glass, ceramics, surf art, metal sculptures, photography, and more. Lunch will be on your own today. Individuals can take the local trolleys into the downtown area on their own today. We will depart for home at Registration deadline 6/13. 2:00 p.m. 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. \$25 (4145.201)

L.A. Chocolate Tour

Wednesday, July 6. Join us for the L.A. Chocolate Tour. We meet your step-on guide (included) at Olvera Street and venture off to some of L.A.'s favorite hot spots and hidden chocolate treasures. You'll travel to Little Tokyo for a Japanese treat; visit an amazing shop that specializes in soda pop and old-time chocolates. Lunch will be included at the Tam O'Shanter Inn along with a visit to a monastery where they make heavenly handmade chocolates. This trip requires a minimum of 30 people. Registration Deadline 6/17. 8:45 a.m. – 4:15 p.m. Guide, tours and lunch included \$70. (4146.201)

Pageant of the Masters

Tuesday, July 12. Get ready to believe in the art of the impossible! A unique theatrical celebration of tableaux vivants - "living pictures"- the 2011 Pageant of the Masters is venturing into magical artistic realms. Only Make Believe will be your passport to explore worlds populated by ancient and modern superheroes and strange, mythical creatures. It will also showcase the creative expressions of artists who devoted themselves to conjuring everything from Victorian historical fantasies, illustrations for fairytales beginning "once upon a time", to futuristic visions of things to come, all in a breathtaking performance of "art that lives and breathes". There'll be no shortage of fun and fantasy for you as Only Make Believe leaves ordinary life behind to reveal the wonders of artistic imaginations unleashed. Register by 6/7. 5:00p.m.– 12:00a.m. \$55. (4001.201).

Extended Tours

The following trips are in cooperation with other recreation departments or travel clubs. This program provides a larger variety of trips, which we would not be able to fill on our own. The possibility of cancellation is reduced because we are combining with other travelers. Motor coaches will pick up and drop off passengers at our Mission Playhouse parking lot (formerly Civic Auditorium). Overnight Parking Permit **REQUIRED**: An overnight parking permit is required if you leave your car at the Mission Playhouse parking lot or Park & Ride lot overnight. Failure to show a current overnight permit results in a parking citation for the vehicle owner. The Parks & Recreation department can provide registrants with the permit free of charge. **TRIP CANCELLATION INSURANCE RECOMMENDED ON ALL OVERNIGHT TRIPS.**

19th Annual Oakdale Chocolate Festival

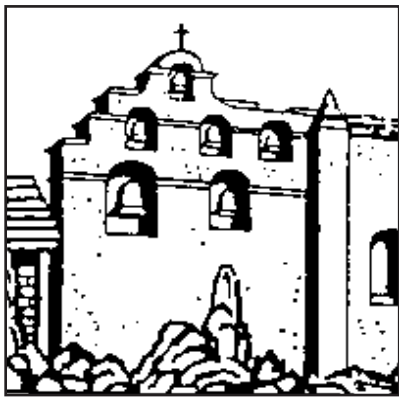
May 19-22. This trip includes deluxe continental breakfasts & or full breakfasts daily! Sponsored each year by the Hershey Chocolate & Confectionery Corp., this annual event is held in Oakdale, just west of the southern tip of our California Motherlode, which runs along Hwy 49 (as in the Great Gold Rush of 1849). Highlights of our looong weekend getaway includes Amtrak's "San Joaquin" from Bakersfield to Sacramento (Stockton), overnight accommodations in Sacramento, docent-led tour of State Capitol, excellent tour of the California "Gold Rush" Motherlode, two nights lodging in Oakdale for all the festivities, admission to Chocolate Festival, Knights Ferry, and much, much more! Registration deadline 4/28. \$469.50 per person double. \$619.50 per person single. (5110.201) Travel Time.

Our Nation's Capitol: Distinctively D.C.

May 24-28. Start getting in shape now for five incredible days in our Nation's Capitol and we WILL see it all! To begin with, our centrally-located hotel is just 4 blocks from the White House (2-room suites w/full kitchen, all the amenities and free Internet, PLUS a full hot breakfast daily and a light dinner our first three evenings including wine and dessert!!!), while our sightseeing highlights will include a fully-narrated D.C. Nighttime Illumination Tour, Arlington National Cemetery Tram Tour, narrated city tour featuring the U.S. Capitol White House Visitor Center, U.S. Supreme Court, Library of Congress, National Cathedral, National Mall, National Archives, Union Station, Georgetown, Ford's Theatre, U.S. Department of Treasury, FBI/J. Edgar Hoover Building, Department of Justice, AND ample time for American History, Natural History, and Air & Space Museum Smithsonian Institutes. And of course, your airfare always included on this FULLY-ESCORTED tour! Registration deadline 4/19. \$1599 per person double. \$ 2159 per person single. (5201.201) Travel Time.

San Diego

June 21-23. Head south for a 2 night stay at the lovely Handerly Hotel. Enjoy all the excitement this city has to offer you! We'll visit the breathtaking views from the Cabrillo National Monument, tour the U.S. Olympic Training Center in Chula Vista and take an evening cruise along the harbor with dinner and dancing on board. Other points of interest will include Old Towne San Diego, Seaport Village, the Gas Lamp District, and Coronado. Package price includes: Motorcoach transportation for 3 days, room accommodations for 2 nights, room tax, luggage service, 2 continental breakfasts, dinner dance cruise, Cabrillo National Monument fee, Arco U.S. Olympic training Center tour and other local touring. Registration deadline 5/16. \$385.00 per person double occupancy. \$530.00 per person single occupancy. (5029.201) Inland.



El Departamento de Parques y Recreación de San Gabriel

El Departamento de Parques y Recreación de San Gabriel ofrece servicios para los residentes de San Gabriel y comunidades vecinas.

Los tres parques de San Gabriel: Parque Vincent Lugo, Parque Smith y Parque Roosevelt, proveen áreas de “picnic” y de juegos para fiestas familiares y para el disfrute personal. El Parque Smith, localizado en el 232 del West Broadway, tiene una piscina de 25 metros de largo la cual está abierta durante cada verano. En la misma se ofrecen clases de natación; hay una cancha de baloncesto iluminada y canchas de tenis y “handball”. El Parque Vincent Lugo, situado en la intersección de las calles Wells y Ramona, tienen glorietas para “picnic”, campo de juego para Pequeñas Ligas (Little League), y la famosa Laguna de San Gabriel Nautica (Dinosaur) Playground. El Parque Roosevelt, en el 5410 de la calle Delta, tiene áreas de “picnic”, 2 canchas de tenis iluminadas, y area de juegos.

El Departamento de Parques y Recreación también ofrece variedad de programas para personas de todas las edades. De martes a jueves ofrecemos a los jóvenes “play ground programs.” Éstos serán ofrecidos en las escuelas públicas de San Gabriel, después de horario regular de clases. El equipo de natación de jóvenes: “San Gabriel Sea Gulls,” practica en la piscina del Parque Smith y compete

con otros equipos de natación de comunidades vecinas. Además, tenemos clases recreativas para jóvenes las cuales incluyen: Baile, Karate, Arte, Tenis, y Batulas. En las vacaciones de veranos ofrecemos para niños campamentos de veranos durante el día.

Para adultos tenemos clases de baile de salón, artesanía, tenis, aeróbicos, y yoga. Tenemos para los adultos agrupaciones excursiones de un día, deportivas de baloncesto y pelota.

Los “Senior Programs” (programas de envejecientes) del Adult Recreation Center en el 324 de South Mission Drive, ofrece almuerzos diarios, bailes de salón durante los miércoles, servicios de “Dial-A-Ride” y servicios de infomación. Para más detalles, llame al (626) 308-2823.

Anualmente, nuestros eventos especiales incluyen: Easter Egg hunt (búsqueda de huevos de Pascuas) y Pancake Breakfast (desayunos de panquecas), el Concurso en Decoración de Calabazas de Halloween, la Ceremonia de iluminación de árbol de Navidad y la visita de Papa Noel.

Para obtener más información de nuestros programas, favor de comunicarse al (626) 308-2875 o visite nuestras oficinas de Parques y Recreación de San Gabriel en el 250 South Mission Drive.

聖蓋博市府公園及娛樂處簡介

聖蓋博市府所屬公園及娛樂處，為本市及四周緊鄰社區居民提供項目眾多的服務。

聖市共有三座公園：文生魯歌公園，史密斯公園和羅斯福公園，都具備野餐區和遊樂場，供民眾舉行家庭野宴，或日常休息娛樂活動。

座落在 232 W. Broadway 的史密斯公園，擁有一座長二十五公尺的游泳池，每年夏季開放，供民眾休閒游泳，並開班傳授泳術，本公園還擁有照明良好的夜間籃球場，網球場和手球場個一座。

座落在 Wells 和 Ramona 交口的文生魯歌公園，擁有遼遼的野餐區，一座少棒球場和廣受兒童喜愛的恐龍遊樂場。

座落在 5410 Delta 的羅斯福公園，擁有多處野餐區，兩座夜間網球場和一座遊樂場。

聖市公園及娛樂處也為各種年紀的市民提供形形色色的娛樂活動。聖市轄內各級公立學校，周二至周五課余為青少年安排各種操場課外活動。由青少年組成的聖蓋博海鷗泳隊每年在史密斯公園的泳池集訓，並且和鄰市泳隊舉行友誼賽。此外為青少年開辦舞蹈，繪畫，網球，儀隊指揮杖表演術，以及滑溜板駕駛術等娛樂課程。每逢學校假日，娛樂處都舉辦日間野營活動。

為成人舉辦的課程包括交際舞，拉丁莎莎舞，手工藝制作，高爾夫，網球，有氧舞蹈及瑜珈術。公園及娛樂處也為成人市民舉辦一日夜的短程旅遊服務，以及組織籃球隊和壘球隊。

本處設在 324 S. Mission Drive 的成人娛樂中心，每天為耆英提供廉價營養午餐，每周三舉辦社交舞會，並且為老年市民提供打電話就上門接送的巴士交通服務，以及各種推薦服務，欲查詢詳情，請致電 (626) 308-2822。

本處每年還舉辦下列年節應景特別活動：復活節彩蛋巡獵遊戲和煎餅早餐會，復活節彩蛋彩繪競賽，建市紀念日街頭博覽會，萬聖節化裝大賽及南瓜雕刻比賽，聖誕樹點燈典禮和聖誕老人出租等節目。

欲查詢任何特定活動詳情的民眾，請致電 (626) 308-2875 接洽。



San Gabriel Mission Playhouse

A World of Arts and Culture



March

- ▶ Friday, March 11 7:00 p.m.
 - ▶ Saturday, March 12 7:00 p.m.
 - ▶ Sunday, March 13 2:00 p.m.
- Temple City HS Performing Arts Dept.**
“Cinderella”
 Information & Tickets (626) 548-5000
www.tcusd.net/schools/templecityhs
- ▶ Friday, March 18 6:00 p.m.
- Arcadia HS**
Invitational HS Show Choir “Pow Wow”
 Information & Tickets (626) 821-1785
www.ausd.k12.ca.us/ahs

April

- ▶ Saturday, April 2 6:00 p.m.
- Mariachi Heritage Society presents**
“Mariachi Sol de Mexico”
 For info/tickets call (626) 279-2064
www.mariachiheritagesociety.com
- ▶ Thursday, April 14 10:00 a.m.
 - ▶ Thursday, April 14 12:00 p.m.
- Theatreworks USA presents**
Theatre for Young People
“Seussical”
 Tickets are available at your local school district
 For info/tickets call (800) 497-5007
- ▶ Saturday, April 16 7:00 p.m.
- American Chinese Dance Association**
 For info/tickets call (626) 643-9434
- ▶ Sunday, April 17 2:00 p.m.
- Esperanza Flores Dance Group
 For info/tickets call (626) 488-0761
www.esperanzaflores.com
- ▶ MORNING PERFORMANCES WEEK OF APRIL 18
- Children’s Theatre Experience presents**
Theatre for Young People
 For info/tickets call (800) 514-2787
www.ctexperience.com
- ▶ Thursday, April 28 9:30 a.m.
 - ▶ Friday April 29 11:30 a.m.
- Greg and Steve in Concert
 For info/tickets call (800) 548-4063
www.gregandsteve.com



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A World of Arts and Culture

May

- Sunday, May 1
**Pointe Ballet Presents
 Spring Dance Recital**
 For info/tickets call

6:30 p.m.

(626) 755-5910
- Saturday, May 7
 ► Saturday, May 7
San Gabriel Valley Music Theatre
 For info/tickets call
www.sgvmusictheatre.org

2:00 p.m.
8:00 p.m.

(626) 282-1440
- Saturday May 14
 ► Sunday, May 15
Li's Ballet Studio
 For info/tickets call
www.lisballet.com

TBD
TBD

(626) 285-4888

June

- Saturday, June 4
**Pasadena Dance Theatre
 Spring Recital**
 Information & Tickets
www.pasadenadance.org

7:00 p.m.

(626)-683-3459
- Saturday, June 11
**Olympia Youth Orchestra
 Free Community Concert!**
 Information
www.olympiaphil.org

8:00 p.m.

(626)-447-5839
- Sunday, June 12
Le Studio Spring Gala
 Information & Tickets
www.lestudiodance.com

7:00 p.m.

(626) 792-4616
- Saturday, June 18
 ► Sunday, June 19
Pasadena Civic Ballet
 Information & Tickets
www.pcballet.com

TBD
TBD

(626) 792-0873
- Saturday, June 25
 ► Sunday, June 26
Vonder Haar Center for the Performing Arts
 Information & Tickets
www.vonderhaarcenter.com

7:00 p.m.
2:30 p.m.

(818) 790-5775

The San Gabriel Mission Playhouse is owned and operated by the City of San Gabriel.

We are pleased to be the venue of choice for the events listed. All events are presented by independent producers and are subject to change and/or cancellation without notice.

Always check the Event hotline for newly added performances at 626 308-2868. Please visit us online at www.missionplayhouse.org for event updates and to join our mailing list.

The San Gabriel Mission Playhouse is located at 320 South Mission Drive, San Gabriel CA 91776.



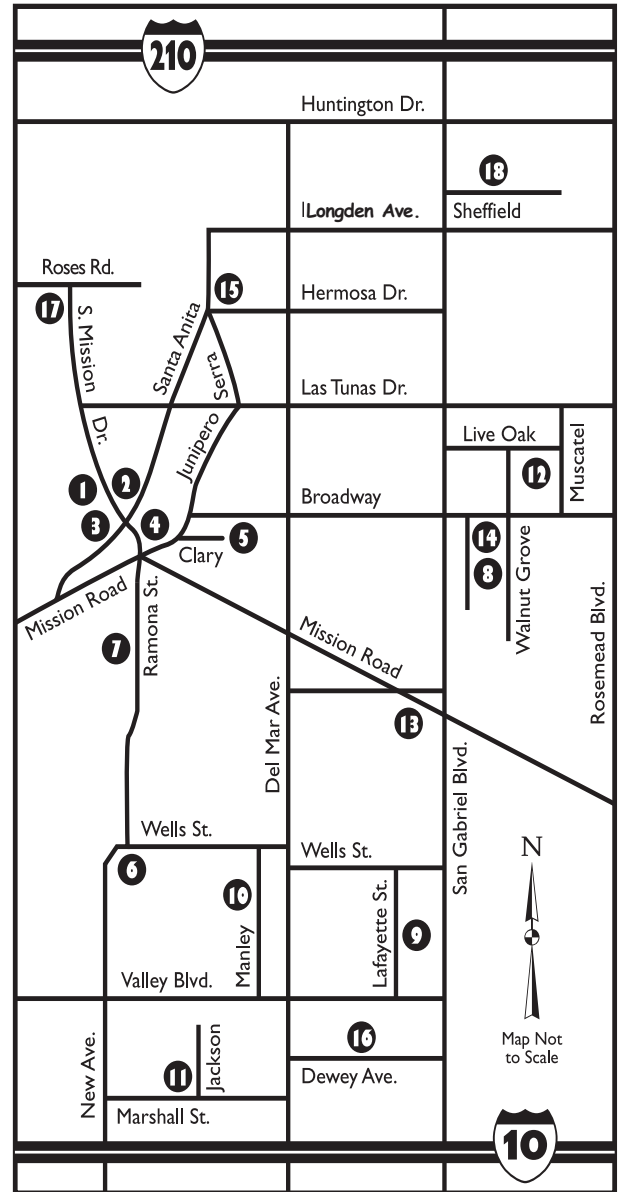


San Gabriel Community Calendar

<u>DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>ACTIVITY</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
MARCH			
1st	7:30 p.m.	San Gabriel City Council	Council Chambers
3rd	11:45 a.m.	Coordinating Council	Adult Recreation Center
7th	8:00 a.m.	Spring Class Registration	Recreation Office
7th	7:00 p.m.	Parks & Recreation Commission	Council Chambers
9th	7:00 p.m.	SGUSD Governing Board	District Office
14th	6:30 p.m.	Planning Commission	Council Chambers
15th	7:30 p.m.	San Gabriel City Council	Council Chambers
16th	6:00 p.m.	Chamber Networking Mixer	WSGV Association of Realtors
22nd		Spring Recreation Classes Begin	Designated sites
23rd	7:00 p.m.	SGUSD Governing Board	District Office
APRIL			
4th	7:00 p.m.	Parks and Recreation Commission	Council Chambers
5th	7:30 p.m.	City Council	Council Chambers
7th	11:45 a.m.	Coordinating Council	Adult Recreation Center
11th	6:30 p.m.	Planning Commission	Council Chambers
13th	7:00 p.m.	SGUSD Governing Board	District Office
19th	7:30 p.m.	City Council	Council Chambers
20th	5:30 p.m.	Chamber Networking Mixer	Mission Playhouse
23rd	7:00 a.m.	“Egg”straordinary Pancake Breakfast & Egg Hunt	Smith Park
25th	7:00 p.m.	Design Review Commission	Council Chambers
27th	6:00 p.m.	SGUSD Governing Board	District Office
MAY			
1st	7:00 p.m.	Parks and Recreation Commission	Council Chambers
3rd	7:30 p.m.	City Council	District Office
5th	11:45 a.m.	Coordinating Council	Adult Recreation Center
9th	6:30 p.m.	Planning Commission	Council Chambers
11th	7:00 p.m.	SGUSD Governing Board	Council Chambers
17th	7:30 p.m.	City Council	Council Chambers
18th	5:30 p.m.	Business Expo	SG Christian School
21st	10:00 a.m.	53rd Annual City Drill Team Championships	Jefferson Middle School
23th	7:00 p.m.	Design Review Commission	Council Chambers
25th	7:00 p.m.	SGUSD Governing Board	District Office
JUNE			
6th	9:00 a.m.	Summer Class Registration	Recreation Office
6th	9:00 a.m.	Swim Lesson Registration	Recreation Office
10th	Afternoons	Recreational Swimming Begins	Smith Park Pool
13th		Summer Classes Begin	Designated Sites
13th	8:25 a.m.	Swim Lessons, Cycle I	Smith Park Pool
13th	9:00 a.m.	Smith Park Playground Opens	Smith Park

Parks & Recreation Locations

	Activity/Mtg. Rm.	Baseball Field	Bbq/Picnic/Reception	Kitchen / Dining	Playground	Afterschool Pgm.	Basketball Ct.	Tennis Courts	Handball Ct	Pool / Wading	Gymnasium
1 Community Rec Ctr 250 South Mission Drive	R			R							
2 Adult Recreation Ctr 324 South Mission Drive	R		R	R							
3 Grapevine Park & Picnic Area: Rear Adult Rec Ctr			R								
4 Plaza Park 428 South Mission Drive			R								
5 Smith Park 232 West Broadway			R		X		L	L	L	X	
6 Vincent Lugo Park Wells & Ramona Streets		R	X		X						
7 San Gabriel High School 801 Ramona Street		X			X		X	X			X
8 Roosevelt School 5410 Delta Street					X	X					
9 Gabrielino High School 1327 S. San Gabriel Bl											X
10 McKinley School 1425 Manley Drive		L			X	X					
11 Marshall School 1817 Jackson Street					X	X					
12 Jefferson School 1340 East Live Oak St					X	X					X
13 Lincoln School 600 East Grand Avenue					X	X					
14 Roosevelt Park 401 South Walnut Grove			X		X			L			
15 Washington School 300 North San Marino Ave					X	X		L			
16 Dewey School 525 East Dewey Ave					X	X		L			
17 Coolidge School 421 North Mission Drive					X	X					
18 Wilson School 8317 East Sheffield Rd					X	X					



Recreation Information & Reservations

Contact the Recreation Office 308-2875

R - Some features available for reservations

X - Amenity at this Location L - Lighted - Night or day use

Here to Serve You

Parks and Recreation Commission

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Recreation Clerk

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Registration begins March 7, 2011
Classes begin March 22, 2011

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Enrollment is Easy!



Walk-In

Mon., Wed., Thurs., Fri.
8:00 am - 4:30 pm
Tuesday 8:00 am - 6:00 pm
Recreation Center
250 S. Mission Dr.

Please bring a check or exact change.



Mail-In

Mail completed form
& payment to:
San Gabriel Recreation Dept.
250 S. Mission Dr.
San Gabriel, CA 91776
To receive a receipt,
please enclose a self-addressed
stamped envelope.



Phone-In or Fax

Phone: (626) 308-2875
Fax: (626) 308-0604
VISA or MasterCard
Mon, Wed, Thurs, Fri: 8:00 am-4:30 pm
Tuesday: 8:00 am-6:00 pm.
Or fax completed form & payment
information 24 hours a day.



Drop-Off

250 S. Mission Dr.
Place completed form and check in
sealed envelope marked
"Registration" and drop in mail slot of
front door at Recreation Center.
To receive a receipt, please enclose a
self-addressed stamped envelope.



Class registration will close following the second class meeting.

•Satisfaction Guaranteed Refund Policy•

Full refunds are given when classes or activities are cancelled by the Recreation department. If you are not completely satisfied with a class, please call **(before the 3rd class meeting for most classes)** and we'll arrange for you to: 1) transfer to a new class or 2) receive a refund. A cancellation processing fee may be charged for refunds requested by the participant.

ACTIVITY REGISTRATION FORM

Please complete entire form and sign waiver of liability. Expanded Walk-In and Phone-In registration hours Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday 8:00am-4:30pm.; Tuesday 8:00am-6:00pm. You may use one form to register for multiple activities.

ADULT PARENT OR GUARDIAN	LAST NAME:		FIRST NAME:	
	ADDRESS:		EMAIL:	
	CITY:		ZIP CODE:	
	CELL PHONE: ()	HOME PHONE: ()	PARENT DOB:	

WAIVER OF LIABILITY – PHOTO RELEASE

Through this registration form, I realize that no medical insurance is provided for the City of San Gabriel activities and I fully understand that my participation exposes me (or my dependent) to the risk of personal injury, death or property loss or damage. I hereby acknowledge that I am voluntarily participating or allowing my dependent to participate in this event/class and agree to assume any such risks. I hereby release, discharge and agree not to sue the City of San Gabriel or any of its officers, employees or agents for any injury, death or damage to or loss of personal property arising out of, or in connection with, my participation or the participation of my dependent in the event/class from whatever cause, including the active or passive negligence of the City of San Gabriel or any other participants in the event/class. In consideration for being permitted to participate in the event/class, I hereby agree, for myself, my heirs, administrators, executors and assigns, that I shall indemnify and hold harmless the City of San Gabriel from any and all claims, demands, actions or suits arising out of or in connection with my participation in the event/class. I am physically able (or my dependent is physically able) to participate in this activity. I consent to any medical treatment my dependent needs while involved in this activity and I agree to pay for it. I hereby consent to the use of photographs depicting me or my dependent in city printed materials and or website. I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS RELEASE, HOLD HARMLESS AND AGREEMENT NOT TO SUE AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS. I AM AWARE THAT IT IS A FULL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY AND SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL.

Signature Required: _____ **Date:** _____
As Parent, Guardian or Participant

ACTIVITY NUMBER	PARTICIPANT'S NAME		BIRTHDAY MO/DY/YR	SEX	ACTIVITY NAME	ACTIVITY FEE
	LAST	FIRST				

Please add \$1 to my registration fees to enable youth to participate in activities through the City's Share a Dream Program. I understand that this is a voluntary donation.

METHOD OF PAYMENT

- Make checks payable to: City of San Gabriel
 Visa or Master Card # _____

TOTAL DUE: _____

\$1 _____



Expiration Date _____

Card Holder Signature _____