

Covina TODAY

SPRING 2023



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FREE!

**POOL PARTY, BOUNCE TOWN,
BUBBLE-OLGY STATION,
AND CRAFTS!**

COVINA PARK
301 N. FOURTH AVE

SPLASH! INTO SUMMER!

SATURDAY, MAY 20

**Parks
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Better!**

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

7:30-11:30 AM PANCAKE BREAKFAST - \$10 PER PERSON--DONATION

Hosted by Covina Kiwanis Club of South Hills (pay at event). Kiwanis Club of Covina Memorial Foundation is a Registered 501(c)(3) Non Profit Organization, Serving the Children of the World.



10 AM FAMILY BUBBLE CITRUS 1.5K - \$5 PER PERSON (AGES 3 & UP)

Families will be blasted with bubbles as they "pop" their way along the route. Participants will receive their own bubble making toy to be part of this pop-tastic event! Registration opens **April 10**. Register online at covinaca.gov/parksrec. You may also register by calling (626) 384-5340 or in person at the Parks & Recreation Department office.



10:30 AM-2 PM BUBBLE-OLGY STATION - FREE!

Visit the Bubble-ology Station and learn about all things bubble! Test out different bubbles solutions and discover the role surface tension plays in creating the perfect bubble.

COVINA BOUNCE TOWN - FREE!

CHILDREN'S CRAFT AREA - FREE!

11 AM-2 PM POOL PARTY! FAMILY RECREATIONAL SWIMMING - FREE!

Enjoy an afternoon cooling off at the pool with the family. Sorry, no arm floaties or inflatables permitted. Pool toys will be provided! Swim assessments for the Summer 2023 season will also be available during this time.

Blue-ray



COVINA PARKS & RECREATION AND LIBRARY SERVICES
1250 N. HOLLENBECK AVE. • (626) 384-5340 • WWW.COVINACA.GOV
REGISTER ONLINE (CITRUS 1.5K ONLY) AT COVINACA.GOV/PARKSREC
OR VISIT THE PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT OFFICE





COVINA CITY HALL

125 East College Street
Monday-Thursday, 7 am-6 pm

HOLIDAY CLOSURE

Monday, May 29 (Memorial Day)

City Manager - Chris Marcarello



City Administration

Administration/City Manager's Office (626) 384-5410
City Clerk/Records Management (626) 384-5430

Community Development

Building Division (626) 384-5460
Inspection Scheduling (626) 384-5461
Code Enforcement (626) 384-5470
Planning Division (626) 384-5450
Housing Programs (626) 384-5400 x-5906

Finance Department

Customer Service (626) 384-5510
Water Bill Inquiries (626) 384-5230
Business Licenses (626) 384-5512

Human Resources

Customer Service (626) 384-5555

Elected Officials

Mayor	Patricia Cortez
Mayor Pro Tem	Walter Allen, III
Council Member	Hector Delgado
Council Member	John C. King
Council Member	Victor Linares
City Treasurer	Neil Polzin
City Clerk	Andrew Aleman



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EVENT SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

PROMOTE YOUR BUSINESS AT MAJOR CITY EVENTS!

BENEFITS INCLUDE:

- ADVERTISING OPPORTUNITIES IN COVINA TODAY.
- MARKETING BOOTH AT CITY EVENTS

EVENTS:

- CITRUS 5K EVENTS
- SKATE & DANCE NIGHTS
- CHALK ART FESTIVAL - APRIL 15
- SUMMER CONCERTS AND FAMILY NIGHTS - JUNE-JULY
- THUNDERFEST - OCTOBER 14
- BOO! BASH - OCTOBER 28
- TREE LIGHTING FESTIVAL - NOVEMBER 17
- COVINA CHRISTMAS PARADE - DECEMBER 2



EMAIL: SPONSORSHIPS@COVINACA.GOV

CALL: (626) 384-5344

On the Cover: Professional Artist—Rod Tryon

Autism Chalk Art Festival! "Covina in Color - It's All About Balance & Seeing Beyond the Surface" - Saturday, April 15. See page 5.

DISCO

Skate & Dance Night

SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 6-8 PM

COVINA PARK, 301 N. Fourth Ave.

Skate & Dance the night away to the grooviest hits from the 70s!

Skating and dancing on outdoor smooth concrete surfaces. Participants must bring own roller skates & protective gear.

Participants under the age of 14 must have an adult present during the entire event.

Fee: \$12 per person (includes access to Skate & Dance areas, two tacos and a drink). **Registration required.**

Register Online: covinaca.gov/parksrec
Deadline to Register is March 10 or until filled.

EASTER Egg Hunt

SATURDAY, APRIL 1

Take selfies with
the Bunny!

\$5 PER CHILD (AGES 2-10)
30-MIN. SESSIONS,
BEGINNING AT 8:30 AM



MUST PREREGISTER.
REGISTER ONLINE AT
COVINACA.GOV/PARKSREC
BY MARCH 24 (OR UNTIL FILLED)

FOR MORE INFORMATION VISIT WWW.COVINACA.GOV OR CALL (626) 384-5340.

COVINA PARKS & RECREATION DEPT AND AUTISMHWY.COM PRESENT THE
2023 CHALK ART FESTIVAL

SATURDAY, APRIL 15 | 9 AM-5 PM

HERITAGE PLAZA, 400 N. CITRUS AVE.



**"IT'S ALL ABOUT BALANCE
& SEEING BEYOND THE SURFACE"**



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All proceeds benefit Autistic children & adults by providing opportunities for creativity and community inclusion. Supporting personal fulfillment and success through the Arts, Music and Movement.

EVENT FEATURES:

- OVER 50 ARTISTS
- CRAFT & FOOD VENDORS

EVENT ACTIVITIES:

- NEW! FOLLOW THE "AUTISTIC MEME TRAIL" - **FREE!**
- CHILDREN'S CRAFT AREAS (ALL DAY) - **FREE!**
- DECOUPAGE ART DEMONSTRATION (11 AM-12 PM, 1-2 PM) - **FREE!**
- DECOUPAGE ART WORKSHOP (2-4 PM) - **FREE!**
- DRUM CIRCLE (1 PM) - **FREE!**
- EXPERIENCE THE H.H. DORJE CHANG BUDDHA III MUSEUM - **FREE!**

Covina is home to a this wonderful and unique Museum that displays a rich collection of beautiful ink-wash paintings, oil paintings, calligraphy, sculptures, and other forms of artistic treasures. The Museum will be open 10 am-5 pm and admission is FREE.

LOOKING FOR ARTISTS & VENDORS

- Artists are **FREE!**
 - Vendor Fee \$60
- SPACE IS LIMITED!**

REGISTER ONLINE AT: [COVINACA.GOV/PARKS REC](https://covinaca.gov/parks-rec)

INFO: (626) 384-5340

Summer
Family
Nights

WEDNESDAYS

Themed Family Fun Nights

June 28, July 12, and July 26

DIVE-IN MOVIES!

Dates to be announced!

Summer

MONDAY MUSIC FESTIVAL

- | | |
|---------|---|
| JUNE 19 | THE DREAMBOATS (50s Music) |
| JUNE 26 | LIKE TOTALLY FER SURE (80s Music) |
| JULY 10 | BRITAIN'S FINEST (Beatles) |
| JULY 17 | CITY BEAT (Horn-infused Rock with Soul) |
| JULY 24 | SCOT BRUCE IS ELVIS! (Elvis Tribute) |
| JULY 31 | SOTO (Latin Music) |





1250 North Hollenbeck Ave. | (626) 384-5340 | Register Online: covinaca.gov/parksrec
Monday-Thursday, and alternating Fridays, 9:30 am-5:30 pm | **Open Fridays:** March 10, 24, April 7, 21



PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

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**WE ARE
HIRING!**
COMMUNITY RESOURCES
ASSISTANT I/II

- Youth Sports Coaches
- Special Events Staff
- Park & Facility Rental Staff



Special Events Staff



Youth Sports Staff



Day Camp Staff



Positive Work Environment!



Impact Your Community!



JOIN THE RECREATION TEAM!

Seasonal and year-round opportunities available!



Scan Code To Apply Now!





MICHAEL D. ANTONOVICH AQUATIC CENTER | COVINA PARK | 301 N. FOURTH AVE.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Online: www.covinaca.gov/parksrec
 By Phone: (626) 384-5340
 In Person: Parks & Rec office, 1250 N. Hollenbeck Ave.
 Registration Begins: March 6

Barracuda Swim Team

Dates: April 10-May 18
 Days: Monday-Thursday
 Times: Ages 5-11: 6:20-7:10 pm
 Ages 12-17: 7:10-8:10 pm
 Fee: \$125 per session

Registration only accepted until 12 pm on the Thursday prior to each session start date, or until filled, whichever occurs first. Programs fill quickly, so register early!

Group Swim Lessons

Sessions/Dates:

Session 1: April 3-13
 Session 2: April 17-27
 Session 3: May 1-11
 Session 4: May 15-25

Days: Monday-Thursday (8 days)
 Fee: \$76 per session



Group Swim Schedule

TIMES	LEVEL AGES	LEVEL AGES	LEVEL AGES	LEVEL AGES	LEVEL AGES
3:50-4:30 PM	Lev. 1 - Ages 4-6	Lev. 1 - Ages 7-12	Lev. 2 - Ages 4-6	Lev. 2 - Ages 7-12	Lev. 3 & 4 - Ages 5-12
4:40-5:20 pm	Lev. 1 - Ages 4-6	Lev. 1 - Ages 7-12	Lev. 2 - Ages 4-6	Lev. 2 - Ages 7-12	Lev. 3 & 5 - Ages 5-12
5:30-6:10 pm	Lev. 1 - Ages 4-6	Lev. 1 - Ages 7-12	Lev. 2 - Ages 4-6	Lev. 2 - Ages 7-12	Lev. 3 & 4 - Ages 5-12
6:20-7:00 pm	Lev. 1 - Ages 4-6	Lev. 1 - Ages 7-12	Lev. 2 - Ages 4-6	Lev. 2 - Ages 7-12	Lev. 3 - Ages 5-12

Important Information

- ◆ Transfers or credits MUST be requested by 12 pm on the Thursday prior to session start date.
- ◆ NO REFUNDS will be issued for aquatic programs.
- ◆ No refunds, credits, or makeups for classes canceled due to fecal/biohazard incidents or inclement weather, or for classes missed by participant.
- ◆ If parent registers child in the wrong level, every effort will be made to move child to appropriate level, but this is not guaranteed. Child may have to be withdrawn for session and a credit issued.
- ◆ All programs subject to change or cancellation due to low enrollments or other factors.
- ◆ Pool is heated.

Safety Precautions

- ◆ Parents must assess their child's health prior to coming to lessons each day. If child is showing any symptoms of illness or elevated temperature, then they must not come to the pool. No refunds or credits can be offered due to illness.



LIBRARY

234 North Second Avenue | Library Services - (626) 384-5303 | Literacy Services - (626) 384-5280
covinalibrary@covinaca.gov

LIBRARY HOURS

Tues/Thurs, 12-6 pm, Wed/Fri, 11 am-5 pm
Saturday, 10 am-4 pm

COVINA LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Denae Amaya, Suzee Della Donna,
Jeanne McCabe, Diana Mullins, Deborah Moraza

HOLIDAY CLOSURES: Sat. May 20 (Open 1-4 pm only), May 27 (Observance of Memorial Day)

National Library Week

HELP CONTRIBUTE TO A COVINA COMMUNITY DISPLAY!

MARCH 10-31

Tell us what the Covina Public Library means to you. The Library will be celebrating National Library week with the theme, "There's More to the Story."

*Libraries provide books, computers, story times,
safe spaces, and so much more!*

In 100 words or less, tell us your library story. Photo submissions of original artwork are also accepted. Selected submissions will be displayed in the Covina Public Library from [April 1-May 6](#). Submit your story in person at the Covina Public Library or via email at covinalibrary@covinaca.gov



LIBRARY

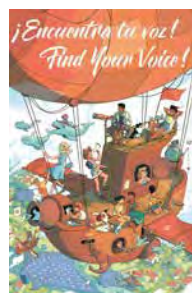
SAVE THE DATE!

LIBRARY SUMMER READING PROGRAM

JUNE 6- JULY 22

"Find Your Voice"

Earn entries into opportunity drawings for real prizes in challenges available for children, teens, and adults.



The Friends of the Covina Public Library - SPRING BOOK SALE

Spring into a good book! Enjoy perusing the wide variety of books from Cooking to Shakespeare!

Saturday, April 1

10 am-3 pm

(Friends members pre-sale 9-10 am)

*Located at the
Covina Public Library*

ONLINE REGISTRATION FOR EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES!

For events or activities requiring registration, please visit covina.ca.gov/library and "click" the link for online registration. You may also call (626) 384-5303 or visit the Library for registration assistance.



PROGRAMS & EVENTS

FAMILY TRIVIA

Put on your thinking cap, and join us for an afternoon of fun and amusing questions! Winners will get a digital shout out on the Library's social media page. For ZOOM Link and password, visit covina.ca.gov/library. **All Ages.**

Dates	Day	Time
Mar 18, Apr 15, May 20	Sat	2-3 pm

WALK-IN FAMILY STORYTIME

A family program filled with songs, stories, and activities. Participants must visit the Service Desk beginning at 10:30 am to get a FREE ticket to participate. **All Ages.**

Dates	Day	Time
Mar 25, Apr 22	Sat	11 am

SPECIAL PROGRAM: CELEBRATE EARTH DAY!

It's Family Reading Night! Learn about sustainable practices and caring for our planet through books, songs, and activities. Pre-registration is required and opens one week prior to the program. **All Ages.**

Date	Day	Time
Apr 20	Thu	5-6 pm

KID'S CORNER

BRIGHT BEGINNINGS

Guide your child through the wonderful world of books! These kits are filled with colorful reads, activities, and more and develop essential reading habits. Kits available on a first-come, first-served basis. **Ages 0-3.**

Pickup Date	Day	Time
Apr 1	Sat	10 am-3 pm

KIDS CREATE

Taught step by step, these exciting crafts inspire children to be artistic and explore their creative skills. Preregistration required. **Ages 5-8.**

Dates	Day	Time
Mar 11, Apr 8, May 13	Sat	2-3 pm

CHILDREN'S WALK-IN CRAFT

Drop-in for an afternoon crafting activity. Stay for the entire crafting session and create to your heart's content or swing by on your regular library visit. **All Ages.**

Dates	Day	Time
Mar 16, Apr 20, May 18	Thu	4-5:45 pm

STORYTIME

Presented by Miss K and Miss V! Children learn, sing, dance, and play with fun, interactive stories and activities that foster early literacy and teach important life skills. Preregistration required. **Ages 2-4.**

Dates	Day	Time
Mar 29-May 17	Wed	11 am-12 pm

MAKERSPACE

Projects address special topics and skills to help succeed in a STEAM-powered world! Preregistration required. **Ages 8-12.**

Dates	Day	Time
Mar 9, Apr 13, May 11	Thu	4-4:30 pm

TWEEN, TEEN AND ADULT

TWEENS

Craft projects designed to spark creativity, develop ideas, and learn new skills. Enjoy the vibe as you create, explore, and socialize OFFLINE. Preregistration required. **Ages 10-13.**

Dates	Day	Time
Mar 21, Apr 18, May 16	Tue	3-4 pm

COVINA'S T.E.A.M. ADVISORY & SERVICE GROUP

Volunteer and positively impact Covina's Recreation and Library programs! Gain valuable experience in leadership and teamwork by joining this group! **Ages 13-17.**

Email: teen@covina.ca.gov
Location: Covina Public Library

Dates	Day	Time
Apr 11, May 9, Jun 13	Tue	6-7 pm

ADULT DIY

Bring out your creative energies at a place where innovation and imagination meet! Join us as we unwind and express ourselves through some DIY crafts.

Dates	Day	Time
Apr 1, May 6	Sat	11 am-12 pm

A HUGE THANK YOU!

Library programs are supported, in part, by the generosity of
The Friends of the
Covina Public Library



ADULT LITERACY PROGRAM

Funded, in part, by the California Library Literacy Services and the Community Development Block Grant. Programs are designed to improve reading and writing skills through small group classes led by trained volunteers.

ADULT LEARNING

Classes are designed to help adults build reading, writing, vocabulary and comprehension skills.

Class	Dates	Days	Time
Level 1, 2	Apr 4-May 18	T/Th	1:30-2:30 pm
Level 3, 4	Apr 5-May 19	W/F	1:30-2:30 pm

ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (ESL)

ESL classes focus on developing speaking, listening, reading, writing, and computer skills needed for daily life. In both classes, adults practice pronunciation and grammar activities to improve everyday communication and build a foundation of the English Language.

Class	Dates	Days	Time
Pre-Beginning	Apr 8-May 13	Sat	10-11 am
Beginning	Apr 4-May 18	T/Th	10-11 am
Intermediate	Apr 5-May 19	W/F	10-11 am

CITIZENSHIP PREPARATION

Learn United States History and civics, practice reading, writing, and improve English skills for the Citizenship interview. For information, visit the Library or call the Literacy office at (626)384-5280.

TUTOR INTEREST SESSION

Want to make a difference in your community? Consider becoming a Literacy tutor! Join us and learn about the Second Start Literacy Program and how YOU can become a tutor. Must be 18 years or older.

Date	Day	Time
April 29	Sat	2-3 pm

ESL BOOK CLUB

Are you interested in expanding your English vocabulary and conversational skills? Join the ESL Book club to practice English speaking and reading skills with a group of learners. Open to Library Literacy Program Participants.

Date	Day	Time
Apr 5-May 19	Wed	11 am-12 pm

E-RESOURCES

LINKEDIN LEARNING BLURB

Available with your Covina Public Library card! Free online courses and learning paths are available across many subjects including HR and leadership skills, Microsoft Office Suite, and more.



LEARNING PLATFORMS

Take classes on topics such as health and wellness, cooking, travel, and more. Through a partnership with the California State Library, we are excited to bring six new **FREE** learning platforms to **Your Library!** Please visit <https://covinaca.gov/library/page/online-learning> for full details and description of each subject.



PRESSREADER

Read magazines or newspapers from around the world? PressReader has over 7,000 publications from 150 countries in 65 languages. Scan this code or visit <https://covinaca.gov/library/page/e-books-audio> and click on PressReader.



E-BOOKS, AUDIOBOOKS AND VIDEOS

Access the e-media collection from home or on the go! Use your computer and go to <https://smdl.overdrive.com> or download the Libby app on your smart device. Select the Covina Public Library from the drop-down menu and enter your Library Card number.

THE FRIENDS OF THE COVINA PUBLIC LIBRARY

Founded in 1962, this group is made up of Volunteers and during the year, they raise funds through various fundraising activities. These funds go to support the programs and events at the YOUR Library.

For more information, please contact Maurice Kane at kanemaurice@hotmail.com



READING BECOMES ECLECTIC BOOK CLUB

SELECTIONS:

- Mar 15: Here We Are: American Dreams, American Nightmares by Aarti Namdev Shahani
- Apr 19: Last Book Shop in London by Madeline Martin
- May 17: Time is a Mother by Ocean Vuong

Please note: This activity is not a City of Covina sponsored program and does NOT take place at the Library. It is sponsored and hosted by the Friends of the Covina Public Library and takes place at an OFFSITE location.



I'M GOING TO
CAMP COVINA!



Location: Cougar Park, 150 W. Puente St.

SPRING CAMP

Exciting activities, including arts and crafts, sports, games and much more will be offered daily. A special event presentation will take place during the week. Campers must bring their own lunch and snacks will be provided daily.

Campers must be at least age 6 and in the 1st grade prior to their first day of camp (NO EXCEPTIONS).

Ages	Dates	Days	Time	Fee	Registration Dates	Refund Deadline
6-12	Apr 3-7	Mon-Fri	7:30 am-5:30 pm	\$150 per child	Now through Mar 30	Mar 27

(Full payment due at time of registration.)

SUMMER CAMP

Registration Begins: Monday, April 24

Ages 6-10

A fun, safe place for children to spend their summer days. Campers develop creative thinking and teamwork skills while engaging in an exciting camp experience. Activities offered daily include arts & crafts, science experiments, sports, games and much more. Each week, participants have the opportunity to play in the splash pad and participate in special event days*. Campers must bring their own lunch, snacks provided daily.

Campers must be at least age 6 and have completed kindergarten prior to their first day of camp. *Event days change weekly, but include a fun and educational presentation and hands-on activity or field trip.

Ages	Dates	Days	Time
6-10	Jun 12-Aug 18	Mon-Fri	7:30 am-5:30 pm
11-13	Jun 12-Aug 18	Mon-Fri	7:30 am-5:30 pm

Ages 11-13

Middle school campers will participate in projects and activities aimed at developing a sense of pride in their community and in themselves. Field trips and walking excursions will take place weekly. Campers will also walk to the Covina Public Library each week for tween activities and summer reading program. Campers bring their own lunch and snacks will be provided daily. Campers must be at least 11 years of age and have completed 5th grade prior to their first day of camp.

Fee
\$160 per week, per child
\$128 per week, per child (week 4)
\$170 per week, per child
\$136 per week, per child (week 4)



Camp Registration Information

Register Online: covina.ca.gov/parksrec

Phone in: (626) 384-5340

Walk-in: Covina Parks & Recreation Dept, 1250 N. Hollenbeck Ave.

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday and alternate Fridays, 9:30 am-5:30 pm

More information for both camps regarding registration, payment options, refund policy and camp rules are available at the Parks & Recreation office and online at covina.ca.gov.

CAMP COVINA

**TEENS
AGES 12-17**

LEADERS-IN-TRAINING

THIS SUMMER TRAINING PROGRAM PROVIDES AN OPPORTUNITY FOR TEENS TO BECOME INVOLVED IN THE COMMUNITY BY ASSISTING IN A VARIETY OF AREAS WITHIN THE CITY, INCLUDING THE PARKS & RECREATION AND LIBRARY SERVICES DEPARTMENT.



WHY BE A LEADER-IN-TRAINING?

- Hands-on Training in Public Service
- Complete Community Service Hours
- Impact your Community
- Build your Resume
- Gain Valuable Work Skills & Experience
- Enhance Future Employment Opportunities

IMPORTANT DATES:

- March 20: Applications Available (Online at covinaca.gov/parksrec or in-person at Covina Parks & Recreation Department, 1250 N. Hollenbeck Ave.)
- April 13: Applications Due (by 5:30 pm) and accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.
- April 26 & 27: Program Interviews



PROGRAM FEE: \$55 (Due at the time of application submission. Sponsorships available to assist Covina residents with program fee.)
 For more information, please call (626) 384-5340 or email teen@covinaca.gov

TEEN PROGRAMS



TEEN VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

Looking to gain volunteer experience and positively impact Covina's Recreation and Library programs?

Gain valuable experience in leadership and teamwork by joining Covina's TEAM Advisory & Service Group!



MEETINGS DATES

DAY & TIME: Tuesdays, 6 pm
DATES: April 11, May 9, June 13
LOCATION: Covina Public Library
 234 N. Second Avenue

Meetings conducted once per month at the Covina Public Library and service opportunities take place throughout the year.

More information:
 Email - teen@covinaca.gov
 Call - (626) 384-5340



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DAY TRIPS

Ages 6 and up (travelers under the age of 18, must be accompanied by an adult).

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

1. Register online at www.covinaca.gov/parksrec; or
2. Visit or call one of the following locations:

Covina Parks & Recreation Department
1250 N. Hollenbeck Ave. • (626) 384-5340

Covina Senior and Community Center
815 N. Barranca Ave. • (626) 384-5380

All trips depart from and return to the **Covina Senior and Community Center**



TRIP CANCELLATIONS/REFUNDS: Cancellations must be made by the deadline stated to be eligible for refund.



The Grand Tea Room and The Forum Carlsbad

Saturday, May 6
8:30 am-6:30 pm

Step into a beautiful vintage and quaint experience as you treat yourself to tea at the Grand Tea Room located in the historical downtown area of Escondido. You'll enjoy assorted tea sandwiches, fresh fruit, a scone with cream, lemon curd and preserves, petite desserts, and freshly steeped tea. Then you'll be whisked away to the Forum Carlsbad, one of the "new-style" outdoor malls, with brilliantly-hued umbrellas where you can relax in the shade or just drink-in the atmosphere. Moderate walking and prolonged sitting.

Fee: \$67 (tea included)
Refund Deadline: April 6



SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO WALKING TOUR & SHOPPING

Saturday, June 24
8:30 am-5 pm

Step back into history and walk the oldest, continuously inhabited street in California. Los Rios street is a charming neighborhood with a colorful history and every building has a story to tell. Walking tour is about one mile in length. Then spend the afternoon shopping and dining in the area where you can further explore your favorite spots. Moderate walking and prolonged sitting.

Fee: \$35 (lunch not included)
Refund Deadline: May 24



HOLLYWOOD BOWL FIREWORKS SPECTACULAR

Monday, July 3
4:30-11:30 pm

Experience an Independence celebration like no other with dozens of their chart-toppers becoming anthems of American youth - including "Surfin' USA," "I Get Around," and "Fun, Fun, Fun" - the Beach Boys will light up the night with the Hollywood Bowl Orchestra and legendary fireworks! We encourage you to bring your own picnic, concessions will be available. Seat cushions are included and will be at your seat waiting for you! Extensive walking and prolonged sitting and standing.

Fee: TBA (Dinner not included, call March 6 for more details)
Refund Deadline: June 2

DAY TRIPS



SPORTS

All programs are coed – boys and girls play together.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Registration Dates: Now thru the first week of program or until filled

Online: www.covinaca.gov/parksrec

Phone-in: (626) 384-5340

Walk-in: Covina Parks & Recreation Department, 1250 N. Hollenbeck Ave.

Office Hours: Monday-Thursday and alternate Fridays, 9:30 am-5:30 pm

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PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

PARENT AND ME Ages 18 mos- 3 years

This program focuses on developing participants' motor skills and building the basic skills specific to the sport.

Coaches will guide each parent/child group through a variety of fun exercises and games that encourage positive play and socialization. The season concludes with a short informal scrimmage game.

LITTLE TOTS Ages 3-4

This program provides children with a fun and exciting **noncompetitive** environment in which they can experience sports for the first time. The first part of the program consists of drills and the last few weeks children play friendly games.

Participants must be age 3 by the first day of the program - NO exceptions!

YOUTH Ages 5-12

Provides instruction and fun for participants in a **noncompetitive** atmosphere. Sessions led by trained staff who emphasize each child's individual skill development by raising self-esteem and developing a joy for the sport. The 4-week camp structure allows for a faster-paced program with more individual training, skill development, and repetition.

BASKETBALL CAMP Ages 11-14

Designed to develop participants' skills as they enter competitive leagues. Participants are divided into groups based on ability and current skill set to maximize development potential. Staff will work to develop each participant's skill and communication on the court, as well as how to work effectively in a team setting.

PICKLEBALL For Ages 55+

This 4-week class for beginners is an exciting and low-impact sport that is a combination of tennis, badminton, and ping-pong. Participants will learn drills and play friendly games. Paddles available for use during class.

PICKLEBALL OPEN PLAY - Ages 13 & Up

Simply pay a low monthly fee and stop by during any session to play games with other Pickleball enthusiasts! City staff will be on-hand with everything you need to "get your game on!" (Nets, paddles, and balls are available).

PICKLEBALL SKILL DRILLING - Ages 13 & Up

Advance your Pickleball skills by practicing your drilling. This 4-week drilling class will help with your technique in dinking, serving, and Pickleball game IQ. No Pickleball games will be played.

REFUND POLICY:

Full refunds may be requested a minimum of 24 hours prior to the start of the program. Prorated refunds are provided if requested less than 24 hours prior to program start, but before the second day of the program. No refunds are provided after the second day of the program has taken place, regardless of whether it has been attended or not.

FLAG FOOTBALL - Ages 3-12

Location: Covina Park, 301 N. Fourth Ave.

Sport	Ages	Days	Times	Dates	Fee
Little Tots Flag Football	3-4	M/W	5-5:45 pm	Mar 27-Apr 19	\$76
Little Tots Flag Football	3-4	M/W	5-5:45 pm	May 1-24	\$76
Flag Football Camp	5-8	M/W	6-6:50 pm	Mar 27-Apr 19	\$76
Flag Football Camp	5-8	M/W	6-6:50 pm	May 1-24	\$76
Flag Football Camp	9-12	M/W	7-7:50 pm	Mar 27-Apr 19	\$76
Flag Football Camp	9-12	M/W	7-7:50 pm	May 1-24	\$76

SOCCER - Ages 18 months-12 years

Location: Hollenbeck Park, 1250 N. Hollenbeck Ave.

Sport	Ages	Days	Times	Dates	Fees
Little Tots Soccer	3-4	M/W	5-5:45 pm	Mar 27-Apr 19	\$76
Little Tots Soccer	3-4	M/W	5-5:45 pm	May 1-24	\$76
Soccer Camp	5-7	M/W	6-6:50 pm	Mar 27-Apr 19	\$76
Soccer Camp	5-7	M/W	6-6:50 pm	May 1-24	\$76
Soccer Camp	8-9	T/Th	5-5:50 pm	Mar 28-Apr 20	\$76
Soccer Camp	8-9	T/Th	5-5:50 pm	May 2-25	\$76
Soccer Camp	10-12	T/Th	6-6:50 pm	Mar 28-Apr 20	\$76
Soccer Camp	10-12	T/Th	6-6:50 pm	May 2-25	\$76
Parent & Me Soccer	18 mos-3 yrs	Sat	9-9:30 am	Apr 15-May 20	\$57
Little Tots Soccer	3-4	Sat	9:30-10:15 am	Apr 15-May 20	\$57

BASKETBALL CAMP - Ages 11-14

Location: Covina Park, 301 N. Fourth Ave.

Sport	Ages	Days	Time	Dates	Fee
Basketball Camp	11-14	T/Th	5:30-6:50 pm	Apr 11-May 11	\$105

PICKLEBALL

Location: Covina Park, Tennis Courts, 301 N. Fourth Ave.

Pickleball For Ages 55+

Sport	Ages	Day	Time	Dates	Fee
Pickleball	55+	T/Th	9-10 am	Mar 28-Apr 20	\$20
Pickleball	55+	T/Th	9-10 am	May 2-25	\$20



Pickleball Skill Drilling - Ages 13 & Up

Sport	Ages	Day	Time	Dates	Fee
Pickleball Skill Drilling	13 & Up	Sun	9-10 am	Apr 16-May 7	\$20

Pickleball "OPEN PLAY" - Ages 13 & Up

Sport	Ages	Days & Times	Dates	Fee
Pickleball "Open Play"	13 & Up	M (5-7:30 pm), W (8-10 am), Sa (8-10:30 am)	Jan-Mar	\$30



NEW Teqball Table at Covina Park, 401 N. Fourth Ave. (adjacent to the Challenge Course)

Teqball is soccer-based sport, played on a specially-curved table. Teqball assists players in developing their technical skills, concentration and stamina. For more information on the sport of Teqball please visit the US National Teqball Federation at usteqballfederation.com/Teqball or call the Parks & Recreation Office at (626) 384-5340.



CLASSES

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Register online at covinaca.gov/parksrec or visit/call one of the following locations:

Covina Parks & Recreation Department, 1250 N. Hollenbeck Ave.

Hours: Monday-Thursday and alternate Fridays, 9:30 am-5:30 pm

Phone: (626) 384-5340

Covina Senior and Community Center, 815 N. Barranca Ave.

Hours: Monday-Thursday, 8:30 am-4:30 pm, and Fridays, 8:30 am-1:30 pm

Phone: (626) 384-5380

(Please note: Registration is NOT taken on-site at class locations other than the Senior and Community Center. Class schedules subject to change.)

REFUND POLICY

Full refunds may be requested a minimum of 24 hours prior to the start of the class.

Prorated refunds are provided if requested less than 24 hours prior to the start of the first class, but before the second class. No refunds are provided after the second class has taken place, regardless of whether it has been attended or not. For any Private Lessons or one day classes, refunds requested with less than 24 hours notice will only be issued if spot is resold. NO REFUNDS issued after the session begins.

CLASS LOCATIONS:

Cougar Park Community Center, 150 W. Puente St. (Cougar Park)

Hollfelder Teen Center, 301 N. Fourth Ave. (Covina Park)

Recreation Hall, 340 N. Valencia Pl. (Covina Park)

Senior and Community Center, 815 N. Barranca Ave. (Sunkist Park)



Fitness

ZUMBA GOLD FITNESS®

Class combines low-impact, Latin-based dance fitness moves with a wide range of music. Bring water and towel.

Ages 18 & up

Instructor: Alicia Flores

Location: Senior and Community Center

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Mar 27-May 17	M/W	8:30-9:20 am	\$64
Per class drop-in:			\$5

MAT PILATES

Strengthen your core and increase flexibility. Bring light hand weights, bands, and workout mat. All levels welcome!

Ages 18 & up

Instructor: Carol Cugno

Location: Senior and Community Center

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 28-May 9	Tue	4:30-5:30 pm	\$49
Mar 28-May 11	T/Th	4:30-5:30 pm	\$77
Mar 30-May 11	Thu	4:30-5:30 pm	\$49

GENTLE HATHA YOGA

Increase and strengthen your flexibility and balance.

Learn relaxation and breathing exercises to promote a healthy body and reduce stress and tension. Yoga mat required. No class April 3.

Ages 18 & up

Instructor: Nikki Valdez

Location: Senior and Community Center

ARTHRITIS EXERCISE CLASS

Designed to help people with any form of arthritis keep joints flexible, maintain range of motion and build overall stamina. Bring weights and stretch bands.

Ages 18 & up

Instructor: Terri Thomas

Location: Senior and Community Center

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Mar 29-May 31	Wed	1:30-2:30 pm	\$30
Mar 31-Jun 2	Fri	10:15-11:15 am	\$30
Apr 3-May 22	Mon	10:15-11:15 am	\$24

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Mar 27-May 22	Mon	9-10 am	\$56

TAI CHI CHUAN

This easy-to-learn system of relaxed movements provides strength and a workout without physical exhaustion. Improve the mind's focus and regain lost ability of motion. **Ages 12 & up**

Instructor: Dan Layne

Location: Covina Park, Recreation Hall

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Mar 31-May 5	Fri	6-7 pm	\$36

FALL-PROOF BALANCE & MOBILITY

Improve your health and sense of vitality! After careful review, an individual balance and mobility routine will be implemented. **Ages 18 & up**

Instructor: Dan Layne

Location: Senior and Community Center

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Apr 1-May 6	Sat	11 am-12 pm	\$42

KUNG FU SAN SOO

Kung Fu San Soo is a Chinese style of hand-to-hand combat developed and refined for over 2,000 years. It's a new way to think about self-defense. No class May 14. **Ages 5 & up**

Instructor: Dale Garrison

Location: Covina Park, Recreation Hall

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Apr 16-Jun 11	Sun	11 am-12 pm (Ages 5-11)	\$80
Apr 16-Jun 11	Sun	12-1 pm (Ages 12+)	\$80

BEGINNING/ADVANCED TAE KWON DO

Class focuses on respect, self-discipline, self-esteem, positive attitude, self-defense and mental and physical awareness. No class June 3. **Ages 5-17**

Instructor: Tony Castro

Location: Covina Park, Recreation Hall

Dates: Mar 30-Jun 8 **Belt Test:** June 3

Days: Th/Sa **Fee:** \$100

Mandatory \$45-\$50 uniform fee paid to the instructor at first class. Optional equipment for purchase at first class. \$50 Belt Test fee if applicable.

Level/Ages	Days	Times
Beginning I (Ages 5-10)	Thu	5:30-6:15 pm
	Sat	12:30-1:30 pm
Beginning II (Ages 11-17)	Thu	6:15-7 pm
	Sat	1:30-2:30 pm
Advanced (Ages 9-17)	Thu	7-7:45 pm
	Sat	2:30-3:30 pm



TAI STRETCH (CHI KUNG)

A combination of exercises for joints and muscles that may help with joint and muscle. Learn breathing techniques through Yoga, balance and strength through Tai Chi, and an introduction to "Chi Hula." **Ages 18 & up**

Instructor: Gabe (Tavanna) Van Leeuwen

Location: Senior and Community Center

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Mar 28-May 16	Tue	10:15-11:15 am	\$24

Music

PRIVATE PIANO LESSONS

PREREGISTRATION is MANDATORY. Students learn elementary to full comprehensive music theory fundamentals, along with proper piano fingering technique. Must have access to a piano or keyboard for class and practice. Evaluation at first class to determine books. Half-hour private lessons. **Ages 6 & up**

Instructor: Devin Thomas Measom

Location: Senior and Community Center

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 27-May 22	Mon	3:30-8:30 pm	\$162
Mar 28-May 23	Tue	6-7 pm	\$162
Mar 29-May 24	Wed	3-5:30 pm	\$162



Tennis



Bring a tennis racquet.

Instructor: Amalia Sereinghe

Location: Covina Park, Tennis Courts

TENNIS FOR BEGINNERS

Ages 9-17

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 28-May 16	Tue	6:30-7:30 pm (Ages 9-12)	\$64
Mar 30-May 18	Thu	8-9 pm (Ages 12-17)	\$64
Apr 1-May 20	Sat	11 am-12 pm (Ages 9-12)	\$64

INTERMEDIATE TENNIS

For students who have taken beginners classes and understand basic strokes and technique. **Ages 9-17**

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 29-May 17	Wed	5:30-6:30 pm (Ages 9-12)	\$64
Mar 29-May 17	Wed	6:30-7:30 pm (Ages 12-17)	\$64

TEAM TENNIS FOR KIDS

Designed for those who intend to pursue tennis as a competitive sport. Requires completion of Intermediate Tennis and instructor's approval. **Ages 9-13**

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 30-May 18	Thu	6:30-8 pm	\$64

ADVANCED CLINIC

This is a program for advanced players. Includes stroke production, technique and fun, as well as competitive drills for both singles and doubles. **Ages 10-17**

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 28-May 16	Tue	7:30-8:30 pm	\$64

TEAM TENNIS FOR ADULTS

Learn skills and strategies for competition and compete throughout class as singles or doubles. Participants may form teams to prepare for competition in the USTA Leagues. **Ages 18 & up**

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 29-May 17	Wed	8:30-10 pm	\$64

TENNIS FOR ADULT BEGINNERS

Ages 18 & up

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 28-May 16	Tue	8:30-9:30 pm	\$64

ADULT INTERMEDIATE TENNIS

Fine tune and correct strokes. Take the next step in improving game skills. Learn overhead smash, lob, top spin, game strategy and more. **Ages 18 & up**

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 29-May 17	Wed	7:30-8:30 pm	\$64

Special Interest

MAGIC FOR YOUTH

Learn the basics of magic and sleight of hand.

Ages 8-17

Instructor: Devin Thomas Measom

Location: Senior and Community Center

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 28-May 23	Tue	3:30-4:30 pm	\$72*

**Plus a \$10 material fee paid to instructor at first class*

CHESS CLASS

Learn the basic moves, opening and mid-game strategies, and the all-important end-game. All levels will play matches against each other. **Ages 8-17**

Instructor: Devin Thomas Measom

Location: Senior and Community Center

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 28-May 23	Tue	4:30-5:30 pm	\$63

PARENT & ME WIGGLES & GIGGLES

Parent and child will have fun with movement, music and exercise! Parent participation required. **Ages 1-3**

Instructor: Terri Thomas

Location: Covina Park, Recreation Hall

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 30-May 11	Thu	11:15 am-12 pm	\$42*

**Plus a \$15 material fee paid to instructor at first class*

TOTALLY TOTS

Toddlers will learn through play, such as painting, solving puzzles, and playing with playdough. They discover phonics, shapes, colors, numbers, days of the week and months of the year through songs. Parent participation required. **Ages 18 mos.-4 yrs**

Instructors: Vihulu Villagran & Diana De la Cruz

Location: Senior and Community Center

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 29-May 17	Wed	6-7 pm	\$80*

**Plus \$15 material fee paid to instructor at first class*



Special Interest

TOT PARTIES WITH TERRI THOMAS

Parent participation required. **Ages 18 mos.-5 yrs**
Location: Covina Park, Recreation Hall

KNIGHT, DRAGON AND PRINCESS ROYAL PARTY

Put on your crown and start waving your wand, lets play like a knight or princess in an enchanted land far away. Fun activities are all part of the adventure. Enjoy snacks fit for royalty to take home.



Date	Day	Time	Fee
Apr 14	Fri	11:45 am-12:45 pm	\$8*

**Plus \$10 material fee paid to instructor at first class*

MAY THE 4TH BE WITH YOU TOT PARTY

Come celebrate Star Wars with us! This is the "Way" to join in the fun with activities wrapped around Baby Yoda and all things Jedi! Join us for crafts, music and yummy snacks to take home. Wear your best Star Wars outfit.

Date	Day	Time	Fee
May 4	Thu	1:15-2:15 pm	\$8*

**Plus \$10 material fee paid to instructor at first class*

Dance

DANCE WITH SHAWNA COOK

Ballet attire and shoes recommended. No class April 11 and 15.

Location: Covina Park, Recreation Hall



TINY TOTS BALLET

Ages 3-4

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 28-May 23	Tue	3:15-4 pm	\$48
Apr 1-May 27	Sat	9-9:45 am	\$48

BEGINNING BALLET

Ages 5-12

Dates	Days	Time	Fee
Mar 28-May 23	Tue	4-4:50 pm (Ages 5-6)	\$56
Apr 1-May 27	Sat	10-10:50 am (Ages 5-6)	\$56
Apr 1-May 27	Sat	11-11:50 am (Ages 7-12)	\$56

DANCE WITH TERRI THOMAS

Location: Covina Park, Recreation Hall

BABY BALLET/CREATIVE DANCE

Parent participation required. Ballet attire and ballet shoes recommended. **Ages 3-4**

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Mar 30-May 11	Thu	9:15-9:50 am	\$42

TINY TOT TAP AND BALLET

Ballet attire, tap and ballet shoes recommended.

Ages 3-4

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Mar 30-May 11	Thu	10-10:45 am	\$49

EGYPTIAN BELLY DANCING

Beginning class covers basic figure eight movements with basic turns and steps. Adv./Int. class covers beyond basic belly dance moves, including different types of shimmies and layering. **Ages 16 & up**

Instructor: Arlene Mar

Location: Covina Park, Recreation Hall

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Mar 29-May 17	Wed	6:30-7:30 pm (Beg.)	\$80
Mar 29-May 17	Wed	7:30-8:30 pm (Int./Adv.)	\$80

LINE DANCE

LINE DANCE WITH PAM WAGONER

No partner needed. No sandals.

Location: Senior and Community Center

LINE DANCING

Learn the latest line dances step-by-step in a relaxed atmosphere. This class is also a great way to stay in shape. **Ages 16 & up**

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Mar 27-May 22	Mon	7-8 pm (Beg.)	\$45
Mar 27-May 22	Mon	7-9:15 pm (Combo)	\$67.50
Mar 27-May 22	Mon	8:15-9:15 pm (Int.)	\$45

LINE DANCING FOR SENIORS

This is a great way to exercise while having fun. Learn proper heel, toe steps along with simple dance routines.

Ages 18 & up

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Mar 28-May 23	Tue	1:30-2:30 pm (Beg.)	\$45
Mar 28-May 23	Tue	2:45-3:45 pm (Int.)	\$45

Arts & Crafts

ART CLASSES WITH TERRI THOMAS

WATERCOLOR PAINTING

Explore the basics of watercolor paintings and create fun pictures. **Ages 5-10**

Location: Covina Park, Teen Center

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Mar 31-May 5	Fri	4:15-5:15 pm	\$54*

**Plus a \$25 material fee paid to instructor at first class*

TINY TOT ARTS & CRAFTS

Hands on arts & craft activities designed to bring out creativity. Parent participation required. **Ages 2-4**

Location: Covina Park, Teen Center

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Mar 31-Apr 28	Fri	3:15-4 pm	\$30*

**Plus a \$18 material fee paid to instructor at first class*

KID'S ACRYLIC PAINTING WORKSHOP

Kids will create a masterpiece on canvas or acrylic paper. No painting experience required. **Ages 7-11**

Location: Covina Park, Teen Center

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
May 19	Fri	4:15-5:30 pm	\$8*

**Plus a \$15 material fee paid to instructor at first class*

FAMILY ART TIME - WATERCOLOR WORKSHOP

Here is your chance to paint along side your child. Take home both paintings! Both parent and child must register. **Ages 6-12**

Location: Covina Park, Teen Center

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
May 26	Fri	4:15-5:45 pm	\$8*

**Plus a \$15 material fee paid to instructor at first class*

ADULT ACRYLIC PAINTING WORKSHOP

No painting experience is required. **Ages 18 & up**

Location: Senior and Community Center

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Apr 18	Tue	9:30-11:45 am	\$10*

(Bird on a Fence)

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
May 16	Tue	9:30-11:45 am	\$10*

(South Western Scene)

**Plus a \$15 material fee paid to instructor at first class*

ADULT WATERCOLOR PAINTING

Ages 18 & up

Location: Senior and Community Center

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Apr 3-May 15	Mon	11:30 am-1:30 pm	\$35*

**Plus a \$25 material fee paid to instructor at first class*

LET'S GET CRAFTY

Calling all creative minds, let's get crafty and create beautiful items to decorate your home or give as a gift. Get inspired and energized while connecting with your artistic side. **Ages 18 & up**

Location: Senior and Community Center

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Apr 11	Tue	9:15-10:30 am	\$10*

(Orange you Glad it's Spring Wreath)

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
May 9	Tue	9:15-10:30 am	\$10*

(Spring into Decorating a Planter)

**Plus a \$15 material fee paid to instructor at first class*

YOUNG REMBRANDTS

New lessons that meet California State Standards for Visual Arts. All materials are included.

Location: Senior and Community Center



PRESCHOOL DRAWING

We provide a positive, nurturing environment while students learn to draw and develop skills that prepare them for Kindergarten. As students draw and color fun, familiar objects, they practice following directions and staying on task. **Ages 4-5**

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Apr 10-May 15	Mon	3-3:55 pm	\$78

BASICS OF ELEMENTARY & CARTOON DRAWING

This class combines our essential basics of drawing and our humorous cartoon curriculum. Students improve drawing skill, understanding of concepts, and increase art vocabulary as well as create silly characters and story sequences that tell jokes. **Ages 6-12**

Dates	Day	Time	Fee
Apr 10-May 15	Mon	4-4:55 pm	\$78





SENIORS

COVINA SENIOR AND COMMUNITY CENTER | 815 N. BARRANCA AVENUE | (626) 384-5380

OPERATING HOURS: Mon-Thu, 8:30 am-4:30 pm, Fri, 8:30 am-1:30 pm

HOLIDAY CLOSURES:

Monday, May 29 (Memorial Day)

Senior Nutrition

DRIVE-THRU NUTRITION PROGRAM - AGES 60 & UP

Until further notice, the Nutrition Program will continue to operate as a drive-thru program. The program provides (7) meals for the week on Thursdays, by reservation only. Funded in part by Community Development Block Grant and with Federal funding through the LA County Area Agency on Aging, the program is administered by YWCA of San Gabriel Valley. **For reservations, please call (626) 384-5380, on Thursday beginning at 10 am, one week in advance of the drive-thru date. Program reservations are automated and on a first-come, first-served basis.**

HOME DELIVERED MEAL PROGRAM - AGES 60 & UP

The Home Delivered Meal Program is offered through YWCA of San Gabriel Valley and provides healthy meals to homebound older adults. The frozen meals are delivered in a package of seven meals once per week. A quick client assessment to see if the client meets the criteria is handled over the phone by calling (626) 214-9467.

TAX PREPARATION

SPONSORED BY AARP

Tax preparers are certified volunteers through AARP. You do not have to be an AARP member to take advantage of this free service. Appointment is required. No walk-ins.

Register in person at the Senior and Community Center, online at covinaca.gov/parksrec, or you may call (626) 384-5380 and register over the phone.

LOCATION

Covina Public Library
234 N. Second Ave.

DAY & TIME

Friday, 9:30 am-3 pm

DATES

Now through April 14

SENIOR SERVICES



COVINA SENIOR FITNESS CENTER

SERVICE HOURS:

Mon-Thu, 8:30 am-4:30 pm, Fri, 8:30 am-1:30 pm

Please remember to wear your orange wristband to enter. If you don't have an orange wristband, please call us to schedule an orientation to receive one.

Fitness Center use is on a first-come, first-served basis.

BIRTHDAY CANDY BAR

CELEBRATIONS (AGE 60 & UP)

Celebrate your birthday with a sweet treat...a birthday candy bar! Free! Must register through Nutrition program.

Dates: Apr 13, May 18, Jun 15



THE COFFEE CORNER

Enjoy a cup of coffee and conversation! A time to gather and meet new friends. At times there will be guest speakers or just a mix and mingle.

Day & Time: Fri, 9-9:45 am

Dates: Mar 31, Apr 14, 28, May 12, 26, Jun 9



QUILTERS CLUB

Day & Time: Every Wed, 2-4 pm

MOVIE MONDAYS

Join us for a Movie Day with friends!! FREE admission. We'll even provide popcorn to enjoy during the show!

Day & Time: Monday, 2-4 pm



MARCH 20
JAZZMAN'S BLUES
(PG13)



APRIL 17
ALADDIN
(PG)



MAY 15
MUST LOVE DOGS
(PG13)

SPECIAL DANCES

Enjoy light refreshments, while socializing and dancing with friends!

Fee: \$5 per person



April Showers Bring May Flowers

Rain or shine we will be together to welcome Spring! Add a little sunshine to your day and BLOOM with us as you dance the afternoon away!

Thu, Apr 6, 2-5 pm

Registration/Refund By: Wed, Mar 22



Cinco de Mayo Fiesta

Let's TACO 'bout how much fun you'll have at this lively fiesta. We said fiesta not siesta, so put on your sombrero and be ready to shake your maracas to the beat.

Thu, May 4, 2-5 pm

Registration/Refund By: Wed, Apr 19



Stars & Stripes

Time for a "Party in the USA" with Red, White and You! Celebrate the beginning of Summer and our independence! Wear patriotic colors and sparkle like a firework!

Fri, Jun 30, 1:30-4:30 pm

Registration/Refund By: Wed, Jun 14

PROGRAMS & SERVICES

FREE LEGAL ASSURANCE - AGES 55 & UP

Covina Residents only. For appt., call (626) 384-5380.

Representatives	Dates	Days	Times
Anna Valiente Gomez	Apr 12	Wed	2-3 pm
Anna Valiente Gomez	May 10	Wed	2-3 pm
Kevin Stapleton	Mar 28	Tue	1-2 pm
Kevin Stapleton	Apr 11	Tue	1-2 pm
Kevin Stapleton	Apr 25	Tue	1-2 pm
Kevin Stapleton	May 9	Tue	1-2 pm
Kevin Stapleton	May 23	Tue	1-2 pm

FREE CLASSES PROVIDED BY MT. SAC

All classes are on a walk-in first-come, first-served basis. Must purchase own supplies.

Spring Session: Mar 27-Jun 5

HANDCRAFTED NEEDLEWORK FOR RETAIL SALE

Day & Time: Mon, 1:30-4:20 pm

HEALTHY AGING

Day & Time: Mon, 1-1:50 pm

ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION WORKSHOPS

LIVING WITH ALZHEIMER'S FOR CAREGIVERS MIDDLE STAGE

3-Part Course

In the middle stage of Alzheimer's disease, those who were care partners, now become hands-on caregivers. Join us for this 3-part series and hear caregivers and professionals discuss helpful strategies to provide safe, effective and comfortable care in the middle stages of Alzheimer's.

PART 1 (of 3):

Learn about symptoms associated with middle-stage of Alzheimer's disease, communication and relationship changes, effective ways to provide personal care, and preparing for hospitalizations.

PART 2 (of 3):

Provides information on telling others about diagnosis, communication with family and friends, making legal and financial plans, and playing it safe.

PART 3 (of 3):

Learn about respite options including informal care, day services, in-home care services and senior living options, as well as managing and coping with difficult feelings.

Courses	Dates	Day	Time
Part 1	Apr 25	Tue	10-11 am
Part 2	May 23	Tue	10-11 am
Part 3	June 27	Tue	10-11 am

TECH TALK -- FREE!

Need assistance to overcome the fear of operating your cell phone, smart phone, tablet, laptop, iPad or a new app?

Meet the tech-savvy teens from the Covina T.E.A.M. (Teens Endeavor to Accomplish More) as they help you navigate the digital world. (Must bring your own device). Preregistration required. Space is limited.

Dates	Day	Time
Mar 23	Thu	4-5 pm
Apr 27	Thu	4-5 pm
May 25	Thu	4-5 pm



INFORMATION & REFERRAL - AGES 55 & UP

This is a free service and funded by Community Development Block Grant. Staff maintain a resource file of local programs and services that contribute to the health and well-being of older adults. If you need access to services, call (626) 384-5380 or contact the 24-hour LA County INFO LINE at (626) 350-6833.

SOCIAL SERVICES FOR SENIORS

Funded by Community Development Block Grant and coordinated by YWCA of San Gabriel Valley.

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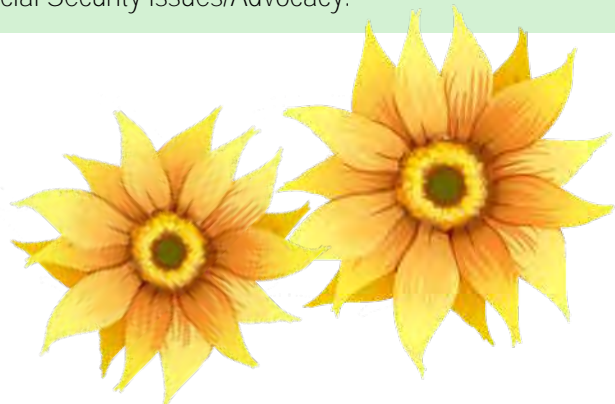


CASE MANAGEMENT SERVICES - Ages 60 and up

Case Management services include a comprehensive assessment of the client, care plan for services, and monthly contract to monitor and modify services as needed. For appointments, call (626) 384-5380. Appointments required and available 9 am-12 pm on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month.

Services Include:

Homemaker Services, Personal Care, Respite, Registry, Transportation, Telephone Reassurance, Assistive Equipment, Housing Referrals, and assistance with Social Security issues/Advocacy.



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COUGAR PARK
150 W. PUENTE ST.

ANNUAL FEES

Large/Handicap Accessible Parcel

*\$50 per parcel

Small Parcel

*\$44 per parcel

*Fees prorated 50% for new applicants approved July 1-November 1.

Applications available at www.covinaca.gov or at the Parks & Recreation office, 1250 N. Hollenbeck Ave. For more information, please call (626) 384-5340 or email cparkcommunitygarden@covinaca.gov.

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- Police Officer Pre-Service
- Lateral Police Officer

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HUMAN RESOURCES



Save Water Inside & Outdoors

Rebates Offered



What Products are Eligible for Rebates?*

MEASURE	REBATES STARTING AT
Indoor Fixtures	
Premium High-Efficiency Toilets (PHETs)	\$40/toilet - 1.06 gallons per flush or less
High-Efficiency Clothes Washers	\$85/washer
Flow Monitoring Device (Pilot program, funding is limited)	\$100/device
Landscaping Equipment	
Smart Irrigation Controllers	\$80/controller for less than one acre \$35/station for areas larger than one acre
Soil Moisture Sensor Systems	\$80/controller for less than one acre \$35/station for areas larger than one acre
Rain Barrels	\$35/barrel (max. of 2)
Rotating Sprinkler Nozzles	\$2/sprinkler nozzle (min. of 30)
Cisterns (minimum 200 Gallons)	\$250 - \$350/cistern depending on gallon capacity
Turf Replacement	
For a maximum of 5,000 square feet of turf	\$2 per square foot.

* Additional local water agency incentives may be available.

Application Process for Device Rebates

1. Create an online account at socialwatersmart.com. A step-by-step rebate application video is available.
2. If the qualified device(s) have been purchased, upload a copy of the water bill for the property where the device(s) is installed. Also include the invoice for the purchase listing the manufacturer names, model number and price.
3. You will receive an email when your application has been processed.
4. If the qualified device has not yet been purchased, purchase and install the qualified device within 60 days of your application.
5. Next, follow the requirements in Step 2 for uploading documents.



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SoCal WaterSmart is a region-wide program brought to you by the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California. Local water agencies may offer other incentive program opportunities. Rebates will be issued on a first-come, first-served basis until funding is exhausted.

CITY TREE MAINTENANCE - DID YOU KNOW?

The Public Works Department is responsible for the maintenance of City-owned trees located in the parkway (right-a-way) along City streets. Trimming is performed following a routine, systematic schedule program, which is comprised of pre-designed trimming grids trimmed in their entirety on a set schedule. By trimming every tree on the street regardless of size, every resident in the respective neighborhood receives service, and the safety and welfare of the community will be enhanced.

WHAT ARE THE COMMUNITY BENEFITS:

- **IMPROVED PUBLIC RELATIONS**
Advanced notification of when trees are scheduled to be trimmed is available to residents.
- **EQUITABLE SERVICES**
Every residence receives service. Service is not dependent upon a formal request.
- **IMPROVES HEALTH**
Grid pruning improves the overall health of the tree population, which removes deadwood, corrects structure and enhances appearance.
- **PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE AND REDUCED LIABILITY**
Routine maintenance and inspections of street trees ensure problems are corrected before they reach crisis level.
- **MAINTAIN A CAPITAL ASSET**
By investing in the systematic maintenance concept, the City is maintaining its overall financial value to the community and one of the most valuable and overlooked assets.



PUBLIC WORKS

HOW IT WORKS...

Typical Municipal routine maintenance pruning cycles range from three to five years depending on budget. A four-year cycle allows for maintenance of every publicly maintained tree in a reasonable timeframe and reduces the amount of service request calls for faster growing species. In addition, with a four-year cycle, the City can tie it to an urban forest management plan that has a life span of 10 years or more, giving the City the flexibility to budget and program as needed and to respond to residents' concerns in a timely manner. This program also reduces the need for "emergency" maintenance, helps prevent liability problems (such as dead or weak branches), reduces tree mortality and improves the urban forest health and real value over the long term.



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS?

JUST SCAN THIS CODE



FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

534 E. BARRANCA AVE.

(626) 384-5220

EMAIL: PUBLICWORKS@COVINACA.GOV

CITY OF COVINA BUSINESS CAPITAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM



This program provides financial assistance (up to \$25,000) to qualifying Covina businesses that have been negatively impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic or have opened a new business at a vacant location that was closed as a result of the pandemic. Business must provide documentation to verify loss of income and economic hardship, both as a result of COVID-19.

For more information, contact Alice Leung, at (626) 384-5509 or email BCapital-Assistance@covinaca.gov

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT



Non-construction permanent improvements (signage, lighting, and decoration)



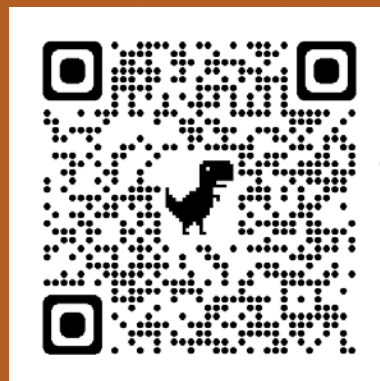
Costs related to business start-up or expansion



Furniture, fixtures, machinery, and equipment

For more information on program eligibility visit:

www.covinaca.gov/covid-resources/page/american-rescue-plan-arpa-grant-opportunities or scan the QR code.





POLICE

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COVINA POLICE DEPARTMENT PROMOTIONS Congratulations!



LIEUTENANT TURNER

Joshua Turner joined the Covina Police Department in 2006. He has a bachelor's degree in Criminal Justice from Purdue University Global and is in the process of obtaining his master's degree in Law Enforcement and Public Safety Leadership from the University of San Diego. During his tenure, he has worked as a patrol officer, Special Response Team member, Tactical Flight Officer, Detective, Field Supervisor, and Community Impact Team Sergeant. Lieutenant Turner was promoted on Monday, January 9, 2023 by Chief David Povero.

SERGEANT LEE

Seok H. Lee started his career as a Deputy Sheriff with the San Bernardino Sheriff's Department in 2013 and later joined the Covina Police Department in 2017. He has an Associates Degree in Administration of Justice from Victor Valley College. During his tenure, he has worked as a patrol officer, field training officer, Special Response Team member, Community Impact Detective and as an Economic Crimes Detective. Sergeant Lee was promoted on Monday, January 9, 2023 by Chief David Povero.



Customer Service - (626) 331-3391
24-Hour Non Emergency - (626) 384-5808
Graffiti Hotline - (626) 384-5599

FACILITY RENTALS

- Cougar Park Community Center
 - Recreation Hall, Covina Park
 - Covina Senior and Community Center, Sunkist Park
 - Covina Park Bandshell and Heritage Plaza
- [Birthday Parties](#) • [Wedding Receptions](#) • [Baby Showers](#)
[Retirement and Anniversary Parties](#) • [and More!](#)



BOOK YOUR NEXT CELEBRATION WITH US!

Applications available at covinaca.gov/parksrec or visit the Covina Parks & Recreation Department, 1250 N. Hollenbeck Ave.

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

Can I tour the facility?

By appointment only. Please call (626) 384-5340 or email rentals@covinaca.gov to schedule a tour.

Are tables and chairs included in the rental fee?

Yes, for indoor facility rentals, tables and chairs are provided. The number and type of tables and chairs vary by location.

Are alcoholic beverages allowed at any rental?

No, alcoholic beverages are not permitted in any City building or City park.

How far in advance do I need to submit my rental application?

Applications must be submitted at least 45 calendar days in advance.

Do I get a resident discount when renting a facility or park space?

For some park spaces and facilities, the hourly use rate for Covina residents and non-residents differ. Please see rental application for pricing and general policies.

May I provide my own food caterer at my rental?

Yes, as long as it is approved by the Parks & Recreation Department, this includes "taco man" services. Food Trucks are not permitted.



Scan to access the Facility Guide for more information on size of facilities, amenities, and rates.



PARKS

BANNA PARK - Cypress St. and N. Banna Ave. (2 acres) - Hours are 5 am-10 pm

Dog park (large and small dog areas); playground (5-12 years); outdoor fitness equipment; picnic tables; walking path

COVINA PARK - 301 N. Fourth Ave. (10 acres) - Hours are 5 am-10:30 pm

Inclusive playground (2-12 years); Challenge Course (13 years and up); 1/4 mile rubberized track with fitness stations; basketball, tennis, and pickleball (bring your own net) courts; roller rink; horseshoe pit; Aquatic Center; Recreation Hall; historical murals; parking; picnic tables; restrooms; barbecues

COUGAR PARK - 150 W. Puente St. (1 acre) - Hours are 5 am-10 pm

Playground (5-12 years); outdoor fitness equipment; splash pad; Community Center; Community Garden; historical mural and display panels; parking; restrooms; picnic tables

EDNA PARK - 220 W. Edna Pl. (2 acres) - Hours are 5 am-10 pm

Playground (2-12 years); picnic tables (this is a neighborhood park, no restrooms available)

*Everybody
Gets To
Play!*

HERITAGE PLAZA - 400 N. Citrus Ave. (2 acres) - Hours are 5 am-10 pm

Playground (2-5 years); historical walk; parking; restrooms; picnic tables

HOLLENBECK PARK - 1250 N. Hollenbeck Ave. (10 acres) - Hours are 5 am-10:30 pm

Playground (5-12 yrs); basketball court; Parks & Recreation office; parking; restrooms; picnic tables

JOBÉ'S GLEN AT JALAPA PARK - Village Oaks Dr. & E. Garvey Ave. No. (2 acres) - Hours are 5 am-10 pm

Playground (5-12 years); picnic tables; War Memorial; Olmec Head

SUNKIST PARK (formerly Kelby Park) - 815 N. Barranca Ave. (6 acres) - Hours are 5 am-10:30 pm

Playground (5-12 years); Senior and Community Center; parking; restrooms; picnic tables

THREE OAKS PARK - 829 Oak Park Rd. (<1 acre) - Hours are 5 am-10 pm

Green space only

WINGATE PARK - 735 N. Glendora Ave. (17 acres) - Hours are 5 am-10 pm

Playground (5-12 year); basketball, paddle tennis, tennis courts; roller rink; parking; restrooms; picnic tables; nature trail

General Park Information and Policies



- Jumpers and Inflatables are **NOT** permitted.
- Park space is available on a first-come, first-served basis for groups under 50.
- Picnic areas are **NOT** available for reservation at any park.
- BBQs are permitted (coals must be carried out after use). Propane grills recommended.
- Dogs allowed at all City parks while on a leash, but **NOT** permitted at City events.
- Alcohol and smoking/vaping are **NOT** permitted at any City park or facility.

For more information, please scan QR Code or call (626) 384-5340.



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