

Community Recreation Center, Walter E. Schmidt Youth Activity Center, Teen Center, City Hall, Central Park Library, and Mission Library Family Reading Center.

Resident online and mail-in registration begins April 28. Non-resident online and mail-in registration begins April 30. Walk-in registration begins May 6. For guide and registration information, call (408) 615-3140.



**C.E.R.T.
Community Emergency Response Team**

The recent earthquake in Napa is a reminder that the Bay area is at high risk for disasters. The key to surviving and thriving after a disaster is education and preparation. The Santa Clara CERT program provides 21 hours of classroom and hands-on training to help you become prepared. The class includes a wide variety of subjects including disaster preparedness, fire extinguisher use, first aid, search & rescue, and disaster psychology.

The Santa Clara Fire Department is offering several CERT classes in 2015. All classes will be held at the Santa Clara Fire Department Training Center at 1900 Walsh Avenue, Santa Clara. There is a nominal fee of \$25 per person to cover class materials. Additional information can be found at santaclaraca.gov/cert. For questions or to register, contact the Fire Department Training Division at (408) 615-4940.

Triton Free Fridays
Friday, March 6:
Traditional Irish Music

Triton Museum of Art Event News
Saturday, March 14:
Santa Clara Unified School District's
Family Art Day

Monday, March 30:
Coffee with the Curator

Triton Museum of Art Exhibition News
February 21 - April 19:
Charles Eckart

Sunday, March 29:
Kathy Arnold and Joyce McEwan Crawford
Exhibitions close

Triton Museum of Art
1505 Warburton Ave. Santa Clara
(408) 247-3754 tritonmuseum.org

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Showtime 2015

Want to have a fun family outing? Do you like to win cash and prizes? Then come to the 33rd



annual production of *Showtime*, an original melodrama featuring local talent which raises money to support the Senior Center's Health & Wellness program. This year's performance is titled, "Who Dunit in Doomstown?" or "A Game of Clue." It will be held at the Community Recreation

Center, 969 Kiely Blvd. on March 6, 7 and 8. The show is great fun for all ages! Curtain time is 7 p.m. on Friday and Saturday and 2 p.m. on Sunday. Doors open 90 minutes before the show.

Audiences are encouraged to be part of the action by cheering for the hero and booing and hissing when the villain takes the stage. The evening includes a mix of local talent, refreshments and raffle prizes.

Tickets are only \$5 on Friday and \$7 on Saturday and Sunday and are now available for purchase at the Community Recreation Center. Tickets will also be available at the Senior Center, 1303 Fremont Street beginning February 10. For more information visit santaclarawomensleague.org.

Amplified Sound Permits

Permits for outdoor sound amplification are required by the City of Santa Clara in order to minimize neighborhood noise impacts. These permits are necessary for live or recorded sound or music when amplified outside by more than the normal portable stereo equipment. Amplified sound permit request forms can be obtained and submitted at the Finance Department's Business License Division located at City Hall (1500 Warburton Avenue). Amplified sound permit request forms for Central Park may be obtained and submitted at the Community Recreation Center (969 Kiely Blvd). Permit request forms should be submitted with a payment of \$66 four weeks prior to the event.

Any event scheduled outside the hours of 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. will require City Council approval and may increase processing time. All permit request applications for residential addresses are checked with the Police Department Records Division to determine whether there have been disturbances in that location in the past year. Previous violations could be a reason for denial of the amplified sound permit. Please remember to be a good neighbor. A permit is not a "license to disturb the peace." Even with a permit, complaints from neighbors about the amplification can result in Police shutting down the sound/music. For more information, contact the City at (408) 615-2310.

Curbside Recycling Program

The weekly curbside recycling program's blue carts are for collection of recyclables, including newspapers, mixed paper, corrugated cardboard, glass containers, aluminum and metal cans, all plastics (with or without recycle symbols EXCEPT Styrofoam) and scrap kitchen metal (clean aluminum foil and pie pans, pots and pans).

Recyclable items collected outside of the cart on a weekly basis include used motor oil and filters, compact fluorescent light bulbs and household batteries. Up to three gallons of used motor oil (in one-gallon or less screw-top containers) and drained oil filters (placed in a sealed plastic bag) can be recycled weekly. Compact fluorescent light bulbs (CFL's) should be placed in a sealed plastic bag. All of these items should be placed next to your blue recycling cart for pickup on your regular collection day.

For dry-cell household batteries, tape the positive terminals and place in a sealed plastic bag on top of your black garbage cart. Residents with front-load bin service may drop off batteries at any Santa Clara Fire Station seven days a week from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Recycling questions? Call (408) 615-3080.

Remember to keep all hazardous materials out of your garbage and recycling carts. To make an appointment to dispose of household hazardous waste, call (408) 299-7300 or visit hhw.org.

Environmental Day March 7

Santa Clara residents can recycle e-waste (computers, monitors, printers, etc.), u-waste (batteries, cell phones, CFL's and fluorescent light tubes), clothing, plastic toys and play structures and have up to two boxes of confidential documents shredded by bringing them to the Recology facility located at 650 Martin Avenue in Santa Clara during their Environmental Day from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday, March 7, 2015. This free event is designed to help promote recycling, reuse and diversion of usable materials from the landfill. Residents must bring their most recent Santa

Clara utility bill and photo I.D. in order to participate. For questions or more information, call Recology at (408) 970-5100.

Early Bird summer camp registration starts March 16

Plan your child's summer before the rush! Early bird summer camp registration information is available March 9 at SantaClaraCA.gov/ParksandRec. Online registration begins on March 16 for residents and on March 23 for non-residents. For more information call (408) 615-3140.

Celebrate Ulistac: Wildflower Day March 28

The Ulistac Natural Area volunteer group, Ulistac Natural Area Restoration & Education Project, a non-profit corporation, and the City of Santa Clara are showcasing the City of Santa Clara's Ulistac Natural Area's Native California wildflowers, shrubs and trees. This free event will be held from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. and has something fun and educational for the entire family, including environmental activity booths, docent tours and live Americana folk music by *The South Bay Folks*.

Ulistac is located across from Lick Mill Park on the east side of Lick Mill Blvd., between Hope Drive and Tasman Drive, north of Montague Expressway. For more information, email ulistac@gmail.com, or call (408) 416-8907.

Summer Registration 2015

The complete Summer 2015 *Recreation Activities Guide* will be posted online at SantaClaraCA.gov/ParksandRec and mailed to residents and beginning April 22. The *Recreation Activities Guide* will be available for pick up at City facilities beginning April 23. Copies are made available at the