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SEPTEMBER 18, 2008 WEEKLY UPDATE



Volunteers at the Paradise Hills Community Clean-up held September 13, 2008. Volunteers and City of San Diego's Environmental Services are to be commended for their enthusiasm and hard work!

**I AM VERY PROUD AND EXCITED TO LET YOU KNOW
 ABOUT THE WEEKEND IN STORE FOR THE 4TH
 DISTRICT!**

The 1st Annual San Diego Praise Fest '08 sponsored by Councilman Tony Young and other organizations including Pazzaz, Neighborhood House Association, Project New Village and the Diamond BID and Soul of San Diego 1240 will be held on September 20, 2008 from 11:00am to 6:00pm at Federal Blvd. from 48th St. to Euclid Ave. San Diego will experience the synergy of community, music, health information, educational resources, and an open-air marketplace in a fusion of inspiration, wellness, and cultural empowerment. The 1st Annual San Diego Praise Fest is designed to provide the San Diego community with an opportunity to come together in praise and worship through various forms of gospel music and a healthy cultural celebration. The San Diego Praise Festival will take place in the Webster Community of San Diego on Federal Blvd, between Euclid Ave. and 47th Street, in a traditional street festival setting.



The Diamond Business Improvement District present, “A Day in the Diamond”

on Saturday, September 20, 2008 from 11:00am to 6:00pm. Cultural art, music and entertainment take center stage as three exciting, free-admission events come together to create “A Day in the Diamond,” in the Diamond Neighborhoods of San Diego’s 4th District, the city’s new magnet for cultural arts and entertainment. “International Marketplace” will be held from 12:00pm to 6:00pm at Market Creek Plaza (336 Euclid Ave.), “Jazz in the Park” will be held from 12:00pm to 5:00pm at Market Creek Plaza (346 Euclid Ave.) featuring Jazz In Pink (All star Female Jazz Band), and the “San Diego Praise Fest ‘08” will be held from 11:00am to 6:00pm on Federal Blvd. from 48th Street to Euclid Ave. To learn more, visit www.dayinthediamond.com or contact the Diamond Business Improvement District at (619) 527-0710.

San Diego Urban Economic Corporation Presents the 14th Annual San Diego Black Business Weekend:

On Friday September 19, 2008 beginning at 9:00 a.m. a free Business Development Session will be held at the Jacobs community Center followed by a Luncheon with keynote speaker Dr. Lance McCarthy, Investment Advisor and Economist. A Legislative Business Mixer will be held at Magnolias Restaurant beginning at 5:30. The San Diego Urban League will hosts a Business Breakfast at 8:00 a.m. at Magnolias Restaurant on Saturday, September 20, 2008. Jazz In Pink, an all female jazz band, will perform at Market Creek Amphitheatre as part of the free jazz festival beginning at 12:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Eddie Price, President of the San Diego Urban Economic Corporation and the many community volunteers and sponsors are hereby commended for their exemplary efforts in bringing these outstanding events to the 4th District. For additional information please call 619-262-4922 or 619-895-8268.

The historic high school football rivalry game between Lincoln High School and Morse High School will take place on Saturday, Sept. 20, 2008 starting at 10:00 am with the Jr. Varsity team and at 1:00 p.m. with the Varsity team. This is a wonderful opportunity for all to come out and support this two outstanding high schools in the Fourth District.

On Sunday, September 21, 2008 Church Services will be held at church’s of all denomination throughout the 4th District. I hope and trust that you will find the time to visit one of our great church’s, large or small, to worship and fellowship with pastors and their congregations. Please review the San Diego Voice & View Point or the San Diego Monitor newspapers for locations and times of worship



for various places of worship.

Shop the World at the 3rd Saturday International Marketplace! Check it out! A new and different open-air shopping experience for all of San Diego. Monthly, every third Saturday from 12:00pm to 6:00pm on Sept. 20th, Oct. 18th, Nov. 15th, and Dec. 20th at *Where the World Meets* inside Market Creek Plaza (336 Euclid Ave.)

Gangs Be Gone Sponsors Workshop #2 will be held on September 20, 2008 from 8:00am to 1:00pm at Phillips Temple CME Church (5333 Geneva Ave.) Gang Prevention and Intervention Workshop #2 ages 6-17, adult (parent) classes will also be available. For more information please contact (619) 262-2505 or (619) 857-3297.

California Black Health Network invites you to attend the 30th Anniversary Celebration Symposium & Dinner “Revitalizing The Black Health Agenda” on September 25, 2008 at the Los Angeles Airport Hilton Hotel (711 West Century Blvd.) from 2:00pm to 9:30pm. CBHN will recognize and honor the organization’s achievements over the span of 30 years, as well as focus on “Revitalizing the Black Health Agenda” for the future. For additional information, visit www.cbhn.org or call (619) 295-5413.

The San Diego Garden Club presents Greg Rubin of California’s Own Landscape Design: California Natives and Xeriscape will be held on September 20, 2008 at the Malcolm X Library (5148 Market St.) beginning at 10:00am. Learn to use less water and still have a beautiful landscape which will increase the value of your home by using California Native Plants. FREE! PUBLIC WELCOME! For more information call (619) 269-6184.

Alternative Healing Network presents: Integrative Health Nights FREE massage, acupuncture, medical consultations, energy healing, yoga and more! Every 1st and 3rd Thursdays from 3:00pm to 7:00pm at the Tubman Chavez Center (415 Euclid Ave.) For more information call (619) 325-3580 or visit www.althealnet.org.

San Diego Home Loan Counseling and Education Center Home Buying Counseling Services Counselors are ready to assist you in Budget Counseling, Reviewing the home buying process, Explaining various loan programs, Pre-qualification services, Referral, Development of a written home buying plan of action. For more information contact (619) 624-2330 or www.sdhomeloan.org.



The Bay Terrace Community Association in collaboration with Councilmember Young's Office and the City of San Diego's Environmental Services will be hosting a "Community Clean Up Day" on September 13, 2008 from 8:30am-1:30pm on Woodman Street between Alta View Drive and Paradise Valley Road. The meeting place for the clean up will be at the Ralph's parking lot. Come out and volunteer your time for a great cause! Please RSVP by phoning 619-251-6965 or if you have further questions please call Liezl Mangonon, on my staff at (619)236-6644.

Calling all interested volunteers in the Paradise Hills community! The FilAm Fest Committee along with Councilmember Young's Office will be hosting a "Community Clean Up Day" on September 20, 2008 from 9am- 12pm on Paradise Valley Road between Woodman Street and Gilmartin Drive, on Potomac Street and parts of Woodman Street. The meeting place for the clean up will be at the Paradise Hill Recreation Center, 6610 Potomac St. This is a great way to meet your neighbors and to help beautify your neighborhood. For additional information, please contact Liezl Mangonon, on my staff at (619)236-6644.

4TH DISTRICT COMMUNITY CLEAN-UP INFORMATION ONLY: PLEASE CALL ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT OFFICERS FOR LOCATIONS!!!

Community Clean-ups are continuing to be held throughout the 4th District.

I commend, thank, and congratulate the many community volunteers, city staff, non-profit organizations and EDCO Waste & Recycling Services that assist in these efforts. Keeping our communities clean and free of debris is an ongoing effort we all must continue to be involved in. Special community cleanup events areas are selected based upon citizen requests, pledges of community involvement and previous citizen participation levels. Please feel free to call Solid Waste Code Enforcement Officer Alejandro Alvarado at (858) 627-3317 if you would like to request a clean-up in your area and/or if you have questions.

A Free Mini-Community Cleanup and Recycling Event will be held on Thursday, September 25, 2008. For location and cleanup information, please call Officer Lisa Poston at (858) 492-5045.

A Free Mini-Community Cleanup and Recycling Event will be held on Thursday, October 2, 2008. For location and cleanup information, please call Officer Stacy Workman at (858) 492-5084.



A Free Mini-Community Cleanup and Recycling Event will be held on Saturday, October 18, 2008. For location and cleanup information, please call Officer Stacy Workman at (858) 492-5084.

At the August 13, 2008 community clean-up held in the 4th District community of Alta Vista, a total of 10.80 tons of waste was collected, 9.08 tons were non-recyclables and 1.72 tons were recyclables consisting of metals and appliances from the neighborhood. Donna Grant, from Alta Vista, community members, and the City of San Diego's Environmental Services Department, are commended for their assistance and support.

At the August 23, 2008 community clean-up held in the 4th District community of Skyline, a total of 14.35 tons of waste was collected, 13.33 tons were non-recyclables and 1.02 were recyclables consisting of metals and appliances from the neighborhood. Community members from Skyline are to be commended for their assistance and support.

COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETINGS:

I am of the opinion that my life belongs to the community, and as long as I live it is my privilege to do for it whatever I can.

- George Bernard Shaw

I am in total agreement with him and I am very proud and thankful of the fact that residents throughout the 4th District also share this belief. Please join me or a member of my staff at the following Community Councils meeting this week:

Martin Luther King Rec. Council Meeting will be held on Thursday, September 18, 2008 at 12:00 p.m. at MLK Rec. Center, 6401 Skyline Drive (Roosevelt Williams staffs this meeting)

Lomita Village Town Council Meeting will be held on Thursday, September 18, 2008 at 6:00p.m at Skyline Park Rec. Center, 8285 Skyline Drive (Lourdes Borboa staffs this meeting)

Ridgeview Community Council Meeting will be held on Saturday, September 20, 2008 at 6:00 p.m. at Mr. and Mrs. Randent residence, 2135 Ridgeview Drive (Derrick White staffs this meeting)

Coalition of Neighborhood Council Meeting will be held on Monday, September 22, 2008 at 6:00 p.m. at Jacobs Center, 404 Euclid Avenue (Jimmie Slack staffs this meeting)



Southeastern Planning Committee Meeting will be held on Monday, September 22, 2008 at 7:00p.m at Neighborhood House Association, 41st Street (Bruce Williams staffs this meeting)

Chollas View Neighborhood Council Meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 23, 2008 at 6:00p.m at Tubman Chavez Center, 415 Euclid Avenue (Liezl Mangonon staffs this meeting)

Chollas Lake Rec. Council Meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 23, 2008 at 7:00 p.m. at Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 2755 55th Street (Venus Molina staffs this meeting)

Encanto Neighborhood/Rec. Council Meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 24, 2008 at 6:30 p.m. at Lee Encanto Rec. Center, 6508 Wunderlin Drive (Roosevelt Williams staffs this meeting)

BOARDS & COMMISSIONS:

“Everybody can be great because anybody can serve. You don't have to have a college degree to serve. You don't have to make your subject and verb agree to serve. You only need a heart full of grace. A soul generated by love.”

—Dr. Martin Luther King

An opportunity for you to volunteer your services exists with the many City of San Diego Boards and Commissions. Please visit the City's web site at www.sandiego.gov and view the many boards and commissions available for you to possibly serve on. You will find that several members' terms are expiring, who is responsible for nominating and appointing members, and what the terms and requirements for service are.

Please call Benelia Santos-Hunter at 236-6644 if you are interested in serving as a 4th District representative on a particular Board and/or Commission.

Nominations of candidates to serve on the Historical Resource Board! The Board consists of eleven members, and currently, there are two vacancies. At this time, we are seeking candidates to fulfill the “At-Large” category on the Board. For more information contact Lisa Gordon at (619) 236-7740.

Nomination for the City's International Affairs Board The Mayor's office is soliciting nominations of a Council District 4 resident to sit on the City's



International Affairs Board. A couple of the requirements of the nominee are an elector (registered voter) in the County of San Diego at the time of appointment and for the entire term of the appointment and interest and/or experience in international affairs. Please provide any prospects to Mr. Jimmie Slack at (619) 236-6644 or jslack@sandiego.gov. If prospects need more information, please direct them to the City's website under the Board & Commissions information.

SAVE THIS DATE:

Notice of Public Meetings Presented by the U.S. Navy Environmental Assessment for Navy Broadway Complex meetings will be held on Saturday, September 27th from 10:00am to 2:00pm, Monday, September 29th from 4:00pm to 8:00pm and Tuesday, October 7th from 10:00am to 2:00pm at Navy Broadway Complex Building 12 (937 North Harbor Drive). The U.S. Navy is preparing an environmental assessment regarding its 15.5 acre waterfront property located in downtown San Diego. For more information visit www.navybroadwaycomplex.com or contact Gene Beale at (619) 532-1528 or gene.beale@navy.mil.

The San Diego Organizing Project Year of Our Youth, Faith Chapel Organizing Ministry and Second and Fourth Ecclesiastical Jurisdictions of Southern California present a Community Action Meeting on Tuesday, September 30, 2008 beginning at 6:00pm at Faith Chapel Church of God in Christ (4999 Holly Drive). Is our public education system broken? Well, so is our City Parks & Recreation system. Come help fix our most important structures for Youth in San Diego.

Free Flu Shots for Seniors Sponsored by San Diego Metro Chapter 4916 of AARP, San Diego Association of Black Improvement Partners and Community Health Improvement Partners will be held on Friday, October 3, 2008 from 10:00am to 1:00pm at the Malcolm X Library (5148 Market Street.) For additional information call (619) 264-4201 or (619) 264-1090.

The 4th Annual Filipino-American Arts and Culture Festival will take place on October 4, 2008 from 11am-6pm on Paradise Valley Road between Woodman Street and Gilmartin Drive in the beautiful community of Paradise Hills. This event will showcase two stages with various performances throughout the day, delicious cuisine, vendor booths both informational and commercial, a children's area and an art exhibit. The festival is a free event and is open to the



general public. Please join us for a fun filled day for the whole family to enjoy! For additional information, visit www.filamfest.com or call (619) 236-6701.

The San Diego Organizing Project presents Year of Our Youth Community Convention on Sunday, October 12, 2008 beginning at 2:30pm at the San Diego Convention Center. City, County, School Officials, State Legislators, and Congress members will join the San Diego Organizing Project's Faith Communities to create a vision of Hope and Opportunity for our Youth. For more information call (619) 285-0797 or visit www.sdop.net

THANK YOU.....for reading my E-mail Message for the Week. If you would like to receive this E-mail on a regular basis, please e-mail me at anthonyyoung@sandiego.gov.

