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Hello Neighbor,

Earlier this month, we gathered to celebrate the completion of **Mira Mesa Community Park Phase II.** This $55 million project included a new aquatic complex; an all-wheel plaza accessible to skateboarders, roller skaters, scooter riders, bikers and wheelchair users; two children's play areas; two multi-use sports courts; open grass areas; a public art piece; a parking lot; ADA-accessible walkways; and new lighting, landscaping and irrigation. The Mira Mesa Gil Johnson Recreation Center also received renovations, including new heating, ventilation, air conditioning, and roofing, as well as repaired wood and finishes and a fresh coat of paint on the exterior.

This 17-acre space south of New Salem Street was transformed into something our community has envisioned for more than twenty years. As Mira Mesa continues to grow, the need for recreational spaces is clear, and this park will serve as an important hub for activity, connection, and recreation. ***This once-in-a-generation project delivers something for every member of our community.***



One of the additions I'm most excited about is the brand-new aquatic complex. Growing up in Southern California, I remember my parents driving my brother and me across town on weekends just so we could learn to swim. That kind of education often starts with access to a public pool, and I'm thrilled that residents of every age can now begin a lifetime of recreation and fitness right here in Mira Mesa. I'm looking forward to enjoying the pool and splash pad with my own kids in the years ahead.

The complex includes a 14-lane competition pool, an activity pool, and a splash pad. The competition pool was designed with Mira Mesa High School's swim and water polo teams in mind, so students can finally compete in the sports they love, close to school and home.

We're not done celebrating just yet! **Please join us on Saturday, October 24th, for a Community Celebration with games, vendors, free swim, bounce houses, and more.** See below for details. We look forward to seeing you there!

Warm regards,

Kent Lee



Community Events in and around District 6



Fall is here, and our local parks are ready for the season! Check out these upcoming events:

- **Halloween Carnival and Movie at Nobel Rec Center** | October 16th, 4:00 p.m. Enjoy a night of Halloween fun, plus a screening of Hotel Transylvania.
- **Movie in the Park at Standley Park** | October 24th. Bring a blanket and join us for The Nightmare Before Christmas under the stars.
- **Doyle Halloween Carnival** | October 28th, 12:00 to 1:30 p.m.

For the full list of events happening across the city, visit the **Parks and Recreation event calendar.**



Community Celebration at Mira Mesa Community Park
Saturday, October 24, 10 a.m.- 1 p.m.

Join us, in partnership with the SD Parks Foundation and PCL Construction, for a community celebration featuring:

- A ceremonial skate at the All Wheels Plaza with professional skateboarder Willy Santos
- A visit from artist Kate Clark, creator of Songs of Mira Mesa
- Free swim, bounce houses, games, plus other activities throughout the park

Please visit **www.sandiego.gov/park-and-recreation/centers/recctr/miramesa** to view the park's amenities and recreation center hours, and **www.sandiego.gov/pools/mira-mesa-aquatic-complex** for pool hours and programs.

Community Resources



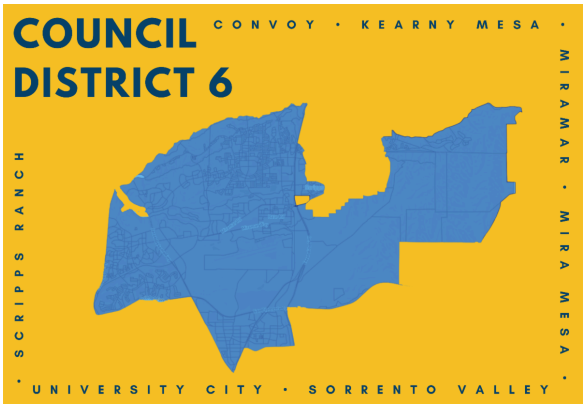
Community Cleanup Opportunity in District 6 on Friday, October 23

Join the D6 team and **I Love A Clean San Diego** to tackle a floodplain with a history of high litter before the rains arrive. By stopping trash in its tracks, we prevent debris from flowing unfiltered into our oceans and bays through storm drains.

Camino Ruiz Park
Friday, October 23, 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.

Let's make a difference when and where it matters most! **Sign up here.**

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