


# Bi-Weekly Tidbits

## News From Neighborhood Services

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# SACRAMENTO STRONG



MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM

Thursday, January 29<sup>th</sup>  
6:00 PM - 7:30 PM  
(Doors open at 5:00 PM)

1515 J Street  
Downtown



A night filled with entertainment and  
State of the City Address by Mayor Kevin Johnson

General Admission is free with  
your donation of a gently used coat  
and/or a canned food item.

Reserve tickets today by visiting  
**www.sacsotc.com**

Donations support the Big Brothers Big Sisters  
of the Greater Sacramento Area, and the River City  
and Sacramento Food Banks.

  **#SACSOTC**

### Community Partnership Meeting

Back by popular  
demand for 2015!  
Neighborhood  
Services Division  
is hosting Community  
Partnership Meetings  
to facilitate  
communication  
between the City and community on issues,  
policies, and priorities.

**Thursday, February 12, 2015**  
**Hagginwood Community Center**  
(3271 Marysville Road)  
**6:30 - 8:15pm**

**Hot Topics:**

- Meet New City of Sacramento Homeless Coordinator
- Code Enforcement in the Community
- Neighborhood Workshops

**Workshop Title**  
**ABC's of Organizing**

For more information call (916) 808-6789.

SACRAMENTO Neighborhood Services

### Summer at City Hall

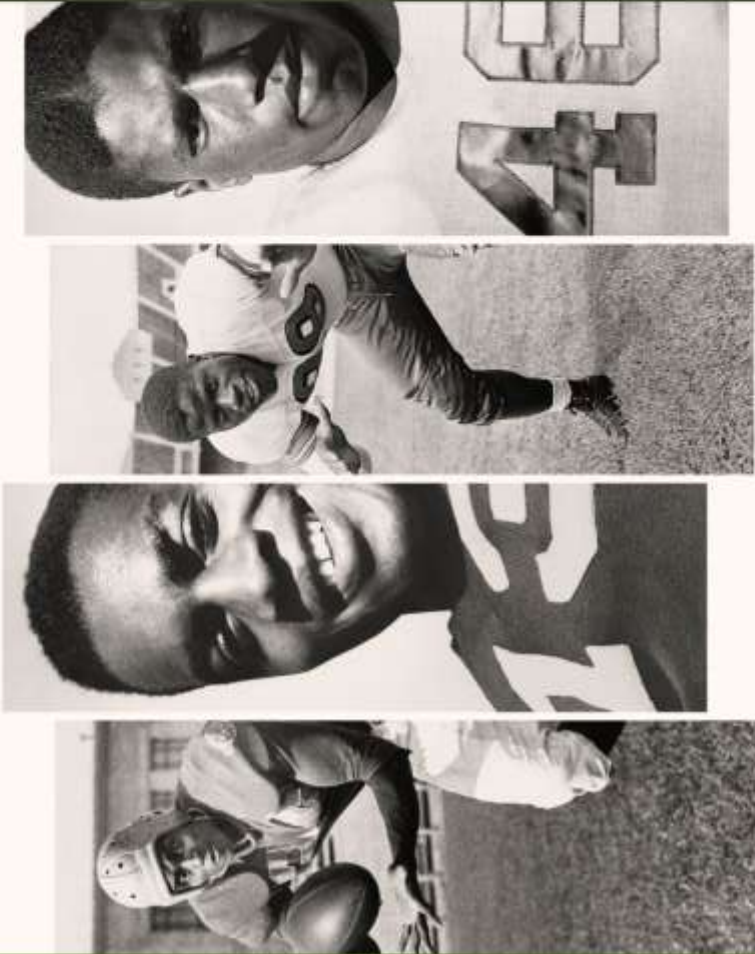
The 2015 Summer at City Hall Youth Program is  
gearing up again this summer. Gain valuable  
experience and make a difference in your  
community. To stay connected with the latest  
updates like us on facebook.

[www.facebook.com/pages/Sacramento-Summer-at-City-Hall/251262968404205](http://www.facebook.com/pages/Sacramento-Summer-at-City-Hall/251262968404205)

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**BEFORE ANYONE ELSE IN ANY OTHER GAME,  
FOUR MEN MADE HISTORY IN 1946.**



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# **FORGOTTENFOUR**

**THE INTEGRATION OF PRO FOOTBALL**

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**CALIFORNIA LEGISLATIVE BLACK CAUCUS**

**The California Legislative Black Caucus**  
invites you to a  
special screening of

## **FORGOTTEN FOUR** *The Integration of Pro Football*

Tuesday, February 10, 2015  
6:00 PM to 9:00 PM  
at the Crest Theatre,  
1013 K St, Sacramento, CA 95814

Online registration required by February 9, 2015  
Limited seating available  
First come, first served on the day of the event  
<http://blackcaucus.legislature.ca.gov>

This event is part of the CLBC Black History Month  
Celebrations 2015





Join us for a jam-packed celebration of all your favorite holidays!

**Get Your Savings Coupon Here!**

**Support the Mayor's Youth Commission!**

**FEB. 11 – 16**  
**SLEEP TRAIN ARENA**

City of  
**SACRAMENTO**  
Neighborhood Services



Buy Tickets: Ticketmaster.com • 800-745-3000 • Venue Box Office

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**FEB. 11 – 16 ★ SLEEP TRAIN ARENA**

**Tickets \$11!**

Use offer code: **BUZZ** • Expires: **2/16/15**

**GOOD ONLY**

Thu. FEB. 12	★ 7:00 PM
Fri. FEB. 13	★ 7:00 PM
Sat. FEB. 14	★ 7:00 PM
Sun. FEB. 15	★ 7:00 PM
Mon. FEB. 16	★ 4:00 PM

Savings coupon can be used towards purchase of up to six (6) Reserved Seat Tickets. Limit one (1) savings coupon per transaction. No double discounts. Must be redeemed at time of ticket purchase. Savings coupon has no cash value and cannot be sold. Tickets are subject to availability. Other restrictions and exclusions may apply. Valid on \$17 Tickets. Excludes premium seating. \$1 of every ticket purchased will be donated to Mayor Kevin Johnson's City of Sacramento Youth Commission. Disney On Ice will donate up to \$5,000.00. Savings coupon must be redeemed at time of ticket purchase. This savings coupon has no cash value and cannot be sold.

**TICKET SELLER: Retain for Audit**

Redeem Offer: Ticketmaster.com • 800-745-3000 • Venue Box Office

### **NOW-February 12—FREE Trans 101 Class**

Bring your honest questions, your open mind and heart to a series of six facilitated presentation, addressing various aspects of the transgender experience in spiritual setting. The presentation will explain terms, share stories, and together, come to an even deeper understanding of what it means for an institution, church, or group to be radically inclusive. The presentations meet every Thursday evening starting January 8<sup>th</sup> though February 12<sup>th</sup> at Trinity Cathedral, [2620 Capitol Avenue](http://trinitycathedral.org). For more information please visit <http://trinitycathedral.org>.

### **NOW-January 25—Sacramento Bacon Fest 2015**

Get ready for lots of bacon at the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Sacramento Bacon Fest! The weeklong celebration celebrates local chefs, restaurants, and their all-natural bacon and produce with more than 100 local restaurants, cafes, bars, and food trucks participating. The festival is held in Downtown Sacramento, [1100 12<sup>th</sup> Street](http://www.baconfestsac.com). For more information or to view the upcoming activities please visit [www.baconfestsac.com](http://www.baconfestsac.com).

### **February 23—Sacramento Habitat for Humanity: Homeownership Orientation**

The Sacramento Habitat for Humanity is pleased to announce that they will begin holding homeownership orientations again to recruit families for some of their upcoming builds. The orientations will be Saturday, January 10<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. and Monday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> at 5:45 p.m. These are informational sessions about their homeownership program.

Following the presentation, they will answer questions, distribute applications, and set up follow-up interviews. This is the only way to pick up an application for their program.

**Reservations are required to attend.** Attendees only need to bring their IDs with them to check in. For more information or to register please respond with your full name, phone number, address, your preferred orientation date, the number of attendees, and how you heard about the Sacramento Habitat for Humanity to Molly Gautreaux at (916) 440-1215 ext 1111 or [mgautreaux@shfh.org](mailto:mgautreaux@shfh.org). You may also visit their website at [www.shfh.org](http://www.shfh.org).



### January 24—North Sacramento Community Wellness Expo

Councilmember Allen Warren presents a **FREE** Community Wellness Expo located at Grant Union High School, [1400 Grand Avenue](#), from 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Come take a look and get information about health insurance and wellness with local health clinics, wellness education, and activities for all ages. There will be **FREE** screenings for blood pressure, blood sugar, cholesterol, asthma, and dental health! For more information please call (916) 808-7233.

### January 24—Kevin Warren Illusionist Live

As seen on Good Day Sacramento, Kevin Warren, Illusionist presents his NEW show! Bring the family along to watch Kevin Warren live at the Benvenuti Performing Arts Center, [4600 Blackrock Drive](#). Show start times are 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Come see a delightful mix of incredible grand illusion, close-up magic, and opportunities for audience participation. General admission is \$10 and \$20 for VIP seating and backstage tour. For more information or to purchase tickets, please call (916) 995-9859 or visit <http://www.benarts.org/KevinWarren>.

### January 28—Book Launch Forum: Making Data Matter

The Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco and The Urban Institute edited a volume of the essays entitled “What Counts: Harnessing Data for America’s Communities” which was released December 4, 2014. This book launch forum will provide an introduction to the volume of essays and allow time for cross-sector discussion. The forum is held at UC Davis Memorial Union King Room, [1 Shields Avenue](#), from 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. For more information please visit <http://regionalchange.ucdavis.edu/news-and-events/events/crc-book-launch-forum-making-data-matter>.



### January 29—5<sup>th</sup> Annual Greenprint Summit

Sign up today for the region’s most important forum on building healthy, livable communities by growing the best urban forest. The Sacramento Tree Foundation is hosting their 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Greenprint Summit at the Citrus Heights Community Center, [6300 Fountain Square Drive](#), from 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. The summit will feature inspiring speakers from around the nation showcasing research and projects that prove the many benefits of trees as well as case studies demonstration successful community-led urban forest projects. Registration fee is \$75 and includes breakfast, lunch, presentation materials, and facilitated multi-sector networking. For more information please contact Marian Bender at (916) 974-4303 or [supportus@sactree.com](mailto:supportus@sactree.com). For more information about the summit and to register please visit <http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07ea0y8snz1a2e8ca8&llr=ebcf8qcab>.

### January 31—2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Everything Fun Run 5K

Get ready for a slam dunk fun event. Entercom Sacramento presents the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Everything Fun Run, where all of the parts of various fun-run themes people love the most get tossed all into one unforgettable experience. It’s got color, it’s got mud, it’s got foam, it’s got zombies, it’s got people running around in crazy costumes and more! The run is located at Granite Regional Park, [8181 Cucamonga Avenue](#). Gates open at 8:00 a.m. First run wave starts at 9:00 a.m. and last wave at 12:00 p.m. noon. Early bird registration is \$36 for adults and \$15 for kids ages 6 to 12. Early bird registration ends January 17<sup>th</sup>. Day of registration is \$45. For more information, register, or view race details please visit [www.everythingfunrun.com](http://www.everythingfunrun.com).

**February 6, 7—Passage**

Come and watch the celebration of the paths we travel in life with dance performances from the Blackrock Dance Company. The performance is held at the Benvenuti Performing Arts Center, [4600 Blackrock Drive](#), with shows starting at 7:00 p.m. The Blackrock Dance Company is sure to entertain with a wide variety of dance styles. Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$10 for students and seniors. At the door ticket sale will be \$17 for adults and \$15 for students and seniors. For more information or to purchase your tickets please visit [http://www.benarts.org/cms/page\\_view?d=x&piid=&vpid=1400652639067](http://www.benarts.org/cms/page_view?d=x&piid=&vpid=1400652639067).

**February 14—26<sup>th</sup> Annual Sweet Potato Festival**

The Sacramento Valley Section of the National Council of Negro Women, Inc. and the Sam & Bonnie Pannell Community Center presents the 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Sweet Potato Festival. This **FREE** event is located at the Sam & Bonnie Pannell Community Center, [2450 Meadowview Road](#), from 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Bring the whole family to enjoy the day full of community entertainment, sweet potato pies by Chef Richard Pannell, sweet potato ice cream by Gunthers, sweet potato pie contest, raffle prizes, and more. For more information, enter in the sweet potato pie contest, or be a vendor, please contact Kenneth Ellis Hughes at (916) 687-7321 or visit [www.svsncnw.org](http://www.svsncnw.org).

**February 14-April—Intermediate Home Gardener Course**

Regardless of how green your thumb is, Soil Born Farm has a Home Gardener course for you. Their Intermediate Home Gardner 8-week course will help you improve the health, beauty, and sustainability of your garden by focusing on incorporating native and edible perennials into your landscape. Designed for gardeners with and established edible garden and at least a year or two of experience, this class will teach you the concepts and principles to elevate your understanding of gardening and create healthy, ecological landscapes. The course will take place at the American River Ranch, [2140 Chase Drive](#), from 9:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. For more information or to register please contact Sarah Barnes at [sbarnes@soilborn.org](mailto:sbarnes@soilborn.org) or visit [www.soilborn.org](http://www.soilborn.org).

**February 19, 20—4<sup>th</sup> Annual California Statewide Project Lead The Way Conference**

This two day conference will provide attendee and opportunity to learn about the latest updates for Project Lead The Way (PLTW) and connect with PLTW teachers, counsellors, administrators, and business and industry supporters from throughout the state of California. The event is held at the Sheraton Grand Sacramento Hotel, [1230 J Street](#). This year's conference program will include information regarding the PLTW elementary LAUNCH, middle school GATEWAY, high school BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE, ENGINEERING and COMPUTER SCIENCE pathways and curriculums. For more information or to register for the event please contact Dina McHugh at [dmchugh@next-ed.org](mailto:dmchugh@next-ed.org) or visit <http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07ea3yloi41f09b6b&llr=uz8evweab>.

## February 20—Convergence

The February Convergence program will be held in conjunction with the Fourth Annual California State-wide Project Lead The Way Conference at the Sheraton Grand Sacramento Hotel, [1230 J Street](#), from 7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Project Lead The Way is a nationally recognized STEM based curriculum program currently offered in over 748 schools throughout the state of California, 60 of which are located in the Capital Region. The For more information please contact Mindy Johnston at (916) 319-4261 or [mjohnston@metrochamber.org](mailto:mjohnston@metrochamber.org). To register, please visit <http://web.metrochamber.org/events/eventdetail.aspx?EventID=10731>.

## February 21—Soil Born Farm: Rainbarrel System Workshop

Did you know a roof of a 1,000 square foot house can collect around 600 gallons from just one inch of rain! Save money and conserve water with this incredible workshop held at the American River Ranch, [2140 Chase Drive](#), from 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Learn how to install an inexpensive rain barrel catchment system in your home. Registration fee is \$45. For more information please visit [www.soilborn.org](http://www.soilborn.org).

## February 27-March 1—California League of Schools Conference North

The Common Core State Standards offer all teachers exciting avenues for deepening their practice and engaging students in meaningful demonstrations of knowledge. Come to the Annual Conference North to receive proven, practical tools and techniques designed to help you meet Common Core demands and reach the high expectations we hold for all of our students. Take the mystery out of Common Core as you prepare you students for the first year of testing and accountability! The conference is held at the Sheraton Grand Hotel, [1230 J Street](#). For more information about or to register please visit <http://leagueofschools.org/events/north.htm#location>.

### Application Process

Please submit completed application packet to the Sacramento START office, 5735 47th Avenue - Sacramento, CA 95824.  
Monday - Friday (closed major Holidays) between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. or email a pdf of your application to [sac.start@yahoo.com](mailto:sac.start@yahoo.com)

- Your resume
- A detailed cover letter demonstrating your interest in working with Sacramento START and your unique qualifications for the position
- City of Sacramento Application
- Sacramento START O.S.T. Leader Supplemental Application
- Transcripts or copies of college coursework (48 units or more) or the NCLB (No Child Left Behind) exam

## Now Hiring for O.S.T. Leader

(Out of School Time)

### Want to get paid to play?



The O.S.T. Leader will provide activities and assistance for groups of up to 20 elementary school students in homework, reading, math, enrichment, physical activity, nutrition education, recreation and special events/family activities by selecting a variety of age appropriate activities at a school site.

Monday - Friday  
Morning Program Time: 6:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.  
or  
Afternoon Program Time: 1:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.  
(Times Vary Per Site)  
Pay Rate: \$10.54 / Hour

Application available at [sacstart.org](http://sacstart.org)





# 2015

## Meeting Calendar for City Council and Standing Committees

	Tuesday Meetings
	Thursday Meetings
	Council Recess
	Holidays

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**Financing Authority** - Concurrent with Council  
**Housing Authority** - Concurrent with Council  
**Public Financing Authority** - Concurrent with Council  
**Redevelopment Agency Successor Agency** - Concurrent with Council  
**Law and Legislation Committee** - 2nd Tuesdays  
**Personnel and Public Employees Committee** - 2nd Tuesdays  
**Audit Committee** - Twice annually and otherwise as needed

**Reasons for Thursday Meetings:**  
 April 21st - Cap to Cap  
 August 4th - National Night Out  
 September 22nd - Yom Kippur

Approved 11/13/2014





## 2015 Schedule for Standing Committees

Day	Council Meets at 6:00 PM	Personnel & Public Employees Committee	Law & Legislation Committee	Audit Committee
TUE	Jan 6, 2015			
TUE	Jan 13, 2015	1:30 PM	3:00 PM	
TUE	Jan 20, 2015			
TUE	Jan 27, 2015			
TUE	Feb 3, 2015			
TUE	Feb 10, 2015	1:30 PM	3:00 PM	
TUE	Feb 17, 2015			3:30 PM
TUE	Feb 24, 2015			
TUE	Mar 3, 2015			
TUE	Mar 10, 2015	1:30 PM	3:00 PM	
TUE	Mar 17, 2015			
TUE	Mar 24, 2015			
TUE	Mar 31, 2015			
TUE	Apr 7, 2015			
TUE	Apr 14, 2015	1:30 PM	3:00 PM	
THUR	Apr 23, 2015			
TUE	Apr 28, 2015			
TUE	May 5, 2015			
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April 21: Cap to Cap  
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[www.cityofsacramento.org/clerk](http://www.cityofsacramento.org/clerk)

Phone: (916) 808-7200; Email: [clerk@cityofsacramento.org](mailto:clerk@cityofsacramento.org)

## Passports City Clerk's Office

### Did you know that applying for a US Passport is as easy as visiting the City Clerk's Office?

The City Clerk's Office is a Passport Acceptance Facility through the U.S. Department of State. Applying for your passport is as simple as scheduling an appointment and bringing the following items with you to your appointment:

- Completed application (NOT signed), available in person at the City Clerk's Office or via the U.S. Department of State's website
- Evidence of U.S. Citizenship, such as U.S. birth certificate (original or certified copy), naturalization certificate or previous passport
- Valid Photo Identification
- Passport photo, available for a fee at the City Clerk's Office or at stores such as Costco, Walgreens and Rite Aid
- Payment for fees due (fees are dependent on services needed)
  - o One payment is due to the U.S. Department of State (must be CHECK or MONEY ORDER) and one payment is due to the City of Sacramento, payable by cash, check, or credit.

### Clerk's Office Passport Hours

Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:30 pm

For more **information**, contact the Sacramento City Clerk at:  
[clerk@cityofsacramento.org](mailto:clerk@cityofsacramento.org) | (916) 808-8092  
<http://portal.cityofsacramento.org/Clerk/Services/Passports>



# LET YOUR VOICE BE HEARD



The City of Sacramento, as part of its annual General Plan livability report, is conducting a survey to get your thoughts about living, working and doing business in the city of Sacramento.



Participate in this quick five minute survey to identify the city's successes, challenges and opportunities



To get started, visit:

[surveymonkey.com/s/CommunitySurvey2015](https://surveymonkey.com/s/CommunitySurvey2015)

Participants must complete the survey by  
Friday, February 6th.

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**SACRAMENTO**  
Community Development





*January 2015 Tidbits*

# CROCKER Art Museum

**Exhibitions, Events, and Programs at the Crocker Art Museum**

## CONTINUING EXHIBITIONS

### **"The Provoke Era: Japanese Photography from the Collection of SFMOMA"**

**October 12 through February 1, 2015**

The tumultuous period following World War II provided fertile ground for a generation of Japanese photographers who responded to societal upheaval by creating a new visual language dubbed "are, bure, boke" — rough, blurred, and out of focus. Named for the magazine "Provoke," which sought to break the rules of traditional photography, this exhibition traces how Japanese photographers responded to their country's shifting social and political atmosphere. Showcasing photographers like Masahisa Fukase, Eikoh Hosoe, Daido Moriyama, and Shomei Tomatsu, the works presented all come from the collection of the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, which holds one of the preeminent collections of Japanese photography in the United States. Organized by the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art, the presentation of this exhibition is made possible by a grant from The James Irvine Foundation.

### **"Arte Mexicano: Legacy of the Masters"**

**October 12 through February 1, 2015**

This exhibition showcases the ideals, individualism, and intertwining artistic lives of 20th-century Mexican artists. Composed of 40 paintings by more than 35 artists, the exhibition highlights their varied responses to the post-revolutionary call for a distinctly Mexican visual art. The social realism of Diego Rivera, Jose Clemente Orozco, and David Alfaro Siqueiros, and the subjective and associative subjects of Rufino Tamayo, Maria Izquierdo, Remedios Varo, and Francisco Toledo are explored. Mexico's importance as a crucible of modernist ideas—one that attracted artists from Europe and the United States—is traced alongside the inspiration drawn from the nation's ancient civilizations. The mid-century abstraction of Gunther Gerzso and Carlos Merida, and of contemporary painters such as Mario Palacios brings the story to the present, as does the expressionism of Alejandro Santiago and Irma Palacios.

## OPENING EXHIBITIONS

### **"Toulouse-Lautrec and La Vie Moderne: Paris 1880[1910]"**

**February 1 through April 26, 2015**

Between 1880 and 1910, Paris was a fertile ground for artistic and literary movements that came to define a shifting, complex society. Modernity took various forms, including the work of the Naturalists, the Symbolists. The Incoherent and the Nabis, but the



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art of Henri de Toulouse-Lautrec (1864-1901) epitomized the new tendencies. With his art as a central focus, this exhibition investigates a generation of artists who sought to shake the constraints of French Academic standards. Of special interest is the intoxicating gathering of artists, writers, performers, and musicians in Montmartre, where everyone from Toulouse-Lautrec—whose style and subjects embody the times—to Sarah Bernhardt and Paul Verlaine worked amid the swirl of cafes, concerts, circuses, and theatres.

*This exhibition is organized and circulated by Art Services International, Alexandria, Virginia.*

### **“Of Cottages and Castles: The Art of California Faience”**

**February 22 through May 17, 2015**

William Bragdon was a ceramic engineer trained at Alfred University in New York. He moved to Berkeley in 1915 to teach at the California School of Arts and Crafts and shortly thereafter formed a partnership with his Alfred University classmate Chauncey Thomas, then running a Berkely pottery studio. Together they created decorative tiles, vases, and sculpture, calling their wares California Faience. The most prestigious of the company's projects came in the 1920s when architect Julia Morgan commissioned a complete environment of tile for William Randolph Hearst's palatial home and grounds in San Simeon. The first exhibition on this subject, “Of Cottages and Castles” presents the full range of the company's accomplishments, with an emphasis on decorative pieces emblematic of Arts and Crafts, Art Deco, and Medurine styles, as well as tiles made for Hearst Castle.

### **“The Nature of William S. Rice: Arts and Crafts Painter and Printmaker”**

**February 22 through May 17, 2015**

This exhibition offers a rare glimpse into the private world of William S. Rice (1873[1963]), an artist and naturalist known for his ability to distill nature to its simplest forms. Rice was a prolific painter of the California landscape but is today better known as a printmaker, one who authored two books on the process and executed every print himself. He applied the classic Japanese art of ukiyo-e (woodblock printing, or “pictures of the floating world”) to images of the West, where he moved in 1900. This exhibition brings to light many of the artist's accomplishments, including several never-before-exhibited pieces, featuring both still lifes and the California landscape before development.

## STUDENT & COMMUNITY EXHIBITIONS

### **“Peace and Hope”**

**January 8 through February 22, 2015**

Presented by ‘A Community for Peace,’ this exhibition, ‘Peace and Hope,’ is an artistic reflection on healing and hope from the heart of children, teen, women and men. Witness how art making can help heal a person from the pain and suffering of violence, abuse, and trauma. A reception will be held on Sunday, February 22, from 1 - 3PM.

### **“PhotoVoice Project”**

**February 13 through February 15, 2015**

The “PhotoVoice Project,” a collaboration of Mercy Housing and Sol Collective, engages youth of Alder Grove and Marina Vista in a photography project. Youth photographed their home and community as they explored the possible impacts of the Choice Neighborhood Initiative on their lives and how they can be advocated in their own community. A reception will be held on Sunday, February 15, from 12-5pm

## CONCERTS, FILMS, & SPECIAL EVENTS

### **Iván Nájera Presents: A Tribute to Los Panchos**

**Thursday, January 29, 7p.m.**

Join one of our region's most beloved Latin Jazz artists for an evening of music featuring Boleros inspired by our current exhibition, “Arte Mexicano: Legacy of the Masters.” Ivan Najera and his award-winning band will offer musical tributes to Mexico's famed Los Panchos as well as original work. Space is limited and reserving tickets in advance is recommended. \$6 Museum members, \$10 students/youth, \$12 nonmembers. Tickets may be purchased at [crockerartmuseum.org](http://crockerartmuseum.org), at the Museum Admission Desk or by calling (916) 808-1182.

### **“The Twisted Sacratomato Salon**

**Thursday, February 5, 6 p.m.**

Come to the Crocker's first-ever Twisted Sacratomato Salon – a weird combination of a bar quiz night and the famed salons frequented by writers and artists of Paris in the early 20<sup>th</sup> century. An informal gathering of Sacramento's intelligencia, crackups, and crackpots, this social exchanges will be “hecka” fun and include game playing, a meet-up of local artist, strange art tours and storytelling. The evening will close with everyone sharing some laughs at a special edition of Comedy Spot's Anti-Cooperation League (ACL) as they target their improve sights onto the exhibition “Toulouse-Lautrec and La Vie Moderne: Paris 1880-1910.” A cash bar will be on hand for aperitifs. Free for Museum member and free with general admission for nonmembers. Admission prices are located at [crockerartmuseum.org](http://crockerartmuseum.org).

## **Crocker Art Museum – January 2015 Tidbits**

### **“Art Mix | Prom Night**

**Thursday, February 12, 5 – 9p.m.**

Break out your pleather and hairspray. Art Mix teams up with Unseen Heroes for an ultra luxe glam rock prom. Dance the night away to live music with DJ Kaprisun. Get temporary tattoos that would make David Grohl from Foo Fighters jealous, then be teased by Deeda Salon, and design your own leather studded bracelets. Don't forget to stop by DISPLY California's pop up store—they just might have that extra accent that will take you ensemble to the next level. Free for Museum members, \$10 nonmembers. College students get a \$2 discount on tickets. Happy Hour is 4 – 6 PM and drink specials under \$5 all night. Art Mix takes place at the Crocker Art Museum every second Thursday of the month.

### **Classical Concert San Francisco Munich Trio featuring Rebecca Rust, Friedrich Edelmann, and Dmitriy Cogan**

**Sunday, February 8, 3 p.m.**

The music of Toulou-Pautrec's Paris comes to life with a special performance by the San Francisco Munich Trio, featuring Rebecca Rust (cello), Friedrich Edelmann (bassoon), and Dmitriy Cogan (cello). Hear works like Georges Enesco's Sonata op 26 No 1 for cello and piano which was composed in 1898 and first performed by Pablo Casals in Paris in 1907. San Francisco Munich Trio's complex and sublime performance will transport you back to Paris at the turn of the 20<sup>th</sup> century. Space is limited and reserving tickets in advance is recommended, \$6 Museum/Capitol Public Radio members, \$10 students/youth, \$12 nonmembers. Tickets may be purchased at crockerartmuseum.org, at the Museum Admission Desk or by calling (916) 808-1182. This concert is part of the Crocker's monthly Classical Concert series with a Prelude Tour preceding the concert at 2 p.m.

### **Film: “Moulin Rouge”**

**Sunday, February 22, 2 p.m.**

(1952, 119 Minutes)

In the grand style of Hollywood's golden age, John Huston directs a fictional account of famed artist Toulouse-Lautrec in vivid Technicolor starring Jose Ferrer and Zsa Zsa Gabor. Winner of two Academy Awards, the film evokes the look of Lautrec's poster art, dazzling both the eye and mind. \$10 Museum members, \$13 students/youth, \$15 nonmembers. Space is limited and reserving tickets in advance is required. Purchase tickets at crockerartmuseum.org, the Museum Admission Desk, or by calling (916) 808-1182.

### **Concert: Tom Rigney & Flambeau**

**Thursday, February 26, 7 p.m.**

A consummate favorite of the Sacramento Music Festival (formerly the Sacramento Jazz Jubilee), Tom Rigney and Flambeau specialize in fiery Cajun and zydeco two-steps, low-down blues, and funky New Orleans grooves. Their high energy show is a visual spectacle, much like the café concerts depicted in the exhibition “Toulouse Lautrec and La Vie Moderne: Paris 1880 -1910.” Enjoy Happy Hour before the concert at the Crocker Cafe by Supper Club from 4 – 6 PM. \$12 Museum members, \$18 students/youth, \$20 nonmembers. Tickets may be purchased at crockerartmuseum.org, at the Museum Admission Desk or by calling (916) 808-1182.

## **TOURS & TALKS**

### **Highlight Tours**

**Saturdays, January 24, 31, 11 a.m., 12, 1, & 2p.m.**

**Sundays, January 25, 11 a.m., 12, 1, & 2 p.m.**

**Saturdays, February 7, 14, 21, 28, 11 a.m., 12, 1, & 2 p.m.**

**Sundays, February 1, 8, 22, 11 a.m., 12, 1, & 2 p.m.**

Visitors will discover the essence of the Crocker's permanent collection in this introductory tour of the Museum. Free for Museum members and free with general admission for nonmembers. Admission prices are located at crockerartmuseum.org.

### **Lunch & Learn**

**Tuesday, February 3, 12 p.m.**

Join an in-depth examination of Grafton Tyler Brown's “Grotto Geyser, Yosemite.” Before or after the 30-minute gallery talk, take time to enjoy lunch at the Crocker Cafe by Supper Club. Free for Museum members and free with general admission for nonmembers. Admission prices are located at crockerartmuseum.org.

### **New on View Tours**

**Thursdays, February 5 & 26, 6:30 p.m.**

**Saturday, February 14, 4 p.m.**

Never the same tour twice, the New on View Tour dives into the Crocker's latest special exhibitions and newest works of art. Free for Museum members and free with general admission for nonmembers. Admission prices can be found at crockerartmuseum.org



## **Crocker Art Museum – January 2015 Tidbits**

### **Prelude Tour**

**Sunday, February 8, 2 p.m.**

Before the Classical Concert at 3 p.m., enjoy a docent-led tour of “Toulouse-Lautrec and La Vie Moderne: Paris 1880-1910” exhibition. Prelude Tours are open to all visitors and are free for Museum members and free with general admission for nonmembers. Admission prices are located at [crockerartmuseum.org](http://crockerartmuseum.org).

### **Gallery Bites**

**Tuesday, February 17, 12 p.m.**

Whether you're new to the Crocker or a frequent visitor who wants to learn more, the Gallery Bites tour will offer you an in-depth view into one of the Museum's galleries. This 30-minute docent-led tour will offer fascinating details and will focus on a different gallery each month. This month the focus is on the California Impressionism Gallery. Free for Museum members and free with general admission for nonmembers. Admission prices are located at [crockerartmuseum.org](http://crockerartmuseum.org).

### **Meet Me at the Museum**

**Tuesday, February 17, 10:30 a.m.**

Art observation and conversation serve as a gateway to memories and social interaction during this tour designed for visitors living with dementia and Alzheimer's. Free for everyone. Advance registration is required. To register or for more information, contact Tiffany Paige at (916) 792-3281 or [Paige@ArtzAlz.org](mailto:Paige@ArtzAlz.org). This tour takes place every third Tuesday of the month.

### **Kingsley Art Club Lecture Series: Jeffrey Ruda**

**Wednesday, February 18, 1:15 p.m.**

Founded in 1892, the Kingsley Art Club promotes knowledge and appreciation of art among its members and in the community. Their monthly lectures feature local and regional artists and other arts insiders. Europeans imported expensive porcelain from East Asia until about 1710 when porcelain was developed in Meissen, Germany. Art historian Jeffrey Ruda will show the interplay of technique and design of European tableware and decorative porcelains, including examples from the Crocker Art Museum's Gilmeister Collection. Space is limited and reserving tickets in advance is recommended. \$5 Museum members and college students, \$10 nonmembers. Tickets may be purchased at [crockerartmuseum.org](http://crockerartmuseum.org), at the Museum Admission Desk or by calling (916) 808-1182.

## **YOUTH & FAMILY PROGRAMS**

### **Wee Wednesday**

**Wednesdays, January 28, 10:30 & 11 a.m.**

**Wednesdays, February 4, 11, 18, 25, 10:30 & 11 a.m.**

Bring your little one and yourself to this gallery-based art experience for children ages 3 to 5. The adventure begins in Tot Land with groups leaving at 10:30 and 11 a.m. Wee Wednesdays are free for Museum member and free with general admission for non-members. Admission prices are located at [crockerartmuseum.org](http://crockerartmuseum.org). This program takes place every Wednesday.

### **Sketch It**

**Sunday, January 25, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.**

**Sunday, February 22, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.**

Visitors ages 5 and older can sketch at their own pace while receiving drawing instruction. This drop-in program meets in a different gallery each month. No experience necessary, and all supplies are provided. Free for Museum members and free with general admission for nonmembers. Admission prices are located at [crockerartmuseum.org](http://crockerartmuseum.org). This program takes place every fourth Sunday of the month.

### **Kids & Company Gallery Adventure**

**Sunday, February 1, 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Wildly amusing and surprisingly educational, this tour is the perfect way to introduce art to children ages 5 and older (and the adults who tag along with them) in a fun and playful manner. Free for Museum members and free with general admission for nonmembers. Admission prices are located at [crockerartmuseum.org](http://crockerartmuseum.org). This program takes place every first and third Sunday of the month. Black History Month Celebration: A Free Family Festival will take place on Sunday, February 15.

## **Crocker Art Museum – January 2015 Tidbits**

### **Artful Tot**

**Tuesday, February 3, 10:30 a.m. – 12 p.m.**

Every month, toddlers explore art-making with different materials in new ways, from printmaking and color mixing to clay and fabric. Adults learn how to encourage experimentation and self-expression while nurturing their child's creativity. Families are welcome to arrive anytime during this drop-in program. Please dress for mess. This program is for children from 19 to 36 months old and their caregivers. \$7 Museum member tot, \$10 nonmember tot. Fees include Museum admission. Tickets may be purchased at [crockerartmuseum.org](http://crockerartmuseum.org), the Museum Admission Desk, or by calling (916) 808-1182. This program takes place every first Tuesday of the month.

### **Tour + Performance: Shadow Puppets**

**Tuesday, February 10, 11 a.m. & 12 p.m. (90 minutes)**

Art comes alive at this special program inspired by the exhibition "Toulouse-Lautrec and La Vie Modern: Paris 1880-1910." Broaden, enhance, and exercise your students' visual thinking skills with a dynamic performance by The Shadow Puppet Workshop, a professional puppetry studio from Berkeley and a gallery tour at the Crocker Art Museum. \$8 per student; advance registration required by 5 p.m. on February 9. Maximum group size is 130 and one chaperone for every eight students is required and receives complimentary admission. Additional chaperones are \$8 per person. Fees include Museum admission. Register at [crockerartmuseum.org](http://crockerartmuseum.org), the Museum Admission Desk, or by calling 916.808.1182.

### **Art Blast**

**Saturday, February 14, 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.**

Each month a different work of art provides the inspiration for a memorable art-making activity for families with children ages 7 to 12. Families are welcome to drop in anytime during the program. Free for Museum members and free with general admission for nonmembers. Admission prices are located at [crockerartmuseum.org](http://crockerartmuseum.org). This program takes place every second Saturday of the month.

### **Black History Month Celebration: A Free Family Festival**

**Sunday, February 15, 12 – 4 p.m.**

**Museum is Open and Free from 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.**

Celebrate Black History Month with live music, dance performances, fun hands-on learning, art activities, and Sacramento's one and only Black and Beautiful Community Marketplace. This year's inspiration is Maya Angelou—an author, poet, dancer, actress, activist, singer, and lover of life and laughter. Presented in collaboration with the Sojourner Truth Multicultural Art Museum and Sacramento Juneteenth. Sponsored by Raley's.

### **Baby Loves Art**

**Tuesday, February 17, 10:30 – 11 a.m.**

Baby Loves Art engages babies (up to 18 months old) in a visually stimulating gallery walk and gives parents and caregivers a fun opportunity to connect with their babies and each other. All baby noises are expected and welcome. For the best art view, front carriers are recommended. Strollers are allowed, but please no backpacks. Meet at the Admission Desk; no advance registration required. Free for Museum members and free with general admission for nonmembers. Admission prices are located at [crockerartmuseum.org](http://crockerartmuseum.org). This program takes place every third Tuesday of the month.

# CAUSE AN EFFECT



Make dinner a selfless act by joining us for a fundraiser to support **Sacramento Youth Commission.**

Just come into the Freeport Blvd. Chipotle on **Friday, January 30th**, from **5:30pm** to **9:30pm**. Bring in this flyer, show it on your smartphone or tell the cashier you're supporting the cause to make sure that 50% of the proceeds will be donated to Sacramento Youth Commission.

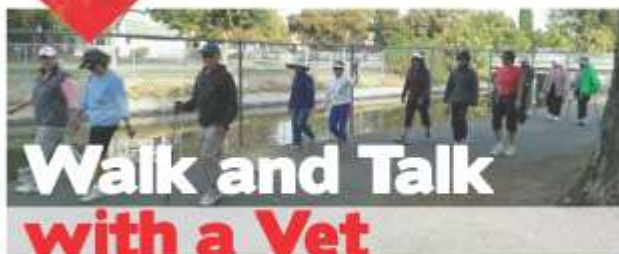






# TROOPS FOR FITNESS

**Classes are FREE and open to the public!**



## Walk and Talk with a Vet

### **Robbie Waters Library**

7335 Gloria Drive, Sacramento, CA 95831

Tuesdays & Thursdays

Group 1 - 9am to 9:45am

Group 2 - 10am to 10:45 am

Please meet up with your group outside the  
Robbie Waters Library 15 minutes prior to group time.



## Swing for Life

### **Belle Coolege Community Center**

5699 South Land Park Dr, Sac, CA 95822

Tuesday, Thursday, & Saturday

10am-12pm



## Tai Chi for Health & Wellness

### **Oak Park Community Center;**

3415 Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.

Sacramento, CA 95817

Monday, Thursday, and Saturday

9:00 - 11:00 am

### **Mims/Hagginwood Community Center**

3271 Marysville Blvd., Sacramento, CA 95815

Tuesdays & Thursdays

9:30am to 10:30am



## Nutrition Class

**Is your group interested  
in a Nutrition class?**

Call today to book your  
private group class!  
(916) 808-4056



4623 T Street, Sacramento, CA 95819

Tuesday 6:45pm-7:45pm

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL (916) 808-6525.**

This program is made possible by a grant from the Coca-Cola Foundation in conjunction with the City of Sacramento, Department of Parks and Recreation, Neighborhood Services Division. Troops for Fitness employs veterans to teach fitness classes to the community.

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# Sacramento Police Department Neighborhood Watch Program

## MONTHLY CALENDAR



**PROTECT OUR COMMUNITY • PARTNERSHIPS • PROFESSIONALISM • PREVENTION & INTERVENTION  
OWNERSHIP**

**Come to this training to learn how you can make your home and person safer by starting or rejuvenating your Neighborhood Watch program.**

**Together we can “Make Sacramento the Safest Big City in California!”**

**January 2015**

**Topic: “Neighborhood Watch 101”**

DAY	DATE	TIME	LOCATION
Tuesday (1 <sup>st</sup> Tues of each Month)	January 6	6:30 – 8:30pm	Coloma Community Center 4623 T Street, Gold Run Room
Monday (2 <sup>nd</sup> )	January 12	6:30 – 8:30pm	Police HQ, 5770 Freeport Blvd. Hall of Honor, park in the main lot
Tuesday (2 <sup>nd</sup> )	January 13	6:30 – 8:30pm	Natomas Police & Community Resource Center, 2701 Del Paso Rd., #140
Wednesday (3 <sup>rd</sup> )	January 21	6:30 – 8:30pm	Kinney Police Station 3550 Marysville Blvd
Thursday (4 <sup>th</sup> )	January 22	6:30 – 8:30pm	Pannell Community Center, 2450 Meadowview Road
Tuesday (4 <sup>th</sup> )	January 27	6:30 – 8:30pm	Power Inn Alliance, 5310 Power Inn Road, Suite A
Wednesday (4 <sup>th</sup> )	January 28	6:30 – 8:30pm	Valley Hi North Laguna Library, 7400 Imagination Parkway
TBA			The YMCA, 2021 W Street

RSVP to Barbara Falcon at [mfalcon@pd.cityofsacramento.org](mailto:mfalcon@pd.cityofsacramento.org) or call 916-548-4435.





## Acceptable Yard Waste Materials

Leaves, Grass Trimmings, Tree and Shrub Prunings (limbs cut to 6' in length or less and no more than 4" in diameter), Sod (with dirt removed) and Christmas Trees



## Unacceptable Yard Waste Materials

Trash and Debris, Pet Feces, Excessive Amount of Dirt, Lumber and Concrete



Yard waste piles that are on the street before November 1 or after January 31 may be tagged by Code Enforcement as illegal dumping and property owners may be subject to fines. Yard waste must be placed in containers for weekly collection February through October. Leaf season service is for residential customers only. Commercial properties may not place yard waste in the street.



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For more information visit  
**sacrecycle.org**, call **311**  
or **(916) 264-5011**



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# Leaf Season

NOVEMBER • DECEMBER • JANUARY

[sacrecycle.org](http://sacrecycle.org)



**Recycling &  
Solid Waste**  
CITY OF SACRAMENTO



## Residential customers can legally place yard waste piles in the street for collection during the City's designated leaf season:

**FIRST DAY OUT - November 1, 2013**

**LAST DAY OUT - January 31, 2014**

Weekly yard waste container collection will continue year-round on your regular collection day.

Leaf pile pickup typically occurs every 7 to 10 days and will usually not occur on your regular collection day.

*Leaf pile collection is unpredictable and varies due to weather and the amount of material on the streets. City crews work rain or shine six-days-a-week, including holidays. Stormy weather or days with high volume piles in one neighborhood may impact the speed of clearing an area and moving to the next neighborhood.*

### Claw Schedule:

#### Want an estimate of when the Claw will be on your street?

From October 28th, 2013 - January 31, 2014 call **311** or visit [sacreecycle.org](http://sacreecycle.org) to learn when the next pile collection will occur for your neighborhood.

## Help us clear streets faster - fill the container first then pile.

The City collects 75,000 tons of yard waste per year. More than one third - 27,000 tons - is picked up in November, December and January.

By filling your yard waste container first, our crews can clear streets faster and the Claw may come through your neighborhood more frequently.

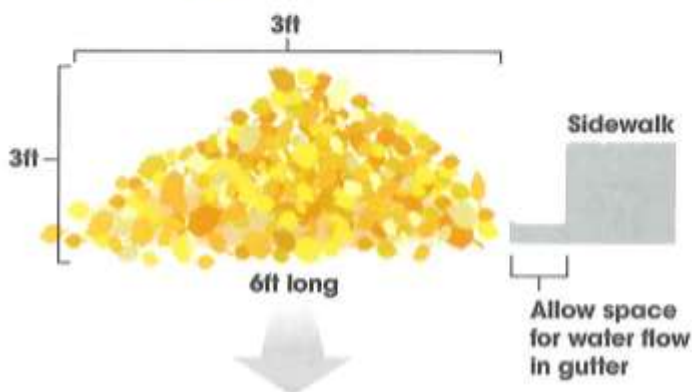
### HAVE A PILE WITH STYLE

- Piles should be no more than two cubic yards in size (3'x3'x6' pile).
- Place the pile six feet from any obstruction (cars, boats, basketball hoops etc.)
- Make sure there is space between the curb and pile to allow water to flow to storm drains.
- Do not place pet waste in any yard waste pile or container. Pet waste goes into the garbage container.
- Piles should not be in plastic bags.

#### 1 FILL THE CAN FIRST



#### 2 THEN PILE



# TechConnections

Bringing the world of technology to Sacramento's seniors

City of Sacramento's new comprehensive technology literacy program designed specifically for Sacramento's residents age 50 plus.



## The Winter/Spring 2015 session includes:

- Computer Basics
- Introduction to Windows 8.1 and Beyond
- Introduction to the Internet and E-mail Basics
- iPad / iOS Basics
- Introduction to Excel
- Introduction to Word
- One-on-One Assistance

View more information about the Winter/Spring 2015 session:

<http://portal.cityofsacramento.org/ParksandRec/Recreation/older-adult-services/Programs/TechConnections>

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OLDER ADULT SERVICES

TechConnections has satellite sites at South Natomas and Sam and Bonnie Pannell Community Centers. Registration for these sites will be held at the respective community centers during regular business hours beginning January 21st.

Registration for offerings at the  
**Hart Senior Center,**  
located on 915 27<sup>th</sup> Street,  
midtown Sacramento,  
begins 1:00 p.m., January 16<sup>th</sup>.  
For more information contact  
(916) 808-5462.





# City of SACRAMENTO

## Parks and Recreation

### Let's Get Growing...Grow with Us!

The City of Sacramento offers community gardening opportunities for growing vegetables, flowers and herbs. The gardens provide opportunities for all ages and gardening levels. Community gardens are located at:

#### **Billy Bean Park**

**Community Garden** – 7400 17<sup>th</sup> Ave.

#### **Camellia Park**

**Community Garden** – 6650 Cougar Drive

#### **Danny Nunn Park**

**Community Garden**

Located off Power Inn Road on 53rd Ave. just west of the park

#### **Elmhurst –UCD Med Center**

**Community Garden**

49th Street—Between 50th Street and V Street

#### **Fremont Community Garden**

On the corner of 14<sup>th</sup> and Q st.

#### **J. Neely Johnson Park**

**Community Garden**

Located at 11th and F st

#### **Martin Luther King Community Garden**

MLK & 12<sup>th</sup> Ave

#### **Southside Community Garden**

Located at 5th and W st

**Sparrow Community Garden**—Sparrow Drive and Natomas Crossing

#### **Strauch Park Community Garden**

Located at Northstead Dr. near Potomac Ave

#### **Valley Hi Park Community Garden**

8185 Center Parkway

#### **Wild Rose Park Community Garden**

5200 Kankakee Drive

**Zapata Park Community Garden** - 8<sup>th</sup> and E st

**\*More Gardens Coming in 2016:** 19th and Q street

**GROW**  
Your Own  
**FOOD**  
**SAVE**  
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For Plot availability Contact:

**Bill Maynard 916 808-4943 office**  
**Community Garden Program Coordinator**  
**Email to: [wmaynard@cityofsacramento.org](mailto:wmaynard@cityofsacramento.org)**





**\$15 Cat Spay/Neuter**  
**\$20 Dog Spay/Neuter**

*\* Includes vaccinations  
and microchip ID with  
lifetime registration*



With spay/neuter your pet could be healthier, wander less and behave better!

**Visit [sacanimal.org](http://sacanimal.org)**  
***starting on Saturday, January 17***  
***to apply for an appointment***

### **Spay Day Guidelines**

Spay/neuter surgeries will take place on or around Sunday, March 1st.

Surgeries will take place at participating veterinary clinics in Sacramento and Yolo Counties.

**Appointments are required.** Apply for an appointment online at [sacanimal.org](http://sacanimal.org). If you don't have Internet access, visit your local public library.

Volunteers will begin calling applicants to schedule appointments starting on Monday, February 2.

**Eligibility:** Open **only** to Sacramento or Yolo County residents who receive public assistance and/or have an annual household income of \$35,000 or less. Proof of income or public assistance is required. Applicants will receive instructions for submitting documentation when they complete the online application at [sacanimal.org](http://sacanimal.org).

Limit two pets per household, dogs and cats only. Age limit applies; see [sacanimal.org](http://sacanimal.org) for details.

*Spay Day Sacramento 2015 is organized by the Sacramento Area Animal Coalition. Learn more at [sacanimal.org](http://sacanimal.org).*

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Sacramento

# Community Wellness Expo

- Health Insurance Info & Enrollment
- Local Health Clinics
- Wellness Education
- Dress for Fitness — Fun Fitness Demos & Activities for all ages!



Saturday

JANUARY

24

10am - 3pm

Grant Union  
High School  
1400 Grand Ave

Free  
Event

**FREE SCREENINGS** for blood pressure, blood sugar, and cholesterol, asthma, and dental health!

Questions? Interested in being a vendor? (916) 808-7233

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# Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration



## The Civil Rights Act of 1964 50 Years Later

SHERATON HOTEL SACRAMENTO  
SATURDAY, JANUARY 31, 2015  
5 PM RECEPTION  
6 PM DINNER AND PROGRAM

### In its 16th Year, the MLK Celebration Event Sacramento

honors the memory of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Please join us as we pay a special tribute to the 50th Anniversary of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, honor one of our region's leaders with the Robert T. Matsui Community Service Award and hear from a descendent of Frederick Douglass and Booker T. Washington. The MLK Committee will also announce the winners of the 2nd Annual MLK Essay Contest.

*"We may have all come on different ships, but we're in the same boat now."*

— Martin Luther King, Jr

HONORING  
**Senate President Pro Tem  
Darrell Steinberg**  
*with the Robert T Matsui  
Community Service Award.*

FEATURED KEYNOTE SPEAKER  
**Kenneth B. Morris**  
President and Founder  
Frederick Douglass Family Initiatives.  
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Booker T. Washington.*

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send your payment to the address below.

**For more information, call 916-925-5080**

MLK Celebration Committee, P.O. Box 161791, Sacramento, CA 95816 | 916.925.5080  
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# State of DOWNTOWN

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## SACRAMENTO *Rising*

### JOIN US AT THE 17<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL STATE OF DOWNTOWN

In the midst of a renaissance, Downtown Sacramento shows no signs of slowing down. With new investors discovering the capital city and multiple projects in the development pipeline, Sacramento Rising will share the vision for Downtown Sacramento's future.

#### KEYNOTE SPEAKER:

**Kim Schaefer**, Director of Communications, Downtown Project

The Downtown Project is redefining Downtown Las Vegas by creating a place of inspiration, entrepreneurial energy, and discovery, through the 3 C's: Collisions, Co-learning, and Connectedness. By investing in tech startups, owner-operated small businesses, arts, education, and real estate development, the Downtown Project is changing the future of Downtown Las Vegas.

## State of DOWNTOWN

**FEBRUARY 10, 2015**

**8AM-10AM** (doors open at 7:45am)

**MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM**

1515 J St., Downtown Sacramento

#### REGISTER ONLINE AT

[downtownsac.org/sod2015](http://downtownsac.org/sod2015)

**\$700** Table of 10

**\$70** Single Seat / **\$30** Gallery Seat

#### Make checks payable to:

Downtown Sacramento Partnership

980 9th St., Suite 400

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## 2015 Backyard Composting Seminars

Backyard composting is a process where you recycle your yard clippings and fruit and vegetable scraps into a valuable soil amendment right in your own yard. It is a great way to save money, reduce the amount of waste that is disposed, and improve the quality of your soil.



### Session 1: 8:00-9:00AM

Saturday, March 7

Saturday, April 11

Saturday, May 9

Saturday, September 12

Saturday, October 3

Saturday, November 7

### Session 2: 9:00-10:00AM

Southside Community Garden - 5th & W Streets (Downtown)

Elmhurst-Med Center Community Garden, 49th between V & 50th Street. (East Broadway)

Camellia Park Community Garden - 6650 Cougar Dr. (South Area)

Wild Rose Park Community Garden - 5200 Kankakee Dr. (North Natomas)

Southside Community Garden - 5th & W Streets (Downtown)

Fremont Community Garden - 14th & Q Streets (Downtown)

**Registration is FREE:** Pre-registration is not required however you can help us plan with a RSVP at [Facebook.com/SacRecycle](https://www.facebook.com/SacRecycle)

Those that attend will receive a backyard composting guide and kitchen compost tote. GEOBIN Compost Bin \$10 (limited to one per household while supplies last - City residents only).

At the seminar you will learn:

- How composting works
- What materials you should and should not compost
- Getting the right balance of food, air and moisture
- Maintaining your compost pile
- Each seminar will include a seasonal gardening topic
- Worm Fancy will also be attending to demonstrate how to compost with worms - vermicomposting!



[sacrecycle.org](http://sacrecycle.org)

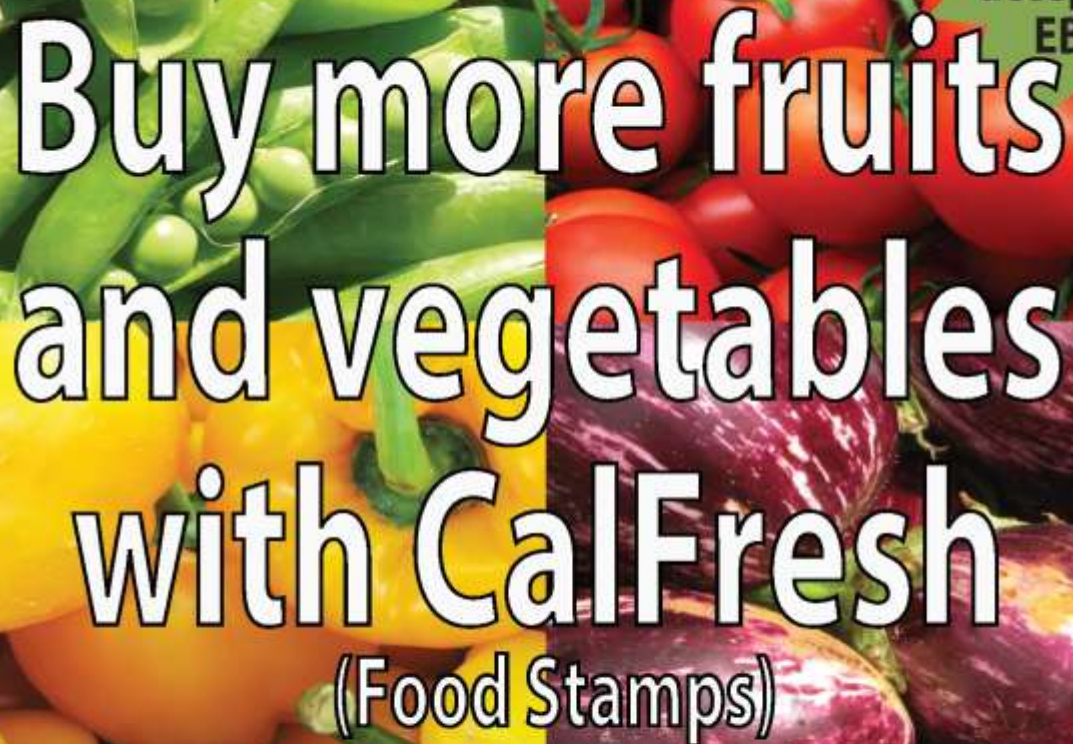
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**SATURDAYS 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM**

**1409 Del Paso Blvd., Sacramento, CA**

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**\*\*Open All Year\*\***





## Join the Global Shapers Sacramento Hub!

**"50 PERCENT OF THE WORLD'S POPULATION IS UNDER 27.** We are becoming increasingly aware that solutions to our global challenges must purposefully engage youth, at all levels – locally, regionally, nationally and globally. This generation has the passion, dynamism and entrepreneurial spirit to shape the future. They are the **Global Shapers.**"

-- The World Economic Forum

### Who are Global Shapers?

The Global Shapers Community is a network of hubs developed and led by young people who are exceptional in their potential, their achievements and their drive to make a contribution to their communities. It is a network throughout 156 countries of dynamic, entrepreneurial and socially-engaged young leaders between 20 and 30 years old. The community was founded in 2011 as an initiative of the [World Economic Forum](#). Since then, more than 3,500 Global Shapers have joined the Community and are working on projects in over 350 cities. Members are organized into city-based Hubs and commit to working together to make a positive and tangible impact in their local community.

The Sacramento Hub and Shapers are a dedicated and diverse group of young professionals committed to making a difference in the Sacramento region through hands-on projects. They also connect with a worldwide network of Global Shapers, other World Economic Forum communities and represent the voice of Sacramento to the Global Shapers Community.

### Become a Global Shaper

Want the opportunity to represent Sacramento and be a member of a world-wide organization backed by the World Economic Forum? Are you committed to making a meaningful and lasting impact in the Sacramento region?

The Sacramento Hub is seeking emerging leaders who are committed to the region. If you or someone you know possesses entrepreneurial spirit, demonstrated leadership and a desire to improve the state of the world starting right here at home with Sacramento, apply for consideration.

### Apply or Nominate

Deadline to submit is February 9, 2015. Submit your application online at [SactownShapers.com/apply](http://SactownShapers.com/apply).

### Stay Informed

Find us on the web at [www.SactownShapers.com](http://www.SactownShapers.com)

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# Youth Section

Community

Volunteer

Internships

**Browse through the next following pages to see what events and programs you can participate in. Look through the volunteer opportunities to find something you would want to volunteer for. Apply to internships or scholarships that are available.**

**Get involved, learn, be engaged, and make a difference while having fun!**



# Need Community Service Hours?

Check out The City Of Sacramento  
Youth Commission!

Attend the Sacramento  
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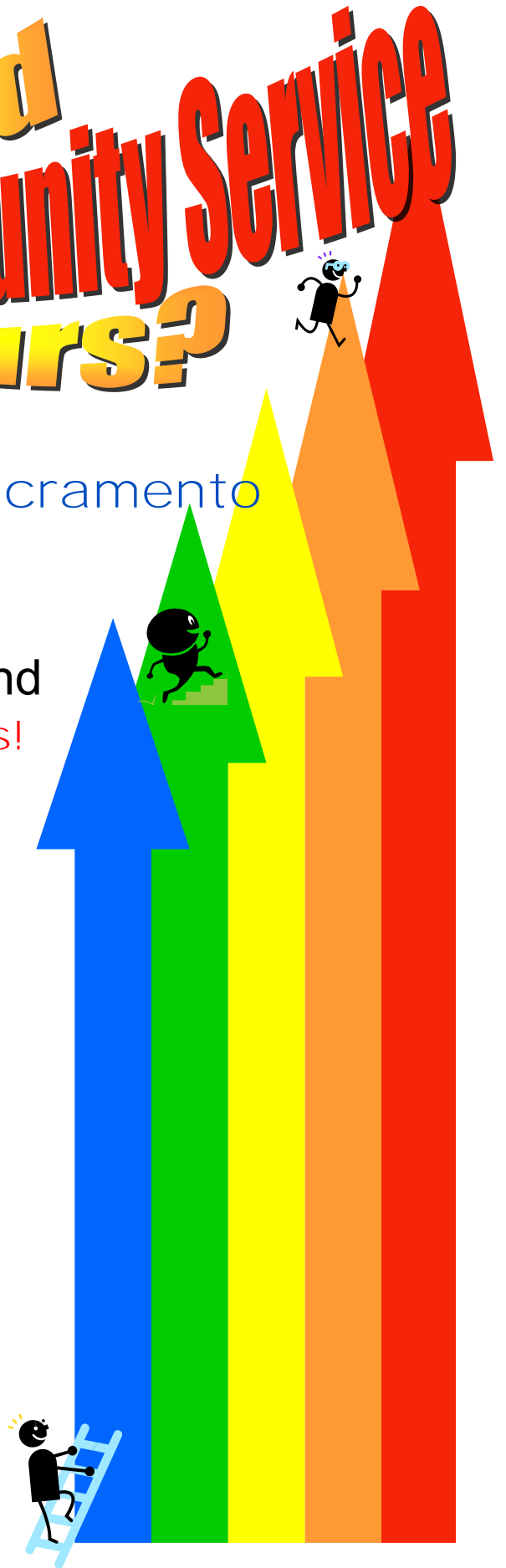
## Meeting Dates:

January 5, 2015  
January 26, 2015  
February 2, 2015  
February 16, 2015\*  
March 2, 2015  
March 16, 2015  
April 6, 2015

Meetings start at 6:00 pm

## Meeting Location:

Historic City Hall,  
2nd Floor Hearing Room  
915 I street  
Sacramento, CA 95814



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For more information contact Brandon James at 808-6526 or [bjames@cityofsacramento.org](mailto:bjames@cityofsacramento.org)

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# FACT SHEET



## YOUTH EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM

### Purpose of Program

The Youth Employment Opportunity Program (YEOP) provides services to youth, ages 15 through 25, to assist them in achieving their educational and vocational goals. The program emphasizes education, assessment, and peer advising. The YEOP specialists assist youth in attaining their goals through a variety of services:

- **Peer advising** allows youth clients to interact with individuals having similar life experiences and perspectives as they identify their occupational interests and develop career goals.
- **Referrals to supportive services** are necessary to enable an individual to participate in the program and may include transportation, child care, housing assistance and clothing.
- **Job referrals and placement** services in employment that consider the interests and abilities of the youth clients while meeting the needs of the local labor market.
- **YEOP Workshops** that prepare students for the hiring process with résumé writing, interview preparation, and assistance in developing educational and occupational goals.
- **Referral to training** providers including Regional Occupational Programs, General Educational Development Test centers with the purpose of receiving the California High School Equivalency Certificate, and post-secondary education.

### Eligibility Criteria

Eligible youth include individuals, ages 15 through 25, who are at risk of not achieving their educational goals. This includes high school dropouts and potential dropouts.

Some high risk characteristics include:

- Youthful offender.
- Poor literacy skills.
- Teen parent.
- Limited English skills.
- Foster or homeless youth.
- Gang member/associate.
- Member of a minority group.
- Economically disadvantaged.
- Youth with a disability.

### Mentors and YEOP Specialists

Two major components of the YEOP program are mentors and youth employment specialists.

#### Mentors

Career Employment Development Department (EDD) staffs advise and counsel YEOP specialists while providing intensive on-the-job training in the basic functions of Workforce Services.

#### YEOP Specialists

Youth aides and student assistants serve youth, ages 15 through 25, who are identified as having high risk characteristics.

The YEOP specialists are trained to provide YEOP assessment, peer advising, YEOP workshops, job development, selection and referral to education, or suitable youth jobs.

For more information, please contact your local EDD Workforce Services site (listed under "Employment Development Department" in the State Government section of your telephone directory).

For additional information on other EDD programs and services, visit EDD's Internet site at [www.edd.ca.gov](http://www.edd.ca.gov).

The EDD is an equal opportunity employer/program.  
Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

# Youth Job Fair

Ages 16-24

Saturday, March 21, 2015

Time: 10a.m.—2p.m.

Location: City Hall

915 I Street, Sacramento, CA 95814  
(Plaza Area Between 9th & 10th Street)

Employers Available On-Site

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Free Workshops

10 a.m. \* How To Dress To Impress

11 p.m. \* How To Nail an Interview

12 p.m. \* Apply Yourself/ Applications



*For more information please call 916-808-6789*

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*Councilmember Allen Warren presents*

# **02 HOT SPOT**

*Friday Nights*

*7 pm to 11:00 pm*



*Martin Luther King, Jr.  
Technology Academy*

*3051 Fairfield Street, Sacramento, CA 95815*

**BOYS AND GIRLS AGES 13 TO 19**

**FREE**



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**Mayor Pro tem Angelique Ashby & Councilmember Jeff Harris Present**

# **HOT SPOT**

**Friday Nights**

**7 pm to 11:00 pm**

**Rio Tierra Jr. High**

**3201 Northstead, Sacramento, CA 95833**



**BOYS AND GIRLS AGES 13 TO 19**



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*Councilmember Jay Schenirer presents*

# 05 HOT SPOT

*Friday Nights*

*7 pm to 11:00 pm*

*Oak Park Community Center*  
*3425 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd.*



**BOYS AND GIRLS AGES 13 TO 19**

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*Neighborhood Services presents*

# **OG HOT SPOT**

*Friday Nights*

*7:00 pm to 11:30 pm*

*George Sim Community Center*  
*6207 Logan Street, 95824*



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*Councilmember Rick Jennings, II presents*

# 07 HOT SPOT

*Friday Nights*

*7 pm to 11:00 pm*



*Samuel Jackman Middle School*  
*7925 Kentwal Dr, Sacramento, CA 95823*

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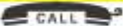


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*Councilmember Larry Carr presents*

# **DO HOT SPOT**

*Friday Nights*

*7 pm to 11:00 pm*

*Pannell Meadowview  
Community Center*

**2450 Meadowview Road Sacramento, CA 95832**

**BOYS AND GIRLS AGES 13 TO 19**



**FREE**



## **HOT SPOT OPEN**

Friday, January 9

Friday, February 6

Friday, March 6

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Friday, May 1

Friday, June 5

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# Volunteer Opportunities

**Get connected** with your community! **Do something** with more meaning to life by giving: Giving your time, giving a helping hand, and giving support to those in need. By just volunteering you can help **make a difference** and be the change.

**Volunteer** today! See what opportunities are available in your community!



The City of Sacramento Volunteer Program has a wide variety of volunteer opportunities for adults, teens and youth. These include on-going volunteer positions as well as short-term activities. For opportunities with the City of Sacramento, contact Mary Lynn Perry, Volunteer Coordinator at (916) 808-8317 or email [mperry@cityofsacramento.org](mailto:mperry@cityofsacramento.org) or go to the City's web site at [www.sacvolunteers.org](http://www.sacvolunteers.org). You can also find us on Facebook: [www.facebook.com/sacvolunteers](http://www.facebook.com/sacvolunteers) and follow us on Twitter: [www.twitter.com/sacvolunteers](http://www.twitter.com/sacvolunteers)

## **Hart Senior Center Seeks ASL Interpreter**

The Hart Senior Center is seeking an on-call American Sign Language interpreter (2-4 hours per month) to sign for hearing impaired seniors attending educational workshops held at the Senior Center located at 915 27th St in downtown Sacramento (95816). If you are fluent in ASL, we need you to help improve participants' access to quality seminars and programs! All events will be held Monday-Friday between the hours of 8am-5pm. If interested, please contact Alicia Black at [ablack@cityofsacramento.org](mailto:ablack@cityofsacramento.org) or (916) 808-7908 for more information.

## **TechConnections at Hart Senior Center**

Teach older adults how to get connected using computers and other devices! Volunteer to instruct a series of classes, short-term workshops or provide individualized assistance. Teach a maximum of six beginner or intermediate students using lessons designed for older adult learners. Topics may include: Introduction to Computers, Microsoft Office programs, Facebook, Internet and Email, Skype, cell phones, tablets, and more. The world of modern technology is ever changing, so help teach seniors how to stay in touch with friends and family, access information, and use apps and programs to bridge the digital divide. Classes are offered Monday-Friday, from 8am-5pm, flexible volunteer schedules are available. As a volunteer, you will have the opportunity to share your computer knowledge and skills with older adults in our community. Volunteering with this program is a wonderful way to spend the free time you may have to help build a resume, and to utilize your existing talents! For more information, please contact Alicia Black at (916) 808-7908.

**The Front Street Animal Shelter** – The shelter's goals include placing animals in loving, permanent homes, ending animal abuse/cruelty, and assisting the public with animal care and pet health issues. Just a few of the ways shelter volunteers make this possible include: maintaining a very clean and sanitary environment, conducting health and behavior screenings, exercising and socializing animals, cleaning and sanitizing bedding, bowls and

other animal care items, participating in community outreach and fundraising events, promoting the shelter through traditional and social media, maintaining databases, making phone calls and scheduling appointments, assisting owners of lost pets, organizing supply areas, and sorting/bagging food donations for the Sacramento Pet Food Bank. You don't even have to *have* pets to *help* pets! For more information and to download an application please visit our web site at [www.sacpetsearch.com](http://www.sacpetsearch.com). Orientations are scheduled each month at the Front Street Shelter, 2127 Front Street, Sacramento 95818. Questions? Contact [jwagaman@cityofsacramento.org](mailto:jwagaman@cityofsacramento.org) or call 916-808-8166.

**Access Leisure's Goalball** – Volunteers are needed to help facilitate Goalball games. This a sport designed for the blind and visually impaired. Games will take place in Yosemite Hall at California State University, Sacramento's from **11:00 - 3:30 pm** on the following dates:

- January 24th, and 31st of 2015
- February 14th and 21st of 2015
- March 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th of 2015
- April 11th and 25th of 2015
- May 2nd, 9th, 23rd, 30th of 2015
- June 6th and 13th of 2015

To obtain more information on Paralympic Sport Programs for people with physical disabilities, please contact Jenny Yarrow at [jyarrow@cityofsacramento.org](mailto:jyarrow@cityofsacramento.org).

**Historic City Cemetery: Visitor Center Volunteers Needed!** – The Historic City Cemetery seeks volunteers to staff the Visitor Center, especially on the weekends. With fewer visitors in the winter months. It's a great time to train volunteers on how to help visitors find out whether their ancestors are buried there, or to search for juicy and interesting stories for tours--perfect for people who enjoy meeting the public and providing information on graves or history. Shifts are 10:00 am-12:30 pm, or 12:30 pm-3:00 pm. Or, a volunteer can sign up for both shifts. If interested, contact [info@oldcitycemetery.com](mailto:info@oldcitycemetery.com) for an interview.

**Target Excellence** is looking for volunteers who can commit to nine weeks of volunteering for their 14 school sites in the Sacramento area, grades kindergarten to 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Volunteers must commit to at least two, one hour visits per week. Volunteering in the after-school program can be a fun and rewarding time. Volunteers may be asked to help with supper, play during outdoor recreation, help with homework time, or teach a lesson. The role of the volunteer can be flexible based on the school needs and the individual volunteering. Volunteers will always have a staff member with them and will not be left with a class alone. For more information or to volunteer please contact Leah Deguzman at (916) 930-0904 or [leah.deguzman@targetexcellence.org](mailto:leah.deguzman@targetexcellence.org).

**Sacramento Zoo Docent Program** – Want to take your passion for the zoo to the next level? The Docent Program opens unique opportunities for you to share your knowledge and love of animals with visitors to the Sacramento Zoo. The Sacramento Zoo offers specialized training to individuals dedicated to supporting the Zoo's public education programs by serving as Docents. The next 10-week course will begin **January 2015**. If the notion of being one of the legendary "yellow-shirt" Zoo Docents appeals to you, contact the Zoo Education office at 916 808-5889 for details about the upcoming training classes and course requirements. For questions or more information on how to sign up, contact Henry Sepulveda, [hbigdog2003@yahoo.com](mailto:hbigdog2003@yahoo.com) or Marc Irish, [marcirish@me.com](mailto:marcirish@me.com), Docent Training Committee Co-chairmen.



**Friends of the Sacramento Public Library Seeks Book Sale Volunteers** – The Book Den (located at [8250 Belvedere Ave, Suite E, Sacramento CA 95826](http://8250%20Belvedere+Ave,+Suite+E,+Sacramento+CA+95826)) is looking for volunteers to help with ongoing online book sales. Training includes appraisal techniques, how to list books for sale, and how to fill orders. Ideally, volunteers will work two mornings per week, from 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. starting immediately. Volunteers will use a computer as part of their job and should be computer literate. For more information please contact The Book Den Manager at (916) 731-8493 or [bookden@saclibfriends.org](mailto:bookden@saclibfriends.org).



**Year-Round Holiday Decorators Needed**—There's nothing like a beautifully decorated room to create an atmosphere of warmth and welcome. Ethel MacLeod Hart Senior Center, [915 27<sup>th</sup> Street](#), in midtown Sacramento is looking for a team of amateur decorators to create a festive mood in our lobby, hallways, and activity rooms throughout the year. Be it the winter holidays, Valentine's Day or the 4<sup>th</sup> of July, we hope to provide our visitors with the feeling of celebration unique to the season. Whether you're interested in being the lead in creating the image or simply like the idea of putting others in place – our help is needed! Funding is available to build a collection of decorative items suitable for a public facility. Two to five hours per month required. For more information please contact Rosanne Bernardy at [rbernardy@cityofsacramento.org](mailto:rbernardy@cityofsacramento.org).

**Hart Senior Center All Seasons Café**—Seeking friendly individuals who can assist with our daily congregate lunch program and help promote a welcoming, efficient environment. Duties may include: Greeting and checking in lunch guests, providing forms to new diners, and basic record keeping. Volunteers work from 10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., Monday through Friday (dependent on scheduling needs). Desired qualifications: a positive, approachable attitude, a willingness to help with a variety of tasks, and attention to detail and organization. Some tasks may require some bending. For more information and to learn more about shift options, please contact Alicia Black at [ablack@cityofsacramento.org](mailto:ablack@cityofsacramento.org).

**National Arts and Humanities Youth Awards:** The 12 award-winning programs this year will each receive \$10,000 and an invitation to accept their award from the President's Committee's Honorary Chairman, First Lady Michelle Obama, at a ceremony at the White House. After-school and out-of-school time arts and humanities programs are encouraged to apply. This award is presented by The President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities, in partnership with the National Endowment for the Arts, the National Endowment for the Humanities, and the Institute of Museum and Library Services. Please click the following link to access the online National Arts and Humanities Youth Program Awards Application: <http://www.nahyp.org/how-to-apply/>.

**Habitat for Humanity's ReStore** – You don't need a hammer and construction boots to build homes with Sacramento Habitat for Humanity! Lend a hand at Sac Habitat's volunteer-driven ReStore. The ReStore is a retail store that funds Habitat builds by selling donated home improvement items to the public. Volunteers are needed to support Restore to help unload, assemble, organize, price and move donated merchandise. With the entire inventory donated by community members and businesses, all sales go toward supporting Habitat's mission of building hope and homes for low-income families. We can accommodate any hours you are available to volunteer **Tuesday - Friday 9 am - 6 pm and Saturday 10 am - 5 pm!** To sign up or for questions, please contact Laci DeWater at (916) 440-1215 ext. 1109 or [ldewater@shfh.org](mailto:ldewater@shfh.org).

**Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program (VITA) Program** – VITA helps bring back millions of dollars to working families in our community by providing free tax assistance for low and moderate income households. Last year, the Coalition for Working Families helped keep more than \$4million in the pockets of residents by coordinating the VITA program. This success is only possible through a dedicated volunteer base. In 2013, the Coalition for Working Families trained and certified nearly 160 volunteers and surpassed all tax season expectations, but still fell short serving all the Sacramento families that needed VITA services. We simply need more volunteers. Please tell your friends, neighbors, family members, and co-workers that we need them to volunteer, too! Together we can make sure that working families throughout Sacramento are able to keep their hard-earned money. To volunteer or learn more about the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program, visit [www.sacworkingfamilies.com](http://www.sacworkingfamilies.com)

**2015 Homeless Point-in-Time Count Volunteer** – The Sacramento Steps Forward will lead the 2015 Homeless Point in Time (PIT) count and they need your help! More than 400 volunteers are needed for the Sacramento Homeless Streets count on January 28, 2015. The PIT count is a comprehensive, county wide effort aimed at ensuring that we have a counted all sheltered and unsheltered individuals and families living on the streets of Sacramento County. The information gathered during this count is will help us understand our community's need and can assist us in competing for federal dollars To volunteer, please visit <http://www.handsonsuperiorcal.org/SpecialEvents>. For more information please contact Maya Wallace at (916) 993-7702 or [mwallace@sacstepsforward.org](mailto:mwallace@sacstepsforward.org).

**The Land Park Volunteer Corps** kicks off its 6th season from 9:00 a.m. until Noon on **Saturday, March 7th** in William Land Park. Help keep Land Park beautiful! Make new friends and reconnect with old ones. Corps volunteers are provided all necessary tools and supplies and are led by experienced team captains. Includes a complimentary light breakfast and regular lunch. A healthy, clean and fun way to spend a Saturday morning that helps us all! For further information, please contact Lead Coordinator Craig Powell at [ckpinsacto@aol.com](mailto:ckpinsacto@aol.com) or call him at (916) 718-3030.

**Sacramento CERT Disaster Drill Volunteers** - On **March 21st** Sacramento CERT will have the Spring Academy Graduation Drill from 7am to 4pm at the Alhambra Water Tower training facility at 3230 J Street, Sacramento. This drill is to provide a simulated disaster scene for our Spring Academy class members to use to demonstrate their skills. To accommodate the class size, we usually need between 40-50 volunteer "victims" to act as role players. This is a good event for those who enjoy acting as well as others who wish to support disaster services in our area. CERT staff can sign off on community service hours if needed for teens and youth. Anyone under 18 must have an adult present with them. To participate, please reach us at [info@sfdcercert.com](mailto:info@sfdcercert.com) and let us know you would like to be a volunteer victim for the Spring Academy

**Volunteer Photographer** – The Old Sacramento Underground Tours program needs a volunteer professional photographer to facilitate at least 2 photo-shoots in the Old Sacramento Underground spaces. Photographer will need to provide all equipment needed, edit images for intended marketing use such as rack cards, website, print media, etc., and provide images to Old Sacramento Underground Tour Manager in both raw and edited format. Volunteers should have at least 6 months as a professional photographer, the ability to edit images using your personal Photoshop program or other software. Please provide references and examples of previous photo-shoots. For more information and an application, please visit: <http://www.historicoldsac.org/volunteer/underground.asp>

## Job Opportunities

### LGBT Annual Call for Board Application is Open

You can be a leader and the Center needs you! The Sacramento LGBT Community Center, 1927 L Street, is accepting applications for open seats on the board of directors. Board members are ambassadors, advocates, and fundraisers for the organization that helps to ensure delivery of their mission. Regularly scheduled board meetings are held on the fourth Wednesday of each month from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Meetings are open to the public and location varies based on availability of space. For more information contact the Center at (916) 442-0185. To apply for open seats on the board of directors please visit <http://saccenter.org/index.cfm?fuseaction=Page.ViewPage&PageID=578>.

### California Environmental Justice Alliance is NOW HIRING

Join the fantastic team, incredible network of member organizations, and fight for environmental justice! CEJA is now hiring a full time Policy Advocate, to be based in either they Bay are or Sacramento. Interested applicants need to send their resume and cover letter to [ceja@caleja.org](mailto:ceja@caleja.org) and include "Policy Advocate" in the subject line. For more information or to read the full job description please visit <http://caleja.org/2014/11/ceja-is-hiring-3>.



# Resources

## *Internships, Scholarships, Services*

### Internships

**The Crocker Art Museum All About Families Intern Program** – All About Families is the Museum's initiative to engage family audiences in a variety of the museum's featured programs. As a All About Families Intern you will provide valuable support for the Museum's programs for our youngest visitors (ages 0-5) as well as for families with older children. Tasks include the following:

- Enhance and maintain the Early Childhood Resource Center and Tot Land
- Prepare art materials for programs
- Present or co-present programs to Museum visitors
- Research and develop appropriate activities for infants, toddlers, preschool-age, and school-age children
- Assist with evaluation of programs

The ideal candidate is enthusiastic, has strong communication skills, possesses basic computer skills, is comfortable working independently, and is pursuing a degree. Experience working with young children and the public are pluses. The internship period is roughly 10 hours per week for 9-12 weeks. To apply, submit a complete application package to Volunteer Coordinator Rachel Burlingame at [rburlingame@crockerartmuseum.org](mailto:rburlingame@crockerartmuseum.org). The intern application can be downloaded at [www.crockerartmuseum.org](http://www.crockerartmuseum.org) or contact Rachel at 916-808-8356 to receive one by mail.

**Federal Diversity Internship Initiative: U.S. Government Internships** - The Washington Center in partnership with HBCU Connect is excited to announce 2015 summer paid internships through the Federal Diversity Internship Initiative. This is a fully-funded and paid opportunity. There is no out-of-pocket cost for participation. Interested participants will have the opportunity to intern with the Department of Veteran Affairs, Federal Aviation Administration, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, National Archives and Records Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, United States Department of Agriculture, Library of Congress, and the U.S. Department of the Treasury. These internships are competitive and will go fast! **Deadline to submit your applications online is Wednesday, February 18.** To apply, you will need to fill out the online application form and provide a resume, and essay, two letters of recommendation from a professional or academic source, and an official transcript. To apply please visit <http://www.twc.edu/internships/additional-programs/federal-diversity-internship-initiative>. For more information please contact Lyndsy Horn at (916) 238-7197 or [lyndsy.horn@twc.edu](mailto:lyndsy.horn@twc.edu).

**The Crocker Art Museum Art Access Intern**—The Art Access program is comprised of several museum tours designed to serve community members who might otherwise have difficulty accessing and enjoying the museum. These tours include: touch tours for the visually-impaired, sign-interpreted tours for the hearing-impaired, Art Rx for those dealing with chronic pain, as well as tours designed especially for people living with dementia. Our Art Access scholarship program offers qualified groups free entry to the museum, ensuring that cost is never a barrier for people who wish to experience the beneficial power of art. The Art Access Intern will be working directly with the Education and Community Associate in the Education Department at the Crocker Art Museum. This internship provides experience in several areas associated with the museum's Art Access Program, including research, outreach, programming and more. This position may also work with other staff in the Education Department on tasks to broaden their knowledge of the inner workings of the Crocker Art Museum. Applicants must be completing or have recently completed a Bachelor's Degree. For more information please contact Rachel Burlingame at (916) 808-8356 or [rburlingame@crockerartmuseum.org](mailto:rburlingame@crockerartmuseum.org). To apply or get the application please visit <https://crockerartmuseum.org/get-involved/ways-to-get-involved/internships>.

**The Crocker Art Museum Studio Experiences Intern**—Crocker’s Studio Experiences program seeks to provide people with experience that are compatible with their intellectual, social and aesthetic maturity. Interns provide valuable support in achieving this goal. The intern will assist the Manager of Studio Experiences with the Studio Experience Program by serving as a community liaison for the museum, assisting with the implementation of studio art classes, and more. This is an opportunity to gain confidence in public speaking, learn about museum operations, increase organizational skills and much more. Applicants must be completing or have recently completed a degree in Studio or Art History or have a comprehensive background in these subject areas and must be comfortable interacting with the public. This position runs from January 18 – May 25, June 20 – August 15, 2015 or both. For questions about the internship please contact Emma More at (916) 808-1961 or [emoore@crockerartmuseum.org](mailto:emoore@crockerartmuseum.org). To apply, submit your completed application package to Rachel Burlingame at [rburlingame@crockerartmuseum.org](mailto:rburlingame@crockerartmuseum.org).

## Scholarships

**Sacramento City Unified School District** website offers various resources for students such as general college information, scholarships, test prep materials, financial aid and more. For more information about various colleges you are looking to attend, testing calendars, or need help with filling out your application for financial aid visit <http://www.scusd.edu/student-resources>.

**The California Transportation Foundation** is offering scholarships for high school seniors or college undergraduate students. For more information, applications deadlines, or to apply, please visit <http://www.dot.ca.gov/hq/jobs/scholarships.htm>.

**Tuskegee Airmen Scholarship** – The George S. “Spanky” Roberts Chapter of the Tuskegee Airman, Inc. is sponsoring a Local Educational Assistance Program that is available to graduating high school students in the Sacramento area. Applicants must complete all high school requirements by July 2015, must have a GPA of 2.5 or better on a scale of 4.0. Additional consideration is given for students participation in academic, social, civic, athletic, and leadership activities. Students must be planning for entrance into a University or College following graduation. **Application deadline is Monday, January 26, 2015.** For more information please contact Larry Shapiro at (916) 320-2009. To apply, please visit [www.taisac.org](http://www.taisac.org).

**Bank of America Student Leaders Program** – Since its inception in 2005, the Bank of America Student Leaders® Program has recognized more than 2,000 exemplary high school junior and seniors who have a passion for improving their communities. The program helps students gain a greater understanding of how non-profits create impact in the community and helps develop them into the next generation of community leaders through an eight-week summer paid internship with a non-profit organization selected by the bank and a week-long, all-expense paid Student Leaders® Summit in Washington, D.C. from July 12-17. **Applications are due Friday, January 31, 2015.** For more information or to apply please visit <http://about.bankofamerica.com/en-us/global-impact/student-leaders.html>.

**PG&E Bright Mind Scholarship Program** – The Pacific Gas and Electric Company and the PG&E Corporation Foundation are offering scholarships for undergraduate study to students who are PG&E customers. Applicants must: be a minimum of 16 years of age and be a high school senior or graduate, have received GED certification, or be a current postsecondary undergraduate student; be a PG&E customer; plan to enrol in fulltime undergraduate study at an accredited two-year or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school for the



entire 2015-2016 academic year pursuing first postsecondary degree. **Applications must be submitted electronically by 11:59 p.m. Pacific Time, Monday, February 9, 2015.** For more information or to apply please visit <https://www.scholarshipamerica.org/pge>.

**The Sacramento Chapter of the Links, Inc.** gives scholarships and awards annually to graduation high school seniors of African heritage who exemplify academic excellence and exhibit leadership potential. **Completed applications must be postmarked by Friday, February 13, 2015.** For more information please email [links2scholarship@gmail.com](mailto:links2scholarship@gmail.com). To apply, please visit <http://sacramentolinksinc.org/page/scholarship-application>.

**American Association of University Women (AAUW) Sacramento** encourages women to achieve their goal and become valuable community members. The Sacramento branch raises money for, and awards scholarships to, individuals who meet the requirements. **Application deadline must be postmarked no later than February 15, 2015.** For more information, the eligibility requirements, or apply please visit <http://sacramento-ca.aauw.net/programs/scholarships>. For questions please contact Molly Dugan at [madugan@hotmail.com](mailto:madugan@hotmail.com) or Donna Holmes at [wyndelndonna@sbcglobal.net](mailto:wyndelndonna@sbcglobal.net).

**LAGRANT Foundation Scholarships** are targeted toward minority undergraduate and graduate student, offering scholarships for students interested in advertising, marketing, public relations, anthropology, or art and attending a four-year accredited institution in the U.S. They will award 40 scholarships in 2015. Undergraduate students will receive a \$2500 scholarship and graduate students will receive a \$5000 scholarship. **Application deadline is Friday, February 27, 2015.** For more information, see the eligibility criteria, or apply, please visit <http://www.lagrانتfoundation.org/Scholarship%20Program>.

**The Sacramento Area Black Caucus 2015 Scholarship** – The Sacramento Area Black Caucus, Inc. will award Rosenwald “Robbie” Robertson Scholarships to students who best demonstrate the standards of academic achievement, leadership, and services to the African American community, all characteristics which the late city councilman and community leader, Rosenwald Robertson exemplified. **Application deadline is 5:00 p.m. Monday, March 31, 2015.** For more information please contact Lailah Muwwakkil at (916) 484-3829 or [info@blackparallelschoolboard.com](mailto:info@blackparallelschoolboard.com). For eligibility requirements and to apply please visit <http://www.blackparallelschoolboard.com/16.html>.

#### **2015 From Failure to Promise Essay Contest**

Dr. C. Moorer published his 2<sup>nd</sup> ground breaking work From Failure to Promise: 360 Degrees in 2014 which shares Moorer’s twenty year journey of turning his life around from a college flunk-out to a university dean. Dr. C. Moorer invites people to write an original essay of at least 1500 words addressing all three prompts listed on the website. 1<sup>st</sup> place grand prize is \$10,000 and three \$500 honorable mentions. **Deadline to submit application and upload essay is 11:59pm EST July 31, 2015.** For more information, view eligibility criteria, see the essay prompts, or apply, please visit <http://www.fromfailuretopromise.com/Essay-Scholarship-Contest-.html>.

## **Services & Resources**

**Didn’t graduate from high school? FREE** GED program available for those that are ready and serious about getting their GED. The program will help with GED preparation classes, study materials and assistance with the State fee. You must be over 18 years old to apply. Completion incentives include gift cards and movie tickets! For more information or to reserve a space call Lisa at (916) 496-7764 or email at [info@celiinc.org](mailto:info@celiinc.org).

**Sacramento Public Library Career Online High School (COHS) Program** – Earn your high school diploma online! This pilot program through the Sacramento Library offers adults the opportunity to earn an accredited high school diploma and career certificate online and provides a limited number of free enrollments to qualified adult learners who are looking to advance their careers, prepare for workforce entry, or continue their education. COHS is **open to all eligible Sacramento residents** with the exception of residents of the City of Folsom, which is served by the Folsom Public Library system. Once enrolled, COHS pairs each student with an online academic coach, who provides the student with an individual career path, offers ongoing guidance, evaluates performance and connects the student with the resources needed to master the courses. Students will be given up to 18 months to complete the program. If you are interested in the program, please visit [www.saclibrary.org/diploma](http://www.saclibrary.org/diploma) to fill out an application. For questions email [diploma@saclibrary.org](mailto:diploma@saclibrary.org).

**Pirate and Princess: Power of Doing Good** – Youth Service America and Disney Junior's Pirate and Princess are coming together this summer to introduce the power of doing good for kids ages 2-7 (and to everyone ages 2-7 at heart)! Parents can download free activities and educational materials, including a Family Service Guide: Volunteering Tips for Parents of Young Children and YSA's Families in Action toolkit. Families are then encouraged to make a pledge of service within their community and post about it on Twitter and Facebook throughout the summer using the hashtag #PowerOfDoingGood. Join in the adventure at: [www.ysa.org/pirate\\_and\\_princess](http://www.ysa.org/pirate_and_princess).



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