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BE PREPARED WHEN DISASTER STRIKES

The City will conduct a disaster drill on Thursday, October 21, 2010, in conjunction with the state-wide "Great California Shake Out" earthquake drill. During the drill, City staff and emergency volunteers will test the communication systems in our Emergency Operations Center at City Hall. This is the perfect time to urge all of our residents to prepare themselves, their families and their homes for any disaster that may strike.

ASSEMBLE A DISASTER SUPPLIES KIT

Every home should have a Disaster Supplies Kit in case you and your family are confined in your home or must evacuate as a result of a disaster. You should be prepared to be on your own for a minimum period of 72 hours. The kit should be readily accessible for safety, comfort and convenience. All household members should know where it is stored. At a minimum, replace food, water, medical supplies and batteries once a year. Place the items you need during an evacuation in an easy-to-carry container.

FOR SAFETY AND SURVIVAL

- 3 day supply of water (1 gallon per person per day) in clean, marked plastic containers such as soda bottles. Avoid milk jugs, as the lids do not close tightly
- 3 day supply of non-perishable, nutritious foods requiring no cooking, such as peanut butter, canned and dried meats, canned and dried fruits and vegetables, powdered drink mix, powdered

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ANNENBERG PROJECT AT LOWER POINT VICENTE



On September 2, 2008, the City Council adopted the Rancho Palos Verdes Coast Vision Plan. The Coast Vision Plan emphasizes public access, interpretive materials, recreational amenities, and other facilities to improve the experience of the coast and open space for residents and visitors of the Peninsula. One of the five key sites identified in the Vision Plan is Lower Point Vicente.

The Vision Plan's design for Lower Point Vicente is to create an area for the community to connect with the ocean and the land by providing interpretive facilities and outdoor educational and recreational features, creating an educational center and connecting the site to the trails at the Vicente Bluffs

Reserve and beyond. At the same meeting the Council adopted the Vision Plan, the City Council authorized the Annenberg Foundation to file the appropriate planning applications to initiate the planning review process of the Annenberg Foundation's project for Lower Point Vicente. The proposed project is now before the Planning Commission and consists of the following site improvements:

- Construction of a 50,979 square foot public educational building on terrestrial animals with an emphasis on companion animals. The building is two-stories, at a maximum height of 27-feet (as measured from finished grade

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LOCAL ELECTION SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2010

BALLOT MEASURE

On June 15, 2010, the City Council received the City Clerk's Certification that the Marymount College petition titled "Adoption of a Specific Plan for Development of the Marymount College Campus at 30800 Palos Verdes Drive East in the City of Rancho Palos Verdes and Related General Plan and Zoning Ordinance Amendments" had qualified for a Special Municipal Election to be placed on the November 2, 2010 Statewide General Election Ballot. The question on the ballot will be the following: Shall an ordinance

be adopted that would enact a new specific plan and related amendments to the City of Rancho Palos Verdes ("City") general plan and zoning ordinance to: (1) allow development of specified facility improvements, including dormitories, on the Marymount College Campus ("Campus") located at 30800 Palos Verdes Drive East; (2) govern the operation of the Campus, and (3) supersede inconsistent provisions of the Municipal Code and prior City land use decisions regarding the Campus?

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MARYMOUNT COLLEGE INITIATIVE MEASURE P

In light of the Marymount College Initiative Measure P's qualification for the upcoming election on November 2, 2010, the City has received many inquiries from the public about the differences between the Marymount College Expansion project that was approved by the City Council, and the Marymount Initiative, "Measure P." Extensive information, including a comparison by Staff of the differences between the Council-approved project and the project proposed by the initiative, can be found on the City's website at www.palosverdes.com/rpv/planning/marymount or can be obtained from the City Clerk's office. The following, is a brief summary of that information:

After hearing an appeal of the Planning Commission's conditional approval of the project, on June 1, 2010, the City Council approved the Marymount College Facilities Expansion Project subject to conditions of approval. The Council-approved project consists of the following improvements:

- Construction of 61,928 square feet of new floor area, including 14,916 square feet in expansion of existing buildings, resulting in a total of 151,090 square feet of building area on the site, consisting of:
 - New Library Building
 - New Athletic Building
 - New Maintenance Building
 - Expanded Administration/Admissions Building
 - Expanded Student Union
 - Expanded Faculty Office Building
 - Expanded Auditorium and Fine Arts Studio
- Construction of a new athletic field and tennis courts (with the effect of relocating the facilities from the eastern portion of the campus where they currently exist to the western portion of the campus) with 30-foot tall netting around the athletic field and 20-foot tall fencing around the tennis courts. Two of the tennis courts are located on the west side of the athletic field near Palos Verdes Drive East, and two of the tennis courts are

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to the parapet roof wall). The proposed building maintains a structural footprint of approximately 35,000 square feet. The interior of the building would accommodate classrooms, exhibit areas, live animal facilities, theater, retail space, and offices. The building is designed to be set into the existing grade to minimize its visual appearance when viewed from neighboring properties and Palos Verdes Drive West. Furthermore, the building is also designed to have a green roof to visually blend with the surrounding landscape. In terms of lot coverage, the proposed building when combined with the 10,000 square foot footprint of Point Vicente Interpretive Center will result in approximately 4% lot coverage for this approximately 26 acre site.

- Construction of a 990 square foot Outpost Structure that will serve as an information and interpretive station for the overall project site, as well as public restrooms and storage space for the outdoor educational and recreational facilities. The Outpost Building will be 16-feet in height, as measured from finished grade.
- Outdoor educational exhibits for public use include the following:
 - Archaeological Dig
 - Tongva Village
 - Dry Farming Exhibit
- Expansion of the existing parking lot to accommodate a total of 197 parking spaces (existing and proposed)
- Landscape Improvements (native and ornamentals)
- Drainage improvements to enhance run-off water quality
- Public recreational amenities including new and enhanced trails, trail heads, viewing nodes, picnic areas, restrooms, drinking fountains, and interpretive materials
- Pedestrian plazas

As proposed, construction of the project is being underwritten by the Annenberg Foundation as a

charitable gift to the City for public education and recreational purposes. Furthermore, the Annenberg Foundation proposes to set-up an endowment to cover operational and maintenance costs so that there is no financial cost borne by the residents of Rancho Palos Verdes.

According to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA), the City determined that the preparation of an Environmental Impact Report (EIR) is necessary for the proposed project. In July 2010, a Draft EIR was prepared which assessed the proposed project's impacts on environmental topics such as aesthetics, biological resources, cultural resources, air quality, noise, traffic and circulation, hydrology and water quality, and land use.

The draft EIR for the Project was released to the public marking the beginning of the 56-day comment period that concluded on September 15, 2010. During this comment period, the public was invited to provide written comments to the City on the content and analysis of the Draft EIR. As an added opportunity for the public to provide the City with verbal comments on the DEIR, the City held meetings with the Traffic Safety Commission on August 16, 2010, and the Planning Commission on September 14, 2010. At this time, the City, with the assistance of its environmental consultants, is preparing the Final EIR. The Final EIR will include "Responses to Comments" made on the Draft EIR during the public comment period, as well as modifications to the environmental analysis if deemed necessary.

Over the next few months, the Planning Commission will be reviewing the planning applications for the project. The Planning Commission's decision on the project is appealable to the City Council. Furthermore, since the project is located in the appealable area of the City's coastal zone, the City's final decision on the project may be appealed to the Coastal Commission.

Inquiries on this project should be directed to Ara Mihranian, Project Planner, at 310-544-5228 or via email at aram@rpv.com.

To learn more about the proposed project or to review the related City documents such as Staff Reports, presentations, environmental documents, and the project site plan, visit the City's website at www.palosverdes.com/rpv/planning/annenberg.

If you would like to receive electronic notifications on this project or other City projects, you can join the City's list-serve at www.palosverdes.com/rpv.

FREE DOCENT-LED NATURE WALKS...HAPPY TRAILS!

October 24, 2010 ~ 3:00 p.m.
Ocean Trails at Trump National Golf Club

Walk the switchback trail to the beach. Learn about local geology and fall blooming habitat.

Stay to watch the sunset from beautiful Founders Park. Moderate. (Park to left of Club House in public lot at end of Ocean Trails Drive.)

November 20, 2010 ~ 1:00 p.m.
Abalone Cove Shoreline Park

Tour the tide pools teeming with fascinating marine life. Moderate. Participants should wear sturdy, non-slip shoes because part of the walk is on cobblestones at the beach.

December 18, 2010 ~ 12:30 p.m.
Abalone Cove Shoreline Park

Tour the tide pools teeming with fascinating marine life. Moderate.

Participants should wear sturdy, non-slip shoes because part of the walk is on cobblestones at the beach.

For all hikes, participants should wear comfortable walking shoes and a hat, and bring a small bottle of water. Walks are two hours long and no reservations are required. Parking is free. Heavy rain the night before or rain the day of the hike will cancel the hike or tour. For more information about docent-led nature walks, please call 310-544-5260 or visit the City's website at www.palosverdes.com/rpv.

Please Note:

The 2011 Los Serenos de Point Vicente Hike Schedule will be available later this year on the City's website at www.palosverdes.com/rpv, or you can call 310-544-5260 for more information.

KEEP CLUTTER FROM THE GUTTER! - RAINY SEASON POLLUTION PREVENTION ADVISORY

The rainy season is around the corner and the City of RPV has been working to ensure that catch basins and gutters are clear of debris and are prepared to carry thousands of gallons of water off city streets. Stormwater pollution is caused when the first and continuous rains flush items directly into storm drains.

Everyone can help keep the pollution out of the streets, gutters and the ocean by doing a few simple things including: sweeping instead of hosing, properly maintaining vehicles, recycling your used motor oil and filters, and not applying chemicals to lawns and gardens before watering or predicted rainstorms.

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LAST DAY TO REGISTER

Monday, October 18, 2010, is the last day to register to vote in the election. You will need to re-register if you have moved to a new address, changed your name, or changed your political party affiliation. Voter Registration Forms are available at City Hall, the Post Office, and the library.

VOTE BY MAIL

Voters who wish to vote by mail must submit a written request to the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk for a ballot no later than 7 days prior to the Election Day, by October 26, 2010. Your written request must identify the election for which a ballot is being requested, and must contain the voter's name and signature, registered address, and the address to which the ballot should be mailed. The signature of each person requesting a vote by mail ballot is required in order to verify the legitimacy of the application. If you will be unable to vote in person on Election Day, please visit the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk's website at <http://lavote.net> to complete and sign the application for a vote by mail ballot. Return the application to:

Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk
P.O. Box 30450
Los Angeles, CA 90030-0450

PERMANENT VOTE BY MAIL VOTER STATUS

Under state law, a voter may apply for permanent vote by mail status. As a permanent vote by mail voter, you will no longer have to apply to vote by mail for each future election. A ballot will automatically be mailed to you for each election in which you are eligible to vote. As of January 1, 2006, and pursuant to SB 39, a voter's name shall be deleted from the permanent vote by mail voter list if he or she fails to return a vote by mail ballot for two consecutive statewide general elections. You may request an application for Permanent Vote By Mail status by calling (562) 466-1323 or by submitting a letter of request to the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk at the above address.

POLLING LOCATION

On Election Day residents can locate their polling place by using the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk's website at <http://lavote.net>. Voters who do not have access to the Internet can contact the City Clerk's Office at (310) 544-5217 or (310) 544-5208 for assistance in locating their polling place. The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.



BUSINESS LICENSE RENEWAL

It is time to renew your Business License for 2011. Business License renewals can now be completed online, using a credit card (Visa and MasterCard only) at www.palosverdes.com/rpv/finance/. The online application will automatically calculate the business license tax based on information provided by the applicant. If payment by check is preferred, a renewal application form and a Home Occupations Standards form will be mailed to the address on file for each current Business Licensee. Completed applications should be mailed or dropped off at City Hall. Applications must be submitted and the correct fees must be paid by January 31, 2011 to avoid late penalties.

The license information submitted to the City must include:

- All applicable information filled out in its entirety;
- The signature of an authorized representative of the business;
- A signed check made payable to the "City of Rancho Palos Verdes"; and
- Disclosure of the business' total gross receipts generated in the City of Rancho Palos Verdes for the last year.

If you have any question about the renewal of your Business License, please call the Business License Hotline at (310) 544-5391. The Hotline provides recorded information that may answer your questions, as well as an opportunity to leave a voicemail for Business License Staff. Your call will be returned within one business day.

RPV NEEDS YOU! COMMITTEE & COMMISSION RECRUITMENT

The City is currently conducting a recruitment to fill five seats on each of the following City Committees and Commissions: Finance Advisory Committee, Traffic Safety Commission, and Emergency Preparedness Committee. These are volunteer, non-paying positions with four-year terms of office. Initially, the term of office will be staggered with three seats with a term of four years and two seats with a term of two years in length.

Those interested in applying must submit an application to the City Clerk's Office by 4:30 p.m. on Friday, November 12, 2010. To be considered for appointment, an applicant must be a resident of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes. An application for appointment can be requested from the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, 30940 Hawthorne Boulevard, Rancho Palos Verdes, CA 90275, telephone number 310-544-5217 or downloaded from the City's website at the following web address:

<http://www.palosverdes.com/rpv/2010-Advisory-Board-Application-for-Appointment.pdf>. Interviews with the City Council are anticipated to take place in late November or early December 2010 prior to the Regular City Council Meeting scheduled that same evening. The City Clerk's Office will confirm the date and time of the interviews with the applicants.

For more information about these committees and commissions and the recruitment process, please visit the City's website <http://www.palosverdes.com/rpv/cityclerk/Advisory-Boards/index.cfm>

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or canned milk. Also include eating utensils and manual can opener

- List of prescription medicines (to gather quickly)
- Extra glasses or other needed eyewear
- Baby supplies (formula, diapers)
- Pet supplies (food, extra water, special medications, leashes and carriers)
- Extra car keys
- Standard first aid kit
- Fire extinguisher
- Battery operated radio, flashlights and extra batteries
- Tools: rope, gas shut off wrench, pry bar, pliers, hammer and nails



FOR COMFORT

- Change of clothing, sturdy footwear for each person
- Bedding for each person (blanket, pillow)
- Sanitary supplies (toilet paper, wipes, feminine supplies)

FOR CONVENIENCE

- Cash and credit cards
- Out of town contact list
- Medical insurance ID numbers
- Paper and pencils
- Important family documents
- Reading material

AUTO KIT

Assemble a smaller version of a disaster supplies kit to be stored in each of your vehicles. Maintain regularly and also include:

- Blanket/sleeping bag
- Flares and/or reflective triangles
- Jumper cables
- Shovel
- Tire repair/replacement supplies
- Maps

DEVELOP AN EMERGENCY PLAN

Meet with family members to develop an emergency plan and regularly conduct drills to practice and update your plan.

- Learn about emergency situations that can affect the Palos Verdes Peninsula, such as earthquakes, brush fires, structure fires, severe winter storms, hazardous materials incidents, landslides, tsunamis (along the coastline)
- Become familiar with all of the vehicular routes off the Peninsula
- Determine safe rooms in your home to go to if you are not told to evacuate
- Post emergency phone numbers by the telephone. During an emergency only use the telephone when someone needs immediate medical assistance
- Teach children their address and telephone number

- Note special assistance needed by the elderly and people with disabilities
- Prepare for family health needs (prescriptions, medical supplies)
- Plan not to leave pets behind. Consider care for large domestic animals, such as horses.
- Learn terms used to describe emergency situations (advisory, watch, warning) and types of emergency signals on radio and television
- Learn basic first aid and CPR
- Establish a meeting place in the event of family separation
- Identify out-of-state contact that family will call if separated
- Find out day care/school emergency procedures

PREPARE YOUR HOME FOR AN EMERGENCY

- Have home inspected to ensure compliance with fire and building codes, and make any repairs.
- Obtain disaster insurance for home and personal property
- Secure important papers, lists & photographs of personal property in a bank safety deposit box
- Keep fire extinguishers accessible on each building floor & periodically check functionality
- Install smoke detectors on each level outside sleeping areas, not in kitchen or bathrooms. Check functionality and vacuum out dust once a month. Change batteries annually.



- Install carbon monoxide detector and regularly maintain based on manufacturer's instructions
- Purchase flashlights and other emergency lighting, but avoid candles due to fire hazard
- Make house address/numbers clearly visible from street
- Securely fasten down water heater, furniture that is taller than wide, pictures/mirrors, and install latches on cabinet doors
- Locate your home's main water, electrical and gas shut off valves, mark them with brightly colored tape or stickers, and learn how and when to shut them off.

WEB LINKS

City of Rancho Palos Verdes: www.palosverdes.com/rpv

L. A. County Operational Area: www.lacoeoc.org

California Office of Emergency Services: www.oes.ca.gov

Federal Department of Homeland Security: www.dhs.gov/dhspublic/

American Red Cross: www.redcross.org

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located on the east side of the athletic field.

- Reconfiguration and expansion of on-site parking to accommodate 463 parking spaces
- Installation of new landscape and hardscape including, but not limited to, new plazas, pedestrian walkways, and fountains.

The Council-approved Project includes conditions that limit student enrollment to a maximum of 793 students, limit the hours of operation of the campus facilities, allow construction to occur in three phases over a period of eight years, provided that the total duration of construction cannot exceed three years, and allow the City Council to review the operations of the Campus six months after each construction phase is completed for compliance with the Council-adopted conditions of approval.

Much of what was approved by the City Council would also be allowed under Measure P; however, there are certain differences. The primary differences between the project that would be authorized by Initiative Measure P and the Council-approved Project are that Measure P would:

- Allow construction of two residence halls (2 buildings that will house 255 occupants) that will be connected by a gallery with a total square footage of 59,164 square feet
- Allow the placement of the athletic field with 20-foot tall netting immediately adjacent to Palos Verdes Drive East and the placement of all four tennis courts immediately to the east of the athletic field with 10-foot tall fencing
- Allow increased grading
- Not impose a limit on the maximum duration of the phased construction
- Impose certain "Campus Requirements" intended to address land use compatibility issues between the Campus and adjacent residential neighborhoods. Examples of "Campus Requirements" include enrollment limits of: 793 part-time and full-time students for all non-summer terms; 150 students in weekend and night class degree programs; 600 total students in all weekday summer education programs; and allowing no more than 655 fixed student seats. The "Campus Requirements," which are largely based on the Planning Commission's conditions of approval, would replace the final conditions of approval imposed by the City Council, thereby eliminating certain conditions that allow City Council review and regulation of the development and ongoing operation of the Campus.

Both the Council-approved project and Measure P would allow the College to continue all current activities including college preparatory classes and other educational programs; religious services; cultural events; intramural and intercollegiate athletic activities and competitions; summer youth programs; community programs; special events; and four-year college degree programs and related activities.

NEW CITY-RUN RECREATION PROGRAMS!

The Recreation and Parks Department is offering the following programs in the upcoming year:

- ❖ Halloween Spooktacular
- ❖ Career Workshop for Youth
- ❖ Kids Short-Game Golf Clinic
- ❖ Adult Short-Game Golf Clinic
- ❖ Paddle Tennis Classes & Tournaments
- ❖ Night at the Museum: The Sleepover
- ❖ Moonlight Hikes in the PV Nature Preserve
- ❖ Egg Hunt Eggstravaganza!
- ❖ Pitch, Hit & Run Competition
- ❖ Paddleboard Event
- ❖ Wilderness Camp

For more information about these programs or for a registration form, please visit www.palosverdes.com/rpv or call the Recreation and Parks Department at 310-544-5260.

RECREATION CLASSES OFFERED AT RPV COMMUNITY CENTERS

Class Locations: HP = Hesse Park; LL = Ladera Linda; RP = Ryan Park; CH = City Hall

Youth Sports & Dance

- Dance (Ballet, Jazz, Tap, Tumble, Combo, Pre & Point) LL (310) 547-5073
- Creative Energy Dance School
- Fit N Fun Soccer, T-Ball and Basketball RP (310) 625-6044
- Fit N Fun Sports (Bede Kebede) (310) 621-7693
- Tennis for Tots (Ages 2-5 years) CH ~ Brian More

Teen/Adult Health & Fitness

- Aerobic Dancing: Lite Impact HP ~ Ann Bosma (310) 375-2064
- Bones for Life HP ~ Sachiye Nakano (310) 326-6831
- Exercise & Fitness HP ~ Jacquelyn Fernandez (310) 377-2965
- Getting Fit for our Kids LL ~ Carolyn Lizdenis (310) 541-4673
- Tai Chi Chuan HP ~ Jensu Mark (310) 397-6275
- Tai Chi, Qigong and Beyond HP
- Xanyi Taiji Group (Stephen Tang) (310) 831-1459
- Tennis for Teens & Adults (Classes & Private Lessons) CH (310) 480-3168
- Sean McRoberts
- Tennis for Adults (Classes & Private Lessons) CH (310) 621-7693
- Brian More

Tot Classes

- Mommy & Me (Birth - 16 months & 16 mo.- 3 yrs) HP & RP (310) 373-0280
- Kids Music N Motion
- Parent Participation Preschool (Ages 2-1/2 -5 yrs) HP (310) 373-0280
- Kids Music N Motion (310) 323-5221
- Suika Preschool HP & RP ~ Suika Education, Inc.

Youth Classes

- Music Classes – Prep. Piano; Piano (Ages 4 & older) HP (310) 373-0280
- Kids Music N Motion
- Suzuki Method for String Instruments (Group/Private) HP (310) 750-6866
- Michele Nardone

Teen/Adult Classes

- Basics of Fine Arts (Teens/Adults) HP (818) 753-8477
- Kevin McCants
- Cooking for Kids (Ages 6-Teens) HP (310) 378-3311
- Gayle Corwin & Elaine Adam
- Dog Obedience Classes LL (866) 797-8481
- Pawsitive Partners/Melinda Weaver
- FCC Technician's License (Ham Radio) HP (310) 541-4007
- Walt Ordway
- Music Classes – Piano, Guitar, Voice (Group/Private) HP (310) 373-0280
- Annette Gunderson/Music N Motion
- Suzuki Method for String Instruments (Group/Private) HP (310) 750-6866
- Michele Nardone
- Transform Yourself with Self-Hypnosis – Learn How! HP (310) 832-0830
- Tooley Transformation Training
- Cooking Classes HP ~ Gayle Corwin & Elaine Adam (310) 378-3311

TO REGISTER FOR A CLASS, PLEASE CONTACT THE INSTRUCTOR.

Interested in teaching a class?

Call the Recreation Program Supervisor at 310-544-5268.

RPV CITY PARK HOURS

Abalone Cove Shoreline Park ~ (310) 377-1222

Mon.-Fri.-12:00 noon-4:00 p.m. Sat. & Sun. - 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Fred Hesse Jr. Community Park ~ (310) 541-8114

Mon.-Fri.-9:00a.m.-dusk Sat. & Sun. - 10:00a.m.-dusk

Ladera Linda Community Center ~ (310) 541-7073

Mon., Wed., Fri.-1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. Sat. & Sun. - 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Point Vicente Interpretive Center ~ (310) 377-5370

Daily-10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Robert E. Ryan Community Park ~ (310) 377-2290

Mon.-Fri.-12:00 noon-dusk Sat. & Sun. - 10:00a.m.-dusk

Park grounds may be enjoyed from dawn to dusk.

The leash law is enforced in all City parks.

Parks will be closed Thanksgiving Day, December 24 & 25, and January 1.



UPCOMING EVENTS

HALLOWEEN SPOOKTACULAR!

Sunday, October 31
Noon to 2:00 p.m.

Rancho Palos Verdes City Hall
30940 Hawthorne Blvd, RPV

FREE Family Fun! Join us for Pumpkin races featuring handcrafted, decorated Pumpkin Race Cars in this "howl"arious event! Battle your pumpkin against others for the Pumpkin Race Trophy. Prizes awarded for Best Decorated, Most Innovative Pumpkin and Best Crash! Pumpkin Racing Kits (\$5 each) may be purchased at City Hall beginning October 18th. Also at this spooktacular event, will be the Best Pumpkin Pie Contest, Carved Pumpkin Contest, Kid's Costume & Pet Parade, Face Painting, Games, Balloon & Bubble Magic, Munchies and Monster Mash Music! Race rules and information on how to construct your pumpkin racer can be downloaded from the City's website at www.palosverdes.com/rpv.

BREAKFAST WITH SANTA!

Saturday, December 11, 2010
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Hesse Park Community Center
29301 Hawthorne Blvd. RPV

All Ages Welcome!

Ho! Ho! Ho! Santa Claus is coming to Hesse Park! Join us for an action-packed morning of breakfast, crafts, Jim Gamble's Puppets, entertainment, photos with Santa and more! As if all this fun and excitement weren't enough, you'll feel good knowing that proceeds from this event benefit the City of Rancho Palos Verdes' REACH program for developmentally disabled young adults! Fee: \$10, children under 1 are free with paying adult. Registration Forms will be available to download from the City website at www.palosverdes.com/rpv or you can pick one up at your local park. For more information, please call the Recreation and Parks Department Office at 310-544-5260.

HOLIDAY TRASH SCHEDULE

To avoid a missed pick-up, leave all containers at the curb no later than 7 a.m. on collection day, and remove empty containers no later than 8 p.m. on collection day. Empty carts should not be left on the street overnight.

EDCO Disposal Corporation:
(310) 540-2977

Universal Waste Systems:
(800) 631-7016

November 2010:

No service on Thursday, November 25th, Thanksgiving Day. Thursday routes will be collected on Friday. Friday routes will be collected on Saturday, November 27th.

November 2010:

No service on Thursday, November 25th, Thanksgiving Day. The Thursday route will be collected on Friday, November 26th.

December 2010 & January 2011:

No Changes. Collection will be on your regular scheduled day.

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DECEMBER HOLIDAY EXCESS TRASH COLLECTION

EDCO and UWS offer free excess trash collection during the December holidays (December 24th to January 15th). During that time in addition to your weekly trash placed in the grey cart, temporarily you may also place excess trash in your old standard-size cans and/or in plastic bags, etc. No loose material will be accepted. As for empty gift and cardboard boxes, flatten them and place them in or next to your blue recycling cart(s) for collection.

CITY-WIDE BRUSH CLEARING EVENT

The City in cooperation with EDCO has organized a free bi-annual Citywide Brush Clearing (Excess Green Waste Collection) Event. The purpose of this designated brush clearing event is to encourage residents to get their property in compliance with the Fire Marshal vegetation clearance guidelines.

Find your brush clearing day by checking the table below.

EDCO Regular Pick Up Day	Brush Clearing Day
Monday	Saturday, October 16th
Tuesday	Saturday, October 23rd
Wednesday	Saturday, October 30th
Thursday	Saturday, November 6th
Friday	Saturday, November 13th

EDCO trucks will drive through your neighborhood on your designated Saturday and collect green waste left at the curb. There will be no backyard collection. There is no need to call EDCO or the City for a special collection.

If you have any questions, call EDCO at (310) 540-2977 or check the City's website at www.palosverdes.com/rpv/publicworks and click under Recycling Programs.

* UWS customers will be notified about a separate brush clearing event for the neighborhoods serviced by UWS.

CITY HALL PHONE NUMBERS

City Manager's Office	(310) 544-5207
City Clerk's Office	(310) 544-5217
Finance & Information Technology	(310) 377-0360
Community Development	(310) 544-5228
Public Works Dept.	(310) 544-5252
Recreation & Parks Dept.	(310) 544-5260
Building & Safety Division	(310) 265-7800

CITY COUNCIL

Stefan Wolowicz, Mayor
Email: steve@rpv.com

Thomas D. Long, Mayor Pro Tem
Email: tom.long@rpv.com

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