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## COME MEET SERENA!

AN EXCITING NEW EXHIBIT  
AT THE PT. VICENTE INTERPRETIVE CENTER



Come see the newest exhibit to be added to the collection at the Point Vicente Interpretive Center - Serena, the gray whale skeleton. Though just a juvenile, Serena is more than 22 feet long and weighs more than 400 pounds. In storage for many years, Serena was last seen by the public more than a decade ago when she was proudly displayed at The Sea, a store in San Pedro.

She was donated to the City in 1998 by The Sea's owners, Dick and Yvetta Williams, and recently underwent a complete overhaul by a dedicated group of Los Serenos de Point Vicente Docents who include Joe Cocks, Joe Moeller, Bob Barry, Pete Foley and the occasional drop-in assistant. The Interpretive Center's Museum Curator Diana McIntyre and volunteer photographers Betty Riedman and Yvetta Williams documented Serena's most recent transformation. The final result is an impressive addition to the Interpretive Center's educational exhibits.

The gray whale skeleton was named Serena in honor of the City's docent organization, Los Serenos de Point Vicente. Stop by and see her!

## MIRANDELA SENIOR AFFORDABLE HOUSING COMPLEX WINS PROJECT OF THE YEAR!

The City is very proud to report that the recently completed Mirandela Senior Affordable Housing Complex received the "2011 SAGE Award for Project of the Year." The award was granted from the Southern California Building Industry Association's 55+ Housing Council. This is a very prestigious award as it honors individuals, projects and programs that have made an outstanding contribution to enhancing the quality of life for Southern California residents aged 55 and over. The project competed against other projects from Santa Barbara to San Diego.

The Mirandela Senior Affordable Housing Complex, located at the northwest corner of

Crestridge Road and Crenshaw Boulevard, was approved by the City Council in March of 2009 and saw its first residents move in just before Christmas of 2010. It is a 34-unit apartment complex, of which 33 units have been reserved for seniors age 62-years and older who have an income that ranges from extremely low to moderate (approximately \$18,000 to \$48,000 per year). In addition to affordable housing, the complex provides its residents with a variety of amenities including a clubhouse with kitchen, lounge, media room, computer lab, and outdoor walking areas. The facility also offers its residents life

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## WHAT'S PUBLIC WORKS BEEN UP TO LATELY? HERE'S AN UPDATE OF JUST A FEW MAJOR PROJECTS

### SAN RAMON CANYON STORM DRAIN PROJECT

On September 21st, the City was excited to learn that the San Ramon Canyon Stormwater Flood Control Project has been recommended for funding for a \$9.4M grant from the State Department of Water Resources (DWR). This represents one half of the current estimate to complete the project and is the maximum amount that can be awarded under the grant's guidelines. Confirmation of the award is expected to be made by the DWR Director in late November or early December.

The City's project ranked 8th out of the 41 projects that applied for funds from the State's \$212M Stormwater Flood Management Grant program. The first 18 ranked projects received a recommendation for all or partial funding. Ranking was performed by specialists at DWR based on the project's cost to

benefit merits, readiness to begin construction, ability to provide a dollar for dollar match to the grant and a number of other criteria.

City Staff recently met with the Project's design engineering firm, to review the draft plans. In accordance with the current schedule, the City's next design review meeting will take place in winter 2011. The design of the project including the environmental evaluation and the associated permitting is scheduled to be completed in late summer/early fall 2012.

### PVD EAST SWITCHBACKS

The early action repair project designed to protect the switchback road along Palos Verdes Drive East is complete and ready to be used if needed. A recent measurement taken at the site indicates the canyon bluff is a little more than 85' away from the roadway. Geologists had informed the City

that the stability of the roadway is not a concern until the distance from the road to the bluff is much closer (approximately 35'). With State funding for the project looking promising, the City is hopeful that the San Ramon Canyon Storm Drain Project can be built soon which will relieve the need to construct the early action project.

### PVD SOUTH LANDSLIDE ROADWAY

Last summer a project was completed which created a buttress to the roadway by re-grading a 1000' section of the southern roadway shoulder and adjacent slope of Palos Verdes Drive South. Cracks and fissures adjacent to the road were condensed through this operation. The project was performed to provide additional stability for the roadway and hopefully allow longer periods between roadway repairs. The Public Works Department

believes this project has extended the time between required roadway maintenance.

A new project was approved this year to re-establish the drainage system which transmits runoff from the north side of the landslide to the ocean. The grading portion of this project is nearing completion. The drainage pipe will be installed thereafter.

Managing runoff in the Portuguese Bend Landslide is important. Our landslide consists of several sliding layers which move in different directions at different speeds in different locations. Its movement is very complicated and difficult to explain. However, geologists agree that preventing runoff water from entering the landslide is helpful in minimizing the naturally occurring ground movement.

For more information about these projects, contact the Public Works Department at (310) 544-5252.

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also reported that many Mirandela residents have adult children and grand-children who live in the area, and Mirandela has provided these seniors the ability to keep their independence, while remaining close to their family.

The Southern California Building Industry Association chose to honor Mirandela with this prestigious award due to the combination of the amenities offered, the difficult construction site and building construction techniques that

skills training and educational programs.

The City and its Redevelopment Agency contributed approximately \$6.2 million dollars towards the development of this project. These funds have been specifically set aside for this purpose beginning in the mid-1980's. These funds could only be spent on the production of affordable housing units. The City chose a "seniors" affordable housing complex because of the high senior population in the City and the relatively high number of seniors that are currently over-paying for housing. Thus, the Mirandela project serves as a place for the City's existing residents to seek housing that is more affordable so that they do not have to overpay for housing or leave the City because they cannot afford their existing housing. This was validated by the project's management company, who indicated that many of Mirandela's residents have lived on the Peninsula for many years and have downsized due to the constraints of a fixed income. They

were necessary to complete the project, the project being completed under-budget by approximately \$500,000, and it being an example of an affluent community's dedication and commitment to recognizing and contributing to the affordable housing needs of its community.

If you are interested in housing opportunities at the Mirandela Senior Affordable Housing Complex, please contact Mirandela's Property Manager, Mr. Luis Alvarez of Western Senior Housing, at (310) 265-5200, or via email at [Mirandela@wshousing.com](mailto:Mirandela@wshousing.com). You can also visit Western Senior Housing's website to find out more information on the Mirandela Complex via the following link: [www.mirandelasenioreapartments.com](http://www.mirandelasenioreapartments.com). If you have any questions regarding the processing and development of the project, please contact the City's project manager, Deputy Community Development Director Gregory Pfost, at (310) 544-5228 or [gregp@rpv.com](mailto:gregp@rpv.com).

## TIPS FOR FINDING GOOD CONTRACTORS

There are negative consequences on both sides of the permit counter when our residents fall victim to unscrupulous contractors. Some homeowners end up paying inflated prices, making deposits on work that is never done, or not receiving the quality workmanship they deserve. By following these simple tips, you can minimize your risk of being taken by contractors.

- Always get three bids for projects over \$500.00
- Choose a contractor who has done high quality work for someone you know.
- Be suspicious of contractors who offer a reduced price if

you have the work done quickly.

- Make sure the contractor gets a City permit, if required. You can check with City staff at (310) 265-7800 to find out if a permit is needed.
- Check the contractor's license status online with the Contractors State License board at [www.cslb.ca.gov](http://www.cslb.ca.gov).

City staff cannot recommend or comment on the quality of contractors, but can discuss your proposed project to help point you in the right direction, or to let you know if something does not seem right.

## DOCENTS MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

NEW TRAINING CLASS BEGINS WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 2012



Are you a nature lover? Do you love hiking and exploring the Peninsula? Become a docent and learn to share your passion with others! The next series of Los Serenos de Point Vicente docent training classes will begin on Wednesday, March 14th at the Point Vicente Interpretive Center. These in-depth classes prepare new docent volunteers to share information about the unique history and features of the Palos Verdes Peninsula with individuals and groups. Field trips, local walks and guest speakers enhance the learning experience. Upon completion of the training, docents have an opportunity to lead museum, nature and tide pool

tours at several locations in the City, including Abalone Cove Shoreline Park, Forrestal Nature Reserve/ Ladera Linda Discovery Room, the Ocean Trails at Trump National Golf Club, and the Point Vicente Interpretive Center.

Learn about the natural and cultural history of the Palos Verdes Peninsula with an emphasis on surrounding marine and terrestrial habitats. Meet new friends while you make a difference in your community. For more information, visit the City's website at [www.palosverdes.com/rpv](http://www.palosverdes.com/rpv) or call (310) 544-5265.



## WHALE OF A DAY

**SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 2012 • 10:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.**  
**POINT VICENTE INTERPRETIVE CENTER**

Free parking and shuttle service at:

Rancho Palos Verdes City Hall ~ 30940 Hawthorne Blvd. RPV

Watch for whales from our premier whale watch patio!

### Children's Activities

Crafts, games, fun zone, and face painting!

**Lighthouse Tours/Exhibits** courtesy of the U.S. Coast Guard!

### Arts & Crafts

Marine-themed art exhibits & vendors!

### Entertainment

Live music, animals, and more!

### Food Booths

Enjoy lunch overlooking the sparkling Pacific Ocean!

### Exhibits/Museum

Tour the Point Vicente Interpretive Center

Call (310) 544-5260 for more information.

## DOCENT-LED NATURE WALKS



Join the knowledgeable docents from the Point Vicente Interpretive Center as they lead informative and picturesque hikes through some of the City's most beautiful natural areas.

**ABALONE COVE SHORELINE PARK**  
**DECEMBER 11, 2011, 2:30 P.M. & FEBRUARY 19, 2012, 12:30 P.M.**

Walk down the dirt path to the tide pools, then across a cobblestone beach to view the fascinating marine life in the tide pools. Wear sturdy shoes for walking on the cobblestone beach. Level: Moderate.

**OCEAN TRAILS AT TRUMP NATIONAL GOLF CLUB**  
**JANUARY 22, 2012, 3:00 P.M.**

Walk through coastal sage scrub habitat along the Eastern Bluff Preserve, with possible gray whale sightings. Level: Moderate. (Park on La Rotunda Drive at Twin Harbors View Drive, 1st left)

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. The hikes and parking are 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) 544-5264 or visit the City website at [www.palosverdes.com/rpv](http://www.palosverdes.com/rpv).

## TAKING CARE OF BUSINESS

### TIME TO RENEW BUSINESS LICENSES

President Calvin Coolidge famously said, "The business of America is business," and while there are many other pressing concerns and wonderful things to do in Rancho Palos Verdes, we do need to take care of business, which includes maintaining up-to-date business licenses. The City has over 1,800 currently licensed businesses.

All business activity performed within the City of Rancho Palos Verdes requires the business owner to pay the City's business license tax. This includes any business activity occurring within a residential area (i.e. a home office). Additionally, any service providers such as contractors, gardeners, or handymen, whether based in the City or not, are also required to be licensed.

Towards the middle of December, the City staff will mail the 2012 business license renewal application to all currently licensed businesses within the City. This application should be completed and returned with payment of the license fee to City Hall by January 31, 2012. Subsequent to processing these renewal applications, a 2012 Business Tax Certificate will be mailed to all businesses that have

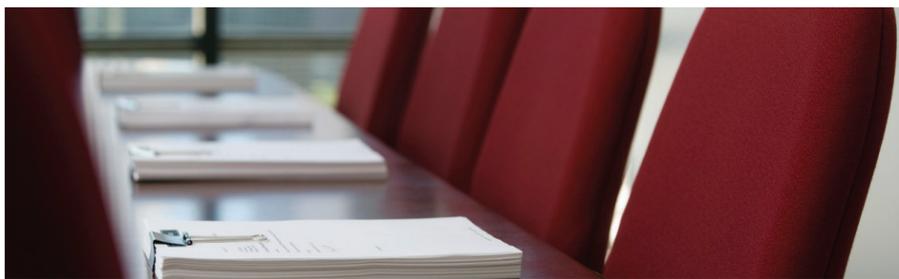
paid their license fee. Penalties will be assessed on any license applications received on or after February 1, 2012.

Is it hard to fill out a business license application? Not at all. The form is simple, takes only a couple of minutes to complete, and it can be done in either low or high tech fashion. You can file online by going to the City's website at [www.palosverdes.com/rpv](http://www.palosverdes.com/rpv), go to the Forms drop-down menu and scroll down to business licenses. Then simply follow the step by step instructions. The full web address for business license applications is <http://www.palosverdes.com/rpv/finance/business-license>. You can also complete your license application in person at City Hall inside the Community Development Department.

If you have any questions regarding the renewal process, please contact the Business License Coordinator at (310) 377-0360. For additional information about business licenses and taxes, refer to Chapter 5.04 of the City's Municipal Code or visit the City of Rancho Palos Verdes website.

Thanks for doing business with us.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY!



The City is seeking applicants for the following City Advisory Boards:

- Planning Commission (three seats)
- Oversight Committee for Water Quality Flood Protection Program (three seats)
- Finance Advisory Committee (one seat – vacancy)

The term of office for the Planning Commission and Oversight Committee is four years, while the unexpired term of office for the Finance Advisory Committee ends in December 2014. These are volunteer, non paying positions.

To be considered for appointment, one must be a resident of the City of Rancho Palos Verdes. An application is available on the City's website or by contacting the City Clerk's Office at (310) 544-5217.

Applications are due by Friday, January 6, 2012 at 4:30 p.m.

Interviews with the City Council are anticipated to take place in mid to late January 2012 prior to the regularly scheduled City Council meetings. The City Clerk's Office will confirm the date and time of the interviews with the applicants.

## HIKE THE PRESERVE AT NIGHT!



Who says the sun has to be out to go for a hike? Come explore the beautiful Palos Verdes Nature Preserve at night! Night hikes will be led by Mountains Recreation and Conservation Authority Park Rangers on Dec. 10th, Jan. 14th and Feb. 11th. All hikes take place from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

On these moderate hikes, park rangers lead participants through

the Portuguese Bend Reserve by moonlight, sharing interpretive information about the Preserve and hiking safety tips.

Preregistration is required. Hike fee: \$7 per person. For more information, please contact the Recreation and Parks Department at (310) 544-5260 or [parks@rpv.com](mailto:parks@rpv.com).

## WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT CARBON MONOXIDE ALARMS

Most people are familiar with the need to have smoke alarms in their homes, but perhaps not as familiar with the requirements regarding Carbon Monoxide alarms (detectors). Carbon Monoxide (CO) is a colorless and odorless gas produced by incomplete combustion and is often referred to as the "silent killer" because it is virtually undetectable without detection technology. In the home, elevated levels of CO can be dangerous to humans and pets depending on the amount present and length of exposure.

CO detectors are designed to measure CO levels over time and sound an alarm before dangerous amounts accumulate, giving people adequate warning to safely ventilate the area or evacuate. While CO detectors do not serve as smoke detectors and vice versa, combination smoke/CO detectors are also commercially available. Smoke detectors detect the smoke generated by flaming or smoldering fires, whereas CO detectors detect and warn people about dangerous CO buildup caused, for example, by a malfunctioning fuel-burning device. In the home, some common sources of CO include space heaters, water heaters, blocked chimneys or running a car inside a closed garage.

Applicable codes require approved carbon monoxide alarms to be installed for all new residential construction, interior or exterior alterations, repairs, or additions requiring a permit and having a valuation in excess of \$1,000 where fuel-burning appliances are installed and in dwelling units that have attached garages (2010 California Residential Code Section R315.1).

Carbon monoxide alarms shall be required in the specific dwelling unit or sleeping unit for which the permit was obtained and must be installed in the following locations:

- Outside of each separate dwelling unit sleeping area in the immediate vicinity of the bedroom(s).
- On every level of a dwelling unit including basements.

The City of Rancho Palos Verdes defines a sleeping area as "any room used or that could be used as a

sleeping room, excluding bath, kitchen, dining, media, bonus and family rooms." Where more than one carbon monoxide alarm is required to be installed within the dwelling unit, or within a sleeping unit, the alarm must be interconnected in a manner that activation of one alarm activates all of the alarms in the home. Interconnection is not required where repairs do not result in the removal of wall and ceiling finishes; there is no access by means of attic, basement or crawl space; and, no previous method for interconnection existed.

For new construction, carbon monoxide alarms must receive their primary power from the building wiring where such wiring is served from a commercial source and need to be equipped with a battery back-up. Alarm wiring must be directly connected to the permanent building wiring without a disconnecting switch other than as required for over-current protection. However, the carbon monoxide alarm may be solely battery operated if the dwelling unit has no commercial power supply or in cases where repairs or alterations do not result in the removal of wall and ceiling finishes or there is no access by means of attic, basement or crawl space.

### Exemptions:

The following work is exempt from the carbon monoxide detector and smoke alarm requirements:

- **Dishwasher**, like for like replacements.
- **Water heater**, like for like replacements. Relocation and/or a change to a tankless water heater may trigger the requirement based on valuation of the project.
- **Fences**
- **Hardscape** not including an attached structure
- **Work valuation** less than \$1,000.00

For more information regarding the requirements for carbon monoxide detectors, please contact the City's Building & Safety Division at (310) 541-7702.

## HO! HO! HO! To "BREAKFAST WITH SANTA" We Go!

**Saturday, December 10th • 9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.**  
**Fred Hesse Community Park**

Mark your calendar for some old-fashioned holiday fun with Santa!

Breakfast, crafts, carols, and pictures with Santa await children of all ages...bring your camera!

Children & adults, \$15 each. Registration forms available at RPV parks and online.



Call the North Pole at (310) 544-5260 for more information.

Proceeds benefit the RPV REACH Program for young adults with developmental disabilities.

Hop on your sleigh... Santa's on his way!

To download a registration form, go to:  
[www.palosverdes.com/rpv](http://www.palosverdes.com/rpv)

## POINT VICENTE INTERPRETIVE CENTER DONATION OPPORTUNITIES

Join your neighbors and friends and be a part of history at the Point Vicente Interpretive Center. A variety of donation options are available and proceeds go toward exhibits and education.

Commemorative Brick Paver	\$250
Bronze Amphitheater Seat Plaque	\$1,500
Bronze Whale Walk Recognition Plaque	\$2,500
Amphitheater Row Naming Rights	\$10,000

Full exhibit sponsorships are also available. Please call (310) 544-5260 for donation information. Make your mark by the sparkling Pacific!

## HOLIDAY TRASH COLLECTION SCHEDULE

EDCO (310) 540-2977 or [www.rpvrecycles.com](http://www.rpvrecycles.com) & Universal Waste Systems (800) 631-7016

December 2011, January 2012 & February 2012:

No Changes. Collection will be on your regular scheduled day. (see article about free collection of excess trash)

Avoid a missed pick up. Leave all containers at the curb no later than 7 a.m. on collection day. Remove empty containers by no later than 8 p.m. on collection day. Empty carts should not be left on the street overnight. Please help keep your neighborhood beautiful!

## CHRISTMAS TREE RECYCLING

The City recycles Christmas trees as part of its regular green waste recycling program. No special arrangements are needed. Simply leave your Christmas tree (remove the base, ornaments, tinsel and garland) at the curb on your regular collection day between December 26th and January 13th. No need to cut the tree into smaller pieces (unless it is over 7 feet tall). Flocked trees are acceptable.

If you live in a multi-family complex, ask your management company or HOA the designated drop-off location (it is usually in the garage area or by the recycling bins).



## DECEMBER FREE HOLIDAY EXCESS TRASH COLLECTION

EDCO and UWS offer free excess trash collection for three weeks during the December holidays (December 26th to January 13th). 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. Don't forget to recycle your shipping and gift boxes, and place your gift wrap paper in the blue cart.

Additionally, EDCO and UWS offer free (limited) collection of bulky and electronics items such as sofa, TV, mattress, desk, etc. Call them to arrange for a collection schedule. If your item could be re-used, please contact a charitable organization first.

## 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

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## VISIT THE GIFT SHOP AT THE POINT VICENTE INTERPRETIVE CENTER!

Looking for a unique gift that celebrates our beautiful coastal location? The museum's gift shop has a varied selection of items perfect for gifts. Hand-made pottery, ceramics, and paintings from local artists; Point Vicente Lighthouse photographs; hand-made, one-of-a-kind jewelry; wind chimes; T-shirts; sweatshirts; puzzles; books by local authors

covering topics from Marineland to weeds & wildflowers; stuffed animals; dolphin statuary and more! The museum is open daily from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; closed Thanksgiving Day, December 24 & 25, and January 1. Located at 31501 Palos Verdes Drive West, we are just around the corner in your neighborhood.

## RECREATION CLASSES OFFERED AT RPV COMMUNITY CENTERS

### COME SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE PARKS!

To register for classes, please call the instructor. For more information, view the online Activity Guide at [www.palosverdes.com/rpv](http://www.palosverdes.com/rpv)

**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	
Creative Energy Dance School	(310) 547-5073
Fit N Fun Soccer, T-Ball and Basketball RP	
Fit N Fun Sports	(310) 625-6044
Kuk Sool: Traditional Korean Martial Arts (Ages 6-12) HP	
Darius Ghaffari	(310) 377-2755
Tennis for Tots (Ages 2-5 years) CH ~ Brian More	(310) 621-7693
Youth Soccer Classes LL ~ Kidz Love Soccer	(408) 774-4629

#### Teen/Adult Health & Fitness

Aerobic Dancing: Lite Impact HP ~ Ann Bosma	(310) 375-2064
Bones for Life HP ~ Sachiye Nakano	(310) 326-6831
Tai Chi Chuan HP ~ Jensu Mark	(310) 397-6275
Tennis for Adults (Classes & Private Lessons) CH	
Brian More	(310) 621-7693

#### Tot Classes

Mommy & Me (Birth - 16 months & 16 mo.-3 yrs) HP	
Kids Music N Motion	(310) 373-0280
Parent Participation Preschool (Ages 2-1/2-5 yrs) HP	
Kids Music N Motion	(310) 373-0280
PV Amiguitos: A Bilingual Playgroup (Ages 3-5) HP	
Mercedes Seraphim	(310) 507-4652
Suika Preschool HP & RP ~ Suika Education, Inc.	(310) 323-5221

#### Youth Classes

Cooking for Kids (Ages 6-Teens) HP	
Gayle Corwin & Elaine Adam	(310) 378-3311
Music Classes - Prep. Piano; Piano (Ages 4 & older) HP	
Kids Music N Motion	(310) 373-0280
Palos Verdes Strings Music Classes - Free Instruction HP	
Michele Nardone	(310) 750-6866

#### Teen/Adult Classes

Basics of Fine Arts (Teens/Adults) HP	
Kevin McCants	(818) 753-8477
Cooking Classes (Adults) HP	
Gayle Corwin & Elaine Adam	(310) 378-3311
FCC Technician's License (Ham Radio) HP	
Walt Ordway	(310) 541-4007
Music Classes - Piano, Guitar, Voice (Group/Private) HP	
Kids Music N Motion	(310) 373-0280
Palos Verdes Strings Music Classes - Free Instruction HP	
Michele Nardone	(310) 750-6866
Spanish for Teens/Adults HP ~ Mercedes Seraphim	(310) 507-4652
Transform Yourself with Self-Hypnosis HP	
Tooley Transformation Training	(310) 832-0830

Interested in teaching a class?  
Call the Recreation Program Supervisor at 310-544-5268.

## RPV CITY PARK HOURS

### SCHOOL YEAR PARK HOURS

### SCHOOL WINTER RECESS HOURS

#### Abalone Cove Shoreline Park ~ (310) 377-1222

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

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

Mon.-Fri. ~ 9:00 a.m.-dusk Same hours year round  
Sat. & Sun. ~ 10:00 a.m.-dusk

#### Ladera Linda Community Center ~ (310) 541-7073

Mon., Wed., Fri. ~ 1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m. 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. daily  
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. Same hours year round

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

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

Park grounds may be enjoyed from dawn to dusk. The leash law is enforced in all City parks. All parks are closed November 24, December 24 and 25, and January 1, 2012.

