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Notes

to Neighborhood Leaders NEIGHBORHOOD CONNECTIONS

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"I have missed more than 9,000 shots, lost almost 300 games, on 26 occasions been entrusted to take the game winning shot...and missed. I have failed over and over again in my life and that is why I succeed."

-Michael Jordan-

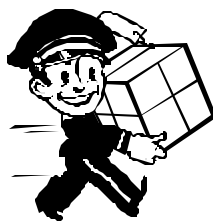
NEIGHBORHOOD RESOURCES



CNA Training

Pasadena Senior Center and The National Council on Aging are hosting the Certified Nursing Aide class starting Monday, February 24th from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Seniors over 55 who meet income

guidelines may be eligible for paid training. For enrollment information, please contact Pat Cooper at 626-685-6729.



Project Reach Out Comes Home

Pasadena Senior Center's Project Reach Out is making deliveries to our homebound seniors. The program will consist of delivering food, taxi vouchers, emergency envelope packs, night-lights and an Outreach Directory. If you are a homebound senior 50 years or older or have a family member or friend who would benefit from this program, contact Tonjia Barnes at 626-685-6755, tcb@pasadenasenorcenter.org



Want to Learn More About Tree Preservation?

Pasadena Beautiful Foundation would be happy to make a brief presentation about the organization, or hold a brief discussion of Pasadena's recent tree ordinance. If your neighborhood group is interested in learning more about either of

these issues, then please contact PBF at 626-795-9704.



Camperships Available

A limited number of campership applications will be made available by the Human Services and Recreation Department as of March 3 for the popular Tom Sawyer summer day camp at Hahamonga Watershed Park in Pasadena and Catalina Island summer camp.

The camperships will be made available on a first-come, first-served-basis to applicants who meet specific low-income criteria. Applications will be reviewed, approved and matched based on the income criteria and slot availability.

Tom Sawyer summer day camps are open to children of elementary school age and offer horseback riding, swimming instruction, pressure-free sports, group games and a rugged outdoor program that acquaints the campers with the local wilderness area.

Catalina Island summer camps are open to children and teens ages 7 to 15 who stay in counselor-supervised cabins over the period of several days. The camps offer hiking, swimming, boating, nature study, evening campfires and other activities.

Campership applications will be available as of March 3 at Villa-Parke Community Center, Robinson Park Center, Jackie Robinson Center, Victory Park Center, La Pintoresca Park, Washington Park and Jefferson Park.

For more information call 626-744-4500 or 626-744-4102.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS



NUSA 2003

This year's NUSA Conference in Chattanooga, TN, May 21-24, is rapidly approaching. The deadline for the submission of scholarship applications for the conference is March 2nd. Please drop off or mail your application to our office at Neighborhood Connections, 1384 E. Walnut St., Pasadena, CA 91106. You may also fax them to 626-577-2060. For more information or to receive an application, please contact us at 626-744-7290.



Pasadena Sister Cities Meeting

The Pasadena Sister Cities Mishima Japan Sub-Committee Program will take place on Thursday, March 20th at 7:00 pm at the Pasadena Green Plaza Building at 1030 E. Green St. Please join us! With this exception, the PSCC meetings usually take place in City Council Chambers on the 3rd Thursday of each month. If you have any questions about

the Mishima Japan Sub-Committee, please contact June Takenouchi at (626) 798-6479. For more information, please visit the PSCC website at www.passcc.org



Mirror of My Soul

The Pasadena Central Library will present an Art Exhibit and discussion on February 19th at 7:00 p.m. Local artist Michael Chukes will display and discuss African American Art including his own works of sculpture, ceramics, and bronze. The PCL is located at 285 E. Walnut St. in Pasadena. Admission is free. For more information, please call 626-744-4052.



Curbside Recycling Service Change

As approved by the City Council on January 27, 2003, Athens Services assumed curbside recycling service to Pasadena's single family residents. Waste Management is no longer providing curbside recycling service.

There will be no disruption of service during this transition and all service levels and rates will remain the same.

Athens Customer Service hours are 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday and 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Saturdays.

Outside of those hours, there is a 24-hour message center available.

Calls for missed pickups should be directed to Athens Services Customer Telephone Number at 626-336-6100. If you have other questions regarding refuse or recycling, please call 626-744-4087, 626-744-4721, or visit the City's website at www.ci.pasadena.ca.us/publicworks.

Calendar of Upcoming Events

February 15th-Black History Parade & Festival-10:00 a.m. @ Robinson Park

February 17th-President's Day-Neighborhood Connections Closed!

February 21st-Candidate Forum-1:00 p.m. @ Pasadena Senior Center

Upcoming Council Meetings

February 17th:

To be cancelled

President's Day Holiday

February 24th:

Council Chambers, City Hall

Closed Session-5:00 p.m.

Public Meeting-6:30 p.m.

Residential Impact Fee

Complete agendas of all City meetings as well as other important documents are available at the Pasadena Central and Branch Libraries. In addition, City Council Agendas can be found on the City's World Wide Web Page <http://www.ci.pasadena.ca.us> and on the Community Bulletin Board broadcast on KPAS Channel 55.

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Estimados Vecinos

Si alguien necesita que esta información esté presentada en español, por favor llame a la oficina de Neighborhood Connections al 626-744-7290 para pedir una interpretación.