

City Manager's Report

CITY OF HUNTINGTON

October 30, 2018



2018 VISSLA ISA World Junior Surfing Championship in HB October 27 to November 4

World's best national surfing teams compete over nine days; Closing Ceremonies Nov. 4

With 44 competing countries and more than 362 athletes, this year's competition features the largest number of registered female surfers and countries in the history of the ISA World Junior Surfing Championship. Teams from all five continents will be represented by their top under-18 surfers with their sights set on winning individual Gold Medals and overall Team World Championship.

The world's best junior surfers will compete for individual medals and the coveted ISA World Junior Team Champion Trophy. Gold, Silver, Bronze and Copper Medals will be awarded to the top four placing athletes respectively in each division.

In 2016, the International Olympic Committee voted to include Surfing in the Sports' Program of the Tokyo 2020 Olympics. The top surfers in this event have their eyes set on being the first Olympic surfers in two years' time.

For more information, please visit <http://isasurf.org/juniors/2018/en/>.

Opening Video: <https://www.facebook.com/huntingtonbeachcity/videos/2183166641716843/>



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CITY MANAGER'S DEPARTMENT

International Surfing Museum's Grand Opening "Celebrating 40 Years of The National Scholastic Surfing Association – NSSA" Connecting Surfing, Scholastics and Education for Future Generations!" November 2, 2018 from 6pm to 9pm

What: IT ALL STARTED WITH THE NSSA! Experience firsthand how the NSSA began in 1978 with teachers who believed that surfing combined with education could motivate and make a difference in our student's lives. They are our leaders of today, and our future leaders of tomorrow.

You will learn firsthand from some of the original founders, and the founders we honor who are no longer with us, John Rothrock, Chuck Allen, Tom Gibbons, Rob Hill, Laird Hayes, and surf coaches, to today's Executive Director, Janice Aragon – former World Champion Surfer. Pro surfers, World Champions business leaders, and surfing industry leaders will all be on hand and many of them will share their stories on the Red Couch at the International Surfing Museum!

You will find all the amazing NSSA surfing stories at the new Exhibit and get to meet some of our leaders of today along with our Super Groms of the Future! NSSA surfers and scholars like Courtney Conlogue, Kanoa Igarashi, Bud Llamas, Brett Simpson, Rockin Fig Fignetti, Kelly Slater, Dane Reynolds, Dr. Bryan Doonan, Carissa Moore, Lakey Peterson, Carolyn Marks, Frankie Harrer, Kolohe Andino, Timmy Reyes, Conner Coffin, Griffin Colapinto, and others are highlighted in the new exhibit and expect to see many of them at the International Surfing Museum Grand Opening!

When: **Friday, Nov 2, from 6pm to 9pm, everyone is welcome!**

Where: **International Surfing Museum in Huntington Beach, 411 Olive Ave, Hunting Beach, CA 92648.**
Tickets at the door, \$15 for adults over 21; Students 18 to 21 \$10; 15 years and under groms are FREE! Come share in the fun!

For more information please contact: dianadehm@sbpintl.com

CITY MANAGER'S DEPARTMENT

Eco Challenge Day November 10: Come recycle with us at Honda Center!



Bring us your residential:

- E-waste (TVs, computers, radios, cell phones, printers, fax machines)
- Re-usable clothing, shoes, home goods, toys
- Paper for free certified document shredding (5 - 6 boxes maximum per person)
- Gently-used pet items for donation to OC Animal Care - NEW!

First 100 cars participating in recycling win their choice of one pair of Ducks game tickets for the November 16 game with a post-game skate on the ice, or a family four-pack of tickets to Discovery Cube OC, while supplies last!

Come to recycle, stay for the fun! Visit the family fun zone with roller hockey rink, Wild Wing, music, vendors, DJ and a chance to win Duck's autographed prizes.

Directions: 2695 E. Katella Ave., Anaheim

For more information, Visit http://www.oclandfills.com/recycling/eco_challenge/ecochallenge_day_at_honda_center.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Huntington Beach Youth Shelter – ADA Upgrades



As part of the City-Wide ADA Ramp Project, the Huntington Beach Youth Shelter was substantially completed first. The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) statutes require the city to provide facilities and programs that are accessible to individuals with disabilities. The access road, parking lot, and walkways were brought up to ADA compliance with both pavement and concrete sidewalk improvements. Specifically, re-paving of the parking lot, addition of a new curb ramp and driveway, drainage gutter and walkways around the perimeter of the shelter.



PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Let's Make **ORANGE** the New **GREEN**!

Every Autumn, thousands of pumpkins end up in our county landfills. In order to put this rich organic material to a better use, the City of Huntington Beach and Rainbow/Republic Services are promoting **orange** as the new **green** by providing an easy way for residents to compost their holiday pumpkins.

From now through December, simply put spent jack-o-lanterns and whole pumpkins from autumn displays into your green cart. Please remove any candles or lights. Pumpkins decorated with paint cannot be composted and should be put in the brown trash cart.

The material from your green cart is used to create compost that is spread on local crops, gardens and lawns. To ensure the best quality compost, please do not put pet waste, plastics, lawn/leaf bags, food, clothing, garden hoses or trash in your green waste cart. If you have a lawn service, remind your gardener that the green cart is only for the trimmings from your lawn, trees, shrubs and other plants. For more information about our green waste composting program, please call Public Works Trash and Recycling at 714-375-5010 or email trashinfo@surfcity-hb.org.



Street Sweeping and Trash Collection Schedule

Street sweeping and trash collection will be on regular schedule for the week of November 12 thru 16. There will be no delay due to the Veteran's Day holiday. Reminder: To avoid a missed trash pick-up, set your trash and recycling carts out by 7 a.m. on trash day. Route schedules are subject to change at any time.

If you have questions about the holiday maintenance schedule, please contact the Public Works Maintenance Division at 714-960-8861. Please note that city offices will be closed Monday, November 12.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Halloween Safety Tips

Everyone loves a good scare on Halloween, but not when it comes to child safety. There are several easy and effective ways parents can help kids reduce the risk of injury this Halloween, and some good reminders for adults to remember on this festive night.

Walk Safely:

- ◆ Cross the street at corners, and use traffic signals and crosswalks;
- ◆ Look both ways (and again!) before you cross the street;
- ◆ Put electronic devices down and keep your head up when walking;
- ◆ Always walk on sidewalks or paths. If there are no sidewalks, walk facing traffic as far to the left as possible;
- ◆ Watch for cars turning or backing up. Teach kids to never dart out into the street or cross between parked cars.



Trick or Treat with an Adult:

- ◆ Children under the age of 12 should not be alone at night without adult supervision. If your kids are mature enough to be out without supervision, remind them to stick to familiar areas that are well lit and trick-or-treat in groups.

Drive Extra Safe on Halloween:

- ◆ Slow down and be especially alert in residential neighborhoods. Children are excited on Halloween and may move in unpredictable ways;
- ◆ Take extra time to look for kids at intersections, on medians and on curbs;
- ◆ Enter and exit driveways and alleys slowly and carefully;
- ◆ Eliminate any distractions inside your car;
- ◆ Drive slowly, anticipate heavy pedestrian traffic and turn your headlights on earlier in the day to spot children from greater distances;
- ◆ Popular trick-or-treating hours are 5:30 to 9:30 p.m., so be especially alert during those hours;
- ◆ On average, children are more than twice as likely to be hit by a car and killed on Halloween than on any other day of the year...so slow down and be safe!



FIRE DEPARTMENT



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Change your Clock, Change your Battery

As the time change approaches on Sunday, November 3, the Huntington Beach Fire Department reminds you to make another change that could save your life. When you change your clocks at the end of Daylight Savings, remember to change the batteries in your smoke and carbon monoxide alarms ,too! Most fire deaths occur during the sleeping hours of the night, and your smoke and carbon monoxide alarms provide an early warning so you can get outside quickly.

Replace smoke detectors that are over ten years old. Current alarms on the market employ different types of technology such as multi-sensing, and combine smoke and carbon monoxide detection into a single unit.

Seniors who are at least 60 years old and a resident of Huntington Beach can have a free fire safety home inspection, which includes installation of a free smoke detector and a carbon monoxide detector (while supplies last). Provided through Project SHIP, the Senior Home Inspection Program, this program is sponsored by the Huntington Beach Fire Department in coalition with Seniors' Outreach. For additional information, leave a voicemail message at 714-375-1615 or go to www.huntingtonbeachca.gov/government/departments/fire/fire_prevention_code_enforcement/ship/. You will be contacted within two weeks to schedule an inspection.

"Fall Back" This Sunday!



Don't forget to
turn your
clocks back
1 hour!



INFORMATION SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Congrats to the City's IT Department!

The City of Huntington Beach is the recipient of the 2018 MISAC Award for Excellence in Information Technology (IT) Practices. The Municipal Information Systems Association of California (MISAC) established the Excellence in Information Technology (IT) practices award in 2000 to recognize exemplary IT practices and each year it recognizes agencies that excel in creative and efficient uses of resources in local government. This award is intended to foster and recognize outstanding governance and operation practices.



The program has two levels, Achievement and the higher level of Excellence. The City achieved the higher level of Excellence this year and was recognized at the MISAC annual conference. The 2018 MISAC Award signifies that the City met or exceeded MISAC standards in the technology focused areas of Budget and Strategic Planning, Purchasing, Operations and Staffing, Customer Satisfaction, Internet, Project Management, Professional Development and Training, Disaster Preparation and Recovery, Policies and Procedures, and Security.



LIBRARY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

The holidays will be upon us soon and the HBPL Children's Department is getting ready! Tickets for Ballet Etude's performance of ***The Nutcracker*** and our annual **Holiday Tree Trimming** event go on sale Saturday, Nov. 3. Tickets are \$5 per person. These are two very popular programs so plan to get your tickets early before they sell out! Holiday Tree trimming is Saturday, Dec. 1 at 10 a.m. *The Nutcracker* will be performed on December 11 and 12 with a 4:30 and 7:30 p.m. performance each day.



Events at Central Library

Stranger Things Trivia Night

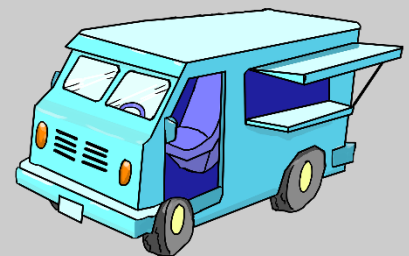
Have you seen Will Byers? Are you a Dungeon Master? Do you like chocolate pudding or waffles? Do you have telekinetic powers? Are you a Stranger Things fanatic? Come test your knowledge at our Stranger Things Trivia Night and win prizes! Light refreshments will be served. **Wednesday, November 7, 6:30 -8 p.m. in the C/D Room.**

Literary Game Night

Join us for book-themed games to celebrate International Game Week. We'll provide the games, you provide the friends. All ages welcome. **Thursday, November 8, 6:30 to 8 p.m.**

Food Truck Night

Our popular "Food Truck Night" is back! Come to the library to check out our books, programs, and resources and stay for the FOOD! Local food trucks featuring a wide array of scrumptious eats will be in the Library parking lot from 5 to 8 p.m. We will feature this event quarterly so check back in February, May, and August for more deliciousness! **Wednesday, November 14, 5 to 8 p.m.**



LIBRARY SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Events at the Branches

Children and their caretakers are encouraged to attend one (or all!) of the great events taking place on **Friday, November 2, at the Oak View branch: Bilingual Storytime** for ages 1-3 with Miss Amy and Mr. Kevin at 10 a.m., **Afternoon Stories and Crafts** with Miss Maribel at 2 p.m. for kids in pre-K to third grade, and the **Chess Club** from 3:30 to 4:45 p.m., which welcomes new players to the club on the first Friday of the month.



Adults 18 and up are welcome to attend the last few sessions (**November 1 and 8 from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.**) of the new **Club de Libro** at Oak View, a new Book Club in Spanish featuring Laura Esquivel's novel "La Malinche." The last session will be on November 15. To register, please visit <https://hbpl.libcal.com/calendar/branches/?cid=6565&t=d&d=2018-11-01&cal=6565>. The Oak View branch is located at 17251 Oak Lane and can be reached at (714) 375-5068.

A reminder to those adults over 18 who are interested in attending the November session of the **Banning Book Club**. There is still time to get a copy of the featured classic *Night* by Elie Wiesel. This memoir-cum-novel depicts Wiesel's experiences as a 15-year-old Jewish boy during World War II, who was eventually sent by orphan train to live in France after his family was killed. This event will take place at the Banning Branch Library on **Thursday, November 15, from 5:30 to 7 p.m.** Refreshments are followed by a discussion beginning at 5:45 p.m. The Banning branch is located at 9281 Banning Avenue. For more information, please call 714 375-5005.



Main Street Branch Library is happy to announce that their popular **Holiday Book Sale**, sponsored by the Main Street Friends of the Library, is set for **Saturday, December 1, through Saturday, December 15**, during all branch open hours. Deal hunters are encouraged to come browse the "cream of the crop" – the best library donations collected throughout the year were carefully set aside for inclusion in the book sale. These include popular classics, current best-sellers and children's books – all in close-to or excellent condition. The Main Street branch is located at 525 Main Street and can be reached by calling (714) 375-5071.



OFFICE OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

Edinger Plaza has New Owner

Stockbridge Real Estate, a San Francisco based investor, recently purchased the Edinger Plaza for \$65.5 million, approximately \$422 per square foot. The 155,275 square-foot shopping center, directly across the street from Bella Terra, is the priciest retail property so far this year in Orange County. Edinger Plaza is considered one of the City's major shopping centers, anchored by Michaels, Nordstrom Rack, Dick's Sporting Goods, and PetSmart.



Free Rein Fundraiser

Free Rein—Horses Helping Humans, a local Huntington Beach non-profit will be holding a fundraiser Friday, December 1, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 18381 Goldenwest Street. The local non-profit partners with the Huntington Beach Police Department and Huntington Beach Boys & Girls Club to provide services to at-risk local youth through their Equine Assisted Learning session. For eight weeks, kids learn valuable skills to help them cope with stresses in their life, such as anxiety, bullying, neglect, fear, and peer pressure. To learn more about their programs and services, you can visit www.freereinfoundation.org.

COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT



Presented by the Huntington Beach Art Center Artist Council & The Huntington Beach Art Center Foundation

Dressed to Inspire Fundraiser

November 16, 2018 | 7– 10 p.m.

Cost \$40 per ticket

Support the Huntington Beach Art Center's education and exhibition programs! Join us for a night of fun, food, music, and a silent auction. Wear your best repurposed thrift store apparel and show us what you can do with reclaimed, recycled, and repurposed clothing. There will be prizes for the most inspiring and crowd favorite outfit. Spend an evening in the gallery enjoying a special preview of the annual "Inspired" Artist Council Exhibition. Purchase tickets online at www.huntingtonbeachartcenter.org or call the Art Center (714) 374-1650 for more information.

CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

Fall Fashion Show

Tuesday November 13th
1:00PM-2:30PM

Senior Center In Central Park
18041 Goldenwest St., HB, CA 92648

12:30PM Doors Open 1PM Show Starts
2PM Reception & Boutique

\$10
To attend

Activity #
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Sponsors



*All items worn at the show will be for sale at the end of the event as well as an offering from the Assistance League Boutique.
Cash & credit accepted at the boutique.*

CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

Huntington Beach Council on Aging presents



WINTER DANCE AT THE SENIOR CENTER IN CENTRAL PARK

Saturday, December 8
'Festive Attire'

Appetizers & Drinks
6:00PM-7:00pm
Dinner & Dancing
7:00PM-10:00PM

HBCOA Members
\$35

Non-HBCOA Members
\$40

PERFORMING LIVE

SMOKIN'
COBRAS



DINNER, DANCING & LOTS OF FUN!



SENIOR CENTER IN CENTRAL PARK
18041 GOLDENWEST ST. HUNTINGTON BEACH, CA 92648. (714) 536-5600.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT



Guided Do-it-Yourself disassembly, troubleshooting and repair.
Open it up. See how it worked. Hopefully fix it.

Fix Your Broken Stuff!!

Saturday, November 17, 12:30-3:30pm

Senior Center in Central Park

18041 Goldenwest St, Huntington Beach, CA

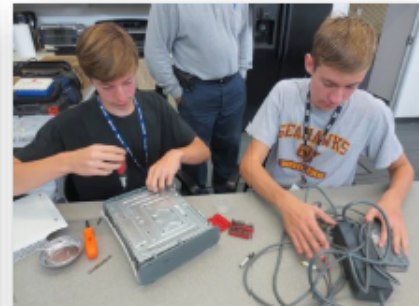
This is a **FREE** family-friendly event

(Children age 6 and up are welcome when accompanied by responsible adult)

BRING:

1. your broken or non-working electronics, small appliances, toys, bikes, clothing, etc. (carry-in only – no stoves, refrigerators, washing machines or other oversize items)
2. accessories, parts, and tools you already own that might be helpful (e.g. phillips head screwdriver, small pliers, new parts)
3. any knowledge or advance research you've done on the issue
4. boxes, bags and/or small containers to organize (and carry away) parts.

Questions? Contact trashinfo@surfcity-hb.org or (714) 375-5010



City Hall Directory

City Attorney	(714) 536-5555
City Clerk	(714) 536-5227
Passports	(714) 374-1600
City Council	(714) 536-5553
City Manager	(714) 536-5202
Community Services	(714) 536-5486
Beach Operations	(714) 536-5281
Business Development	(714) 536-5582
Finance Department	(714) 536-5630
Business Licenses	(714) 536-5267
Fire Department	(714) 536-5411
Human Resources	(714) 536-5492
Information Services	(714) 536-5515
Library Services	(714) 842-4481
Community Development	(714) 536-5271
Code Enforcement	(714) 375-5155
Police Department	(714) 960-8811
Public Works	(714) 536-5431
Graffiti Removal	(714) 960-8861



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