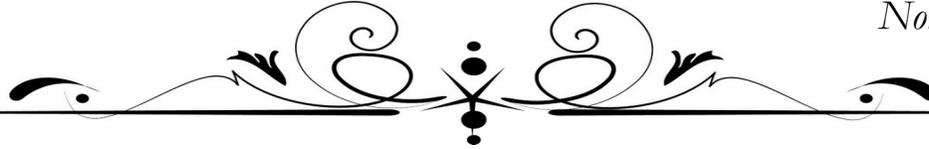


City of Highland

Weekly Report



November 19, 2021



Public Services



EMERGENCY MORTGAGE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (EMAP)

The City of Highland has established the Emergency Mortgage Assistance Program (EMAP) to assist Highland residents with mortgage delinquencies resulting from the pandemic. This program is aimed at assisting homeowners of limited income, impacted by the pandemic, by reducing delinquent mortgage payments and/or avoiding foreclosure.

For more information and program eligibility pre-screening, please contact us at 909-864-6861, extension 203 or extension 230.

COVID-19
Emergency Assistance



Volunteer Services



SMALL BUSINESS RECOVERY GRANT

CORONAVIRUS RECOVERY FUND FOR SMALL BUSINESSES



Funding is still available!!! The City of Highland is encouraging small businesses in Highland to apply for the Coronavirus Recovery Fund grant program, first launched in September. The purpose of this program is to provide financial assistance to City-based small businesses impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic. Successful grant recipients will receive a one-time \$7,500 disbursement.

Businesses that meet these specific criteria are eligible for consideration:

- Must have a physical location within the City of Highland (store front, office, commercial structure).
- Be in good standing with the City of Highland (**current/valid business license, no outstanding code enforcement actions, or compliance orders**).
- Must have no more than 100 employees.
- Must be in existence as of August 24, 2021.

Contact Denise Moreno at 909-864-6861, extension 203 or email dmoreno@cityofhighland.org for an application and for more information.

APPLY TODAY!

HOLIDAY SAFETY TIPS

Administration

Travel Tips

- Talk with family about who to call, where to meet and what to pack for an emergency this holiday season. www.ready.gov/plan
- If you are traveling by plane for the holidays, review TSA's security screening tips: www.tsa.gov/travel/travel-tips
- If you are packing for a flight, consider a small emergency kit: flashlight, batteries, & spare USB power bank.
- Prepare your car for winter weather before hitting the road for the holidays. www.ready.gov/car
- On the road this winter? Fill out an emergency communications plan card and let your (in case of emergency) contact know your plan: <https://www.ready.gov/collection/family-communication-plan>
- Are you taking your pets with you for the holidays? Add a few emergency items for your pets, like water and food. www.ready.gov/pets
- For safe traveling with family over the holidays, think about your kids' needs when you pack. For resources for the entire family including educators check out: www.ready.gov/kids
- Pet travel tip: Pack something familiar like a toy or blanket to help alleviate stress. www.ready.gov/pets
- Traveling by car? Remember to pack an emergency supply kit. www.ready.gov/car



Wishing you Safe Travels



Cooking Safety Tips

- Unattended cooking is the leading factor in home cooking fires.
 - Did you know: Thanksgiving is the peak day for home cooking fires.
 - Move things that can burn away from the stove. This includes dishtowels, bags, boxes, paper, and curtains.
 - Turn pot handles toward the back of the stove so no one can bump them or pull them over.
 - In case of an oven fire, turn off the oven and keep the door closed until it is cool.
- Keep an eye on what you fry! Most cooking fires start when frying food.
 - Be a safe cook this Thanksgiving - wear short sleeves or roll them up so they do not catch on fire.
 - Watch what you heat! Most house fires start in the kitchen.
 - Cooking is the leading cause of all winter home fires.

IMPORTANT PUBLIC INFORMATION

The Governor released a one-stop website (<https://covid19.ca.gov/>) for COVID-19 resources. This is a substantial source of information including unemployment and paid sick leave, along with small business assistance (information specifically to be added about this tomorrow on the website).

These following specific items — Apply for Unemployment, Apply for Disability Benefits or Apply for Paid Family Leave - may be of interest to you on the following website https://www.edd.ca.gov/about_edd/coronavirus-2019/faqs.htm.

Loan guidance for small business: <https://www.sba.gov/page/coronavirus-covid-19-small-business-guidance-loan-resources>

As a reminder, the CDC's official Coronavirus website is the best source for up-to-date information and guidance. www.coronavirus.gov

The County of San Bernardino has established a COVID-19 Public Information Line. The line is in operation from 9:00am to 8:00pm, Monday to Friday. The phone number is (909) 387-3911. Please note that this line is for Public Information Only. Please contact your Health Care Provider for medical related questions.

For further information and updates please visit: <https://sbccovid19.com/>

The San Bernardino County Department of Public Health (DPH) continues to work with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) to respond to reports of Novel Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19) as the situation is quickly evolving.

Residents of San Bernardino are encouraged to stay home as much as possible while only participating in essential activities, such as critical work functions and shopping for necessities. We know these measures are challenging, but social distancing will help to protect all of our communities. We encourage older adults and those with chronic medical conditions to take additional precautions to avoid getting sick with the disease.

Please visit <http://wp.sbcounty.gov/dph/coronavirus/> for additional updates and information.

Public Services

Burrtec Free Cart Pull Out service

Residents who are senior citizens or residents with disabilities who need assistance placing their carts curbside each week will be provided free cart pull out service upon request. (Proof will be required for this free pull-out service.) For more information contact **Burrtec Waste Industries, Inc.** at 909-889-1969.



Thanksgiving Holiday Trash Pick-Up

Burrtec Waste Industries, Inc. will be closed on Thursday, November 25, 2021 in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. Therefore, solid waste, green waste and recycling collection service will be delayed by one day. Your regularly scheduled collection service will resume the following week. Please keep in mind that your street sweeping services will also be delayed by one day as well.

Thanksgiving Holiday Schedule is as follows:

If regular pickup day falls on: Thursday, November 25
Trash will be picked up on: Friday, November 26

If regular pickup day falls on: Friday, November 26
Trash will be picked up on: Saturday, November 27

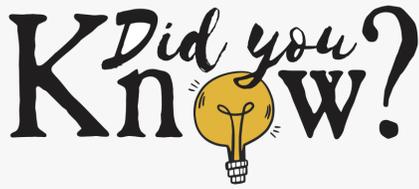


Should you have any questions regarding the holiday delay with collection services, please contact:

► *Burrtec Waste Industries, Inc. at 909-889-1969*

► *City of Highland, Public Services Division at 909-864-8732, ext. 271*





Did you know that your SEWER DRAIN & your STREET (STORM) drain are different??

Sink and toilet water goes into a sewer drain and flows to a wastewater treatment plant before it is cleaned and released into waterways like rivers, lakes, and the ocean.

THE DIFFERENCE is there is no cleaning of dirty water before it flows into waterways from street (storm) drains. The dirty water and debris, like grass clippings and leaves, can hurt fish, plants, and other aquatic life by polluting the water where they live.

Ideas to Prevent Street (Storm) Drain Pollution:

- Sweep driveways clean instead of using water.
- Minimize the amount of fertilizer you use.
- Eliminate piles of grass, leaves, and other debris in the street.
- Adjust sprinklers to prevent leaking water from flowing into the street.
- Go to a car wash where water is cleaned before it goes into waterways.
- Keep items like oil and chemicals out of gutters and storm drains.
- Use cat litter to clean up oil on driveways and sidewalks.
- Clean up after your pets and dispose of waste in a garbage can or toilet.

Remember, only Rain Down the Storm Drain!



National Prescription Drug **TAKE BACK DAY**

Collection Results



On Saturday, October 23, 2021, the Highland Police Station, and the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) gave the public its 21st opportunity in 11 years to prevent pill abuse and theft by ridding their homes of potentially dangerous expired, unused, and unwanted prescription drugs. The successful event had a total of 38 plus residents bring in their medications for disposal to the Highland Police Station. As long as the Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA) continues with this event, look for the next one to be sometime in April.

Locally in between take back days you can take your expired, unused and unwanted medications (excluding controlled substances, separate liquids from solids), to the following locations:



ALBERTSON'S
Pharmacy Medication Drop-Off Box
909-425-9100
7201 Boulder Avenue
Highland, CA 92346
Monday to Sunday ~6:00 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.

Household Hazardous Waste
909-382-5401 or
1-800-OILY-CAT (1-800-645-9228)
2824 East "W" Street
San Bernardino, CA 92415
Monday to Friday ~9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

For information on how to properly dispose of medications and other materials that could potentially harm the environment, such as cleaning products, paints, fertilizers, pesticides, automotive products like used motor oil and filters, please contact the City of Highland Public Services Division at 909-864-8732, ext. 271.





Public Works



During the period of November 1, 2021 through November 5, 2021, graffiti was made known to Public Works staff by the following means and removed:

Routine observation by Public Works: Aurantia Park, Boulder Bridge. 7935 Central Ave., Pacific St. & Palm Ave., Orange St. & Greenspot Rd., Plunge Creek Overflow, Lankershim Ave. & 6th St., 9th St. & Cole Ave., McKinley Ave. & 9th St., 9th St. & Elmwood Rd., 9th St. & Golondrina Dr., 9th St. & Lankershim Ave., 9th St. & Eucalyptus Dr., 9th St. & Valaria Dr., 9th St. & Victoria Ave., Highland Community Park

Hotline: Highland YMCA

During the period of November 8, 2021 through November 12, 2021, graffiti was made known to Public Works staff by the following means and removed:

Routine observation by Public Works: Base Line & Seeley Ct., Highland Community Park, Sycamore Dr. & Webster St., Webster St. & Sanguaro Way, 27383 5th St. (alley way), 7979 Palm Ave., Palm Ave. & 5th St., 5th St. & Central Ave., Palm Ave. & Cypress St., Valaria Dr. & 9th St., Base Line & Vine St., Base Line & Elmwood Rd., Aurantia Park

Hotline: 7750 Palm Ave., Base Line & Frontera del Norte

Code Enforcement

October 2021 REPORT

<i>VIOLATION TYPE</i>	<i>CASES OPENED</i>
Inoperable/Wrecked Vehicle	8
Junk/Trash Debris	10
Yard Sale Violation	4
Street Vendor	3
Operating Business without License	2

Volunteer Services

We are accepting applications for Highland's **Grocery Home Delivery Service Program**. Highland residents who meet income guidelines, can qualify to RECEIVE AN ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP FOR GROCERY HOME DELIVERY SERVICE. Shop from the safety of your own home and have groceries delivered straight to your doorstep!

APPLY NOW
We're accepting
applications!



It is easy to apply, please contact Denise Moreno at 909-864-6861 ext. 203 or email dmoreno@cityofhighland.org to find out if you are eligible for the program.



Blood Drive

HELP SAVE A LIFE +
GIVE THE GIFT OF BLOOD



Highland's next Blood Drive is on Monday, November 29, 2021, from 11am to 4pm at the Highland Police Station, 26985 Base Line. Donors will receive a special "Count on Me" promotional blanket for their selfless donation, while supplies last.

To maintain social distancing, appointments are strongly recommended. Walk-ins are welcome but wait times may be lengthy. *Face coverings are required.* Please be sure to drink plenty of fluids. Bring a photo ID with proof of age. Donors under the age of 17 must bring a signed LifeStream parental consent form.

Schedule your appointment to donate blood at Highland's November drive by contacting Volunteer Services at 909-864-6861 ext. 203 or by following this online link...

https://giftoflife.lstream.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/90685

For questions and more information contact Volunteer Services at 909-864-6861, ext. 203.

LIFESTREAM DONOR CENTER UPDATE!

NEW

LifeStream San Bernardino Donor Center has moved! LifeStream invites you to visit them and give the gift of life at 420 E. Hospitality Lane, Suite A7, San Bernardino. *TIP: There is parking in front of the new location and plenty of spaces right behind it, too. When parking behind the center, enter through Suite A7 and the friendly staff will be there to greet you.

PICK UP AFTER YOUR PET



WHY SHOULD I PICK UP?

-  Dog waste can infect children and adults with disease-causing bacteria and parasites.
-  Your dog can get infected from the waste of other dogs.
-  Dog waste can affect the quality of our rivers and oceans and make the water unsafe for swimming, drinking, or fishing.



BAG IT AND TRASH IT! — Steps and Tips —

- Step 1:** Keep a supply of bags tied to your dog leash.
- Step 2:** Bag the poop and tie the bag.
- Step 3:** Dispose of the tied bag properly by throwing it into a trash can.



Scan code for a **FREE CANISTER**
freedoggiebags.com

Big Bear • Chino • Chino Hills • Colton • Fontana • Grand Terrace • Highland • Loma Linda • Montclair • Ontario • Rancho Cucamonga • Redlands
Rialto • San Bernardino • San Bernardino County • San Bernardino County Flood Control District • Upland • Yucaipa



HAVE YOU PLAYED SPOT'S NEW TRASH MATCH-UP GAME?

Find out how much you know about sorting waste in San Bernardino County.



Step 1: Scan QR code or visit spot.sbcountystormwater.org

Step 2: Drag a trash item to a bin to start the game

Step 3: Make an account to claim your score on the leaderboard.

**available for mobile phones and desktops*



For a list of collection centers near you, visit TooToxicToTrash.com
Must be a San Bernardino County resident to visit centers.

PROTECT YOUR COMMUNITY KEEP TRASH OUT OF OUR STREETS



Step 1

Gather your used masks, gloves, and wipes

Step 2

Place the used items in a bag

Step 3

Tie or seal the bag and dispose into a trashcan



alendar of Events

November 23, 2021

Dark (No Meeting Scheduled) - City Council Meeting

December 2, 2021

5pm — Historic & Cultural Preservation Board Meeting, Donahue Council Chambers

December 7, 2021

6pm — Planning Commission Meeting, Donahue Council Chambers

December 14, 2021

6pm — City Council Meeting, Donahue Council Chambers

December 21, 2021

6pm — Planning Commission Meeting, Donahue Council Chambers

December 28, 2021

Dark (No Meeting Scheduled) - City Council Meeting



THE CITY OF HIGHLAND FACEBOOK PAGE



The City of Highland has a new and improved Facebook page that we would like for you all to follow us on. This is where you will find important information regarding road closures and construction projects that may affect your travel time, scheduled power outages, emergencies, events such as: Community Blood Drives, Highland Improvement Team projects, Compost Give-A-Way, Used Oil Filter Exchange & Recycling Events and much more. Please "Like" City of Highland - City Hall (<https://www.facebook.com/cityofhighland.cityhall>) as the official page.

How to Safely Dispose Sharps

**EFFECTIVE
JULY 1, 2021**



SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY RESIDENTS can safely dispose of their used SHARPS in a 2 gallon or smaller, heavy-duty, plastic container as an alternative to plastic bio-hazard sharps containers at participating Household Hazardous Waste Collection facilities.

Containers should only contain needles, lancets, and syringes with a needle attached that must be completely spent (no liquid remaining, including EpiPens).

HOW TO CREATE YOUR OWN CONTAINER:

- Place sharps into an Approved Sharps Container or 2 gallon or smaller heavy-duty plastic container
- Do not use food product containers
- Must have a screw-top and puncture resistant lid
- Made of thick plastic
- 2 gallons or less
- Leak-resistant
- Remain upright when standing
- Place printed Bio-Hazard Label on both sides
- When $\frac{3}{4}$ filled, secure lid, and tape the container closed

DO NOT USE FOR SHARPS:



Print **FREE** labels by visiting
Greensb.net

Preprinted labels are available at
HHW collection facilities



For more information and locations, call 1-800-Oily Cat (645-9228) or visit **Greensb.net**

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY FIRE – Household Hazardous Waste

Cómo desechar las agujas de forma segura

**EFFECTIVO EL
1 DE JULIO 2021**



LOS RESIDENTES DEL CONDADO DE SAN BERNARDINO pueden desechar de manera segura sus agujas usadas en un recipiente de plástico resistente de 2 galones, o más pequeño como alternativa a los recipientes de plástico para objetos punzantes con riesgo biológico en los Centros participantes de Colección para desechos peligrosos del hogar.

Los recipientes solo deben contener agujas, lancetas y jeringas con una aguja adjunta que debe gastarse por completo (Sin residuo líquido incluyendo los EpiPens).

COMO CREAR SU PROPIO CONTENEDOR:

- Coloque las agujas en un recipiente para objetos punzantes aprobado o en un recipiente de plástico resistente de 2 galones o más pequeño
- No utilice envases de productos para alimentos
- Debe tener una tapa de rosca y resistente a los pinchazos
- Hecho de plástico grueso
- 2 galones o menos
- Resistente a fugas
- Permanezca erguido cuando esté de pie
- Coloque la etiqueta impresa de peligro biológico en ambos lados
- Cuando esté lleno 3/4, cierre la tapa y pegue el recipiente con cinta adhesiva para mantener el contenedor cerrado

NO UTILIZAR PARA AGUJAS :



Para imprimir etiquetas
GRATIS visite Greensb.net

Las etiquetas preimpresas están
disponibles en los Centros de Colección
para desechos peligrosos del hogar



Para obtener más información y ubicaciones,
llame al 1-800-Oily Cat (645-9228) o visite Greensb.net

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY FIRE – Household Hazardous Waste

Highland Sam J. Racadio Library & ELC

7863 CENTRAL AVENUE, HIGHLAND CA 92346 | (909) 798-8490



Session 5 FREE Courses: October 10- November 20 2021

Program Name	Day of Week	Time
Library Beginners (0-5 years)		
Toddler Boot Camp (In Person) - 1-3 Year Olds- For the more active toddler, this course includes high energy songs with lots of movement to inspire healthy physical activity in a fun and exciting way your toddler will love.	Tuesdays	10:30 AM
Little Artist (In person)- Join us in creating fun, sometimes messy, art projects! Work with your little one to guide their creativity by making a project together, or let them steal the show with their own personal artistic style.	Tuesdays	5:00 PM
Digital Little Artist - Pick up program kits starting Monday each week and join in on Facebook to make a fun craft!	Tuesdays	5:00 PM
Tiny Hoppers (In Person)- 1-3 Year Olds- Bring your little ones to dance and sing to fun songs, then wind down with some awesome stories. This course will inspire interaction between toddler and parent, and help little ones develop their motor skills, body awareness, and sense of rhythm.	Wednesdays	10:30 AM
Kid Zone (6-11 years)		
Storytime (In person or Virtual)- Join us for this wonderfully fun and engaging storytime. Register with the Branch to join virtually, or come in person.	Wednesdays	4:00 PM
Craft Corner (In person)- Join us as we create wonderful projects and learn new skills.	Thursdays	5:00 PM
Digital Craft Corner - Pick up program kits starting Monday each week and join in on Facebook to make a fun craft!	Thursdays	5:00 PM
Adult Programs		
Adult Book Club (In person or Virtual)- Join us at the library to read and discuss selected books. Register with the Branch to join virtually, or come in person.	Wednesday, Oct. 6, 20 & Nov. 3, 17	3:00 PM
Child Support Service - AFTER HOURS- Do you have questions regarding how to open a child support case, how to modify an existing child support order, status of your case, etc.? We are here to help! Join us between the hours of 4 pm and 7pm at the Highland Branch Library on every third Tuesday of the month. We look forward to engaging with you.	3rd Tuesday of the Month	4:00 PM- 7:00 PM
Special Events/ Meetings		
Read for the Record	Thursday, Oct. 28	10:30 AM & 4:00 PM
Off Session: November 21-30, 2021		
Kid Zone (6-11 years)		
Pet Profiles (In Person) - Ever wondered about some of your favorite Library critters? Now's your chance to learn fun facts and get an up close and personal experience.	Tuesday, Nov. 23	4:00 PM



All San Bernardino County branch libraries
will be closed on
Monday, Oct. 11,
Thursday, Nov. 11, and
Thursday-Friday, Nov. 25-26



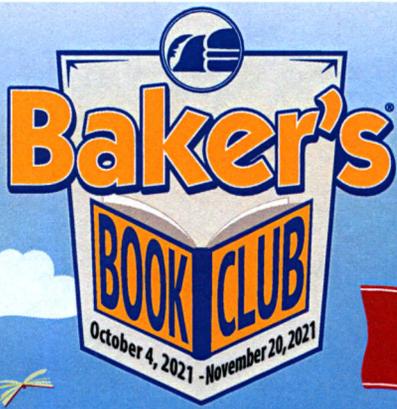
Library



BRANCH HOURS: MON - 10AM-8PM | TUES - 10AM-8PM | WED - 10AM-8PM
THURS - 10AM-6PM | FRI - 10AM-6PM | SAT - 9AM-5PM | SUN - CLOSED

@SBCountyLibrary

Visit our website @ www.sbclib.org



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OCTOBER 4, 2021 TO
NOVEMBER 20, 2021

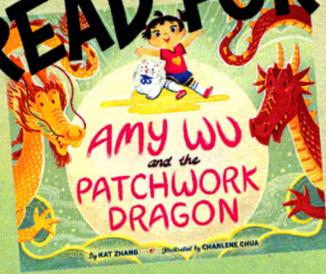
PROGRAM FOR AGES 4-17



1. SIGN UP WITH BEANSTACK!
2. LOG YOUR READING!
3. EARN DELICIOUS REWARDS!



READ FOR THE RECORD



OCTOBER 28, 2021

JOIN US AS WE ATTEMPT TO BREAK
A WORLD RECORD FOR THE MOST PEOPLE
READING THE SAME BOOK ON THE SAME DAY!

Not joining in person? Pick up a craft kit
starting Saturday, Oct 23 (while supplies last)
and watch our craft videos on Facebook at 5:30 pm!

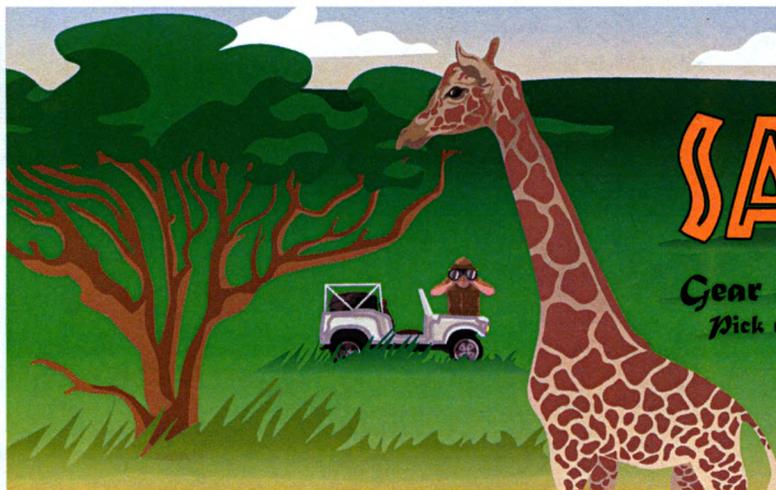


Jumpstart
Read for the Record

VILLAINS WEEK

Be prepared and join our Virtual Villains Week October 25-30!
Pick up craft kits starting Saturday, Oct 23 (while supplies last)

Sign up on Beanstack,
join in on our virtual programs
and earn badges for a chance to win
a villains-themed prize basket!



SAFARI WEEK

Gear up for an adventure from November 15-20!
Pick up craft kits starting Saturday, Nov 13 (while supplies last!)

Sign up on Beanstack,
join in on our virtual programs
and earn badges for a chance to win
a safari-themed prize basket!



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