

# College-Glen News



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## POD Cameras and Annual Meeting

The College-Glen Neighborhood Association/Foundation will host their annual meeting on Thursday, October 27th at 6:30 pm at the Station 60 Fire House, 3301 Julliard Drive (across from Raley's). The Annual Report will focus on the status of the Police Observation Device (POD) cameras and include a detailed summary of the cost associated with the establishment of the CGNA Foundation, the collection of funds for the POD cameras, installation timelines for the College-Glen area PODs, and the CGNA Foundation's plan for securing funds for our share of the long-term maintenance on the PODs.

Light refreshments will be served starting at 6:30pm with socializing and a review of photos from the year's events. We will be electing the officers and directors for both the College-Glen Neighborhood Association and the CGNA Foundation. The Association and Foundation will begin their reports at 6:45pm.

Following the annual reports, we will hear from some of our elected representatives, members of the business community including the Folsom Boulevard Flea Market and the Power Inn Alliance, area academic leaders, members of the Sacramento Fire and Police Departments, Sacramento County Kiefer Plaza Probation Center, candidates for State Assembly-District 7, and the Los Rios Community College District Trustee-Area 7 candidates. CGNA Secretary and registered legislative advocate Rebekah Cearley will close with a legislative update. Each guest has been invited to take 3 to 5 minutes to address our community.

Following the guest presentations we will have our customary community forum where everyone may ask questions of our guests.

**Vote Card:** Included in this news distribution is our annual vote card. Please note that you are voting for both the College-Glen Neighborhood Association and Foundation officers and directors. Please return the vote card via U.S. mail or bring it with you to the annual meeting.

## CGNA Annual Meeting

Thursday, October 27th

6:30-8:30 pm

Station 60 Fire House  
3301 Julliard Drive  
(across from Raley's)

## Annual Meeting Agenda

- Meet & Greet with Refreshments
- Elections
- Corporate Reports
- Featured Guests *(order subject to change)*
  - Councilmember Eric Guerra
  - SPD Chief Sam Somers
  - Sacramento Fire Department
  - Supervisor Don Nottoli
  - SCUSD Superintendent Jose Banda
  - Folsom Boulevard Flea Market
  - Power Inn Alliance
- Candidate Presentations
  - State Assembly District 7
  - Los Rios CC District 7
- Q & A

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Tuesday,  
November 8, 2016

Polls open at 7:00 a.m.  
and close at 8:00 p.m.

Review the guide to local candidate races on page 12 then hear from the candidates at the CGNA Annual Meeting on October 27th.

## Christian Brothers Kick Off 141<sup>st</sup> School Year with Record-Breaking Enrollment

By Natalie Reyes '09, Assistant Director of Communications

The 2016-17 school year is off to a fantastic start at Christian Brothers High School! We welcomed more than 300 freshmen from 56 different zip codes, bringing enrollment up to its highest point in the school's 141-year history. The Class of 2020 began their high school journey at Lock-In, an all-night celebration on campus, where they enjoyed teambuilding games, a dance party and watching the sun rise together as a class.

The new school year also brought some fresh faculty faces to campus, including new principal John O'Connor. Mr. O'Connor moved from Kansas City, Missouri with his family over the summer to take on his new role. The family is enjoying the California weather and getting to know their new school and Sacramento communities.

CB fans traveled to St. Francis on August 30 to watch the Falcons defeat the Troubadours in a 5-set match at the annual Holy Court volleyball game. The fall semester is jam packed with many other fun events including Holy Bowl, Homecoming, the fall production of *The Royal Family*, liturgies, retreats, spirit days and more.

The school's largest event, Open House, will take place on Sunday, October 2 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. All prospective families are invited to take a tour of our campus, talk with faculty and staff, visit the KBFT studio, explore the engineering labs and more. Stop by and see why CB is the place to be!



## Cristo Rey Enrollment Grows

By Andreas Agos, Principal

Cristo Rey Sacramento opened the 2016-17 school year with 359 students on August 8. Enrollment has continued to grow over the last four years and will level off next year at approximately 400. What makes Cristo Rey unique is its combination of a college preparatory program and a workstudy program, and its focus exclusively on low income students. Students take classes four days each week and work in a professional setting such as in a law, accounting, or public relations firm; hospital or medical office; government office; or nonprofit organization one day a week. If you are near the school at 8:00 AM on school days, you will see eleven vans pulling away to take students to their work assignments, and between 4:00 and 5:00 PM those same vans bring students back to school. On the days that students are on campus, they take a rigorous curriculum that prepares them for success in college. The school also offers a variety of extracurricular programs, including athletics, theater, choir, and clubs. If you are interested in learning more about Cristo Rey Sacramento, or the network of 32 Cristo Rey schools across the country, feel free to call 733-2660.

## St. Francis High School Welcomes the Class of 2020!

By Raquel Sampognaro

St. Francis Catholic High School is excited for the new school year! We welcomed 244 vibrant young women to the Class of 2020, and they are off to a great start. Fall semester is generally one of the busiest times for SFHS - athletics is ramping up for a full Fall Sports season which includes Cross Country, Golf, Tennis, Volleyball, and Water Polo. Our Fine and Performing Arts students are pleased to present a variety of gallery installation shows in addition to the Fall and Spring productions of *Little Women* – the Broadway Musical (opening October 14) and *12 Angry Jurors* (coming to the SFHS theatre this March).

We cannot wait to begin our Shadow Day program over the next few weeks, as well as visit the classrooms of over 30 private and parochial partner schools. During Shadow Days, we will host 600+ eighth grade and prospective transfer students on our campus to experience all that St. Francis High School has to offer. We want to extend an invitation to all interested families for our Open House on Sunday, Oct. 9, where you can take a tour of our beautiful campus, meet our teachers/coaches/ambassadors and learn about our C-STEM partnership with UC Davis and our 1:1 Chromebook program!

Please visit our website at [www.stfrancishs.org](http://www.stfrancishs.org) to learn more about the St. Francis Catholic High School advantage.



## California Montessori Project

By Bernie Evangelista, Principal

The first few weeks of school have been great! 323 students happily and excitedly entered their classrooms and were in awe of the beautiful environment the teachers prepared for them over the summer. All classrooms have conducted Back-to-School Night and we had a very good turnout. Live Scan service and the 7 Habits Workshops were offered to all families during BTSN. We have completed the Hearing and Vision Screenings, Fall Picture Day, as well as, a fire drill, earthquake drill, and lockdown training.

At the first Parent Café, we talked about Maria Montessori: Her Life and Works. Every month, there will be a parent education workshop where different topics of interest will be presented.

Our Middle School students went on a ROPES Course at Heavenly Ski Resort and had a blast. Many more exciting field trips are planned for the year in all grade levels.

We had a Peace Assembly last Tuesday and we will celebrate International Day of Peace on Sept. 21. Our school will have a Peace Pole that will have the message “May Peace Prevail On Earth” in different languages.

The Annual Scholastic Book Fair will be held the week of September 19<sup>th</sup>.

We are offering a wide variety of after school programs that will begin at the end of September, namely: volleyball, violin, piano, choir, early engineers, soccer, and art. Basketball will be offered in January. We are looking forward to a great year!

## Bancroft Elementary Welcomes New Principal



From left to right Lorena Carrillo, Principal, Christina Pritchett, School Board President, Cindy Kilby, District Ombudsperson, and Deserie Fichtner, PTA President.

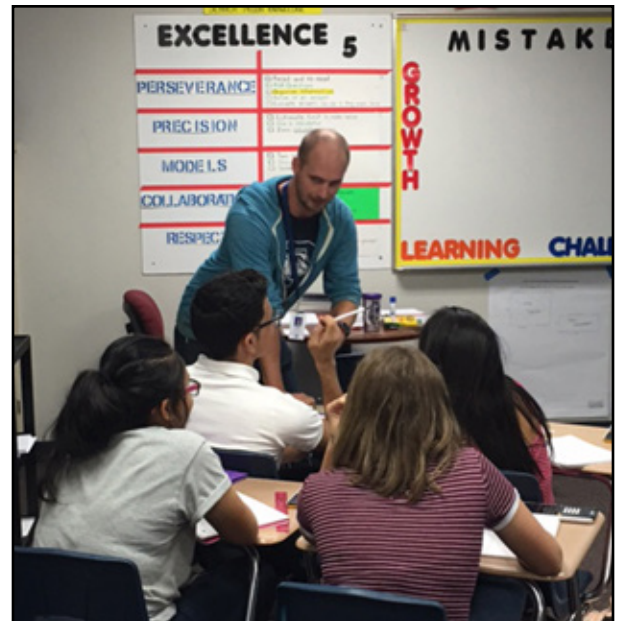
## Rosemont High School Celebrates SCUSD Teacher of the Year

By Elizabeth Vigil, Principal

“The best start to school – EVER” is what we heard from staff, students, and parents here at Rosemont. The culture is positive, school spirit is palpable, and students are excited to learn! Among the many pieces of good news is a sharp increase in the number of students joining our LEAD AP program this year! Expansion plans for our Energy, Science and Engineering pathway are in full force. Over the next few years, we will add coursework in the mechanical trades including welding, wood working, electrical and plumbing. Construction begins later in the year for a new classroom space, demonstration kitchen, and café for our Green culinary farm-to-fork pathway! Students will learn the culinary arts in a commercial kitchen, and we will have the capacity to host site, district and community events in a professional restaurant environment!

The first day of school, however, was the highlight of the year so far. A number of VIPs came to campus to celebrate Rosemont High School math teacher and SCUSD Teacher of the Year Daniel Crenshaw! Mr. Crenshaw was surprised during the first period of the day with television cameras from Channels 3, 13, Good Day Sacramento, and Fox 40. Also in attendance was SCUSD Superintendent Jose Banda, SCUSD Board President Christina Pritchett, Dinger from the Rivercats, Slamson and the Royal Court Dancers from the Kings and reporters from the Sacramento Bee! Mr. Crenshaw also received a gift basket valued at over \$2,000! Among the donated items were tickets to the River Cats, the Sacramento Kings and the Sac Republic. There were also gift certificates for restaurants around the Sacramento area!

Mr. Crenshaw was completely humbled by this show of gratitude and support. His students were proud and excited to have been a part of the celebration. What an awesome way to start the year!



SCUSD Teacher of the Year Daniel Crenshaw works with his students at Rosemont High School.



# Back to School!

The first day of school is always filled with excitement. Students, parents, teachers and support staff were ready to begin a new school year. For some it was the first day away from home for others it was the return from summer and being reunited with friends. For Lorena Carrillo, it was her first day as Principal of Bancroft Elementary School. The school yard was filled with excitement and smiles. Students and parents greeted each other, excited to be back with school friends.



**Pre-School** The Thomas Jefferson Branch of the McClaskey Adult Center houses the popular parent participation pre-school and toddler programs. Both the morning and afternoon classes for 3 and 4 year olds have a few openings. The Friday morning toddler class for 2 and young 3 year olds also has a limited number of openings. If you have questions or would like to register for one of the open seats in the pre-school/toddler programs please contact Sue Gilmore, at 277-6625 or the teacher, Ms. Paula, at 247-3335 or 382-5963.







**The Early-Kinder Program**, in its 6<sup>th</sup> year, was initially housed at the Jefferson campus and moved to the Bancroft campus last year. This program is one of the most sought out in the District. Area parents support this program and are eager to have their child participate. The program is academically oriented with a pre-kindergarten English Language Arts and mathematics curriculum to help the students transition into the District's traditional kindergarten program. If you live in the area and are interested in this program for your child be sure to watch for the District's early registration dates. This is a SCUSD program and there is no neighborhood preference.

**Kindergarten** now has an afternoon class in addition to the two morning classes. All three Kindergarten classes have a mix of students, some making the transition from the Early-Kinder Program, others from the Jefferson toddler/pre-school programs, and others their first time away from home and family for an extended period of time.



## Reading Partners in Need of Volunteer Tutors By Greg Geeting, Area 1 Trustee, Sac Co Bd of Ed

“Literacy is the foundation of all successful learning. Without reading, students do not have the skills they need to be successful in their academic careers, and their life options are limited.” So says the Literacy Challenge of Reading Partners, a volunteer organization that matches tutors with struggling readers in a number of Sacramento City Unified School District elementary schools, including Bret Harte, Ethel Phillips, and Pacific.

Regrettably, only 30 percent of all Sacramento City third graders read at grade-level standard according to the spring 2016 state testing results. For Hispanic or Latino third graders, the results were an even lower 21 percent, and for African American third graders, just 17 percent.

Reading Partners collaborates with under-resourced schools by engaging volunteer reading tutors who work one-on-one with struggling readers for 45 minutes twice a week, following a structured, research-based curriculum that addresses individual student needs. Students participating in the Reading Partners program make significant gains, on average more than doubling their rate of learning while in the program.

Rachel Minnik, Executive Director, Reading Partners Sacramento, has issued the call for more volunteers to help with this vital work. “We are growing, which means our volunteer numbers have to grow, too. This year we will serve 540 struggling readers at ten elementary schools across Sacramento,



**Reading Partners volunteer tutor helps a struggling reader master literacy skills.**

and we need over 900 tutors to do this!”

**If you are interested in helping our young, struggling readers in Sacramento, please consider volunteering with Reading Partners. For more information, go to <http://readingpartners.org/location/sacramento/> or call 996-0830.**

## SCOE School of Education Kicks Off 7<sup>th</sup> Year

By David W. Gordon, Sac Co Superintendent of Schools

John F. Kennedy once said “Leadership and learning are indispensable to each other.” We know that strong school leadership is vital to student success and school improvement. That is why, seven years ago, the Sacramento County Office of Education launched the Leadership Institute to sharpen the preparation of our region’s education leaders.

In late August, we were excited to welcome a new group of 71 aspiring administrators to an orientation for our Institute’s Preliminary Administrative Services Credential Program. This program provides leadership development and training for those interested in becoming school administrators. We are proud that since the program’s inception, we have helped nearly 500 aspiring administrators earn credentials.

Classes for the yearlong program are held all day on Saturdays and involve practical fieldwork activities, end-of-course papers, and online instruction. Candidates also must present a final project that demonstrates how they have put into practice at their school sites the leadership concepts they studied during the program. Participants also can earn a Master’s in Applied Leadership through our partnership with National University.

We developed our Institute in collaboration with the local school districts we serve, and other county offices in our Capital Service Region. We believe this cooperation supports success for all leaders involved in our program.

Just like we cannot ignore the need for teachers in our region, we also can’t ignore the need for administrators and quality school leaders.

## CSUS Sees All Time High Enrollment

By Robert Dugan, Dir. of Govt. and Public Affairs, Sac State

A new academic year is underway and the fall semester is experiencing an all time high enrollment of 30,600 students. Consistent with our efforts to promote “Finish in Four,” we have added a significant number of course sections, new full time faculty, and new software platforms to help students, faculty, and administration better plan course availability and degree completion needs. As a result, approximately 50% of our first year students signed up for 15 units or more this semester. To accommodate parking needs, the campus is using the property located on Ramona Avenue to meet any overflow parking needs with regular shuttles from the parking area to the main campus.

In other news, work continues on Student Housing II. The residence hall will be completed in time for the Fall 2017 semester and accommodate another 416 students in on campus housing, relieving some of the traffic on and around the campus. Sac State will break ground next spring on Science II, a state-of-the-art education building with cutting-edge teaching labs. Campus officials also plan to break ground on an 1,800-space parking structure for the north end of campus next year.

In addition, the University will break ground early next year on a 71,000-square-foot expansion/renovation of the University Union, which serves as the campus “living room” for 30,000 students. When given the choice, our current student body would rather stay on campus between classes and the Union expansion will help us meet their needs.

## Time for Fall Ball By Jenny Wirtz, CGLL

We hope everyone enjoyed their summer and are off to a great start to the school year. Fall Ball is in full swing and we had a great number of players join us this year. The spring season will be here before we know it and the board has been working in the off season to make it a great year. There have been many changes to the CGLL board of directors. You will see a lot of new faces taking over positions on the board and a lot of our long time board members have moved on. Thank you to those that served on the board and all that you contributed.

Registration for the 2017 season will begin in November. College Glen Little League is open to boys and girls from ages 4 – 14 living within our boundaries. Watch for emails and visit the website at [www.collegeglenlittleleague.com](http://www.collegeglenlittleleague.com) for information and links for online registration coming soon. Also, like us on Facebook for updates.

CGLL is looking forward to another great season and hope to see new players on the field.



## AVID By Jackie Levy, Area 3 Trustee Sac Co Bd of Ed

AVID (Advancement Via Individual Determination) is a program started almost 30 years ago by a high school teacher in San Diego. She was concerned that her students, many of who were from poor families, did not think they were capable of going to college. They were hard working and intelligent, but did not have the proper note taking, organizational, and critical thinking skills that are necessary to be successful in high school and prepared for college. She started a program called AVID to help students master these academic skills. The program was so successful that it has been replicated all over the country, with remarkable results.

The Sacramento County Office of Education is home to the Capital Metro AVID Center and provides support and training to AVID teachers throughout the region. We sponsor a summer workshop for teachers and provide on site visits and coaching during the school year. AVID has been so successful that entire schools have adopted the model. Most telling are the results: students who have been involved with the AVID program have much higher graduation rates and college attendance rates. For example, in Sacramento County, 41% of the class of 2015 completed all requirements for UC college entrance, but 92% of students in the AVID program met those requirements. The AVID mission is to close the achievement gap by preparing all students for college readiness and success in a global society, and it continues to be successful in accomplishing that goal.

## Bancroft Recycling Dumpster Now Has 24/7 Camera Security

During the year and more frequently during the summer, items are being deposited outside and inside the dumpster that are not appropriate for the collection process. Contaminated items reduce the value of the load. This summer, the lock was broken off and some recyclables were taken. To address these issues the dumpster was moved to a location in a direct line of sight with one of the school's cameras. However, it was observed that the new location creates a blind spot and safety hazard for vehicles parked adjacent to the dumpster.

Board Member Christina Pritchett asked the SCUSD to install a camera at the south end of the multi-purpose room so we could have the benefit of 24/7 camera vision for security of the dumpster in its original location. Thanks to Board Member Pritchett and the quick action of the District, the video surveillance camera has been installed and we now have round the clock surveillance of the dumpster.

We again thank everyone for supporting our recycling efforts and encourage everyone to keep bringing those paper goods and CRV containers to the dumpster.



Remember, please no Styrofoam, metal cans, food, plastic toys, auto parts or construction waste.

## DONATE!

Cardboard, Paper, Aluminum, and Plastic Bottles

The Bancroft School Yellow Dumpster is open 24/7 - 365 days/year

Located in the Bancroft School Parking Lot at  
2929 Belmar Street



## Volunteer at a Poling Place this November

From the Desk of County Supervisor Susan Peters

Sacramento County's Department of Voter Registration and Elections is calling upon civic-minded citizens to work at polling places for the upcoming election on November 8.

No prior experience is necessary and training will be provided. Workers will be provided a stipend for their training and service on Election Day. And citizens fluent in Spanish, Chinese, Vietnamese, Tagalog, Hindi, Korean, and Japanese are strongly encouraged to apply.

To be a poll worker you must meet the following criteria:

- Be at least 18 years of age or be a high school student that is at least 16 years of age and in good academic standing
- A resident of the State of California
- Be able to read and write in fluent English
- Available to work on Election Day November 8 from 6:00 a.m. until all duties are completed (approximately 10:00 p.m.)
- Attend a mandatory training class prior to election (approximately 2½ hours)
- Have transportation to and from the training class and to the polling place on Election Day

For more information, please click on "Get Involved" at elections.saccounty.net. And remember Election Day is Tuesday, November 8. To learn about how to vote by mail, whether you are registered to vote, your polling place, etc. please go online and check out the website of Sacramento County's Department of Voter Registration and Elections at elections.saccounty.net.

Susan Peters represents the Third District on the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors. She can be reached at susanpeters@saccounty.net.

## Progress on Legislative Initiatives

From the Desk of Assemblymember Kevin McCarty

The end of August brought some very exciting updates for two of my most important legislative priorities: the Lower American River Conservancy and the College Mental Health Act.

The Lower American River Conservancy, AB 1716, establishes a conservancy for the American River, from Nimbus Dam to the Sacramento River. The conservancy will receive funds from state bonds, grants, and other sources to use toward trail improvement, water quality improvement projects, restoring native plants or habitats, and much more. AB 1716 aims to keep the jewel of Sacramento beautiful and accessible for all Sacramentans.

The College Mental Health Act, AB 2017, establishes mental health services at all colleges and universities in California. Suicide is the number 2 killer of college students, taking around 1,100 young lives every year. Additionally, many kinds of mental illnesses develop in late adolescence and early adulthood, including schizophrenia, depression, and bipolar disorder. AB 2017 aims to make mental health services easily accessible to students in need, reducing the prevalence of suicide, and reducing the stigma around mental illness and mental health care.

Both of these great bills have passed out of the Assembly and the Senate with strong bipartisan support, and currently await the Governor's signature. Hopefully, by the time you're reading this, we will have more exciting news, so be sure to keep an eye out for updates on Facebook at Facebook.com/McCarty and our website at [asmdc.org/McCarty](http://asmdc.org/McCarty)!

## SMUD Update

By Gregg Fishman, SMUD Ward 3 Director

I'm proud to represent Ward Three on the SMUD Board—which includes the College Glen neighborhood. Through its elected Board, SMUD is accountable to the community we serve and the Board strives to strike a balance between important and sometimes competing goals.

For example, our rates among the lowest in the state, and SMUD also is meeting important environmental goals, using as much power as we can from renewable generators like wind and solar. While the price for power from renewable resources has come down, they are still somewhat higher than others that may not be as friendly to the environment.

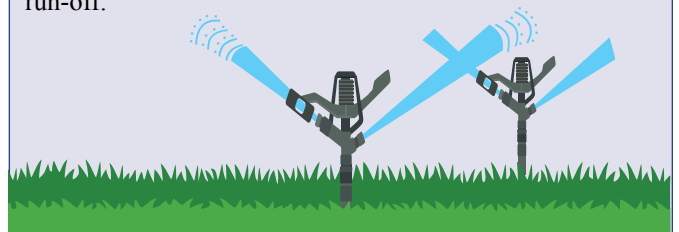
That's one reason helping our customers use less energy, especially during peak hours is also very important to SMUD. I urge you to visit [www.smud.org/en/residential/save-energy/](http://www.smud.org/en/residential/save-energy/) to learn more about the energy efficiency and other programs we offer to residential customers.

I also want to introduce you to the term "Time of Use Rates." This refers to charging a lower rate for energy used during off-peak hours than during on-peak. It's an incentive to participating customers to consider when they use electricity so they use less when it costs more. This is just a pilot program now, but the customers who are in it report they can lower their bill by changing their habits just a little bit.

SMUD anticipates widening the program in the future as we strive to keep our rates low, and our environmental standards high!

## Your Winter Watering Schedule

The City is continuing their winter water program. Everyone is encouraged to continue their water conservation efforts through the fall and winter months. When you reset your clocks and change out the batteries in your smoke and carbon alarms you are being asked to reset your sprinklers to one day a week. The City is asking everyone to water only on Saturday or Sunday but not both and NO watering Monday through Friday. The concern is that even with a wet winter we will not make up for all of the water we will need to fill our reservoirs and bring the water table back up to normal. You are encouraged to monitor your sprinklers. Reduce the watering time as the temperatures drop and the days get shorter. You may also want to have your lawns aerated to help in the absorption process for the fall and winter rain water in your lawns and reduction of rainwater run-off.





## Pedestrian Refuge Islands Proposed for LaRiviera Drive

From the Desk of Councilmember Eric Guerra

As our children go back to school and we rapidly head into Fall, there is much to share with you. First, it was good to see so many families out at our annual District 6 Movie Night in Oki Park. I'd like to thank our co-sponsors CGNA and SCUSD Board Member Christina Pritchett for helping us bring this fun event to you.

In response to your concerns about high speeds and crossing safety on La Riviera Drive, I'm pleased to share with you an update on a recent \$8.7M Highway Safety Improvement Program (HSIP) grant that our Public Works Department was recently awarded from Caltrans. This project proposes to install pedestrian refuge islands and rectangular rapid flashing beacons (RRFBs) at uncontrolled crosswalks on eleven collector roadways, La Riviera being one of them.

The environmental review process is now underway and the project estimated completion date is May 2020. I'll keep you posted as I get more details for the La Riviera specific project timeline.

Lastly, as your partner, I am working with the Association on the aggressive fundraising efforts for the implementation of the POD camera's into the neighborhood. Safety in our neighborhoods is my priority. I look forward to continuing to work together for a safer community.

## Capitol Update: The End of the 2015-16 Session

By Rebekah Cearley

The California State Legislature has completed two years of work, adjourning for final recess on August 31 to close out the 2015-16 legislative session. The Governor now has until September 30 to sign or veto bills that he received in the final weeks of August.

This year, the Legislature took on a number of significant issues. A major headline was the passage of major climate change legislation. SB 32 (Pavley) extends the state's ambitious greenhouse gas reduction goals, originally established in 2006. The new goal will aim to cut emissions at least 40 percent below 1990 levels by 2030. Lawmakers also increased the minimum smoking age from 18 to 21 with the passage and signature of SBx2 7 (Hernandez). The Legislature passed and the Governor signed significant new wage laws, including AB 1066 (Gonzalez), a bill to expand overtime pay to farmworkers. A second wage bill, SB 3, increases the state minimum wage to \$15 an hour by 2022; this was in response to groups that had successfully gathered signatures to place a minimum wage increase initiative before voters on the November ballot.

The Capitol community is eagerly anticipating the November general election. One hundred of 120 legislative seats are up for election, and there are 17 state ballot measures up for consideration. This "crowded ballot," coupled with the activity surrounding the presidential election, makes it challenging to get messages to voters on individual ballot measures.

The Legislature's work will pick back up in early 2017, when they begin to introduce bills for consideration in the new 2017-18 legislative session.

## Household Junk Pick-up ends October 30



If you have household junk that you want to get out of the house, garage, or back yard you have until the end of October to arrange for a free pick-up. Starting in November, the City will suspend use of the Claw for household junk in order to put all of the City's Claws back in operation for Loose-in-the-Street Pick Up.

The City's designated leaf season runs from November through January. During this time, City residential customers may legally place yard waste piles in the street for collection starting 24 hours before November 1st and until the end of January 2017. The City's program goal is to provide street pick-up at least every 7 to 10 days. However, the City wants everyone to know that the loose-in-the street pick-up will not necessarily occur on your regular collection day. The city is encouraging everyone to fill the container before creating a pile. The City believes by using the container along with the loose-in-the street pile crews can clear streets faster and the Claw may come through your neighborhood more frequently. City crews are scheduled to work six-days-a week, rain or shine, including holidays. Heavy rain and wind or days with high volume piles in one neighborhood may affect the speed of clearing an area and moving to the next neighborhood. The one-free dump coupon and two-curbside pick-ups for appliances, TV's computers, and other e-waste per calendar year will not be affected by the change in the Claw program.

To schedule a pick-up, request a free dump coupon or get more information go to [www.sacreecycle.org](http://www.sacreecycle.org) or calling 311.

### Return to Standard Time

2:00 am

### Sunday, November 6th





# National Family Night Out a Success! Possible New Location Next Year

Our 2016 National Family Night Out was a huge success! We thank the Bowdian Court families for access to their yards and D.J. Charlie White for his musical journey of America's favorite music. Special thanks to all of the CGNA volunteers that served up the traditional hot dogs, chips, drinks and dessert and all of the business sponsors that contributed a memorable evening. As darkness fell and we began our traditional TNT/Red Devil Fireworks Salute to Freedom and Independence we observed that the number of guests increased rapidly. We estimate that over 500 community members attended the fireworks show. We are thrilled with the community support for this activity. However, the fire department expressed concern this year with their ability to exit quickly and safely should they get a service call.



The First National Family Night Out (NFNO), in August 2003, came about at the request of Councilmember Dave Jones. The intent then was to raise awareness to area nuisance crimes. To help with that message the Association installed Neighborhood Watch signs throughout the neighborhood. Jeff Wahl donated a \$200 pyro pack from his un-spent pyro collection to assist with the pyro program. The entertainment was billed as a "Pyro Left Over Party." Approximately 135 guests representing 85 families were in attendance for the first NFNO.



In 2005 we had to move the event from August to June/July to be in compliance with City Fire regulations. That same year TNT/Red Devil offered to donate a sample of their fireworks for the event. The Night Out continues to provide an opportunity for residents to meet with their public safety officers and the local businesses who sponsor our neighborhood activities. Crime is still a concern within the community and we have advanced from the installation of Neighborhood Watch Signs to the installation of POD cameras.



The event has always been in either Olivet or Bowdian Court and each year the number of guests appears to increase. There is no question the event is popular and the Association and Councilmember Guerra want to continue the activity. We have spoken with the Sacramento City Unified School District, City of Sacramento, and the administration at California Montessori to explore the possibility of moving the event to the Thomas Jefferson School/Park yard. We want to retain the event and we want to keep the neighborhood feeling but we must also have a safe venue. We will keep you apprised of our plans for 2017.









# Guide to the Candidates - General Election

Editor's note: All candidates were invited to provide an individual photo and statement for inclusion in this CGNA publication. The order in which contests and candidates are listed was determined by a random draw.

## Candidates for Los Rios Community College District , Trustee-Area 7



### Tami Nelson

My name is Tami Nelson and I am running for the Los Rios Community College Board. I am here to serve and represent my community, and am not afraid to advocate for the students. I have been a teacher for many years and have spent time with both students and teachers at Sacramento City College.

We need to increase enrollment and

work with local businesses and schools to meet the needs of the community.



### Valarie Martin

I was able to support my four children by attending community college, transferring to UC Berkeley, and then earning my teaching credential. As one who has benefitted from the programs available to help individuals access our public system of higher education, I want to give back to our communities. I'm a retired teacher,

and a private tutor, so I am quite sensitive to the needs of our students and their many unique challenges.



### John Shook

I am dedicated to the betterment of our youth in many ways. I'm President of the Elk Grove Regional Scholarship Foundation and on a host committees focused on preparing students for higher education. Kay Albiani has been such a great inspiration in her work on the Board, and it is a great honor to receive her endorsement for this

position. I will continue her work of leading the District in a fiscally sound direction.



**Tuesday,  
November 8, 2016**

Polls open at 7:00 a.m.  
and close at 8:00 p.m.

Additional information available at:  
**[www.elections.saccounty.net](http://www.elections.saccounty.net)**

## Candidates for State Assembly, District 7



### Kevin McCarty

As your Assemblymember, I'm focused on helping students attend college, reinvesting in education, keeping our communities safe, protecting our environment and targeting wasteful spending.

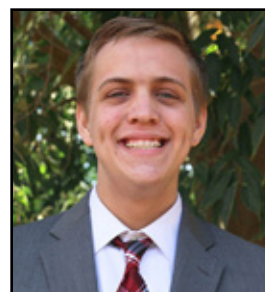
Increased college tuition hurts our working families. I'm calling for more public input and limiting fee hikes. I'm

working to cap out-of-state admissions so more Californians can attend our UC system.

It's outrageous that our UC Davis Chancellor made \$100,000's in outside income from companies that profit from students. Especially given a \$424,000 taxpayer funded salary. I will continue to highlight these issues and push for more UC and CSU transparency and accountability.

I'm also pushing for a State Conservancy for the American River Parkway. This will help us maintain parkway local control and protect and enhance our community jewel.

Finally, I will continue my Preschool for All campaign. Quality early education for at-risk kids helps close the education achievement gap, fight poverty and reduce crime.



### Ryan Brown

As a student at Sacramento State University and a concerned citizen of the city of Sacramento, I am running for office to draw attention to the important issues facing our area - and more importantly, our state's failure to fulfill their promise to fully fund our higher education system (including the UCs and the CSUs).

The CSU system is facing a \$2.6 billion mountain of deferred maintenance while our tax dollars are sent across the state to other lawmakers' pet projects - and this is just an example of the state failing our students and mortgaging California's collective future. I intend on using this race to bring this issue to a state (and even national) level and ensure that our state legislature faces the problem head-on instead of continuing to bow to special interests and wasteful projects. No matter your chosen candidate, please make sure you vote this June 7th.



## Safety Issues Force BAC Soccer Out of Oki Park

The British American Club (BAC), the oldest youth soccer club in Sacramento, has been fielding youth soccer for the youth of College Greens and Glenbrook youth since the early 1960's. Part of the neighborhood soccer tradition has long been the Friday evening season starter at Oki Park with the under 6 co-ed games. All play is BAC in-house and the intent is to introduce both the players and their parents to soccer and the art of sportsmanship and sharing. Parents support and encourage players on the home team and the opposing team. Players take turns playing various positions and when not on the field players are encouraged to learn from and cheer for the players on the field.

Unfortunately, according to the league leadership, the poor field conditions at Oki Park have forced the league to move all of the under 6 BAC games to the O.W. Erlewine fields at 1441 Stansberry Way in Sacramento. The community is still welcome. Play starts at 6:00 pm on Friday evening.

The Saturday morning soccer games for the older youth continue to be on the fields at Thomas Jefferson School/Park. Unlike the under 6 games, the older youth games are more structured and competitive. All games are entertaining and the community is welcome and encouraged to come watch. For information on locations and specific games times go to [bacsoccer.org](http://bacsoccer.org).





## Less Significant Crime Reported This Summer Than Last Summer By Ron Alvarado

The College Greens/College Glen neighborhoods were slightly safer this summer when comparing more significant crime to last summer. From June through August of this summer, some 90 crimes were reported while during the summer of 2015 100 crimes were reported, according to Sac PD crime mapping statistics.

This may not represent ALL crimes committed. It is important to keep your cars locked when in the driveway or on the street, as theft from cars remains an all too common crime in our neighborhoods.

Reported Crime	Summer of 2016		Summer of 2015	
	Number	Percentage	Number	Percentage
Theft	42	46.7	32	32
Motor Vehicle Theft	18	20	23	23
Burglary – Residential	14	15.6	22	22
Aggravated Assault	8	8.9	11	11
Robbery – Commercial	2	2	5	5
Burglary – Commercial	0	0	2	2
Robbery – Individual	6	6.7	3	3
Arson	0	0	2	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>99.9</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>

## POD Cameras on Hold until Golden 1 Arena PODs Installed

The CGNA Association/Foundation has signed the City's Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) covering 5 Police Observation Devices (POD). We have the funds for three cameras and promises to fund the fourth camera. However, the City will not accept our funds for the first two cameras until all the PODs are in place at the Golden 1 Arena.



Once the first POD has been installed in the College-Glen Neighborhood, the Foundation will initiate what we hope will be a final mail out to community members that have not already contributed to the POD program in hopes of securing sufficient funds to support the fifth POD. Hopefully, the community will have one or two POD cameras by the Annual Meeting on October 27th and we are able to provide a more detailed accounting of the Foundation/POD funding project.

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**Thank you!**

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## Water-Conserving Plumbing Fixture

By Linda Wood, Broker-Associate, Dunnigan, Realtors

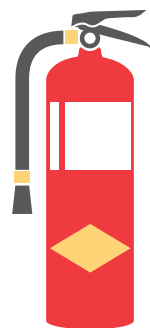
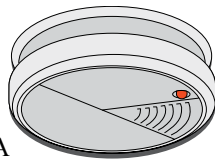
Does your home have water-conserving plumbing (WCP) fixtures? As of January 1, 2017 single-family homeowners in California are required to install WCP fixtures, if the property was built before 1994. This is according to California Civil Code 1101.1 - 1101.8. When selling a home, a seller makes certain disclosures in reference to this requirement. WCP fixtures are not new and if you had work done on your home on/after Jan. 1, 2014 that required a permit, it is possible that these were required as a condition of that permit. According to the civil code “noncompliant plumbing fixture” refers to the following fixtures using more than the noted amounts of water:

“ (1) Any toilet manufactured to use more than 1.6 gallons of water per flush. (2) Any urinal manufactured to use more than one gallon of water per flush. (3) Any showerhead manufactured to have a flow capacity of more than 2.5 gallons of water per minute. (4) Any interior faucet that emits more than 2.2 gallons of water per minute.” As with every rule, there are exceptions. Municipalities may promote compliance differently.

According to data from MetroList Services, Inc. 80 homes sold in College Glen from January 1 – August 31, 2016 at a median sale price of \$324,500 and 15 condos and half-plexes at a median sale price of \$200,000. By comparison, there were 84 homes at a median sale price of \$301,000 and 15 condos and half-plexes at a median price of \$149,000 for the same period in 2015.

## Time to Replace Your Alarm Batteries and Fire Extinguishers

Area safety will be a key issue at the CGNA October Annual Meeting. The Fire Department wants to remind all those that still have the older battery operated smoke alarms that it is time to replace the batteries. For those that have the new 10-year battery operated smoke alarms you should be good but the Sacramento Fire Department advises you check to be sure they are fully operational. Also, if you do not have a fire extinguisher in the kitchen and garage you should add that to your safety list.



According to the Sacramento Fire Department, the functional life of a fire extinguisher is between one and two years. Over time, the chemicals in the extinguisher settle to the bottom making the unit less effective for fighting fires. If a unit is more than three years old, it may still be functional but it most likely will not be effective in extinguishing a fire. If you have a fireplace, have it checked regularly and have the fire extinguishers close at hand. While the Sac FD recommends periodic replacement of extinguishers, they encourage fire prevention over firefighting.

## Tween, Teen, and Parent Classes

The McClaskey Adult Center located at 2635 Chestnut Hill Drive, on the Thomas Jefferson Campus, is offering a Teens, Tweens and Parents martial arts class on Monday and Thursday evenings from 5:30 to 6:30. This class is designed with the needs of teens and tweens in mind and is targeted at providing both child and parent with an opportunity to engage in joint learning experience. The class is facilitated by instructors and senior students from the Uech-Ryu Karate class, and focuses on basic techniques common to most styles of karate. In addition, self-defense techniques and strategy from both karate and other martial arts are explored.

The class begins on October 3, 2016. There is no fee for the class, but a donation of \$20 a month to the CGNA Foundation to is requested. For further information contact Robert Van Der Volgen Jr. at 801-9735.

## Time to Clean Your Gutters

By Moira Little, State Farm Insurance

Cleaning your gutters is an important task to help avoid expensive damage to your home and yard.

If ignored, clogged gutters can cause:

**Detachment:** The weight of several seasons’ debris can pull gutters away from your house, which can damage the roof and fascia.

**Water damage:** An obstructed water path can cause water to leak into the roof or overflow down to the foundation. This moisture can cause mold growth and rot, which can affect your home’s structural integrity, as well as your family’s health.

Follow these tips to tackle gutter cleaning at least twice a year:

**Call for help.** If your home is tall or you’re uncomfortable on a ladder, consider hiring a gutter-cleaning professional.

**Use a tall ladder.** Pick one that extends three feet over the gutter. Secure the ladder on even ground, preferably on pavement.

**Wear protective gear.** A long-sleeve shirt and work gloves can help keep your arms and hands safe from sharp objects.

**Remove the clog.** Scoop large debris with a small shovel or garden trowel, and drop them into a bucket hanging from your ladder or onto a tarp on the ground.

**Flush it out.** Once you’re done clearing debris, use a garden hose to rinse out the gutters. This is also a great way to check for leaks.

**Stay safe.** According to the Consumer Product Safety Commission, 90,000 people go to the emergency room each year for ladder-related injuries. To avoid toppling your ladder, never climb above the second-to-last step.



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