

RECREATION AND PARKS COMMISSION MEETING

June 7, 2023

REPORTS FROM STAFF



STAFF

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Daniel Chavarria, Public Works Director

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Ranjana Maharaj, Deputy Director for Community Services-Recreation

PUBLIC WORKS – PARKS DIVISION REPORT FROM WILL SANTANA



PUBLIC WORKS – PARKS DIVISION FROM WILL SANTANA

Light pole with a transformer at **Booker T. Anderson Baseball Field** was knocked during a windstorm. Cal-Inc, our hazardous waste company, ensured proper clean-up.



PUBLIC WORKS – PARKS DIVISION FROM WILL SANTANA



Images of a 10" pipe and strainer Basket replacement at the Plunge due to cracks in the pipes..



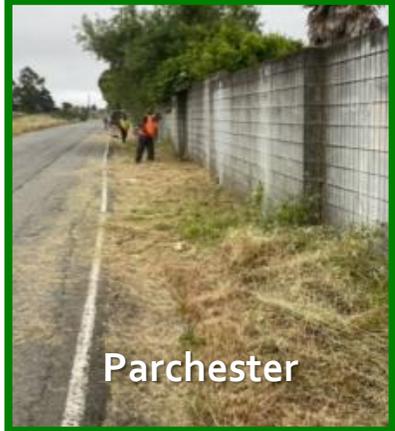
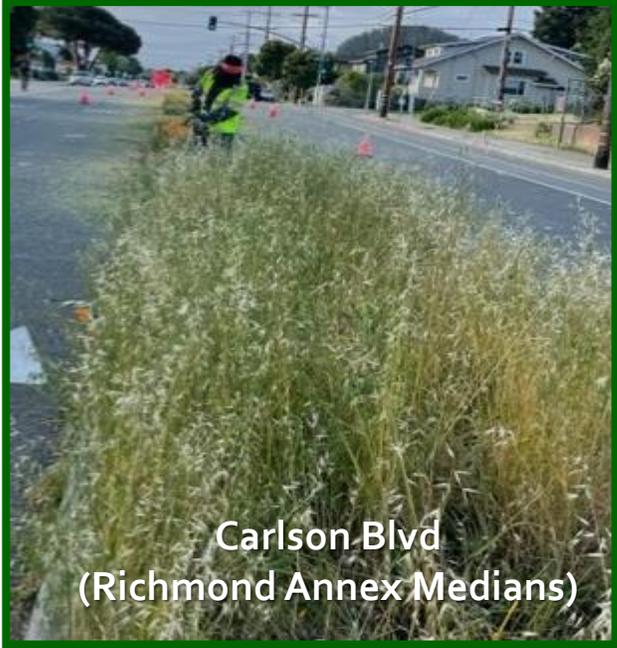
Final Slide - Any Questions for Will

PUBLIC WORKS – PARKS DIVISION REPORT FROM GREG HARDESTY



PUBLIC WORKS – PARKS DIVISION FROM GREG HARDESTY

General Fund – Weed Abatement throughout the City



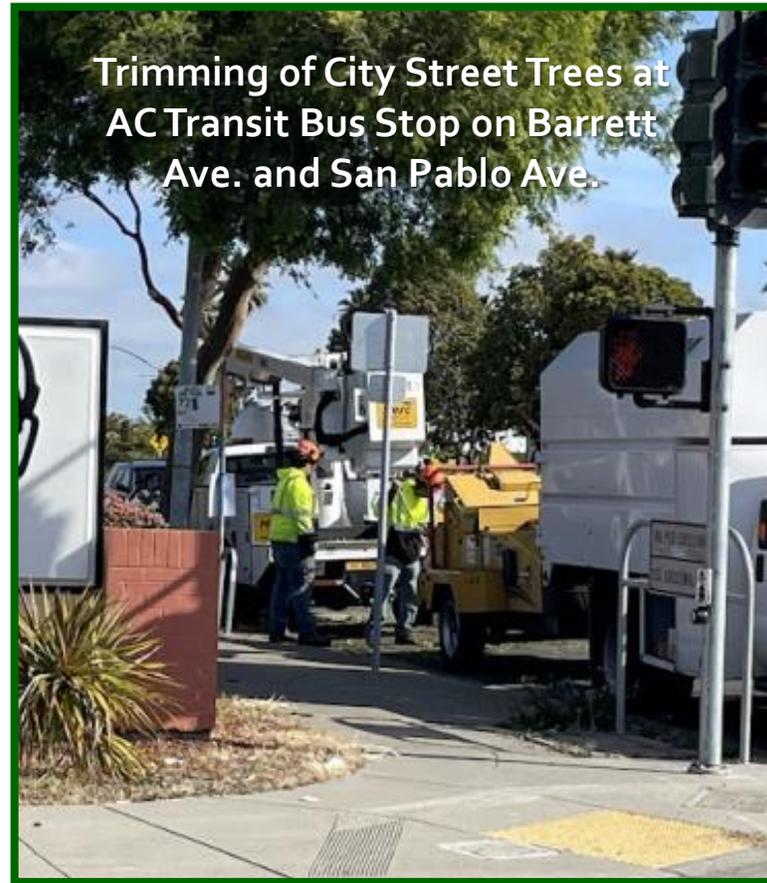
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General Fund



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Tree Crew



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Hilltop District



Hilltop Drive



Country Club Vista

Weed Abatement throughout
the Hilltop District



Richmond Parkway



Richmond Parkway



Garrity Way



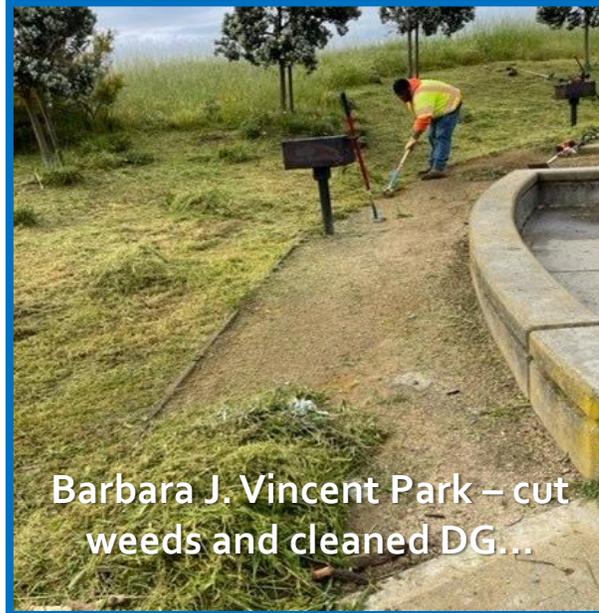
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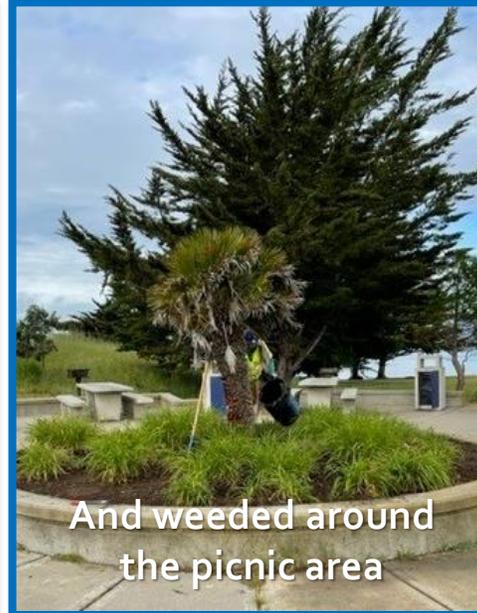
Marina District



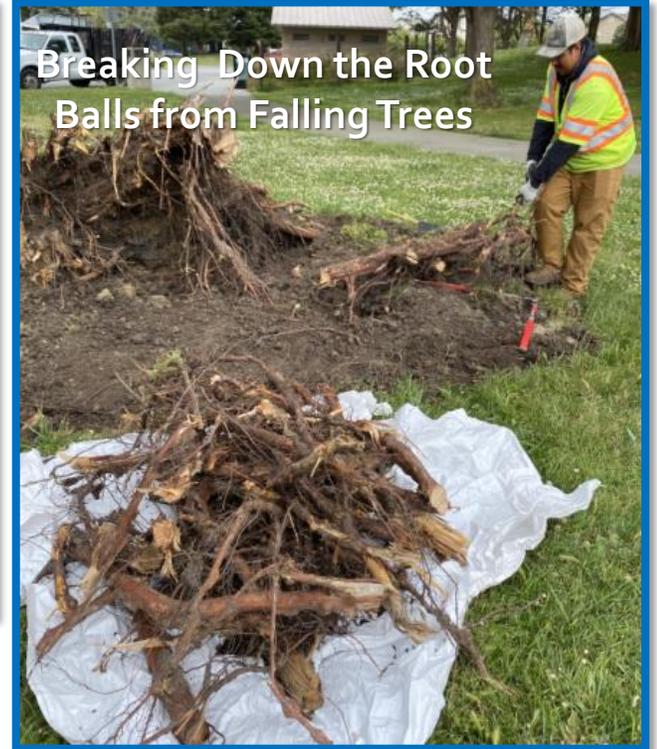
Installed new DG along low areas on Marina Bay Trail



Barbara J. Vincent Park – cut weeds and cleaned DG...



And weeded around the picnic area



Breaking Down the Root Balls from Falling Trees



Vegetation Removal at Castro



High Weed Mowing on Marina Bay Trail

Final Slide - Any Questions for Greg...

COMMUNITY SERVICES– RECREATION DIVISION REPORT FROM RANJANA MAHARAJ



COMMUNITY SERVICES-RECREATION SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMS



SUMMER CAMP

ELEVATE

REGISTRATION BEGINS
APRIL 1ST

MAY VALLEY COMMUNITY CENTER
RICHMOND RECREATION COMPLEX

JUNE 12 - AUG 4
MONDAY - FRIDAY

EARLY CARE 8AM - 10AM
CAMP 10AM - 4PM
EXTENDED CARE 4PM - 6PM

KINDER - 8TH GRADE

CAMP \$100 RESIDENT/WEEK \$125 NON-RESIDENT/WEEK	EARLY CARE \$30/WEEK EXTENDED CARE \$30/WEEK
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Register online at tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation
In-person at the Registration Office
3230 Macdonald Ave
For more info, call 510-620-6793

Richmond Community Services Division (CSD) logo and "Parks Make Life Better!" slogan are visible at the top.

Looking for a memorable Summer experience for your Kids?

Join us from **June 12 – August 4, 2023** for a full day of **FUN and ADVENTURE** at four (4) convenient locations.

Registration opened **5/01/23**



Achieve Summer Camp

REGISTRATION BEGINS ONSITE MAY 1ST

IN COLLABORATION WITH THE WEST CONTRA COSTA PUBLIC ED FUND, THE RICHMOND COMMUNITY SERVICES RECREATION DIVISION IS OFFERING A FREE SUMMER CAMP AT FOUR(4) OF OUR COMMUNITY CENTERS. CAMPERS WILL PARTICIPATE IN ACADEMIC CURRICULUM TAUGHT BY ACCREDITED TEACHERS WITH THE SUPPORT OF RICHMOND RECREATION STAFF AND YOUTH WORKERS. CAMPERS WILL ALSO PARTICIPATE IN ART & CRAFTS ACTIVITIES, HIGH ENERGY GROUP GAMES, MOVEMENT ACTIVITIES, FIELD TRIPS, AND SO MUCH MORE! JOIN TODAY TO MAKE NEW FRIENDS AND RECONNECT WITH OLD ONES!

Monday-Friday June 12 - Aug 4 10am - 4pm **K - 8th Grade Free**

Booker T Anderson* Nevin **Parchester Shields-Reid**

*Register at 3230 Macdonald Ave

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL (510) 620-6793

Logos for Richmond Community Services Division (CSD), Parks Make Life Better!, and edFUND are visible at the bottom.

COMMUNITY SERVICES-RECREATION SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMS

The **Youth Outdoors
Richmond Summer Camp**
for Middle and High School Students.

Cohort 1: June 19-June 30
Overnight Camping at Castaic Lake

Cohort 2: July 17-July 28
Overnight Camping at San Luis Reservoir



The poster features a central illustration of an orange tent pitched in a green field with mountains and trees in the background. A campfire is burning to the right of the tent. The text is arranged in a clear, hierarchical manner, starting with the program name and target audience, followed by the program details and dates for two cohorts. A red banner at the bottom provides registration information.

**Youth
Outdoors Richmond**
Middle - High School Students
FREE 2 week program
M-F 9AM to 5PM

Cohort 1: June 19 - 30
Overnight camping June 27-29 at Castaic Lake*

Cohort 2: July 17 - 28
Overnight camping July 25-27 at San Luis Reservoir*

Week 1 - Nature activities to local East Bay Parks including swimming
Week 2 - Activities lead up to a 3 day overnight camping trip

* Camping locations are subject to change based on availability

Registration starts 5/1
Online or in person at 3230 Macdonald Ave
Call 510-620-6793 for more info

COMMUNITY SERVICES-RECREATION SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMS



Teen Eco Action



TEEN OUTDOOR PROGRAMS

Service Learning + Outdoor Adventures
13-17 year olds • July 17th-July 21st 2023 • 9am -4:30pm



Apply now to join this elite program!
You will explore the Wildcat Creek Watershed and the Regional Parks around Richmond by boating, biking, fishing, hiking, and doing community service projects. You will also learn job skills and learn about careers in parks + recreation.

Here's what you commit to:

- Successfully apply + interview for a place on the team
- Meet at *Richmond Recreation Complex, 3230 Macdonald Ave, Richmond, CA 94804*

July 17th through July 21st

- Program time is **9am-4:30pm** M-Th and **9am-5:30pm** on Friday
- Work hard on service projects in the Parks
- Take part in career talks
- Be ready to go on outdoor adventures



Here's what you get::

- Up to **20** Community Service hours
- Work experience in Parks + Recreation
- Tips for applying to future jobs
- **\$200** stipend upon successful completion
- Fun!



To Apply:
Pick up and return application packets at the Richmond Recreation Complex at 3230 Macdonald Ave; Call 510.620.6919; or email tetteh_kisseh@ci.richmond.ca.us OR csdregistration@ci.richmond.ca.us for more info. **Applications are due June 30th.** Interviews will take place July 6th and 7th from 5pm-7pm at the Richmond Rec Complex or via zoom. You will be notified if you are accepted into the program after your interview.

Teen Eco Action
for 13–17-year-olds to enjoy
Service Learning combined
with Outdoor Adventures!

Date: July 17th – July 23rd
Time: 9 am – 4:30 pm



COMMUNITY SERVICES-RECREATION

YOUTH SPORTS PROGRAMS



YOUTH SOCCER LEAGUE 8V8

REGISTER NOW!
Deadline to register is May 20th

 June 17 - July 29 Saturdays 9am - 5pm	17 de junio - 29 de julio Sábados 9am - 5pm
U-6 to U-18	U-6 to U-18
 \$550/Per Team includes 1-hour practice/week	\$550/por equipo incluye 1 práctica de 1 hora/semana
\$350/Per Team no practice time included	\$350/por equipo no incluye tiempo de práctica

Practice is available on Tuesdays or Thursdays
5-9pm, Quarter-MLK Field per Team
1st/2nd Place Team Trophy and Medals
14 player roster

La práctica está disponible los martes o jueves
5-9pm, Un cuarto del MLK Field por Equipo
1er/2do Lugar Trofeo y Medallas por Equipos
lista de 14 jugadores

For more info, call 510-620-8793
Register online: tinyurl.com/richmondrecreation



COMMUNITY SERVICES-RECREATION

YOUTH AQUATIC PROGRAMS



Registration begins for **Summer Sessions** for both **Little Splashers** and **Swim Lessons** on **May 22!**

SUMMER SWIM LESSONS

RICHMOND PLUNGE & RICHMOND SWIM CENTER (RSC)

<p>Plunge Sessions</p> <p>Session 1: M-Th 6/19-29 Session 2: M-Th 7/10-20 Session 3: M-Th 7/24-8/3</p> <p>RSC Sessions</p> <p>Session A: Sat 6/3-24 Session B: Sat 7/8-29 Session C: Sat 8/5-26</p> <p>Cost</p> <p>Teen & Adult classes (ages 13+) \$40 resident/\$50 non-res - either location</p> <p>Children's Classes (ages 3-12) \$96 resident/\$120 non-res - Plunge (8 classes) \$48 resident/\$60 non-res - RSC (4 classes)</p>	<p>Registration Dates</p> <p>Plunge Sessions</p> <p>Session 1: 6/1 Session 2: 7/3 Session 3: 7/17</p> <p>RSC Sessions</p> <p>Session A: 5/22 Session B: 7/3 Session C: 7/31</p> <p><small>Registration begins at 8:30am on the first day</small></p>
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SEE SCHEDULE GRID TO READ CLASS DESCRIPTIONS TO SELECT THE RIGHT CLASS AND TIME

Register **ONLINE** or call 510-620-6793

<https://apm.activecommunities.com/richmond> / <https://apm.activecommunities.com/richmond>

LITTLE SPLASHERS

PARENT-TOT CLASS

A playful orientation to the aquatic environment focusing on water safety through instructor-led songs and dances. This unforgettable bonding experience assists parents in guiding their child's behavior and introduces children to class participation

Age: 6 months-5 years with parent/caregiver

Richmond Swim Center
 Saturdays 9:15-9:45am

- Session A: 6/3-24
- Thursdays 10:00-10:30am
- Session B: 7/13-8/17

Richmond Plunge
 Mondays 10:00-10:30am

- Session B: 7/10-8/14

Registration opens

Session A: 5/22
 Session B: 7/3
 8:30am for Richmond residents
 9:30am for non-residents

Weekday sessions: \$36/session (Resident) OR \$45/session (Non-res)
Saturday sessions: \$24/session (Resident) OR \$30/session (Non-res)

Advanced registration required
 Register online at: <https://apm.activecommunities.com/richmond>
 No Refunds/Credits/Transfers
 Questions? email paula_cooper-tipton@ci.richmond.ca.us



COMMUNITY SERVICES-RECREATION SENIOR PROGRAMS UPDATE



 Presented by the 
City Of Richmond Recreation
**39th Annual Senior
Information & Health Faire**
Wednesday, May 17, 2023
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Richmond Memorial Auditorium
403 Civic Center Plaza
Richmond, CA 94804

50/50 Door Prize
Informational Vendors
Interactive Exercises
Demonstrations



Entertainment & Much More
For vendor or event info call
(510) 620-6812 or (510) 620-6586

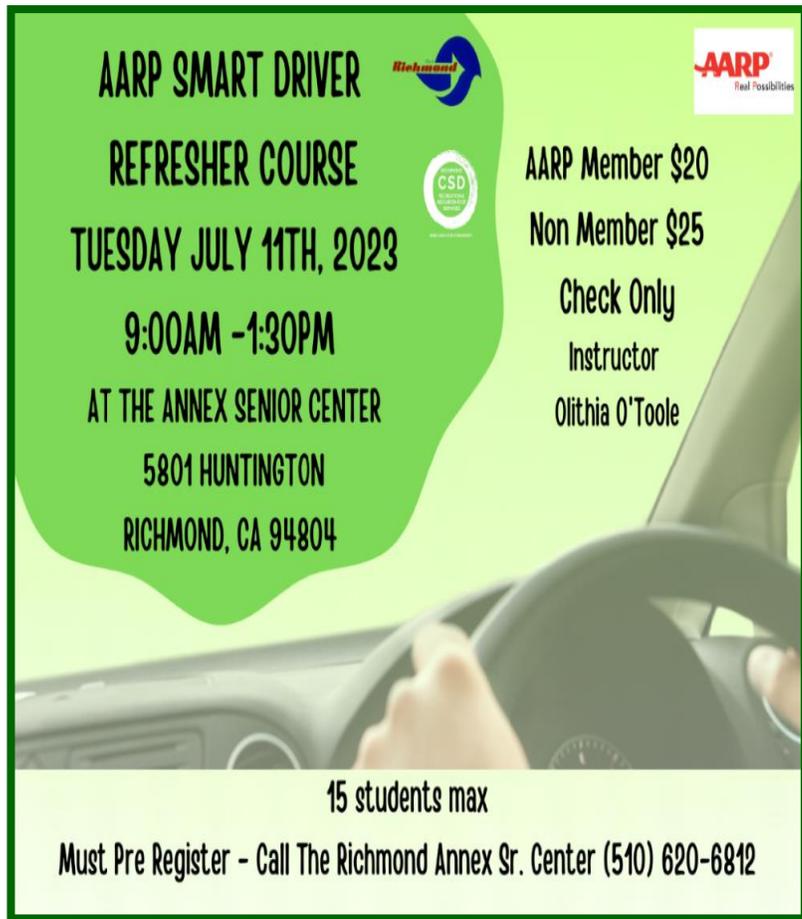
On May 17th at the Richmond Memorial Auditorium, the 39th Annual Senior Information & Health Faire took place. We had over 250 Seniors in attendance, 45 Vendors and 12 Participants and Guest Performers.

It was great to be back in person and spend time together!



COMMUNITY SERVICES-RECREATION

UPCOMING SENIOR PROGRAMS



**AARP SMART DRIVER
REFRESHER COURSE**
TUESDAY JULY 11TH, 2023
9:00AM -1:30PM
AT THE ANNEX SENIOR CENTER
5801 HUNTINGTON
RICHMOND, CA 94804

AARP
Real Possibilities

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AARP Member \$20
Non Member \$25
Check Only
Instructor
Olithia O'Toole

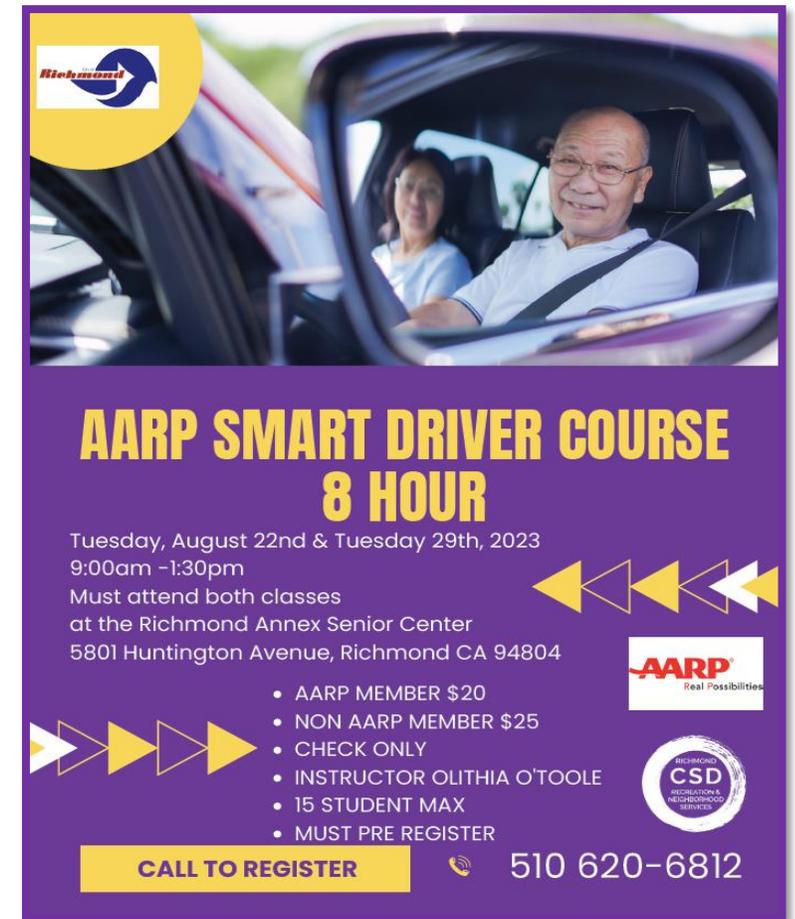
15 students max

Must Pre Register - Call The Richmond Annex Sr. Center (510) 620-6812

AARP Smart Driver Course –
Refresher Course
Tuesday July 11th, 2023
9:00am – 1:30pm

AARP Smart Driver Course-
8 Hour Course
Tuesday, August 22nd &
Tuesday, August 29th, 2023
9:00am – 1:30pm

Call (510) 620 -6812 to register



**AARP SMART DRIVER COURSE
8 HOUR**

Tuesday, August 22nd & Tuesday 29th, 2023
9:00am -1:30pm
Must attend both classes
at the Richmond Annex Senior Center
5801 Huntington Avenue, Richmond CA 94804

- AARP MEMBER \$20
- NON AARP MEMBER \$25
- CHECK ONLY
- INSTRUCTOR OLITHIA O'TOOLE
- 15 STUDENT MAX
- MUST PRE REGISTER

CALL TO REGISTER 510 620-6812

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TOOL LENDING LIBRARY AND MOBILE TLL



RICHMOND TOOL LIBRARY

**OPEN
WEDNESDAYS
1PM-5PM**

**SIGN UP AT:
RICHMONDTOOLLIBRARY.MYTURN.COM**

**510-620-5546
TOOLLIBRARY@CI.RICHMOND.CA.US**



**NORTH RICHMOND
MOBILE TOOL LIBRARY**



Free tool loan service for North Richmond residents, nonprofits, and public agencies

Open every 1st and 3rd
Saturday of the month
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM
1401 Fred Jackson Way

Learn how to become a member:
richmondmobiletoollibrary.myturn.com

(510) 672-3877
mobiletoollib@ci.richmond.ca.us



Open every
1st and 3rd Saturday
between
9:00 am – 1:00 pm at
1401 Fred Jackson Way

COMMUNITY SERVICES-RECREATION

EVENTS, UPDATES & OPPORTUNITIES

SOIL: THE UNIVERSE BENEATH YOUR FEET

Saturday, May 13, 2023
12pm - 1:30pm

Social Hall, Richmond Rec Complex
3230 Macdonald Ave.
Richmond, CA 94804

The soil, a complex and vital ecosystem, holds the key to plant vitality and sustainable gardening.

Join John R. Fike, UC Master Gardener, and the Richmond Tool Library as he unveils the fascinating world that lies beneath the surface of your garden!

Refreshments provided.

Free!

Hosted by the UC Master Gardener Program of Contra Costa and the Richmond Tool Library
Call 510-620-6553 or email toollib@ci.richmond.ca.us for more information.



On May 13th, UC Master Gardener John R. Fike presented an enlightening session on soil ecosystems and shared tips and valuable insights to nurture plant vitality and promote sustainable gardening practices.

The event was attended by over 20 participants and was organized by the UC Master Gardener Program of Contra Costa in collaboration with the Richmond Tool Library.



COMMUNITY SERVICES-RECREATION

TRANSPARENT RICHMOND UPDATES

The following updates have been made to **Transparent Richmond**:

- Added Sports Programs section with # sports program users visualization and photo
- Added Facility, Park, and Special Event Permits section with # of permits issued visualization and photo
 - It may show an error message right now because IT has not approved the visualization yet
- Updated Cumulative Volunteers & Volunteer Hours of Service visualization through June 2022
- Added Volunteers & Hours by Year visualization and new photo
- Updated all Richmond Tool Library data

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EVENTS, UPDATES & OPPORTUNITIES



LOVE YOUR BLOCK IN-KIND SPONSORSHIP PROGRAM

APPLY NOW Now accepting sponsorship requests on a rolling basis

 Volunteer clean-up and beautification events and projects only

 Up to **\$1,000** in supplies per project

 Scan the QR code for more information or visit www.richmondloveyourblock.org

Are you looking to make a positive impact in Richmond through volunteer clean-up and beautification projects, but need supplies to make it happen?

Look no further than the Love Your Block In-Kind Sponsorship Program!

We're now accepting requests for sponsorships, with up to \$1,000 worth of supplies available for each recipient.

Let's work together to make Richmond an even more beautiful place to live!

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EVENTS, UPDATES & OPPORTUNITIES

23rd Street Merchants Association

23RD ST COMMUNITY FOUNDATION INC.

Invites you to the 17th annual

Cinco de Mayo

FESTIVAL IN RICHMOND



When: May 7 2023
from 10am to 5pm
Where: 23rd street between Clinton Ave and Rheem

Food, music and live Entertainment for the Entire Family!!



23rd Street Merchants Association logo



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EVENTS, UPDATES & OPPORTUNITIES



JUNE 17, 2023

**NBA PRESENT
2023**

JUNETEENTH

FREEDOM DAY

**HELD AT NICHOLL PARK
IN
RICHMOND, CA**

SAVE THE DATE



CITY OF RICHMOND
COMMUNITY SERVICES-RECREATION DIVISION
PRESENTS

ANNUAL
JULY 3RD
FIREWORKS

JOIN US FOR LIVE MUSIC, FOOD, &
FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

MONDAY, JULY 3, 2023
5PM - 10PM
MARINA BAY PARK
FIREWORKS BEGIN AT 9:15PM

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL 510-620-6793

  Parks Make Life Better!



CITY OF RICHMOND
COMMUNITY SERVICES-RECREATION DIVISION
ANNUAL FIREWORK SHOWCASE
JULY 3RD

CAN YOU SING? ARE YOU PART OF A GROUP?

COME SHOWCASE YOUR TALENT AT CITY OF RICHMOND'S
COMMUNITY SERVICES -RECREATION'S ANNUAL JULY 3RD SHOWCASE

WE HAVE (8) SLOTS AVAILABLE (1-2 SONGS) - 1ST COME. 1ST SERVED
NO PROFANITY. EXPLICIT LANGUAGE. KEEP IT CLEAN & FAMILY FRIENDLY

WHEN: MONDAY, JULY 3, 2023
WHERE: RICHMOND MARINA BAY PARKWAY
TIME: 5:00PM -9:15 PM
COST !FREE!

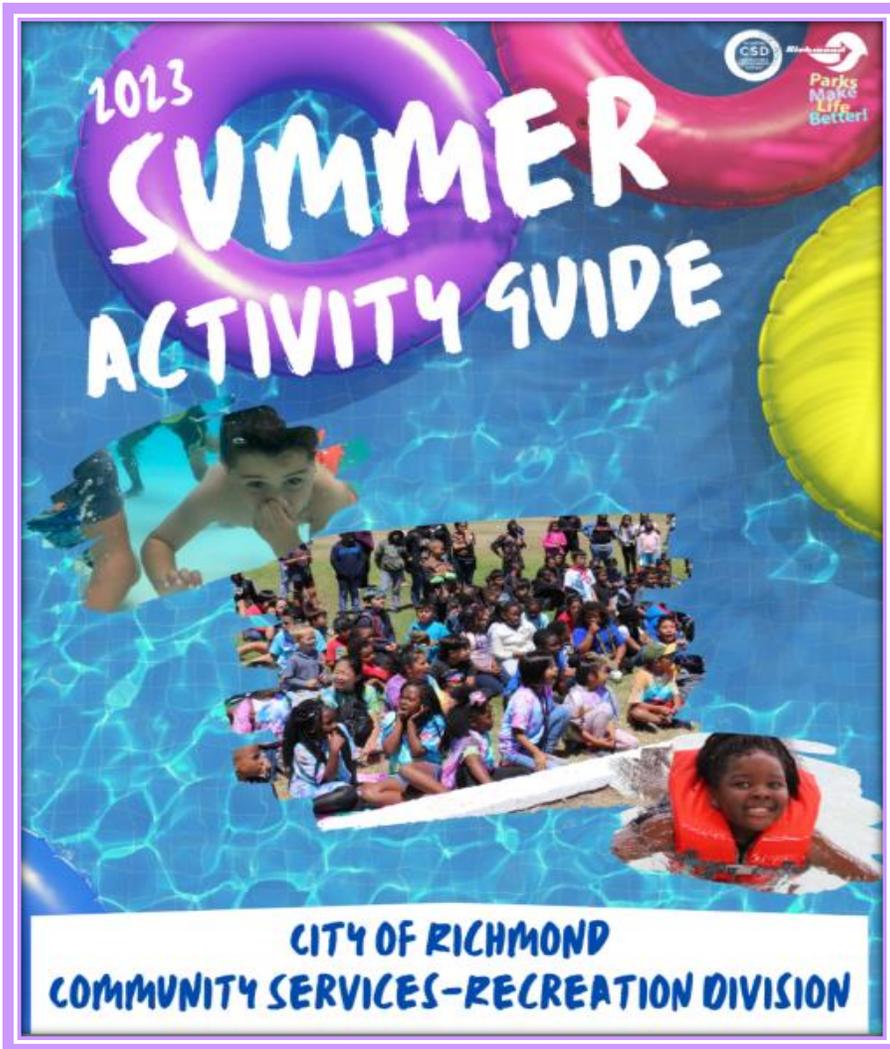
*MUST SIGN UP & SUPPLY MUSICAL NEEDS, PROVIDE NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN GROUP

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL 510-620-6793

  Parks Make Life Better!

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EVENTS, UPDATES & OPPORTUNITIES



2023
SUMMER
ACTIVITY GUIDE

CSD
Parks Make Life Better!

CITY OF RICHMOND
COMMUNITY SERVICES-RECREATION DIVISION

The cover features a vibrant background of a swimming pool with colorful inflatable rings. A collage of photos shows children playing in the water and a group of people sitting on a bench. The City of Richmond logo and 'Parks Make Life Better!' slogan are in the top right corner.



WE WANT YOUR FEEDBACK!
TAKE OUR RECREATION SURVEY

[TINYURL.COM/RECSURVEY2023](https://tinyurl.com/recsurvey2023)

THE CITY OF RICHMOND RECREATION DIVISION WOULD LIKE TO HEAR FROM YOU ABOUT OUR PROGRAMS, SERVICES, AND SPECIAL EVENTS WE OFFER THROUGHOUT THE YEAR.

THE INFORMATION WILL HELP US PROVIDE RECREATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES THAT BEST MEET YOU AND YOUR FAMILY'S NEEDS.



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The poster features a hand holding a magnifying glass over a green smiley face. Above it are five smaller smiley faces in various colors (red, orange, yellow, green, blue) representing different feedback levels. The background is a collage of photos showing various recreational activities like chess, tennis, and swimming.



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COMMUNITY SERVICES- RECREATION DIVISION

PLAN YOUR NEXT EVENT AT ONE OF OUR PARKS OR FACILITIES.

REQUEST A RESERVATION TODAY!

COMPLETE AN APPLICATION AND SUBMIT TO
CSDREGISTRATION@CI.RICHMOND.CA.US

Richmond
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The poster shows a playground with a yellow slide and blue equipment. A semi-transparent text box is overlaid on the image. The City of Richmond logo and 'Parks Make Life Better!' slogan are in the top right corner.



Final Slide - Any Questions for Ranjana...

