



CARSON & COMMUNITY SERVICES GUIDE

WINTER 2022-2023

CITY OF CARSON

55th ANNIVERSARY

CELEBRATING OUR HERITAGE & EMBRACING OUR FUTURE



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WELCOME TO THE WINTER 2022-2023 CARSON REPORT & COMMUNITY SERVICES GUIDE

This publication is published quarterly by the City of Carson's Public Information Office. Learn about Carson's latest news, current events in the community, highlights about City projects and a variety of important local issues. You will also find a schedule of information on various leisure time activities, classes, events and services for everyone.

CITY OF CARSON POSITION STATEMENT

Carson is a vibrant city with a small town atmosphere where relationships are important. This is clearly visible throughout the community, from the stable single family neighborhoods, which make up nearly eighty percent of the city's residences, to the partnership between businesses and volunteer driven agencies which strengthen the city's remarkable social fabric.

The social composition of Carson is California in miniature. It is a city with a balanced ethnic and cultural mix living together in harmony and prosperity. The community takes pride in the large percentage of Carson students who attend college, many to California State University, Dominguez Hills, a valuable asset to the city.

Carson's strategic position in the heart of the powerful economic engine that is Southern California attracts international corporations which recognize the city's bright future. The city's proximity to the West Coast's two major ports, as well as its intersection by four Southland freeways, makes it a major gateway to the Pacific Rim.

We, the people who live and work in Carson, take pride in our city and will continue to build relationships which ensure that future.

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

Police & Fire
Emergencies 911

Animal Control
Carson Animal Shelter
(310) 523-9566

AQMD
South Coast Air Quality Management District
1-800-CUT-SMOG
1-800-288-7664

Birth, Death, Marriage Records
County Registrar-Recorder
(562) 462-2137

Building Permits
Building & Safety
(310) 952-1766

Public Transit and Dial-A-Ride
(310) 835-0212
Hearing Impaired
(800) 252-9040

Cable Television
Time Warner Cable
(888) 892-2253

Chamber of Commerce
(310) 217-4590

City Hall
(310) 830-7600

Code Enforcement
(310) 952-1786

Community Center
(310) 835-0212

Crime Prevention
Neighborhood Watch
(310) 847-7481

Disaster Preparedness
(310) 952-1700, ext.1603

Electricity
Southern California Edison Co. (800) 950-2356

Gas
Southern California Gas Co. (800) 427-2200

Graffiti Removal
Landscape & Buildings
(310) 847-3500

Hospital
Harbor General UCLA Medical Center
(310) 222-2345

Jobs Career Center
(310) 952-1762

LA County Public Health
(626) 430-9821

LA County Public Works
800-675-HELP (4357)

Libraries Carson Regional Library
(310) 830-0901

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Library
(310) 327-4830

Parking Enforcement
(800) 553-4412

Parks & Recreation
(310) 847-3570

Post Office
(800) 275-8777

Sandbags
Street Maintenance
(310) 847-3520

Sewer Clean-up
(626) 458-4357

Senior Services
(310) 952-1775

Senior Recreation
(310) 835-0212

Sidewalk Repair
Street Maintenance
(310) 847-3520

Sheriff's Station
(310) 830-1123

South Coast Air Quality Management District
Report odor complaints
(800) 288-7664
(800) CUT-SMOG
aqmd.gov/home/air-quality/complaints

Street Sweeping
Street Maintenance
(310) 847-3520

Telephone
AT&T
(310) 225-3028

Trash Collection
Waste Resources
(888) 467-7600
(310) 847-3520

Tree Trimming/ Street Maintenance
(310) 847-3500

Water
California Water Service Company (310) 257-1400
Golden State Water Company (800) 999-4033

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Jawane Hilton
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District 3

Councilmember
Jim Dear

Councilmember
Arleen Bocaltija Rojas
District 4

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A MESSAGE FROM CITY MANAGER DAVID ROBERTS



In February of 2023, the City of Carson will celebrate 55 years of incorporation. The journey that finally led to incorporation was met with many obstacles that date back as far as 1958. Victory was achieved during Election Day on Tuesday, February 6, 1968.

This was a big day for Carson as it not only included the incorporation, but the city's name and first elected city officials.

The city's founders had the task of moving the city forward at an accelerated rate that would be funded without placing an additional financial burden on the people.

Today, I share the same sentiments as the early founders and early administration. They often had to think outside of the box. There are many things that a City needs at its birth and it needs a strong collaborative effort in order to make improvements. We have many goals to accomplish this year and together we can continue to make this city more progressive. Carson's colorful history has been driven by the community that occupies it. Safety is very important to a community's success. One of our upcoming projects includes a security plan that will fund the Los Angeles Sheriff's Department to place surveillance cameras at the main entry and exit points of our city.

This is a collaborative effort that the City and the Carson Sheriff's station has expedited and assisted in this plan's development. This project should be completed by the end of this year!

A progressive community must be sustainable and look for new ways to improve while reducing our carbon footprint. Our newly formed Innovation, Sustainability, and Project Management Team will be instrumental in propelling the city forward. The Tesla Supercharging stations (15 minutes to recharge up to 200 miles) will be installed in the city as an example of Carson adjusting for a greener future.

We are proud to celebrate our city's 55th Anniversary and invite you to participate in the upcoming festivities. We also invite you to participate in opportunities to make a difference in the city you live, work and play in by completing surveys, volunteering and attending community meetings. Carson's future and legacy is founded upon the people who work and reside here. I wish you a safe and happy holiday season and look forward to celebrating a new year.



CARSON TURNS 55

Celebrating Our Heritage and Embracing Our Future



Carson is proud to celebrate its 55th Anniversary in 2023. This year's theme focuses on celebrating our heritage and embracing our future. Carson's heritage is rich and vast. The incorporated area in which we now consider to be Carson was originally occupied by Native Americans. The Los Angeles Historical Marker No. 13, located in the Watson Industrial Center commemorates the discovery of Native American relics at that site. Carson was home to Suangna (or Tongva) Native Americans who had a large village complex in the area.

The journey to becoming Carson began in 1784 when Juan Jose Dominguez, a retired Spanish soldier, petitioned his former commanding officer, Captain Pedro Fages, for 76,000 acres of a Southern California land. Fages, the appointed Military Governor of Alta California, honored Dominguez's request.

On February 20, 1968, the City of Carson was officially incorporated and adopted the motto "Future Unlimited." Carson was part of a Spanish land grant known as Rancho San Pedro that was titled to Juan Jose Dominguez over 200 years ago. During the incorporation process, the community was named after George Henry Carson, a member of the Dominguez family.

When Dominguez took possession in 1784, he built his adobe on what is now known as

Dominguez Hills near Alameda Street and Del Amo Boulevard. He later handed down his land to his nephew's son, Manuel Dominguez, who assumed management of the land until 1825. Overtime, the land was subdivided and several acres were granted to other men.

In 1862, Don Manuel Dominguez left his daily supervision of the ranch to his son-in-law, George Henry Carson, a successful merchant, building contractor and a Los Angeles County Public Administrator.

John Manuel Carson, the third child of George Henry's children, supervised the farming operations on the 3,000 acres extending from Normandie to Vermont Avenues and from 190th to 228th Streets.

Eventually, he took over the management of the Dominguez estate and was also responsible for developing much of the South Bay area. In recognition of his many contributions to the area, Los Angeles County officials named Carson Street after him and the Pacific Electric Railroad named its local station Carson.

A 10-year movement to incorporate the city finally came to fruition on Election Day of Tuesday, February 6, 1968. The name Carson won with 4,754 votes, a very close win to the 4,436 votes for the name Dominguez. The City of Carson became the 77th City incorporated in the county of Los Angeles.

Today, Carson continues to be a family-oriented residential community and a burgeoning business center that draws major corporations from around the world. The close association between the Carson and Dominguez families remains a prominent thread in the history of this community. Carson continues to be a vibrant city with a small-town atmosphere with single family neighborhoods that make up nearly eighty percent of the city's residences. The partnership between businesses and volunteer driven agencies strengthen the city's social fabric.

Carson is located less than 15 miles south of downtown Los Angeles and is considered part of the South Bay region of Los Angeles County. The city is 19.2 square miles, and Carson's population grew faster than almost any other South Bay city between 2010 and 2020, and today has a population of 96,000.

Carson is an attractive city to live and work in, experiencing mild temperatures year-round and is naturally cooled by westerly ocean breezes. Carson prides itself on being a culturally diverse community and is accessible by air, rail, water, and freeway. The City is minutes from Los Angeles International Airport, Long Beach International Airport, and the

Ports of Los Angeles and Long Beach. Four freeways surround or cross the City: the San Diego Freeway (405); the Harbor Freeway (110); the Artesia Freeway (91); and the Long Beach Freeway (710). Additionally, the Metro Silver Line Express Bus has frequent stops in Carson on its route between the South Bay and Los Angeles, and local service is provided by Long Beach Transit and the Carson Circuit, providing convenient bus transportation within the City.

There is no other city in the Los Angeles-Orange County region that matches Carson's superior location and ease of accessibility.

The city is home to many large and modern facilities in the refining, petrochemical, electronics, electric vehicle-, aerospace-, logistics, and high-tech industries. A large number of multinational companies also call Carson their home by locating corporate facilities here.

The Dignity Health Sports Park, located at Carson's local university, California State University Dominguez Hills, has a designation as a venue for at least 5 competitive events in the 2028 Olympics. It is already well-known in the region as the home of the LA Galaxy soccer club. Carson is a regional sports and entertainment destination in other ways, too. One of only five sites in the world, the Porsche Experience Center in Carson, which opened in 2015, encompasses a 53-acre road handling course and training facility. Visitors can drive the latest Porsche models through driving courses designed to showcase the power, responsiveness, and safety features of the cars. The 50,000 square-foot building features eight state-of-the-art eight meeting spaces, including a board room overlooking the driver development track and a 100+ seat conference room. The facilities are complemented by an exquisite fine-dining restaurant, 917 Restaurant.

Given its history as one of the most intensively developed industrial communities on the West Coast, Carson has learned to be both innovative and fearless in addressing environmental challenges, making it an ideal location for tackling the environmental challenges of the 21st Century. Through cooperative efforts between the City, businesses, and the community Carson will continue to flourish and have a future that everyone can embrace.



55th Anniversary Events & Fundraisers

55th Anniversary Committee Meetings

Please join us to help plan upcoming events in honor of the 55th Anniversary in 2023. This meeting is held every third Thursday of every month at the Carson Event Center at 6:30 p.m.

55th Anniversary Gala Ball

February 25, 2023 • Carson Event Center
The premier event of the 55th Anniversary, an evening of live entertainment, cocktail hour, a sit-down dinner, and a historical presentation.

55th Anniversary Street Fair

Saturday, July 29, 2023
Carson Street between Bonita and Avalon.
A true community event that will bring together all residents of the city. Enjoy live entertainment, street vendors, food vendors, historical crafts for children, amusement rides, contests and historical presentations.

55th Anniversary Tour De Carson

Saturday, August 12, 2023
Like to Tour de France, participants of all ages will bicycle through Carson on a route that highlights the many historical pints, buildings, and facilities found throughout the city.

55th Anniversary Engraved Bricks

Be a part of Carson's history. Order your engraved 55th Anniversary brick now. The bricks will be laid out on the Xeriscape Garden (between City Hall and Community Center) in random order. For more information, please call (310) 835-0212 ext. 1480.

Volunteers Needed

If you are interested in being a volunteer for one of our anniversary subcommittees please call (310) 847-3570

For more information, please call (310) 847-3570



CARSON'S DEVELOPMENT AND ITS FUTURE

Carson has come a long way since its incorporation and is still a sought after location for businesses. The following showcases a few things that are happening in development.

District Country Mart

Just shy of 7 acres this site features restaurant and retail space, a dog park, performance pavilion and children's play area. It will also have multiple gardens such as a botanic and sculpture garden.



Starbucks

860 E. Carson Street
Coffee Shop with indoor and outdoor seating and associated parking (including drive-thru) and enhancements to the entire center.



In-n-Out

20700 Avalon Boulevard
Will be located in the SouthBay Pavilion parking lot. In-n-Out restaurant with indoor and outdoor seating and associated parking (including drive-thru).



Rascals Teriyaki Grill

205 E. Carson Street
Existing: vacant lot. Proposed: Rascals restaurant with indoor and outdoor seating and associated parking.

Home2 by Hilton Hotel

888 E. Dominguez Street
The proposed hotel development will consist of 118 rooms, six stories high with associated parking and will occupy about an acre.





DISTRICT COUNTRY MART



CITY OF CARSON TO PROVIDE \$2 MILLION TO ASSIST CARSON SMALL BUSINESSES

October 26, 2022 – The City of Carson is pleased to announce two new programs available for Carson business owners and/or property owners: (1) Small Business Grant Program, and (2) Commercial Façade Improvement Program. A maximum of \$1 Million is allocated for each program.

The City is now accepting applications from eligible applicants. Prospective applicants can now visit the program webpage provided below to review requirements, gather required documents, and, if eligible, apply for the grant.

SMALL BUSINESS GRANT PROGRAM

The City of Carson is offering a one-time grant to businesses in Carson who have been negatively impacted financially by the COVID-19 pandemic but have not yet received any type of COVID-19 related assistance from the City.

This Small Business Grant Program provides grants ranging from \$5,000 to \$25,000 to assist Carson small businesses. Funding is made possible from the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA). To qualify for this grant, businesses must meet the below criteria:

- Be physically located and have operated in Carson prior to March 15, 2020
- Have 50 employees or less
- Be able to demonstrate a decline in revenue due to COVID-19
- Cannot be a recipient from past City of Carson COVID-19 assistance programs

- Funds must be used for business-related items and other requirements may apply
- Once awarded, grants do not have to be repaid.

COMMERCIAL FAÇADE IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

The Commercial Façade Improvement Program provides Carson businesses and commercial property owners with matching grants to improve their storefronts and enhance the City's major commercial corridors.

Under the Commercial Façade Improvement Program, commercial tenants and/or commercial property owners may qualify for a reimbursement grant of \$2,500 to \$25,000 for storefront aesthetic improvements. A dollar-for-dollar matching is required for amounts above \$2,500. For owners of multi-tenant centers, the maximum grant is \$250,000 based on a total expenditure of no less than \$500,000 on eligible exterior improvements subject to additional requirements.

Examples of eligible funded improvements include:

- Window and door replacements, including awnings and sunshades
- Decorative outdoor fixtures including lighting
- Courtyard decorative pavers, masonry walls and footings
- ADA improvements, access ramps and signage
- Asphalt paving and restriping
- Exterior treatments, repairs, or replacement (paint, stucco, brick, or stone)
- Decorative fencing and walls

- Outdoor landscaping or replacement to drought-tolerant
- Design and permit fees associated with above eligible improvements

The focus of this program are commercial buildings and centers in the following areas: Carson Street, Avalon Boulevard, Main Street, Sepulveda Boulevard, and Figueroa Street. Commercial properties on other major streets will be considered if they are near the intersections of the major thoroughfares.

More information on the Small Business Grant and Commercial Façade Improvement Programs can be found on the City's webpage at:

SMALL BUSINESS GRANT:

<https://ci.carson.ca.us/CommunityDevelopment/SBGProgram.aspx>

COMMERCIAL FAÇADE:

<https://ci.carson.ca.us/CommunityDevelopment/CommercialFacade.aspx>

E-MAIL:

smallbusiness@carsonca.gov

PHONE NUMBER:

310-952-1778

SHERIFF'S CORNER

BY CAPTAIN DAMON A. JONES



I want to speak on the importance of standing up collectively against bullying, assaultive behavior, and/or mistreatment of others in our schools, homes, workplace, and community. Harassing, intimidating, tormenting, humiliating, or using threatening words verbally, physically or through social media should be a serious concern for us all. It is important for us as a community to identify harmful behavior, safely stand up to it and prevent it long-term. Responding quickly and appropriately in a consistent manner sends a message to the aggressor and the victim that this type of behavior is unacceptable and will not be tolerated. We must not overlook warning signs and create a culture of silence.

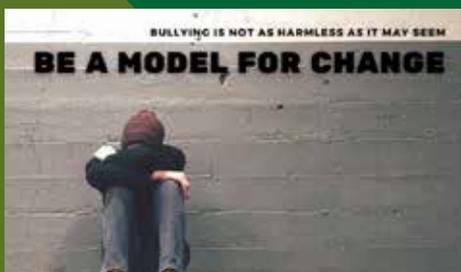
All of those who are in leadership, guardian, or supervisory roles in our homes, schools, businesses, and throughout the community must help prevent the mistreatment of others and bullying by talking about it, teaching tolerance and respect, teaching appropriate communication and social skills and build safe work and school environments. It is also important for all adults to be a positive role model because many children learn bullying and negative behaviors from observing adults.

Many times, bullying has not been seen or treated as a criminal act, but some bullying behaviors are illegal and can lead to legal consequences. Do not be afraid to reach out for help or assistance if you have done everything you can to resolve a harmful situation and the problem or issue is continuing. Resources are available for you, please don't hesitate to reach out for support and assistance. Always contact 9-1-1 for emergency response.

Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health at (800) 854-7771

National Domestic Violence Hotline at (800) 799-7233

Carson Sheriff's Station (310) 830-1123



With the holiday season being here, we know that you will be out flooding the malls, stores, and shopping centers and searching for the perfect gifts on various websites. Please be cognizant and remain vigilant in ensuring you are doing your part to protect your safety and deter opportunistic thieves. Please take some of the following steps to minimize any chance of you being harmed or victimized by a criminal.

- Please stay alert and aware of your surroundings.
- Do not leave valuables such as shopping bags, packages, and electronic devices in vehicles in plain sight.
- Close windows and hide shopping bags and gifts in the trunk.
- Be sure to lock your vehicle, set your alarm and use your anti-theft locking device if you have one.
- Try and shop during daylight hours, but if you do shop at night, park in a well-lit area.
- Carry your purse close to your body, not dangling free and loosely by the straps, and ensure that it is completely zipped, closed, and snapped.
- Locate your keys before walking back to your vehicle.
- Avoid carrying large amounts of cash and place your wallet inside your front pants pocket.
- Don't overload yourself with packages.

If doing business and shopping online, take measures to protect your identity and yourself from fraud or being a victim of identity theft.

- Please only use secure and certified sites, and update your anti-virus and anti-spyware software.
- Do not give out personal information over an email.
- Use strong passwords.
- Regularly monitor your credit card and bank accounts.
- Confirm the accuracy of any transactions.

If you have plans to travel during the holidays, please reach out to us to schedule patrol checks of your residence while you are gone.

Public safety is always our top priority. We know that our neighborhoods are made safer when we build ties and work closely with members of our community. We are most effective when our residents act as our eyes and ears for our deputies and reach out when there is a concern. If at any time you see any suspicious activity, please immediately contact Carson Sheriff's Station at (310) 830-1123. If someone is in immediate danger, immediately dial 9-1-1.

Please feel free to contact our Carson Station Community Relations Office at (310) 847-8386 for any additional safety tips. Be safe and share this information with your family, friends, and community.

Thank you for your support of the Carson Sheriff's Station and its personnel.



For more information, please contact
**Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department
Carson Station
Community Relations Office
Main: (310) 830-1123
Email: CarsonComRel@lasd.org
or carson@lasd.org**

Emergencies 9-1-1
Calls for Service (310) 830-1123
Watch Commander (310) 830-1123
Community Relations (310) 847-8386
Visit our website at www.carson.lasd.org



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The City of Carson receives the 2022/2023 EAGLE Award for Safety Shoes: *Getting the Right Fit*

Congratulations to Kevin Ibarra from the Human Resources Department! His project, Safety Shoes: Getting the Right Fit, was selected as a recipient for the Innovation in Implementation of a Best Practice Category.

The PRISM EAGLE Award Program was created to recognize PRISM members or affiliated agencies for the development, management, and/or implementation of an innovative idea, approach, or program that enhances the goals and purposes of risk management within the public sector.

“Safety Shoes: Getting the Right Fit was created in an effort to minimize workplace injuries here at the City of Carson. I found there were no documented safety boot standards in place here at the city, for the employees to follow when selecting safety boots. I also looked at other cities and found that they also lacked safety shoe standards so any criteria implemented would have to be created. I reviewed the American Society for Testing International standards for safety shoes, interviewed staff and based on my research, the safety boot criteria was created”.

- Kevin Ibarra



The City of Carson offers programs to assist low to moderate income homeowners with repairs to improve their single-family residence or mobile home. All applicants must meet the eligibility requirements as described below to participate.

Register online on the City’s website at <http://ci.carson.ca.us/CommunityDevelopment/NppApp.aspx>. Registration will be open until we reach our capacity of 75 residents. (ONLY IF FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE) For further information, you may contact the Community Development Department at (310) 952-1700, ext. 1334.

Resident Broadband Survey

We need your help to plan for a more connected future.

Connection to the Internet is important for many areas of our lives. Many homes in our community don't have reliable access or connection at all to high-speed Internet. By taking our survey, you can help us identify gaps in our area's Internet connection. We will use this information to help plan for broadband access expansion.

Please complete our quick and easy survey. By participating, each resident helps us plan for better connection.



<https://ci.carson.ca.us/AboutCarson/BroadbandSurvey.aspx>



PUBLIC WORKS



**SEE A PROBLEM?
We can fix that.**



POTHLES



GRAFFITI



DOWNED TREES



ILLEGAL DUMPING



**REGISTER YOUR REQUEST BY CALLING,
VIA WEBSITE OR BY PHONE APP**

Download the iWorQ app from Apple App Store or Google Play to report potholes, graffiti, downed trees, illegal dumping, etc. Complete the service request form. You will receive a request number and your request will be reviewed. You may also make a service request on our city's website or by calling.

For more information or to follow up with your service, please call Public Works at **(310) 847-3520**

SAVE THE DATE

SPRING 2023 CLEAN ENVIRONMENT WEEK
April 17 - 21, 2023

E-WASTE AND SHRED EVENT
April 22, 2023

FALL 2023 CLEAN ENVIRONMENT WEEK
October 16 – 20, 2023

E-WASTE AND SHRED EVENT
October 21, 2023





WATER SAVING TIPS



RAIN BARREL PROGRAM

Please visit www.westbasin.org/rainbarrels to learn more about the program and for the latest rain barrel distribution events.



Use only as much water as your yard needs. If your grass springs back when you step on it, it doesn't need to be watered.



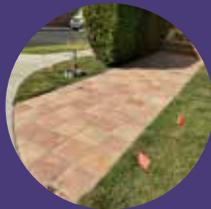
Fix leaky faucets, plumbing, and sprinklers. Saves up to 500 gallons per month.



Water your yard only in the morning or evening to reduce evaporation.



Install a "smart" sprinkler controller that determines the correct amount of water based on your plants and the weather conditions.



Use a broom to clean sidewalks and driveways instead of a hose. You can save up to 150 gallons of water.



Instead of using a hose to wash your car, use a bucket and shut-off spray nozzle. Or better yet, take your car to a car wash that utilizes recirculated water.



Replace a portion of your lawn with California Friendly, drought-tolerant plants. This can save you up to 1,800 gallons per month.



Make sure your sprinklers are aimed on the grass and plants.



Quality. Service. Value. ®

High-efficiency clothes washer rebate

High-efficiency clothes washer rebate

Apply online: conservation.calwater.com

Amount: Up to \$600

High-efficiency clothes washers use 35-50% less water and approximately 50% less energy than traditional washers. See the rebate application online for additional restrictions and qualifications. Download the device list online to see



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Human Resources

The following are the current continuous vacancies:

- Recreation Specialist
- Cashier Clerk
- Lifeguard
- Sr. Lifeguard
- Swim Instructor
- Seasonal Aide
- Maintenance Aide
- Recreation Assistant III (Early Childhood Teacher's Aide)
- Recreation Assistant II/III/IV
- Recreation Assistant II Day Camp
- Planning Intern
- Geriatric Aide
- Utility Worker I
- Receptionist/Switchboard Operator

SCAN QR CODE
TO APPLY



To apply please visit: <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/carsonca>



America's JobCenter
of California™

JOB SEEKER

FREE SERVICES FOR YOUR JOB SEARCH, IN YOUR COMMUNITY!

NOW OPEN!

What is a One-Stop?

- One-Stop Career Centers are designed to provide a full range of assistance to job seekers under one roof.
- Establish under the Workforce Innovation & Opportunities Act, they offer training referrals, career counseling, job listings, and similar related services.

How does it Work?

- Sign-up for Zoom Informational Orientation Session
- Complete the enrollment process
- Be assigned a Career Counselor
- GET HIRED!

Where can you sign-up?

- Contact the Carson One Stop Center by calling (310)680-3870 or e-mail carreception@sbwib.org



The WIOA Title I financially assisted program or activity is an equal opportunity employer/program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities by calling in advance to DHS 1-800-735-2622 or 310-680-3700.

LOST YOUR JOB?
SEARCHING FOR
A BETTER ONE?
NEED A SKILLS UPGRADE?

- VOCATIONAL TRAINING
- LAID OFF PROGRAM
- YOUTH SERVICES
- VETERAN SERVICES
- HOMELESS SERVICES
- CAREER COUNSELING
- JOB TRAINING
- TYPING TEST
- CAREER WORKSHOP
- CAREER EXPLORATION
- INTERVIEW TECHNIQUES
- RESUME PREPARATION
- SUPPORT SERVICES

MENTAL HEALTH RESOURCES



CITY OF CARSON Women's Issues Commission

The Women's Issues Commission serves the Carson community by advising the City Council on issues of particular concern to women and families, including domestic violence. Below is a list of resources for those experiencing domestic violence.

Do not remain silent!

CITY OF CARSON Women's Support Group

Open to all women. Secure, safe, confidential.
For more information, please contact
Jenice Deguzman at (310) 847-3584.

California Partnership to End Domestic Violence
(916) 444-7163 • www.cpedv.org
California's recognized domestic violence coalition, representing over 1,000 advocates, organizations and allied groups throughout the state

L.A. County Domestic Violence Hotline
(800) 978-3600 • www.ndvh.org
This hotline is confidential and available 24/7. It is an automated line where you will enter your preferred language and zip code, then you will be transferred to an operator at an agency near you.

National Domestic Violence Hotline
(24/7 Confidential): (800) 799-7233 (SAFE)
www.ndvh.org (800) 787-3224 (TTY) or text LOVEIS (capitalization does not matter) to 22522 *Msg & Data Rates may apply

National Sexual Assault Hotline
800-656-4673 (HOPE) • www.rainn.org

National Dating Abuse Helpline
866-331-9474 • www.loveisrespect.org

Pathways to Safety International
833-723-3833 (833-SAFE-833)
(international and toll-free)
www.pathwaystosafety.org

National Center for Victims of Crime
855-484-2846 (4-VICTIM) • www.victimsofcrime.org

For more information, visit
www.carsonca.gov/womensissuescommission
or call 310-952-1728.

**Carson Sheriff's Station
Non-Emergency Line**
Call (310) 830-1123 to
request a welfare check

Harbor UCLA Mental Health
(424) 306-5700
<http://www.harbor-ucla.org/psychiatry/>

Department of Mental Health
(800) 854-7771
<https://dmh.lacounty.gov/>

**Department of Mental Health
Hoarding Resources**
Guidebook
http://file.lacounty.gov/SDSInter/dmh/216946_Guidebookforonline.pdf

**GENESIS (Geriatric Evaluation Networks
Encompassing Services Intervention
Support Programs)**
Specific mental health outreach to an
older adult (213) 351-7284

Didi Hirsch - Mental Health Services
Suicide Prevention (888) 807-7250
<https://didihirsch.org/>

Heritage Clinic
(562) 264-6001
Provides mental health services for
low income adults 50+ and family caregivers
www.heritageclinic.org

Exodus Recovery
Inpatient and outpatient
(424) 405-5888
<https://www.exodusrecovery.com/locations/>

**NAMI- National Alliance of
Mental Illness**
<https://www.nami.org/Home>
Local Information Line: (562) 435-2264

South Bay Family Health Care
23430 Hawthorne Blvd., Ste. 210
Torrance, CA 90505
(310) 802-6177 Ext. 1123
South Bay Family Healthcare
Building Healthy Lives (sbfhc.org)

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline
Hours: Available 24 hours.
Languages: English and Spanish
Learn more (800) 273-8255

EMOTIONAL SUPPORT

24-hour Suicide Prevention Lifeline:
1-800-273-8255 or text 838255

**National Suicide Prevention Deaf and
Hard of Hearing Hotline:**
Access 24/7 video relay service
by dialing 800-273-8255
(TTY 800-799-4889).

Hotlines if you need to talk to someone:

• **Disaster Distress Helpline:**
Call 1-800-985-5990
(TTY 800-846-8517) or text
TalkWithUs to 66746 for
24/7 support.

• **Crisis Text Line:**
Text HOME to 741741 for 24/7
crisis support.

If you feel unsafe:

- Call or text the Victims of Crime Resource Center at 1-800-VICTIMS line for information on victim services programs in California.

Family Support:

- You can call the **National Parent Helpline** at 1-855-427-2736
Monday – Friday from
10:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. to get
emotional support from a trained
Parent Advocate.

NAMI California has resources for family members supporting loved ones with mental health conditions. You can call their helpline at 1-800-950-NAMI to get information, resource referrals and support from 7:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. or email info@namica.org.

the warmline



The Peer-Run Warm Line is a non-emergency resource for anyone in California seeking emotional support. We provide assistance via phone and webchat on a nondiscriminatory basis to anyone in need 24/7.

Some concerns callers share are challenges with interpersonal relationships, anxiety, panic, depression, finance, and alcohol and drug use.

<https://www.mentalhealthsf.org/peer-run-warmline/>

Call: 1-855-845-7415

Chat: Mentalhealthsf.org

Proudly serving all of California!



GoldenTalk senior chat line is live

GoldenTALK is a chat and crisis line for Older Adults who are 60 years of age and older. The chat line assists seniors facing social isolation through warm conversations and also provides referrals and works closely with multiple agencies within Los Angeles County in the event of a crisis.

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!

Please visit our website for more information or call (888) 491-0054



www.idsgtfoundation.org

(888) 60-GOLDEN

(888) 604-6533



MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT FOR LA COUNTY



Join a Support Group • Find a Coach

Get online mental health support 24/7 with on-demand coaching, lessons, and more brought to you by the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health.



Sign up at
lacounty.iprevail.com



silvernest.com/southbay

Are you a homeowner looking for extra monthly income? Help around the house? Companionship?



Stay in the Home You Love



Help Others In Need



Share Companionship



Earn Extra Income

Contact "HOME SHARE SOUTH BAY" for assistance
Laurie Jacobs • laurie@southbaycities.org

ANIMAL CONTROL

THINGS TO KNOW FOR A SAFE HOLIDAY FOR YOUR PETS

In the midst of all the holiday celebrations, DACC would like to offer pet owners a few helpful tips to keep our furry friends safe. We can get so caught up with all of the holiday festivities, it is easy to forget about our four-legged family members. Our pets rely on us to keep them safe, so keep these important things in mind as you celebrate the holidays.

- Never feed or allow your pets to eat chocolate or other holiday candies. Chocolate can be toxic to dogs and cats and can cause death. If you witness or suspect your pet of eating chocolate, take him or her to a veterinarian without delay.

- Shiny ornaments on Christmas trees can be particularly attractive to curious pets. Dogs and cats can suffer serious injuries by chewing and swallowing pieces of tree ornaments.

- Many people add special liquid preservatives to the water in Christmas tree stands. Some of these products are harmful to pets that may drink from the water. Be sure to ask if your Christmas tree supplies are "pet safe," before you buy them.

- Keep holiday season plants and flowers away from your pets. Many plants, such as Poinsettias, Christmas Candles, English Holly, Christmas Berry, Christmas Rose, and Mistletoe are poisonous to cats and dogs.

- Gift-wrappings can pose risks to dogs and cats. Your pets may be tempted to chew on wrapping paper or ribbon, which can be harmful if swallowed.

- Electrical wiring is tempting for cats to play with and dogs to chew. Your pet can suffer a severe shock or even be electrocuted by coming into contact with the electrical current in the line. Make sure your pets cannot climb onto areas that put wiring within their reach.

- Turkey is a particular favorite during the holiday season, but the bones easily splinter and should not be given to pets. Bone splinters can puncture an animal's gastro-intestinal tract, causing internal injury, which could result in death.

- Keep your pets away from alcoholic beverages. Do not let anyone offer a "sample" of your favorite libation to a pet.

- It is important to immediately clean up any loose tinsel, which can also obstruct a pet's GI tract. Cats can be particularly enchanted with tinsel, so you may wish to skip this decoration. When decorating, hang tinsel and string lights high enough out of reach so they do not cause injury.

- Stick to your pet's normal feeding and walking schedule if possible.

- When traveling with your pet, make sure it is secured in a carrier.

- If you are traveling without your pet, please make sure pet sitter has all the information that is needed such as feeding schedule, medication, your veterinarian's phone number & address for emergencies, licensing and registration information, and an emergency contact who can assist them if necessary. An advance health care directive is a great document to have. Advance health care directives clearly spell out your directions regarding emergency health care and who is authorized to obtain it on your pet's behalf.

With all the distractions and options for fun, don't forget that what your pet loves best is just spending time with you. Humans and pets alike adore shiny new presents but toys are worthless without someone to play with. The holidays can also be overwhelming for people too. The best present you can give your pet and yourself is nothing more than love and attention. Here is wishing you and your pets a loving, joyous holiday!



CITY OF CARSON ANIMAL CONTROL SERVICES

ANIMAL & SAFETY CALLS:

(310) 952-1786

Monday - Thursday • 7:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.

- Barking Dog Complaints
- Nuisance Animals
- Stray Animals

- Feral Animals
- Dead Animal Removal
- Neglect Complaints

- Surrendered Animals
- Found Animals

COYOTE AWARENESS

Coyotes are most active at night and during the early morning and late evening hours. In areas where they are not disturbed by human activities, and during the cooler times of the year, they may be active throughout the day. Urban coyotes are becoming very tolerant of human activities. Young coyotes tend to be more active during daylight hours than adults.

REPORT COYOTE SIGHTINGS

Did you know you can report coyote sightings on the City's website? It's easy! Complete the form online to assist with the proper tracking of coyote sightings. Your personal information will not be published.

BE CAREFUL WHEN WALKING YOUR DOGS

If coyotes are seen in your neighborhood, let them know they're not welcome. Make loud noises, throw objects at them, or spray them with a garden hose. If you and your pets are approached by an aggressive coyote, pick up your pet or keep it on a short leash, and try to frighten the coyote by shouting in a loud deep voice. Wave your arms to make yourself appear larger. Do not turn your back on a coyote. For everyone's safety it is essential that coyotes retain their natural wariness of humans.

SAFEGUARD YOUR PETS:

Keep pets indoors when not supervised. Walk pets on a leash no longer than 6 feet in length. Pets can enjoy time outdoors with the use of fully enclosed dog kennels and cat patios (catios).

REMOVE COYOTE ATTRACTANTS

Never feed wildlife. It is illegal. Leaving food outside your home invites coyotes and their prey (rodents and small mammals).

PET FOOD: Feed pet indoors. Coyotes have a keen sense of smell. Pet food can attract them to your yard. Store pet food indoors or in airtight containers.

TRASH: Secure trash containers with locking lids and place curbside morning of trash pick-up. Don't overflow trash bins. It's a health hazard and provides easy access to coyotes and other foraging animals.

COMPOST: Fully enclose compost bins. Do not include meat or dairy among compost.

RIPENED FRUIT: Pick ripened fruit from trees and ground. Protect fruit with tree netting.

WATER: Remove water attractants, such as pet water bowls.

BBQ GRILLS: Clean food around barbeque grills after each use.

BIRD FEEDERS: Clean fallen seed to avoid the presence of small mammals that coyotes prefer to eat.

OVERGROWN LANDSCAPING: Trim vegetation/brush to clear hiding places and potential denning sites, especially before coyotes den (March).



Coyotes that have access to our food or garbage lose their fear of people.



Walk with friends and with a walking stick.



COYOTE SIGHTINGS?

Call (310) 952-1786

or complete the form on the city's website:

<https://ci.carson.ca.us/citymanager/CoyoteReport.aspx>

MOSQUITOS

Mosquitoes can transmit debilitating diseases such as West Nile Virus, Zika, Dengue and Chikungunya. Follow these tips and keep your home mosquito-free.

APPLY EPA-REGISTERED INSECT REPELLENT

- Apply before going outdoors and as recommended on the label.



- Look for one of the four active ingredients: DEET, Picaridin, IR3535, or Oil of Lemon Eucalyptus.

WEAR LOOSE-FITTING CLOTHING

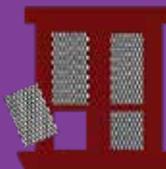
- Mosquitoes are attracted to dark colors thus opt out for lighter colored clothing.



- Apply insect repellent to exposed skin and/or over clothing.

COVER AND MAINTAIN WINDOWS AND DOORS WITH SCREENS

- Use fine mesh screens.
- If screen has minor holes or tears purchase a screen patch at a local hardware store.



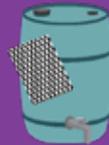
TIP AND TOSS

- Tip and drain water in common sources like potted plants saucers, buckets, recycling bins and tarps once a week.
- Drill a hole at the bottom of flower pots and trash cans so water may drain.
- Toss any unneeded containers like plastic cups, bottle caps and trash.



PROPERLY SCREEN AND MAINTAIN BARRELS, GUTTERS AND DRAINS

- Securely screen other holes such as overflow valves or connection points.
- Clear roof gutters and drains periodically to prevent standing water.



Residents can contact the Greater Los Angeles County Vector Control District at www.glamosquito.org for additional mosquito-related questions and resources. Follow @GLAmosquito on Facebook, Instagram, and Twitter.



PREVENT MOSQUITO BITES



Apply insect repellent with one of these active ingredients:

DEET

Picaridin

IR3535

**Oil of
Lemon Eucalyptus**

CSUDH LAUNCHES SNAP INC. INSTITUTE FOR TECHNOLOGY AND EDUCATION



In September 2022, CSUDH celebrated the official opening of the Snap Inc. Institute for Technology and Education (SITE), whose transformational mission is to make computer science an integral part of K-12 education in Los Angeles Unified School District.

Housed within the CSUDH College of Education, SITE was made possible by a \$5 million gift from Snap Inc.—the largest single donation in CSUDH history—as well as the Computer Science for All (CSforALL) CSforED initiative.

Speaking at the launch, Snap Inc. public policy manager Jasson Crockett said that the glaring lack of diversity in tech was a catalyst for the historic gift.

“We wanted to do something meaningful beyond just cataloging the problem and its potential solutions,” Crockett said. “If we want more people of color to pursue careers in tech, we have to expose more youth to computer science early and make sure we’re training enough computer science teachers.”

Other launch event speakers included representatives from CSUDH and CSforAll, as well as College of Education alumna and 2020 LAUSD teacher of the year Rhiannon Chavez. Current liberal studies students also demonstrated the live coding of robots—a computer science activity which they will be able to incorporate into their future classrooms.

“We want our preservice teachers and local students to have joyful, engaging, relevant computer science experiences that inspire their

passions, connect to their interests, and show them that regardless of their future path, computer science is something anyone and everyone can do and connect with,” said SITE director Mike Karlin.

SITE has already begun engaging in a number of research, partnership, and curricular improvement activities. College of Education faculty have been integrating the California K-12 Computer Science standards into preservice teacher coursework.

SITE has also partnered with local school to better understand their computer science needs and to hold events for elementary school students and teachers.

In June, SITE was invited by the U.S. Department of Education and the International Society for Technology in Education to be part of a select group of colleges in support of their Digital Equity and Transformation network, where it will work to improve technology practices in preservice teacher education.

“There is a big divide in this nation, and it isn’t just political or racial. It is technological,” said CSUDH President Thomas A. Parham. “The Snap gift is so essential because it is an investment in the mission of bridging that gap by educating the next generation of students.”

CSUDH

HOMECOMING

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2023

For up-to-date information, please visit csudh.edu/alumni/homecoming



LA ✦ YOUTH



- ✦ **BOYS & GIRLS**
- ✦ **AGES 18MO - 16YRS**
- ✦ **ALL SKILL LEVELS!**
- ✦ **YOUTH.LAGALAXY.COM**



SAVE THE DATE!

AQUATIC SPRING 2023

FEBRUARY 6, 2023

Aquatic Spring Schedules Available Online

FEBRUARY 11, 2023 – FEBRUARY 26, 2023

Lifeguard Certification (weekend training)

FEBRUARY 13, 2023

Online registration begins for Carson Residents

FEBRUARY 27, 2023

Online registration begins for Non-Carson Residents

MARCH 6, 2023 – MAY 11, 2023

Spring Programming

MAY 11, 2023

Spring Season ends

VETERANS SPORTSCOMPLEX



22400 Moneta Avenue
Carson, CA 90745
(310) 830-9991

Mon-Fri:
6:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
and 3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
(Closed from 12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.)
Sat: 7:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Sun: Closed

**Hours subject to
change**



MEMBERSHIP RATES

30 Day Membership	Registration		New Member		Renewal	
	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident
Individual	\$12	\$24	\$4	\$53	\$30	\$42
Youth/Senior Citizen	\$6	\$18	\$30	\$42	\$2	\$36
Family	\$18	\$30	\$72	\$84	\$54	\$66
Daily Rate	6:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.		3:00 p.m. - Close			
	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident	Non-Resident		
Individual	\$6	\$7	\$12	\$24		

**10% Discount for Veterans
All Fees Are Subject To Change**



CARSON VETERANS MONUMENT

On November 11, 1998, the City of Carson dedicated a Veterans Monument to honor Carson Veterans who gave the ultimate sacrifice while serving this country. If you know the name of a Carson Veteran and would like to honor their service, please call (310) 830-9991.

CARSON VETERANS WALL

The City of Carson is gathering the names of Carson Veterans who served in the United States armed forces for the purpose of adding their name to the Veterans Wall. If you are a Carson Veteran or if you know a Carson Veteran and would like to be added to the Veterans Wall, please call (310) 830-9991.

VETERANS SPORTS COMPLEX



ZUMBA®

Free to the public for 6 weeks only!

We combine the awesome toning and strengthening power of step aerobics, with the fun fitness party that only Zumba® brings to the dance floor. The class increases cardio and calorie burning, while adding moves that define and sculpt your core and legs.

**TUESDAYS
6:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.**

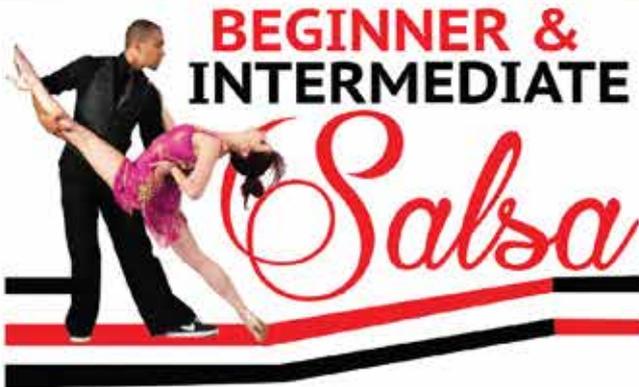
**Ages:
Teens & Up**



HULA HOOP FITNESS CLASS

TUESDAYS | 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM

A holistic exercise program that blends cardio hooping and strength training with high intensity interval training, based on elements of pilates, yoga, and ballet barre. The FXP Hula Hoop® is precisely sized and weighted to help users shed pounds, lose inches from waistline, and sculpt their entire body, all while smiling.



**BEGINNER &
INTERMEDIATE**

Salsa

This class is designed to introduce intermediate Salsa Dance to participants that have taken Beginner Salsa Classes. Various dance techniques such as proper footwork, spins, combinations, and social pattern dancing will be taught.

Partners are not necessary!

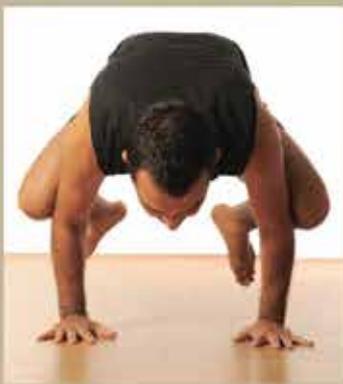
BEGINNER:

Mondays & Wednesdays
10:30 a.m.

INTERMEDIATE:

Mondays • 9:30 a.m.
Wednesdays • 11:30 a.m.
Fridays • 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

ALL AGES WELCOME



HATHA YOGA

**TUESDAYS
9:30 A.M. - 10:30 A.M.**

**ALL AGES
WELCOME**

Hatha is a branch of yoga concentrating on physical health and mental well-being. It combines asanas (bodily postures), pranayama (breathing techniques) and dyana (meditation).

Veterans SportsComplex | 22400 Moneta Avenue, Carson, CA 90745

For more information, please call (310) 830-9992.

ALL CDC GUIDELINES WILL BE ENFORCED

YOUTH & ADULT SPORTS

YOUTH SPORTS

Register at your local park or online (<https://cutt.ly/OnlineReg>). Fees and schedules are subject to change. Should you have any questions regarding Youth Sports, please call (310) 847-3577.

Basketball (Ages 5 – 17)

Last Day to Sign Up: December 3, 2022

Tryouts: December 10, 2022

Season Begins: January 7, 2023

Basketball Registration:

Resident \$85 / Non-Resident \$118



ADULT SPORTS

Winter Coed Softball Registration

Registration: December 5, 2022 –

January 10, 2023

Season Begins: January 13, 2023

Registration Fee: \$420 per team

Winter Men's Softball

Registration: December 5, 2022

– January 10, 2023

Season Begins: January 12, 2023

Registration Fee: \$420 per team

Winter Basketball (6'0 & Under)

Registration: December 26, 2022 –

January 26, 2023

Season Begins: January 29, 2023

Registration Fee: \$340 per team

For more information regarding Adult Sports, please call (310) 847-3576.



NAYS Coaches Training Program is the most widely used coaches training program in the nation. NAYS Coach Training Program is available online for coaches to complete at their convenience, and it's also offered on-site at most City parks. NAYS Parent Orientation Program is an education and membership program that supports youth sports parents, while helping youth sports organizations eradicate parent issues. NAYS Parent Orientation Program has set a standard for parent orientation programs by providing video-based training which offers a simple, effective way to make youth sports parents aware of their roles and responsibilities, as well as ways they can make their child's experience more enjoyable and positive. NAYS Parent Orientation Program training is mandatory upon registration. Children will not be able to participate in the program until the requirement is met.



Join the Fabela Chavez Boxing and Weightlifting Center at Foisia Park today. Memberships are as low as \$20 per month for youth and \$30 per month for Adults. Members will have access to Boxing Conditioning Classes, coaching on different levels of Boxing Fitness, weightlifting training, cardio classes such as (Zumba, Cardio Fit, and Hip Hop Step) are also included in the membership. Competitive boxing is available by joining the Fabela Chavez Boxing Club and getting approved by our Senior Coach (Additional fees for the club and Boxing books). Memberships are available for youth ages 8 years and up. Fabela Chavez Boxing Club has been open for more than 40 years. We love to teach the skills, fitness, and drills with the sport of boxing. So check us out today!

ENRICHMENT

For more information, please call (310) 847-3570.

We are excited to present virtual and in-person classes. Dates, times, and fees are subject to change.

CLASS SCHEDULE:

January 17, 2023 – March 18, 2023

Registrations are available online through Activenet

VIRTUAL CLASSES

PIANO 1

Mr. Nic
Tu/Thu: 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
\$65 Res / \$75 Non - Res
Ages 7-17
Piano Not provided

PIANO 2

Mr. Nic
Tu/Thu: 5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
\$65 Res / \$75 Non - Res
Ages 7-17
Piano Not provided



IN - PERSON CLASSES

DRAMA

Ms. NeiCe
Saturdays: 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
\$36 Res / \$46 Non - Res
Location: Stevenson Park
Ages 8 - 12

VOICE

Ms. NeiCe
Mon/Wed: 5:00 p.m. - 5:50 p.m.
\$36 Res / \$46 Non - Res
Location: Veterans SportsComplex
Ages 6 - 12

GUITAR

Mr. Nic
Mon/Wed 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.
\$48 Res / \$58 Non - Res
Location: Veterans SportsComplex
Ages 7 - 17 Guitar Not Provided

Enrichment Arts Academy

presents

FAME JR.

Ages: 7-12
Residents: \$110
Non-Residents: \$120

We are looking for the Most Talented Youth! If you are interested in being cast in our Fame Jr. Play, sign up now until January 7, 2023!

Sign-ups:

December 9, 2022 – January 7, 2023

Rehearsal:

Every Saturday starting
January 15, 2023 – March 19, 2023
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Show Week:

Wednesday, March 22, 2023 – Sunday, March 26, 2023

Rehearsal Location:

Stevenson Park
17400 Lysander Drive, Carson, CA 90746



REGISTER
<https://cutt.ly/OnlineReg>



For more information, please call (310) 631-2252

City of Carson Community Services | Parks and Recreation Department

KIDS CLUB (AGES 5 - 12)

Holiday Day Camp



**Monday, December 19, 2022 -
Friday, January 6, 2023
FOR BOYS & GIRLS
AGES 5-12**

**HOLIDAY DAY CAMP
WILL BE OFFERED MONDAY - FRIDAY
7 A.M. - 6 P.M.
AT THE FOLLOWING FACILITIES ONLY:**

Non - Resident	Time:	Resident
\$40	7 A.M. - 9 A.M.	\$20
\$85	9 A.M. - 6 P.M.	\$70

Sibling Discounts
\$5 off 2nd Child / \$7 off 3rd Child

**Must bring a morning
snack and a lunch daily!**
ADDITIONAL FEES FOR
EXCURSIONS

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT
RECREATION DIVISION
AT (310) 847-3570

CALAS PARK
1000 E. 220th Street
Carson, CA 90745
(310) 518-3565

DOLPHIN PARK
21205 Water Street
Carson, CA 90745
(310) 549-4560

CARSON PARK
21411 S. Orrick Avenue
Carson, CA 90745
(310) 830-4925

MILLS PARK
1340 E. Dimondale Drive
Carson, CA 90746
(310) 631-3130

DEL AMO PARK
703 E. Del Amo Boulevard
Carson, CA 90746
(310) 329-7717

VETERANS PARK
22400 Moneta Avenue
Carson, CA 90745
(310) 864-9255

Kids Club is a state-licensed, quality program that is safe, fun, and affordable. Activities for children ages 5 to 12 years-old are offered under the supervision of trustworthy, caring, and qualified staff that understand the needs of all children. Kids Club activities include homework completion time, educational/physical activities, snack time, arts & crafts, fun games, and more!

Registration: \$50 weekly

Mon-Fri • 2:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Availability is based on the needs of each site. For more information, please call (310) 847-3570.

The City reserves the right to cancel individual park programs if the minimum enrollment level is not achieved.

LOCATIONS:

Calas Park
L #198002954

Carson Park
L#191606872

Del Amo Park
L#191606914

Dolphin Park
L #1918005652

Veterans Park
L #191606908



For more information, contact the Recreation Division at (310) 847-3570

JOSEPH B. JR. AND MARY ANNE O'NEAL STROKE CENTER



The Joseph B. Jr. and Mary Anne O'Neal Stroke Center is located at the City of Carson Community Center. Our award winning and state recognized facility is available to survivors to participate in social, mental, and physical stimulation and exercise. With safety being our top focus, we have worked diligently to re-open the center for our stroke survivors and their caregivers. Adhering to current public safety measures, we are expanding our programming to ensure our members can participate while remaining healthy and safe. The facility features rehabilitative fitness equipment, and offers a variety of activities, group exercise, and social activities.

Currently, we are offering use of our fitness equipment on site, by appointment only. Additionally, we continue to work towards expanding our current weekly group exercise activities, in addition to our recurring Chair Exercise classes. Occupational Therapy services are dependent on availability.

For the application process and more information, please call direct at (310) 952-1763, or visit the Stroke Center website at https://ci.carson.ca.us/CommunityServices/Stroke_Center.aspx



START SMART BASKETBALL

This introductory class teaches parents and children the fundamentals of basketball in a non-competitive environment.

No experience necessary.

Parent/guardian participation is required for the duration of each class.

Registration will open January 2, 2023 at 9:00 AM on ActiveNet.

Instructors: Tony Zuniga and Jacinda Flores

Location: Carson Park

Call (310) 952-1782 x1453 for more information

Ages	Day	Time	Start	Wks	Price
2-5	Mon	5:15 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	2/6	8	\$44 Res, \$55 Non-Res
2-5	Wed	5:15 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.	2/8	8	\$44 Res, \$55 Non-Res



HOLIDAY

Stay tuned for all things Santa. Call (310) 952-1782, ext. 1453 or email us at northpole@carsonca.gov for information on schedules and appointments for the 2022 Holiday season, or check out the Special Interest website at https://ci.carson.ca.us/CommunityServices/SpecialInterest_Program.aspx. Thank you.



EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION



The Early Childhood Education Program is geared toward children ages 3-5. It utilizes the McGraw-Hill Education's "World of Wonders" curriculum, an engaging early childhood literacy program that builds strong pre-reading and social emotional skills. At the same time, the curriculum incorporates content areas like math, science, social studies, music, and movement. The program prepares children with the knowledge they need to enter kindergarten with confidence.

At the City of Carson Early Childhood Center, classrooms have been adjusted to not only align with CDC guidelines, but also maintain a positive learning environment. To keep students, families, and teachers healthy and safe, class sizes have been reduced to 50% of capacity. This will allow students and teachers to maintain social distancing within their learning environment. It will also permit more personal time with each individual student. All teachers will be required to wear masks in the classroom and during outdoor play. There will also be greater emphasis on sanitation in lunch, nap, and play areas.

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Winter is here, let's all cheer! To kick off this beautiful season, the children will participate in the following educational activities:

- **Winter Fest**
- **Ice Painting**
- **Hibernation**
- **Winter Exploration**
- **Tree Decorating**
- **Holiday Keepsake Crafts**
- **Cookie Decorating**
- **Pajama Parties**



TUITION RATES

PART-TIME PROGRAMS

Days	Times	Locations	Monthly Rate*
Monday-Friday	8:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Carson Community Center & Dolphin Park	\$303/RES, \$374/NON-RES
Monday-Friday	1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.	Carson Community Center	\$303/RES, \$374/NON-RES

FULL-TIME PROGRAMS

Days	Times	Locations	Monthly Rate*
Monday-Friday	8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.	Carson Community Center & Carson Park	\$593/RES, \$698/NON-RES

Early Childhood Education: (310) 835-0212 Ext. 1482

*** RATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE**

YOUTH & FAMILY SERVICES/PREVENTION & AFTERCARE

FAMILY DEVELOPMENT COACHING

Could you use a helping hand to get through a challenge with your child? Do you need assistance finding resources to help your family? Work with a family coach to learn how to plan, prioritize and reach your goals, access important services, and explore ways to strengthen your family bonds. Must have a child in the home 18 years old or younger.

CRAFTY CLUB

Mondays | 6:30 – 8 PM

Veterans Park | Ages: 18 and up

Keep Calm and Craft on! Crafting isn't just for Kids! Come explore your inner crafter. Share your gifts and talents or learn something new from others.

STRONGER TOGETHER LADIES CIRCLE

Tuesdays | 5-6 PM

Carson Community Center | Ages: 18 and up

Come relax and chat with us! Expand your community and support system. Meet some new friends through activities such as meditation, book club, seeking and sharing advice, and giving and receiving support. *Child watch will be provided.

NURTURING FATHER'S PROGRAM

Open to fathers of any age

A nurturing father is a man who actively provides guidance, love and support to enhance the development and growth of their children. This program is an evidence-based training course created to help teach parenting and nurturing skills to men. This group provides proven, effective skills for healthy family relationships and child development.

YOUTH SERVICES PROGRAMS

Coming soon...



ALL CLASSES ARE FREE OF CHARGE

For more information, please contact Jenice Deguzman, Youth and Family Services Coordinator at 310-835-0212 x1671

SENIOR RECREATION (VIRTUAL CLASSES)



Join our virtual classes from the comfort of your home.

All classes are free for adults 50 years and above.

For more information, please call
(310) 952-1782 ext. 1479.

FUNCTIONAL FITNESS WITH SUE Tuesday

9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

A low impact cardio class that strengthens and enables the body to perform everyday movements and tasks more safely and effectively.

SALSA WITH MIKE Wednesday

9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Enjoy the Latin rhythms while learning basic footwork, steps, turns, music timing, and other dance techniques. (No Partner Required)

YOGA WITH CHARLENE Thursday

9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

This class combines yoga poses with breathing and meditation techniques. All levels welcome, regardless of the fitness level or yoga experience.

COMING SOON

- Needle Craft Class
- Salsa Dance
- Table Games
- Music Makers
- Chair Exercise
- Muscle strengthening
- Ukulele Class
- AARP Mature Driving Course

UPCOMING EVENTS

Senior Christmas Luncheon

Friday, December 2, 2022

11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Ticket Sales: (310) 835-0212 Ext. 1479



ELITO SANTARINA SENIOR TECHNOLOGY CENTER

Classes will be resuming soon!

The Senior Computer Lab was dedicated on February 11, 2004 through the generous support of Computers4School. The lab offers 19 computer stations and internet access. Seniors will acquire skills that will allow them to keep up with the advances of technology, and save time with tasks such as preparing tax forms, researching information and communicating with their loved ones.

NOTE: Must be 50+ of age in order to participate.

SENIOR RECREATION (IN-PERSON CLASSES)

FREE CLASSES FOR 50+

CARSON PARK

21411 Orrick Ave, Carson, CA 90745

ZUMBA WITH JEWEL Tuesday & Thursday

9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Combines Latin music with dance, aerobic elements, and choreographed steps.

LINE DANCING WITH JEWEL Tuesday

8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
Learn and perform the latest line dance steps, while you enjoy the company of fellow line dancers. All levels welcome.

HULA HOOP FITNESS WITH SUE

Monday
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Discover a whole new way of working out while having fun and burning calories with a hula hoop.

ZUMBA GOLD WITH JEWEL Thursday

8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
Improve your health! Boost your mood, burn fat, strengthen bones and improve your stamina with this class. 2 pound weights recommended.

YOGA WITH SUE Wednesday

9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
A combination of yoga poses, breathing and meditation techniques. All levels welcome, regardless of fitness level or yoga experience.



OPEN BASKETBALL Monday - Thursday

10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.
Be introduced to the game of basketball or sharpen your skills. Open to beginners and advanced players.

COUNTRY LINE DANCING Friday

9:00 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.
Learn and perform the latest country western steps, while you enjoy the company of fellow line dancers. All levels welcome.

FUNCTIONAL FITNESS WITH SUE

Wednesday
8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
A low impact cardio class that strengthens and enables the body to perform everyday movements and tasks more safely and effectively.

FITNESS CENTER

Monday - Thursday

8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Open conditioning, fitness machine and weights. No trainer on site.

FOISIA PARK

23410 Catskill Avenue Carson, CA 90745

FITNESS CENTER

Monday - Friday
8:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Open conditioning, fitness machines, and weights. No trainer on site.

OPEN BASKETBALL

Monday - Friday
8:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Be introduced to the game of basketball or sharpen your skills. Open to beginners and advanced players.

STEVENSON PARK

17400 Lysander Drive, Carson, CA 90746

FITNESS CENTER

Monday • Wednesday • Friday
8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Open conditioning, fitness machines and weights. No trainer on site.

YOGA WITH SUE

Monday • 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
This class combines yoga poses with breathing and meditation techniques. All levels welcome, regardless of fitness level or Yoga experience.

LINE DANCING WITH JEWEL

Friday • 10:00 a.m. - 11:40 a.m.
Learn and perform the latest country western steps, while you enjoy the company of fellow line dancers. All levels welcome.

All classes are subject to change. Safety protocols followed.

REGISTER
<https://cutt.ly/OnlineReg>



THERAPEUTIC RECREATION



Therapeutic Recreation is designed to meet the recreational, social, and physical needs of individuals with disabilities. Our focus is to improve the quality of life for all participants through structured programming carried out by trained staff. Registration is required for all programs and will only be accepted from the legal guardian.

For more information, please call
(310) 952-1782 ext. 1465 or ext. 1470.

BENEFITS

- Develop social skills and make new friends
- Improve physical activity and health
- Develop motor skills
- Build self-esteem and confidence
- Learn new skills
- Discover new experiences

PROGRAMS

Activities may include sports, exercise, arts, virtual classes, occupational therapy, and social clubs.

For more information on current and upcoming classes being offered, please contact us to be added to our mailing list.

Therapeutic Recreation welcomes new program suggestions.

We would love to hear from you!



SUPPORT GROUPS

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

This support group is offered to adults of all ages who are family caregivers of other adults in their life. Whether you are taking care of a parent, spouse, adult child, or other loved one, many of the stresses and struggles are the same. The goal is to provide support and ideas that will help caregivers better cope with and manage the shared problems in a safe and caring environment. The group meets on the first and third Thursdays of each month from 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Please call Amanda Valorosi for more info at (310) 952-1782 ext. 1471.



BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

This weekly support group is offered to adults of all ages who have experienced grief after the loss of a loved one. Whether the death was recent or years ago, join us to discuss your feelings or simply listen to others. Meetings are held in a safe, welcoming, and caring environment. Ongoing weekly meetings are held on Wednesdays at the Carson Event Center.

Good Grief 10:30 a.m.

Beyond the Grief 12:00 p.m.

Please call the facilitator to find out which group may be a good fit for you: (310) 835-0212 ext. 1471.

KINSHIP SUPPORT GROUP

The mission of this group is to provide programs and services to meet the urgent and on-going needs of grandparents and other relatives raising children at-risk. Join us to access resources for programs and services for raising children with care. Bi-weekly meetings are held Mondays from 9:00-11:00 a.m. at the Carson Event Center. For more info, please call Amanda Valorosi at (310) 835-0212 ext. 1471.



**Tuesdays
at 3:00 p.m.**

Carson Community Center
801 E. Carson Street
Carson, CA 90745

Registration required on ActiveNet

Offered throughout the year in 8-week sessions. This is a welcoming special interest group for Seniors. Weekly 90 minute meetings each have a new topic of discussion where participants are each given time to tell their story. Topics evoke feelings, thoughts and lessons learned through life experience.

In this shared space, seniors are able to learn from one another.

**Space is limited;
RSVP required NO Drop Ins**

For questions or to sign up,
please call Amanda Valorosi
at (310) 835-0212 ext. 1471.

INFORMATION & REFERRAL

Dedicated to assisting the senior residents of Carson age 60 and older by helping them help themselves. Our focus is on providing information and referrals to individuals so they can age in place safely and with dignity.



SENIOR INFORMATION AND RESOURCE FAIRS

A senior focused, quarterly event bringing information and resources from the community all into one convenient place. Come talk to local vendors and community organizations about the latest resources and services available.

This open air event includes a variety of representatives from community partners, as well as various city departments providing all of the up to date resources you need for yourself or family members. All are welcome, no RSVP necessary.

Winter Fair is scheduled for Thursday, January 19, 2023 in the Atrium of the Carson Community Center. 9:00 am - 11:00 am. For more information please call Amanda Valorosi (310) 952-1782.



EMERGENCY ALERT RESPONSE SYSTEM

In an effort to assist seniors with living independently in their own homes, the City provides Emergency Alert Response Systems to qualified residents living in Carson who are unable to afford the monthly expense. With the assistance of a contracted agency, Lifestation, a personal response unit can be connected to your landline in order to provide monitoring. For more information regarding this program, please call Amanda Valorosi (310) 835-0212 x1471. An in home assessment will be necessary to verify eligibility.

FOOD AND MEAL ASSISTANCE

The YMCA will be returning for congregate senior lunches Monday-Friday. Meals on Wheels are also still available. For more information contact the YMCA directly (310) 835-0212 x 1487.

FOOD STAMP/ MEDI-CAL APPLICATIONS

Los Angeles County Public Social Services does not currently provide onsite representatives to complete Food Stamp and Medi-Cal applications. Please call the Customer Service Line at (866) 613-3777, or apply online at <https://www.coveredca.com/>

CAREGIVER RESOURCES

Los Angeles Caregiver Resource Center
losangelescrc.usc.edu (800) 540-4442
Wise & Healthy Aging
wiseandhealthyaging.org (310) 394-9871

INFORMATION AND REFERRAL



Becoming a Member is Easy and Affordable!

Anyone 50 and better can become a member! Our members come from all walks of life: many are retired yet others are still working, and there are no educational requirements. Just complete the [registration form](#) on www.csudh.edu/olli or email olli@csudh.edu. The \$30 annual membership fee includes the Osher Lecture Series and many other free online classes and virtual tours

PROGRAMS & ACTIVITIES

In our **OLLI Course Catalog**, you will find many **FREE** virtual courses, programs, and special activities. Here is a sampling of our courses: Alzheimer's LA Workshops; Learn to Speak French, Cyber-Seniors; Osher Lecture Series, Thursday Morning Book Club, TED Talks, Virtual Baking Workshops, Virtual Gardening; discussion groups, virtual tours and **much more**.

**"Lifelong learning
is a shared adventure"**

Be a lifelong learner, Bring a lifelong learner.

Join like-minded individuals and build new skills, improve memory, and connect with a vibrant virtual learning community.

Follow us on [Facebook.com/csudholli](https://www.facebook.com/csudholli)

OLLI@CSUDH MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

(*The OLLI Catalog has a full list of membership benefits)

- * Special New Members Orientation
- * Access to licensed Zoom account
- * Participate at reduced rates Open University
- * Enroll in special interest, technology and other workshops designed for lifelong learners
- * Receive an OLLI Catalog each semester
- * Make new friends with like-minded adults in a supportive learning environment
- * Receive a reduced fee for an annual parking pass
- * Join an OLLI@CSUDH Volunteer Committee

I thank the wonderful programs at OLLI, especially the partnership we have with the international program for this opportunity to learn from Ren, a young student. OLLI@CSUDH opens doors to seniors like we would never expect. Thank you OLLI and Ren.

-Sauti Baraka, OLLI@CSUDH Member

Email olli@csudh.edu to subscribe to OLLI's FREE weekly emails. The Weekly contains course information, pop-up events and much more. If you have any questions, call 310-243-3208.



homeless outreach portal

HOMELESS RESOURCES

If someone you know is homeless, P.A.T.H. (People Assisting The Homeless) can help. Call 2-1-1 to request Homeless Outreach. Homeless individuals or families can be connected with services that include housing assistance, veteran services, mental health care, medical clinic, employment services, and benefits enrollment. You can also make an online referral request at

<https://www.lahsa.org/portal/apps/la-hop/>



HOUSING RIGHTS CENTER

WORKING FOR JUSTICE AND EQUALITY IN HOUSING

The Housing Rights Center can answer your questions about fair housing, rent increases, COVID-19 eviction protections, and more.

Visit our FREE walk-in clinic the first Wednesday of each month from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. to learn about tenant and landlord rights and responsibilities.

HOUSING RESOURCES

Housing Rights Center: (800) 477-5977

Public Housing Assistance: (800) 955-2232

LA County HUD: (626) 586-1500



Starting in January, Human Services will collaborate with Partners in Care Foundation to provide health education and self-management skills to Carson seniors.

Workshops include:

Healthier Living

Fall Prevention

Diabetes Self-Management

Chronic Pain Self-Management Program

Arthritis Foundation Walk with Ease Program



For more information, please call Amanda Valorosi at (310) 835-0212 ext. 1471, or visit: Partners In Care Foundation | (picf.org)



Human Services will also continue to partner with Bet Tzedek to provide free workshops for seniors that focus on being safe and savvy.

Workshops may include topics such as:

Contractor Fraud

Trusts, Wills, and Advanced Directives

Elder Abuse

Safety Awareness

Scams and Scam Prevention Tips

INDOOR AND OUTDOOR RESERVATIONS



MAKE A RESERVATION

Hours: Monday - Thursday • 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. • **Contact:** (310) 847-3570

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- You can either make payments in person at the Reservations Office or online at payment.carson.ca.us/recreationonline/index.asp
- Acceptable Payments: Money Orders/Cashier's Checks (Payable to City of Carson), Credit/Debit Card (Visa and Mastercard accepted)
- Reservations are taken two (2) months in advance. To cancel a reservation date, please contact us fourteen (14) working days prior to the date of the reservation in order to receive a refund. Cancellations in the final 48 hours may be subject to forfeiting all monies collected. No refunds will be given for cancellations the day of the event. Cancellations are subject to a \$50 fee.

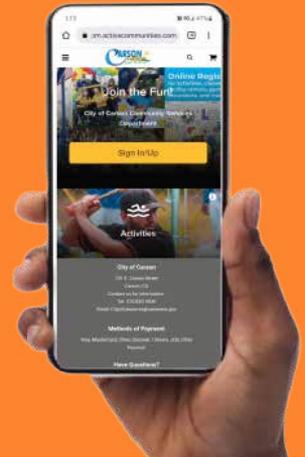


COMMUNITY SERVICES Online Class Registration

Register and pay for the following using your mobile device:

Activities, classes, youth/adult sports, facility rentals, gym memberships, excursions, and more!

REGISTER
<https://cutt.ly/OnlineReg>



PROPOSED TEMPORARY EVENT USE PERMIT

The City of Carson is looking to implement a Temporary Event Use Permit process. These temporary permits could ensure that temporary events are conducted in a manner that does not unduly impede, obstruct, impair, or interfere with the free use of the City's right-of-way, i.e., public streets or sidewalks, or other public property. Additionally, the permit application can regulate the competing use of public forums, while respecting and preserving the rights of all persons to engage in constitutionally protected speech and expression.

For more information, please call (310) 835-0212.

Ride with Long Beach Transit

Service in the City of Carson

LBT ROUTES	WEEKDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
1	5:20 a.m. - 7:50 p.m.	6:45 a.m. - 8:20 p.m.	6:45 a.m. - 8:20 p.m.
2	5:03 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.	10:08 am - 6:00 p.m.	No Service
4	5:15 a.m. - 7:43 p.m.	10:38 a.m. - 5:41 p.m.	No Service
8	5:10 a.m. - 7:47 p.m.	10:30 a.m. - 5:44 p.m.	No Service



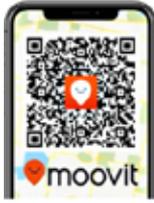
If you need assistance planning your trip, you can contact our Customer Care team at **562.591.2301**.

Si necesita ayuda para planificar su viaje, puede llamar a nuestro equipo de Atención al Cliente al **562.591.2301**.



LONG BEACH
TRANSIT

ridelbt.com/carson



Plan with Moovit

The Moovit app allows you to plan your trip, view schedule information and receive alerts and updates.

Scan the QR code to download

Carson Circuit Routes

ROUTE	FREQUENCY
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A Every 40 minutes

B Every 40 minutes

ROUTE	SERVICE SPAN
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A 7:00 a.m. - 9:55 a.m. M-F
2:00 p.m. - 4:55 p.m. M-F

B 7:00 a.m. - 9:55 a.m. M-F
2:00 p.m. - 4:55 p.m. M-F

* No midday service*
Both Routes begin and end at the SouthBay Pavilion

FARES

Regular: \$ 1.00 Seniors (60+): Free
Carson Circuit Transfer: Free



ROUTE A
ROUTE B



Please scan for more information

TRANSPORTATION

CITY SPONSORED EVENTS



City of Carson is slowly bringing back fun-filled outings for 2023. Because safety is still our first priority, some excursions will be limited capacity to properly practice social distancing.

All excursions depart and returns from the Juanita Millender-McDonald Community Center

Online payments are now available through ActiveNet.
For more information or call (310) 952-1757

TAMALE FESTIVAL – SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2022

Indio International Tamale Festival is back! Tamales, food and drinks! Bring the entire family to enjoy the festival! There will be great food, shopping and outdoor entertainment. Attractions and rides require either wristbands or tickets which can be purchased at the Box Office. **Cost of \$20.00 per person includes round-trip bus transportation only. Bus departs at 8:00 a.m. and returns at 6:00 p.m.**

FLOATFEST: A ROSE PARADE SHOWCASE - MONDAY, JANUARY 2, 2023

Come rain or shine, walk within feet of the floral and animated masterpieces. Take a closer look at the design and workmanship that went into each float entry after the Rose Parade! **Cost of \$40.00 per person includes round-trip bus transportation and entrance tickets. Bus departs at 12:30 pm and returns at 6:00 pm.**

DOWNTOWN DISNEY DISTRICT – TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 2023

Make way for more love and magic with unique eateries, shops and entertainment! Check out Disney fan favorite shop “World of Disney” where you can immerse yourself in fairy dust without breaking the bank. **Cost of \$25.00 per person includes round-trip bus transportation. Bus departs at 10:00 am and returns at 4:00 pm.**

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL – SATURDAY, MAY 2023

The California Strawberry Festival is among the top festivals with plenty of strawberry theme food booths, contests, rides and Arts & Crafts vendors. It's the perfect summer kickoff for the whole family. **Cost of \$45.00 per person includes round-trip bus transportation and ticket. Bus departs at 8:00 am and returns at 6:00 pm.**

DIAL-A-RIDE PROGRAM:

DAR Program Expansion: Rides may now use Dial-A-Ride for travel within the expanded border of Carson FOR ANY PURPOSE. Travel outside of Carson was previously limited to medical and social service facilities. But now, participants can use the taxi for grocery shopping, banking, recreation and medical within the boundaries of Del Amo, Atlantic,



The Transportation office is now open to receive payments via Cash (exact change only), checks or credit card. Online payments can be made at <https://apm.activecommunities.com/carsonca/Membership>. Please visit our Dial-A-Ride website for help in creating a new ActiveNet account.

GENERAL CARSON RESIDENT Transportation:

The City is offering 50% off taxi ride to Carson residents that travel WITHIN Carson city-limits Proof of residency required. **Please call (888) 711-8294**

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ACCESS PARATRANSIT:

For more information on this shared-ride service for individual with disabilities provided by the County of Los Angeles, call (800) 827-0829 or visit: <https://accessla.org/>.

Carson EVENT CENTER

Space, value and location

Tours available by appointment only

The Carson Event Center is operated by the City of Carson, and offers 40,000 square feet of versatile meeting and event spaces. Interested in hosting a special event, wedding reception or holiday party? Let us assist you with all your logistical needs, as our knowledgeable staff has extensive experience in event planning, and pride ourselves on exceptional customer service before and throughout your entire event. We look forward to making your dream become a reality.



Contact Double Tree Hotel to learn more about discounted room rates as a booked Carson Event Center client.



 facebook.com/carsonctr/

 instagram.com/carsoneventcenter/

 yelp.com/biz/carson-center-carson

801 E. Carson Street, Carson, CA 90745 | www.carsoncenter.com | (310) 835-0212



Save The Date

TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY

Thursday, December 1, 2022 | 6:00 P.M.
Carson Event Center

WINTERFEST

Saturday, December 10, 2022 | 12:00 P.M.
Veterans Park

TRIBUTE TO DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Friday, January 13, 2023 | 6:00 P.M.
Carson Event Center

BLACK HISTORY MONTH CELEBRATION

Saturday, February 11, 2023 | 1:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.
Carson Event Center



THINGS RESIDENTS SHOULD KNOW

Parking is not allowed on grass or unpaved areas.

Vehicles receive parking citations ranging from \$100 - \$500 each violation.

Trash & recycling containers are not allowed to be visible from public right-of-way except AFTER 6 P.M. the day before scheduled pick-up UNTIL 10 P.M. the day of pick-up. Smaller containers can be requested from Waste Resources (888) 467-7600.

Appliances, furniture, trash, & other items are not allowed to be visible from the public right-of-way. Large/bulky item pick-up can be requested through Waste Resources (888) 467-7600.

Nothing can be placed on the public right-of-way, including basketball hoops, signs/flyers on utility poles or parkway trees, televisions, computers, etc.

Abandoned, wrecked, inoperable vehicles with obvious signs of damage such as flat tires, broken windows, etc. **are not allowed** to be parked visible from the public right-of-way, including on the street.

Auto repair is restricted in residential areas to minor repairs of vehicles & **is not allowed on the public right-of-way (street, alley, etc.)**.

A business license or permit must be obtained for any & all business conducted in the city, including yard sales, from the Revenue Division (310) 952-1748.

Resident must maintain vegetation on property, including bushes & trees, so that it does not become overgrown, dead/dry, &/or obstruct public right-of-way.

A building permit must be obtained through the Building & Safety Division (310) 952-1766 for any alteration to a structure such as re-roofing, window change outs, room additions, etc. **PRIOR** to work being done.

There is a limit of 3 animals at one location & certain animals such as pigs, chickens, roosters are prohibited in the city.

Residents are responsible for maintaining property free of graffiti. Vouchers for painting supplies can be requested through the Landscape & Building Maintenance Division (310) 847-3500.

Pet owners are required by County ordinance to regularly remove and dispose of pet waste from one's private property as well as removing and discarding their pet's waste that has been deposited on others' property as well as public property.

For questions regarding Code Enforcement, contact the Public Safety Department at (310) 952-1786.

HELPFUL CONTACT INFORMATION

Carson City Maintenance Divisions
Emergencies 911

Landscape & Building Maintenance
(310) 847-3500
(Citywide Graffiti Removal, Maintenance of City Parks & Facilities)

Street Maintenance
(310) 847-3520
(Street/Sidewalk Repairs, Parkway Trees, Sandbag Distribution, Debris on Street)

Carson Community Center
(310) 835- 0212
www.carsoncenter.com

Carson Chamber of Commerce
(310) 217-4590
www.carsonchamber.com

Compton Courthouse
(310) 762-9100
www.lasuperiorcourt.org

**LA County Registrar-Recorder
County Clerk (Norwalk)**
www.lavote.net
Voter info. (800) 815-2666
Birth, Death, Marriage, Property Records
(800) 201-8999

LA County Animal Control
(310) 523-9566
Carson Animal Shelter

Parking Enforcement Center
(800) 654-7275
(Re: Parking Tickets)

Shopping Cart Retrieval
(800) 252-4613

Traffic Signal Repairs
City (800) 229-6090
County (626) 458-4357

California Water Service Company
(310) 257-1400
www.calwatergroup.com

Southern California Edison
(800) 684-8123
www.sce.com

Southern California Gas Company
(800) 427-2200
www.socalgas.com

**South Coast Air Quality
Management District**
Report odor complaints
or call (800) 288-7664
(800) CUT-SMOG
aqmd.gov/home/air-quality/complaints

Household Hazardous Waste
(888) 253-2652
Collection (LA Public Works)
Clean LA
www.888CleanLa.com

Waste Resources
(888) 467-7600
(310) 847-3520
(Trash Company)

Public Information Office—Carson
701 E. Carson Street
Carson, CA 90745

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CITY OF CARSON

55th

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Celebrating Our Heritage and Embracing Our Future
1968 - 2023

Gala BALL

You are cordially invited to attend on
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2023

TICKETS: \$55 PER PERSON • TABLES: \$440 (SEATS 8)

Carson Event Center
801 E. CARSON STREET, CARSON, CA 90745

ATTIRE: FORMAL

*Purchase tickets in-person at the Carson Event Center
Credit Card, Check and Cashier's Check accepted*

*For more information,
please call (310) 835-0212*