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WELCOME TO THE 2024-2025 WINTER 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 80% of the city's residences, to the partnership between businesses and volunteer driven agencies which strengthen the city's remarkable social fabric.

Carson's community is a dynamic microcosm of California's rich diversity, capturing its wide-ranging cultural and social spectrum within our close-knit community. 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.

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Lula Davis-Holmes

Mayor Pro Tem
Dr. Jawane Hilton
District 1

Councilmember
Cedric L. Hicks, Sr.
District 3

Councilmember
Jim Dear
District 2

Councilmember
Arleen Bocatija Rojas
District 4

City Clerk
Dr. Khaleah Bradshaw

City Treasurer
Monica Cooper

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A MESSAGE FROM CITY MANAGER DAVID C. ROBERTS, JR.



Dear Carson Community,

As the winter air brings a refreshing change and we look forward to the new year, I am filled with gratitude for the unwavering dedication of our Mayor, City Council and staff. Their tireless efforts have borne fruit in the form of remarkable enhancements to our beloved city. We are thrilled to announce the opening of 20 V4 superchargers at the Carson Event Center, ensuring that Carson stays at the forefront of sustainable innovation. The upcoming stations across various city facilities mark a leap towards a greener future.

Our award-winning city was selected as one of the 2024 Beacon Vanguard Award Winners. The Institute for Local Government gave Carson the highest level award which is the Platinum Vanguard Award. These achievements are based on our community greenhouse gas reductions, agency greenhouse gas reductions and energy savings along with our sustainability best practices. This designation is a testament to the staff's dedication and innovation.

The heart of our community, the Carson Event Center, will soon resonate with the sounds of celebration and unity from the new amphitheater. There will also be a new courtyard that will be available space for various events. Our little ones will be greeted with playful breezes under the newly added shaded sails at the preschool, fostering a delightful environment for learning and growth. The parks that house our shared memories—Carriage Crest Park, Mills Park, and Foisia Park—are undergoing significant improvements.

Carriage Crest Park is expanding its horizons with more acres and a new dog park for our furry friends.

Foisia Park will soon boast an event stage that will be the canvas for our cultural expressions, and an artistic feature that pays homage to our rich Samoan and Polynesian culture, reflecting our city's diverse spirit. These enhancements are not just projects; they are the embodiment of our collective vision for Carson—a city that cherishes its roots while embracing the winds of change.

Let us step into the new year with a renewed sense of community and anticipation for the experiences that await us. Thank you Mayor, City Council, staff and Carson residents, for your support and for being the cornerstone of every milestone we achieve.

Warm regards,

David C. Roberts, Jr.

City Manager
City of Carson

SHERIFF'S CORNER

BY CAPTAIN ALISE NORMAN



HELLO CARSON RESIDENTS!

I am Captain Alise Norman, the new unit commander for Carson Sheriff's Station! I am a 28-year veteran of the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department. After joining the Department in 1996, I have served in a variety of assignments within custody, patrol and administrative operations. In 2000, I started my patrol career as a deputy sheriff here at Carson Sheriff's Station. I worked patrol assignments that included community policing, crime investigation and working the COPS and Park Enforcement Teams solving quality of life issues. In 2006, I transferred to the Training Bureau's Academy and successfully graduated more than 1000 deputy sheriff trainees and participating agency recruits.

After my promotion to the position of sergeant in 2009, I briefly worked at the Inmate Reception Center before returning to the Carson Sheriff's Station. During my tenure as a sergeant, I supervised patrol personnel, the COPS, Parks, and Summer Enforcement Teams.

As a patrol sergeant, I gained valuable experience in various areas, demonstrating exceptional leadership and a commitment to community engagement. In 2014 when I was selected to supervise the high performing team at Field Operations Support Services, I transferred to Risk Management Bureau.

I was quickly recognized for my professionalism and leadership by department executives and selected for the position of chief's aide for the Custody Services Division.

I supported Custody Services Division by managing all administrative responsibilities until my promotion to lieutenant in 2017.

As a lieutenant, I returned to a patrol environment to work as the watch commander for Lomita and South Los Angeles Sheriff's Stations. I was again selected to return to manage the Corrective Action, and Discovery Unit at Risk Management Bureau. This assignment led to my selection as the Operations Lieutenant that entailed managing Civil Litigation, Corrective Action, Discovery Units and Traffic Services Detail for Risk Management Bureau.

In this role, I was responsible for responding to and participating in the Critical Incident Review process. In 2022, I was requested to join the team as the chief's aide for Professional Standards Division. My responsibilities included managing administrative

functions, participating in internal accountability forums, and briefing executives on confidential personnel findings.

In 2023, I was requested to join the team of Sheriff Robert Luna as his executive lieutenant aide. This very unique assignment afforded me the opportunity to observe outstanding leadership styles and to respect the importance of working with county stakeholders in support of providing exceptional law enforcement services for the County of Los Angeles. I am committed to transparency and accountability.

I believe in the importance of open communication between law enforcement and the community, and I look forward to addressing concerns and gathering feedback from Carson residents.

Public safety is always our top priority. Carson Sheriff's Station is here to find solutions and hold those who are scamming folks accountable. We are committed to supporting anyone who has been through the trauma of being victimized by scammers. If at any time you see or suspect



any suspicious or fraudulent activity, please immediately contact Carson Sheriff's Station at (310) 830-1123.

Follow the Carson Sheriff's Station on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram for additional resources, safety tips, and upcoming department events.

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

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SUPERCHARGING OUR UNLIMITED FUTURE: NEW EV CHARGING STATIONS IN CARSON



LOCATION	ADDRESS	EV CHARGERS	REAL TIME MONITORING	BIKE & BIKE MONITORING	TYPE	STATUS
Anderson Park	1801 Anderson Avenue, Carson, CA 90746	10	Y	Y	Level 2	Under construction
Carson Park	1000 Carson Avenue, Carson, CA 90746	10	Y	Y	Level 2	Under construction
Carson Event Center	1000 Carson Avenue, Carson, CA 90746	20	Y	Y	Level 2 Supercharger	Complete
Community Center (West)	1001 E. Carson Street, Carson, CA 90746	10	Y	Y	Level 2	Under construction
Community Center (East)	1001 S. Carson Street, Carson, CA 90746	10	Y	Y	Level 2	Under construction
Compton Park	1000 Compton Avenue, Carson, CA 90746	10	Y	Y	Level 2	Under construction
Corporate Yard 1	1001 S. Carson Street, Carson, CA 90746	10	Y	Y	Level 2	Under construction
Corporate Yard 2	1001 S. Carson Street, Carson, CA 90746	10	Y	Y	Level 2	Under construction
Dominguez Park	1001 S. Carson Street, Carson, CA 90746	10	Y	Y	Level 2	Under construction
Harbor Park	1001 S. Carson Street, Carson, CA 90746	10	Y	Y	Level 2	Under construction
Harborway Park	1001 S. Carson Street, Carson, CA 90746	10	Y	Y	Level 2	Under construction
Harborway Aquatic Center	1001 S. Carson Street, Carson, CA 90746	10	Y	Y	Level 2	Under construction
Victorians Park	1001 S. Carson Street, Carson, CA 90746	10	Y	Y	Level 2	Under construction
Total		100				

Carson is one of the first cities in the South Bay to have 20 V4 Tesla superchargers which are located at the Carson Event Center. The station includes 20 V4 superchargers and serves both Tesla and non-Tesla Electric Vehicles (EV).

The new superchargers, located at the Carson Event Center, are strategically positioned near one of

the most heavily trafficked corridors in the state, offering easy access to drivers. The project is expected to bolster local businesses by attracting more visitors to the area, thereby contributing to Carson's economy.

It was important to the city that the new charging station meets the needs of all electric vehicle drivers.

In addition to the 20 charging stalls, the station includes two accessible stalls, further demonstrating the City's commitment to inclusivity. There are also over 130 Level 2 EV charging ports that are currently under construction at multiple City facilities.



GROUNDBREAKING NEWS



New things are on the way for Carson. The four sites that will be transformed are the Carson Event Center Amphitheater, Mills Park, Carriage Crest Park and Foisia Park. Each location held groundbreaking events. It is an exciting time for the community as the sites journey from concept, to construction and finally completion.

The Carson Event Center will get a state-of-the-art amphitheater that will provide a great stage for events and celebrations. The upgrades also include an enclosed courtyard with a water feature. Both spaces will be a great outdoor venue that enhances the arts, entertainment, and social cohesion in Carson.

One of the long awaited upgrades that will come to Mills Park is a full sized basketball court.

There will also be a new larger inclusive playground. The work out station will now be cooler from the shaded sails that will cover the area.

Carriage Crest Park will be expanding in acres. It will make history by having the first dog park in the city. Our sport enthusiasts can play volleyball, pickleball, basketball, baseball and soccer on new fields.

Foisia Park was named in honor of the late James M. Foisia, a mentor and retired Park Center Supervisor. The new design will celebrate his Polynesian and Samoan Heritage with an art piece at the new community stage. The park enhancements include a new playground, exercise station and new picnic shelters.

Carson is a vibrant and diverse community and the upgrades at these four sites are a testament to the city's commitment to provide quality spaces for the community to host their memories and experiences. We look forward to the completion of these projects knowing this is only the beginning of upgrades for the city.

CARSON AMPHITHEATER

"It's going to be nice for the Island of Carson. It's going to have enough parking. The community and churches are going to rent this for their functions."
(Faikiki & Rose Simi - Resident)

"This right here is going to really bring more people in, more entertainers and just making a complete full on premium experience that I'm looking forward to"
(Brandon Williams - Resident)

MILLS PARK

"My child has participated in the summer activities I've hosted church picnics and family gatherings here. The park is already beautiful but I'm so excited after hearing all the wonderful things getting ready to happen that we'll continue to make great use of this park in this community"
(Pshyra Jones - Resident)



CARSON'S COMMITMENT TO CLIMATE RESILIENCE

The City of Carson was selected by the Institute for Local Government (ILG), for the 2024 Beacon Vanguard Award. For 14 years, the Beacon Program has encouraged, supported, and recognized voluntary action by local governments throughout California to address climate change, promote energy innovation and create more sustainable communities.

Carson is honored to be recognized for the following achievements.

- Platinum Level Award for 67% Community Greenhouse Gas Reductions
- Platinum Level Award for 26% Agency Greenhouse Gas Reductions
- Platinum Level Award for 22% Agency Energy Savings
- Platinum Level Award in Sustainability Best Practices



CALIFORNIA CLIMATE CREDIT

Look out for the October 2024* distribution of \$86.00 on your electricity bill.

* Billing periods vary by utility and may not always coincide with a calendar month.

California Climate Credits help mitigate large and unexpected winter bills.



EMPOWER HER: CARSON'S 10TH ANNUAL WOMEN'S HEALTH CONFERENCE

On October 18, 2024, the City of Carson hosted the 10th Annual Women's Health Conference. The purpose of this conference is to bring women of all ages and abilities together to learn from local medical experts, to engage with resource and retail vendors, and to socialize with a diverse group of women at an event that promotes healthy lifestyles and community wellness.

The medical professionals who attend and provide panel discussions and workshop sessions do so on their own time. This year's panel discussed topics such as yoga, medication management, nutrition, cancer prevention, and ophthalmology, allowing attendees to ask questions and receive answers in real time in a safe space. The medical professionals who offered educational workshops discussed brain health, cancer prevention, dermatology, diabetes, Medicare, mental wellness, sleep, and stroke prevention. All attendees select two educational workshops based on personal preference. Each year the topics vary, which lends itself to endless learning.

In addition to the educational sessions, there were 32 resource and retail vendors onsite throughout the entire day. There were also medical screeners onsite from Torrance Memorial, offering

non-invasive screenings such as blood pressure checks.

A recent addition to the Women's Health Conference was the Young Women's Conference, which happens onsite simultaneously, and invites local high school and college students to attend their own mini conference. The young women remain in one room and listen to a variety of professionals speak about topics such as self-care, fitness, financial literacy, entrepreneurship, community activism, and more. At the conclusion of the presentations, the young women join the traditional conference for lunch. This fosters social cohesiveness, as the Young Women's Conference hopes to serve as a feeder program into the Women's Health Conference. The women in the traditional conference welcomed the young women with open arms, enjoying lunch, live entertainment, and a keynote address side by side.

The most memorable experience for the attendees was the annual Parade of Survivors. Women who self-identify as cancer survivors gathered in the lobby of the main hall and donned pink graduation gowns and sashes that expressed how many years of survivorship they were celebrating.



They entered the hall and danced their way onstage, absorbing all the love and well-wishes from 600 attendees in a beautiful, emotional moment. The Women's Health Conference is always held the third Friday in October, so whether you want to attend as a conference goer, a vendor, or a volunteer, mark your calendars for October 17, 2025!



Your Safety, Our Priority

The Public Safety Department is enhancing security in our parks with the installation of surveillance cameras, ensuring a safer environment for all visitors. With phase one successfully in place, we are now working on phase two, which will extend these safety measures to include mini parks throughout our city. This initiative aims to protect our community and provide peace of mind in every green space we enjoy.



There is an ordinance for RV owners?

Failure to obtain an RV permit could result in a daily administrative citation of \$250 and/or possibly of tow.

FEE SCHEDULE:

Initial Fee: \$200

Annual Renew: \$100

Guest Permit: \$25 per calendar day (minimum 20 guest passes annually)



CITY OF CARSON PUBLIC SAFETY Homeless Outreach Program



CARSON SHERIFF'S STATION: 911
Carson Sheriff's Station
Non-Emergency (310) 830-1123

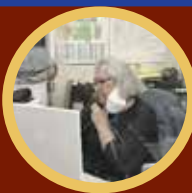


CITY OF CARSON PUBLIC SAFETY
(310) 952-1786



PUBLIC SAFETY ENGAGEMENT OFFICERS
(310) 952-1786

ESSENTIAL COMMUNITY SERVICES
2-1-1 www.211.org
Housing Bills, Finding Food, Healthcare,
Substance Abuse



SUICIDE AND CRISIS HOTLINE: 988
By Call or Text
Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services



LA County Adult Protective Services
24 hours a day, 7 days a week
Elder Abuse Hotline: (877) 477-3646



Interested in creating a Neighborhood Watch Group?

Interested in creating a Neighborhood Watch Group? It's a great way to enhance safety, build community, and reduce crime in your area. To get started, gather a group of interested neighbors, contact your Public Safety Department for guidance, and schedule your first meeting. Benefits include increased vigilance, stronger community bonds, and a safer neighborhood for everyone. Let's work together to keep our community secure!

For more information, please email scardona@carsonca.gov



PUBLIC WORKS

ALL CITY REPAIRS STREET PROJECT

When is my street going to be repaired?

Please note that the citywide paving improvement is an ongoing multi-year maintenance program that will repair all streets in Carson. The project will require continuous scheduling. The work is being approached in a systematic manner that considers the many factors that can negatively impact the progress. This means that we must do our best to adhere to the schedule created by our staff and the city contractor. Please be assured that your street will also receive all needed maintenance as part of this citywide paving improvement.

We thank you in advance for your patience and mindfulness as we continue to tackle street repairs in all four districts simultaneously, keeping in mind that our goal is to make all city streets safe and accessible.

How will I know that street maintenance is happening in my area?

There will be "No Parking" signs posted throughout the project indicating the specific dates work will be performed in that area. The schedule and list of streets will be posted on the City's website and social media accounts. Electronic message boards will be posted at strategic locations throughout construction. City contractors will work with the Public Information Office to make sure information is provided to the affected residents. You can also call (310) 847-3535 to request additional information.



How did you determine which streets were priority?

The Pavement Condition Index (PCI) rated the condition of the streets in Carson. Staff identified the streets in each District that were rated as poor to kick-off this project.

How do I find information on the current street schedule?

If you have any questions or concerns about the Citywide Pavement Upgrade, please call City of Carson Public Works at (310) 847-3535 or for the latest information on the current street schedule please visit <https://ci.carson.ca.us/PublicWorks/PW.aspx>

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'Tis the Season to Reduce Waste



Got extra food more than you can eat?

Consider donating unwanted food to your local food bank.
Checkout: The Salvation Army Torrance Corps
(310) 835-1986

Updating your furniture or home décor?

Consider charity donations. Used, yet functional, furniture could be used at shelters.

Updating your wardrobe?

Considering donating unwanted clothing.
Checkout: Goodwill Store Carson
(310) 830-3630

Upgrading your home electronics?

Consider donating electronics rather than throwing them away.
Checkout: Habitat for Humanity of Greater Los Angeles – Torrance
(310) 818-5222.

Why Choose Donation?

Helping those in need with sustainable disposal.

Through donation, we can help both the environment and those less fortunate. Local charities near you can repurpose your unwanted items. Together, we can keep unwanted stuff in use and out of the landfill. Donations can be a great way to reduce our environmental impact and give back to the people and planet.

Get the Kids Involved

Get the little ones in the spirit of giving.

Have the kids clean out the toys they no longer use to make room for new gifts. Have them go with you to donation centers. It's always a good opportunity to show kids kindness and environmental stewardship.

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)

HHW refers to leftover household products. These products include things like paints, cleaners, oils, batteries, and pesticides. These items should not be placed into your trash bins as they require special care during disposal. Whenever you're ready to dispose of these household products they can be dropped off at S.A.F.E. Collection Centers. For a location near you call (800) 988-6942.

What is a reuse center?

A reuse center is a place where residents can pick up unused or partially used products that have been dropped off for disposal. Center staff sets aside products still in good condition and makes them accessible for others to utilize.

Why use reuse centers?

Reuse Centers help divert usable materials from the waste stream, conserve resources and energy, and reduce costs. Los Angeles County residents can pick up these useful products for FREE.

How does it work?

Stop by any of the two Reuse Centers during operating hours. If you need products, the Reuse Center may have it!

You do not need to drop anything off at the HHW collection event to pick up an item from the Reuse Center. To allow everyone in the community an opportunity to pick up products from the Reuse Center, households will be able to choose up to five items per week.

Visit a reuse center near you:

EDCO Recycling & Transfer Center (EDCO)
2755 California Ave.
Signal Hill, CA 90755
Hours of operation:
9 a.m. – 2 p.m.
and open every 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month

Holiday Tree Recycling

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- Place your tree curbside the same day as your regular service. For multi-family dwellings with bin service, trees can be left in the enclosure area.
 - Remove all decorations (ornaments, tinsel, etc.) and metal or plastic- plant stands (wooden tree stands may be left on the tree). Flocked trees are okay.
 - Do not place your tree in a bag.
 - Trees over six feet (6') tall must be cut in half.
- * Trees will be picked up on the following days, on your regular service day: (December 26, 2024 – January 11, 2025).

Did you know...
 Carson recycled 4.9 tons during the 2023-24 tree collection season?
Let's beat those numbers.

Questions?	
COMPANY	PHONE
City of Carson Public Works	(310) 847-3500
Waste Resources Inc.	(888) 467-7600
Bulky Item Pick-Up	(888) 467-7600
Household Hazardous Waste /E-Waste	(888) 253-2652 www.cleanla.com
S.A.F.E. Collection Center	(800) 988-6942 www.888cleanla.com

SEE A PROBLEM? We can fix that.

Download the iWorQ app from the 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.



ILLEGAL DUMPING



GRAFFITI



DOWNED TREES



POTHoles

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



For more information or to follow up with your service, please call Public Works at (310) 847-3500



CARSON ONE-STOP

America's JobCenter
of California

JOB SEEKER

FREE SERVICES FOR YOUR JOB SEARCH IN YOUR COMMUNITY!

What is a One-Stop?

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

What kind of services?

- Employment/Vocational Programs
- Laid Off Program
- Adult/Youth Services
- Veteran Services
- Homeless Services
- Job Training
- Typing Test
- Career Services
- Career Workshop
- Interview Techniques
- Resume Preparation
- Department of Rehabilitation Services



How Does it work?

- Sign-up for information Orientation Session
- Complete the enrollment process.
- GET HIRED!

801 East Carson Street Room 116
Carson, CA 90745
Phone: (310) 680-3870
E-mail: carreception@sbwib.org



BRIDGE-TO-WORK-PROGRAM

ATTENTION FOSTER YOUTH!

Current or former Foster Youth Ages 18-24 years old

NO COST TRAINING, START A HIGH WAGE CAREER IN:

- Certified Nursing Assistant
- Pharmacy Technician
- Peer Support Specialist
- Welding
- Security Guard
- Medical Assistant
- Phlebotomy Technician
- Class A Truck Driver
- CNC Machinist
- Construction

RECEIVE:

- Blueprint Work Readiness Training
- Match you with a Paid work assignment
- Resume Assistance
- Intensive career counseling and case management

Interested? Carson One-Stop


801 E. Carson St., Suite 117,
Carson, CA 90745 • (310) 680-3878

This WOA Title 1 financially assisted program or activity is an equal opportunity employer/program. Auxiliary aids and services available upon request to individuals with disabilities by calling in advance to CRS 1-800-735-2922 or 310-680-3700

**Clean Power Alliance Programs
Help Customers and Communities
Create a Sustainable Future**



**Find the CPA program
that is best for you**

 Join CPA in its commitment to strengthening local communities, benefiting the environment, and building a clean energy future.

Clean Power Alliance (CPA) is a not-for-profit electricity provider serving 35 Southern California communities with clean energy options. Our customer programs help enhance community resilience, conserve energy, reduce harmful greenhouse gas emissions, and save residents and businesses money on their electric bills.

CPA's programs support:

- Grid management and resiliency
- Transportation and building electrification
- Local energy procurement
- Energy and cost savings



Residential Customers

Power Response – Smart Home

Customers receive enrollment incentives by registering qualified smart devices, such as thermostats and electric vehicle chargers. Registered smart devices automatically adjust during high electricity demand, reducing grid stress and increasing resiliency.

Power Response – Multifamily Community

Residents and property owners work together to reduce their electricity use when electricity demand is high. The program provides customers in participating units with smart thermostats and financial incentives.

Power Response – Home

Customers earn money to participate in conserving energy during times of high electricity demand. Residential customers manually adjust their thermostats, lights, and appliances to reduce grid stress and increase resiliency.

Sun Storage Rebate

Homeowners who install an eligible solar battery storage system in their home can apply for a \$750 rebate—with an additional \$250 available to income-eligible customers.

Power Share

Income-qualified customers in under-resourced communities receive 100% renewable energy at a 20% monthly bill discount.

Learn more about CPA's programs
and their benefits at
cleanpoweralliance.org/programs



WE NEED YOUR RECOMMENDATIONS

The City of Carson needs your help in reviewing the walking and biking recommendations in the Active Transportation and Community Connectivity Plan.

These recommendations include:

- ☀️ Comfortable walking and biking facilities
- ☀️ Safe Routes to School
- ☀️ Access to everyday destinations without the use of a motor vehicle

Join Us To Learn More!

We invite you to join us at one of the meetings below, to learn more about how the community helped to shape the Draft Plan. You'll be able to ask questions and provide feedback. Spanish interpretation will be provided at each meeting.

Questions?

Please visit our website to learn more about the project. You can also sign up for project updates, as well as get details regarding upcoming workshops.

VISIT:

virtualeventroom.com/carson_atcp OR scan QR code here:



PLAN GOALS



Safety



Connectivity



Comfort



Climate Resilience



Equity

Community Workshops

Workshop #1

Thursday, November 14, 2024
7 – 8:30pm

Location:

Hemingway Park
700 E Gardena Blvd, Carson, CA

Virtual "Lunch and Learn"

Tuesday, November 19, 2024
12 – 1pm

Meeting link:

us02web.zoom.us/j/85490580277

Call-in: (669) 900-6833

Workshop #2

Thursday, November 21, 2024
6 – 7:30pm

Location:

Carson Event Center
801 Carson St, Carson, CA

Contact Us

Engineering Division

City of Carson | Public Works

Phone: (310) 952-1700 Ext. 1795

Email: activetransportation@carsonca.gov

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 [cityofcarsonca](https://www.instagram.com/cityofcarsonca)

 [cityofcarson_ca](https://twitter.com/cityofcarson_ca)



SMALL BUSINESS GRANT PROGRAM

ARE YOU A BUSINESS IMPACTED BY COVID-19 IN NEED OF ASSISTANCE?

BUSINESS GRANTS ARE AVAILABLE!

The City of Carson Small Business Grant Program can provide vital funding to Carson businesses up to \$25,000. Grants can cover payroll support, rent and lease payments, purchases related to business operation or other expenses.

Basic Eligibility Criteria

- Be physically located in the City of Carson
- Have been in operation in Carson with a valid/paid City business license prior to March 15, 2020
- Have 50 employees or less
- Be able to demonstrate a decline in revenue due to Covid-19
- Funds must be used for business-related items such as inhouse debt, including maintaining or hiring more employees
- Must provide proof of current/valid "General Liability & Workmen's Compensation" certificates of insurance

Basic Non-Eligibility Criteria

- Businesses with over 50 employees are not eligible
- Business "not being in operation" in Carson prior to March 15, 2020 with a valid/paid City business license

Applications available on the City Website: www.ci.carson.us
 Email: ZGonzalez@carsonca.gov
 Contact: Zak Gonzalez II,
 (310) 830-7600, Ext. 1301

CITY OF CARSON



FACADE IMPROVEMENT GRANT PROGRAM

We Want To Help You Improve The Look of Your Business



COMMERCIAL TENANTS AND/OR PROPERTY OWNERS MAY QUALIFY FOR A \$2,500 TO \$25,000, OR MORE, STOREFRONT AESTHETIC IMPROVEMENT GRANT DOLLAR-FOR-DOLLAR MATCHING IS REQUIRED FOR GRANTS OVER \$2,500

Qualifying improvements may include, but are not limited to:

- Storefront signage
- 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
- Owners of multi-tenant centers may qualify for a \$250,000 grant with additional requirements
- Must be located in Carson and on major thoroughfares

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

Details are available at <https://ci.carson.ca.us/CommunityDevelopment/CommercialFacade.aspx>
 For questions, please email smallbusiness@carsonca.gov or call (310) 952-1778



18127 South Alameda Street, Rancho Dominguez, CA 90220
(310) 603-0088 • dominguezrancho.org



LA PASTORELA

December 7, 2024

2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Come see the La Pastorela Christmas play put on by the Cal State Dominguez Hills Teatro Department at the Dominguez Rancho Adobe Museum. This classic Christmas play has been written with the Dominguez Legacy incorporated for a sweet Christmas event to bring friends and family. Kick off the Christmas festivities with us, some orejas, and champurrado as you watch the play in the back of the Dominguez museum's historic veranda. See you there!

ROSE PRUNING EVENT

January 13, 2025

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

The Dominguez Rancho Adobe Museum has a 100 year old rose garden that is larger than the White House Rose Garden. With hundreds of rose bushes, there is so much work that goes into maintaining such a healthy garden!

We welcome you to this workshop event to learn about all the ways you can cultivate a beautiful rose, vegetable, or native garden and have first-hand experience pruning in our gardens. With a light lunch provided, we welcome you to dive into this garden opportunity with us!

RANCHO DAYS

March 15, 2025

10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Transport back in time to the Rancho Era with first hand demonstrations, activities, and tours of the 200-year-old Dominguez Adobe home. From butter making to blacksmith work, come visit us to experience the 1800s in person on the original land of the Rancho San Pedro. This event is a great way to educate the youth about a life very different from their own, and engage adults to do hands-on activities!

*Leave your legacy
in Carson!*

ENGRAVED BRICKS

If you have been contemplating purchasing an engraved brick for the Xeriscape Garden between City Hall and the Carson Community Center, now is your chance! Engraved bricks are a great way to honor someone's memory, celebrate a special occasion, or leave your mark in Carson. Brick orders will be placed four times per year. The winter deadline to place your order is February 27, 2025. If you are interested in placing an order, please call (310) 952-1782 ext.1480.



LOS ANGELES COUNTY
ANIMAL CARE & CONTROL | redefining CARE

The City of Carson is announcing a temporary partnership with the County of Los Angeles Department of Animal Care and Control to provide excellent, high quality animal care and sheltering services.

The County of Los Angeles Animal Services provides response to emergency calls, pet adoption, vaccination clinics, animal licensing, volunteer opportunities, community outreach and events, and many other important services.

For more information:
Los Angeles County Animal Care
(lacounty.gov)

**NEAREST ANIMAL
CARE CENTER**
216 W. Victoria Street
Gardena, CA 90248



**WHY I LIKE
CARSON**

ESSAY-WRITING CONTEST

The contest is open to:

- All students grades 3-8 who attend Carson schools (must participate through school)
- Students grades 3-8 who live in Carson, but attend schools outside the city, charter schools, or homeschooled

All participation forms must be received by Tuesday, February 11, 2025 to pio@carsonca.gov

All entries must be received by the City of Carson Public Information Office by Tuesday, March 11, 2025

Winners will be announced by Tuesday, April 1, 2025

Awards Ceremony will be announced...stay tuned!

For more information, please contact the Public Information Office (310) 952-1740

CARSON'S CANINE CONUNDRUM: THE COYOTES OF WINTER

In Carson, California, the presence of coyotes becomes a notable concern during the cooler months of November through February. These highly adaptable canines are known for their increased activity in urban areas during this period, often prompted by the search for food and shelter.

Coyotes, which are native to California, tend to become more visible as they venture closer to human habitats, leading to a spike in sightings. Residents have reported encounters and, unfortunately, some instances where pets were harmed. The city has taken measures to educate the public on coexistence and safety precautions, such as securing food sources and using negative reinforcement to maintain the coyotes' natural wariness of humans.

It is crucial for residents to report any sightings or encounters to the Coyote Cacher program, which helps track and manage these incidents. By staying informed and proactive, the community of Carson can safely navigate the presence of coyotes in their environment.



REPORT COYOTE SIGHTINGS
[https://geodata.ucanr.edu/
coyoteCacher/form/=](https://geodata.ucanr.edu/coyoteCacher/form/)

WEST NILE VIRUS

What steps should I take after detecting a mosquito bite? Is there a timeline for monitoring symptoms that may indicate WNV infection?

1. After a mosquito bite, clean the area with soap and water, apply an anti-itch cream, and avoid scratching to reduce irritation. Additionally, an ice pack can be applied for 10 minutes to reduce swelling and itching (reapply the ice pack as needed).
2. Monitor your health for 3 to 14 days, as symptoms of West Nile Virus (WNV) may appear within this time. Most people (8 out of 10) infected with WNV do not develop symptoms. However, about 1 in 5 may experience mild symptoms like fever, headache, body aches, joint pain, or a rash. In rare cases (about 1 in 150), more severe symptoms such as high fever, stiff neck, confusion, and muscle weakness can occur. If you suspect that you or a family member may have WNV, consult your healthcare provider.

**Greater Los Angeles County
Vector Control District
WWW.GLACVCD.ORG**

QUESTION & ANSWER FACT SHEET

How can I differentiate between the symptoms of WNV, Covid & Influenza?

1. WNV, COVID-19, and influenza share similar symptoms but have key differences. WNV can cause fever, headache, joint pain, and in severe cases, neurological symptoms like confusion and muscle weakness, typically appearing 3-14 days after a mosquito bite. COVID-19 often includes fever, cough, fatigue, and loss of taste or smell, with symptoms appearing 2-14 days after exposure. The flu usually presents with a sudden onset of high fever, body aches, and fatigue within 1-4 days of exposure. Loss of taste or smell is more specific to COVID-19, while severe neurological symptoms may indicate WNV. If you're experiencing any concerning symptoms, consult your healthcare provider for proper diagnosis and treatment.

Is there a proper way to eliminate mosquitos without potentially exposing yourself to the virus if it's a carrier?

1. Avoid getting mosquito bites. The mosquitoes that spread WNV are most active during the evening to early morning hours (dusk to dawn). If you are outdoors during those times, use CDC-recommended insect repellent with one of the following active ingredients at 15% or higher: DEET, Picaridin, IR3535, or

Oil of Lemon Eucalyptus. Additionally, wear long-sleeved shirts, pants, and other protective clothing.

2. Keep mosquitoes out of your home. Look for any potential mosquito breeding sources and remove stagnant water around your property. Dump and drain water from plant saucers, pet water bowls, bird baths, old tires, and other places where water collects. Toss unneeded containers. Make sure your door and window screens are in good condition.

When should I see a doctor?

1. You should consult a healthcare provider if you experience severe symptoms following a mosquito bite, such as high fever, intense headache, neck stiffness, confusion, muscle weakness, or vision loss, as these may indicate a mosquito-borne illness, such as WNV. Additionally, if you develop flu-like symptoms—fever, body aches, and fatigue—that persist for several days or worsen, it is advisable to seek medical attention to ensure a proper evaluation and appropriate care.



Do you know of a property that requires environmental clean up?

Help us transform Carson to its full potential (and enter into a chance to win a raffle!)

Property owners or developers may qualify for grants to assess and investigate contaminated or perceived to be contaminated land in the City. These properties are commonly referred to as brownfields. We need the public's help in locating these sites.

What are Brownfields? Brownfields are properties that may have or potentially contain the presence of a hazardous substance, pollutant or contaminants that can affect or pollute the soil, air, and water.

Where are the Brownfields? Brownfield sites are often vacant and underutilized properties previously used for industrial or commercial activities that may have resulted in contamination. Examples include a historic factory, closed gas station, open dump site or vacant lot.

What are the benefits of brownfield redevelopment?

Property owners who cleanup and reuse brownfields provide many benefits including:

- Decrease community exposure to hazardous substances
- Increase neighborhood property values
- Generate job growth and services via new development
- Create new places and spaces for the community

How can you help?

We are asking members of the public to help us locate brownfield sites by filling out a site nomination form. Once nominated sites are brought to our attention, our team will work with the eligible property owners to find brownfield grant funding to transform these sites to its full redevelopment potential. Completed nomination forms submitted to the City will be enroll in a raffle for a chance to win gift cards to local Carson businesses.

SCAN QR CODE
FOR
NOMINATION
FORM



<https://forms.office.com/g/WVFr7sV5Kp?origin=lprLink>

To learn more, please visit the Brownfields Program webpage or contact the City below:

Webpage: <https://ci.carson.ca.us/communitydevelopment/BrownFields.aspx>

Email: brownfields@carsonca.gov

Phone: (310) 952-1700, Ext. 1310 or 1327

Fun Fact

Did you know that the Porsche Experience Center in Carson is a brownfield redevelopment project? The 53-acre site was a former landfill and was transformed to a regional destination landmark for the City. The project features driver development track with eight educational modules totaling 4.1 miles, a changing race car exhibit, and a fine-dining restaurant.



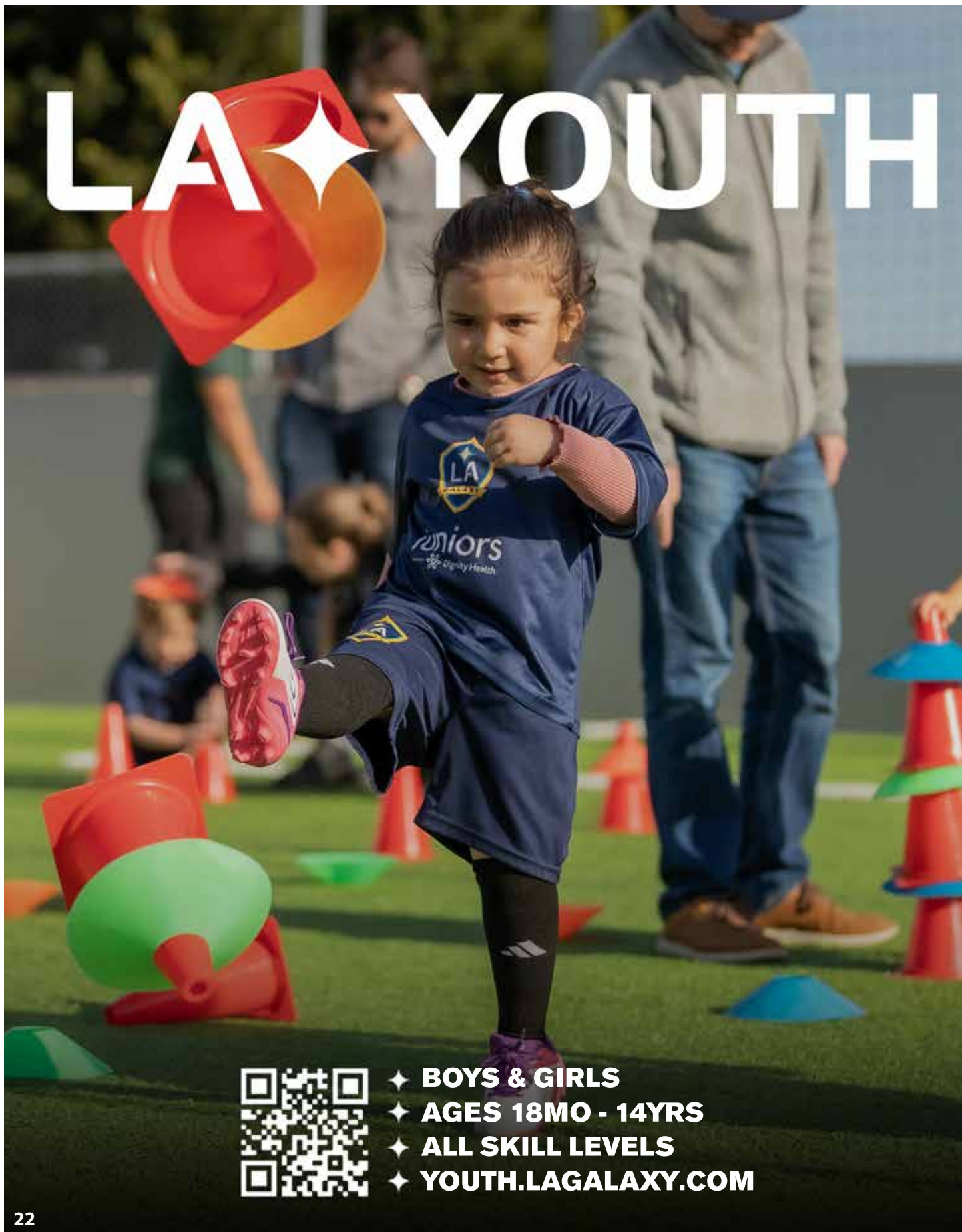
DISCOVER HERE

We discovered our connection
with the community.



CSUDH.edu

LA ✨ YOUTH



- ✦ BOYS & GIRLS
- ✦ AGES 18MO - 14YRS
- ✦ ALL SKILL LEVELS
- ✦ YOUTH.LAGALAXY.COM

SAVE THE DATE

AQUATICS

SPRING 2025

Aquatic Spring Schedules Available Online

February 10, 2025

Lifeguard Certification (Weekend Training)

February 7, 2025 – February 16, 2025

Online Registration Begins for Carson Residents

February 17, 2025

Online Registration Begins for Non-Carson Residents

February 24, 2025

Spring Programming

March 3, 2025 – May 8, 2025

Spring Season Ends

May 8, 2025



VETERANS SPORTS COMPLEX



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

HOURS OF OPERATION

Mondays/Wednesdays:
6:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Tuesdays/Thursdays/Fridays:
6:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
3:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

(Closed from 12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.)

Saturdays & Sundays:
7:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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	\$41	\$53	\$30	\$42
Youth/Senior Citizen	\$6	\$18	\$30	\$42	\$24	\$36
Family	\$18	\$30	\$72	\$84	\$54	\$66

DAILY RATES

	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 • To be applied for 1st time annual enrollment only

ANNUAL MEMBER RATES

Type	Resident		Non-Resident	
	Start	Renewal	Start	Renewal
Family Annual	\$486	\$319	\$574	\$377
Family 30 Day	\$90	\$54	\$114	\$66
Individual Annual	\$317	\$211	\$378	\$248
Individual 30 Day	\$53	\$30	\$77	\$42
Senior Annual	\$193	\$127	\$234	\$149
Senior 30 Day	\$36	\$24	\$60	\$36

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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 SportsComplex: (310) 830-9992

COMMUNITY SERVICES GUIDE

CLASS SCHEDULE

YOGA WITH CHARLENE

Tuesdays
9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.



EXTREME HIP HOP STEP AEROBICS WITH ALI

Thursdays
6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.



YOGA WITH SUE

Thursdays
6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.



SALSA WITH MIKE

Wednesdays 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. (Beginner)	Fridays 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. (Intermediate)
11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (Intermediate)	



MUSCLE CONDITIONING WITH SUE

Fridays 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.



YOUTH & ADULT SPORTS

YOUTH SPORTS



Basketball

Season Begins: December 14, 2024

*Resident: \$0 Non-Resident: \$108

Baseball/Softball/T-Ball

First Day to Register: January 2, 2025

Last Day to Register: February 22, 2025

Season Begins: April 5, 2025

*Resident: \$0

Non-Resident: T-Ball -\$113/Baseball/
Softball - \$123

*Residents have the option to volunteer to waive the uniform fee (\$0 cost) or pay for the uniform fee (\$40) and not be obligated to volunteer.

City of Carson

Track and Field Program:

Sign-ups begin:

January 18, 2025 - February 15, 2025

Boys & Girls Ages: 6-14

Copy of Birth Certificate will be needed

Resident Fee: \$150

Resident fee includes uniform, picture package, and meet entry fees

Non-Resident Fee: \$178

Non-Resident fee includes registration, uniform, picture package, and meet entry fees

For more information,
please call 310-830-9991

ADULT SPORTS

Winter Men's Softball

Registration:

December 23, 2024 - January 21, 2025

League Begins: January 23, 2025

Cost: \$420 per team

Winter Coed Softball

Registration:

December 23, 2024 - January 21, 2025

League Begins: January 24, 2025

Cost: \$420 per team

Winter Basketball League 6'0 & Under

Registration:

February 10, 2025 - March 14, 2025

League Begins: February 9, 2025

Cost: \$400 per team

Winter Pickleball League

Registration:

February 10, 2025 - March 14, 2025

League Begins: March 19, 2025

Cost: \$300 per team of 6 players

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

All sign-ups and registration are online.

REGISTER

<https://cutt.ly/OnlineReg>



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.

FABELA CHAVEZ BOXING CENTER



Join the Fabela Chavez Boxing and Weightlifting Center at Foisia Park. 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, Strength and Conditioning classes 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. For more information, please call (310) 830-6439. Hours of operation are Mon-Thurs 4-9 p.m., Fri 4-8 p.m., and Sat 8 a.m.-12 p.m.

Recreation Division: (310) 847-3570

COMMUNITY SERVICES GUIDE

Winter Classes 2024 Session: November 12, 2024 - February 6, 2025

No Class: 11/28-29 12/23-1/3 1/20



INTRO TO FOLK

Tuesdays & Thursdays
5:30 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.
Calas Park
Ages: 7-10
Cost: \$38R/ \$48NR

BEGINNER FOLKLORICO

Mondays & Wednesdays
5:30 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.
Calas Park
Cost: \$38R/ \$48NR

INTERMEDIATE FOLKLORICO

Mondays & Wednesdays
6:15 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.
Calas Park
Cost: \$38R/ \$48NR

ADVANCED FOLKLORICO

Mondays & Wednesdays
7:15 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.
Calas Park
Cost: \$38R/ \$48NR

LATIN MODERN DANCE

Tuesdays & Thursdays
6:15 p.m. - 7:15 p.m.
Calas Park (Activity Room)
Ages: 7-18
Cost: \$38R/ \$48NR

READY, SET, READ!

Tuesdays & Thursdays
4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Carson Park (Computer Lab)
K-5TH GRADE
Cost: \$30R/ \$40 NR

CHESS & CHECKERS

Fridays
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Carson Park
Ages: 7-14
Cost: \$25R/ \$35NR

HIP HOP I

Tuesdays & Thursdays
6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Carson Park (Dance Room)
Ages: 7-11
Cost: \$38R/ \$48NR

HIP HOP II

Tuesdays & Thursdays
7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Carson Park (Dance Room)
Ages: 10-14
Cost: \$38R/ \$48NR

DRAMA FOR KIDS

Tuesdays & Thursdays
3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Dominguez Park
Cost: \$40R/ \$50NR

DRAMA FOR TEENS

Tuesdays & Thursdays
4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Dominguez Park
Cost: \$40R/ \$50NR

KARATE I

Tuesdays & Thursdays
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Tuesdays
Foisia Park (Gym)
Thursdays
Dominguez Park (Activity Room)
Ages: 7 and up
Cost: \$55R/ \$65NR

KARATE II

Tuesdays & Thursdays
6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Tuesdays
Foisia Park (Gym)
Thursdays
Dominguez Park (Activity Room)
Ages: 7 and up
Cost: \$55R/ \$65NR

POLYNESIAN DANCE - INTRO TO SIVA SAMOA

Mondays and Wednesdays
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Cost: \$38R/ \$48NR

POLYNESIAN DANCE - INTRO TO SIVA SAMOA AB

Mondays and Wednesdays
6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Cost: \$38R/ \$48NR

ART FOR KIDS I

Tuesdays & Fridays
5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Veterans Park (Activity Room)
Ages: 7-10
Cost: \$39R/ \$49NR

ART FOR KIDS II

Tuesdays & Fridays
6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Veterans Park (Activity Room)
Ages: 11-14
Cost: \$39R/ \$49NR

LIFE SKILLS

Mondays & Wednesdays
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Veterans Park
Ages: 12-17
Cost: \$30R/ \$40NR

Recreation Division: (310) 847-3570

COMMUNITY SERVICES GUIDE

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



KIDS CLUB (AGES 5 - 12)



REGISTER THROUGH ACTIVENET



ONLINE SERVICES (ACTIVECOMMUNITIES.COM)

Holiday Day Camp

MONDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2024 - FRIDAY, JANUARY 3, 2025

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

CALAS PARK 1000 E. 220TH ST. CARSON, CA 90745 (310) 518-3565	CARSON PARK 21411 S. ORRICK AVE. CARSON, CA 90745 (310) 830-4925	DEL AMO PARK 703 E. DEL AMO BLVD. CARSON, CA 90746 (310) 233-4850	DOLPHIN PARK 21205 WATER ST. CARSON, CA 90745 (310) 549-4560	VETERANS PARK 22400 MONETA AVE. CARSON, CA 90745 (310) 864-9255
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Sibling Discounts: \$5 off 2nd Child / \$7 off 3rd Child

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS AGES 5-12

TIME:	RESIDENT	NON-RESIDENT
7 A.M. - 6 P.M.	\$90	\$125
9 A.M. - 6 P.M.	\$70	\$85

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

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

KIDS CLUB

After School Program

AGES 5-12 YEARS OLD

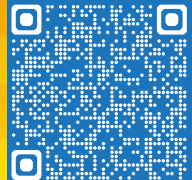
Monday- Friday • From school dismissal until 6:00 p.m. • Registration \$50 weekly

Locations

Calas Park 1000 E. 220th St. Carson, CA 90745 (310) 518-3565 L #198002954	Carson Park 21411 Orrick Ave. Carson, CA 90745 (310) 830-4925 L#191606872	Del Amo Park 703 E. Del Amo Blvd. Carson, CA 90746 (310) 329-7717 L#191606914	Dolphin Park 21205 S. Water St. Carson, CA 90745 (310) 549-4560 L#1918005652	Veterans Park 22400 Moneta Ave. Carson, CA 90745 (310) 864-9255 L #191606908
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- PROGRAM INCLUDES:**
- Homework Assistance
 - Games & Crafts
 - Indoor & Outdoor Play
 - Afternoon Snack Served Daily

ONLINE REGISTRATION BEGINS
 Monday
 July 28, 2025
 8:00 a.m.



For more information, please visit us at <https://ci.carson.ca.us/communityservices/KidsClub.aspx>

Recreation Division: (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 Event Center. This award winning and state recognized facility is available to survivors to participate in social, mental, and physical stimulation and exercise. The commitment to providing a dedicated space for survivors to participate in various types of progressive programming is rooted in safety and inclusion.

The facility features rehabilitative fitness equipment and offers a variety of activities and group classes including chair yoga,

chair exercise, chair volleyball and use of the fitness equipment.

The weekly schedule of group exercise activities is continuously updated and expanded to better serve the participants. Occupational Therapy services depend on availability.

For the application process or more information, please call (310) 952-1763.



SPECIAL INTEREST



START SMART BASKETBALL

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

Registration begins January 6, 2025

Location: Carson Park

8 Week Class

Ages: 2 – 5

Price: \$44 Resident/\$55 Non-Resident

Time: 5:15 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Start Date

Monday 02/05/2025

Tuesday 02/06/2025

Wednesday 02/07/2025

Thursday 02/08/2025



ALL THINGS SANTA

Are you interested in a private visit from Santa? Want to know where he will be appearing this holiday season? Please call (310) 952-1782, Ext. 1478 or email northpole@carsonca.gov for information on services and schedules for all things Santa this 2024 holiday season.



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.

Our small class sizes create a positive learning environment. It also permits more personal time with each individual student. There is a great emphasis on sanitation in lunch, nap, and play areas.



Early Childhood Education: (310) 952-1782, Ext. 1482

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

"Winter is here, let's all cheer!"

Winter is the coldest season of the year, days are shorter and nights are longer. The children will enjoy the rain and wind as they explore the world around them.



- Hibernation and Migration
- Explore Arctic Animal Habitats
- Snowball Art
- Nature Walks
- Rainy Day Pajama Day
- Rainy Day Walks
- Puddle Splashing
- Hot Chocolate and Marshmallows
- Cookie Baking
- Gingerbread Decorating
- Silly Snowmen
- Holiday Ornaments and Decorations
- Unique Snowflakes



TUITION RATES

Part-time Programs

Days	Times	Location	Monthly Rate
Monday-Friday	8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	Carson Event Center & Dolphin Park	\$303 Resident \$374 Non-Resident
Monday-Friday	1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Carson Event Center	\$303 Resident \$374 Non-Resident

Full-time Programs

Days	Times	Location	Monthly Rate
Monday-Friday	8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Carson Event Center & Carson Park	\$593 Resident \$698 Non-Resident

Early Childhood Education: (310) 952-1782, Ext. 1482

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.

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!



Therapeutic Recreation: (310) 952-1782, Ext. 1465 or Ext. 1470

YOUTH & FAMILY SERVICES/PREVENTION & AFTERCARE



DADS MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Open to fathers of any age
10-week session:
January 22 – March 26, 2025
Wednesdays
7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.
Dolphin Park
Being a nurturing father means that you're an involved dad who actively provides guidance, love, and support to help your children grow and develop. The group provides a safe and welcoming space where you can learn proven and effective skills for building healthy and happy family relationships while supporting your child's growth and development.



VALENTINES DAY MAKE-A-CRAFT

Ages 5-12
Saturday, February 1, 2025
9:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m.
Carson Event Center
\$5 per child
Love is in the air. The kids are ready to start cutting up hearts and making Valentines for everyone they love. Let us take on the paper, glitter, and glue mess for you! Come out with your kiddos and create a few special Valentines for loved ones.



COMING 2025... SIP AND PAINT

Ages 21+
Carson Event Center
We are open to community input. Please share any program suggestions with us.



FAMILY DEVELOPMENT COACHING

What is family coaching? A family coach is neutral third party who works with the family to identify their goals and establish new routines and behaviors that help achieve positive change with on-going results. Benefits can include empowerment of all family members, increased communication, respect, confidence, peace, time management, improved decision making and conflict resolution.

SENIOR RECREATION (IN-PERSON CLASSES)

All classes are free for adults ages 50+

CARSON EVENT CENTER 801 East Carson Street, Carson, CA 90745



WALKING WITH JIMMY

Mondays • 9:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
Walking with others can keep you motivated, improve your accountability, and meet new people with similar goals.

YOGA WITH JIMMY

Mondays • 1:00 p.m. – 2:15 p.m.
Basic Hatha Yoga fusion class. Students move from the floor to standing postures and pose variations. All levels welcomed and yoga mat recommended.

SALSA

Tuesdays • 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Enjoy the Latin rhythms while learning basic footwork, steps, turns, music timing and other techniques.

CHAIR EXERCISE

Tuesdays • 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
Learn safe techniques for strengthening the upper and lower body using flexible exercise bands.

YOGA WITH JIMMY

Wednesdays • 9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.
Basic Hatha yoga fusion class, students move from the floor to standing postures and pose variations. All levels welcome and yoga mat recommended.

BODY BALANCING FITNESS

Thursdays • 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
Combination of Yoga, Tai Chi, and Pilates. It builds strength, improves flexibility and calms your mind. All levels welcome and yoga mat recommended.

NEEDLE CRAFT CLASS

Tuesdays and Fridays
9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
Older adults come together to crochet, knit, sew articles by hand and work on various crafting patterns. Students provide their own supplies. (Uninstructed class)

TAI CHI

Thursdays • 11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Enjoy a slow-motion exercise combined with traditional Tai Chi, Qi Qong, and Yoga that focuses on relaxation, reducing stress and improving flexibility.

YOGA WITH CHARLENE

Thursdays • 9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
This class combines yoga poses with breathing and meditation technique. All levels are welcome.

SIT AND BE FIT WITH MELODY

Wednesdays • 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Learn safe techniques for strengthening the upper and lower body using flexible exercise bands.

TABLE GAMES

Thursdays 12:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Participate in a variety of open table games, while enjoying the company of others.

Senior Recreation: (310) 952-1782, Ext. 1479

COMMUNITY SERVICES GUIDE

SENIOR RECREATION (IN-PERSON CLASSES)

All classes are free for adults ages 50+

CARSON PARK 21411 Orrick Avenue, Carson, CA 90745



OLDER ADULT BINGO SOCIAL CLUBS

Social Clubs and Groups are co-sponsored by the City yet operate independently. All clubs meet at the Carson Event Center, except for the Swinging 50's Club, which meets at Dominguez Park. Membership is required to join a club.

CARSON EVENT CENTER

VIP Club

Tuesday
11:00 a.m. – 3:45 p.m.

TLC Club

Wednesday
11:00 a.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Jolly Club

Thursday
11:00 a.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Friendship Club

Dance every 4th Friday
of the month
10:00 a.m. – 3:45 p.m.

DOMINGUEZ PARK

Swinging 50's Club

Wednesday
10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

HULA HOOP FITNESS WITH SUE

Mondays
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 WITH JEWEL

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

LINE DANCING WITH JEWEL

Tuesdays
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.

ZUMBA GOLD WITH JEWEL

Thursdays
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

Wednesdays
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 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

Fridays
8:30 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

Wednesdays
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-Friday
8:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.
Open conditioning, fitness machine and weights. No trainer on site.

Senior Recreation: (310) 952-1782, Ext. 1479

SENIOR RECREATION (IN-PERSON CLASSES)

All classes are free for adults ages 50+

FOISIA PARK

23410 Catskill Avenue, Carson, CA 90745

FITNESS CENTER

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

OPEN BASKETBALL

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

STEVENS ON PARK

17400 Lysander Drive, Carson, CA 90746

FITNESS CENTER

Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays
8:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.
Open conditioning, fitness machine and weights. No trainer on site.

INDOOR WALKING GROUP

Wednesdays
8:15 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.
Walking with others can keep you motivated, improve your accountability, and help you meet new people with similar goals.

YOGA WITH SUE

Mondays
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
A combination of yoga poses, breathing and meditation techniques. All levels welcome, regardless of fitness level or yoga experience.

LINE DANCING WITH JEWEL

Fridays
10:00 a.m. – 11:40 a.m.
Learn and perform the latest line dance steps, while you enjoy the company of fellow line dancers.



SENIOR COMPUTER CLASSES

Senior computer classes are now in session! With two convenient locations to choose from, there are plenty of options for everyone. The Elito Santarina Technology Center is located at the Carson Event Center, and Carson Park has its own computer lab dedicated to seniors on weekday mornings. Both labs feature 10 computer stations and internet access. Whether you are interested in joining a beginner or intermediate class, or if you're looking for one-on-one help during Open Lab, our friendly instructors are here to help.

SENIOR SMARTPHONE WORKSHOP

Coming Soon!



Senior Recreation: (310) 952-1782, Ext. 1479

COMMUNITY SERVICES GUIDE

SENIOR INDEPENDENCE SUPPORT

SENIOR CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMISSION

The Commission meets the 2nd Monday of each month at 4:00 p.m. at the Carson Event Center. All are invited to attend and contribute at this meeting.



ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION

The Alzheimer's Association will be offering free courses to the community at the Carson Event Center at no cost. Available courses may include: Healthy Living for your Brain & Body, 10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's, Understanding Alzheimer's & Dementia, Dementia Conversations, Effective Communication, A Caregiver's Guide to Finances, Living with Alzheimer's for Caregivers, New Advances in Treatments, among others. Each course is between 30-90 minutes including time for Q&A. Please call for scheduling or to be placed on interest list.



INTERGENERATIONAL PROGRAMMING

Seeking senior citizens to participate in the Winter semester intergenerational program. The program is a collaboration between older adults in the community and high school students from Rancho Dominguez Preparatory Academy. Individuals are paired up on a weekly basis to learn from one another in an attempt to build bonds and bridge a gap between generations. There is an 8-week commitment for one hour each week, in the afternoon.

SUPPORT GROUPS



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 in a welcoming and caring environment to discuss your feelings or simply listen to others.

Meetings are held on Wednesdays at the Carson Event Center.

Good Grief 10:30 a.m. followed by **Beyond The Grief** 12:00 p.m.

(Must have previously attended Good Grief)
Drop ins available for anyone interested in staying longer, or has previously attended and wants to check in.

NEW Bereavement Group in Spanish

Grupo De Apoyo De Duelo

Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.



CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

Share feelings and receive support in a safe environment with others who are navigating the world of caregiving. This group is open to anyone taking care of a family member or friend. RSVP required. Every 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. at the Carson Event Center.

GROWING THROUGH GRIEF

The loss of a partner is a tough journey, especially if you have children. Thinking about your mental health, the burnout, children's grief, decision making, finances, relationships, and support systems, can be challenging. Let's navigate this journey together. Every 3rd Tuesday of each month, 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at Dolphin Park.

SENIOR STORYTELLING GROUP

Offered throughout the year in 8-week sessions, this is a welcoming special interest group for seniors. The meetings are held weekly for 90 minutes. Seniors are given a new topic of discussion each week 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



Wednesdays at 2:00 p.m.

Carson Event Center

801 E. Carson Street Carson, CA 90745

Human Services: (310) 952-1782, Ext. 1471

INFORMATION AND REFERRAL

Dedicated to assisting Carson senior residents age 60 and older by helping them help themselves. 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.

Interested vendors can email their request to irenteria@carsonca.gov.

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. An in-home assessment will be necessary to verify eligibility. For more information regarding this program, please call Ilene Renteria at (310) 952-1782, Ext. 1476.

FOOD AND MEAL ASSISTANCE

The YMCA offers daily congregate meals. Lunches are served Monday-Friday at 11:30 a.m. Meals on Wheels are also available. For more information, please contact Kimberly Cortado at (310) 835-0212, Ext. 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
(800) 540-4442 or
<https://losangelescrc.usc.edu>
Wise & Healthy Aging
(310) 394-9871 or <https://wiseandhealthyaging.org>

DIAL-A-RIDE PROGRAM

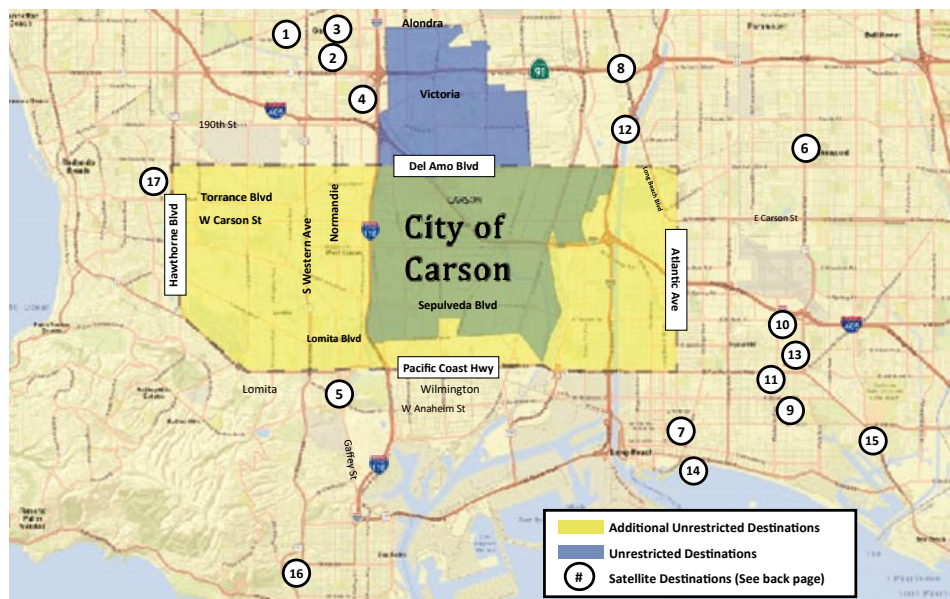
CARSON DIAL-A-RIDE

The Dial-A-Ride program aims to help seniors and adults with disabilities maintain their independence by providing a convenient and affordable taxi service. For more information, or to apply, please call or visit Transportation Services.

UPDATE:

Participants may also use Dial-A-Ride for travel within the expanded borders FOR ANY PURPOSE including grocery shopping, banking, recreation, and more. Please scan the QR code for the new service map.

The office can take cash, credit card or check payments. Online payments can be made at <https://apm.activecommunities.com/carsonca/memberships>



GENERAL POPULATION

The City is offering 50% off taxi rides to Carson residents traveling within city limits. Proof of residency required. Please call (888) 711-8294 for the operator.

For additional information, please visit us online at:



TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

Carson Event Center
801 E. Carson St.
Carson, CA 90745

(310) 952-1757

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday -Thursday
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

LYFT:

Residents are welcome to utilize Lyft promo code **LYFTCARSON** for 50% off Lyft rides. Pick-ups AND dropoffs must stay within city limits. Amounts over \$20, will be charged to the credit card on file. Download the app to sign up and register your account. Limited to 30 rides per month.

ACCESS PARATRANSIT:

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

Carson Circuit Routes



Please scan for more information



ROUTE A

South Bay Pavilion	Stevenson Park	Turmont/Annalee	South Bay Pavilion
7:00	7:15	7:30	7:35
7:45	8:00	8:15	8:20
8:30	8:45	9:00	9:05
9:15	9:30	9:45	9:50

No Midday Service

2:00	2:15	2:30	2:35
2:45	3:00	3:15	3:20
3:30	3:45	4:00	4:05
4:15	4:30	4:45	4:50

ROUTE B

South Bay Pavilion	213th/Dolores	Main/228th St	South Bay Pavilion
7:00	7:08	7:16	7:35
7:45	7:53	8:03	8:20
8:30	8:38	8:46	9:05
9:15	9:23	9:30	9:50

No Midday Service

2:00	2:08	2:16	2:35
2:45	2:58	3:03	3:20
3:30	3:38	3:46	4:05
4:15	4:23	4:33	4:50

Long Beach Transit

Service in the City of Carson

LBT ROUTES	WEEKDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
1	5:20 a.m. - 7:31 p.m.	7:30 a.m. - 8:04 p.m.	6:45 a.m. - 8:05 p.m.
2	5:03 a.m. - 7:04 p.m.	10:18 am - 5:38 p.m.	No Service
4	5:15 a.m. - 7:20 p.m.	10:38 a.m. - 5:20 p.m.	No Service
8	5:10 a.m. - 7:20 p.m.	10:27 a.m. - 5:20 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**.



Plan with Moovit

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



ridelbt.com/carson

EXCURSIONS

****Excursions are non-refundable unless cancelled by the City of Carson ****



Indio Tamale Festival Saturday, December 7, 2024

Get your appetite ready for tamales, food, drinks and more tamales at the *32nd Annual Indio Tamale Festival*. Bring the entire family to enjoy great food, shopping and outdoor entertainment. Attractions and rides wristbands or tickets can be purchased at the Box Office.

Cost of \$35.00 per person includes round-trip bus transportation only.

Bus departs at 8 a.m. and returns at 5 p.m.

Enchanted Forest, Descanso Gardens Thursday, December 12, 2024

Descanso Gardens transforms the most beloved areas of the gardens into an enchanting nighttime adventure through whimsical, dramatic, and sublime botanical artscapes for this annual holiday tradition. Embark on a one-mile excursion and watch installations dance as if inhabited by fanciful, luminescent flora and fauna.

Cost of \$60.00 per person includes round-trip bus transportation and admission.

Bus departs at 3:30 pm and returns at 9 pm.



2025 Tournament of Roses Parade Wednesday, January 1, 2025

Ring in 2025 with the 136th Tournament of Roses Parade! This year's theme "BEST DAY EVER!" celebrates life's best moments – those that fills the heart with joy through majestic floral floats, equestrian units, and spirited marching bands.

Cost of \$145.00 per person includes round-trip bus transportation and reserved grandstand seating.

Bus departs at 5 am and returns at 12 pm.



All excursions depart and return from the Carson Event Center. Online payments are now available through ActiveNet. For more information, please call (310) 952-1757 or scan the QR Code.



EXCURSIONS

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Boysenberry Festival at Knotts Saturday, April 2025

The Boysenberry Festival is Knott’s annual food and wine festival that celebrate the little berry that started the park’s historic roots! Come join the fun in this unique festival that features unique boysenberry inspired dishes, drinks and more!

Cost of TBD per person includes round trip bus transportation and admission.

Bus departs at 9 am and returns at 7 pm.



Ramona Bowl Ampitheatre Saturday, May 3, 2025

Ramona, is a story of love, tragedy, and the clash of cultures from California’s historic past. Before the show, enjoy a Kiwanis Hand Ranch BBQ lunch and be entertained by exciting Folkloric Dancers, Gunslingers and the Arias Troubadours.

Cost of \$95.00 per person includes round-trip bus transportation, Hand Ranch BBQ lunch and show.

Bus departs at 11:00 am and returns at 9:00 pm.



The J. Paul Getty Museum Wednesday, April 23, 2025

The Getty is one of world’s largest arts organizations that feature unparalleled art collections, architecture, and gardens. There are many different exhibits and collections to learn about which will make this self-guided tour an unforgettable experience.

Cost of \$35.00 per person includes round-trip bus transportation.

Bus departs at 9:00 am and returns at 4:00 pm.

All excursions depart and return from the Carson Event Center. Online payments are now available through ActiveNet. For more information, please call (310) 952-1757 or scan the QR Code.



INDOOR AND OUTDOOR RESERVATIONS



MAKE A RESERVATION

Hours: Monday - Thursday • 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Customer accounts can be made online at <https://ci.carson.ca.us/> under Community Services Activities and Programs. Reservations can be made in person at the City of Carson Corporate Yard or by phone at (310) 847- 3570.

- Acceptable Payments: Money Orders/Cashier's Checks (Payable to City of Carson), Credit/Debit Card (Visa and Mastercard accepted)

- Reservations are taken three (3) 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 non-refundable charge of \$50.



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!



CARSON EVENT CENTER

Space, Value and Location



*Happy Holidays
from the
Carson Event Center*

**Carson Residents
come first!**

**Ask us about our incredible
resident discount!**



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 facebook.com/carsonctr/

 instagram.com/carsoneventcenter/

 yelp.com/biz/carson-center-carson



RAS RESOURCES, ASSISTANCE & SUPPORT



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

Available 24 hours
Languages: English
and Spanish
(800) 273-8255

iPrevail

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

24-hour Suicide Prevention Lifeline:

(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 (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.

- The Peer-Run Warm Line

Call toll-free (855) 845-7415 or chat online at www.mentalhealthsf.org/peer-run-warmline/TheCalHOPEWarmLine is available by calling (833) 317-HOPE (4673). More information can be found at calhope.org

- Golden Talk

A chat and crisis line for adults who are 60 years of age and older. Provides warm conversations, referrals and works closely with multiple agencies within LA County in the event of a crisis. (888) 60-GOLDEN (888) 604-6533
www.idsgtfoundation.org

IF YOU FEEL UNSAFE:

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

FAMILY SUPPORT:

- You can call the National Parent Helpline at (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 (800) 950-NAMI to get information, resource referrals and support from 7 a.m. - 3 p.m. or email info@namica.org.

SENIOR HOUSING: Home Share South Bay

The SBCCOG has a Senior Housing program where they partner with Silvernest to help link seniors that have a room to rent with seniors that want to rent a room.
<https://info.silvernest.com/southbay>

HOME IMPROVEMENT:

The Los Angeles County Development Authority provides homeowners throughout the County with assistance in maintaining and preserving their home.
<https://www.lacda.org/home-improvements>

Southern California Edison Discount Programs

FERA & CARE
Discounted Rates
(sce.com)

The Autistic Self Advocacy Network

seeks to advance the principles of the disability rights movement with regard to autism.
<https://autisticadvocacy.org/>

Center for Employment Opportunities

(CEO) provides immediate, effective, and comprehensive employment services exclusively to people recently released from incarceration. (323) 357-6305
ceoworks.org/los-angeles

California Department of Rehabilitation (DOR)

Works in partnership with consumers and other stakeholders to provide services and advocacy resulting in employment, independent living, and equality for individuals with disabilities.
<https://www.dor.ca.gov/>

COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

Police & Fire Emergencies 911

Animal Control
Carson Animal Shelter
(310) 523-9566

AQMD
South Coast Air Quality
Management District
(800) CUT-SMOG
(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
www.carsonchamber.com

City Hall
(310) 830-7600

Code Enforcement
(310) 952-1786

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

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

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 Animal
Control**
(310) 523-9566
Carson Animal Shelter

**LA County
Public Health**
(626) 430-9821

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

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

**LA County Registrar-
Recorder**
County Clerk (Norwalk)
www.lavote.net
Voter info. (800) 815-2666

Birth, Death, Marriage,
Property Records
(800) 201-8999

Libraries
Carson Regional Library
(310) 830-0901

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

**Parking Enforcement
Center**
(310) 952-1786
Re: Parking Tickets

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

Shopping Cart Retrieval
(800) 252-4613

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

Street Sweeping
Street Maintenance
(310) 847-3520

TELEPHONE
AT&T
(310) 225-3028

Graffiti Removal
Landscape & Buildings
(310) 847-3500

Traffic Signal Repairs
City (800) 229-6090
County (800) 229-6090

**Trash Collection
Waste Resources**
(888) 467-7600
(310) 366-7600

**Tree Trimming/
Street Maintenance**
(310) 847-3500

WATER
**California Water
Service Company**
(310) 257-1400

**Golden State Water
Company** (800) 999-4033

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.

Long Beach Airport Noise
Call: (562) 570-2665 • Email: lgnoise@longbeach.gov • FAA Noise portal: noise.faa.gov/noise

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

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

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CITY OF CARSON

Save the Date

2024

VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2024
10:00 A.M.- 12:00 P.M.
VETERANS PARK

TREE LIGHTING

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2024
6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.
CARSON EVENT CENTER

WINTERFEST

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2024
4:30 P.M.- 8:30 P.M.
VETERANS PARK

2025

TRIBUTE TO DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10, 2025
6:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.
CARSON EVENT CENTER

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2025
6:30 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.
CARSON EVENT CENTER

Dates and times for the following events are subject to change. For the latest information,
please call Community Services at (310) 847-3570 or check the City's website
<https://ci.carson.ca.us/communityservices/CS.aspx>.