



THE CITY OF POMONA

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND COUNCIL MEMBERS
FROM: JAMES W. MAKSHANOFF, CITY MANAGER *jm*
SUBJECT: WEEKLY REPORT – Thursday, June 24, 2021

ADMINISTRATION

CITY COUNCIL MEETING REMINDERS

✚ **City Council Regular Meeting: Monday 7/19/2021**

Closed Session 5:30 pm
Meeting: 7:00 pm

✚ **City Council Regular Meeting: Monday 8/2/2021**

Closed Session 5:30 pm
Meeting: 7:00 pm

Agendas are posted on our [website](#).

NEW REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC VISITORS TO CITY FACILITIES

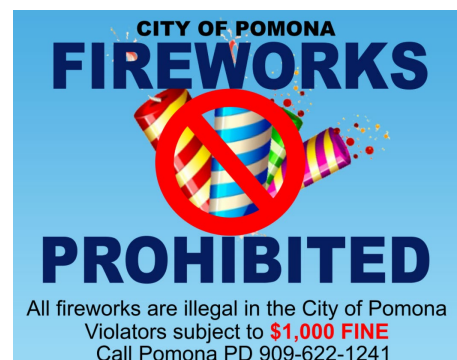
New requirements are in place for public visitors to City of Pomona facilities. Effective June 24, 2021, visitors who are vaccinated have the option to not wear a mask. Those who are not vaccinated will be required to wear a mask. Visitors will self-attest that they are in compliance with these requirements. If screening staff is available, a verbal confirmation is sufficient. If there is no screening staff, or it is otherwise not practical to screen, then it will be based on the honor system. Signage will be posted at each public entrance and will also be available on the City's [website](#).

COVID-19 & VACCINATION UPDATES

For updates regarding vaccination and resident and business resources, please see our COVID-19 section at the end of this report on our [new COVID-19 resources page](#).

FIREWORKS

As a reminder, all fireworks are illegal in the City of Pomona. Fireworks are dangerous and affect quality of life in our neighborhoods. The risks and danger fireworks can cause are not worth it. Think about our veterans, children, pets, neighbors, and the community. Help keep Pomona safe by reporting individuals using, possessing or selling fireworks: 909-622-1241.



\$1000 fine for fireworks violations on your property. When an officer observes fireworks coming from a property, an administrative citation in the amount of \$1000 will be issued to the homeowner or responsible person.



CITY CLERK

CITY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS- UPCOMING MEETINGS

All meetings are via ZOOM Webinar:

- June 28, 2021 Cultural Arts Commission Citizens Advisory Committee
- June 28, 2021 Cultural Arts Commission
- June 30, 2021 Phillips Ranch Assessment District Oversight Committee

All public meeting agendas are posted on our [website](#).

LIBRARY

SUMMER READING PROGRAM SCHEDULED FOR JULY 12 – AUGUST 14!

Signups begin on July 12th. Each week there will be either a craft or a performer. Please call or email with any questions. **909-620-2043**. library@ci.pomona.ca.us

In-person Storytimes will also resume on 6/30 - Wednesdays from 3:30pm to 4pm at the Library!

POMONA PUBLIC LIBRARY *Summer Reading 2021*



July 12 - August 14, 2021

Children ages 4-12 sign-up in the Children's Room
Teens ages 12-18 sign-up at the Front Desk

Programs: *Masks & social distancing might be required.

All programs are on Wednesday at 5:00 p.m.

- July 14: **CRAFT**
- July 21: **CHRISTOPHER T. MAGICIAN**
- July 28: **ILLUSIONS BY ALLEN**
- August 4: **NOTEWORTHY PUPPETS**
- August 11: **DAVID SKALE**
- August 18: **CRAFT**



BIBLIOTECA DE POMONA *Lectura de verano*



12 de julio - 14 de agosto, 2021

Los niños de 4 a 12 años se inscriben en la sala de niños
Adolescentes de 12 a 18 años se inscriben en la recepción

Programas: *Es posible que se requieran máscaras y distanciamiento social.

Todos los programas son los miércoles a las 5:00 p.m.

- 14 de julio: **MANUALIDAD**
- 21 de julio: **CHRISTOPHER T. MAGICIAN**
- 28 de julio: **ILLUSIONS BY ALLEN**
- 4 de agosto: **NOTEWORTHY PUPPETS**
- 11 de agosto: **DAVID SKALE**
- 18 de agosto: **MANUALIDAD**



PLANNING

LATEST PLANNING COMMISSION DECISIONS AND APPEAL DATES LISTED BELOW:

PLANNING COMMISSION (PC) AGENDA ITEMS

	Project Description	PC Decision	Appeal Ends
City of Pomona City-wide CC District All (Code Amendment)	A city-initiated request to amend the City of Pomona Zoning Ordinance (PZO) for the purpose of regulating Accessory Dwelling Units (ADUs) in hillside areas and in accordance with State law as well as to codify policy interpretations issued in December of 2020 by the California Department of Housing and Community Development.	CODE 14672-2020 Recommend City Council Approval Tentative July 19, 2021 June 23, 2021	n/a

POLICE

NORTHWEST QUADRANT AREA COMMANDER MEETING

The Pomona Police Department will be hosting an Area Commander Meeting for residents in the Northwest Quadrant of our city on Tuesday, June 29th at 6:00 p.m. at the Starbucks located at 517 E. Foothill Blvd. This is a great opportunity to discuss local issues with your Area Commander, Lieutenant Steve Congalton. We hope to see you there!

POMONA POLICE DEPARTMENT

Join us for a...
COMMUNITY MEETING
NORTHWEST AREA

WITH LT. CONGALTON
TUESDAY
JUNE 29 @ 6PM

STARBUCKS
517 E. FOOTHILL BLVD.

QUESTIONS? NORMA_MACY@CI.POMONA.CA.US
NORTHWEST AREA: NORTH OF HOLT AVE./WEST OF GAREY AVE.

The poster features a circular portrait of Lt. Steve Congalton in a police uniform, with the Pomona Police Department badge and a California State Police badge below it. The background is blue with white and yellow text.

COVID-19 RESOURCES

General (Updates are highlighted)

VACCINES

Every Friday @ WesternU Campus 550 E. Second St.

Free walk-in clinics, no appointment required.

Minors 12 years and older can receive a Pfizer vaccine. Details [here](#).

For questions, contact Yolanda Fuquay at yfuquay@projectcaring.net

Vaccine program with cash prizes

\$116.5 million in Vaccine prizes: Governor Newsom launched "Vax for the Win" vaccine program to get more Californians vaccinated before the state fully opens on June 15. Prizes include:

- \$100 million in \$50 pre-paid cards for the first two million newly vaccinated Californians beginning on May 27th

TO GET VACCINATED AND ENTER TO WIN, [CLICK HERE](#).

For more details, rules, and a list of frequently asked questions, [click here](#). Multiple languages are available by clicking "Select language" at the top right of the webpage.

Vaccine Information Hotlines

National Hotline: The Biden Administration updated [Vaccine.gov](https://www.vaccine.gov) with a new tool that allows people to type in their zip code to find the nearest pharmacy or a provider of the COVID-19 vaccine. Additionally, **you may text your zip code** to two text-lines to receive a reply that lists three nearby vaccination sites and the phone numbers to set up an appointment.

- For English: text your zip code to **GETVAX (438829)**
- For Spanish: text your zip code to **VACUNA (822862)**

OR call **1-800-232-0233** - The National COVID-19 Vaccination Assistance Hotline - for assistance in English, Spanish, and more than 150 other languages. A TTY line is also available for hearing-impaired callers.

The website is also available in [Spanish by clicking here](#). [Click here to visit vaccine.gov](#) to find a COVID-19 vaccine near you.

Local County Vaccine Telephone Hotlines:

- **L.A. County:** Call **(833) 540-0473** if you need help making an appointment, need transportation to a vaccination site, or if you are homebound and need to get vaccinated at home. Vaccinations done at home may be delayed due to high demand. The L.A. County call center is open daily from 8 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. Information is also available in multiple languages 24/7 by calling 2-1-1. [Click here for the County's vaccine homepage](#).
- **San Bernardino County:** Call **(909) 387-3911** if you need help in scheduling your vaccination appointment or if you have questions about the vaccine. The call center is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. [Click here for the County's vaccine homepage](#).

The following websites provide up to date information on vaccines:

- LA County: [VaccinateLACounty.com](https://www.vaccinatelacounty.com) & [LA Co. Vaccination Appointments Site](https://www.lacounty.gov/health/immunization/vaccination-appointments)
- California: [California COVID-19 Vaccine Plan](https://www.cdph.ca.gov/Programs/CID/DCDC/Pages/COVID-19/VaccinePlan.aspx) & [VaccineFinder.org Site](https://www.vaccinefinder.org)

Vaccine Eligibility – State of California

NOTE: ONLY the Pfizer vaccine is authorized for individuals 12 years of age. The COVID-19 Vaccine is free to all eligible persons. Immigration status and insurance are not required. Medical information is protected by law.



Vaccine Appointments in LA County

- **My Turn** (myturn.ca.gov) & CA COVID-19 Hotline 1-833-422-4255.
- **LA Co. Phone Appointments:** 833-540-0473, 7 days/week, 8 a.m.-8:30 p.m.

Local Vaccination Events & Mega Sites

(This is *not* an exhaustive list. Full list of LA County vaccine providers is [here.](#))

	<p><u>Cal Poly Pomona (Pfizer)</u> Appointments: MyTurn.ca.gov.</p> <p>Location: 674 Kellogg Drive, Pomona Drive & Park Walk-up Foothill Transit & PVTA by calling 909-596-7664, press “0” FAQ</p>
	<p><u>Pomona Fairplex (Pfizer)</u> Appointments: MyTurn.ca.gov.</p> <p>Location: 2370 E. Arrow Hwy (Gate 15), La Verne Drive-Thru Map of Site</p>
	<p><u>East Valley Community Health Center (Moderna)</u> Appointments: MyTurn.ca.gov.</p> <p>Location: (Event locations vary) 1555 S. Garey Ave., Pomona Drive & Park Walk-up</p>

	<p><u>Pomona Valley Hospital Medical Center (Pfizer)</u> Appointments: bit.ly/3sY7V3n.</p> <p>Location: Women’s Center Auditorium, 1798 N. Garey Ave., Pomona Walk-Up Site</p>
	<p><u>Western University of Health Sciences (Pfizer)</u> Appointments: Unique link is listed here (under look for an appointment) when available. See section 2 under Clinics and Hospitals Serving Community Members.</p> <p>Location: 521 E. 2nd Street, Pomona (at Health Professions Center, follow signs) Walk-Up</p>

Pharmacy Vaccination Sites

Provider	Registration Details
CVS Pharmacy	cvs.com or call (800) 746-7287 Pomona Location: 150 W. Willow Street
Rite Aid	riteaid.com/california or call (800) 748-3243 Pomona Location: 2059 S. Garey Avenue
Walgreens	walgreens.com or call (909) 469-9534 (press “1”) Must be a Walgreens Account Holder (can be created online)
Albertsons, Vons, Pavilions Pharmacies	Vons: www.vons.com/pharmacy/covid-19.html Albertsons: www.albertsons.com/pharmacy/covid-19.html
Ralphs Pharmacy (Kroger)	www.kroger.com/rx/guest/get-vaccinated
Details from LA Times on 2/20/21 .	

UPDATE – CURRENT HEALTH ORDER/GUIDANCE SUMMARY
(publichealth.lacounty.gov)






6/15/21 – Reopening Safer at Work and in the Community

- Schools (K-12) – Facilities serving students at any grade level must prepare, implement, and post the required LA County Department of Public Health Reopening Protocols.

CA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

- **[State Public Health Officer Order of June 11, 2021](#)**

City of Pomona	County	County	Federal
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		Public Health 	
COVID-19 FAQ for City Services Business Assistance Program (until funds exhausted) Department Directory (Make an appointment)	Health Officer Orders County Programs LA County Disaster Help Center (Tenant Landlord Business Non-Profit) Eviction Moratorium (Thru Sept. 30, 2021)	Vaccine Info Vaccine Appointments Citas para Vacunas (en Español)	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Travel Guidance Funeral Reimbursements
			State  covid19.ca.gov Unemployment MyTurn.ca.gov
COVID-19 Info Hotline (909) 620-2311 Press "0" M-Th 7:30a-6p	Call 2-1-1 & COVID-19 Case Info Line 1-833-540-0473	Vaccine Appointments 1-833-540-0473 8:00 am – 8:30 pm 7 days a week	State of CA COVID-19 Hotline 1-833-422-4255 M-F 8 am – 8 pm Sa-Su 8 am – 5 pm

Business Information

BEST PRACTICES TO PREVENT COVID-19

[Guidance for Businesses](#)

APPLY NOW

POMONA BUSINESS ASSISTANCE PROGRAM - \$5,000 Grants!

Read more and apply online to this second round of [grants for Pomona businesses here](#).

Need help with your application? (909) 620-2368, M-Th, 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

RESOURCE PAGES

- **LA County Business Info** (Layoff Aversion, etc.) – Click [here](#).
- **Disaster Help Center** – (833) 238-4450 or disasterhelpcenter@lacounty.gov & follow @LAHELPCENTER
- **LA County Consumer & Business Affairs (DCBA)** – (800) 593-8222 & follow @LACOUNTYDCBA
- **WDACS/LACBIZDEV** – Follow @LACBIZDEV
- **COVID-19 Safety Compliance Certificate**
- **LeaseUp Initiative** (Rent to tenants w/ subsidies) – (323) 428-4742 & leaseupla@epath.org. See [Landlord FAQ](#).

FREE BUSINESS PERMITS – ACTIVATE POMONA

FREE Activate Pomona permits are designed to aid business economic recovery. All interested entities may inquire and apply at bit.ly/activatepomona and (909) 620-2191.



Community Information

CA RENT RELIEF PROGRAM NOW OPEN!

As of March 15, 2021, both renters and landlords can check for eligibility and apply for CA COVID-19 Rent Relief. For more information on program eligibility, required application information, and to start the application process, visit HousingisKey.com or call 833-430-2122 toll-free, seven days a week. Protections are now extended through June 2021. This Information App for Tenants & Landlords helps with learning protections under the [COVID-19 Tenant Relief Act](#).



WATCH & SHARE! – VACCINATE WITH CONFIDENCE – Q&A w/ DR. M. HELLEN RODRIGUEZ

The Pomona COVID-19 Action Committee invites the public to watch an informative recorded session, answering many questions regarding myths and doubts that the public may have about the COVID-19 vaccine. Dr. Rodriguez from the Pomona Valley Hospital and Medical Center share fact-based information to help everyone make an informed and confident decision regarding the COVID-19 vaccine. Watch on YouTube in [English](#) and [Spanish](#) and share with your community!

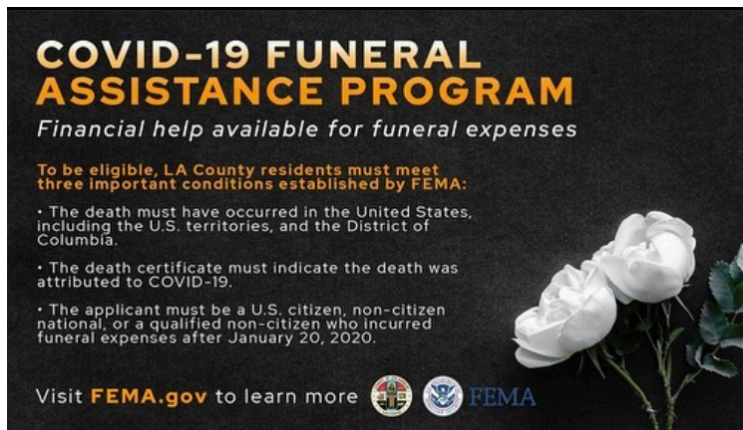
EMERGENCY BROADBAND BENEFIT PROGRAM

The [FCC's Emergency Broadband Benefit](#) will provide a discount of up to \$50 per month towards broadband service for eligible households and up to \$75 per month for households on Tribal lands. Eligible households can also receive a one-time discount of

up to \$100 to purchase a laptop, desktop computer, or tablet from participating providers if they contribute \$10 to \$50 toward the purchase price. The Emergency Broadband Benefit is limited to one monthly service discount and one device discount per household.

APPLY NOW – FEDERAL COVID-19 FUNERAL REIMBURSEMENTS

FEMA is accepting applications for financial assistance for COVID-19-related funeral expenses incurred after January 20, 2020. Please call 844-684-6333 (TTY: 800-462-7585) or visit the [FEMA website](#) for eligibility and the checklist for documents –such as official death certificate, receipts, etc. If you are eligible for funeral assistance you will receive a check by mail, or funds by direct deposit, depending on which option you choose when you apply for assistance.



AT-HOME & FOOD RESOURCES SUMMARY

- FREE At-Home Activities (DIY & Foodie Friday Recipes) - bit.ly/cityofpomonayoutube
- FREE Virtual Community Center Classes – bit.ly/virtualcommunitycenterclasses
- FREE Food Resources - [Pomona Resources](#) | [County Resources](#) (CalFresh) & at 2-1-1.
- FREE Wi-Fi Locator - Dial 2-1-1- or visit findwifi.lacounty.gov/!

FOR BACK-TO-SCHOOL SHOE DRIVE – PROJECT PERFECT PAIR

The Pomona COVID-19 Action Committee’s Basic Needs, in partnership with Brown Memorial Temple, BMT CDC, PCS Family Services, and the Pitzer College Community Engagement Center, presents a shoe drive and fundraiser to support our Pomona students as they head back to school! We have 150+ Pomona families who have requested new shoes for back to school and we are committed to reaching our 400+-pair goal! Let’s help them look and feel their best while they go through this transition. If you have questions about the project, please contact the Basic Needs Subcommittee Co-Chair Councilmember Nora Garcia at 909-630-3378 or send an email to pomonabasicneedscommittee@gmail.com.

Donate Online! – bit.ly/perfectpairdonation

Mail Checks to:

BMT Community Development Center
383 N. Main Street, Pomona, CA 91768
Check Memo Line: Children’s Shoe

Mrs. Cynthia Brown

BMT Community Development Center
909-620-0688 or 909-732-3310

Drive Donation Contact:



AMERICAN RED CROSS – BLOOD DRIVE

Give the lifeline patients need. Give blood. All donors at this drive will receive an Amazon e-gift card. Please schedule an appointment online by visiting www.redcrossblood.org or on their Blood Donor App and enter sponsor code: PVHMC or call 1-800-RED-CROSS.



**BLOOD DRIVE
Pomona Valley Hospital Medical Center**

Location: Pitzer Auditorium
(Please follow signage to enter through external doors on the North side)
1798 N. Garey Ave.
Pomona, CA 91767

Friday, June 25, 2021: 7:00am-7:00pm

All donors at this drive will receive an Amazon e-Gift card

Thursday, July 1, 2021: 7:00am-7:00pm

All donors at this drive will receive a Red Cross Embroidered Hat

Please schedule an appointment online by visiting www.redcrossblood.org or on our Blood Donor App and enter sponsor code: PVHMC or call 1-800-RED-CROSS.

ALL DONORS AND STAFF WILL BE SCREENED BEFORE ENTERING THE DRIVE.
Only healthy donors will be allowed inside.
Picture ID Required.

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ATTACHMENTS

1. Upcoming Pomona Events

UPCOMING POMONA COMMUNITY EVENTS

Date	Event	Time	Details	Location
Housing Rights Center Daily Events	Housing Rights Workshop, Clinics and Live Q&A	Various	Visit their Facebook page for more info.	facebook.com/HousingRightsCenter
Tri-City Wednesday/Thursday	Virtual Gardening	Various	Join TCG/ Tri-City to practice mindfulness. Learn how gardening and nature can have a positive impact on mental health and wellness.	Contact (909) 623-6131 to learn how to participate
Community Resource Center	Free On-Demand Classes	-----	Fitness and Exercise (Yoga, Zumba, etc.), Nutrition and Healthy Cooking, Health Education, and Children's Classes. New classes will be available each week.	https://www.youtube.com/actlivehealthyinformed
Inter Valley Health Plan	Virtual Vitality Classes	Various	Join Inter Valley for free and informative live classes. RSVP for login info.	https://www.ivhp.com/vitality
WesternU Every Friday	Vaccination Clinic	9 a.m. – 7 p.m.	Pfizer Vaccine offered to anyone 12 and older. Free walk-in clinics. No appointment required. Minors 12 years and older can receive a Pfizer vaccine. Details here . For questions, vaccine@westernu.edu	WesternU Campus 550 E Second St.
Pomona Chamber 2 nd Wednesday	Networking at Noon	11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Join Pomona Chamber to learn about the latest trends and community happenings.	Metro Ale House
Pomona Chamber Last Friday of the Month	Coffee Connections	8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Pomona Chamber of Commerce invites you to come out and grab a cup of coffee and join in networking with businesses and community leaders	Starbucks 101 W Mission Blvd
DPOA Every 2 nd Saturday	Pomona Packing Plant Artwalk	6 p.m. – 9 p.m.	Art vendors, food, music, 50Ft live street art wall, craft vendors and more.	560 E Commercial St.
LA County Dept. of Public Health Every Wed. in July	Let's Cook Plan, Shop, Save, Cook	12 p.m. – 1 p.m.	LA County Dept. of Public Health will be offering a new nutrition/cooking workshop for transitional age youth (TAY). During this PWC "Plan Shop Save Cook" series, youth will learn how to plan a meal, use food labels, save money, and cook!	Register here: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/PWCyouthcook
City of Pomona Ongoing	Virtual Community Center	Monday – Friday 10 a.m. – 6 p.m.	Community Services staff is available to answer your questions and help register you for FREE community classes in their virtual space on Zoom. You may also reach them at (909) 620-2324. Check out classes and register online at bit.ly/virtualcommunitycenterclasses .	Zoom with our Staff: bit.ly/virtualcommunitycenter
Monday, June 14 – Friday, June 25	Young Writers Summer Camp	8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	The City of Pomona Community Services is offering a FREE 2-week Young Writers program. The Young Writers program will engage youth in writing through a variety of activities. More info here . Register at bit.ly/virtualcommunitycenterclasses .	La Casita Teen Center 445 E Arrow Hwy.
Friday, June 25	American Red Cross Blood Drive	7 a.m. – 7 p.m.	Give the lifeline patients need. Give blood. All donors at this drive will receive an Amazon e-gift card. Please schedule an appointment online by visiting www.redcrossblood.org or on our Blood Donor App and	Pomona Valley Hospital Medical Center Pitzer Auditorium

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			enter sponsor code: PVHMC or call 1-800-RED-CROSS.	
Friday, June 25	Movies in the Park	Sunset	The City of Pomona and Day one presents Maleficent	Philadelphia Park
Saturday, June 26	STIIIZY Grand Opening & Ribbon Cutting Ceremony	8:30 a.m.	STIIIZY Grand Opening & Ribbon Cutting Ceremony	1605 W Holt Ave.
Saturday, June 26	3 Grand Openings/ Ribbon Cutting Smart Thangz – Vero’s Boutique – Evie’s Dance Studio	12 p.m.	Free Food, Free Drinks and Music. Join for a free Sala Lesson.	265, 275, 279 E Second St.
Tuesday, June 29	Northwest Area Community Meeting	6 p.m.	The Pomona Police Department will be conducting a Area Commander Meeting for residents in the Northwest Quadrant. This is a great opportunity to discuss local issues with your Area Commander, Lieutenant Congalton	Starbucks 517 E Foothill Blvd.
Friday, July 1	American Red Cross Blood Drive	7 a.m. – 7 p.m.	Give the lifeline patients need. Give blood. All donors at this drive will receive an Amazon e-gift card. Please schedule an appointment online by visiting www.redcrossblood.org or on our Blood Donor App and enter sponsor code: PVHMC or call 1-800-RED-CROSS.	Pomona Valley Hospital Medical Center Pitzer Auditorium
Monday, July 5	City Hall Closed	-----	Independence Day	-----
Friday, July 9	Movies in the Park	Sunset	The City of Pomona and Day one presents The Croods	Jaycee Park
Monday, July 12	City Council Meeting	7 p.m.	Regular City Council Meeting. Read the agenda here: bit.ly/pomonaagendas . Watch on Spectrum/FIOS Ch. 29 and at Pomona Live Streaming .	Via Teleconference Zoom Login on Agenda (No public meeting location)
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Saturday, June 26	Kindness Carnival	10 a.m. – 5 p.m.	Kindness Carnival – Come One Come All. Games, prizes, art activities, peace talks, food & drinks and much more!	Unity Parking Lot 524 E Pasadena St.
Friday, August 6	Movies in the Park	Sunset	The City of Pomona and Day one presents Maleficent	Ralph Welch Park
Thurs-Sun. Aug 26-29	ICA Summer Seminar	-----	ICA has an exciting seminar planned with speakers booked and topics already chosen with plenty more to come. Click on this link to register by July 2 nd and save with our early bird special savings, icacities.org	Hilton Santa Barbara Beachfront Resort
Friday, September 10	PPOA Golf Tournament	-----	Benefiting Pomona’s Youth.	Via Verde Country Club
Thurs-Sun. Sep 16-19	CCCA Fall Educational Summit	-----	Annual Municipal Seminar in the Fall	Renaissance Indian Wells Resort & Spa

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