



PACIFIC GROVE WEEKLY SUMMARY

October 2, 2015

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Local Coastal Program Update Workshops

The City's [Local Coastal Program](#) is in the midst of an Update and you are invited to participate in TWO upcoming Community Workshops:

Monday, October 19, 2015 6:00-8:30pm, Pacific Grove Community Center – Coastal Zone discussion Topics include: Commercial Uses, Scenic Views, Coastal Parks Planning, Trails and Resource Management

Friday, November 20, 2015 9:00-11:30am – Asilomar Conference Center Fred Farr Room – Climate Change, Sea Level Rise and Adaptation Strategies

Please email or call Anastazia Aziz, AICP, Senior Planner at aaziz@cityofpacificgrove.org 831-648-3183 to RSVP or see attached flyer for more information. Thank you for your participation!

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Quarterly Training Drill. On Friday, September 25, 2015 at 9:00 a.m., the Monterey Fire Department hosted a quarterly joint agency aquatic rescue drill around the Monterey Peninsula. Agencies involved in the drill included Cal Fire Carmel Highlands, California State Parks Lifeguards, Monterey County Sheriff's Office and the U.S. Coast Guard.

United States Coast Guard helicopter personnel conducted a brief overview of the helicopter capabilities. Afterward, Fire Boat and helicopter personnel practiced cooperative hoisting and rescue operations at sea as well as patient transfer from the boat to a rotary wing aircraft. Successful coordination and communication between agencies was a primary focus of the training as well.



Firefighters Volunteer at Jacob's Heart 5K Run. On Sunday, September 27, personnel from the Monterey Professional Firefighters Local 3707 volunteered to provide Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) services to support the *Jacob's Heart Baby Matthew's Golden Gallop* fundraiser at the Custom House Plaza in Monterey.

The annual event is in honor of baby Matthew who passed away two years ago from childhood cancer and in memory of other children with the disease. The event also creates awareness and raise funds for support of families who have children with life-threatening illnesses. Jacob's Heart Children's Cancer Support Services has existed since 1998 to improve the quality of life for children with cancer and other illnesses by supporting their families in the challenges they face. They provide family-centered care that addresses the emotional, practical and financial struggles for families of children and teens during treatment, families experiencing anticipatory grief and those who are bereaved in Monterey, Santa Cruz, San Benito and South Santa Clara Counties. For further information or to donate please go to their website at jacobsheart.org or contact them at (831) 724-9100.

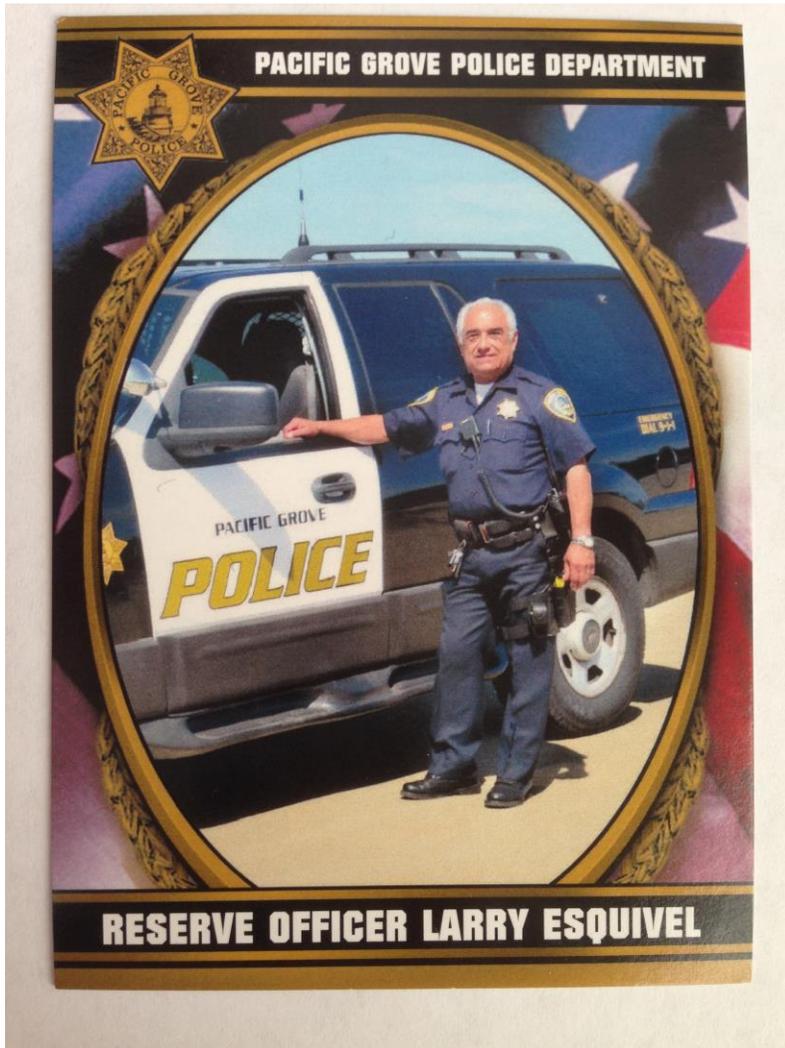
Hometown Hero Fridays in October at the Monterey Library. On Fridays during the month of October from 3:30 – 4:00 p.m. Firefighters, Peace Officers, Military personnel and others from the local community will be volunteering to read books to children. There will also be a discussion and question and answer session afterward. The purpose is for children to have an opportunity to hear stories from people they respect and learn about their jobs and personal safety. Firefighters will be reading fire related or favorite books on October 2 and 30, then answering questions and discussing fire safety. If you have any questions, please contact the Library Help Desk at the Monterey Library at (831) 646-3933.



LAW/POLICE DEPARTMENT

Weekly Highlights. Attached you will find Chief Myers' Weekly Police Report for the week of September 25, 2015 to October 1, 2015, with the Year-to-Date Monthly Highlights.

40 Years of Service. Reserve Officer Larry Esquivel is a born and raised Pagrovian. He graduated from Pacific Grove High School in 1967 and joined the Air Force. During the Vietnam War, he was an F4 Fighter Jet Crew Chief. During his 4 years in the Air Force, he was awarded the Airman's medal for saving two pilots lives. Larry came home and began a 40 year career in local public service. Larry was a volunteer fireman for 27 years reaching the rank of Captain. He has spent the last 40 years as a member of the Police Department as a Reserve Officer, involved in every event during that period of time, from Homicides to Parades. He has been married to his wife, Jorie, for 47 years. The police department is proud to honor Larry Esquivel as an important member of the department and community.



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Art at the Library. Don't Forget to come see the wonderful art at the Library...
The Edge of the Sea Art opening This Friday, October 2nd at 6:30!



Butterfly Week. It's Butterfly Week at the Library...Butterfly Stories and Butterfly Crafts!



MUSEUM

New Volunteers. At 6 p.m. Wednesday, October 7th, the Museum will open its doors to new volunteers interested in serving their community in a variety of opportunities, including working as docent at the Pacific Grove Monarch Sanctuary. Staff and current volunteers will be on hand to answer questions and provide details on their Museum experiences.

<http://www.pgmuseum.org/museum-events/2015/10/7/new-volunteer-informational-meeting>

International Expo. Join us at the Museum on Saturday, October 17th, from 3-4:30 for an intriguing glimpse into the San Francisco World's Fair from 1915. The Panama Pacific International Exposition (PPIE) of 1915 was the last of the "golden age" of World's Fairs. In this exciting lecture PPIE Historian Laura Ackley will take us on an amazing tour of the Fair from its original concept in 1904 through its development and all the way to its gala opening in February 1915.

<http://www.pgmuseum.org/museum-events/2015/10/17/lecture-people-of-the-panama-pacific-international-exposition>

PUBLIC WORKS

Solar Lights. This week Public Works completed the installation of the sixth solar light for the Candy Cane Lane neighborhood. Though we have installed three hard wired lights in Platt Park, this is the first solar light that we installed within the neighborhood. The other 5 have all been along Forest Avenue. The solar light was installed at the corner of Beaumont and Morse; an intersection towards the back of Candy Cane Lane. This should significantly help this dark intersection, especially with Halloween right around the corner. The City has ordered five more solar lights and will continue to install them throughout the neighborhood. Within the last year the City has now installed 9 lights in Candy Cane lane neighborhood.



EVENTS

Celebration of Chefs On Saturday, November 7, the Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce will showcase the talent of the town's Chefs at *Flavors of Pacific Grove: A Celebration of the Great chefs of Pacific Grove*, from 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm at The Inn at Spanish Bay. More than 10 Chefs have signed up to serve hors d'oeuvres and tastings to the guests. The flavor of some of their best dishes will be paired with wonderful wines. The tasting will include a full show by The Money Band. A partial list of Chefs that will be featured is: (● Thamin Saleh - Jeninni Kitchen and Wine Bar ● Dory Ford - Point Pinos Grill ● Evan Lite - The Beach House Restaurant ● Dean and Debbie Young - Classic Catering ● Danny Abbruzzese - Asilomar Conference Grounds ● Robert Kershner and Tim Hrusa - Canterbury Woods ● Mark Davis - Vivolo's Chowder House ● David Stamm - The Bridge Culinary Training Center ● Chris Friedman - Pizza My Way ● Butch Adams - Kai Lee Creamery ● Trader Joe's ● Knox Brewing - Sparky's Root Beer ● Nothing Bundt Cake ● Cima Collina ● Taste of Monterey ● Percheron-McFarland . There will also be a silent and live auction. The event is \$50 per person in advance. Limited to 300 tickets and this event sells out. For more information and to buy tickets : www.pacificgrove.org or [\(831\) 373-3304](tel:8313733304).



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 Commander

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 Manager

"Our community, your police"

Weekly Highlights

September 25, 2015 to October 1, 2015

Traffic Accidents	4
Arrests	4
Written Reports	51
Citations Issued	9
Parking Citations	48
Field Interviews	3

2015 Monthly Highlights

Activity	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct*	Nov	Dec	2015 YTD	2014 YTD	2014 Total
Traffic Accidents	16	22	12	12	11	21	18	15	8	1	-	-	136	137	178
Arrests	9	8	10	18	7	13	11	9	11	-	-	-	96	134	154
Written Reports	226	250	227	229	204	240	259	267	239	14	-	-	2,155	1,914	2,489
Citations Issued	127	89	100	75	93	69	95	56	65	1	-	-	770	739	985
Parking Citations	260	432	369	470	439	224	366	395	204	7	-	-	3,166	930	1,602
Field Interviews	16	28	35	24	11	29	39	32	16	-	-	-	230	369	505

2015 Crime Comparison

Crime Type	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct*	Nov	Dec	2015 YTD	2014 YTD	2014 Total
Homicide	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rape	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	8	8
Robbery	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	1
Assault - Aggravated	1	-	-	2	-	2	5	2	2	-	-	-	14	23	24
Assault - Simple	2	1	6	4	-	4	2	4	7	-	-	-	30	40	44
Burglary	5	2	3	4	3	4	5	7	3	-	-	-	36	45	51
Larceny	21	15	11	44	13	22	21	18	17	1	-	-	183	195	237
Auto Theft	-	-	-	2	1	2	2	3	1	1	-	-	12	23	23
Domestic Violence	3	3	4	-	-	3	5	2	8	-	-	-	28	38	40
Arson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3

Please Note: Monthly Highlights & Crime Comparison Tables are Updated Upon Submission of Monthly Uniform Crime Reporting (UCR) to the Department of Justice (DOJ) and Written Reports include Traffic Accidents.

*Stats through weekly reporting period.



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Monday, October 19, 2015

6:00 - 8:30pm

[Pacific Grove Community Center](#)

515 Junipero Ave

Workshop #1 Discussion Topics:

- Commercial Uses
- Scenic Views
- Coastal Park Planning, Trails & Resource Management

Friday, November 20, 2015

9:00 -11:30 am

[Asilomar Conference Center](#)

800 Asilomar Ave
Fred Farr Room

Workshop #2 Discussion Topics:

- Climate Change
- Sea Level Rise
- Adaptation Strategies



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<http://www.cityofpacificgrove.org/living/community-economic-development/planning/local-coastal-program>





PACIFIC GROVE
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
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Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce & Tourist Centers Present

First Friday

Friday, October 2nd from 6:00 to 9:00 pm

Grassroots event sponsored by several local participating businesses in downtown Pacific Grove.

Community•Art•Entertainment

Look for the Green flags to signify participating businesses
Green for GO!

For more information, contact Artisana Gallery at (831) 655-9775

Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce Membership Appreciation Reception

Thursday, October 15th, from 5:00 to 7:00 pm

Fandango Restaurant

223 17th Street

The Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce & Tourist Centers cordially invites you to a Chamber Member Appreciation Reception on Thursday, October 15th at Fandango as our way of thanking you for supporting the chamber.

Sponsored by: Pacific Gas & Electric

Members Only

Complimentary appetizers and refreshments

Please RSVP to rita@pacificgrove.org or (831) 373-3304

Good Morning Pacific Grove

Holman Highway 68 Roundabout

Plans, Impacts & Solutions

Wednesday, October 28th from 8:30 to 9:30am

Pacific Grove Tourist Information Center

100 Central Avenue

Featured Speakers: Rich Deal - City of Monterey Traffic Engineer and
Todd Muck - Transportation Agency for Monterey County Deputy Executive
Director

Learn about the updated plans for the Highway 68 Holman Roundabout and the impact it will have on Pacific Grove.

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**Marketing Your Business and Services to AT&T Pebble Beach Pro-Am Golf
Tournament Fans**

Thursday, October 29th from 8:30 - 9:30 am.

Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History

165 Forest Avenue

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