



PACIFIC GROVE WEEKLY SUMMARY

September 25, 2015

WATER

Pure Water Monterey. Pure Water Monterey is a multi-region, multi-benefit advanced water purification project that will recycle and deliver highly treated waste, storm, agricultural and impaired waters to the residents, businesses and agricultural interests of Monterey County. It is a partnership between the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District and the Monterey Regional Water Pollution Control Agency with additional project participation by the Monterey County Water Resources Agency, the City of Salinas, the Marina Coast Water District and the Salinas Valley Agricultural Community.

Pure Water Monterey, the regional water project headed by lead partners, The Monterey Peninsula Water Management District (MPWMD) and the Monterey Regional Water Pollution Control Agency (MRWPCA) along with other partners the City of Salinas, the Monterey County Water Resources Agency and the Marina Coast Water District are proud to announce it has been awarded the WaterReuse Association's Agriculture Project of the Year.

The WaterReuse Association is the nation's largest non-profit coalition of utilities, government agencies and industry and provides a comprehensive and complementary approach to water reuse.

"We are honored to receive this prestigious award," commented Dave Stoldt, General Manager of the MPWMD and one of the lead project partners. "To be recognized for our project's commitment to providing a safe and sustainable supply of water for Monterey County."

The Agriculture Project of the Year award recognized Pure Water Monterey's as a "multi-benefit, integrated, regional solution that will provide a water recycling model for other regions in drought-stricken California. Among the benefits is an increase in the water available for agriculture and produce processing in the Salinas Valley, which is the most productive agriculture region in the state." It was also recognized for its Advanced Water Purification Demonstration Facility, located in Marina.

"Our awards committee selected leadership as the theme for this year's awards program and the winners truly represent forward thinking approaches that can inspire others across the country and around the globe to produce, use, or champion recycled water," said WaterReuse Association President Bob Johnson of McManus and Johnson Consulting Engineers.

The Advanced Water Purification Demonstration Facility has recently undergone an upgrade and will soon be available for educational tours and demonstrations.

COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Pumphouse Historic Demolition Permit and Final Environmental Impact Report Hearing Dates. The Final Environmental Impact Report for the Cal-Am Pumphouse Historic Demolition Permit HDP 14-405 is posted on the City's [CEQA](#) webpage. The Historic Demolition Permit

HDP 14-405 will be heard before the **Historic Resources Committee on Sept. 30**, for a recommendation, and the **Architectural Review Board on October 13**, for certification of the EIR and a decision on the Historic Demolition Permit. The 1st appeal body is the Planning Commission, and 2nd appeal body City Council. Appeals must be submitted within 10 day of the decision. Please direct questions and written comments to [Anastazia Aziz](#), AICP, Senior.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Emergency Preparedness Fair – On Saturday, September 26, 2015, the *Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula (CHOMP)* will sponsor an Emergency Preparedness Fair at the Del Monte Shopping Center from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. The fair will include many participants such as first responder organizations among others. There will be booths featuring home safety, safe food and water, shutting off natural gas, fire extinguisher how-to's, fire safe landscaping, etc. The first 500 attendees will receive emergency “starter kits” from CHOMP. (See attached flyer.)

Additionally, if you would like to be informed of an emergency or disaster in Monterey County, register your mobile phone number with [AlertMontereyCounty.org](#). *Alert Monterey County* is the system used by local safety officials to deliver emergency notification to those in danger of being impacted by an emergency or disaster. For further questions, please visit their website or call (831) 755-8969.



LAW/POLICE DEPARTMENT

Weekly Highlights. Attached you will find Chief Myers' Weekly Police Report for the week of September 18, 2015 to September 24, 2015, with the Year-to-Date Monthly Highlights.

MUSEUM

The Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History is pleased to announce The Butterfly Ball on October 3, 2015, starting at 6 p.m. This fun evening event begins with wine tasting and a silent auction, followed by live music, strolling dinner, and a no-host bar. A live auction, dancing, and dessert will end the evening. <http://www.pgmuseum.org/butterfly-ball/>

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>



PUBLIC WORKS

This week Public Works has been doing a variety of tasks around town.

The street crew continues to finalize painting around town. The center striping has been completed and crews are now refreshing the stop legends and bars at intersections.

The buildings and grounds crew has been working in the Monarch Grove Sanctuary this week to prepare for the return of the monarchs. Effective October 1st, it is forbidden to perform any tree work within the Sanctuary zone, unless it has been deemed an emergency through the Public Works Department. Please contact Public works if you have any questions.

The waste water and storm water crews started preparing for winter this week as well. As we all know this year is predicted to have above-average rainfall, as a strong El Nino pattern is expected to hit California. The crews started our annual cleaning of the storm drain system. This entails a visual inspection of the drain inlets, vacuuming out debris with our Vactor truck, and hydro flushing the line when necessary. The Public Works Department will be constantly monitoring the weather this winter and making sandbags available when large storms are predicted to impact Pacific Grove.

The blessing of the Sanctuary will occur this Saturday at 1:00 pm at the Sanctuary and is hosted by the Museum of Natural History.

And last but not least, Public Works would like to announce that the City's Senior Recreation Coordinator, Mr. Donald Mothershead, celebrated 34 years with the City on Tuesday, September 22nd. Please congratulate Don as you see him around town. This is quite a milestone!



PACIFIC GROVE POLICE DEPARTMENT
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Vicki L.H. Myers
 Chief of Police

Rory Lakind
 Commander

Jocelyn Francis
 Manager

"Our community, your police"

Weekly Highlights

September 18, 2015 to September 24, 2015

Traffic Accidents	1
Arrests	2
Written Reports	31
Citations Issued	14
Parking Citations	40
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	5	-	-	-	132	137	178
Arrests	9	8	10	18	7	13	11	9	7	-	-	-	92	132	154
Written Reports	226	250	227	229	204	240	259	267	201	-	-	-	2,103	1,877	2,489
Citations Issued	127	89	100	75	93	69	95	56	53	-	-	-	757	707	985
Parking Citations	260	432	369	470	439	224	366	395	162	-	-	-	3,117	892	1,602
Field Interviews	16	28	35	24	11	29	39	32	13	-	-	-	227	359	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	5	9
Robbery	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	1
Assault - Aggravated	1	-	-	2	-	2	5	2	1	-	-	-	13	18	24
Assault - Simple	2	1	6	4	-	4	2	4	5	-	-	-	28	32	43
Burglary	5	2	3	4	3	4	5	7	1	-	-	-	34	43	51
Larceny	21	15	11	44	13	22	21	18	14	-	-	-	179	193	236
Auto Theft	-	-	-	2	1	2	2	3	1	-	-	-	11	25	26
Domestic Violence	3	3	4	-	-	3	5	2	7	-	-	-	27	38	40
Arson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	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.



Be ready.

Emergency Preparedness Fair

Saturday, September 26 ■ 11 a.m.–3 p.m.
Del Monte Center, Monterey

- Emergency kit essentials
- Safe food and water
- Home safety
- Shutting off natural gas
- Fire extinguisher how-to's
- Fire-safe landscaping
- Emergency vehicles on display

Emergency "starter kits"
from Community Hospital
(free to first 500 attendees)

PARTICIPANTS

American Medical Response | Amateur Radio Group of Monterey | Cal-Fire | California Highway Patrol | California Office of Emergency Services | Community Emergency Response Volunteers | Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula | Carmel Highlands Fire Protection District | Cypress Fire Protection District | Deaf and Hard of Hearing Service Center | Monterey County Health Department | Monterey County Communications | Monterey County Office of Emergency Services | Monterey Fire Department | Monterey Police Department | NSA Monterey Office of Emergency Management | Pacific Gas & Electric | Presidio of Monterey Fire Department | Seaside Fire Department | United Way



Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula®
When it comes to your health, everything matters.

THE PACIFIC GROVE
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

invites you to join us for our fourth

PACIFIC GROVE CASH MOB



FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2015

Wear something green, bring some green, and join us
for a glass of wine, and/or dinner at 5:30pm
RED HOUSE CAFÉ (662 Lighthouse), featuring

“Elvis Pink Cadillac Concert”
from 6-9pm!



During his first break, Elvis will draw a name for the
business we will mob, and lead the way!

Please plan to spend a least \$10-\$20 at this business. This is a great
way to shop local, have fun, meet new people and send a message loud
and clear that we need to keep our \$\$ in Pacific Grove.



You'll Find It In Pacific Grove!

...Stay after and enjoy the festivities of
FIRST FRIDAY... music, art galleries,
entertainment, dining and shopping!

“When we each do a little, we do a lot!”

For more information, please contact EDC93950@gmail.com



Pacific Grove CHAUTAUQUA DAYS

October 2-4, 2015



Friday, October 2

First Friday P. G.
Downtown Pacific Grove
6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. FREE

**"The Edge of the Sea"
Fine Art Juried Show**
Pacific Grove Public Library
6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. FREE

Gallery Night
Pacific Grove Art Center
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
FREE



Saturday, October 3

Butterfly Ball
Museum of Natural History
6:00 p.m.



Annual Butterfly Parade & Bazaar
Robert Down School & Parade Route
10:30 a.m. FREE

1st Saturday Book Sale
Pacific Grove Public Library
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Butterfly Story-time
Pacific Grove Public Library
2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. FREE

Sunday, October 4

**Heritage Society
Houses for the Birds
& Little Free Libraries**
Elmarie Dyke Park
10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.



Heritage Society Raffle
Chautauqua Hall 4:00 p.m.

**Heritage Society
Historic Walking Tours**
Chautauqua Hall
1:00 p.m., 2:30 p.m. \$5



Celebration of Music
1st United Methodist Church
2:00 p.m. FREE

Saturday-Sunday, October 3-4

13th Annual Artists in Chautauqua
Chautauqua Hall
10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. FREE

Special Exhibit
Museum of Natural History
10:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. FREE

Art-What is it Good For?
Pacific Grove Art Center
SAT: 12-5 p.m. FREE
SUN: 1-4 p.m. FREE



Point Pinos Lighthouse

10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Donations

A BRIEF HISTORY: The lighthouse was constructed 1853-1855, lighted February 1, 1855. It was partially rebuilt following the 1906 earthquake. It remains the oldest continuously operating lighthouse on the Pacific Coast. The lighthouse resides on the National Register for Historic Places and has been the beacon of hope and safety for decades, serving both civilian and military seafarers with honor and distinction. The Point Pinos Lighthouse remains an integral part of U.S. and Pacific Grove history.



Chautauqua Days is sponsored by City of Pacific Grove and funded in part by a grant from the City of Pacific Grove's Economic Development Commission

For more information, visit: www.ci.pg.ca.us



PACIFIC GROVE
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
& TOURIST CENTERS

Present

Bookmark Music 21st Anniversary Celebration
Saturday, September 26, from 4:00 to 7:00 pm
307 Forest Avenue

Join the Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce in congratulating Bookmark Music on their 21st Anniversary. This is the go-to place for sheet music, music books and music related gifts. Enjoy light refreshments and wine, door prizes, live entertainment.

Grand Opening/Ribbon Cutting
Monterey Bay Artisans
Tuesday, September 29th, from 4:00 to 6:00 pm
125 Oceanview Boulevard, Suite 203
(American Tin Cannery)

Please join the Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce in welcoming Dawn Teal and the Monterey Bay Artisans to Pacific Grove. Monterey Bay Artisans is a non-profit local art center whose mission is to exhibit and sell the work of local artists and artisans.

Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce Networking Luncheon
Featured Speaker: Jon Coupal, President of the Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association

Topic: Looming Threats to Prop 13 and California Taxpayers
Thursday, October 1, 2015 from noon to 1 pm
Point Pinos Grill
\$25 per person

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

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

Marketing Your Business & Services to AT&T Pro-Am Golf Tournament Fans

Thursday, October 29th, 8:30 - 9:30 am
Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History

Featured Speaker: Steve John

Chief Executive Officer of the Monterey Peninsula Foundation and Tournament Director of the AT&T Pebble Beach Pro Am

Learn first hand how to reach over 30,000 golf fans that attend the Pro-Am
Networking encouraged - 30 second infomercials

For more information, called (831) 373-3304

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