



## PACIFIC GROVE WEEKLY SUMMARY

June 24, 2016

### COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

**Local Coastal Program Update.** The Council will hold a Special Meeting on *June 29, 2016* to receive an update on the Local Coastal Program.

The Planning Commission will continue discussion of the Local Coastal Program at a Special Meeting on *July 7, 2016 at 4PM*. Please note to ensure Commission members receive correspondence *please submit written communication by the previous day at 9am*.

Please email Anastazia Aziz, AICP, Senior Planner at [aaziz@cityofpacificgrove.org](mailto:aaziz@cityofpacificgrove.org) or call 831-648-3183 for more information.

### LIBRARY

**Discover & Go.** It's official. The first week of summer is here and it's time to get out and create some adventure. **Discover & Go** provides passes to museums and other cultural and educational institutions that can be printed online. As a Pacific Grove library cardholder, you can make reservations online by date or by venue and print out a pass. Most participating museums and other institutions offer free passes through Discover & Go. Some offer discounts. Each institution determines its own offers and restrictions. Here are just some of the offerings: Cartoon Art Museum, Exploratorium, the Marine Mammal Center, the Tech Museum, and the Botanical Garden at the University of California Berkeley. So, pack a day bag, get your printed reservations and head out the door for some fun.

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## **FIRE DEPARTMENT**

**Movie in The Park.** On Friday, June 17, 2016, the Monterey Firefighters Association, Monterey Firemen's Association, Monterey Chief Officers Association and the Old Monterey Bay Business Association hosted a free showing of the movie *Minions* on Colton lawn at City Hall. The event brought out many local families and was a hit! The next Movie in the Park is *Zootopia* and is scheduled to take place on July 29, 2016 at Casanova Oak Knoll Park. Festivities begin around 6:00 p.m., and the movie will start around 8:00 p.m.



**Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser and Celebration.** On July 4, 2016, the Monterey Firefighter's Association, Local 3707 (MFFA) will sponsor a charity pancake breakfast to benefit *My Museum* and *Movies in the Park*. *My Museum* serves over 65,000 children annually in an environment that helps them learn through play.

Most of the proceeds will go toward *My Museum* with some proceeds sponsoring *Movies in the Park*, a community event which strives to bring together families and community in a fun and entertaining setting.

The breakfast will be held at Fire Station 1 located at 600 Pacific Street from 7:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. The cost is \$10 and will include pancakes, eggs, sausage, coffee and juice.

There parade starting around 10:00 a.m. in downtown Monterey as well as arts and crafts for children, face painting, and other fun stuff! The Fire truck the "Old Grey Mare" will be 100 years old and will be driven in the parade then parked for display with a few other historic vehicles from the surrounding community. Please come and support your community, *My Museum* and *Movies in the Park*. For more information go to [www.monterey.org](http://www.monterey.org).

## MONTEREY FIREFIGHTERS CHARITY

# PANCAKE BREAKFAST

**MONDAY, JULY 4 from 7 to 11 a.m.**  
**FIRE STATION #1 at 600 PACIFIC STREET**

*Enjoy the most important meal of the day and walk to the parade. Arts and crafts for the kids and a chance to meet your local firefighters while supporting a great organization. Face painting and MORE!*

A FUN BREAKFAST FOR  
THE WHOLE FAMILY!

**TICKETS: \$10**

**purchase in advance at MY Museum  
or online at <http://bit.ly/1Uion50>**



### HUMAN RESOURCES

**Employee Morale/ Recognition** Members of the leadership team, including City Manager, Ben Harvey, scooped up ice cream and smiles for staff this week by hosting an ice cream social. The event took place at City Hall under a white pop-up tent and perfect weather. The ice cream social gave employees the opportunity to meet and interact with one another in a casual setting as well as provided an opportunity for leadership to show employees that they are appreciated and that their continued hard work and dedication to the City is valued and rewarded beyond their paychecks.



**Employee of The Quarter.** Committee members of Employee of the Quarter gathered and discussed this quarter's nominees. While it was a difficult decision for the group to select just one, in the end, there was consensus and a nominee was selected. Stay tuned next week to discover who was selected for Employee of the Quarter, 2nd quarter, 2016!

**Labor Relations.** Another positive and productive negotiation took place this week with the Police Officers Association. As both sides continue to work together to bring a final contract to the table, all are hopeful to have a ratified agreement soon.

Another General Employees Association (GEA) meeting was held this week during the lunch hour for employees to meet and discuss items for upcoming negotiations. The GEA employee contract expires December 2016 (as well as the Management Employee Association contract), negotiations are targeted to get an early start in July. Human Resources was present for a portion of this meeting to assist in answering benefit questions.

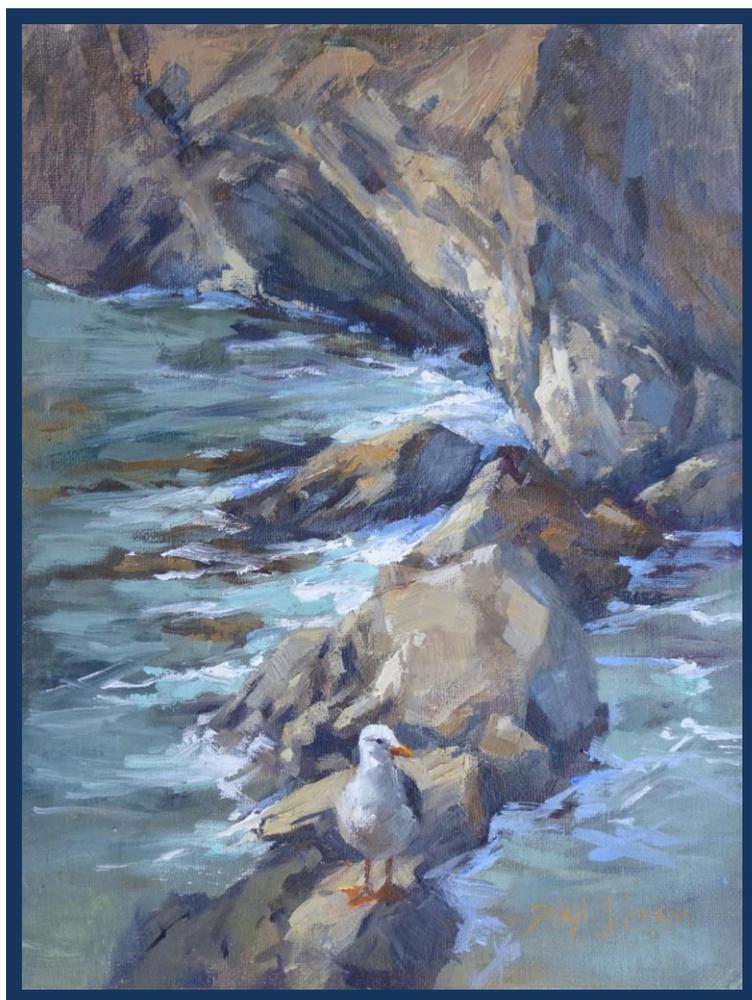
**Recruitment.** The Police Department is looking for a few new recruits, seasoned police officers and a Police Services Technician. Interested and qualified applicants may apply by completing an online application through CalOPPS, (<http://www.cityofpacificgrove.org/about-city/jobs>).

## **LAW/POLICE DEPARTMENT**

**Weekly Highlights.** Attached you will find Interim Chief Belcher's Weekly Police Report for the week of June 17, 2016 to June 23, 2016, with the Year-to-Date Monthly Highlights.

## **MUSEUM**

**Opening Reception "Art Takes Wing".** Enjoy an opening reception for the special exhibition "Art Takes Wing," featuring paintings by Signature Members of the Monterey Bay Plein Air Painters Association on Friday, July 15<sup>th</sup>, from 5:30-7PM. <http://www.pgmuseum.org/museum-events/2016/7/15/opening-reception-art-takes-wing>



**Book Club.** The Natural History Book Club will discuss the book, "The Soul of an Octopus: A Surprising Exploration into the Wonder of Consciousness," by Sy Montgomery during its next regular meeting on Thursday, July 21st, at 6:30 p.m. The club is open to members, volunteers and Museum staff. <http://www.pgmuseum.org/museum-events/2016/7/21/natural-history-book-club>

**PUBLIC WORKS**

**Downtown Lanterns.** The Public Works Department assisted the Feast of Lanterns organizers to hang the lanterns downtown this week. The Feast of Lanterns is a spectacular event that brings thousands to our town to experience the show and watch the fireworks. The event also has many other programs that run throughout the week of July 25-31. The event organizers will be providing more information in the coming weeks about program schedules. Please visit Downtown to see the lanterns hung in the trees.



## EVENTS

**VW Cruise Show & Shine.** Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce will host the "Treffen 18 VW Cruise Show & Shine", an annual vintage Volkswagen enthusiast car show on Wednesday, July 27th, from 4:00PM to 7:00PM on Lighthouse Avenue downtown Pacific Grove.

Over 90 classic, rear-engine VW models will be on display during a show and shine that evening. The official ride starts on the US - Canada international border and ends at the US - Mexico international border, touring the entire length of the U.S. West Coast. Several live bands will entertain during the event.

For more information or to complimentary register your VW please contact Dave Buck at [805-650-2053](tel:805-650-2053) or [moonbuck@live.com](mailto:moonbuck@live.com).





**PACIFIC GROVE POLICE DEPARTMENT**

580 Pine Avenue, Pacific Grove, CA 93950

(831) 648-3143 – Fax (831) 648-3163

*"Our community, your police"*

**Weekly Highlights**

**June 17, 2016 to June 23, 2016**

Traffic Accidents	7
Arrests*	7
Written Reports	67
Citations Issued	13
Parking Citations	137
Field Interviews	11

**2016 Monthly Highlights**

Activity	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun**	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	2016 YTD	2015 YTD	2015 Total
Traffic Accidents	14	17	10	12	16	17							86	89	179
Arrests*	22	17	19	30	27	15							130	100	215
Written Reports	226	214	222	236	218	185							1,301	1,325	2,820
Citations Issued	120	111	103	107	84	48							573	539	978
Parking Citations	143	125	119	244	323	355							1,309	2,127	3,736
Field Interviews	128	86	90	129	70	29							532	128	322

**2016 Crime Comparison**

Crime Type	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun**	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	2016 YTD	2015 YTD	2015 Total
Homicide	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rape	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	1
Robbery	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	4
Assault - Aggravated	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	5	7
Assault - Simple	3	6	6	6	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	19	58
Burglary	1	-	3	2	4	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	21	52
Larceny	15	13	20	26	17	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	105	125	230
Auto Theft	3	2	3	1	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	5	18
Domestic Violence	2	7	1	7	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	20	46
Arson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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.

\*Includes bookings and citations.

\*\*Stats through weekly reporting period



# NEWS RELEASE

**Today's Date:** Friday, June 24, 2016

**District:** 05 – Santa Barbara, San Luis Obispo, Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties

**Contact:** Susana Z Cruz (bilingual) or Colin Jones

**Phone:** (805) 549-3138 or 549-3189

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## PAVING ON HIGHWAY 68 (HOLMAN HIGHWAY) IN PACIFIC GROVE BETWEEN SKYLINE FOREST DRIVE AND ADOBE LANE—FOUR DAYS NEXT WEEK

MONTEREY COUNTY – Four days of paving by Caltrans maintenance crews along a nearly 2-mile section of Highway 68 (Holman Highway) in Pacific Grove will take place between Skyline Forest Drive and Adobe Lane for four days beginning on Monday, June 27, Caltrans officials have announced.

Roadwork is scheduled from 8:30 am to 1 pm, Monday, June 27 until Thursday, June 30. Details are as follows:

Monday, June 27—Westbound at Skyline Forest Drive:

- One-way, reversing traffic control with flagging.
- Detour will be available.

Tuesday, June 28—Eastbound at Presidio Boulevard:

- One-way, reversing traffic control with flagging.
- Detour will be available.

Wednesday, June 29—Westbound at Presidio Boulevard:

- One-way, reversing traffic control with flagging.

Thursday, June 30—Westbound at Adobe Lane:

- One-way, reversing traffic control with flagging.

**NOTE: Electronic Message Signs alerting motorists, who can expect delays between 15-20 minutes, have been posted. The CHP will be present to assist with traffic control.**

The purpose of this project is to provide motorists and bicyclists a safer route to travel and a smoother ride. Roadwork is scheduled to be complete by Thursday, June 30 (perhaps Wednesday) and is being performed by our Monterey Maintenance crew.

**Caltrans reminds motorists to move over and slow down when driving through highway work zones.**

For more information on this project and for traffic updates on other Caltrans projects in Monterey County, residents can call the District 5 toll free number at 1-831-753-0187 or can visit our website at: <http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/paffairs/release.htm#mon>



**SLOW FOR THE  
CONE ZONE™**  
C A L T R A N S





Join the Pacific Grove Community for a **FREE** Downtown Block Party in collaboration with FIRST FRIDAY PACIFIC GROVE!

**Friday, July 1, 2016 5:00pm – 8:00pm**

**Defense Language Institute (DLI) Color Guard will open the event at 5:00pm at the 17<sup>th</sup> Street Grille (617 Lighthouse)**  
Followed by the Rollin & Tumblin Band

### **Fun for the Entire Family!**

- Bounce House and Arts & Crafts at Marina Patina
- Chalk Art Wall at Butterfly by the Sea
- Face Painting & Balloon Artist
- Patriotic Photo Op and Letter Writing to the Military at Red House Cafe
- Dan Chan Magic Show at Juice & Java (5:15-6pm)

### **LOOK FOR THE GREEN FLAGS!**

**Passport Program:** Visit any business with a green flag out front and have them stamp your passport. After 6 stamps, return the passport to Butterfly by the Sea (623 Lighthouse Ave) by 8:30pm for a drawing for a Romantic Package of hotel stay and dinner in Pacific Grove, plus many other great items! Must be present to win!



**FIRST FRIDAY PACIFIC GROVE starts at 6pm with stores and art galleries opened until 9pm, live entertainment and fine dining!**

**FIRST FRIDAY PACIFIC GROVE IS SPONSORED BY THE PACIFIC GROVE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION & BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT**



**PACIFIC GROVE**  
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE  
& TOURIST CENTERS

**Present**

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**Pacific Grove Art Center Tribute to Burt Bacharach**

568 Lighthouse Avenue

Saturday, June 18<sup>th</sup> at 7p.m.

Performances will be given by Richard Carr and Terry Scott,

Tickets available in advance or at the door

\$15 for Art Center members and \$20 for non-members.

For more information or to purchase tickets, please

contact the Art Center (831) 375-2208.

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**Butterfly Gift Shop**

**3 Year Anniversary**

During First Friday, July 1 from 6:00 - 9:00 pm

623 Lighthouse Avenue between 17th & 18th

Enjoy complimentary wine, appetizers, live music and more as you support Butterfly Gift Shop, home of Pacific Grove's monarch butterflies.

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**First Friday**

Friday, July 1st from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Grassroots event sponsored by several local participating businesses in downtown Pacific Grove, Ca. Founded by Artisana Gallery in March of 2010. Join us every month on the 1st Friday from 6:00-9:00 pm. Look for the Green flags to signify participating businesses.

Pacific Grove Art Center open from 7:00 to 9:00 pm.

For more information, contact Artisana Gallery at (831) 655-9775 or [firstfridaypg@gmail.com](mailto:firstfridaypg@gmail.com)

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**City Fourth of July BBQ**

Monday, July 4th from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Join the Chamber of Commerce and celebrate the 4th with an old-fashioned, down-home BBQ in Caledonia Park (behind the Post Office). Great food, live entertainment and a chance to enjoy a patriotic celebration. Pacific Grove Rotary Club presents Reading of Declaration of Independence at 11:00 a.m. Chicken or Hot Dog lunch \$10 includes potato salad, garlic bread, salad and dessert, served from 11:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. (while supplies last) Live entertainment by The Firefly Band and Tom Faia & The Juice. Bounce houses for kids. More info: (831) 373-3304 or [www.pacificgrove.org](http://www.pacificgrove.org).

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**"Back in Time" Car Show**

Lighthouse Avenue, Pacific Grove

Saturday, July 9th from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Please join the Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce in welcoming back the classic car show hosted by pre-1973 automobile enthusiast group, Gold Coast Rods. The event will take place on Lighthouse Avenue, downtown Pacific Grove. For more information, please contact Jeff Fetter at (831) 595-0143 or Dave Peelo at (831) 424-2004 or visit [www.goldcoastrods.org](http://www.goldcoastrods.org)

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**Poolside Reception**

Wednesday, July 13th from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Butterfly Grove Inn

1073 Lighthouse Avenue

Please join the Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce in congratulating Pinakin and Apurva Patel, owners, and General Manager Erna Clay for the changes in their beautiful property by the Butterfly Sanctuary. Come and meet the new owners and management team and view the newly renovated rooms.

Complimentary wine and appetizers will be served poolside.

There will be a raffle and it is open to the public.

For more information please contact Butterfly Grove Inn at (831) 251-8191.

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**Treffen 18 VW Show & Shine**

Wednesday, July 27th, from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Lighthouse Avenue in Pacific Grove

Over 130 vintage, rear-engine Volkswagen vehicles will be displayed on Lighthouse Avenue for a "Show and Shine" event. The event is part of a West Coast Cruise from the U.S.-Canada Border to the U.S.-Mexico Border. For more information please contact Dave Buck at (805) 650-2053.

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Look for the green flags  
...green for GO!

# FIRST FRIDAY P.G.

JULY 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2016  
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

## PARTICIPANTS:



**Grand Ave:**  
A Touch of Glass 170  
Studios on Grand 170  
Studio Silzer 178



**Lighthouse Ave:**  
Marina Patina 520

Pacific Grove Art Center 568 (4 Gala Openings 7-9pm)

Fat Willy's Antiques 590  
Variety 608

Phill's Barber Shop 610  
Artisana Gallery 612

620 on the Ave. (formerly Blessings Boutique)

Butterfly By The Sea 623

Craddock~Butterfield Gallery 661 (Upstairs)  
Red House Cafe 662



### **Central Ave:**

Pacific Grove Masonic Lodge 680

Many more participants and lots of LIVE Music featuring:

**the Warf Rats at Rabobank**

**Dick Robins at PG Art Center entrance**

and activities throughout downtown to include:

Bounce House, Face Painting, Balloon Artists and a few surprises!



Sponsored in part by the P.G. Chamber of Commerce, P.G. Economic Development Commission & Business Improvement District.

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Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce presents

# FOURTH OF JULY

## HOMETOWN CELEBRATION

Monday, July 4th 🌀 11:00 am to 3:00

Caledonia Park 🌀 Tommy Stillwell Court (Behind the Post Office)



Pacific Grove Rotary Club Presents  
Reading of Declaration of  
Independence at 11:00 am

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Chicken or Hot Dog Lunch \$10  
includes potato salad, garlic bread, salad and dessert

Served from 11 am until 3 pm  
while supplies last



Live entertainment by  
**The Firefly Band**  
&  
**Tom Faia &  
The Juice**

With bounce houses for kids

Sponsored by: City of Pacific Grove, Earthbound Farm, PG Florist, Asilomar, & Lucky

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# Sunset on the Deck

**Join us for Friday Night Sunset on the Deck at Asilomar!**

What better way to unwind from the work week and kick off the weekend than watching sunset on the deck at Asilomar. Enjoy live entertainment starting at 6:30 PM. The ongoing event will host a wealth of your favorite local musicians. Enjoy Phoebe's Café, serving beer, wine, specialty cocktails, chef's grilled specialties, paninis, salads and more.

**May 27th** Andrea's Fault

**June 3rd** Fred McCarty

**June 10th** Johan Sotelo

**June 17th** Tom Faia

**June 24th** Wade Egan

**July 1st** Kenny Chung

**July 8th** Fred McCarty

**July 15th** Bryan Diamond

**July 22nd** Andrea's Fault

**July 29th** John Sherry

**August 12th** Fergus

**August 19th** Fred McCarty

**August 26th** Ann & Pete

## PHOEBE'S CAFÉ

