



PACIFIC GROVE WEEKLY SUMMARY

September 30, 2016

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Area of Special Biological Significance Planning Handout. In an effort to distill and convey water quality information to the public about the City's Area of Special Biological Significance (ASBS), staff developed an [ASBS handout](#) available on the Community & Economic Development Department's webpage. The new handout identifies key information and actions to protect water quality in Monterey Bay and the Pacific Ocean. More detailed technical water quality information remains available on Public Works' [ASBS webpage](#). Please email Anastazia Aziz, AICP, Senior Planner at aaziz@cityofpacificgrove.org or call 831-648-3183 for more information.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Thunderbird Emergency Training. On Thursday, September 22, 2016, Monterey Fire personnel met with crew members and pilots of the United States Air Force Thunderbirds to review emergency procedures and gain familiarization with the F-16 Fighting Falcon aircraft. The fighter jets utilize the Monterey Airport as their home base during the Salinas Air Show, making it vital that the Fire Department be prepared in the event of an emergency.

The Thunderbirds hold performances all around the world, combining years of training and experience into choreographed air drills, which demonstrate their astonishing skill level.



Joint Aerial Stokes Rescue Training. On September 22, 2016, Monterey Fire Department personnel conducted a joint aerial stokes training exercise with Carmel Ambulance and Cal Fire personnel at Ocean View Boulevard and 12th Street in Pacific Grove. Crews practiced rescue operations utilizing a stokes basket (rescue stretcher). The basket is ideal for moving a patient to safety in many types of rescue situations, such as from a steep embankment or from a high rise building. Depending upon the terrain, rescue personnel will either hike down or rappel down to the patient. The patient is then secured in the basket and hoisted by the use of a pulley system that is secured to a tree or to a fire apparatus. This exercise focused on the use of the aerial truck ladder as the anchor for hoisting the patient to safety.



Community Day at the Monterey Regional Airport. Tomorrow - Saturday, October 1, 2016 from 11:00AM. until 3:00PM - Monterey Fire Department personnel will display the Airport Fire Apparatus and the Fire Safety Trailer from the Presidio of Monterey (POM) Fire Department during the 75 Year Anniversary celebration of the Monterey Regional Airport. The event will take place at the Monterey Jet Center and admission is free. Among many other kid friendly activities, there will be arts and crafts, a bounce house, and display of new and vintage planes. Food and drink will be available for purchase. For further information, please go to the website: www.montereyairport.com

HUMAN RESOURCES

Recruitment. Please check out our career web pages at <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/pacificgrove> to apply for open positions. Several new opportunities are currently available, including:

- **Librarian (Part-Time)** - Closes October 14th
- **Crossing Guard (Seasonal/Part-time)** – Closes October 17th
- **Police Officer Lateral/Academy Graduate** – Continuous until filled
- **Police Officer Recruit** – Continuous until filled

LAW/POLICE DEPARTMENT

Weekly Highlights. Attached please find Chief Christey's Weekly Police Report for the week of September 23, 2016 to September 29, 2016, with the Year-to-Date Monthly Highlights.

Stolen Property. Early Sunday morning, PGPD officers contacted two people in the 700 block of Marino Pines. During the contact officers discovered these two were riding in a stolen car, with stolen license plates, and one of the individuals had five arrest warrants. A subsequent investigation revealed stolen property, narcotics, paraphernalia, and burglary tools. Both people were arrested for a variety of charges and booked at county jail.

New Employees. On Monday, PGPD welcomed two new employees. Cynthia Thomas was hired as a police recruit, and Margie Cohen, our former Crossing Guard at Robert Down Elementary, was reclassified to a part-time Police Services Technician (PST). Both Cynthia and Margie are excited to join our team!





Facebook Post. Thursday morning Pacific Grove Police Department was contacted by Monterey County Dispatch regarding information related to a threatening Facebook post against Monterey County Schools. The comments were investigated by Law Enforcement and an arrest was made. The Police Department was aware that there was no specific mention of Pacific Grove Schools in the posts. However, PGPD staff, including the School Resource Officer (SRO), immediately patrolled school campuses and met with District and School representatives.

MUSEUM

Night Owl Event. Join the Museum in learning all about Oktoberfest during our upcoming Night Owl event on Saturday, October 1st, from 8-11PM. We'll have gallons of fun and entertainment on hand, including home brew tastings and live music by local favorite David Holodiloff. Members can start the party early with extra beer tastings at 7PM.

<http://www.pgmuseum.org/museum-events/2016/10/1/night-owl-oktoberfest>



National Mammal. Hear the real story of our national mammal with the Buffalo Field Campaign 2016 Road Show on Thursday, October 6th. Join Buffalo Field Campaign co-founder Mike Mease at 6:30PM for videos, storytelling, and reports from the front lines.

<http://www.pgmuseum.org/museum-events/2016/10/6/buffalo-field-campaign-2016-road-show>

PUBLIC WORKS

Highway 68 Round A Bout Construction:

Construction

Next week, daytime work will continue to be off of the roadway, but there may be traffic impacts since it is a construction zone. As such, we continue to advise drivers to give themselves an extra 10 minutes when traveling through the intersection, just in case they encounter an unexpected delay. Additionally, there are also trucks entering and leaving the work zone, so we also encourage drivers to be work zone alert and to slow for the cone zone.

There is potential for night work next Tuesday, October 4 into the morning of Wednesday, October 5. The work would require flagging, but no closures or detours, and would be on the southbound on-ramp to Highway 1 near the entrance to Pebble Beach.

Upcoming closures: the construction team is currently anticipating the next major closure will occur in late October. That closure will involve temporarily closing the southbound Highway 1 exit onto Holman Highway 68. We will provide updates as the construction team continues to finalize the work plans.

Caltrans Maintenance Work

The start of the rehabilitation project for the Holman Highway bridge over Highway 1 has been postponed until October. The work will involve repaving the bridge, and will require traffic control and flagging. The Caltrans project manager is working with the Roundabout construction team to coordinate the work schedules. TAMC will be working with the Caltrans Project manager to issue updates and press releases for the bridge work.

Public Outreach

The construction camera is operational! It can viewed here: https://www.truelook.com/tl/app/?u=tt1474929849#tl_live

Currently, the camera shows a still picture that can be refreshed instead of a live video. We are working with the camera company to have the setting adjusted so that the public will view a live streaming video. We will announce the camera with a press release once we have the live video feature, and we will also have the link on the project website.

Email Notifications

Please continue to encourage people to sign-up to receive email notifications: www.tamcmonterey.org

We will send a weekly “look-ahead” with info about the construction, road closures, detours, traffic conditions and travel options.

EVENTS

Trotter Galleries. The Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce and Trotter Galleries will host a grand opening and official ribbon cutting for Trotter Galleries 301 Forest Avenue in downtown Pacific Grove on Thursday, October 13th from 5:00PM to 6:30PM. The opening will feature the mural artwork of Jo Mora and other prominent California artists. Please join the Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce in congratulating Terry and Paula Trotter on opening their new gallery in downtown Pacific Grove.



PACIFIC GROVE POLICE DEPARTMENT

580 Pine Avenue, Pacific Grove, CA 93950

(831) 648-3143 – Fax (831) 648-3163

"Our community, your police"

Weekly Highlights

September 23 - September 29, 2016

Traffic Accidents	1
Arrests*	3
Written Reports	59
Traffic Cites Issued	23
Parking Citations	112
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	21	11	14	12				127	135	179
Arrests*	22	17	19	30	27	20	26	20	27				157	158	215
Written Reports	226	214	222	236	218	247	236	282	226				2,107	2,139	2,820
Traffic Cites Issued	97	92	94	82	70	56	69	81	127				768	641	978
Parking Citations	143	125	119	244	323	476	413	332	514				2,689	3,155	3,736
Field Interviews	128	86	90	129	70	37	74	47	41				702	230	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	1	-	1	-	-	-	4	1	1
Robbery	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	3	4
Assault - Aggravated	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	6	5	7
Assault - Simple	3	6	6	6	2	5	5	8	3	-	-	-	44	34	58
Burglary	1	-	3	2	4	6	4	4	5	-	-	-	29	33	52
Larceny	15	13	20	26	17	16	22	25	19	-	-	-	173	162	230
Auto Theft	3	2	3	1	2	4	2	1	2	-	-	-	20	9	18
Domestic Violence	2	7	1	7	4	5	1	9	7	-	-	-	43	32	46
Arson	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	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.

*Includes bookings and criminal citations.

**Stats through weekly reporting period



AREA OF SPECIAL BIOLOGICAL SIGNIFICANCE

Information Bulletin No. 39

What is an Area of Special Biological Significance (ASBS)?

An ASBS is a coastal region designated by the State Water Board in the California Ocean Plan because of the unique and sensitive marine ecosystem found in the area.

Does Pacific Grove have an Area of Special Biological Significance?

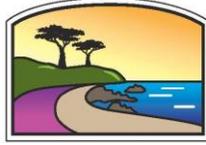
Yes! The [Pacific Grove ASBS](#) is 3.2 miles of coastline west from the City of Monterey border to Asilomar Boulevard just before Point Pinos. This ASBS lies entirely within the Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary, and contains the Pacific Grove State Marine Conservation Area and Hopkins State Marine Reserve. The ASBS receives runoff from approximately 1,000 acres in Pacific Grove and 100 acres in the City of Monterey.

To find out if a property is located in the ASBS watershed area, search by the property address or the Assessor's Parcel Number on [PGPARCEL.NET](#)

CITY OF PACIFIC GROVE – COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

300 Forest Avenue Pacific Grove, CA 93950 (831) 648-3183 - www.cityofpacificgrove.org/living/green-pg/stormwater





PACIFIC GROVE
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
& TOURIST CENTERS

Present

Grand Opening and Official Ribbon Cutting

Trotter Galleries - 301 Forest Avenue

Thursday, October 13th, from 5:00 to 6:30 pm

Featuring the work of Joe Mora, Murals and Paintings and other California artists
Join the Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce in congratulating Terry and Paula Trotter
on opening their new gallery downtown Pacific Grove.
Members and City officials only

Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce Networking Lunch

The Beach House Restaurant

Wednesday, October 26th from noon to 1:00 pm

620 Ocean View Boulevard

Join the Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce for a Networking Lunch at The Beach House Restaurant at
Lovers Point. Thirty-second Infomercials are encouraged and please bring 20 business cards.

The group is limited to 50 members, two per industry segment at \$20 per person

Meal choices: Grilled Salmon Filet • Bacon Wrapped Meatloaf

- Rigatoni with Basil Cream - vegetarian

To R.S.V.P., please contact Rita Pescatore at rita@pacificgrove.org or 373-3304

Free Trick or Treating in Downtown Pacific Grove

Saturday, October 29th, from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm

Ghosts and goblins of all ages are invited to this free family event. Activities include candy, giveaways, music,
the PGPD Halloween Safety Zone and special offers at participating businesses. Children Must be
accompanied by a responsible adult. This event is held in conjunction with the PG Museum of Natural
History's spooky Science Saturday and sponsored by the PG Downtown Business Improvement District and
the PG Chamber of Commerce.

For more information visit facebook.com/downtownpacificgrove

Good Morning Pacific Grove

Networking Session

Thursday, November 10th, from 8:30 to 9:30 am

Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History

Topic: Update by Monterey County Convention and Visitors Bureau

Networking encouraged - 30 second infomercials. Remember to bring 10 business cards.

The event is complimentary and open to the public.

Downtown Pacific Grove Holiday Open House

All Day Saturday, November 12th

The Pacific Grove Downtown Business Improvement District and Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce are
sponsoring a FREE holiday open house with special offers from participating businesses in downtown
Pacific Grove! Get some great holiday gifts and see what Downtown Pacific Grove has to offer!

Music 10:00 am to 3:00 pm.

For more information visit facebook.com/downtownpacificgrove.

Flavors of Pacific Grove:

A Celebration of the Great Chefs of Pacific Grove and Beyond

Saturday, November 19th, 2016 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Asilomar Conference Grounds

A celebration of the great chefs of Pacific Grove at Asilomar Conference Grounds.

More than 120 donations of trips, restaurant certificates, accommodations & golf packages will be auctioned
off to support the Chamber. The event is from 5:30 to 8:30 pm and includes the tasting and live entertainment.

More info: (831) 373-3304 or www.pacificgrove.org.

Small Business Saturday

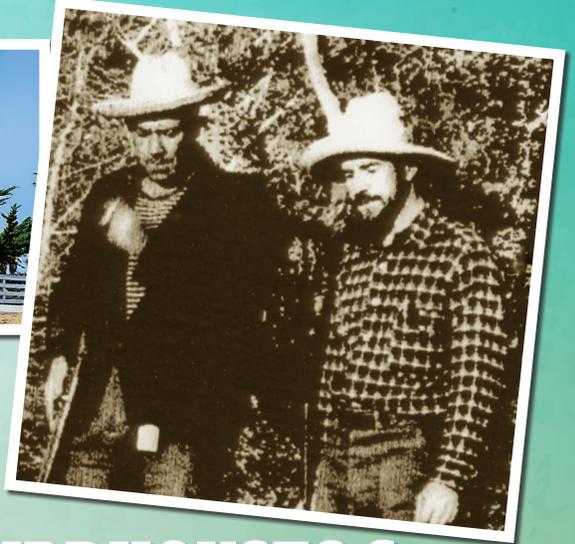
All Day Saturday, November 26h

The Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce & Tourist Centers encourage you to join us and Shop Small on
Small Business Saturday. For more information or to be added to the chamber's list of participants, call (831)
373-3304.

CHAUTAUQUA DAYS

SATURDAY & SUNDAY • OCTOBER 1-2, 2016

90-MINUTE HISTORIC BUS TOUR STEINBECK & RICKETTS' - PACIFIC GROVE -



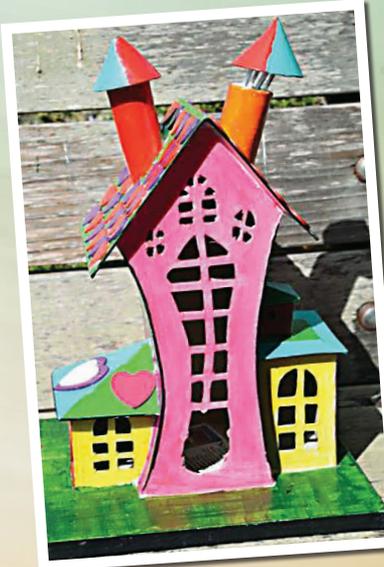
Oct. 1 - 11:30, 1:30 & 3:30 • Oct. 2 - 11:30 & 1:30

Visit the Pacific Grove where Steinbeck and Ricketts lived, worked and loved—from the exuberant 1920s to post-war 1950s suburbia
Tour starts at Chautauqua Hall • Tickets \$35/\$40 at the door

14TH ANNUAL ARTISTS IN CHAUTAUQUA



BIRDHOUSES & LITTLE FREE LIBRARIES SILENT AUCTION



October 1-2, 2016 • 10:00 to 5:00

This event hosts fine Local Arts & Crafts,
Food, Silent Auction and Live Music!

October 1-2, 2016

Bidding on Saturday & Sunday
Winning Bids on Sunday at 3:30 pm

THE HERITAGE SOCIETY OF PACIFIC GROVE

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

FIRST FRIDAY P.G.

Join us for an evening of
Exploration
Entertainment
& Enjoyment!

OCT. 7TH, 2016
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM



PARTICIPANTS:

Grand Ave:

A Touch of Glass 170
Studio Silzer 178

Forest Ave:

Bookmark Music 307

Lighthouse Ave:

Clothing Optional Boutique 510
Marina Patina 520

Nancy's Attic 566

Pacific Grove Art Center 568

(Gallery Night *7-9pm)

Variety 608

Phill's Barber Shop 610

Artisana Gallery 612

(*8th Annual Community Day of the Dead Altar)

620 on the Ave. 620

Craddock~Butterfield Gallery 661 (Upstairs)

Red House Cafe 662

Central Ave:

Pacific Grove Public Library 550 (*Gala Art Opening)

Pacific Grove Masonic Lodge 680

**Many more participants and lots of LIVE Music,
Art Openings, Sales and a few Surprises!**

First Friday
**GALLERY
Night**
Pacific Grove Art Center



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

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THE PACIFIC GROVE
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

invites you to join us for our next

PACIFIC GROVE CASH MOB



FRIDAY, October 7, 2016



Let's start the night off with no-host cocktails and tapas at **Jeninni's kitchen+wine bar** from 5:30-7:00pm (542 Lighthouse Ave). Join your neighbors, meet new friends and support local businesses!

Then at 7:00pm we'll head over to "mob" **Clothing Optional Boutique** (510 Lighthouse Ave). Please plan to spend at least \$20 at this business to show them that they do belong in Pacific Grove! Clothing, shoes, scarves, jewelry and more!



...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!"

Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce Presents

PACIFIC GROVE BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS



Saturday, October 8, 2016 • 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.
Caledonia Park (Behind the Post Office)

Interfaith Service and Blessing Honoring St. Francis of
Assisi, the Patron Saint of Animals. Bring your pet!
Animal treats and snacks provided.

Officiated By: Rev. Dan Paul, Christian Church Disciples of Christ; Rev. Vincent Raj, St. Mary's-By-The-Sea Episcopal Church; Father Seamus O'Brien, St. Angela Merici Catholic Church

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Sunset on the Deck

Fall Music Series

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.

9/9/16 Derek Smith

9/16/16 The Pfeffers

9/23/16 Fred McCarty

9/30/16 Fergus

10/7/16 Casey Frazier

10/14/16 Johan Sotelo

10/21/16 Andrea's Fault Duo

10/28/16 Fred McCarty

PHOEBE'S CAFÉ



Share your photos
#SunsetOnTheDeck #Asilomar

