



## Looking Back at 2017



## Looking Forward to 2018



# CITY VIEWS

WINTER  
2018



## GET INVOLVED: BE A PART OF NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH



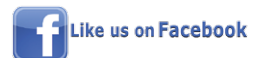
You can help reduce crime in your neighborhood! Join the Signal Hill Police Department's **Neighborhood Watch Program** and come together with your neighbors to make a difference. Under the guidance

of the Police Department, citizens serve as an extra set of eyes and ears to help report criminal activity in their immediate area. To get involved or for more information, call the Signal Hill Police Department at 562-989-7200.

## HELP SHAPE THE NEXT TEN YEARS OF PARKS AND RECREATION

2018 will be a big year for Parks and Recreation in Signal Hill! Community Services is in the process of planning an update of the Parks & Recreation Master Plan that will outline and direct the next decade of City recreation and community services programs. The plan is based on last year's Community Recreation Needs Assessment, and focuses on City parks, facilities and trails. Be on the lookout for upcoming opportunities to get involved! These will include a Parks and Recreation Commission study session, community outreach meetings, and online surveys. The previous Master Plan, completed in 1989, enabled the realization of Hilltop Park, Discovery Well Park, the Dog Park and the Community Garden. ■

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# VOLUNTEERS AND SPONSORS SHINE BRIGHT IN 2017

In November, the Community Services Department honored volunteers who supported Signal Hill programs and events in 2017 at their annual Volunteer and Sponsor Recognition Dinner. Award recipients were recognized for their unwavering commitment and dedication to the City and the community.



## Outstanding Youth Volunteer of the Year

Nathan Garcia's volunteer work included Concerts in the Park, Movies in the Park, and the Halloween Carnival. Nathan is a graduate of St. Anthony's High School and is currently attending Long Beach City College.

## Celebrated Business Sponsor of the Year

**EDCO**

*"We'll Take Care of It"*

The City recognized EDCO for graciously sponsoring many events hosted by the Signal Hill Community Foundation, including Concerts in the Park and Holiday Outreach. ■

## Valued Volunteer Organization of the Year

Congratulations to **Free to Be Me Performing Arts Academy**. Free to Be Me helped coordinate the first-ever "Voice of Signal Hill" and performed at several city events.



## GET INVOLVED IN 2018 – VOLUNTEER!

There are a number of reasons people choose to volunteer. For some, it offers the chance to give back to the community or support a cause they are passionate about. For others, it provides an opportunity to develop new skills or build on existing ones. Others enjoy meeting new people and making new friends. Others just think volunteering is fun! Regardless of their motivation, what unites all volunteers is that they find volunteering both challenging and rewarding.

When you volunteer, you get the satisfaction of making service a part of your life and making a difference in your community.

Make 2018 your year to make a difference in Signal Hill. Volunteer opportunities are available throughout the year:

- Halloween Carnival
- Spring Fest
- Concerts in the Park
- Tree Lighting
- Hounds on the Hill
- Library Programs
- Community Yard Sale
- Police Community Volunteer Program
- Neighborhood Watch
- Neighborhood Cleanup
- Homeless Count

For more information, visit the City's website at [cityofsignalhill.org/volunteer](http://cityofsignalhill.org/volunteer). ■



## Community Volunteers of the Year

Gary Dudley and Jane Fallon volunteer year after year at a number of City events including Concerts in the Park, Halloween Carnival, Spring Fest and more.



## DOG PARK UPDATE

Signal Hill's brand-new dog park is just about complete! A groundbreaking was held in October 2017 for the development of the .46 acre dog park at 3100 California Avenue. The estimated completion date is Spring 2018. The dog park will be open from dawn to dusk and features separate areas for small and large dogs. ■



## HILLTOP PARK ARTWORK GETS MAKEOVER

The art at Hilltop Park is refreshed, repainted, and ready for 2018! Using a special industrial coating, crews repaired and recoated the window panels and mister tower that dot the top of the hill. ■



Before



After

## NEW LOCAL AND ORGANIC MARKET NOW OPEN

Signal Hill is excited to welcome Mother's Market, recently opened at the site of the former Fresh & Easy grocery store on Cherry Avenue. Mother's Market was founded in 1978 and currently has seven locations in Southern California. They specialize in local and organic food and products. ■







## CONSTRUCTION KICKS OFF ON NEW LIBRARY

With the award of an \$11.1 million construction contract to Tobo Construction, the Signal Hill Library project continues to move forward. The new library is being funded through a combination of bonds and funds remaining from the construction of the Police Station. Construction began in early 2018 with completion anticipated for Spring 2019. Future amenities to look forward to include:

- Separate areas for children, teens, adults and seniors
- State-of-the-art technology
- Outdoor patio
- Rentable event space ■



## CRESCENT SQUARE HOMES UNDER CONSTRUCTION

All homes in the Crescent Square development are now under construction. The project includes 25 detached single-family dwellings. There are two floor plans available ranging from 2,852 to 3,152 square feet, with each dwelling consisting of 4 bedrooms, 3.5 bathrooms, great room, dining room, kitchen, 3-car garage and outdoor balconies. For details and pricing information, visit [www.farwestindustries.com](http://www.farwestindustries.com). ■

## ZINNIA HOUSING DEVELOPMENT COMPLETE



Zinnia, a new 72-unit workforce housing development at 1500 E. Hill Street, is complete and fully leased. Developed by Meta Housing in partnership with the Signal Hill Housing Authority, the development features a playground, community center, police substation, and open space. The wait list is currently full, but interested parties can call Meta Housing at 800-801-8440 ext. 7204 for more information.

## MAYOR'S CLEAN-UP NEWS



The Sustainable City Committee held the Fall Mayor's Clean-Up event on October 21, 2017 with a base camp at the Long Beach Islamic Center. Approximately 30 volunteers participated in cleaning up the Atlantic/Spring Neighborhood. Thanks to our wonderful volunteers for pitching in! Join us for the next event on March 10. ■

### City of Signal Hill Award Programs

Nominate a home or business!

E-mail

[ComDev@cityofsignalhill.org](mailto:ComDev@cityofsignalhill.org)

or call 562-989-7340

#### Beautification Award

Awarded by the Planning Commission

Recognizes upgrades such as:

- \*Exterior Remodeling
- \*New Landscaping
- \*New Fence or Gates
- \*New Paint, Stucco, or Window Treatments
- \*Other Property or Building Upgrades

#### Sustainability Award

Chosen by the Sustainable City Committee

Recognizes upgrades such as:

- \*Green Design/Construction
- \*Solar Power Installations
- \*Energy Conservation or Waste Reduction
- \*Drought Tolerant Plants or Irrigation Upgrades
- \*Recycling
- \*Other Sustainable Changes

## AWARD CORNER



### Courtyard Care Center Receives Beautification Award

Congratulations to Julie Javier of Courtyard Care Center, a recipient of the City's Beautification Award for the property at 1880 Dawson Avenue. This award recognizes recent improvements to the building's exterior and landscaping, including new flower beds along the building.



Before



After



# ORGANIC RECYCLING: SAVING NATURAL RESOURCES

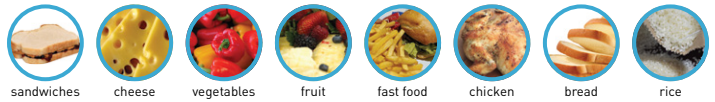


**W**e all want to do our part for the environment, and organic recycling is an easy way to reduce waste. Recyclable organic waste is any material that is biodegradable and comes from either a plant or an animal. Examples include green waste, food waste, food-soiled paper, non-hazardous wood waste, and landscape and pruning waste. When organic waste is dumped in landfills, it decomposes and produces methane, a greenhouse gas that is 20 times more potent than carbon dioxide. Organic recycling reduces these harmful emissions while conserving our natural resources.

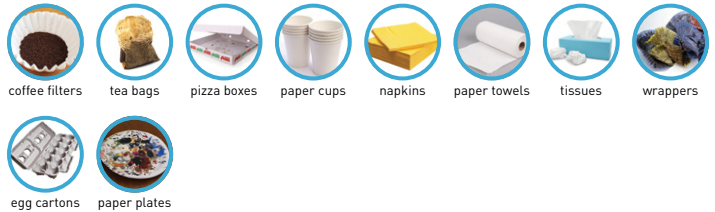
**Organic recycling is required by state law for some businesses and multi-family dwellings.** AB 1826 mandates businesses that produce food or green waste to arrange for organic recycling services. Multi-family dwellings are required to recycle green waste only. Contact EDCO at 562-597-0608 to arrange for organic recycling services.

**Everyone can help reduce organic waste.** Lower your household's food waste by purchasing only what you need at the grocery store. Shopping for food more frequently will help you buy less. Get the whole family involved in organic recycling by starting a compost pile in your backyard. Learn more by visiting <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov>. ■

## Food Waste



## Food Soiled Paper excludes Styrofoam



## Non-Hazardous Wood Waste unpainted & untreated wood



## Green Waste



March 10, 2018  9:00 am - 11:00 am

## MAYOR'S CLEAN-UP Hilltop Trails

Join your neighbors and keep our community beautiful!  
Hosted by the Sustainable City Committee

- Basecamp is at Discovery Well Park, 2200 Temple Ave.
- Sign-in at 9am, Orientation at 9:10am
- Water & light snacks provided, plus trash bags and a limited number of gloves & grabbers
- Youth participation is welcome, with signed waiver from parent/guardian
- We encourage carpooling, as street parking is limited

**No need to RSVP.**

**Questions? Call 562-989-7340**

## Sandbags & Sand

Available at the City Yard  
2175 E. 28th Street  
Monday-Friday  
7 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Free for City Residents  
on a first-come, first-served basis

\*Must Bring Proof of Residency

\*Limit 10 Bags per Residence

Additional sandbag sites may be deployed  
during major weather events.  
Call 562-989-7250

## 2017 EMPLOYEE OF THE YEAR



**S**ignal Hill Police Sergeant Kelli Brown is the City's 2017 Employee of the Year. Currently, Kelli leads a patrol team and serves as one of the department's Public Information Officers. Since being hired as a Police Officer in 2007, Kelli has contributed to the department and the community in a multitude of ways. She's served as an instructor for the Too Good for Drugs program and the Citizens' Academy, and participates in events including National Night Out, Tip-A-Cop, Miller Children's Hospital events and the Special Olympics Torch Run. In 2017, Kelli developed a Juvenile Diversion program and implemented training for a new program, "Why'd You Stop Me." Congratulations to Kelli! ■

## SIGNAL HILL POLICE DEPARTMENT SERVING THE COMMUNITY IN 2017

**T**he Signal Hill Police Department is committed to community policing and prides itself on building and nurturing relationships and working closely with members of the community. As an engaged community partner, the Police Department supports a variety of events throughout the year. Following are just some of the many events from 2017. To keep in touch and find out about future events, follow us on Facebook (Signal Hill Police Department) and Twitter (@SignalHill\_PD)! ■



Coffee with Cops outreach event brings officers and citizens together over cups of coffee.



National Night Out is an annual community-building campaign promoting police-community partnerships.



Tip-A-Cop: Officers serve as hosts and food servers to raise tips for local Special Olympics athletes.

## WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH: SPOTLIGHT ON JESSIE NELSON

**M**arch is Women's History Month, and the City celebrates Jessie Nelson, Signal Hill's first mayor.

Nelson's influence was key to the establishment of Signal Hill as its own city. When oil was first discovered on Signal Hill in the early 1920s, she fought to keep it from annexation by the City of Long Beach. She then led the movement to incorporate Signal Hill as a city. In 1924, Nelson became Signal Hill's first mayor, and one of California's first female mayors.

Jessie Elwin Nelson Middle School and Jessie Nelson Circle in Signal Hill are just a few reminders of her contributions to the City's history. ■

## CITY NAMES NEW FINANCE DIRECTOR



**T**he City Council appointed Scott Williams as Administrative Services Officer / Director of Finance in late 2017. Since joining the City in 2016, Scott has worked on a number of projects including technology upgrades, banking solutions, and cost studies.

Scott has worked for several cities including Sonoma, Half Moon Bay, and Upland. Scott received a B.S. in Business Administration from the Master's University in Santa Clarita, an MBA from California State University Monterey Bay, and is working on a Doctor of Public Administration from California Baptist University in Riverside.

Scott and his wife Rebekah have three children ages 22, 20 and 16. In his free time Scott enjoys cycling, hiking with his wife and skateboarding with his youngest son. ■





**Signal Hill Public Library – Temporary Location**

1780 E. Hill St., Signal Hill, CA 90755

(562) 989-7323

[www.cityofsignalhill.org/library](http://www.cityofsignalhill.org/library)

Text the library: (562) 284-2766  
(to renew books or ask questions)

**Library Hours:**

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 12:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, Friday & Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

## LIBRARY NEWS

**Signal Hill Public Library Has Moved!**

To make way for construction of the new library building, Signal Hill Public Library has relocated to the Signal Hill Community Center (just past the basketball courts).

**Search the library catalog on the Internet**

Signal Hill Public Library's catalog is now on the Internet, plus E-books and World Book Encyclopedia are available online. Use your library card and pin to sign on through the library catalog at <https://signalhill.bibliunix.com/>

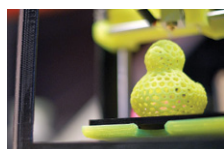
**DMV Permit Practice Test-Free Online Resource**

Free driver education program available at any time. 10 car practice tests; 6 motorcycle practice tests; 1 CDL (Commercial Driver's License) practice test; 3 online driver's manuals (car, motorcycle, CDL) and an FAQ section with detailed answers to 100+ DMV-related questions. Link: <https://signalhillpl.driving-tests.org>

**E-book Help**

Tuesdays 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. & Wednesdays 10:30 – 11:30 a.m.

Get help downloading e-books on your own device. Bring your E-reader, laptop, or tablet and passwords and usernames. Register by calling or visiting the library.



**3D Printing at Signal Hill Public Library (All ages)**

Orientation class on Monday, March 12, 2018 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. in the library. This orientation session will introduce participants to 3D printing services. Participants must attend the orientation class in order to register for additional 3D printing classes. Class size is limited. Participants under age 12 must be accompanied by an adult/guardian. Register by calling or visiting the library.

## REGULAR PROGRAMS

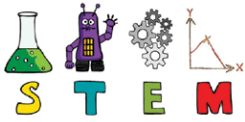


**Story Time**

**Babies and Toddlers – Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. | Pre-schoolers – Thursday, 10:00 a.m.**

Stimulating young minds by introducing literature, music, and movement at story time. Parents and caregivers are encouraged to participate to make a meaningful experience for the child. Snacks are provided.

## REGULAR PROGRAMS



### Children's STEM Time – Introduction to 3D Printing (For ages 8+)

3rd Saturday of the Month (March 17, April 20, May 19) from 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.

3D printing has taken the library world by storm. Children will learn the basics of design and the applications of 3D printing.

### After School Tween Club for 3rd to 5th Grade Students

Tuesdays, 3:00 – 4:00 p.m.

Come to the library for a craft or game and a snack!

### Teen Library Drop-In Program for 6th to 9th Graders

Thursdays, 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Drop by Signal Hill Public Library every Thursday for crafts, movies, gaming and more!



### First Friday Book Club (18+)

First Friday of each month, 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Participants are provided a copy of the books, which alternate between fiction and non-fiction titles, and are discussed. Refreshments are served.

## SPECIAL PROGRAMS



### Family Game Night

Thursdays at 6:00 p.m., March 15, April 19, and May 17

On Game Night, we break out our collection of board games, playing cards, and dominoes and let you and your family have at them. Game Night is for game lovers of all ages! We ask that children under the age of 12 be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Register by visiting or calling the library.



### Read Across America – Happy Birthday Dr. Seuss!

Saturday, March 3 from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Celebrate reading and the inspiring, creative characters and stories of Dr. Seuss with crafts, music, cake and a story time. Come dressed as your favorite Dr. Seuss character! For preschool to 5<sup>th</sup> grade. Pre-registration required and attendance is limited to 40 children. Register by visiting or calling the library.



### Virtual Reality Open House

Wednesday, March 7 from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m.

Experience an underwater digital world like never before during our Virtual Reality Open house. Swim alongside manta rays, angler fish, and a blue whale – in virtual reality! Wearing a VR headset, you'll embark on an underwater journey to parts of the ocean few people get to see first-hand. This event is open to adults and tweens ages 10 and up. Staff will be on hand to answer questions and talk about the technology and future of VR. Register by calling or visiting the library. NOTE: The system may cause vertigo and disorientation.



## SPECIAL PROGRAMS (continued)



### National Library Week

April 9 to April 14

Celebrate National Library Week with the theme, "Libraries Lead." April is designated as National Library week to celebrate all that libraries offer to their guests – from books to computers to story times to thought-provoking programming for all ages! Signal Hill Public Library is a vibrant community hub and we invite you to join us in this celebration by coming to the library for the events we will have scheduled during the week.



### Friends of the Library National Library Week Book Sale

Friday, April 13 from 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Each year Signal Hill Friends of the Library receives thousands of donated books, audio tapes, CDs, DVDs and records which we in turn resell to the public. All profits benefit the Signal Hill Public Library.



### Paint Day (18+)

Saturday, May 5 from 12:00 – 2:00 p.m.

Come have some fun and recreate Starry Night by Vincent van Gogh. All material and snacks will be provided. Register by calling 562-989-7332.



### Community Services Department

2175 Cherry Avenue, Signal Hill, CA 90755  
(562) 989-7300

[www.cityofsignalhill.org/communityservices](http://www.cityofsignalhill.org/communityservices)

### City Hall Hours:

Monday – Thursday 7:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.

Friday 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.



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Limited scholarships are available for residents to participate in the Community Services Department's Programs. Call 562-989-7329 for more information.

## ACTIVE ADULT PROGRAMS (55 and over)



### Social Club

Meets every 2nd Tuesday of the month, 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Signal Hill Youth Center, 1780 E. Hill Street

Have some fun with your neighbors and peers and maybe even win some prizes! Social Club meets once per month to enjoy time playing BINGO, some morning treats and catching up with friends. BINGO is free to play and all are welcome.

## ACTIVE ADULT PROGRAMS (55 and over) (continued)

### Folding Group

Meets 3rd Tuesday of the month

10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Signal Hill Youth Center, 1780 E. Hill Street

The Folding Group meets monthly on the third Tuesday of the month to fold the Active Adult monthly newsletters. It's a great time to catch up with friends and meet new people. Non-residents who join the group are eligible to register for excursions at the resident rate during the following month.

### Can We Help You With Transportation?

The Signal Hill subsidized transportation program is available by application to Signal Hill residents who are over the age of 62, OR are 18 years and older and can provide a proof of disability signed by a licensed physician. The program allows a reduced fare monthly bus pass for Long Beach Transit buses or Dial-A-Taxi voucher books allowing subsidized use of the Yellow Cab service. Applications for these programs are available at the Community Services Department.

**Dial-A-Lift Long Beach** is a curb-to-curb, shared ride transit service exclusively for the mobility impaired residing in Signal Hill and traveling throughout the cities of Long Beach, Lakewood and Signal Hill. Contact 562-989-7330 for all transportation questions.

## ACTIVE ADULT EXCURSIONS

(Please note: All excursions are subject to change. Call (562) 989-7330 for more information.)



### Santa Anita Races and Lunch

Friday, March 9

Depart: 11:00 a.m. Return: 6:00 p.m.

Resident – \$40 / Non-Resident – \$60

Location: Arcadia

Come take your chances with Lady Luck at the Santa Anita Racetrack. Located in Arcadia, this little racetrack is nestled up to the San Gabriel Mountains creating a stunning backdrop for one of America's oldest pastimes. Join us as we sit at reserved box seats where you will enjoy a great view of all the races and enjoy a meal from any of the Club House Mezzanine Restaurants along with a complimentary beverage. Each guest will receive a program for the day and a commemorative glass to take home from the gift store! A professional handicapper will be on hand to explain and assist in making bets. This will be a day you won't soon forget!



### Heritage Square Museum, Grier – Musser Museum, & Lunch at Philippe The Original

Wednesday, April 18

Depart: 9:00 a.m. Return: 4:00 p.m.

Resident \$38 / Non-Resident \$43

Location: Los Angeles

Step back into history as we take a trip to Heritage Square Museum to visit a collection of eight houses saved from demolition at the end of the 19th century. For lunch we will have a sandwich at the world famous restaurant Philippe, The Original which opened its doors in 1908 and accidentally created the first French dipped sandwich. After lunch, enjoy the Grier-Musser Museum to take a look back to the Victorian era.



## FAMILY EXCURSIONS



### Catalina and Optional Add-On Experiences

**Wednesday, April 4**

**Depart: 7:00 a.m. Return: 8:00 p.m.**

**Resident – \$40 / Non-Resident – \$60**

*Optional activities extra \$20 per person per activity*

**Location: Catalina**

Join us as we set sail across the Pacific Ocean to Santa Catalina Island! This trip will be like none other as we make our way to the little island that offers something for everyone. Take an adventure with us by signing up for an optional activity. Children under 2 are free.

**Optional Activity 1: Scenic Tour:** Discover the enchantment of Avalon on every turn on this 50 minute expedition up the hillsides, along the beachfront and through the heart of downtown in an open air tram.

**Optional Activity 2: Glass bottom boat ride:** take a look through a window to another world. Catalina is known for its crystal clear waters so be sure to take advantage on a glass bottom boat. This experience will bring the sea right to you without even getting wet!



### Strawberry Festival

**Saturday, May 19**

**Depart: 8:00 a.m. Return: 5:00 p.m.**

**Adult Prices: Resident Adult \$15 / Non-Resident Adult \$20**

**Children's Prices: Resident Child \$8 / Non-Resident Child \$13**

**Location: Oxnard**

The California Strawberry Festival is among the nation's top festivals with over 50 food booths, contests, rides and attractions, over 200 arts & crafts vendors, and tons of family fun! Join us for a perfect summer kickoff and an unforgettably sweet experience!

## COMMUNITY INFO



### Community Garden

Join the Community Garden and meet your neighbors while reaping the benefits of your seasonal harvests. There are a limited amount of plots available at this time. Plots are \$95 per year and measure 10'x12'. If you are interested in a plot, please call the Community Services Department at 562-989-7330.



### Bricks at Signal Hill Dog Park

The **Signal Hill Dog Park** brick project benefits the dog park's future amenities and program services. Brick purchases are tax deductible donations. Be a permanent part of Signal Hill Dog Park history by purchasing a brick to be engraved at the dog park. This is a great way to honor and commemorate your beloved family pet and leave an everlasting tribute. There are four brick options to choose from and each can be customized to suit your sentiments. Take advantage of this unique opportunity and consider purchasing a brick today while supporting your local dog park. Please call 562-989-7330 for more information.

## COMMUNITY INFO (continued)



### Bricks on the Hilltop

Be a part of Signal Hill history by purchasing a brick to be engraved at Hilltop Park. With beautiful views that offer picturesque views of the surrounding areas, this is a perfect opportunity to celebrate any kind of momentous occasion.

## CITY EVENTS



### Mayor's Reception

**Tuesday, March 27, 8:00 p.m.**

**Alpert Jewish Community Center, 3801 East Willow Street, Long Beach**

The public is cordially invited to attend the annual Mayor's Reception. Please help us welcome the new mayor and help honor the outgoing Mayor Edward H.J. Wilson, for his representation during the past year. Light refreshments will be provided.



### Spring Fest

**Saturday, March 31**

**10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

**Cost: Pre-Sale: \$3 / Day of Event: \$4**

**Signal Hill Park, 2175 Cherry Avenue**

Signal Hill's annual Spring Fest is the place to bring your children to hunt for eggs and candy and maybe a surprise or two. A wristband can be purchased for a small fee to cover all activities which will include: bounce houses, a petting zoo, multiple crafts, and egg hunts. All participants must bring their own bag or basket to collect their egg hunt goodies. Bring your camera for free photos with the Spring Fest Bunny, available 10:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Please note, inclement weather will cancel the event. Presale tickets will be available 3/12/18 through 3/30/18 at Signal Hill Library, Youth Center or third floor of City Hall at the Community Services Department.



### Ellen Ward Community Yard Sale

**Saturday, May 5**

**8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

**Signal Hill Park, 2175 Cherry Avenue**

Residents of Signal Hill and surrounding areas will have their personal items on display for purchase in one convenient location. Come join your neighbors and browse through the unique items for sale. Who know what you might find to take home and add to your collection. Call (562) 989- 7330 for more information. Spots will be available for purchase beginning March 5th.



## YOUTH PROGRAMS



### After School Recreation Club

Location: Signal Hill Youth Center – 1780 E. Hill Street  
Kindergarten Hours: Monday – Friday, 1:30 – 6:00 p.m.  
Grades 1st – 5th Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, 2:00 – 6:00 p.m. and Thursday, 1:30 – 6:00 p.m.



### Signal Hill TWEEN Program

Location: Las Brisas Community Center – 2399 California Avenue  
Grades 6th – 8th Hours: Monday – Friday, 4:00 – 6:30 p.m.  
Meeting at Signal Hill Park (Transported to Las Brisas by City Vehicle)



### Youth Sports Program

Location: Signal Hill Youth Center – 1780 E. Hill Street  
We are offering a low cost Co-ed Youth Soccer program  
Registration: Monday, March 5 – 24 or until teams are full

Contact 562-989-7329 for more information on Youth Programs.

## SPRING CAMP

**Resident Registration:** February 5, 2018

**Non-Resident Registration:** February 20, 2018

**April 2 – 6 • 8 am – 6 pm** Grades K – 5

Resident: **\$40** • Non-Resident: **\$50**  
\*Lunch is not provided\*

Deposit: \$15/child due upon registration  
Non-refundable in case of cancellation

\*Excursion on April 5 is an additional cost\*

Full Payment including excursion fee is due:  
Wednesday, March 28

Contact 562-989-7329 for more information

## SUMMER PROGRAMS

**Resident Registration:** April 9, 2018

**Non-Resident Registration:** April 23, 2018

**June 18 – July 13 (closed 7/4)** AGES 3–5

**Discovery Well Park Community Center**  
**8 am – 12 pm**  
Resident: **\$65/week** • Non-Resident: **\$85/week**  
\*Must be potty trained\*

**June 18 – August 17 (closed 7/4)** GRADES 1–5

**Signal Hill Park Youth Center**  
**8 am – 6 pm**  
Resident: **\$50/week** • Non-Resident: **\$70/week**  
\*Excursions are an additional cost\*

**June 18 – July 13 (closed 7/4)**

**Discovery Well Park Community Center**  
**1 pm – 5 pm**  
Times, prices, and ages will vary based on each camp

**June 18 – August 17 (closed 7/4)** GRADES 6–8

**Las Brisas Community Center**  
**9 am – 6 pm**  
Resident: **\$30/week** • Non-Resident: **\$50/week**  
\*Excursions are an additional cost\*

### COMING THIS SUMMER

**Family Campout at Discovery Well Park**  
Saturday – Sunday, August 25 – 26



Themes and excursion information for all of the Summer Camps will be available in late March.

Look out for the Summer Fun Guide for details about the new Family Campout

Limited scholarships are available for residents to participate in the Community Services Department's Youth Programs. Call 562-989-7329 for more information.



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News from the City of Signal Hill

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Signal Hill, CA 90755

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## CITY HALL

2175 Cherry Avenue

### Business Hours:

Monday–Thursday ..... 7:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m.  
Friday ..... 7:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.

City Hall (General).....	989-7300
City Council.....	989-7301
City Treasurer .....	989-7319
Administration and City Clerk .....	989-7305
Business Licenses .....	989-7315
Community Services.....	989-7330
ARC, Tween, & Youth Sports Program.....	989-7329
Economic Development Projects .....	989-7379
Finance.....	989-7319
Job Line.....	989-7385
Library .....	989-READ (7323)
Personnel.....	989-7307
Planning/Community Development.....	989-7340
Police.....	989-7200
Public Works.....	989-7351
Service Requests.....	989-7250
Water Customer Service .....	989-7315
Water Conservation Hotline.....	989-7350
Water Quality Info.....	989-7250
Emergency/Paramedics.....	"911"
Chamber of Commerce .....	1-888-687-1718
Long Beach Animal Control .....	570-PETS (7387)
Long Beach City College.....	938-4353
Long Beach Gas Dept.	
New Service.....	570-5700
Emergency .....	570-2140
Long Beach Unified School District.....	997-8022
Los Angeles County Fire Station 60.....	595-1620
Business line – Non Emergencies	
Signal Hill Disposal .....	597-0608
So. California Edison	
New / Emergency .....	(800) 684-8123
Spectrum Cable .....	(888) 438-2427 (toll free)
Charter Cable-Business .....	(800) 314-7195
Frontier .....	(800) 921-8101
M-F 7 am – 7 pm, Sat/Sun 8:00 am – 5:00 pm	

## CITY FACILITY LOCATIONS

City Hall .....	2175 Cherry Avenue
City Yard.....	2175 E. 28th Street
Library .....	1780 E. Hill Street
Police Department.....	2745 Walnut Avenue
Calbrisas Park .....	2451 California Avenue
Discovery Well Park.....	2200 Temple Avenue
Hillbrook Park .....	1865 Temple Avenue
Hilltop Park.....	2351 Dawson Avenue
Raymond Arbor Park .....	1881 Raymond Avenue
Reservoir Park .....	3315 Gundry Avenue
Signal Hill Park Youth Center & Community Center .....	1780 E. Hill Street
Alvarado Elementary .....	1900 E. 21st Street
Signal Hill Elementary .....	2285 Walnut Avenue
Jessie Elwin Nelson Middle School .....	1951 Cherry Avenue

## CITY HOLIDAYS

City Offices will be closed on the following dates:

**Presidents' Day:** Monday, February 19  
(regular trash collection, no street sweeping)

**Memorial Day:** Monday, May 28  
(trash collection one day late, no street sweeping)

**Independence Day:** Wednesday, July 4  
(trash collection one day late, no street sweeping)

## CITY COUNCIL/ COMMISSION MEETINGS

(All meetings occur in Council Chamber of  
City Hall)

### City Council & Successor Agency

Meeting: 2nd & 4th Tuesday Monthly  
Time: 7:00 p.m.  
Replays: Ch. 3 (Charter) and Ch. 38 (Frontier),  
Everyday 7:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m.

### Civil Service Commission

Meeting: 1st Wednesday Monthly  
Time: 5:30 p.m.

### Planning Commission

Meeting: 3rd Tuesday Monthly  
Time: 7:00 p.m.

### Parks & Recreation Commission

Meeting: 3rd Wednesday Monthly  
Time: 6:00 p.m.

### Oversight Board

Meeting: 2nd Thursday Monthly  
Time: 6:00 p.m.

### Housing Authority and Public Financing Authority (annual meetings)

Meeting: 2nd Tuesday annually  
Time: 7:00 p.m.

### Sustainable City Committee

Meeting: 4th Tuesday in January, March, May,  
July, September  
Time: 6:00 p.m.

*Agendas are posted on the City's website:  
[www.cityofsignalhill.org](http://www.cityofsignalhill.org)*

## SIGNAL HILL CITY COUNCIL

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