



BURLINGAME  
ENEWS

May 19, 2022

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# SUMMER CLASS & CAMP REGISTRATION

## NOW OPEN!

[REGISTRATION.BURLINGAME.ORG](https://REGISTRATION.BURLINGAME.ORG)

LIVE PLAY BURLINGAME  
ACTIVITY GUIDE &  
CITY MAGAZINE  
NOW AVAILABLE ONLINE



## Parks & Recreation Summer Registration Now Open

The Parks and Recreation Department is excited to present its summer line-up of classes, camps, and events for the community – in the new Community Center! The summer edition of *LivePlay Burlingame* should arrive at your Burlingame home in the coming days, and is also available [here](#). Take a peek inside to find a full listing of classes and camps,

# HOST YOUR NEXT EVENT AT

## *The Community Center*

**50%  
OFF**

Sequoia Hall  
Rentals through  
10/31

*A space for  
all occasions!*

- ✓ Weddings
- ✓ Off Site Company Meetings
- ✓ Birthday Parties
- ✓ Musical or Dance Performances

**AMENITIES INCLUDE:**

Amazing Park Views  
Outdoor Fire Pits  
Commercial Kitchen  
Underground Parking  
with Elevator Access

**RENTALS BEGIN JULY 1, 2022**

For More Information Email: [Bprdrentals@burlingame.org](mailto:Bprdrentals@burlingame.org)

### Host Your Next Event at the New Burlingame Community Center

Be one of the first to host an event at the newest venue in town! With gorgeous park views, integrated technology, a commercial kitchen, and a wide variety of state-of-the-art spaces, the Burlingame Community Center makes for the perfect venue. Look no further for a space to host your wedding, retirement party, birthday celebration, awards dinner, and bar or bat mitzvah. The Community Center is also a great option for off-site company or board meetings, club or team gatherings, and dance/choral performances. As a grand opening promotion, Sequoia Hall can be rented at 50% off for events through October 31, 2022.

Visit [www.burlingame.org/bprdrentals](http://www.burlingame.org/bprdrentals) for more details on rooms, pricing, and how to request your reservation.





## Congrats to Our Earth Month Giveaway Winners

Last month, the City hosted an Earth Month Scavenger Hunt in which participants submitted photos of themselves next to a bicycle lane, a rain garden, an electric vehicle charging station, a hydration station, or a bicycle fix-it station. Congratulations to our two winners, who won goody bags of sustainable items, and a huge thanks to everyone who participated!



**Help Us Keep Our Streets Clean**

The City of Burlingame's street sweepers come through your neighborhood during weekdays, to sweep your streets. Since many residents are working remotely, there are more cars parked on the street, which makes it difficult for our sweepers to sweep the leaves. Accordingly, the City asks that you sweep leaves toward the middle of the street, the day before your street sweeping day.

Don't know when your street sweeping day is? Check out our [Street Sweeping webpage here](#). During the spring and summer months (April through September), street sweeping is normally performed every other week. However, due to COVID, during the spring and summer months, street sweeping **may** be performed on a weekly basis.

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## Watch Out for the Upcoming Tree Removal

June 8 - 10

From June 8 through June 10, a large tree on the corner of Burlingame Ave and Myrtle will be removed. The street will be closed in front of the portables. Please find alternative routes to avoid congestion and delays.

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## Reminder to Conserve Water

The Bay Area remains in a drought due to three years of less than average rainfall. The [California Water Watch](#) website tracks and shares information on the state's water supply conditions – check out Burlingame's water statistics [here](#). Water customers are asked to remain vigilant, particularly regarding outdoor water use. For more information, [click here](#).





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## Third Annual Graduation Celebration!

What began during the pandemic as a way to recognize our students' accomplishments has turned into an annual event!

We would like to help our community celebrate all the accomplishments and future plans of our students graduating from high school and college. So, on May 26, the City's social media will be dedicated to recognizing our graduating students!

To participate, send City Clerk Meaghan Hassel-Shearer ([mhasselshearer@burlingame.org](mailto:mhasselshearer@burlingame.org)) a picture of the graduating student along with some fun facts and what their plans are for next year.

Please share this information with your friends and family in order to ensure that as many students as possible are recognized.

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**CalMod**

**Caltrain**

**CALTRAIN  
ELECTRIFICATION**



**Burlingame Crossing Closure Notice**

Caltrain is performing signal cutover work at 17 grade crossings in Burlingame and San Mateo through May 20.

### CALTRAIN SERVICE INFORMATION

Temporary service changes in the weekday morning and late afternoon schedules (5:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.) will be in effect. The work will require a reduction in peak-hour service and suspension of Baby Bullet service. The current 104 weekday trains will be reduced to 88. Weekday midday and evening service as well as weekend service remain unchanged. For more information on service changes, please visit [www.caltrain.com/May2022](http://www.caltrain.com/May2022).

Trains are single-tracking through Broadway, Burlingame, San Mateo, Hayward Park, and Hillsdale stations for three weeks, which affects passenger boarding. Riders using those stations should pay attention to signage and announcements to make sure they are waiting at the correct platform.

Recycle.  
Compost.  
Go Electric.  
Save Water.  
Say No To Plastic.

**take action.**

THE FUTURE IS IN OUR HANDS.



@burlingame\_sustainability

### Surprising Recycling Facts

Sharpen your recycling habits and check out our list of surprising items that can actually be recycled or composted instead of trashed:

- **Wine corks** made from real cork (vs. plastic) go in the green compost bin.
- **Cardboard pizza boxes and ice cream containers** go in the green compost bin.
- **Light bulbs and batteries** never go in the trash bin. Instead take them to Home Depot, Target, or any location with designated recycling bins.
- **Plastic bags** can be recycled at designated recycling bins in Safeway, Burlingame City Hall, and the Main Library.
- **Electronics** should stay out of the landfill and be taken to [Green Citizen](#) or the [Shoreway Environmental Center](#) to be recycled.

Be aware of confusing recycling [symbols on plastics](#). The chasing arrow-triangle (pictured below) on the underside of plastic products indicates the type of plastic it is made from and does not mean the item is recyclable. Plastics #1 and #2 (like water bottles and laundry detergent bottles) are generally recycled. Plastics #3-7 are very difficult to recycle. Avoid these plastics when possible since they end up in landfill.



Sign up for the "Burlingame Gazette" and get the most current information on senior events, programs, and resources. Click on this "button" to send an email to [cvega@burlingame.org](mailto:cvega@burlingame.org), or call the Burlingame Recreation Center at 650-558-7300 to get the "Gazette" mailed to your home or delivered to your email inbox.



## May is Bike Month

Celebrate Bike Month by riding [wherever](#) – to shops, parks, school, work, or just around town. Some ways to enjoy biking in Burlingame:

- Find the Fix-it station with tools to fine tune your bicycle. There is a Fix-it station by the Burlingame Main Library and at Burlingame Point.
- Utilize one of Burlingame's many bike lanes, including one on Carolan Avenue and one on California Drive
- Ride along the Bay Trail and enjoy beautiful views and [coffee stops](#).
- Try out the electric bikes for rent at participating hotels (Embassy Suites, San Francisco Airport Marriott Waterfront, Hyatt, and DoubleTree)



Remember to stay safe. Wear a helmet, ride in bike lanes or on shared roadways, and keep an eye out for cars and pedestrians.

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Burlingame is proud of our employees. If you think so too, we'd love to hear from you! Click [here](#) to send an email to [EmployeeRecognition@burlingame.org](mailto:EmployeeRecognition@burlingame.org) if an individual or department has gone above and beyond for you!

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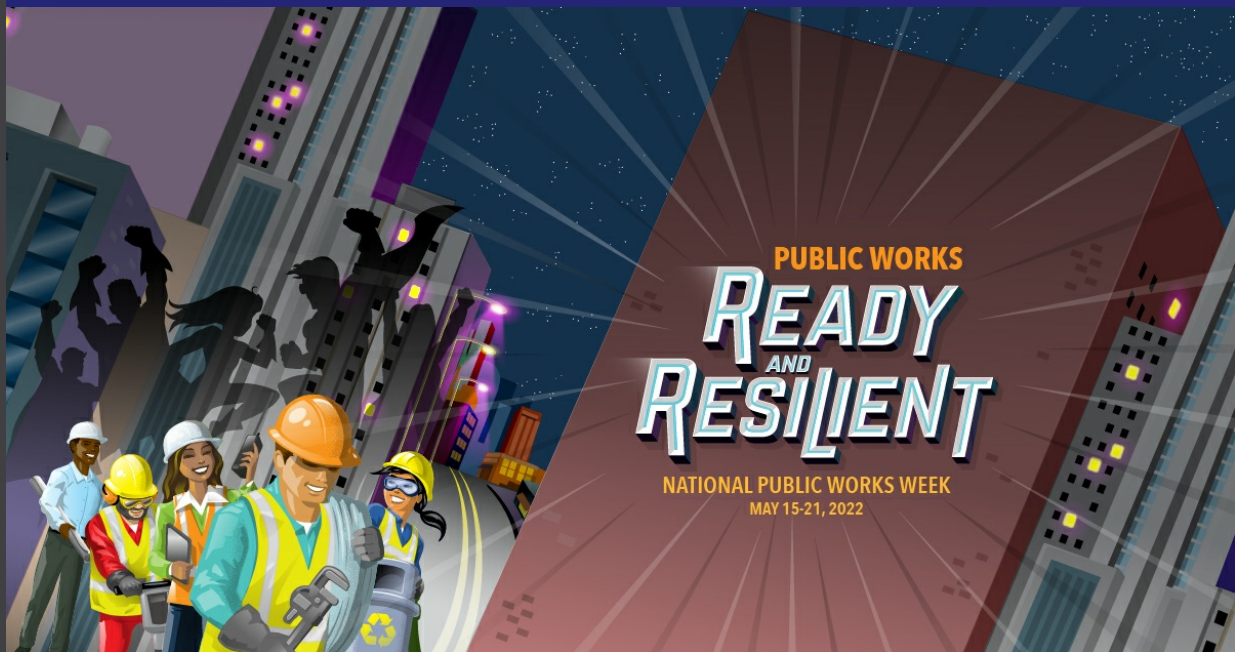
## Applications to Fill Two Vacancies on the Library Board of Trustees

Are you interested in getting more involved with the City? Now is your chance to join the Library Board of Trustees! **The City is seeking to fill two seats on the Library Board of Trustees.** Completed applications and supplemental questionnaires are due by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 20, 2022.

To access the application and supplemental questionnaire, [click here](#).

If you have any questions regarding the position, please contact Executive Assistant Alyssa Diaz at 650-558-7204, or email [adiaz@burlingame.org](mailto:adiaz@burlingame.org).

## Events Around Town



### City of Burlingame Public Works Day Community Event

**Thursday, May 19, 3:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.**

**200 Block of Park Road (in conjunction with the Burlingame Fresh Market)**

The Public Works Department provides environmentally responsible services in the areas of design, construction, operation, and maintenance of Burlingame's public works infrastructure critical to the health and safety of the community. May 15 through 21, is National Public Works Week. Help celebrate by joining the Public Works Department for Public Works Day on Thursday, May 19, from 3:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the Burlingame Fresh Market (Park Road, between Burlingame Avenue and Howard Avenue).

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VIRTUAL  
AUTHOR  
EVENT

MEET AUTHOR  
**GREGORY BONSIGNORE**

Meet Author **Gregory Bonsignore** via Zoom as he reads his new picture book: **That's Betty!** Sign up required.



**FRIDAY  
MAY 20<sup>TH</sup>  
1:00 PM**

via **zoom**

**REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

**Registration Required!**

Sign up on our events page  
to receive Zoom link.  
[www.burlingame.org  
/library/events](http://www.burlingame.org/library/events)



FOR  
CHILDREN

## Virtual Author Event with Greg Bonsignore

Friday, May 20 - 1:00 p.m. via Zoom

Meet Author Gregory Bonsignore via Zoom as he reads his new picture book : [That's Betty!](#)

Registration is Required: <https://burlingame.libcal.com/event/9142253>

## VIRTUAL BOOK TALK



Presented by The Burlingame Historical Society

## THE FORENSIC

NO REGISTRATION  
REQUIRED



**Tuesday  
May 24<sup>th</sup>  
7:00-8:00 PM**

via **zoom**

Meeting ID: 818 7643 1140  
Passcode: 2022

FOR  
ADULTS

## The Forensic: Air West, Regan, and the Downfall of Howard Hughes

Tuesday, May 24 - 7:00 p.m.

Join us to hear Paul Regan's account of how he, as a young CPA, took down Howard Hughes by discovering massive securities fraud arising from Hughes' acquisition of San Mateo's Air West. Mr. Regan is the former mayor of Hillsborough, served on the Council for 12 years, and served as a Hillsborough School Board member for 10 years.

To join us click [here](#).

Meeting ID: 818 7643 1140

Passcode: 2022

VIRTUAL AUTHORS TALK



# New Burmese American POETRY

Join us for An Asian American Pacific Islander Heritage Month virtual program featuring **Maw Shein Win, Audrey T. Williams, and Chloe Chou.**



Maw Shein Win



Audrey T. Williams



Chloe Chou

**Wednesday**  
**May 25<sup>th</sup>**  
**5:00 PM**

FOR  
ADULTS



Meeting ID: 842 7404 2920  
Passcode: 373397

**Virtual Event.**  
**No registration Required.**

**No Registration Required!**

Visit our events page for  
upcoming programs.  
[www.burlingame.org  
/library/events](http://www.burlingame.org/library/events)



## New Burmese American Poetry

**Wednesday, May 25 - 5:00 p.m.**

This Asian American Pacific Islander Heritage Month virtual program features Maw Shein Win, Audrey T. Williams, and Chloe Chou. Join us to hear new poetry informed by Burmese cultural heritage and for the chance to win a book by one of the featured poets. Four winners will be selected.

Zoom link, click [here](#).  
(no registration required)

Meeting ID: 842 7404 2920  
Passcode: 373397

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**FREE!**

**Burlingame Parks & Recreation Department**



# MUSIC IN THE PARK 2022

**FRIDAY NIGHTS • 6-8 PM • WASHINGTON PARK**

<b>June 3</b>	<b>The Houserockers</b>	<b>Rock</b>
<b>June 17</b>	<b>Careless Whisper</b>	<b>80s</b>
<b>July 8</b>	<b>Ryan Scripps Music</b>	<b>Country</b>
<b>July 22</b>	<b>Fleetwood Mask</b>	<b>Tribute</b>



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650.558.7300 / [www.burlingame.org](http://www.burlingame.org)



Together with



## Music in the Park!

The Parks and Recreation Department is excited to announce the line-up for this summer's Music in the Park series! Mark your calendars and invite your friends, it's time to enjoy fun Friday evenings in the park rocking out to some live music. This free event is open to all members of the community, including dogs, as long as they remain on-leash. Support a Burlingame business and grab some take out in Downtown Burlingame to enjoy before the show. Beer and wine will be available for purchase. The Music in the Park series is presented in partnership with Meta. [Visit our website](#) for more information.

5TH ANNUAL

# FUNDRAISER BOCCE BALL TOURNAMENT



**SUNDAY, JUNE 12TH**  
**9:00 AM** (8:30 am Check-In)  
**WASHINGTON PARK**

Teams of 4 to 6 players; \$100 per team  
Register by 5/30: [registration.burlingame.org](http://registration.burlingame.org)  
or call 650-558-7300 (Class P0109901)

Prizes for Top Finishers!

Proceeds will be used for improvements to local parks, youth scholarships, and new recreation program opportunities.

## Donation Opportunities

- Cash or Check payable to "Burlingame Parks & Recreation Foundation"
- Sponsor a Court for \$100
- Donate a Raffle Prize







**BURLINGAME  
PARKS &  
RECREATION**



# **Burlingame Community Center** *Grand Opening*

**Wednesday, June 15 at 3:30pm**

## **Celebration Includes:**

- ★ Ribbon Cutting
- ★ Tours
- ★ Class Demos
- ★ Raffle Prizes
- ★ Materials Showcase

## **Also Join Us For:**

- ★ Senior Luncheon - 6/17, 11:30am
- ★ Open House & Tours - 6/17, 5-7pm
- ★ Music in the Park - 6/17, 6-8pm

**More Info**



650.558.7300 850 Burlingame Ave. [recreation@burlingame.org](mailto:recreation@burlingame.org)



## **Community Center Grand Opening Celebration**

**Wednesday, June 15, 3:30 p.m.**

The wait is almost over! Join us in celebrating the Grand Opening of the new Burlingame Community Center on Wednesday, June 15, at 3:30 p.m. We'll have an official ribbon cutting ceremony, followed by an open house with tours, class demonstrations, a materials showcase, a walk down memory lane, raffle prizes, and MORE! Additionally, we will host a senior luncheon and another open house in conjunction with Music in the Park on Friday, June 17. We hope you'll join us to celebrate Burlingame's newest community asset!

Interested in renting a space in the new Community Center to host your next celebration or meeting? Email [bprrentals@burlingame.org](mailto:bprrentals@burlingame.org) for information.

## The Fresh Market! Thursdays Are Back!

Sundays, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Thursdays, 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Park Road at Burlingame Avenue

Please continue to follow these important tips for shopping the Fresh Market:



- **Leave your pets at home, please.** By order of the San Mateo County Health Department, **no dogs are allowed** in Burlingame's Fresh Market.
- Come to the market in good health; please stay home if unwell.
- Wash hands/ refrain from touching your face.
- Wash all produce before consumption.

For more information, visit [burlingamechamber.org](http://burlingamechamber.org).

## Community Updates (events/info. not sponsored by the City of Burlingame)

*Finally*  
**IT'S  
HERE!**



**MAY  
13-21**

**OVER 100  
PARTICIPATING  
RESTAURANTS**



## **Upcoming Overnight U.S. 101 Closures**

- Sunday, May 22 (1:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.), Southbound U.S. 101 from South Airport Boulevard to San Bruno Avenue
- Sunday, June 5 (1:00 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.), Northbound U.S. 101 from Millbrae Avenue to San Bruno Avenue

As part of the San Mateo 101 Express Lanes Project, Caltrans is replacing overhead sign structures (that span the width of one side of the freeway, from the shoulder to the median) on U.S. 101. This work requires large flatbed trucks to deliver the sign structures and cranes to hoist them into place from the center of the freeway. Therefore, it will be necessary to close one direction of the freeway at a time for up to five hours. In total, four closures will be required.

Existing sign structures are being replaced by wider structures that can accommodate the new Express Lanes throughout the corridor.

### **May 22 Closure**

During this closure, the following freeway ramps will be closed:

- Southbound U.S. 101 On-Ramp from Produce Avenue
- Southbound U.S. 101 Off-Ramp to Westbound I-380
- Southbound U.S. 101 Off-Ramp to San Bruno Avenue/SFO/ North Access Road



### June 5 Closure

During this closure, the following freeway ramps will be closed:

- Northbound U.S. 101 On-Ramp from Millbrae Avenue
- Northbound U.S. 101 On-Ramp from SFO
- Northbound U.S. 101 Off-Ramp to San Bruno Avenue/Westbound I-380 Connector





For questions during construction, contact the Caltrans Public Information Officer:  
Alejandro Lopez at 510-385-6856 or [101express@dot.ca.gov](mailto:101express@dot.ca.gov).

Visit our website at [101express.com](http://101express.com) for more information about the project. Follow us on  
Twitter [@CaltransD4](https://twitter.com/CaltransD4).



## Bike to Wherever Days

The Citizens Environmental Council invites you to look for its table at the Burlingame Fresh Market on Sunday, May 22, when members will be handing out canvas goodie bags, filled with free items, to cyclists, as part of Bike to Wherever Days. The table will be on Park Road, near Howard Avenue, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Sponsored by the Silicon Valley Bike Coalition, the Bike to Wherever Days Campaign aims to inspire people to get in the habit of bicycling for transportation, rather than driving a car. Bicycling is one of the best ways to combat climate change, as well as improve your health.

By signing a pledge to ride during the Campaign (May 19 through 22), either online or in person, bicyclists will qualify for free prizes in a drawing. To take the pledge online, go to the Eventbrite invitation [here](#). There is no charge.

For more information about Bike to Wherever Days, click [here](#).

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## LEADERSHIP COUNCIL SAN MATEO COUNTY

INVITES YOU TO

### "Depolarizing Within: A Braver Angels Workshop"

**Wednesday, May 25, 2022, 12 noon - 2 pm, via Zoom**

This free two-hour workshop will help you become more aware of your "inner polarizer" and learn methods for disagreeing without contempt and ridicule.

Participants will learn:

- ✓ How to be more aware of their own inner polarization
- ✓ How to be critical without demonizing, dismissing, or stereotyping large swaths of the population
- ✓ Strategies for intervening constructively in social conversations with like-minded peers when these conversations veer into contempt and ridicule for people who hold other political views.



Register today! ➔ [www.bit.ly/DepolarizingWithin052522](https://www.bit.ly/DepolarizingWithin052522)

### Depolarizing Within Workshop

Wednesday, May 25 - 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m., via Zoom

Are you tired of hearing about the political divide? Do you wish to have meaningful conversations with friends and loved ones whose political views differ from yours but stay silent to avoid conflict? Are you ready to take one step forward to bridge the gap?

Register today for "Depolarizing Within!" Led by experts from Braver Angels, this free two-hour workshop will help you move toward more open and constructive dialogue. This workshop starts with you, fostering skills to lessen the effects of polarization when you encounter them in your political conversations.

Learn more: [www.leadershipcouncilsmc.org/upcoming-events/](https://www.leadershipcouncilsmc.org/upcoming-events/)

Register: [www.bit.ly/DepolarizingWithin052522](https://www.bit.ly/DepolarizingWithin052522)

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**BEER TASTING BENEFITING SHELTER PETS!**

**JUNE 11, 2022**

**2PM - 5PM**

**WEST WASHINGTON PARK,  
BURLINGAME**



**PHS-SPCA.ORG/BEER**

**EMAIL US!**

**LSCHNEIDER@PHS-SPCA.ORG**

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## **Take the Micromobility Survey!**

The City/County Association of Governments of San Mateo County (C/CAG) is seeking public input on the San Mateo County Shared Micromobility Feasibility Study and Implementation Plan. Micromobility refers to services such as bikeshare and scooter-share, where users are able to check out various small and light-weight vehicles for short-term use through a self-service rental portal. C/CAG has developed a short survey that aims to identify the public's interests, concerns, and recommendations related to a potential shared micromobility program in San Mateo County. Take the survey [here](#) by June 17 at 5:00 p.m.

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# COVID-19 Testing

Self-collected, shallow nasal PCR test

Results within 1-2 days upon receipt of the sample at the lab

No cost to insured or uninsured. If insured, please have your information ready.



**Burlingame Intermediate School**  
1715 Quesada Way  
Burlingame, CA 94010



**Mondays**  
**1:00PM - 7:00PM**

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or call 888.702.9042  
to schedule an appointment

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