

CITY NEWS

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City Celebration 2014 Brings Exciting Activities for all Ages on October 18!

The 12th annual Westlake Village City Celebration returns on Saturday, October 18. The fun begins at 3:00 pm and continues until 8:00 pm. The afternoon and early evening event brings together community groups and organizations for a family friendly community gathering held at the Westlake Village Civic Center. With so many things to do, how can you miss it?

White Oak Family Festival

The popular White Oak Family Festival returns with exciting rides like The Scat, Hydro Rock Wall, and a Giant Slide. Grab a spot in the circle for the cake walk, choose from treats at the 5th grade bake sale, browse and bid on silent auction items that benefit the White Oak PFC, purchase a glitter tattoo, and crowd into a photo booth for a special memory of the day.

Visit our website, www.wlv.org under "City Celebration," for a complete schedule.

Triunfo YMCA Goblin Gallop 1M and 5K

Lace up your running shoes and walk or run to support the Triunfo YMCA teen and family programs. This unique twilight run encourages runners to participate in costume and offers a costume contest before the runs commence. The 1M course includes a chance to trick-or-treat to get you ready for Halloween and begins at 5:30 pm. The 5K course begins at 6:15 pm. For more information or to register, please visit www.triunfogygoblingallop.com.

Main Stage Performances

Throughout the event, gather around the main stage to catch various performers including the White Oak chorus, a Zumba Party, a karate demonstration, and much more. A complete schedule is available on the City's website, www.wlv.org. The performances will conclude with a magic show sponsored by the Friends of the Westlake Village Library featuring magician Doug Hoover at 6:00 pm.

Dining and Beverage Options

Enjoy a selection of tasty foods from "The Grilled Cheese Truck", "Jersey Dogs", and "Chris' Italian Ice" in the courtyard. Looking for a break from the fun? Relax with a glass of craft beer or a glass of wine provided by Wades Wines in the comfortable lounge located in the back terrace. Dinner and drink purchases will help support the Westlake Village Community Foundation. Food, beer, and wine will be available for purchase from 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm.

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Take the FREE Village Trolley to City Celebration—revised schedule designed to pick up in your neighborhoods and bring you to and from City Celebration. Please visit www.wlv.org/villagetrolley for the special route.

FREE Photo Booth
3:00 - 6:00 pm



FREE Captain Carl's
Mobile Tidepool 3:00 - 6:00 pm

FREE Magician Doug Hoover
Pirate themed magic show
6:00 pm



Food Trucks
3:00 - 8:00 pm



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IMPORTANT NUMBERS

Westlake Village City Hall

31200 Oak Crest Dr., Westlake Village,
CA 91361
(818) 706-1613

Westlake Village Public Library

(818) 865-9230

Time Warner Cable

2323 Teller Rd., Newbury Park, CA 91320
(888) 892-2253

AT&T

(855) 868-6514

Southern California Edison Company

3859 Foothill Dr., Thousand Oaks, CA 91360
(800) 655-4555 - office for service
(800) 611-1911 - Emergency

Las Virgenes Municipal Water District

4232 Las Virgenes Rd., Calabasas, CA 91302
(818) 251-2200 - office

Southern California Gas Company

(800) 427-2200 - office for service

GI Industries/Waste Management

(818) 782-2474

Calabasas Landfill

(818) 889-1430 or 889-0363

Los Angeles County Dept. of Building & Safety

26600 Agoura Road, #110, Calabasas, CA 91302
(818) 880-4150 - office
(626) 458-4357 - Road Dept.

Las Virgenes Unified School District

4111 N. Las Virgenes Road, Calabasas, CA 91302
(818) 880-4000 - office

Los Angeles County Sheriff's

Department-Malibu/Lost Hills Station
27050 Agoura Road, Agoura, CA 91301
(818) 878-1808 - office • Emergency - 911

Los Angeles County Fire Department

Station #144 (Foxfield / Lindero Canyon Rd.)
31981 Foxfield Dr., Westlake Village, CA 91361
(818) 889-1626 - Station • Emergency - 911

Los Angeles County Health and Human Services Programs

Dial - 211

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Green Events

Back by popular demand, residents will have the opportunity to drop off unwanted electronic waste at the Farmers Insurance parking lot across the street from City Hall. In addition, sensitive documents may also be dropped off for safe and secure shredding. The document shredding and electronic waste recycling will be held from 3:00 to 6:00 pm.

New this year, the City is hosting a mobile tide pool that is a perfect way to see and touch marine animals and learn about the watershed process and protecting wildlife.

Event parking will be available at the Farmers Insurance Parking lot (31051 Agoura Road.) All City Celebration events take place at the Westlake Village Civic Center located at 31200 Oak Crest Drive. Please visit the City's Website at www.wlv.org and click on "City Celebration" for additional information. If you are interested in volunteering or earning service learning hours for the event, please contact Brienne Anderson, Community Services Coordinator at 818-706-1613.



Openings Available!

City is Looking for Residents Interested in Serving on the Cultural Recreation Advisory Board

The Cultural Recreation Advisory Board was established in 2003 to advise the City Council on cultural and recreational programs, special events, and City parks. Board members also sit on six sub-committees including Green WLV, WLV Entertains, and WLV Reads. The Board currently consists of eleven adults and one youth member, all appointed by the City Council, and typically meets every other month at 7:00 pm. The appointment is for a two-year term.

If you are interested in applying for appointment to the Cultural Recreation Advisory Board, please complete an application form available on the City's website at www.wlv.org under Cultural Recreation Advisory Board on the right hand side of the home page. For more information on the Board and its sub-committees, please contact Brienne Anderson, Community Services Coordinator at 818-706-1613. The deadline for submitting applications is Friday, November 7 at 5:00 pm. Residents may join a sub-committee without serving on the Board. The sub-committees serve as a great introduction to the Board, and they provide an opportunity to get involved in the community.

New Law for Bicycle Safety is Now in Effect

The City of Westlake Village is a popular location for cycling with its bike paths, beautiful views, and challenging trails just a few miles away. As many residents take advantage of these amenities, the safety of both cyclists and motorists is of great importance. California recently passed a new safety act titled "3ft for Safety Act" which went into effect on September 16, 2014. The new law requires motorists to provide at least three-feet clearance to bicyclists when passing from behind. In addition the law requires drivers to "slow to a speed that is reasonable and prudent" and pass when the cyclist will not be endangered when traffic or roadway conditions prevent giving three feet when passing. Residents are encouraged to be alert when on the road and to follow the rules of the road, whether you are a cyclist, pedestrian, or a motorist.



Las Virgenes-Malibu Regional Bicycle Master Plan Open House Workshop To Be Held On October 22.

The Las Virgenes-Malibu Regional Bicycle Master Plan is an exciting project that will result in the development of a master plan for bikeways and other improvements for cycling in the cities of Agoura Hills, Hidden Hills, Malibu, Calabasas, and Westlake Village. A public workshop will be held on October 22 between 6:00 pm and 8:30 pm. Interested residents will be encouraged to provide input on routes, cycling safety, and potential new bike paths. The workshop will be held in the Community Room located at the Westlake Village Civic Center. Please visit www.regionalbikeplan.org for more information on the project.

City Discontinues Airport Shuttle

Program Vouchers will be Honored through October 25.

At its meeting on September 10, the City Council voted to discontinue the City's Airport Shuttle program. The program began in 2004 and offered discounted rides to and from LAX and Burbank for residents. Originally designed to encourage alternative forms of transportation and relieve congestion, ridership has been on a steady decline for several years. In addition, the program operator, Prime Time Shuttle recently requested a rate increase. After reviewing the proposed increase, it was determined that the new rate was only \$5 to \$6 less than the posted rate available to all Prime Time customers.

Any resident who currently holds an unused Airport Shuttle Voucher is encouraged to contact City Hall at 818-706-1613 to arrange for a refund. Travel on Prime Time Shuttle via vouchers will be honored until October 25. For more information, please contact Kerry Kallman, Senior Administrative Analyst at 818-706-1613.



**Public
Safety**
corner

HALLOWEEN SAFETY

With witches, goblins, and super-heroes descending on neighborhoods throughout the City, Halloween should be filled with surprise and enjoyment. The following are some common sense practices which can keep "Halloween" events safe and fun:

- Children should always be accompanied by a responsible adult who has a flashlight and a cell phone in case of an emergency.
- Plan a route that uses well-lit streets with little traffic and follow all traffic and safety rules.
- Remind children to cross the street only at corners with a cross-walk or traffic-controlled intersections; look in both directions prior to crossing, and never dart out into the street from behind parked cars.
- No matter where your children trick-or-treat, the "goodies" collected need to be checked by an adult before consumption. Homemade items should only be eaten if obtained from trusted neighbors or friends; all others should be discarded.
- Please remember that the curfew for any young person under the age of 18 without adult supervision is 10:00 pm.

REMINDER

Safety Tips for Your Home and Vehicle

Most crimes that affect homes and vehicles are a crime of opportunity. Here are some small but effective steps to protect homes and vehicles.

- While shopping, do not leave your purchases in plain view in your vehicle. Be sure to lock them in your trunk.
- Never leave valuable items such as cellphone, purse, laptop, jewelry, etc. in your vehicle.
- Even if one is only going to go inside for a few moments, please lock car doors and windows. Do not leave keys inside your vehicle in your garage or at a store.
- Always keep your garage door closed.
- Protect your home by keeping your doors and windows locked.

Remember, the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Station is here to serve you. If you see something suspicious or seems out of place, contact the Sheriff's Station at 818-878-1808 or call 9-1-1.



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Philippa Klessig

Councilmember

Brad Halpern

Upcoming City Council Meetings:

October 8 and 22, 2014

November 12 and 19, 2014

City Council meetings can be
seen live on WTV Channel 10
and via web streaming on
www.wlv.org

City Events Calendar

Date	Event	Time
Oct 1	Brown Bags and Books in the Community Room	Noon
Oct 8	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Oct 15	Senior Concerns Lecture - Medicare 2015	1:30 pm
Oct 18	12th Annual City Celebration at the Civic Center	3:00 pm
Oct 20	Senior Recreation Program: Fall #2 Session begins	9:00 am
Oct 22	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Nov 2	Daylight Saving Time - change clocks - Fall back	2:00 am
Nov 3	Applications available for Recognition and Community Services Grant Programs	
Nov 4	Election Day	All Day
Nov 5	Brown Bags and Books in the Community Room	Noon
Nov 6	Cultural Recreation Advisory Board	7:00 pm
Nov 11	Veterans Day - City Hall and Library Closed	
Nov 12	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Nov 19	Senior Concerns Lecture - Senior Safety	1:30 pm
Nov 19	City Council Reorganization Meeting	6:30 pm
Nov 27	Thanksgiving Day - City Hall and Library Closed	
Nov 28	Thanksgiving Holiday - City Hall and Library Closed	