



# CITY NEWS

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## 2017 "Westlake Village Reads" Delves into Eight Mystery-Themed Programs



During the months of January and February, the City of Westlake Village, the Westlake Village Library, and the Friends of the Westlake Village Library are co-sponsoring the 8th annual "Westlake Village Reads", a One-City-One-Book program. This year's theme, "Mystereads" will be presented through eight programs for residents of all ages. All programs are free of charge.

The Library will display a variety of "Mystery" themed books including both adult and children book titles. Residents are encouraged to select titles that fit their personal interests throughout the two-month program. The Friends' Book Nook will be creating a special "Mystery" section for residents that wish to purchase a book to read along with the program.

"Westlake Village Reads" was created to encourage reading throughout the community by readers of all ages. For a detailed schedule and information about the program, please visit the City's website at [www.wlv.org/wlvreads](http://www.wlv.org/wlvreads) or call City Hall at 818-706-1613.

### PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

**Saturday, January 7 at 2:00 pm**

**Mysteries of Magic** Enjoy a magic show and learn from a real magician.

**Saturday, January 21 at 4:00 pm**

**Mysteries of Space** A two-part program begins with author William B. Green who will discuss his book *My Life in Space*.

**Sunday, January 22 at 2:00 pm**

An afternoon with award winning mystery writer Lee Goldberg

**Saturday, January 28 at 4:00 pm**

**The Secret in Your Script** Ages 12-18 and adults.

**Wednesday, February 1 at 12:00 noon**

**Book Club** featuring *Raven Black*

**Saturday, February 4 at 2:00 pm and 3:30 pm**

**Optical Illusions** for school aged children. Must register in library.

**Sunday, February 12 at 2:00 pm**

**Mysteries into Movies: Screening of *The Maltese Falcon* and Movie Trivia**

**Full schedule details at  
[www.wlv.org/wlvreads](http://www.wlv.org/wlvreads)**



# 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/Spectrum

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

## Recycling Hotline

(800) 579-4979

# City Participates in LVUSD iServe Program

Each year students at Las Virgenes Unified School District High Schools are required to complete a minimum number of community service hours. The City is pleased to participate in this effort and offer volunteer opportunities to students at City special events such as City Celebration, Westlake Village Reads, Summer Entertainment Series, and the City's 4th of July event. Interested students may find more information on the City's website [www.wlv.org/iserve](http://www.wlv.org/iserve). There are four event opportunities available in January and February. Please contact Brianne Anderson, Community Services Manager at [Brianne@wlv.org](mailto:Brianne@wlv.org) or 818-706-1613 as soon as possible as the spots fill quickly.



## SENIOR GENIUS CLUB is Up and Running

The newly opened Senior Genius Club continues to be offered on the first and third Tuesdays of the month at Agoura High School's remodeled Media Center from 3:30 - 5:30 pm. Agoura High School is located at 28545 W. Driver Ave, Agoura Hills, CA 91301. Follow the parking lot signs to find the location. The parking area and room are wheelchair and walker-accessible, however, there is a short walk to get to the center.

Help will be offered in thirty minute increments for one topic at a time. The "tech experts" are high school students who are earning volunteer hours while serving their community. The service is free and open to all ages that may need some technological help. Please contact Brianne Anderson, Community Services Manager at 818-706-1613 for more information on this intergenerational program.

**Upcoming senior outreach dates:** January 3 • January 17 • February 7 • February 21

## Have You Checked Out The Book Nook?

The Westlake Village Library continues to be a popular spot for residents searching for just the right book, video, or DVD. Did you know that the Book Nook located next to the Library may have just what you are looking for? The Book Nook is a unique used book store that is operated solely by volunteers from the Friends of the Westlake Village Library. Funds raised by the Book Nook help to support library programs, such as the popular summer reading program for kids, Sunday programs and many of the Library's special events.

Hardbacks, paperbacks, children's books, and classic coffee table books are just some of the examples available for sale at the Book Nook. Books range in price from \$.50 to \$2.00. The Book Nook also accepts book donations. Donated books are often put into circulation at the Library, put up for resale at the Book Nook, or redirected to other non-profit groups. For more information on the Friends of the Westlake Village Library or the Book Nook, please call 818-865-9230.

**Book Nook Hours:** Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Fridays: 10 am - 4 pm  
Thursdays, Saturdays: 10:30 am - 4 pm  
Sundays: 1 pm - 4 pm



# The Benefits of Weekly Street Sweeping

The City of Westlake Village takes great pride in the community's well-maintained streets and public landscaped areas. Toward that end, the City contracts for street sweeping service on a weekly basis. In addition, the weekly sweeping helps to prevent unwanted materials from entering the storm drains, creeks, and the lake. The City's street sweeping occurs on Thursdays and Fridays each week.

With the impending winter weather, residents are asked to help maximize street sweeping effectiveness by parking off the roadway on their neighborhood cleaning day.

## Weekly Street Sweeping Schedule

Day	Location
Thursday	Canyon Oaks, First Neighborhood, Lakeshore, and Southshore
Friday	Agoura Road, City Parks, Lakeview Canyon Road, Lindero Canyon Road, Parkwood Estates, Thousand Oaks Boulevard, Three Springs, The Trails, Triunfo Canyon Road, and all other areas or roads not listed.

*Thank you for your cooperation and efforts in assisting the City's street sweeping program. For additional information on this service, please contact City Hall at 818-706-1613.*



# City Volunteers to be Honored on February 22

We have all heard the saying "It Takes a Village." That sentiment can easily be seen in Westlake Village. It is estimated that over 1,100 hours of volunteer time are devoted to the City each year by volunteers of all ages.

The City Council takes great pleasure in recognizing these special residents for their contribution to the City at one of its regular City Council meetings. This year, the City of Westlake Village Annual Volunteer Recognition Night is scheduled for Wednesday, February 22. The event begins at 5:45 pm with a reception followed by a formal recognition ceremony by the City Council in the Council Chambers beginning at 6:30 pm. The City is grateful to each and every one of its City volunteers for their hard work and year of service.

For more information on volunteer opportunities, please contact City Hall at 818-706-1613.



## As Winter is Upon Us, Here are Three Simple Household Reminders

As the winter season brings cooler temperatures and increased potential for rain, it is a good time for residents to check on several items in and around their homes.

**RAIN GUTTERS** Remove debris and leaves in your roof gutters and yard drains. If you live on a hill, clear all swales to ensure that water flows through them properly. Also, check to make sure your yard drains are cleared to prevent ponding.

Some of these preventative measures may be the responsibility of your Homeowners Association. First check your property and then contact your Homeowners Association to be sure they are prepared as well.

**SPRINKLER SETTINGS** With the temperatures dropping steadily and the amount of daylight dwindling, homeowners who rely on automatic sprinklers can save money and water by adjusting the sprinkler settings for the winter season. Additional guidelines can be found on the Las Virgenes Municipal Water District website, [www.lvmwd.com](http://www.lvmwd.com). Remember to turn off your sprinklers if it is raining.

**SMOKE AND CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS** The first of the year is a great time to change the batteries and test your household smoke and carbon monoxide detectors. Remember, the State's Carbon Monoxide Poisoning Prevention Act requires the installation of operational carbon monoxide detectors in existing multi-family residential units containing a fossil-fuel burning appliance, fireplace or attached garage.

## New Youth Recreation Class - Princesses Wanted

The City is offering a new youth recreation class beginning in January. If you have a child between the ages of two and a half to five years of age that dreams of being a princess and loves to dance, this class will be the perfect addition to your schedule. Princess Ballet will be held on Fridays from 10:30-11:15am from January 27-March 17. The classes will be held at the Westlake Village Civic Center Community Room. Registration begins January 6 online at [www.crp.org](http://www.crp.org) or call the Dos Vientos Community Center at 805-375-1003. This program is offered through an agreement with the Conejo Recreation and Park District and adds to the existing youth recreation schedule.



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 WESTLAKE VILLAGE**

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## City Council

Mayor

**Brad Halpern**

Mayor Pro Tem

**Mark Rutherford**

Councilmember

**Ned E Davis**

Councilmember

**Kelly Honig**

Councilmember

**Susan McSweeney**

### Upcoming City Council Meetings:

January 11 and 25, 2017

February 6 and 22, 2017

City Council meetings can be seen live on WWTB Channel 10 and via web streaming on [www.wlv.org](http://www.wlv.org)

## City Events Calendar

Date	Event	Time
Jan 1	Library Closed	
Jan 2	City Hall Closed	
Jan 7	"WLV Reads"- Mysteries of Magic	2:00 pm
Jan 9	Senior Recreation Program: Winter Session begins	8:00 am
Jan 9	White Oak After-School Enrichment Program starts	
Jan 11	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Jan 16	Martin Luther King Jr. Day - City Hall & Library Closed	
Jan 21	"WLV Reads" - Mysteries of Space	4:00 pm
Jan 22	"WLV Reads" - An Afternoon with Lee Goldberg	2:00 pm
Jan 25	City Council Study Session	4:30 pm
Jan 25	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Jan 27	Community Service Fund Grant Application closing date	5:00 pm
Jan 29	"WLV Reads" - The Secret in Your Script	4:00 pm
Feb 1	"WLV Reads" Book Club in the J.B. Henderson Room	Noon
Feb 2	Cultural Recreation Advisory Board	7:00 pm
Feb 4	"WLV Reads" - Optical Illusions	2:00 pm and 3:30 pm
Feb 6	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Feb 12	"WLV Reads" - Mysteries into Movies	2:00 PM
Feb 15	Senior Concerns Lecture in City Council Chambers	1:30 pm
Feb 20	Presidents' Day - City Hall and Library Closed	
Feb 22	Volunteer Recognition Night in the Community Room	5:45 pm
Feb 22	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm