

WESTLAKE VILLAGE READS 2018 PROGRAM: COME TOGETHER: THE HEART OF WESTLAKE VILLAGE

The City of Westlake Village, the Westlake Village Library, and Friends of the Westlake Village Library are pleased to co-sponsor Westlake Village Reads, a One City One Book Program. The 2018 Westlake Village Reads program will focus on a main theme rather than a single book. This year's theme is "Come Together: The Heart of Westlake Village." Westlake Village Reads will host a special one-day event with two sets of programs for all ages and an interactive non-profit activity fair and food truck to bring the community together on February 10 at the Westlake Village Civic Center.

The 11:00 am program set includes: Michael McCarty's International Folktales children's program, a teen Glass Art Workshop, and a Memoir Writing Workshop with Dr. Karen Gorback. The 1:00 pm program set includes: Jay Leslie's Magical Anti-Bullying & Positive Self-Esteem Program for Children, a teen Creative Writing Workshop, and an Adult and Senior Program about Healthy Mindful Living by local coach Lindsay Leimbach.

The lunch hour will feature a very special program to put residents in touch with local non-profit community organizations. Residents may purchase a tasty treat or meal from local food truck "Farm and Flame". Drop-off items will be collected such as travel toiletries, canned foods, gently used blankets, and much more. Many people seek ways to get involved but are not sure where to get started or how to find local chapters. The agencies that are participating provide a variety of opportunities, interests, and ways to get involved in the community. Visit our City website for complete details regarding the participating agencies and the collections on-site. Current participating non-profits are: Americans Supporting Americans, California Wildlife Center, Community Counseling Services - California Lutheran University, Friends of the Westlake Village Library, Great Race of Agoura Hills, Manna Food Bank, Many Mansion, and the Triunfo YMCA.

All programs are free and open to the public. All programs are held at the Westlake Village Civic Center located at 31200 Oak Crest Drive. 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 or call City Hall at 818-706-1613.



Come Together

The Heart of Westlake Village

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

L.A. 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

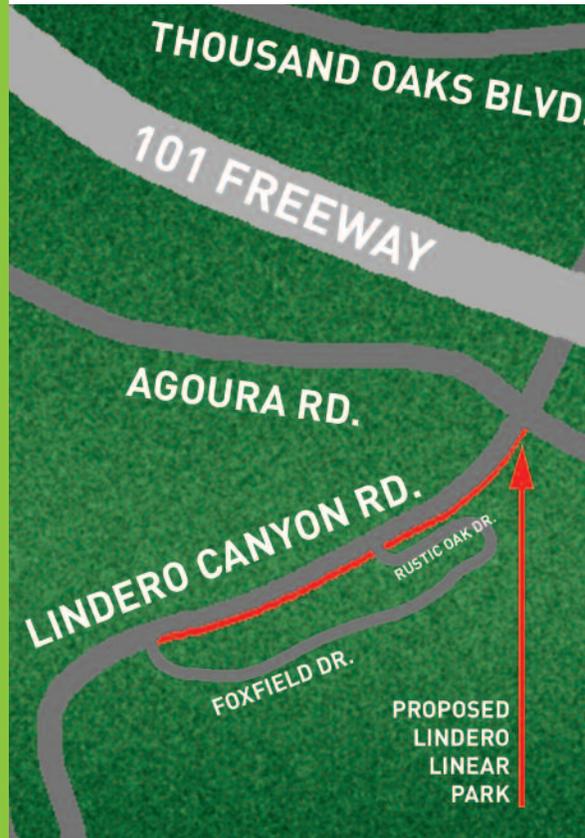
Dial - 211

Recycling Hotline

(800) 579-4979

CITY TO HOST A PUBLIC MEETING REGARDING MEASURE M FUNDS

On February 28, the City Council will conduct a Study Session to consider the expenditure of Measure M funds on the Lindero Linear Park Project. The proposed project would entail a meandering sidewalk for pedestrian use that would be constructed along the unimproved parkway area next to the existing storm drain channel from Agoura Road to Foxfield Drive. Preliminary design elements include benches for seating and various other hardscape improvements and landscaping.



Measure M is a county-wide ½-cent sales tax that was approved by the voters on November 8, 2016. It is anticipated that the City of Westlake Village will receive approximately \$1 million dollars per year for several years to use on active transportation and transit projects.

Residents are encouraged to attend the February 28 Study Session to learn more about the project and to offer input and comments. For additional information or questions, please call the City Engineer, Jessica Arden at 818-706-1613.

CITY VOLUNTEERS TO BE HONORED ON FEBRUARY 28

We have all heard the saying “It Takes a Village.” That sentiment can easily be seen in Westlake Village. It is estimated that over 3,500 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 28. 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.

**CONEJO VALLEY COMMUNITY
CONCERT AND JAZZ BAND
WILL PERFORM ON MARCH 4
AT LINDERO CANYON
MIDDLE SCHOOL**

The Cities of Westlake Village and Agoura Hills co-sponsor the Community Concert and Jazz Band as part of a continuing effort to provide cultural programs to the community. This year's Community Concert Band's spring performance will be under the direction of Matt McKagan and will provide a wide selection of music performed by musicians of all ages. This free concert will be held on the Lindero Canyon Middle School campus (5844 Larboard Lane, Agoura Hills, CA 91301) at 4:00 pm. Residents interested in joining the band should contact Nick Newkirk at the Agoura Hills Recreation Center at 818-597-7361.



**EMPOWERING RESIDENTS
FOR NINE YEARS**

Since its launch in 2009, the City of Westlake Village's CityCare program has provided residents the opportunity to report any maintenance or service concerns 24 hours a day/7 days a week to the City. CityCare asks residents to assist City staff by being the "eyes and ears of the community." Examples of items residents may report using the CityCare program include broken sprinklers on public property, street light outages, street repairs, and graffiti. In 2017, the City received and responded to over 116 requests.

Making a CityCare request is as easy as calling, browsing, or clicking. Residents can call City Hall at 818-706-1613 to make a report. After-hours phone calls will be taken by an answering service and routed to the appropriate staff member. CityCare can also be accessed via the City website, www.wlv.org by clicking the Citycare emblem located on the left-hand side of the homepage.

**LAST CHANCE:
NOMINATIONS COMING
TO A CLOSE FOR 2018 CITIZEN
AND YOUTH OF THE YEAR**

Do you know of a special neighbor who has enhanced the quality of life in the City? Can you think of a high school-aged resident that is making a difference at his or her school or in our community? The Citizen and Youth of the Year are Westlake Village residents who are recognized for making significant contributions to the City and for displaying a strong sense of volunteerism, civic pride, and commitment toward the betterment of the community. The City is now seeking nominees for these two categories. Nomination forms can be found on the City website www.wlv.org by typing Citizen/Youth of the Year in the main search bar. The nomination period runs until February 28, 2018. The Youth and Citizen of the Year will be honored by the City Council with the youth winner receiving a \$500 scholarship and the citizen receiving a \$500 donation to the charity of his or her choice. Please contact City Hall at 818-706-1613 or visit the City's website for more information.

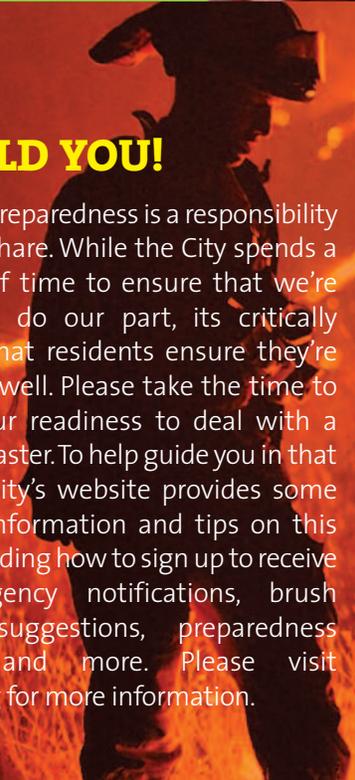


**PUBLIC SAFETY CORNER
YOUR CITY TAKES PREPAREDNESS SERIOUSLY...SO SHOULD YOU!**

With the recent fires affecting the region, the City of Westlake Village wants to remind you that we are constantly preparing to deal with the next big emergency. While dangerous wildfires may be at the forefront of our minds right now, the City undertakes considerable effort to ensure that we're prepared to deal with threats of many kinds, ranging from wildfires and earthquakes all the way to terrorism and public health emergencies.

The City of Westlake Village, as a contract city, partners with multiple agencies in order to provide public safety services. The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department is responsible for police services throughout the city, while the Los Angeles County Fire Department provides fire protection services. Both of these agencies are the primary responders for nearly all emergencies within the city, regardless of the size or type. The City works in conjunction with both of these agencies to carry out a variety of responsibilities, in line with State and Federal regulations, should an emergency warrant such a response.

Emergency preparedness is a responsibility that we all share. While the City spends a great deal of time to ensure that we're prepared to do our part, it's critically important that residents ensure they're prepared as well. Please take the time to evaluate your readiness to deal with a potential disaster. To help guide you in that effort, the City's website provides some important information and tips on this subject, including how to sign up to receive City emergency notifications, brush clearance suggestions, preparedness checklists, and more. Please visit www.wlv.org for more information.





FREE CERT TRAINING TO BE HELD BEGINNING MARCH 27th

Los Angeles County Fire Department offers free Community Emergency Response Training (CERT) to residents several times a year. The 8-week class provides training in basic disaster response skills, such as fire safety, light search and rescue, team organization, and disaster medical operations. The upcoming CERT class modules will begin on March 27th in Agoura Hills. The classes will meet from 6:30 pm to 9:00 pm in the Agoura Hills Civic Center Community Room located at 30001 Ladyface Court. If you are interested in taking the free CERT courses, you may register online at www.fire.lacounty.gov/cert, by simply scrolling down to the Agoura Hills listing, then clicking on the “register” link.

CERT graduates are encouraged to join the Westlake Village Disaster Response Team (WLVDR). The WLVDR is a volunteer group that provides community members with basic training designed to help them better care for themselves, their families and others in the community in the event of a disaster. Additionally, the WLVDR recruits, equips, and maintains a well-trained citizen response team to aid the City in the event of an emergency. Members of the WLVDR will be at the CERT training to provide more information on the Westlake Village team. If you are interested in learning more about the WLVDR, please contact, Philippe Eskandar, Administrative Analyst, at 818-706-1613.

CITY COUNCIL

MAYOR	MARK RUTHERFORD
MAYOR PRO TEM	NED E DAVIS
COUNCILMEMBER	KELLY HONIG
COUNCILMEMBER	SUSAN MCSWEENEY
COUNCILMEMBER	BRAD HALPERN

UPCOMING CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS:

January 10 and 24, 2018
February 14 and 28, 2018

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



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CITY EVENTS CALENDAR

Date	Event	Time
Feb 6, 13, 20	Senior Genius Club	3:30-5:30 pm
Feb 7	Book Club in the J.B. Henderson Room	Noon
Feb 10	“WLV Reads” – Come Together the Heart of WLV	11:00 am
Feb 14	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Feb 19	Presidents’ Day - City Hall & Library Closed	
Feb 21	Senior Concerns Lecture in City Council Chambers	1:30 pm
Feb 28	Volunteer Recognition Night in the Community Room	5:45 pm
Feb 28	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Mar 1	Cultural Recreation Advisory Board	7:00 pm
Mar 4	Community Concert & Jazz Band at Lindero Canyon	4:00 pm
Mar 6, 13, 20	Middle School Senior Genius Club	3:30-5:30 pm
Mar 7	Book Club in the Community Room	Noon
Mar 11	Daylight Saving Time - change clocks – Spring ahead	2:00 am
Mar 14	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm
Mar 21	Senior Concerns Lecture in City Council Chambers	1:30 pm
Mar 19	Senior Recreation Program: Spring Session Begins	8:00 am
Mar 28	City Council Meeting	6:30 pm