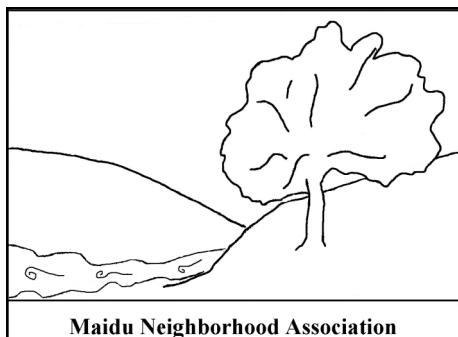


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August 2017



National Night Out Was Celebrated August 1

It was an extremely hot evening on August 1, when Maidu neighbors gathered at Maidu Park to celebrate National Night Out (NNO). The NNO is a unique annual event held the first Tuesday of August across the United States. It is an effective program to strengthen communities by turning neighbors into friends. Neighbors who know each other and watch out for each other make the neighborhood a safer place to live. The benefits of the NNO event will certainly extend well beyond this one night. We hope to see you each year at NNO.

We had planned for 80 people for dinner, but we fell short of that number, most likely because of the triple-digit weather. Our event attracted approximately 40 neighbors. We had members of the Roseville Police Department, the Fire Department, and Placer County Probation Department in attendance to answer questions and socialize with us. A fire truck was parked for up-close inspection.

Melinda Shrader of Coldwell Banker Real Estate set up a table at the event and was available to answer any real estate questions. Melinda supports the Neighborhood Association each month by paying for the printing of our newsletter. She also distributes American flags to all homes within the neighborhood for 4th of July.

We had Sprouts from Rocky Ridge Town Center come out and offer the neighbors many free grocery items.

Neighbor Nicole Reams from Arbonne International set up her table display and was available to publicize her home-based business.

The City sent a representative from the Maidu Museum and also a representative from Maidu Library to speak with neighbors.

The Neighborhood Association held a drawing and gave away 2 Target gift cards, valued at \$10 each.

We give a big thanks to all the vendors and participants. We appreciate your support.

We look forward to seeing you at our October 7 Maidu Park Clean-Up and BBQ. We will be giving away more Target gift cards on that day!

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The next meeting of the Maidu Neighborhood Association will be held Tuesday, August 22, 2017, at 7 pm at Sargeant Elementary School, 1200 Ridgecrest. We meet in the Activity Room which is toward the back of the school. Enter off N. Cirby. We invite you to attend. It's a chance to get to know your neighbors and hear what's happening in the neighborhood. A City Police Officer will give us the crime report for our neighborhood.

*Search for Maidu N.A. on Facebook and "like" us.
Our web site is maiduna.com*

Annual Meeting and Board Elections

by Geoff Kragen

Yes, as hard as it is to believe, the Maidu Neighborhood Association Annual Meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 26. Included as part of the meeting will be election of Board members. The following incumbents are running: Vicki Miller, Geoff Kragen, Shirley Brown, and Jim Kidd. After a number of years of service, David Allen has decided not to run again this year. Thank you, David, for your many years of service to this Board.

If you are interested in serving your neighbors by joining the Maidu Neighborhood Association Board of Directors, please contact us through our website at www.maiduna.com and send us a message via the *Contact Us* tab prior to the August 22 meeting. We will complete the slate at that meeting prior to the September meeting.

EngageROSEVILLE

by David Allen

With a looming budget deficit, the City of Roseville has launched EngageROSEVILLE, a community effort to involve residents, businesses, and others with a stake in Roseville's quality of life, in prioritizing City services and developing options to balance service levels with expected revenues. One way the City will gather community input is through a Community Priorities Advisory Committee (CPAC). The committee process is intended to bring together Roseville residents and businesses to assess specific general fund City services and programs, and provide policy level recommendations to prioritize what we value as a community.

The CPAC meets the second and fourth Wednesdays of each month, from 6 to 8 pm, through March, 2018. The general public is welcome to attend CPAC meetings or watch them live via streaming video. Educate yourself and provide your input to ensure Roseville allows us to maintain an excellent quality of life. Find more details on EngageROSEVILLE and CPAC on the City's website, www.roseville.ca.us or go directly to this link to view the meetings: http://www.roseville.ca.us/council/engage_roseville/default.asp

Thanks, Chief Hahn

by David Allen

It's no accident that Roseville enjoys such a low crime rate. We have an outstanding Police Department with strong ties to the community it serves. Credit for its success goes in large part to its Chief, Daniel Hahn. Sadly, Chief Hahn is leaving Roseville to become Sacramento's Chief of Police, leaving a legacy of success.

Back in 2011 when he became Chief of Police, Chief Hahn visited neighborhood associations, including Maidu's, to introduce himself and share his priorities. What he said then is what he's done over the last 7 years. He made community engagement a priority. He made problem-oriented policing a priority. He recruited and trained outstanding law enforcement officers. Chief Hahn attended our Neighborhood Association Meeting in June 2016, when we celebrated Lt. Cal Walstad's retirement. We recognize Chief Hahn for his strengths and his commitment to making Roseville a great place to live.

As we say good bye to Chief Hahn, we discover our new Chief of Police has been announced. Jim Maccoun, who served as Roseville's Assistant Police Chief since 2014, will be our new Chief. We look forward to working with Chief Maccoun.

Annual Park and Open Space Clean-up, Saturday, October 7

by Scott Reid

We have an outstanding neighborhood with one of the City's biggest parks and lots of neighboring open spaces. We'll be holding our Annual Park and Open Space Clean-up event on Saturday, October 7, starting at 10 am, and we hope you'll join us at the Pavilion in Maidu Park near the basketball courts!

In case you have not participated before, here's what you can expect. We spend the first 2 hours until noon cleaning up in and along the edges of the Park. Some of us go into the City's open spaces near the park to search for trash. Keep your eyes peeled for unusual trash items as we have a contest for the most unusual piece of trash found.

At noon, we gather back at the Maidu Pavilion again where we have a hamburger and hotdog lunch with fixings and sides. Bottled water and some soda will be the beverages. Food and drinks are courtesy of the Neighborhood Association.

While we eat, an exacting examination of interesting trash will be made by our judges and prizes will be awarded. The judges' opinions are final.

We all win by contributing to our neighborhood and getting to meet with neighbors, friends, and family. We hope you'll be able to join us! Mark your calendar now. More details to come in our September issue of Maidu Neighbors.

Library Purchase Suggestions

Purchase suggestions are a great way to let the library know what you would like them to buy for the library. Many of you enjoy this, and the library welcomes your continued use of this service. However, the library is making a slight change. When the item you've suggested is selected for addition to the collection, you won't be given an automatic hold as in the past. The library will send you an email indicating if it's being added, along with instructions for placing the hold.

Here are the steps to place a hold online:

Visit <https://library.roseville.ca.us> and click on the "Login" button. Enter your username (or library card number) and your password. Now, use the search bar in our library catalog to search for the item you would like to place on hold. When you locate the item you are looking for, click the link that says "Place Hold." Select your pick-up location and click the "Place hold" button. This will bring you to your account where you can see the status of all of your holds.

Maidu Museum and Historic Site

Enjoy free admission, guided tours (10 am and 1 pm), and a day full of children's activities at Maidu Museum & Historic Site as part of the 13th Annual Smithsonian Museum Day Live event on Saturday, September 23, from 9 am to 4 pm. The Museum is located at 1970 Johnson Ranch Drive.

Bring the whole family and enjoy contemporary art galleries and interactive exhibits inside the museum. Walk outside along the 5/8 mile trail through the ancient Maidu village site to see petroglyphs, bedrock mortar holes and native plants and animals. Kids can grind acorns, take the scavenger hunt and make a pine nut beaded bracelet. Call (916) 774-5934 for more information.