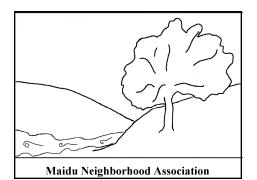
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RCONA MAIDU NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

February 2020

2020 Event Dates Set including New Movie in the Park

At the last meeting, the Maidu Neighborhood Association board set the dates for several of our events this year. They are as follows:

- Annual Garage Sale—Saturday, April 25th. For more details, see the following article.
- Movie In The Park—Saturday, July 25th. In the past, our parent organization, the Roseville Coalition of Neighborhood Associations (RCONA) has sponsored summer evening Movies in the Park at various parks around Roseville including Maidu Park. This year RCONA has decided to let neighborhoods decide if they wanted to sponsor their own local movie. Our board decided they would do that. Come to our February meeting to help select which movie we will show.
- National Night Out—Tuesday, August 4th. This event is national in scope and we join it on the first Tuesday evening in August.

Join 21st Annual Garage Sale on Saturday, April 25th

You definitely need more stuff in you house, and have we got the sale for you! On Saturday, April 25th you will have the pick of the best this neighborhood has to offer. It usually includes things from other neighborhoods as friends and family on learning of the magnitude of this sale, bring their stuff over to participating neighbors here to be sold in our sale!

Or maybe you think you have too much stuff? No problem, have we got the sale for you! Through social media, newspapers, and volunteers on street corners handing out sale location maps, we invite people to come to your very own garage sale. You supply the stuff and location, and we provide advertising, how-to information, and a pair of balloons filled with helium to mark your location (requires going to central balloon-filling location).

And either way, buying or selling (or both!) you are helping support the Maidu Neighborhood Association. See our form, below, for how to become a part of this event. And thank you for your support of our fund raiser!

Do you have ideas for a better way to run some aspect of the Annual Garage Sale? Maybe there's a way to publicize the sale, or something we could include in the Garage Sale packets we give each participant, or some other aspect of our process that you think we could improve. Let us know using the email at the bottom of the form, below, or call a board member (see box at left). We appreciate your help!

2020 Garage Sale Registration	
Nome	Talantana #
Name	Telephone #
Street Address	E-mail
\$10 enclosed for April 25th Garage Sale which supports the Maidu Neighborhood Association events during the year.	
I do not plan to participate, but I would like to donate \$ to the Maidu Neighborhood Association.	
I would like to help with map distribution or filling of balloons the day of the sale.	
I would like to donate a raffle prize. I understand each person or business donating will be acknowledged in print.	
Make your check out to Maidu Neighborhood Association. Send form & check to Mary Steele, Treasurer, 1390 Cloverdale	
Circle, Roseville, CA 95661, by April 18 to get your address listed on the map.	
Questions? Send email to feedback(at)maiduna.com	

Placer County Supervisor Election Offers Choice

There will be a lot of attention paid to the Presidential election as we approach March 3rd, but there is another election of interest to neighbors. It's the one to fill the Placer County Supervisor position that represents our area.

As far as Roseville residents are concerned, what the City does has the greatest immediate impact on the rules we follow or the services we are provided. But our neighborhood is in a somewhat unique position in that it is bordered by Placer County-governed areas to our east, particularly from about Sargeant School south to Old Auburn Road. For example, inside the neighborhood decisions on zoning are determined by the City, but the Placer County government controls zoning along Old Auburn east of Ridgecrest and generally on Sierra College Boulevard south of East Roseville Parkway.

There are two candidates, Kirk Uhler and Suzanne Jones. Uhler is the incumbent, and Jones is the challenger. To learn more about each candidate, see their web sites:

- Suzanne Jones—<u>https://suzanne4supervisor.com/</u>
- Kirk Uhler— https://kirkuhler.com/

Your participation in the March 3rd election has local as well as national consequences. We hope you will exercise your voice in this process.



Tour City's Wastewater Plant

The Wastewater Utility handles nearly 20 million gallons of water every day through more than 700 miles of pipe and treats it all at two treatment plants within the city, out of sight and mind for Roseville residents, all for about one dollar a day per household. This free tour will give a behind-the-scenes look at the processes that make the system so reliable and that keep the environment and Roseville residents safe. From the point that wastewater leaves a home or business and enters the treatment process, follow the water through the treatment process to where it's released to local creeks or through recycled water purple pipes for use to water local parks and golf courses.

After you've completed the tour, you will have a better understanding of the process for treating wastewater and you will know what actions you can take to maintain the flow of this important utility system of the city. The next tour dates are March 20, April 17, and May 15.

Interested? You must meet the following requirements:

- Minimum age 12 years old
- Capacity Groups and individuals welcome. Minimum of 5 people. Maximum of 30 people per day. Tours of more than 15 people will be split into two groups.
- *Physical requirements* Expect strenuous walking. Tour length is about 1 mile.
- *Tour safety* Treatment plants are functioning industrial sites in operation 24-hours a day, seven days a week. Open pits, moving vehicles and chemicals are just a few of the safety hazards present at this industrial site. Sturdy closed-toe shoes and long pants are required for your safety and comfort.
- Waiver All visitors must sign a waiver as a condition of the tour; please take a moment to review it. Participants under the age of 18 must have their parent or guardian sign the waiver.

To get on the list for a tour date, contact Melissa Kinsey at mkinsey@roseville.ca.us or (916) 746-1553.

Our next meeting will be held Tuesday, February 25th, 2020, at 7 p.m. in the Activity Room at Sargeant Elementary School. Enter the school grounds from North Cirby—look for a sign marking the entrance by the chain-link fencing. We invite you to attend. At most meetings a Roseville Police Officer will report on local crimes and answer questions.

Search for Maidu N.A. on Facebook and "like" us. Feedback or Questions? Email us at feedback(at)maiduna.com

Our web site is maiduna.com

A Big Thank You

Thanks to the neighbors who stepped up in response to last month's call for Block Captains (newsletter deliverers) and Distributor (distributes bundles of newsletters to Block Captains) We appreciate your help!

We do want to recruit one more **Distributor**. This position supports six Block Captains by providing them the bundles of newsletters they will deliver. As the block captains are spread across the neighborhood, a car would likely be the way you would do the deliveries unless you are an enthusiastic walker, or enjoy a bike ride with several stops. Contact Jim Kidd at *jckidd@hotmail.com* if interested.

In Memory of Fran Webb

Fran Webb, a former Maidu Neighborhood Association board member and contributor to this newsletter, passed away on December 24, 2019. She is survived by her husband, Ken, also a former board member and who still lives in the neighborhood.

For several years Fran kept neighbors up to date on the goings-on at the Maidu Library under a column called "Library News." The following is an excerpt from one column from May 2015. She noted our branch of the library had the lowest number of books logged as "read" in the summer reading challenge and wanted to encourage more participation. It gives you a sense of her dedication to both the library and the neighborhood:



Teens and adults of Maidu, we can do better, right? Let's elevate our numbers. Make sure library cards, logs, and credits are going to Maidu. Funding, grants, and program dollars are calculated in part based on participation. Enjoy the advantages of books through electronic media as well as those in print. Please ask library staff if you have any questions on where and how to drop off the logs. As always, thanks for supporting the library. Spread the word to friends and family.

We miss her support and insights, as well as her positive outlook on people and what they could do.

On Our Radar

- Wizard Fun Run Dress like a wizard, Harry Potter style, and run this 5k race on Sunday, May 3rd starting at Vernon Street Town Square. Early registration is open and will close April 2nd (registration thereafter will increase by \$10 to \$40 for those over 14, or to \$35 for younger racers). There will be awards for race completion, and best dressed male character (adult & youth), best dressed female character (adult & youth), most creative costume, and largest wizard team. As we write this a dozen teams have registered with the largest having 6 members.
- Garden Faire The Master Gardeners of Placer County, who are University of California Cooperative Extension (UCCE) ambassadors to the County's home gardening community, will be sponsoring an event on Saturday, April 4th, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Maidu Community Center. Drop by for hands-on demonstrations, talks by experts, garden art and plants for sale, irrigation advice, crafts for kids, food trucks, door prizes and much more!

Our Events—Our Association has developed a tradition of having the following events. We set the dates for each one as the time approaches to match the availability of the people who will help put them on, but they usually don't vary by more than a few weeks from year to year.

- April 25th—Annual Neighborhood Garage Sale.
- August 4th—National Night Out.
- October—Park Clean-up.
- <u>December</u>—Santa in the Neighborhood

For more Information

Want to know more about items in this newsletter such as how to buy natural gas? Go to

mna.rcona.com/2020-links. Or scan this QR code with a suitable app. There are

links there to our related sites including our Facebook page.

