

### **JUNE 8 NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH**

With the help of Monterey Police Department, NMNA is launching Neighborhood Watch this month. Learn about basic security measures and recent crime statistics in New Monterey. Share contact information with your immediate neighbors to form a network, neighbors helping neighbors.

**Monday, June 8**

**Hilltop Park Center** (downstairs)

**7 to 9 pm**

*If you would like your block to be included, there's still time to deliver invitations door-to-door. Call Bob Kohn 643-9935. Everyone welcome.*

### **ROUNDAABOUT UPDATE**

At a recent meeting of New Monterey Business Association, City Traffic Engineer Rich Deal discussed the construction timeline for the roundabouts at the intersection of Holman Highway Hwy 68 and Hwy 1 at the Hill Gate of Pebble Beach.

February 16, 2016, the day after the ATT Pro Am concludes, workers will begin. Construction is scheduled to last one year, ending the day before the 2017 ATT Pro Am.

Holman Hwy will have numerous lane closures and, on occasions when total diversions occur, work will be done at night. Hill Gate will be closed for a month. No lane closures are anticipated during Auto Week in August. A traffic camera will be installed so motorists can foresee conditions at the intersection.

Most of the traffic now carried by Holman Highway will be diverted to Lighthouse Avenue, increasing its load by one third, from 44,000 cars/day to nearly 60,000 cars/day. Modifications at Lighthouse curve are under consideration. An additional eastbound lane is likely with the goal of stacking traffic near the tunnel's entry rather than having it back up further toward Pacific Grove.

Why make the roundabout? Traffic on Holman Highway operates at level F. After the project: Level B. For more information see TAMC.org.

### **STREET PAVING BEGINS!**

Using Measure P sales tax funds, the City is upgrading access ramps at corners, applying slurry seal to cracking streets, and repairing major potholes.

June 1<sup>st</sup> repairs were made to Foam Street and the 2300 block of Irving Avenue.

Slurry seal will be applied as follows:

#### **Wed June 10**

- Belden St (David to Irving)
- Archer St (David to Irving)
- Oak St (David to Irving)
- Prescott Av (Devisadero to Taylor) Outside lanes
- Irving Av (Devisadero to Alice)
- David Av (Devisadero to Grace) Outside lanes

#### **Th June 11**

- Spencer St (David to Irving)
- Pine St (David to Irving)
- Prescott Av (Devisadero to Taylor) Inside lanes
- David Av (Devisadero to Grace) Inside lanes

#### **Th June 18**

- Foam (Lighthouse - Cannery Row) North side lane

#### **F June 18**

- Foam (Lighthouse - Cannery Row) South side lane

Anyone living, working or commuting in one of these areas, take note:

On-street parking may be restricted

Streets may be closed and detours in place

Sidewalks at intersections may be closed

Up-to-date information is available

at [monterey.org/fixingstreets](http://monterey.org/fixingstreets) .

### **LIGHTHOUSE SPECIFIC PLAN**

The next Lighthouse Specific Plan subcommittee meetings are June 11 and June 24. Staff is bringing back to the committee revisions to Chapter 5 Traffic and Parking. Meetings are held in Council Chambers 9-noon. Public may participate.

To see the complete draft on the city's website:

[http://monterey.org/Portals/1/peec/workprogram/lhsp/15\\_0303\\_LHDraft.pdf](http://monterey.org/Portals/1/peec/workprogram/lhsp/15_0303_LHDraft.pdf)

## MONTEREY PUBLIC LIBRARY

### ◇ Sat June 6 **Summer Reading Kickoff Party**

"Read to the Rhythm" Monterey Library, 1–5pm



Family fun including crafts, refreshments, and multicultural music. Special guests include the Monterey Ukulele Club and Bollyworld Dancers. All ages welcome!

### ◇ Sun June 7 **Crafting for Adults!**

Library Community Room 2 – 3:30 p.m.

The Library's all-ages Summer Reading Program "Read to the Rhythm" kicks-off in June so they'll be making some music themed greeting cards featuring musical notes, instruments, sheet music and sentiments like "you rock" or "just a note"!



Adult Craft Club meets the first Sunday of the month unless there's a holiday. They provide supplies or you're welcome to bring items from your own stash.

Space is limited! Please sign-up at the Library Help Desk, call 831-646-3933, or email [refdesk@monterey.org](mailto:refdesk@monterey.org)

◇ Mon June 15 **Music Therapy** "Engaging Your Soundtrack for the Second Half of Life" by Cathy Rivera, Board Certified Music Therapist 6 pm

◇ Tues June 16 **Tween Team:** "Read and Move to the Rhythm" with Crossfit Kids and DJ Mix "N" Spin 3pm Crafts, good books, friends and pizza. (Ages 9 and up).

◇ Sun June 28 **"Italians of the Monterey Peninsula" lecture** 1 – 3:30 pm Slide-illustrated lecture by Mike Ventimiglia on his newly released book, "Italians of the Monterey Peninsula". Book signing follows. Reservations required: 831.646.3949.

### **2015 NMNA BOARD MEMBERS**

Sharon Dwight, Pres	375-0841
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Have you visited the **Library Bookmobile** lately ?

The Bookmobile brings library services to members of the community. On the Bookmobile you can get:

- Fiction, non-fiction and reference books
- Large print books, DVDs, music CDs, audio books
- Spanish language materials
- Current magazines

On the Bookmobile you are able to

- Get a Library card
- Pick up holds
- Participate in the Summer Reading Program
- Use free Internet access
- Return items that have been checked out at the Monterey Public Library or the Pacific Grove Library.

*New Monterey's Bookmobile stop is*  
**Hilltop Park Center Every Tuesday 3:45-4:45 p.m.**

### **HILLTOP PARK CENTER**

◇ Hands in Clay classes start Sept 14–Oct 28.

**Little Hands in Clay** (ages 8–16) MW 4–5:30

**Hands in Clay** for adults is MW 6–8:45pm

Registration is open now online or at the Recreation Office on Dutra St behind City Hall.

### **SCHOLZE PARK CENTER**

◇ **Watercolor Painting– Beginner**

Explore the beauty and versatility of painting with transparent watercolor or acrylics, from fundamentals of color and composition to bold mixed media experimentation. Join the fun and creativity.

Session: Jul 8–29 Wed, 10 am–12 pm

Program Fee: \$39/ \$30 Mty Resident

◇ **Yoga for Everyone**

Join this Yoga Flow class where laughing and having fun is a must! Stay young in mind, body and spirit. Postures include stretching, strengthening and breathing exercises. All levels welcome.

Sessions: Continuous (No Class Jun 11)

Wed 12:00pm – 1:00pm Instructor: R. Menezes

Fee: \$2 per person per class

Next NMNA Meeting: Mon July 13 Hilltop Pk Ctr

[www.newmontereyneighborhood.org](http://www.newmontereyneighborhood.org)