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THE WEEK IN REVIEW

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PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

Community Events

- Friday Night Bingo will be held at the Senior Center on September 2 from 6:00-8:00 p.m., doors open at 4:00 p.m. Tickets are on sale now; each \$10 ticket includes event entry and one six-pack of bingo cards; additional bingo packs will be available for \$5 each at the event. There is limited space available, so buy your tickets early. Open to ages 18 and older.
- Cosmic Wii Bowling will be held at the Senior Center on Tuesday, August 23, beginning at 5:00 p.m. Come and enjoy some Wii bowling in a fun atmosphere with glow items and black lights. The entry fee is \$3 per person or \$10 for a team of four. Sign up at the Senior Center front desk, 295 Cherry Lane. Participants must be 21 years of age or older and may sign up as an individual or in teams of four. There will be prizes for the best-scoring team, lowest-scoring team, hardest split, and more! Call 456-8650 for more information.

Senior Services

- The Senior Center's annual Health and Wellness Fair will take place Thursday, August 18, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Senior Center, 295 Cherry Lane. This free event provides a great opportunity for senior citizens to access information and resources that can enhance and support their daily living, health, and interests. Call the Senior Center for more information at 456-8650.
- The Senior Center will host a Potluck Dinner on Thursday, August 18, at 5:00 p.m. Seniors ages 50 and older are asked to bring a dish (enough to feed eight people) and their own plates and flatware. Brookdale-Manteca will be providing the dessert. For more information, call the Senior Center at 456-8650.
- Tickets for the August 15 Spaghetti Dinner and Bingo event are on sale now at the Senior Center and will be available until sold out. Each \$8 ticket includes entry and a dinner of spaghetti, salad, garlic bread, beverages and dessert. Bingo is played after the dinner. Bingo six-packs are available for \$5 each. You must be at least 50 years old to attend this event, and you must purchase a dinner ticket to play bingo. For more information, call the Senior Center at 456-8650.

Aquatics Programs

- The summer season at Lincoln Pool, 245 S. Powers Ave., is wrapping up, with only two weekends of public swim remaining. The pool will be open August 13-14 and August 20-21 from 12:00-6:00 p.m.

Pool entry is free for children under age 4; \$2 for youth ages 4-17 and seniors ages 62 and older; and \$3 for adults ages 18-61.

- The Parks and Recreation Aquatics staff would like to thank everyone for a great summer at Lincoln Pool and Manteca High Pool, with our programs including open swim, swim lessons, lap swim, water aerobics, Guard Start, Discover Scuba, and more. See you next summer!



Lifeguards practice advanced rescue techniques, left, and a Manteca Firefighter helps a Lincoln Pool visitor use the water hose during public swim

Golf

- New directional signage has been installed in the parking lot of the Manteca Tennis Center, Parks Corp Yard, and Golf Course/Clubhouse. These signs were designed to complement the new Golf Course monument-style entry sign, which will be installed as part of an upcoming CIP project.



New parking lot signage, left and center, and new monument entry sign

Field Rentals

- The Manteca Heat youth baseball's Fall League begins Monday, August 15, and will run through November at Northgate Softball Complex and Morezone Ballfield.

Recreation Programs

- Tiny Tots – Tiny Tots Indoor Soccer for ages 3-6 began July 30 and runs for five weeks at the Neil Hafley School gymnasium. The program takes place on Saturdays and there are more than 50 participants enrolled.
- Adult Sports – Adult Basketball began August 7 at the Neil Hafley School gymnasium. The Summer League runs on Sundays for six weeks and there are 17 teams participating.

Little People's Creative Play and Mommy and Me

The City offers a structured learning program Mondays through Thursdays for preschool-aged children, 3½ to 5 years old (Creative Play), and a parent participation class on Friday mornings for toddlers 18 months to 3 years old (Mom/Dad and Me). Creative Play allows children to work on motor skills and socialization, while learning the alphabet, numbers, shapes, colors and songs. Parents may enroll their child for one day a week, or a combination of days. There are daily craft projects, along with a snack, sharing and story time. Mom/Dad and Me is a stepping-stone to Creative Play and requires parent participation.



Little People's participants created tissue-paper butterflies and play-dough art

Kids' Zone Programs

The City offers State-licensed child-care programs for parents who need care for their children before and after school hours. Kids' Zone is for children in kindergarten through 7th grade, and is currently offered at nine Manteca elementary schools. Before-School program begins at 6:30 a.m. and runs until the start of the school day. KinderZone is designed for morning kindergarten students and runs from kindergarten dismissal until 3:30 p.m. After-School program runs from regular school dismissal until 6:00 p.m. Participants receive help with homework, enjoy healthy snacks, have time for free play, and engage in crafts and organized games.



Kids' Zone programs kicked off the new school year on August 4 with the start of Manteca Unified School District classes and there are 325 children enrolled so far. For specific information on program options and locations, contact the Parks and Recreation Department; the parent handbook and application materials are available on the Parks and Recreation website (www.mantecagov.com/parks), or may be picked up in the office, 252 Magnolia Ave.



Kids' Zone participants at Stella Brockman School enjoying free time and outside play

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

2016 Annual Pavement Maintenance Project & Northgate Park Parking Lot Reconstruction Project

Public Works is excited to announce the award of contract to American Pavement Systems, Inc. and the start of construction for the 2016 Annual Pavement Maintenance Project (CIP #17009) and Northgate Park Parking Lot Reconstruction Project (CIP# 11001).

American Pavement Systems, Inc. has completed the following:

- 50,603 Square yards of Asphalt Rubberized Cape Seal have been placed to rehabilitate existing City streets.
- 4,666 tons of deteriorated asphalt have been removed and replaced on City streets.
- 675 tons of broken-down asphalt have been removed and replaced at the Northgate Park parking lot.
- 15 Traffic signal detector loops have been removed and replaced.



During the remainder of August, the following items are scheduled to be performed:

- 320,000 Square yards of Micro-surfacing will be applied to City streets.
- The Northgate Park parking lot will be restriped.
- Alleys in the vicinity of Raylow Court and the surrounding area will be improved.



During the month of September, the following items are scheduled to be completed:

- Raise and adjust approximately 150 utility covers.
- Install 3,850 linear feet of traffic calming rumble strips.
- Place approximately 23,000 lineal feet of street striping.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Building Safety Week in Review August 1-4

The Building Safety Division conducted a total of 171 inspections during the week, and the Community Development Department assisted a total of 122 people at the counter. The division issued 92 building permits, which included Carport, Residential Demolitions, Residential Electrical Service, Residential Fire Repair, Commercial Fire Sprinkler, Residential Fire Sprinkler, Grading, HVAC Replacements, Residential Miscellaneous, Residential Plumbing, Patio Cover, Patio Enclosure, Photovoltaic, Residential Remodel, Residential Reroof, Single-Family Dwellings, Free/Pole Sign, Residential Stucco/Siding, Swimming Pools,

Commercial Tenant Infills, Water Heaters, and Water Softeners. A total of 50 new project applications were accepted and, of those, 25 were issued immediately. A total of 25 submittals are held for plan check. They are: Addendum, Residential Plumbing, Commercial Photovoltaic, Single-Family Dwellings, Swimming Pool, and Commercial Tenant Infills.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Welcome Back!

The strike team assigned to the Soberanes Fire burning near Big Sur finally returned home after their 2-week deployment. Captain Franco Torrice led the team, which included Engineer Ryan Avant, Firefighter Austin Rioux, and Firefighter Brian Macias. Welcome back guys!



FF Rioux and FF Macias helping with mop-up operations

Teaming up with MUSD

The Manteca Fire Department teamed up with members of the Manteca Unified School District to offer fire extinguisher training to 48 bus drivers and mechanics.



MUSD Fire Extinguisher Training

Station Visit

Fire Station No. 4 provided a station tour on to a few guests who recently attended a National Night Out event. We were thrilled to have these local children take us up on our offer to come tour our fire station!



FF C. Martinez with Station Visitors

Tip-A-Firefighter Charitable Fundraiser

The 16th Annual "Tip a Firefighter" fundraiser will be held at Applebee's Restaurant on Tuesday evening August 23rd from 5 to 9pm. 100% of the tips from this event will benefit the "Give Every Child a Chance" program which provides tutoring services to local children. Come on out and support this worthy cause!

Highlights of Incidents

- *Vehicle Fire – Locust Avenue*
Firefighters responded to a report of a structure fire on Locust Avenue Sunday night. Upon arrival firefighters found a vehicle fire near a carport to the rear of a large residential lot. Firefighters quickly extinguished the fire using approximately 700 gallons of tank water and determined that the fire was confined to the vehicle with radiated heat damage to the structure. A fire investigation was unable to determine the cause of this fire.

- *Vehicle Accident – Highway 120*

Firefighters were dispatched to a vehicle accident on eastbound Highway 120 just east of Airport Way Saturday afternoon.

Firefighters found three passenger vehicles involved in a collision blocking all

eastbound lanes of traffic and leaving one vehicle with significant damage. Since the airbag did not deploy, Firefighters worked carefully to remove the unconscious victim from the vehicle. Two patients were transported to local hospitals.



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Firefighters responded to the report of a vehicle accident on eastbound Highway 120 east of Highway 99 on Monday afternoon.

Two passenger vehicles

involved in the accident with both of them down the embankment; one on its roof. Two patients were transported to local hospitals for non-life-threatening injuries.



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POLICE DEPARTMENT

Community Resource:

The new Community Resource Officer position is uniquely designed to address a number of community issues including advocacy for homeless individuals. One of the officers is Mike Kelly. Officer Kelly has long been known for his outreach efforts for homeless and underprivileged members of the Manteca Community. In the five weeks that the new program has been operating, Officer Kelly has begun to establish a network of resources and has already successfully matched 19 homeless or underprivileged individuals with long term programs.



Officer Kelly is pictured with individuals involved in the community resource program

Fraudulent Uses of Credit Cards

The subjects pictured below are all wanted in connection with fraudulent uses of credit cards at Home Depot. Anyone with information on their identities is asked to contact the investigating officer at llewis@ci.manteca.ca.us or to contact Crimestoppers anonymously at 209-823-INFO.



Subjects wanted for using a stolen credit card at Home Depot

Vandalism

On August 5, Officers were dispatched to the Manteca Transit Facility (220 Moffat Boulevard) for a report of a broken window. Officers arrived on scene and found the top window of one of the south (railroad tracks) facing doors had been shattered. Based on the damage to the window it was determined that no entry had been made to the building. The interior was checked and all interior doors were found to be secure and no additional damage was located.

Pet Adoption

This week’s featured pet is a poodle mix we have been calling “Phantom.” Phantom is about five years old and he is well-mannered and good with children. He originally came to us as a stray and has since been groomed. He is already neutered and available for adoption now. Please come visit Phantom or our many other available animals at the shelter located at Wetmore and Main.



Phantom: before and after grooming

Suspect Vehicle

The newer black four-door vehicle pictured below is associated with two auto burglaries, one at Black Bear Diner and one at Costco. Taken in the Black Bear burglary were 5 passports and 6 luggage bags with miscellaneous clothing and electronics. The suspect vehicle appears to be a 2013 Kia Optima with

yellow license plates. Anyone with information on the whereabouts of the vehicle is asked to contact the investigating officer at rsmith@ci.manteca.ca.us or to call Crimestoppers at 209-823-INFO.



Suspect vehicle wanted in connection with two auto burglaries

CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

Coming up Next Week:

- The next City Council meeting will be held on August 16, 2016 at 7:00 p.m. The complete agenda, along with agenda reports and attachments, are available to the public on the City Clerk's website at <http://www.ci.manteca.ca.us/CityClerk/CouncilVideos.aspx>
- City offices will be closed Friday, August 19 as part of the 9/80 flex work schedule. Office will be open Monday through Thursday from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Have a great weekend!