



S.N.A.I.L. News

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Neighbors and candidates for the City Council and School Board at the Candidate's Forum, Oct. 10, 2005.

SNAIL General Meeting Thursday – November 3rd

This month our tentative speaker is the Sunnyvale Arborist, who will talk about landscaping and trees on city streets and on private property. Also this month we will elect our Board for the next calendar year. So far, the following people have agreed to stand for election:

Chair: June Valenti
Vice Chair: Mannie Alverado
Secretary: Tarik Peterson
Treasurer: Jeannie Biddle

We welcome further nominations at the meeting.

*Location: Columbia Middle School
Staff Room*
Time: 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

All SNAIL area homeowners, residents and guests are invited. Children are welcome.

SNAIL Dinner Night Out Wednesday – November 9th

Each month, we pick a different restaurant in Sunnyvale. Tonight, we have chosen Nicolino's, an Italian restaurant. Our get-togethers are fun! Socialize with neighbors, both new and old.

*Location: Nicolino's Garden Cafe
1228 Reamwood Ave.
(at Tasman)
(408) 734-5323*
Time: 6:45 p.m.

While salads and pastas are moderately priced, entrees are high-end. Be sure to bring your Entertainment Book Coupon, one that is valid from Nov.-Feb. (Nicolino's will allow us to use 2 coupons. We will request two bills so that the light eaters orders do not invalidate the \$20 value coupon.) RSVP Jeannie at 734-0739.

Free Flu Vaccinations Saturday– November 5th Tuesday– November 22nd

Students and staff of the Sunnyvale School District may receive free vaccine at the Columbia Neighborhood Center (CNC), 785 Morse Ave., between 10 a.m. – 1 p.m. (Sat.); 3 p.m. – 6 p.m. (Tues.) Availability is limited--first-come, first-served. FluMist is a nasal spray influenza vaccine that uses a weakened but live form of the influenza virus. No child will be vaccinated without a parent or guardian present. For more information, contact CNC at (408) 523-8150.

SNAP Lite Wednesday - November 9th

Are you interested in the Sunnyvale Neighbors Actively Prepare (SNAP) program, but not ready to make a 25-hour time commitment? Fear not! A modified version of the SNAP program is available -- one three-hour session. For more information, come to the meeting at the Public Safety Building, 700 All-America Way, or contact Michelle Bromstead, 730-7472.

United Neighborhoods Annual Conference Saturday - November 12th

United Neighborhoods of Santa Clara County (UNSCC) will hold their annual conference at the new San Jose City Hall, 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. There will be presentations and workshops for neighborhood association officers and anyone interested in building neighborhood organizations. Go to www.unscc.org/conference for more information.

Bike Bridge Meeting Tuesday - November 15th

To record and diffuse citizen complaints regarding the planned bicycle bridge, the City of Sunnyvale will hold another meeting, this time at the Columbia Neighborhood Center. Those interested in attending should call Dieckmann Cogill, Transportation Planner at 730.2713 or send e-mail to dcogill@ci.sunnyvale.ca.us.

Coming soon!

Mark these dates on your calendar. More details in the December newsletter.

Thursday - December 1st

Sunnyvale Community Services Holiday Open House / Silent Auction

Saturday - December 3rd

Neighborhood tree decoration

Saturday - December 17th

SNAIL's Holiday House Judging and Party

Red Bow Elves

If you have any red bow packages in your home, please count the bows, ribbons, and rolls of tape, and give the numbers to Connie. Saturday, December third is the Big Day. We will meet at 9:00 a.m. at Elaine's for warm beverages and breakfast treats, then out to put up the red bows! New volunteers are always welcome, call Connie at 739-8490.

SNAIL Serves the Homeless

From December through March, the Sunnyvale Armory on E. Maude Avenue is open to the homeless. SNAIL volunteers help serve dinner once or twice a month. To volunteer, please call Connie, 739-8490.

Abandoned Shopping Carts

Report abandoned shopping carts to Sunnyvale Public Works at: 730-7510, supplying the location and the type of cart ("Albertsons" or "Target"). They will arrange for the owner to recover their carts.

SNAIL News-Groups

SNAIL supports two Yahoo newsgroups that residents may use for questions, information and news. These groups are named SNAILorg and SNAILChitChat. If you would like to access these groups, please send your request by email to snailist@snail.ORG.

Entertainment books

Entertainment book sales are perking up with the closeness of Christmas on everyone's mind. \$5 off at Safeway for orders of \$50 or more would be an advantage for the holidays. Call Jeannie at 734-0739 and make arrangements to get one or more.

Founders' Corner

"One of the best ways to get yourself a reputation as a dangerous citizen these days is to go about repeating the very phrases which our founding fathers used in the great struggle for independence."

Charles A. Beard, Historian, 1935

SNAIL BOARD and CITY of SUNNYVALE SUPPORT STAFF

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Last Month's S.N.A.I.L. Home Sales: 8
Average home square footage: 1361
Average Asking Price: \$694,844
Average Final Sales Price: \$709,963
Average Days on Market: 13

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