

# City Manager's Weekly Update



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### *Upcoming Meetings:*

- Sept 20 Planning Commission Meeting
- Sept 27 City Council Meeting
- Oct 4 Planning Commission Meeting
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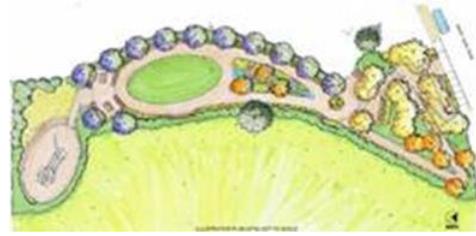
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**Davey Glen Park Update**

The City of Belmont is continuing construction on Davey Glen Park. Located in the Central neighborhood and directly off Davey Glen Road, the one acre site was acquired by the City as part of a development project. The project includes a playground, picnic area, synthetic turf play area, a rain garden, paths, benches, and is fully accessible. The project is funded by park fees collected by the City from development projects. Construction began in June 2016 and is expected to be complete in early 2017.



Recent work includes:

- Installing the storm water drainage system
- Concrete work including the construction of the retaining wall along the back side of the park, construction of the wall around the playground, and forming for the stairs.



Next steps include pouring the concrete for the stairs, ramps, and associated walls. The base rock for the playground will be graded and the playground will be installed. Although the landscaping plan includes a significant number of trees, ten additional locations where trees can be added in the park were identified and more locations will be surface as the project goes forward.



Installation of rebar into the step forms



Entrance steps and ramp formed for the concrete pour



Concrete wall around the playground



Retaining wall at the back of the park.



**Alexander Park Restroom Project**

The pre-fabricated restroom for Alexander Park has been ordered and is scheduled to be delivered in mid-November 2016. Construction of the foundation and utility work is scheduled to begin in early November to accommodate the delivery of the pre-fabricated restroom. The construction portion of the project should last about a month and be completed by the end of the year.

The old green metal restroom will be removed and a new restroom will be installed at a new location away from adjacent backyards. Staff provided an update to the Sterling Downs Neighborhood Association at National Night Out. The new restroom is a pre-fabricated model as shown below that includes porcelain amenities inside and a handsome exterior. It includes a drinking water fountain, automatic door locks for nighttime, electric hot water, and is fully ADA accessible.



NEW RESTROOM DRAWING



SIMILAR MODEL WITHOUT DRINKING FOUNTAIN



CURRENT RESTROOM

### Measure I – Belmont Streets and City Services Measure Goes to Voters

On July 26<sup>th</sup> the Belmont City Council voted to place **Measure I** the **Belmont Streets and City Services Measure**, a one-half cent general sales tax, on the ballot as a means to generate necessary funds for infrastructure and other City services. If approved by the voters, this measure would generate around \$1.3 Million annually and could be used to address aging infrastructure items such as pothole repair, repairing and maintaining neighborhood streets, storm drain repair as well as public safety services. To ensure the public that the funds will be used effectively the measure requires an annual independent audit and annual review by a citizen oversight committee. [FAQ's About Measure I](#)



These infrastructure needs were identified as part of the FY 2017 budget approved by the Belmont City Council in June. You can view a copy of the budget [HERE](#). Belmont's streets have been ranked at the bottom in San Mateo County and in the bottom 8% of the entire Bay Area, by the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC).



Over the last three years Belmont residents were asked to identify their priorities and opinions on the City's service needs. The community engagement included, an Ad Hoc Infrastructure Committee, presentations at over 40 meetings with community groups and local events, City-wide mailers with community surveys and surveys of community priorities, to name a few. Infrastructure (streets and

storm drains) and the maintenance of 911 emergency response times were highlighted as the top priorities.



[Click HERE](#) to review the City's infrastructure finance needs and the results of the Community Priorities Surveys.

Storm Drain  
\$57 M

Streets  
\$42 M

Facilities  
\$27 M

Parks  
\$9 M

### Deferred Infrastructure Needs

## Condition of City Streets - Do you know your street's PCI?

The City is responsible for the repair and maintenance of approximately 70 centerline miles (140 travel lane miles) of streets. The Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC) requires the City to perform pavement condition surveys every two years as a funding requirement. These surveys are based on the Pavement Condition Index (PCI) which uses a rating system of 0-100 to give an overall indication of the pavement condition. A summary of the rating system is shown in the table below:

<u>PCI Range</u>	<u>Pavement Condition Class</u>
70-100	<b>Good (I)</b> Shows slight or moderate distress requiring mostly preventative, life extending maintenance
60-69	<b>Fair (II)</b> Worn to the point where minor rehabilitation is necessary
50-59	<b>At-Risk (III)</b> Worn to the point where the pavement surface requires major rehabilitation or reconstruction
25-49	<b>Poor (IV)</b> Pavement surface has failed and requires reconstruction
0-24	<b>Failed (V)</b> Pavement and sub-base have failed and require reconstruction



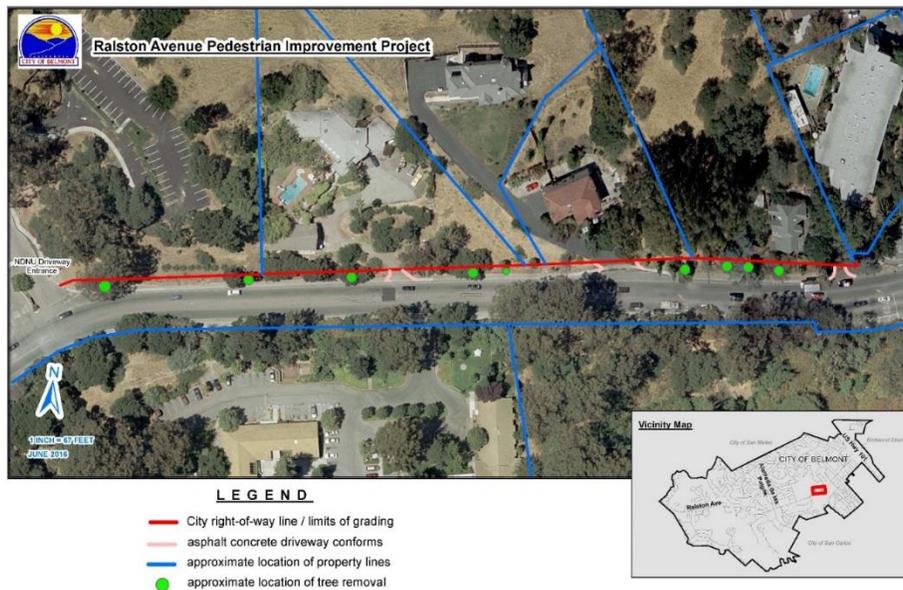
If you want to your street's PCI rating you can find it [here](#).

CITY OF BELMONT										Section PCI/RSL Listing	
Street ID	Section ID	Street Name	From	To	Length	Width	Area	Functional Class	Surface Type	Current PCI	Remaining Life
ACAAY	ACAAY1	ACADEMY AVENUE	BALSTON AVENUE	W/ BELBURN DRIVE	500	27	13,650 R - Residential/Local	A - AC		35	3.44
ACAAY	ACAAY2	ACADEMY AVENUE	W/ BELBURN DRIVE	W/ ALDEN DRIVE	540	27	14,580 R - Residential/Local	A - AC		72	23.26
ACAAY	ACAAY3	ACADEMY AVENUE	W/ ALDEN ST	NORTH END	930	27	25,110 R - Residential/Local	A - AC		69	20.21
ACACT	ACACT	ACADEMY COURT	ACADEMY AVENUE	ACADEMY AVENUE	365	18	6,570 R - Residential/Local	A - AC		72	22.8
ADELAI	ADELAI	ADELAIDE WAY	CHRISTIAN DRIVE	CHRISTIAN DRIVE	1,600	30	48,000 R - Residential/Local	A - AC		16	0
ALAMED	ALAM1	ALAMEDA DE LAS PULGAS	SAN MATEO CITY LIMIT	FOREST AVENUE	200	42	8,400 C - Collector	O - AC/AC		88	27.86
ALAMED	ALAM10	ALAMEDA DE LAS PULGAS	CHULA VISTA DRIVE	SAN CARLOS CITY LIMIT	800	45	36,000 C - Collector	O - AC/AC		60	12.26
ALAMED	ALAM2	ALAMEDA DE LAS PULGAS	FOREST AVENUE	CIPRIANI BOULEVARD	355	35	12,425 C - Collector	O - AC/AC		55	17.55
ALAMED	ALAM3	ALAMEDA DE LAS PULGAS	CIPRIANI BOULEVARD	NOTRE DAME AVENUE	605	18	10,890 C - Collector	O - AC/AC		61	11.95
ALAMED	ALAMA4	ALAMEDA DE LAS PULGAS	NOTRE DAME AVENUE	MEYER AVENUE	700	18	12,600 C - Collector	O - AC/AC		77	22.29
ALAMED	ALAMA5	ALAMEDA DE LAS PULGAS	MEYER AVENUE	W/ ALDEN DRIVE	500	18	9,000 C - Collector	O - AC/AC		66	19.86
ALAMED	ALAM6	ALAMEDA DE LAS PULGAS	W/ ALDEN DRIVE	CHRISTIAN DRIVE	500	18	9,000 C - Collector	O - AC/AC		51	11.88
ALAMED	ALAM8	ALAMEDA DE LAS PULGAS	CHRISTIAN DRIVE	CHRISTIAN DRIVE	1,000	18	18,000 C - Collector	O - AC/AC		54	16.18
ALAMED	ALAM9	ALAMEDA DE LAS PULGAS	CHRISTIAN DRIVE	CHRISTIAN DRIVE	1,000	18	18,000 C - Collector	O - AC/AC		54	16.18

Click here to find the PCI of a street

### Ralston Avenue Pedestrian Improvement Project

Construction continues on Ralston Avenue between South Road and the east NDNU driveway entrance. Work this week included grading and the removal of the concrete block walls and existing sidewalk. Next week, grading will continue and holes will be drilled into the hillside for the retaining wall installation.



**Old County Road Pedestrian and Bicycle Improvement Project Update**

The major portion of construction between Old County Road between Ralston Avenue and the south City limit is complete. Work this week included the pavement striping layout and the removal of the traffic control devices. Next week, the contractor is scheduled to install permanent pavement markings and traffic signs.

More information on the project can be found at the following link: [Old County Road Pedestrian and Bicycle Improvement Project](#)

**City wide Sewer Rehabilitation**

Earlier this year the City began design work to rehabilitate 3.5 miles of sewer pipes in poor conditions in various locations across the City. Over 70 sections of sewer line needed rehabilitation have been evaluated including sewer lines located on easements on private property. The results of the field evaluation indicated that approximately half of the proposed sites have obstructions and/or structures built on the easements or have other access issues. Before these sewer lines can be rehabilitated, the City will need to work with individual property owners to address the obstructions and access issues on their property which may take several months to resolve.

As a result, the City will split the proposed work into two separate construction contracts in order to expedite the rehabilitation of the approximately 1.7 miles of sewer lines that do not have obstructions or access issues. The first contract will begin construction later this year and the second contract is anticipated to be in construction in the summer of 2017. Both contracts will utilize trenchless technology for pipe rehabilitation with some open trench construction, where pipe condition cannot be improved through trenchless work. Work will also include manhole rehabilitation and sewer lateral reconnections.





### Storm Division

- Performed twice weekly inspection of Water Dog Lake roadway, v-ditch, dam, dock, and spillway
- Cleaned and inspected both Harbor and Ralston Storm Pump Stations
- Marked out Underground Service Alerts for sewer and storm utilities
- Cleaned 23 storm drain inlets
- Swept 167 curb miles resulting in the acquisition of 15.74 tons of debris from the roadways
- Cleaned 480 feet of storm mainline with the hydro flushing truck
- Visually inspected 952 feet of storm mainline through the use of CCTV (closed circuit television) equipment
- Inspected and generated detailed reports on 15 catch basins
- In accordance with the state's Office of Dam Inspection, staff assisted the Parks Department and Cal Fire in the removal of vegetation from the sides and foot of Water Dog Lake dam
- Collected litter along Merry Moppet Lane, Alameda de las Pulgas near Carlmont High School, and Old County Road
- Cleaned 23 storm drain inlets (*Pictured below*)



*Storm drain-before cleaning*



*Storm drain-after cleaning*

In accordance with the state's Office of Dam Inspection, Public Works Stormwater Division assisted the Parks Department and Cal Fire in the removal of vegetation from the sides and foot of Water Dog Lake dam.



*Before and after clearing*



### **Sewer Division**

- Hydro cleaned 8,613 feet of sewer main
- Emptied 10 city owned garbage cans around the city
- The service truck (205) responded to 16 service calls
- Inspected and cleaned 11 sewer pump stations
- Cleaned flushable wipes from debris catcher at Ralston Ranch Sewer Pump Station
- Closed out 53 sewer related work orders
- Video inspected 1,092 feet of sewer main
- Continued training new full-time employee on duties of the service truck in preparation of adding him to the after hour on-call list
- Inspected 8 sewer manholes for the consultants from Hydro Science Inc.
- Raised buried sewer manhole on southbound Old County Road at Masonic Way (*Check out the Buried Sewer Manhole Lid Article in this issue*)
- Rebuilt pump #2 from North Rd. sewer Pump Station for preventative maintenance. Some maintenance performed - Installed new O-rings, wear ring and other worn parts, checked pump oil and all electrical cables (*Pictured below*)



Disassembled North Rd. pump No.2, added new wear ring and checked condition of impeller

- Cleaned pump check valves at San Juan, Island Park, Hastings, Haskins and Naughton Sewer Pump stations (*Pictured below*)



San Juan pump No.1 check valve before and after cleaning



San Juan pump No.2 check valve before and after cleaning

### **Buried Sewer Manhole Lid Found During Routine Inspection**



On Wednesday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, Public Works Sewer Maintenance staff dug up a buried manhole lid which was discovered by staff while performing a routine video inspection on the City's sewer mainline on Old County Road at Masonic Way. Maintenance staff uncovered the lid and set in a new manhole ring to raise cover to street grade. Concrete was poured to secure the manhole ring and once dry, new asphalt will be placed around the cover.



### **New Trailer Mounted Trash Pump**



The City's emergency response capability has been enhanced by the acquisition of a new trailer mounted 36 horsepower diesel powered trash pump. The new pump is self-priming and is capable of 20 feet of suction lift, and is also capable of handling solids up to 1.7 inches in diameter.

Existing infrastructure (such as sewer line, pump stations and storm drainage systems) is aging and pose risk of failure or become overwhelmed due to natural events such as heavy rains. Typically bypass pumping will occur because of new construction, pump station malfunctioning, broken gravity line, force main rupture, tie-ins or a combination of these factors. Enhancing city's capabilities can help the maintenance and upgrade of this existing infrastructure and reduce response cost and damage with these type of pumps and generators for managing routine or emergency responses.

Initially conceived as a means to bypass a failed pumping station, this versatile pump will allow Public Works Crews to bypass a section of clogged sewer or storm main line, or dewater a flooded

area in a timely and efficient manner. Ratepayer funds and the wastewater collection facilities are community assets, and the City is committed to their long-term protection and safe operation.



## Sanitary Sewer Hydrocleaning

September 19-23



The Public Works Sewer Division will be hydrocleaning the City's sewer mains in the following neighborhoods this week:

- Alameda de las Pulgas (800 block)
- Cipriani Boulevard (2600 block)
- Casa Bona Avenue (2400 block)
- Carmelita Avenue (2500 block)
- Coronet Boulevard (2300-2700 blocks)
- Covington Road (800 block)
- Ponce Avenue (2600 block)
- Prindle Road (2600 and 2700 blocks)
- Read Avenue (2400-2600 blocks)
- Pullman Avenue (2100 and 2200 blocks)



### Streets Division

- Cleaned and crack sealed 1,294 feet on Vine Street
- Took down and displayed 2 banners
- Paving on Bettina:
  - 9/12/16 – Removed 8.42 tons damaged asphalt and put down 7.99 tons of hot asphalt
  - 9/13/16 – Removed 11.53 tons of asphalt and put down 8.99 tons of hot asphalt
  - 9/14/16 – Put down 9.00 tons of hot asphalt
- Attended training on the new crack sealing machine



### Traffic Operations

- Performed weekly visual inspections for preventative maintenance of intersections
- Performed visual inspection of lighted crosswalks
- Assisted the Street Department with paving on Bettina Avenue
- Inspected and tested 3 automatic transfer switches
- Installed and replaced 2 guide signs
- Installed and replaced 2 warning signs
- Cleared hazardous tree branches that were hanging over a lane of traffic
- Reviewed and commented on proposed site specific Lockout/Tagout procedures for 3 pump stations
- Ran wiring and incorporated the safety features of new pump #3 into the pump control system at the North Road pump station.
- Troubleshoot and resolved a pump #1 failure to run problem at North Road pumping station
- Replaced the battery in the west bound solar powered pedestrian crossing sign at Ralston and Maywood
- Troubleshoot and resolved report of excessive pump starts at the Sports Complex pump station
- Installed a supervisory resistor on channel 3 of the remote terminal unit at the Sports Complex pump station
- Removed graffiti from 1 City sign



# It's finally here!



**Join us this Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup>  
from 9am-noon  
Meet in front of City Hall @ One Twin Pines Lane**

Every year, on the third Saturday in September, people join together at sites all over California to take part in the State's largest volunteer event, California Coastal Cleanup Day. Join your fellow friends, family, neighbors and other organizations as we cleanup Belmont's waterways for this not-to-be-missed event!

#### **How you can prepare for the event:**

**Complete the Waiver Form in advance** - Participants are required to sign a waiver form. We will have waiver forms during the sign in process, but you can print, sign and bring the following waiver form with you day of event. All volunteers under the age of 18 must have the waiver form signed by a parent or legal guardian. Waiver forms available in [English](#) and [Spanish](#).

**What to Bring/Wear** - Wear comfortable shoes and/or boots for waterways, bring sunscreen or a hat, and your own reusable water bottles. Water will be available at the sign-in station. We encourage everyone to bring your own buckets, gloves to help reduce our overall footprint at the event.

**What to Expect Day Of**-Cleanup event sign in starts at 9:00am. Please bring your signed waivers (if you filled them out in advance). There will be a brief safety talk, a station for gathering your cleanup supplies and data cards, then select a cleanup location from the map list and off you go!

#### **Cleanup Site Coordinator-**

If you would like additional information regarding this event, please contact Diane Lynn @ 650-595-7425 or by email: [dlynn@belmont.gov](mailto:dlynn@belmont.gov)

## See you on Saturday!

# TRAFFIC ADVISORIES

## Week of September 19<sup>th</sup>



We understand your time is precious, so we are planning to provide you with up-to-date information so you have greater control over your drive, with insights that allow you to discover the best route so you can save time. We are bringing you the traffic advisory weekly updates on currently known roadway and related projects, and private utility work (based on street encroachment permits), to provide you an opportunity to look ahead, plan your travel times and check delays due to various street activities.



**Complete Road Closure**

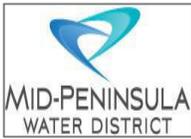


**Driving Lane Closure**



**Travel Restrictions Localized**

### SATURDAY, Sept. 17



#### Alameda de las Pulgas (Btwn Cipriani Blvd. and Arbor Avenue)

**9/17 9:00AM-1:00PM [Travel Restrictions Localized](#)** The contractor on the Mid-Peninsula Main Replacement project will install thermoplastic pavement markings on Alameda de las Pulgas between Cipriani Blvd. and Arbor Ave. this Saturday 9/17 from 9am – 1pm. Flaggers will be present during the striping.

#### RALSTON AVENUE (BETWEEN SOUTH RD AND NDNUE EAST DRIVEWAY)

**9/09 through Mid-November 2016 24/7**

##### [Driving Lane Closure and lane shifts](#)



The Ralston Avenue Pedestrian Improvement Project is now underway. Construction is currently taking place on Ralston Avenue between South Road and the east NDNUE driveway entrance. Construction will require the shifting of the westbound traffic lane and removing the center two-way left turn lanes. Left turns into driveways within the project limits will not be permitted. This traffic lane reconfiguration will be implemented 24 hours a day, 7 days a week throughout the duration of construction. Please anticipate delays and plan your routes accordingly.

#### UPPER RALSTON AVENUE @ CHRISTIAN DRIVE TO HWY 92

**9/06 thru 10/25**

##### [Driving Lane Closures - Detours in place](#)



Interstate Grading and Paving, Inc. has been contracted by the County of San Mateo to perform resurfacing on upper Ralston at Belmont city limit (@ Christian Drive) to HWY 92. **Working hours for the project are 9:00 am to 3:00 pm Monday through Friday, and 9:00 pm to 6:00 am Sundays through Thursdays.** The work is anticipated to last through October 25th. In this upper portion of Ralston that is in the County, there will be one lane open in each direction during the work. During resurfacing work, the HWY 92 eastbound and westbound on-ramps and off-ramps of HWY 92 will have to be intermittently closed, however, the ramps will not be simultaneously closed.

Detour signs will be posted. **When the County's contractor, Interstate Grading and Paving Inc. will conduct work at Christian and Ralston causing a closure at the intersection, a signed detour will be provided directing residents to/from Ralston, through a two-way detour via Ralston Ranch Road.**

**Please anticipate delays.** For information on the County's Resurfacing Project, you may contact Interstate Grading and Paving, Inc. at 952-7333

#### LONGFELLOW DRIVE (3200 BLOCK)

**9/19 to 9/21 8:00AM-4:00PM**



**[Travel Restrictions Localized](#)** The Public Works Streets Division will be conducting roadway repairs on the 3200 block of Longfellow Drive. Two-way traffic will be maintained at all times.



# Parks and Recreation

## Parks and Fields



Turf maintenance was conducted at Nesbit Field this week. The entire irrigation system was checked and multiple repairs were made. Older sections of galvanized pipe were discovered to be corroded and leaking. These sections were removed and replaced with PVC plastic pipe. Several irrigation valves and multiple sprinkler heads were also

replaced. The entire field was slit seeded for new grass growth. The slit seeder attachment allows for large-scale seeding of the field in an efficient manner.



A water main line was repaired in the parking lot at Twin Pines Park. A pipe fitting had failed and began leaking into the police department parking area.

Landscape maintenance continued at multiple sites this week including weed removal at Twin Pines Park and the open lot along O'Neill Avenue. Several irrigation repairs were made to the system along El Camino Real on the medians. Sprinkler heads are often crushed by vehicles along this stretch of road.





## Community Calendars

### Twin Pines Community Center

Twin Pines Senior & Community Center ~ September 2016 ~				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p><b>(S)</b> = Activity requires Signing Up  <b>(R)</b> = Activity requires Registration at Parks &amp; Rec office  <b>(blank)</b> = Activity is drop-in</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>*Activities are subject to change.                      Please call 595-7444 to confirm.</i></p>			<p><b>1</b> 9:30 Walking Group                      9:30 Canasta  <b>9:30 Rosen Method Movement (S)</b>                      11:00 Beat Arthritis (R)                      11:30 Lunch Program (S)                      12:15 Wii Bowling                      12:30 Bridge                      12:30 Blockbuster Movie  <b>1:00 Art Group</b></p>	<p><b>2</b>                      9:30 Chair Yoga                      11:00 Mandarin Conversation                      12:30 BINGO                      1:00 Mahjong  <b>1:00 More Tai Chi (R)</b></p>
			<p><b>5</b>                      Center Closed for Labor Day</p>	<p><b>6</b> 9:30 Walking Group                      9:30 Gentle Tai Chi (S)  <b>10:00 English Conversation</b>                      11:30 Lunch Program (S)                      12:00 Canasta                      12:30 Classic Movie                      12:30 Crafts Group                      1:00 Sewing &amp; Quilting Group</p>
<p><b>12</b>                      9:00 Bread Program                      9:30 Video Aerobics                      10:00 Italian Chat  <b>10:00 Ukulele Sing Along</b>                      10:00 Spanish Chat  <b>1:00 Book Club</b>                      1:00 Beat Arthritis (R)                      2:00 French Chat                      2:00 Sit N' Be Fit Video</p>	<p><b>13</b> 9:30 Walking Group                      9:30 Gentle Tai Chi (S)  <b>10:00 English Conversation</b>  <b>12:00 Pedro card game</b>                      11:30 Lunch Program (S)                      12:00 Canasta                      12:30 Foreign Film                      12:30 Crafts Group                      1:00 Sewing &amp; Quilting Group</p>	<p><b>14</b> 8:45 Strength Training                      9:00 Bread Program                      9:30 Video Aerobics                      10:00 Spanish Class                      11:30 German Class                      11:30 Lunch Program (S)                      12:30 New Movie                      12:30 Pinochle</p>	<p><b>15</b> 9:30 Walking Group  <b>9:30 Rosen Method Movement (S)</b>                      9:30 Canasta  <b>10:00 Maximize your Memory</b>                      11:00 Beat Arthritis (R)                      11:30 Lunch Program (S)                      12:15 Wii Bowling                      12:30 Bridge                      12:30 Blockbuster Movie  <b>1:00 Art Group</b></p>	<p><b>16</b>                      9:30 Chair Yoga                      9:30 Mindful Meditation                      11:00 Mandarin Conversation                      12:30 BINGO                      1:00 Mahjong</p>
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<p><b>26</b> 9:00 Bread Program                      9:30 Video Aerobics  <b>10:00 Opinion Exchange w/ Jim Dunbar</b>  <b>10:00 Stamp Collectors</b>                      10:00 Italian Chat                      10:00 Spanish Chat                      1:00 Beat Arthritis (R)                      2:00 French Chat                      2:00 Laughter Yoga</p>	<p><b>27</b> 9:30 Walking Group                      9:30 Gentle Tai Chi (S)  <b>10:00 English Conversation</b>  <b>10:00 Matter of Balance (S)</b>                      11:30 Lunch Program (S)                      12:00 Canasta                      12:30 Foreign Film                      12:30 Crafts Group                      1:00 Sewing &amp; Quilting Group</p>	<p><b>28</b> 8:45 Strength Training                      9:00 Bread Program                      9:30 Video Aerobics                      10:00 Spanish Class                      10:30 Zumba Gold (R)                      11:30 German Class                      11:30 Lunch Program (S)                      12:30 New Movie                      12:30 Pinochle  <b>1:00 Memory Loss Support Group (S)</b></p>	<p><b>29</b>                      9:30 Walking Group  <b>9:30 Rosen Method Movement (S)</b>                      9:30 Canasta                      11:00 Beat Arthritis (R)                      11:30 Lunch Program (S)                      12:15 Wii Bowling                      12:30 Bridge                      12:30 Blockbuster Movie  <b>1:00 Art Group</b></p>	<p><b>30</b>                      9:30 Chair Yoga                      9:30 Mindful Meditation                      11:00 Mandarin Conversation                      1:00 Mahjong</p>

**Belmont Public Library**

**September 2016**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p><b>Children's Events</b>  <b>Teen Events</b>  <b>Adult Events</b>  <b>All Ages</b></p>	<p>Be on the look out for Outside the Lines events the whole week of September 11-17. We promise to delight &amp; inspire you!</p>			<p>1                      10a Imagination Playground                      10:30a Toddler Story Time                      10:30a ESL Conversation Group</p>	<p>2                      10a Art Break Day                      10a Coloring for Adults                      10:30a Preschool Story Time                      4p Science Club</p>	<p>3                      10a Imagination Playground                      10:30a Family Story Time</p>
<p>4                      LIBRARY CLOSED for Labor Day</p>	<p>5                      LIBRARY CLOSED for Labor Day</p>	<p>6                      10a Imagination Playground                      10:30a Musical Story Time                      3:30p Kid's Craft Club                      7p Lawyers in the Library                      3:30p Teen Center Food Tasting - Crazy Candy!</p>	<p>7 10:30a Computer Class: Online Resources @ Your Library                      1p 3D Printing (Registration Req.)                      3:30p Teen Gaming                      3:30p VOICES Rush                      6:30p Needles &amp; Hooks Group                      7p First Wed. Book Group--Midnight at the Pera Palace                      7p Inclusive Story Time</p>	<p>8                      10a Imagination Playground                      10:30a Toddler Story Time                      10:30a ESL Conversation Group                      2p Mystery Book Club--Mercy by Daniel Palmer                      6:30p Pub Trivia (ages 21+)</p>	<p>9                      10a Coloring for Adults                      10:30a Preschool Story Time                      4p Science Club                      7:00p Teen Art Show &amp; Reception</p>	<p>10                      10a Imagination Playground                      10:30a Family Story Time</p>
<p>11                      3p Jennings &amp; Keller: History of Folk Music Concert</p>	<p>12                      Leader Reader Applications Due                      10:30a Signs and Rhymes Story Time                      3:30p Lego Club                      3:30p Maker Monday: Music Recording                      Join us at Off the Grid Food Trucks: Free Books!</p>	<p>13                      10a Imagination Playground                      10:30a Musical Story Time                      3:30p Kid's Craft Club                      3:30p Teen Center Craft - Batman Day                      6:30p Documentary Film Club--The Lottery of Birth</p>	<p>14 10:30a Computer Coach                      10:30a Online Resource Showcase                      1p Batman 3D Printing Demo                      3:30p Pokemon Crawl &amp; Brawl                      6:30p Needles &amp; Hooks                      Needlework Group                      7p Inclusive Story Time</p>	<p>15 10a Imagination Playground                      10:30a Toddler Story Time                      10:30a ESL Conversation Group at Carlmont Starbucks                      3:30p Throwback Thursday: Vintage Video Games                      4p Snowball Fight                      6:30p Teen Leader Reader Orientation</p>	<p>16                      10a Coloring for Adults                      10:30a Preschool Story Time                      4p Science Club                      6:30p Leader Reader Meet n' Greet</p>	<p>17                      10a Batman Day &amp; Photobooth                      10a Imagination Playground                      10:30a Family Story Time                      3:30p Red Panda Acrobat</p>
<p>18                      3p Melody of China: Classical Chinese Music Performance</p>	<p>19                      10:30a Signs and Rhymes Story Time                      12p Maturing Gracefully: Ready, Steady, Balance - Fall Prevention                      3:30p Lego Club                      3:30p Maker Monday: Teen Cooking - Veggie Tacos!</p>	<p>20                      10a Imagination Playground                      10:30a Musical Story Time                      3:30p Kid's Craft Club                      3:30p Teen Center Jam Session                      6:30p Paws for Tales</p>	<p>21                      10:30a Computer Class: Internet for Beginners                      1p 3D Printing (Registration Req.)                      3:30p Teen Gaming                      6:30p Needles &amp; Hooks                      Needlework Group                      7p Inclusive Story Time</p>	<p>22                      10a Imagination Playground                      10:30a Toddler Story Time                      10:30a ESL Conversation Group                      3:30p TAG Meeting</p>	<p>23                      10a Coloring for Adults                      10:30a Preschool Story Time                      3:30p Teen Center Birthday Party                      4p Science Club                      7p Reel Great Films--Advise and Consent</p>	<p>24                      9:30a Community Workshop: Help Build Park Furniture! (Registration Required; Ages 8+)                      10a Imagination Playground                      10:30a Family Story Time</p>
<p>25                      9a Join us at the Farmer's Market for Kid's Day!                      3p de Young Docent Lecture: Ed Ruscha's Great American West</p>	<p>26                      10:30a Signs and Rhymes Story Time                      3:30p Lego Club                      3:30p Maker Monday: Open Mic Cafe</p>	<p>27                      10a Imagination Playground                      10:30a Musical Story Time                      3:30p Kid's Craft Club                      3:30p BLT Zine Layout Session                      7p Poetry Night</p>	<p>28                      10:30a Computer Coach                      1p 3D Printing (Registration Req.)                      3:30p Teen Gaming                      6:30p Needles &amp; Hooks                      Needlework Group                      7p Inclusive Story Time</p>	<p>29                      10a Imagination Playground                      10:30a Toddler Story Time                      10:30a ESL Conversation Group                      3:30p Life Hacks for Teens: Get Organized!</p>	<p>30                      10a Coloring for Adults                      10:30a Preschool Story Time                      4p Science Club                      7:00p Freaky Friday Hangout for Teens &amp; Parents (Ages 11+)</p>	



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**Story Times**

Signs and Rhymes--Monday at 10:30am  
 Musical--Tuesday at 10:30am  
 Inclusive--Wednesday at 7:00pm  
 Toddler--Thursday at 10:30am  
 Preschool--Friday at 10:30am  
 Family--Saturday at 10:30am

**After School Activities**

Mondays - Lego Club at 3:30pm  
 Tuesdays - Craft Club at 3:30pm  
 Wednesday - 3D Printing (Registration Required)  
 Thursday - Imagination Playground All Day  
 Friday - Science Club at 4pm

**Batman 3D Printing Demo**

Wednesday, September 14th at 1pm  
 It's Batman Week at the Belmont Library. Join us to get a special 3D Printing Demo with a Batman theme!

**Snowball Fight in September**

Thursday, September 15 at 4pm  
 Join us for a Snowball Fight in the middle of September!

**Red Panda Acrobat**

Saturday, September 17th at 3:30pm  
 Professional acrobat performer, Wayne Huey, brings us his spectacular skills include juggling, balancing objects, and handstands. Bring the whole family.

**Art Break Day**

Friday, September 2nd - All Day  
 Art and drawing supplies will be out on tables! Everyone is invited to sit down, take a break, and make art for FREE!

**Teen Art Show & Reception**

Friday, September 9 at 7:00pm  
 Please join us to celebrate the amazing teen artists that entered our first ever Teen Everything Art Contest. Entries will be displayed around the library and the artists will be around to answer questions. We will end the night with an awards ceremony. Refreshments will be served.

**Jennings & Keller: History of Folk Music**

Sunday, September 11 at 3pm  
 Laurie Jennings Oudin and Dana Keller, an award-winning nationally-touring duo, will take you on a folk music journey through the first half of the 20th Century

**Online Resource Showcase**

Tuesday, September 14th - All Day  
 Come to the library any time today to check out our great online resources - free music, movies, magazines & more!

**Leader Reader Meet n' Greet**

Friday, September 16 at 6:30pm  
 Please join us for our Leader Reader Meet n' Greet for a get together of our leaders and readers. Pizza and drinks will be served. For more information, contact Librarian, Kayla Marie Figard at figard@smcl.org.

**Batman Day & Photobooth**

Saturday, September 17th - All Day  
 Celebrate Batman Day at the Belmont Library. We will have activities for you to do all day, plus a photobooth where you can take photos with our Batman cutout!

**Melody of China: Classical Chinese Music Performance**

Sunday, September 18 at 3pm  
 Enjoy new and traditional music on traditional Chinese instruments including: yangqin, guzheng, erhu, sheng, pipa and dizi.

**Community Workshop: Help Build Park Furniture (Registration Required; Ages 8+)**

Saturday, September 24th, starts at 9:30am  
 Come to the Library and build furniture to place under the oaks near the Library's lawn play area. No experience necessary. Call the library to sign up!

**Poetry Night**

Tuesday, Sept. 27th, 7:00pm  
 Join Belmont Poet Laureate Tanu Wakefield in a celebration of the power of poetry. Bring a poem or two to share or simply take in the words of others.

**Freaky Friday Hangout for Teens & Parents (Ages 11+)**

Friday, September 30th at 7pm  
 Come dressed in the silliest costume, team up and sing your heart out in karaoke, take hilarious photos using our photo booth, participate in open mic show & tell, and much more! Prizes will be given to the silliest team. Plus PIZZA & Snacks will be served! Ages 11+

**VOICES RUSH**

Wednesday Sept 7th, 3:30pm  
 Are you a teen interested in helping your community? Join VOICES! We participate in several service projects throughout the school year all around the Bay Area.

**Pokemon Go Crawl & Brawl**

Wednesday Sept 14, 3:30pm  
 Calling all Pokemon Trainers! Join us for a Crawl around the library to see if you can catch some new Pokemon. Then compete in a Brawl to take over the library's Pokemon Gym! Grades 6-12.

**Teen Reader Leader Orientation**

Wednesday, Sept 15 at 6:30pm  
 High school volunteers are needed to help 2nd-4th graders become better readers. Questions? Contact Kayla at figard@smcl.org

**TAG Meeting**

Thursday, September 22 at 3:30pm  
 What do you want in your library? Tell us your thoughts about the programs, materials and services you want in the library. Plus enjoy lots of delicious snacks! Grades 6-12.

**BLT Zine Layout Session**

Tuesday, September 27 at 3:30pm  
 Submit your artwork or writing to the Belmont Library's Teen Zine, The BLT! Then help us layout, produce and distribute the zine to your peers!

**Life Hacks: Get Organized**

Thursday, Sept. 29th, 3:30pm  
 Join us to learn tips and tricks on how to make a study plan, take better notes, bullet journal, use scheduling apps AND make a customized planner or pencil bag out of duct tape!

**Pub Trivia**

Thursday, Sept. 8th, 6:30pm  
 Test your useless knowledge of pop culture, random school facts, and more! Refreshments and pub snacks will be served! Ages 21+.

**Reel Great Films--Advise and Consent**

Friday, September 23rd, 7:00pm  
 Based on the Pulitzer-Prize winning book of the same name by Allen Drury, a reporter for The New York Times, "Advise & Consent" is a very taut, very sophisticated political melodrama and thriller and probably the best movie on Washington, D.C., ever made. Starring Henry Fonda and Charles Laughton.

**de Young Docent Program: Ed Ruscha: Great American West**

Sunday, September 25th, 3:00pm  
 This docent lecture looks at Ruscha's fascination with the evolving landscape and the iconic character of the West in symbolic, evocative and ironic renditions.