

May 26, 2016

Community Update by Charlie McClendon City Manager

This week Cathedral City hosted presidential candidate Senator Bernie Sanders, who held a campaign rally at Big League Dreams Sports Park at Date Palm and Dinah Shore.



The City itself, of course, does not support or oppose any candidate for elected office at any level. It is up to the people of our community, not the City, to decide who they wish to support. We do encourage, however, all the people of our community to be involved in their governments at all levels and make their voices heard.

I do want to take this opportunity to thank the many employees of Cathedral City who worked hard, on short notice, to make sure the City was able to present itself in a positive manner before a regional, national and even international audience.

We first began working with the Sanders campaign and the Secret Service on Monday morning, barely 48 hours before the event was scheduled to occur. Staff considered several locations in Cathedral City and presented them before the campaign staff ultimately decided that Big League Dreams would best meet their needs.

The event placed a heavy load on our Cathedral City police department and Chief Crum was able to draw on his relationships with other law enforcement agencies to get support from Palm Springs, Indio and Riverside County to make sure adequate Police presence was in place to ensure the safety of those in attendance and to ease possible traffic issues outside the venue. We appreciate the support of these regional partners. I would like to acknowledge the Cathedral City Fire Department that provided support as well.

Chris Parman, our Communications and Events Manager, put out cone zone alerts to the public to advise of possible traffic issues, and when all things are considered, the traffic issues were kept to a minimum.

Cathedral City looked great on television, the mountain views were beautiful, the crowd was enthusiastic and well-behaved. These are all things we already know about Cathedral City, and now a much broader audience knows. Thanks to all who helped make the day a success and worked to keep everyone safe.

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**PARKS AND COMMUNITY EVENTS
COMMISSION VACANCY**



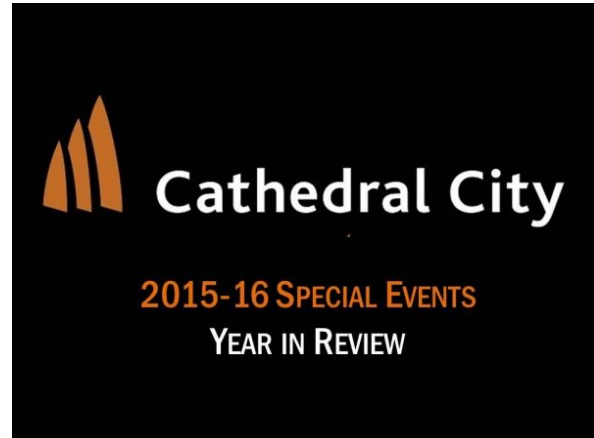
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PARKS AND COMMUNITY EVENTS COMMISSION
VACANCY CITY OF CATHEDRAL CITY The City of Cathedral City announces a vacancy on the Parks and Community Events Commission with a term to begin immediately upon appointment ...

Review of the 2015-16 Special Events

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Watch a video presentation of the wonderful events celebrated in Cathedral City this past season...

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Last Movies in the Park for the Season - This Saturday Evening - Featuring Family Fun Activities and the Movie, "Selena" Join friends, family and neighbors for the last "Movies in the Park" for the 2015-16 Season featuring the movie, "Selena." Other great activities for the whole family include car display, Selena music, bounce jumpers for the kids, art projects ...

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Upcoming Events

Movies in the Park

Movies in the Park at Panorama Park, Cathedral City, CA

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Shakespeare in the Rotunda

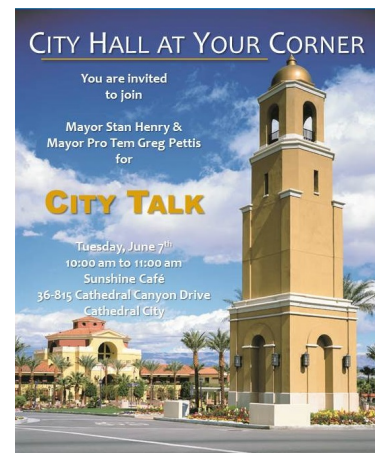
Cathedral City High School and Blue Mane Theatre proudly presents an abridged version of William Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet" on Saturday, June 4th starting at 7:00 pm, at City Hall's Rotunda, 68700 Avenida Lalo Guerrero. Come out and support our young actors as they take on one of the great classics of all times.

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City Hall at Your Corner

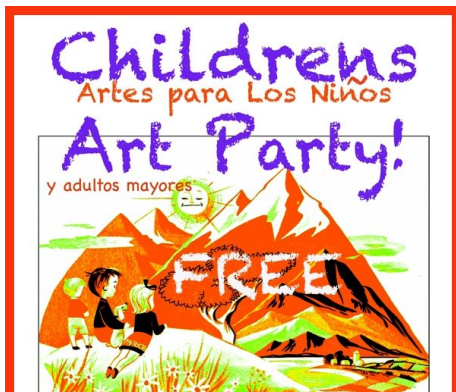
Are you wanting to speak to your city councilmembers or learn more about what is happening in Cathedral City? Then join us for "City Hall at Your Corner" hosted by two member of the City Council. "City Hall at Your Corner" is scheduled once a month through June 7th at various locations throughout the City and at different times ...

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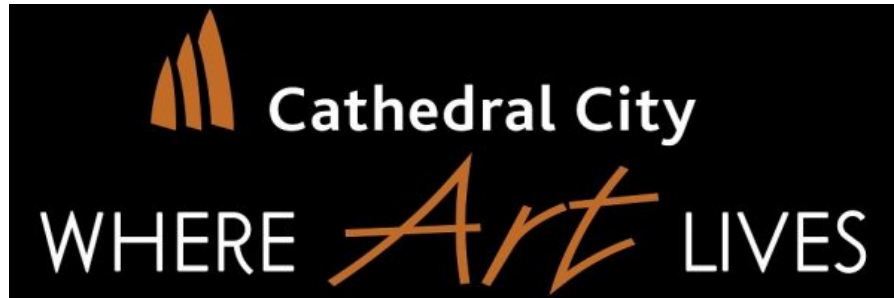
Cathedral City Cove Art Party for Children & Elders

Children's Art Party for children and elders. The SCRAP Gallery and the Agnes Pelton Society hosts



the Children and Elders monthly Art Party at the Cathedral City Senior Center, 37-171 W. Buddy Rogers Ave., on the Second Saturday of each month from 1-3 PM. Admission is free. Participants create art pieces made of recyclable materials and also meet and ...

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Cuisine & Art Tuesdays - Month of July

"Cuisine & Art Tuesdays" A Delectable Dining & Art Experience Every Tuesday in July Go to where the interior designers from around the globe go while they visit the Coachella Valley, the amazing art and decór galleries along Perez Road in Cathedral City. Join other art enthusiasts every Tuesday in July for "Cuisine & Art Tuesdays" for special art showings ...

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Nine Cities Challenge Blood Drive

The 2016 Nine Cities Blood Drive Challenge is on! Coachella Valley communities are going head-to-head to collect the most LifeStream blood donations to assist local hospital patients and save lives! The summer is the most challenging time of year for hospitals to maintain ample blood

supplies for emergency and everyday needs. Your help at this time is especially critical! Round ...

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