

June 14, 2018

## Community Update

by Travis Walker - Police Chief



I'm happy to announce that since my last Community Update, your Cathedral City Police Department held its inaugural Community Police Academy. It is with great pride that I can report to you its success!

The twenty-one members from our community who attended the eight-week program, that met for two hours per night, left each session wanting more. The feedback was extremely positive, and many of those who attended left with a better understanding of the wide variety of services that the police department provides to our community.

The Community Academy provided participants an opportunity to gain a better understanding of the procedures, guidelines, responsibilities, demands, policies and laws that guide the behavior and decisions of our department and officers. We incorporated a variety of hands-on experiences for the participants which created a chance for us to explain law enforcement techniques in basic, easily understood terms and logic. The attendees interacted with members from the various divisions within the department, and had several tools and technology demonstrations from our motorcycle officers, K9 unit, Special Weapons and Tactics (SWAT) Team. They also experienced the challenges officers face in our new use of force simulator. This simulator allows you to see how quickly officers must process potential threats and use the appropriate option of force to safely resolve the situation.

We plan on hosting our next Community Academy later this year, and we will post the dates on our website soon!

## News



**The next City Council Meeting is set for July 11, 2018**



**Cone Zone Alert:** SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDISON ELECTRICAL WORK WILL CAUSE TRAFFIC SIGNAL OUTAGES ON EAST PALM CANYON DRIVE (HWY 111)

Signal outages will occur during the overnight hours of June 26 into June 27

CATHEDRAL CITY, CA [June 14, 2018] Southern California Edison has notified the City of Cathedral City that they will be removing and replacing lines along East Palm Canyon Drive starting at 9:30 p.m. on June 26, 2018 through 6:00 a.m. on June 27, 2018. Traffic signals at five intersections in Cathedral City will either go into red flash mode or will be completely shut off. The intersections of East Palm Canyon Drive and Monty Hall/Van Fleet, Allen Avenue, Date Palm Drive, Sungate Way, and Officer Jermaine Gibson Avenue will be affected.

Motorists can expect short delays as the electrical work will be conducted during the overnight hours when traffic is lessened.

For more information, contact Southern California Edison at (800) 655-4555.



## Rockin' Sock Hop Fundraiser – Friday, June 15th

CCTV Host Conrad Angel Corral interviews Cathedral City Parks and Community Events Commissioners Diane Hines and Thommy Kocan about the Rockin' Sock Hop happening next Friday, June 15, 2018 from 6 pm to 9 pm. Shot on location at Cathedral City's Sonic ...[Read](#)

[more.](#)

## Free Summer Kid Movie Series

The Cathedral City Parks and Community Events Commission in partnership with the Mary Pickford Theatre presents a Free Summer Kid Movie Series happening on every Friday at 9:30 a.m. starting Friday, June 15, 2018 thru Friday, August 3, 2018. Thanks to Councilmember John Aguilar who donated a generous portion of his City discretionary funds, the film series will allow free admission in order to see a different movie geared towards kids each Friday morning at the Mary ...[Read more.](#)

Films start at 9:30 am every FRIDAY

**KID SUMMER MOVIE SERIES**

8 GREAT FREE KID FILMS  
JUNE 15TH TO AUG 3RD

6/15  
6/22  
6/29  
7/6

7/13  
7/20  
7/27  
8/3

Pick up your free tickets each week at:

City Hall  
Cathedral City Library

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Cathedral City

Mary Pickford Theatre  
is DPLACE



## Rockin' Sock Hop

Come dressed to listen and dance to the music from the 50's and 60's and enjoy hot dogs provided by Sonic Drive-in and ice cream soda shakes by Lala's Waffles Crepes & Shakes. Each item is only 25 cents.

Join all the hip cats and dolls who will be participating in the rocking 50/50 raffle.

Presented by the Cathedral City Parks and

Community Events Commission and benefiting the Cathedral City Senior Center.

## Zoning Public Hearing - Desert Healthcare District

Community members within the current District boundaries are encouraged to attend and provide input. The Desert Healthcare District/Foundation is moving to zone-based elections to allow for the best representation of the communities served by the District.



Light refreshments will be provided.

[Read more.](#)

## PUBLIC HEARING

Important Public Notice for District Residents



**ZONING PUBLIC HEARING**  
**TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 2018**  
**6 P.M.**



### Inland Empire Homeownership Fair

Thinking about buying a home? We can help you get there! Come to the Inland Empire Homeownership Fair from 10AM - 2PM on June 23, 2018 at The Riverside Convention Center. Learn everything you need to know about buying a home. Register here: <http://bit.ly/BuyIE> • Learn about DOWN-PAYMENT ASSISTANCE programs • Receive your FREE CREDIT REPORT on-the-spot • Receive one-on-one ... [Read more.](#)



### Stonewall Humanitarian Awards Gala

Join neighbors and friends for this musical fundraising event that recognizes the history of the Stonewall Riots and the pivotal point that sparked the modern day LGBTQ Civil Rights Movement.

Special Musical Performance by SVET:

SVET, an Electro Hip Hop Violinist as seen on America's Got Talent, is one of the most profound and unique acts of today. He is globally recognized for his incredible talent to recreate music and songs of today with the violin. While finishing a 60 city international tour, SVET has shared stages with iconic stars including Kanye West, Jamie Foxx, Phillip Phillips, Ceelo Green and The Black Keys! [Read more.](#)

## A Summer ESkate at Desert Ice Castle

Start your July 4th celebration off a little early and escape the dog days of summer! The City of Cathedral City wants you to cool down for a Free Summer ESkate at Desert Ice Castle on Tuesday, July 3, 2018 from 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm. ESkate allows up to 175 people to ice skate for free including skate rental on a first-come, first-serve basis. Ages 3 years and up. No RSVPs.



Although it may be 100 degrees outside, its freezing inside Desert Ice Castle. So, be sure to wear or bring warm clothes...[Read more.](#)



## 2nd Saturdays Art Walk on Perez Road

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[Read more.](#)

## Tejano Music Festival

2018

The 2nd annual Tejano Music Fest

[Read more.](#)



## Halloween Spooktacular 2018

20,000 Pieces of Candy! Food Vendors, Costume Contest, and much more!

The Cathedral City Police Department, Cathedral City Fire Department, and City of Cathedral City's Special Events bring to you the Halloween Spooktacular, Sunday, October 28, 2017 from 12-3 pm. The event will occur in downtown in front of City Hall, 68-700 Avenida Lalo Guerrero. Halloween Spooktacular will include free admission as well as exhibits sponsored by non-profit organizations, the Cathedral City Police Department and Cathedral City Fire Department. ...[Read more.](#)

## 5th Annual Cathedral City Hot Air Balloon Festival

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[Read more.](#)





## North Pole Village at Snow Fest

Bring the entire family for this special event that shall become a tradition! North Pole Village at Snow Fest captures all the holiday spirit and places it at one event. You will enjoy an outdoor market featuring holiday arts & crafts, food, treats, and beverages including hot chocolate. Best of all, you will be captivated by a stroll down Main Street at the North Pole Village lit up with holiday lights. Listen to holiday music, smell the fresh cookies baking, and ...[Read more.](#)

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