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Community Calendar FALL 2022

To submit an event for the D9 newsletter/calendar, contact: ronenstaff@sfgov.org



Valencia Bikeway Improvements Project
Mid-Valencia Virtual Open House
SFMTA | September 16, 2022 to September 30, 2022

Thru September 30


Join a virtual open house to learn more about the Valencia Bikeway Improvements Project, see the proposed design, and have the opportunity to provide feedback and/or ask questions. Check out the online open house platform for more details:

Click [here](#) to access the online open house.

Thru October 27 (12-1 pm)

Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays


Enjoy those warm, late-summer days with a free lunchtime concert in front of City Hall! Grab a seat at one of the cafe tables, and enjoy your lunch from an adjacent food truck or nearby restaurant or cafe, such as Assembly Cafe & Beer Garden (52 Grove), or bring your lunch from home! From the Civic Center Community Benefit District, these noon-1pm concerts feature a rotation of blues, jazz, folk, and more – under the trees of Civic Center Plaza through October 27. See the lineup at [Civic-center-plaza-lunchtime-concert-series](#)



**Civic Center Plaza
Lunchtime Music Series**

Lunchtime concerts at City Hall, noon to 1pm
Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays: September through October
Food Trucks Daily or Bring Your Own Lunch

Live musical performances from:
Alcatraz Islanders, Andre Thierry, Ariel Marin Band,
Big Blue Soul Revue Trio, Baycoin Beats, Coco Keys, Colobini Band, Honor Brass Band, Makrú Quartet, Sonamo, Michelle Lambert, and more!



October 8 (2-6 pm)

**Due South
Concerts by SF
Parks Alliance &
Noise Pop**

**Jerry Garcia Amphitheater,
McLaren Park**

Free outdoor concert at the historic Jerry Garcia Amphitheater in McLaren Park. October 8th will feature *Ozomatli & La Misa Megra* and is the last in the series for 2022! Secure the best seats in the park by signing up for reserved seating & RSVP for a chance to win at duesouthsf.com. SF Bicycle Coalition will be providing FREE bike valet for bike commuters. For info on 10/8 concert and bands featured go [here](#).

Unidos por Nuestra Diversidad | United by Our Diversity 2022 Latino Heritage Celebration & Awards

City Hall Rotunda, 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, San Francisco

An event sponsored by the Mayor's office, members of the public are invited to join the celebration as City Hall honors Latino Heritage Month and San Francisco community members who have made a difference in San Francisco. Light food and refreshments will be provided. RSVP required by emailing: Mayorevents@sfgov.org

October 14 (5:30 pm)



October 16

At locations throughout
the city



One City. One Day. Rising Together.

SUNDAY STREETS PHOENIX DAY

OCTOBER 16TH, 2022

Mark your calendars for the second annual Sunday Streets Phoenix Day on October 16th, 2022 and get ready to celebrate community, health, & resilience in the streets of San Francisco! From neighbor-hosted block parties and Family Fun Hubs to sidewalk sales and community clean-ups — there's a way for every San Franciscan and visitor to enjoy and support the people and places they love by participating in one of hundreds of activities taking place across the City. Sunday Streets SF and their partners are sponsoring permits and resources for 50 block parties, over a dozen Family Fun Hubs, and sidewalk sales to take place throughout San Francisco on Phoenix Day 2022. For information on locations, go to: [Phoenix Day 2022](#)

October 22, 24 & 27

SFUSD Enrollment Fairs

Saturday Oct. 22 (10 am – 2 pm)

- In person pre-K & Elementary at John O'Connell High School

Saturday Oct. 24 & 27

- Online events for Middle & High School

SAVE THE DATES!

Join us in-person for the 2023-24 SFUSD PreKindergarten and Elementary School Enrollment Fair on Saturday, October 22, 2022 from 10am to 2pm at John O' Connell High School!

And join us online for the 2023-24 Middle and High School Enrollment Fair from Monday, October 24 to Thursday, October 27 from 5pm to 7pm. Meet representatives from our schools! Learn about school programs, how to apply, and more!

To subscribe to get updates about the Fair, visit sfusd.edu/fair.

Join us at our Enrollment Fairs in October 2022!



PREKINDERGARTEN AND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT FAIR

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2022
10:00 AM TO 2:00 PM
JOHN O'CONNELL HIGH SCHOOL
2355 FOLSOM STREET (BETW. 19TH AND 20TH STS.)



MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL ENROLLMENT FAIR

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24 TO THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27
5:00 PM TO 7:00 PM
VIRTUAL (ONLINE)

FERIA DE INSCRIPCIÓN EN PERSONA (PRE-KINDER Y PRIMARIA)

Sábado 22 de octubre de 2022
10 de la mañana a las 2 de la tarde
Escuela secundaria John O' Connell
2355 Folsom Street (Entre las calles 19y20)

FERIA DE INSCRIPCIÓN VIRTUAL (ESCUELAS INTERMEDIAS Y SECUNDARIAS)

Del 24 al 27 de octubre de 2022
5:00 PM a 7:00 PM

三藩市聯合校區入學展覽會 (學前班和小學) 現場實地進行

2022年10月22日 (星期六)
上午10:00至下午2:00
John O' Connell 高中
Folsom 街 2355 號 (夾19和20街)

三藩市聯合校區入學展覽會 (初中和高中) 虛擬/網上進行

2022年10月24 (星期一) 至27日 (星期四)
下午5點至晚上7點

More Information/Para más información/了解更多信息:
[SFUSD.EDU/FAIR](https://sfusd.edu/fair)

October 23–24 & 30–31



Boo at the Zoo: Slothoween

Celebrate a family-friendly Halloween in COVID-19-safe manner with Boo at the Zoo, featuring Sloth-oween, a self-guided, sloth-themed "slow" stroll around zoo grounds to visit haunted houses. Guests must make a reservation in advance to attend, as capacity is limited. Event dates are Saturday & Sunday, October 23–24 and 30–31.



Costume Parade, Beer Garden & More: At noon each day, participate in a fun costume parade & contest with prizes awarded for the top three in these categories: Best Costume, Best Family Costume & Best Animal Costume. Costume parade & contest will take place by Lion Fountain next to Penguin Island. Throughout the Zoo, guests can find fun Day of the Dead & sloth-themed haunted houses, such as "House of Franken-sloth" & "Count Dracu-sloth's Fortress," fun signs with sloth facts & puns, & so much more!. For info go [here](#).

October 28

Werewolf, Vampire, and Mummy Party! Doors at 5 pm

General admission: 6:30-9 pm

Join us for a fright at the museum! Embrace your eerie side and haunt our halls in costume for our annual family-friendly, scientifically spine-tingling Halloween event.

Tickets at [CA Academy of Sciences](https://www.calacademy.org)



November 2

Gather at 5 pm; Procession at 7:00 pm

Every November 2nd, [Marigold Project](https://www.marigoldproject.org) produces the **Dia de Los Muertos, Festival of Altars**. Please join us on November 2nd at 5:00 pm PST for the Opening Ritual at the Festival of Altars for Day of the Dead. The Procession will begin promptly at 7:00 pm. The event will be in-person or you can watch a live stream on our YouTube Chanel. Join our YouTube Channel to view or watch on our Facebook. Let's come together and honor our ancestors by remembering their gifts in the sacred Ritual Cycle. For information go to: dayofthedeadsf.org



November 5

Alzheimer's Association SF Walk is Nov 5th at Pier 27. It is important to raise awareness of the importance of early detection of Alzheimer's and raising funds for research and the Alzheimer's Association 24/7 hotline. Go [here](#) for more information and to register.



November 12



In 2022, Mission Bowling Club has brought back Mini Mart! A quarterly shopping event focused on locally made jewelry, home goods, apparel, art, and more, November 12th Mini Mart will be the last of the year.

Mini Marts will be held outside on our covered front patio!





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Community Announcements

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Shared Spaces

Pandemic Shared Spaces permits will expire on March 31, 2023. In order to operate a Shared Space beyond March 2023, Shared Spaces is encouraging operators to apply as soon as possible, in order to receive feedback on their proposal and pre-approval on their application.

Permit applications are due on November 1, 2022.

Parklet sponsors will soon receive communications from the City to help understand how to make pandemic Shared Spaces safe and accessible. A Compliance Advisory will be sent to each parklet sponsor summarizing

all the design and placement issues at each site that the City has noted so far. These issues will need to be corrected for the site to be eligible for a post-pandemic permit that starts April 2023.



Resources for Businesses

See the [Shared Spaces Manual](#) for the most up to date design guidelines. Businesses are encouraged to apply for the Shared Spaces Equity Grant, which, if awarded, will provide funding to go towards improvements made to bring their Shared Space into compliance for the Legislated Program. Application Worksheet to help businesses prepare their documents in advance of applying. Questions? Email: sharedspaces@sfgov.org.

Public Service Loan Forgiveness (PSLF) program.

We want to highlight an important and time-limited resource for your constituents in public service regarding student debt relief, the [Public Service Loan Forgiveness \(PSLF\) program](#). PSLF provides a life-changing benefit available to government and non-profit employees with federal student loan debt who may be eligible to have their outstanding debt entirely forgiven. Thanks to the Board for passing a [Resolution](#) this past July urging public service employees to apply for the program.

Program benefits are expire on October 31, 2022.



OperationSTART

A youth-led organization based in San Francisco with a mission to bridge the opportunity divide by providing a free online platform at operationstart.org for students to find enrichment opportunities they're interested in and for nonprofits to submit opportunities or programs their organization might be offering. Started by a San Francisco native that recently graduated from George Washington High School and currently attending UC Berkeley, majoring in Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, they created OperationSTART with two friends back in 2020 because they experienced challenges in finding enrichment opportunities to engage with over the summer.

Public Works construction on the Alemany Interchange

Improvement Project: This project will include the area underneath highways 280 and 101. The safety improvements will include a new multi-use path which will connect San Bruno Avenue to the Alemany Farmers Market. The project will also include new traffic signals, additional lighting, marked crosswalks, new curb ramps and a new bulb-out at eastbound Alemany Blvd. Construction will take approximately 9 months to complete by Winter 2023, barring any rain delays or unforeseen utility conflicts. For more information, neighbors can visit sfpublishworks.org/Alemany-Interchange

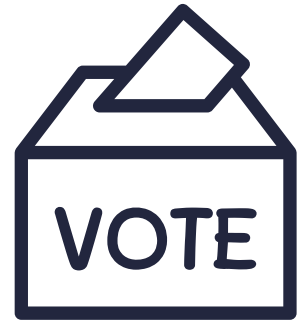


VOTER INFORMATION FOR ELECTIONS NOVEMBER 8

San Francisco's new supervisorial district map will be in effect. As a result of recent redistricting, local voters will use new supervisorial district map in the upcoming election. Voters can familiarize themselves with the changes by comparing their "old" 2011 voting districts to their "new" 2022 voting districts, using a tool at sfelections.org/myvotingdistrict.

Many polling places have changed. Redistricting triggered many precincts to change, so many voters will have new polling places this election. Voters can check their polling place address on the back cover of the Voter Information Pamphlet or at sfelections.org/myvotinglocation, both available in early October.

Non-citizen voting has been declared void. On July 29, 2022, the Superior Court of the City and County of San Francisco declared the local law permitting non-citizen voting in School Board elections contrary to the California Constitution that requires voters to be U.S. citizens. The court's order required the Department of Elections to immediately cease administration of non-citizen registration and voting. Unless and until a subsequent legal action permits the Department to resume administration of non-citizen registration and voting, no non-citizens will be issued ballots in any future San Francisco elections, including the upcoming November 8 School Board election.



In the upcoming election, all San Francisco voters will continue to have many secure options to cast their ballots.

- All voters who are registered by the October 24 registration deadline will automatically receive vote-by-mail ballots in the mail; ballots will begin arriving to voters' mailboxes around October 10. The accessible vote-by-mail system at sfelections.org/access will be available to all voters starting October 10.
- From October 10 through 8 p.m. on November 8 (Election Day), 34 official ballot drop boxes will be available in neighborhoods across San Francisco. (For locations, please visit sfelections.org/balldropoff.)
- Starting October 11, the City Hall Voting Center will be open for in-person voting, ballot drop-off and registration services. On Election Day, 501 polling places and the City Hall Voting Center will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. for in-person voting, ballot drop-off, and registration services.

Accessible Business Entrance (ABE) program

Help make sure San Francisco is welcoming to all! Commercial property owners of public-serving businesses are legally required to confirm that their primary entrances are accessible to people with disabilities.

Learn more about the Department of Building Inspection's Accessible Business Entrance program at sfdbi.org/abe.



10 DAY CONSTRUCTION NOTICE



Sewer Upgrades Project

Coming Soon in Your Area

The San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) contractor will be upgrading the aging sewer main pipes near you, which are 90 to 150 years old. This work will occur in multiple locations in San Francisco and is to ensure reliable sewer service.

Once the new sewer main has been installed on a block, Public Works' engineers will review video of the sewer laterals to determine which, if any, need to be replaced. The sewer laterals are the connection between the main and the curbs/sidewalk. Note: Sewer laterals are only replaced on an as-needed basis depending on the condition of the existing line. Sewer service will not be interrupted during construction. Please continue to use your household and business plumbing as usual.

Where: Work will occur on these blocks in no particular order (see map right)

- Anderson Street between Tompkins and Ogden avenues
- Gates Street between Powhattan and Cortland avenues

When: Construction is anticipated to begin to begin the week of August 29; estimated duration is 4 months. Weather and construction issues could impact the schedule. General work days and hours are Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Some night and weekend work may be required.

What to expect:

- While the contractor is required to abide by the City's noise and vibration ordinances, neighbors should expect some noise and limited dust during this work. The project team will work to minimize disruption to normal neighborhood activity; however, there will be occasional inconveniences due to heavy equipment movement and other construction activities.
- Businesses and residents in the work zone will maintain access to their properties (including entries, driveways, garages), although there may be temporary delays.
- Some parking will be impacted to ensure public and worker safety and equipment staging. See posted signs for exact workdays, hours, locations, as they may vary.
- There may be periods of inactivity during the work as crews complete related work on other blocks prior to final completion.
- No interruption in sewer service is expected during construction.

Sign Up for Email Updates

We encourage you to sign up for regular updates by emailing "708" (include your address) to ssip@sfgwater.org.

Project Location



- A Anderson Street from Tompkins Avenue to Ogden Avenue
- B Gates Street from Powhattan Avenue to Cortland Avenue


Contact: SFPUC Communications (415) 554-3233 or ssip@sfgwater.org
 After hours: Juan Perez at (415) 760-8744 or 3-1-1.
 Visit sfpuc.org/sewerfateral to learn more about your sewer lateral.

Sewage Upgrades on Anderson & Gates Streets

Begun August 29, expected to last for 4 months, thru December.

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Project Location



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