July 2010



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS!!

Plan to enjoy spectacular displays of fireworks, great music food and fun by attending one of the Valley's 4th of July Celebrations. Two exciting events that are sure to please are the free annual event at Hansen Dam Park, at 11770 Foothill Blvd, in Sylmar, from 3-10 p.m. featuring live entertainment, food and a spectacular fireworks display; and, the *Dennis P. Zine's July 4th Extravaganza at Warner Center Park*, at 5800 Topanga Canyon Blvd., in Woodland Hills, from 6-10 p.m., featuring the group Mrs. Robinson a performance paying tribute to hit makers of our time, including rock, pop, disco and blues. [Call, Concert Hotline 877-704-3456.]

EVERYONE IS REMINDED THAT LIGHTING FIREWORKS IN THE CITY AND COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES IS ILLEGAL. EACH YEAR MILLIONS OF DOLLARS IN PROPERTY LOSSES AND DEVASTATING INJURIES RESULT FROM ILLEGAL FIREWORKS DISPLAYS. PENALTIES FOR POSSESSION OR USE RANGE FROM A FINE UP TO \$1,000 AND/OR COUNTY JAIL FOR UP TO 1 YEAR.

M-80's AND M-100's are considered explosives and a felony to possess with penalties up to 16 months in state prison.

Contact the West Valley Police Station to report: 818-374-7611

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To send your request to join our mail / email list, click on the website's "Contact Us"

What's Happening!!! Dates & Updates

July 7th, 2010 - Lake Balboa Neighborhood Council Regular Community Meeting @ 7:00 PM. The meeting is at our regular location, Lake Balboa Studios, 7412 Balboa Blvd., in Lake Balboa. Note Starting Time

July 10, 2010 - LBNC Combined Emergency Preparedness Meeting and EP Communications Meeting

@ 9 AM in the Community Meeting Room @ The Flyaway Bus Terminal, 7610 Woodley Ave. Park in the Short Term lot in front closest to Woodley Ave. Go inside and take the elevator at the north end of the building up to second floor. Contact Linda Pruett @ LindaP@LakeBalboaNC.org or 818-345-9809 for additional info. All-Valley HAM Radio check-in, Sunday mornings, 9:00 AM, Simplex 145.570, down by 10s to 550 if busy, no lower!

July 13, 2010-Low Cost Spay and Neuter Clinic coming to Van Nuys Did you know that about 4,132,231 cats and dogs are euthanized in shelters each year in the United States alone? Clinico, a non-profit 501c3 organization with the goal of educating the public on the benefits of spaying and neutering dogs, cats and rabbits, substantially reduces shelter intake and euthanasia as a way to control pet overpopulation by providing high quality, low cost spay and neuter services to underserved communities in Los Angeles. Their aim is to be able to provide services to everyone in the community, but particularly the underserved and low income populations, who may not otherwise be able to afford to spay/neuter their pets. "The prices we charge to clients for our services only cover about half of what it actually costs us to perform the services." Clinico is located just outside the Lake Balboa area at 14409 Vanowen Street, V.N. 91405. Call (888) 937-7295 for more information.

Kudos

to those who worked the June 15th cleanup of the west side of Balboa Blvd. sidewalk south of Roscoe. We are closer to getting that parkway after the "Lake Balboa" sign something to be proud of.

Keep an eye out for the next one.

LBNC meeting agendas are posted for public viewing 72 hours prior to each meeting at the following locations: Vallarta Market, 16107 Victory Blvd.; Balboa Shell, 6801 Balboa Blvd.; Ralph's, 17250 Saticoy Str.; Food 4 Less, 16530 Sherman Way; Tam's Pet Foods & Supplies, 17635 Vanowen St.; and Balboa Sports Center, 17015 Burbank Blvd.

Lake Balboa Neighborhood Council

PO Box 7720 Lake Balboa, CA 91409-7720 Voicemail / FAX 818-779-9026 Please leave your phone number so we can return your call.