



Neighborhood Council

June 2013

## Neighborhood News



### 2013 Walk to End Alzheimer's SFV



Date: June 9, 2013 registration opens at 7:00am

Location: Woodley Park, Lake Balboa, CA. 91406

Coordinator: Brian Welch  
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The Alzheimer's Association Walk to End Alzheimer's® is the nation's largest event to raise awareness and funds for Alzheimer's care, support and research. Held annually in more than 600 communities nationwide, this inspiring event calls on participants of all ages and abilities to reclaim the future for millions. Together, we can end Alzheimer's disease, the nation's sixth-leading cause of death.



Lake Balboa NC sponsored the widely successful Senior Symposium held April 20th. An estimated 700 attendees took part in the all day symposium providing health and safety sessions, wellness info, exercise, free health screenings, nutrition, breakout sessions and more. Over 60 vendors provided free information on products and services for seniors. Attendees enjoyed a free continental breakfast and lunch, as well as free community and emergency preparedness information provided by the Lake Balboa NC. It was a great event enjoyed by all.



Lake Balboa NC Senior Representative, Carl Schwering, mans the booth at ONEgeneration



### Runoff for CD6 - July 23

Former State Assemblymember **Cindy Montañez** will face LAUSD School Board member **Nury Martinez** in a **July 23** runoff for the City Council seat to represent us in **Council**



#### District 6.

Front-runner Cindy Montanez garnered 44.53 percent of votes by early Wednesday morning, but fell short of the majority needed to clinch the race. A majority is required for election. Martinez garnered 23.93 percent.

Rounding out the contest were student Walter Escobar, businessman Richard Valdez, senior government advisor Derek Waleko, and community activist and businessman J. Roy Garcia, according to the *Daily News*.

The winner of the contest will finish the two remaining years of Cardenas' term. He was elected to congress in 2012.

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## Beautiful Lake Balboa

**Please join your  
Lake Balboa Neighborhood Council  
for the next General Meeting:  
Wednesday – June 5th, 2013 @ 6:30 PM**

Billingsley Room (formerly Billingsley's Restaurant), Van Nuys Golf Course, 6550 Odessa Ave, **Lake Balboa**, CA between Vanowen and Victory at the South end of Van Nuys Airport.

**Plan to attend the Business Outreach Meeting Monday June 10th- @ 6:30 pm.** Come and join the growing group of Lake Balboa Entrepreneurs looking to build our business community. Call Mike @ (323) 481-5128 or email [mike@lakebalboanc.org](mailto:mike@lakebalboanc.org).

**Plan to attend the Emergency Preparedness Meeting Saturday, June 8th - @ 9:00AM,** at the Flyaway Bus Terminal, NE corner of Saticoy and Woodley, 2nd Floor Meeting Room. Call Linda Pruett at (818) 345-9809 or email

## Like us on Facebook

That's right, the Lake Balboa Neighborhood Council is now on Facebook. We know many of our stakeholders use Facebook regularly to keep up with friends and family, to read about local news and events, and to post photos of their cats. :) Now you can follow the Lake Balboa Neighborhood Council as well! In addition to our front page news stories and monthly newsletters, we'll post links to our meeting agendas so you will always know when we are meeting.



**Warning:  
Watch for kids.  
Watch the road.**

OPERATION TRAFFIX

**"Watch for Kids, Watch the Road"** lawn signs are available to you for FREE! Come to the June 5 Lake Balboa NC meeting and ask for

## Business of the Month:

### Magdonal's Lock and Key



Located in the Balboa Center on the corner of Balboa and Sherman Way. This key stand has won over the community with its reasonable prices, and great customer service. Magdonal's also serves Lake Balboa as a mobile locksmith.

**16848 Sherman Way  
Lake Balboa, CA. 91406  
(818) 908-3222**

### Prop D Passes

Many of our Lake Balboa Stakeholders have come to the Neighborhood Council Board meetings and expressed their frustration over the abundance of the Medical Marijuana shops that have sprung up in our neighborhood.



Proposition D, which limits the number of marijuana shops in the city—[passed with 63 percent of the vote](#). Prop D will cap the number of pot shops at 135 and also raise taxes and limit hours of operation.

Two other medical marijuana proposals were also on the ballot: Ordinance E would have also capped the number of clinics at 135 but without new taxes. Supporters chose to back Prop D instead, leaving Prop E to fail with 35 percent.

Ordinance F wouldn't have limited the number of clinics, but would have put in place tougher controls, such as audits and testing for pesticides and toxins. But it failed with only 40 percent of the vote.

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