



**CITY MANAGER'S REPORT
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Creating Abundant Positive Development Opportunities for Youth

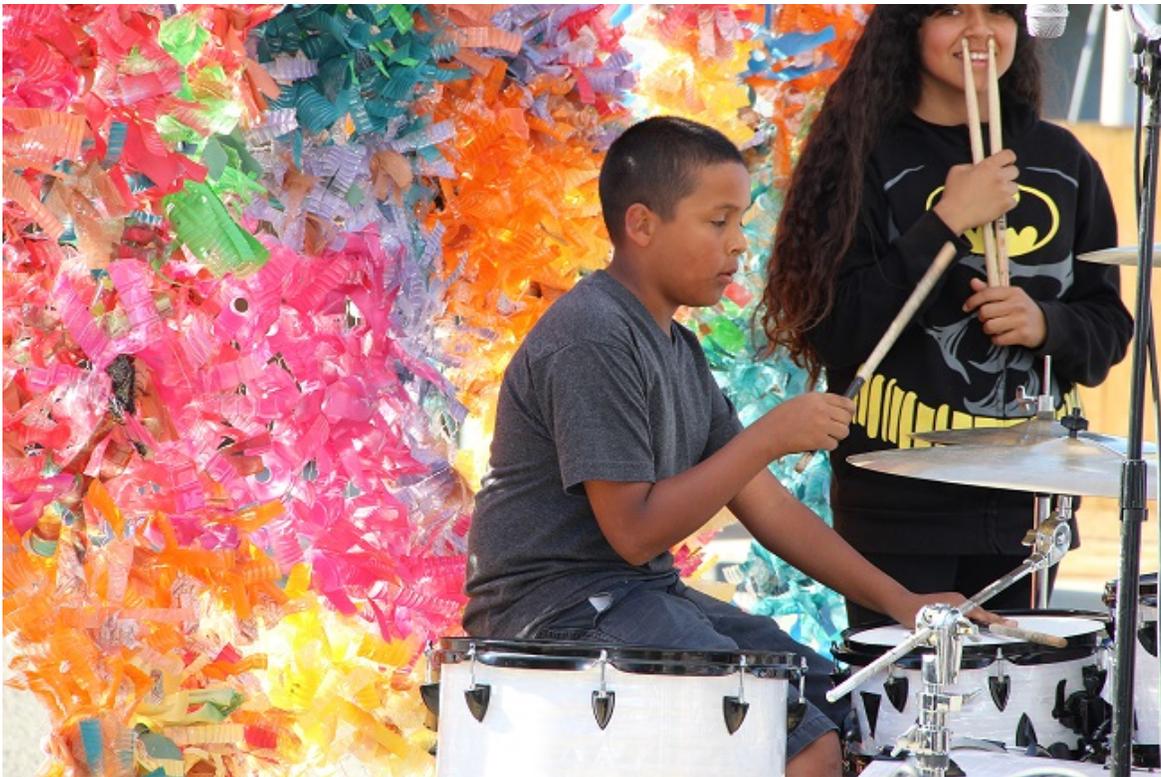
The past weekend, thousands of residents and visitors came downtown to enjoy Greenfield's Harvard Festival. The streets were full of people enjoying delicious foods, deserts and ice cream, music entertainment and viewing the wonderful art work of our children that was produced during First Night of Monterey's free summer camp. The entire weekend was a lot of fun and certainly showed that in Greenfield, people enjoy special events and good food. With the adoption of the FY 2013 Budget, the City Council committed to "creating abundant positive development opportunities for youth". The first step to achieving this goal was to "market available facilities to organizations that can provide positive, meaningful youth development and recreational opportunities". After years of partnering with First Night Monterey and the Art Council, the City has taken the first step in the creation of a new Downtown Arts and Community Center in the Old Police Station. To make this Center a reality, First Night Monterey has obtained funding from the Hewlett Packard Foundation to finance an Art Center strategic development consultant to help create a strategic plan and refine the communications strategy to ensure the creation of this award-winning center. Additionally, the California Arts Council has awarded First Night Monterey with a grant for the initial programing to include weekly classes in visual arts, and traditional dance.

First Night Monterey and the City will begin programing at the Center with a free Saturday night family film series starting in November. It is envisioned that the proposed center will expand in its second year to include art-integrated science programs including a Maker-space. By the end of the third year of operations, the center will be managed by a separately incorporated nonprofit. This is an exciting program and I will be providing more details in the coming weeks.

Thank you First Night Monterey for a great event! Everyone had a fabulous time! Here are some fun pictures...









PUBLIC WORKS UPDATE...

Water System Being Restored!

Last Wednesday, Staff and Salinas Pump installed the motor and pump at Well #7 which supplies water to the City's 1.5 million gallon tank at the Corporation Yard. Before the Well is placed on line again, Staff will proceed with disinfection procedures for the next two weeks as required by the California Department of Public Health. The disinfection results will be forwarded to the State for approval. Upon their review and approval, Well #7 will be placed back in operation again. Additionally, new electrical hardware will be installed to reduce stress on the motor, which will in turn reduce energy consumption and lower costs to operate the Well.





Greenfield Community Science Workshop Recent Activities...

This past Sunday, October 20th the Greenfield Community Science Workshop (Greenfield CSW) participated in the 2013 Harvest Festival. Greenfield CSW staff, with the help of young and adult volunteers, offered students and their parents a variety of hands-on science activities. Jean Richards, a long-time volunteer of the Greenfield CSW, put together the menu of activities for the day:

- 1) Bubbles: Made with a simple formula involving water, soap, and glycerin, this is a great way to engage kids in conversations about chemistry.
- 2) Ocean in a Bottle Project: Consists of a water bottle with a layer of sand, water, and oil. This is a quick way to teach kids about different substances and the way they interact with each other based on their particular characteristics.
- 4) Baking Soda and Vinegar: This is a classic, but still a fun way to teach kids about chemical reactions as well as volcanoes and geology.
- 5) Electric Circuit Activities:

We use what is called a "Shocking Machine" to teach our students about conductors and insulators, as well as what it means to "complete a circuit".







PROJECT COMING TO SOUTH COUNTY....STAY INFORMED:

Caltrans indicates that they will be continuing an Asphalt Concrete overlay project from Lagomarsino Road (south of Greenfield to the north end of Greenfield on Hwy 101). This is in addition to the K Rail project. Please [click here](#) to get more detailed information and to view the site map. For details on the highlights from the last Board Meeting [click here](#).

Targeting Gang Activity!!!



On Friday, October 18, 2013 at approximately 2:00 PM, the four South Monterey County Police Departments of Greenfield, Gonzales, King City and Soledad, along with Officers from the California Highway Patrol Air Unit 870, Immigration and Customs Enforcement, California Department of Rehabilitation, (Salinas Valley State Prison), California Department of Corrections (State Parole) and the United States Marshals' Office participated in a multi-jurisdictional Cal- GRIP gang suppression operation. Members of the agencies specifically targeted gang activity in the cities of Gonzales, Greenfield, Soledad and King City.

8 people have been arrested as part of this continuing multi-agency Cal-GRIP gang operation that included traffic stops, pedestrian checks and home visits for gang members on probation and parole. This suppression and prevention component is a vital part of the on-going "Four Cities for Peace" (4C4P) initiative.

During the operation 8 people were arrested for a variety of charges including Violation of Probation, Arrest Warrants and Possession of a Controlled Substance, Parole Violation and Possession of a Deadly Weapon (handgun). Officers also performed 40 traffic stops, 30 Pedestrian checks and approximately 25 home compliance checks and 2 traffic citations were issued.

The suppression and prevention efforts included compliance checks at the residences of active parolee's and probationer's, traffic stops, consensual encounters, pedestrian checks and vehicle checks.

This operation is an ongoing effort (s) to address gang and youth violence in South Monterey County.

For information related to this operation, please contact Sergeant Fred Perez at 831-674-5111.

ARRESTEES:

- **Sam Quintero, age 21, City of Soledad**
- **Feliciano Coronado, age 41, King City**
- **Gregorio Castaneda, age 20, City of Greenfield**
- **Mariano Romero Botello, age 48, City of Soledad**

- Jesus Caballero, age 32, King City
- Gustavo Rangel Flores, age 27, City of Greenfield
- Victor Pacheco Olmedo, age 28, King City
- Juvenile, age 17, City of Greenfield



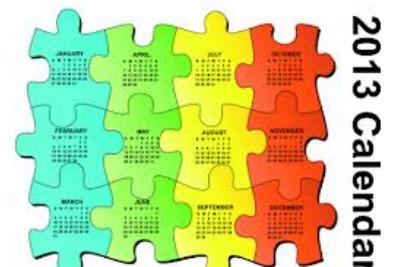
See What is Happening at the Community Center!

There is so much going on at the Community Center. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to view the upcoming and happening activities. You can also [CLICK HERE](#) to view the entire Calendar of Events. Stay connected, join in! Activities provided by the Central Coast Youth Sports Organization. Please see below to view more fun activities that are available!

UP COMING EVENTS....

Next Special City Council Meeting...

Tuesday October 28, 2013 @ 6:00 pm!



Save the dates!!!

Grand Re-Opening Event

Chamber of Commerce

Fall Mixer (Prelaunch Event)

Nov 8, 2013, 5:30-7pm

La Plaza Bakery

150 El Camino Real, Greenfield CA

- Red Ribbon Cutting Ceremony
- Chamber Dinner
- "The Future of the Chamber" Presentation

Reuse, Recycling & Cleanup Day

Behind Greenfield City Hall
Saturday, November 2, 2013
Detrás del Edficio Municipal
Sábado 2 de noviembre
8:00 AM—2:00 PM



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CalRecycle Giveaway limited to 100 filters

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Donate: Books, household items, clothes, toys,
small appliances, e-waste and much, much more!
Donation Receipts Available. Drop off your
household hazardous waste: Latex paint, properly
contained motor oil, batteries & more!
Please NO large furniture, couches or mattresses

*¡Reciclaje Gratuito! ¡Colección de Basura
Gratis! ¡Donaciones: Libros, ropa, juguetes,
electrodomésticos chicos, electrónicos y
mucho más! Recibos de donación están
disponibles. Traiga sus desechos peligrosos del
hogar: Pintura de látex, aceite de motor,
baterías y mas!*

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For more information call/ *Para mas informacion llame al*
831-674-5591

el Día de Reutilización, Reciclaje y Limpieza





Recycling contamination fee: \$11.55 per occurrence

Habr  una multa por la contaminaci n: \$11.55



**Diapers
Pa ales**



**Polystyrene
Poliestireno**



**Garden Hose
Manguera de Jard n**



**Clothing
Ropa**



**Food
Comida**

NO!



**Yard Waste
Desechos de Jard n**



**Garbage
Basura**

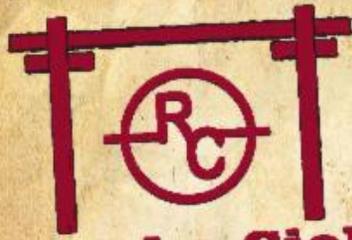


**Recyclables with food
(wash before recycling)
Reciclables de alimentos
(lavarlos antes de reciclar)**



NO!

**Electronics or Batteries (save for special collections)
Electrodom sticos o Bater as (guardarlos para una coleccion especial)**



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KIDS COOKING CLASS

\$20 per month

Sign up Today!

Classes begin Nov. 8th

**Community Center Patriot Park,
1351 Oak Street, Greenfield CA 93927**

Fridays : 6:30-8pm

Ages 5 and up

Organized by the Central Coast Youth Sports Organization and the City of Greenfield

Sign up at the Community Center at Patriot Park. Open 8-9:30am and 5:30-8pm Monday-Friday or go to

www.ccyso.com or call 831-262-1848

GUITAR & VOCAL CLASS

Sign up Today!



Classes begin Nov. 5th

**Community Center Patriot Park,
1351 Oak Street, Greenfield CA 93927**

Tue & Thurs : 6-8pm

Guitar ONLY

\$3 per class or \$25 a month

Guitar & Vocal

\$5 per class or \$40 a month

Organized by the Central Coast Youth Sports Organization and the City of Greenfield

Sign up at the Community Center at Patriot Park. Open 8-9:30am and 5:30-8pm Monday-Friday or go to

www.ccyso.com or call 831-262-1848

CITY OF GREENFIELD GUN BUYBACK

TURN IN AN OPERABLE HANDGUN

Saturday, November 30, 2013

Turn in a weapon and receive a

\$100 FOOD VOUCHER

**For the Return of an Operable
Handgun or Any Other Firearm**

Drop-Off Site Open 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Hicks Park (Next to the Library)

Greenfield CA, 93927

OPEN TO ALL CITY RESIDENTS

(Proof of residency is required (ID, Utility Bill, Mail, etc))

Sponsored in Part by:



**If you would like to become a sponsor of this event, or would like more information,
please contact Michael Mungla at Greenfield City Hall 831-674-5591.**

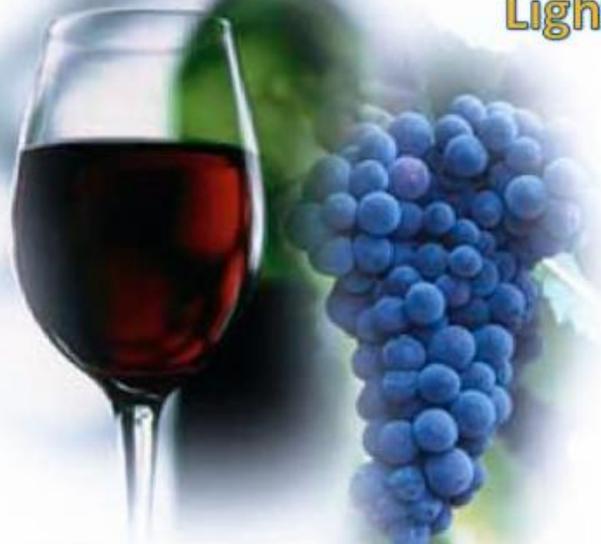


Greenfield Rotary Presents

Wine Tasting Mixer Tickets \$20.00

Silent Auction

Light Refreshments



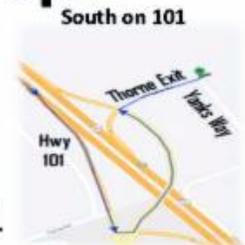
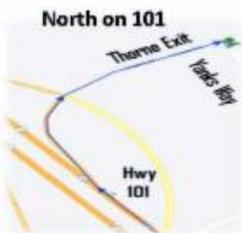
Four Local Brands of Wine to choose from!

Saturday-Nov. 16, 2013, from 5pm-8pm

Yanks RV Park

1005 Yanks Way, Greenfield, CA 93927

For more information, Contact Nina at 831-674-5591



Spread the Word!!!

We would love to have more readers!

If you know of anyone that would be interested in receiving our Report, please have them contact: [Nina Aguayo](#) or call City Hall @ 831.674.5591. Thank you for your support!



LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD PEOPLE

If you are interested in serving on a particular board and would like to apply... [click here](#) to download an application and turn it in to City Hall.

Let's Keep Greenfield Clean!!!

If you see a code matter that you feel needs to be addressed by the City, please email: [I love Greenfield](#)

