

City Administrator's

Weekly Briefing



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"Rich Heritage, Bright Future"

El Farolito voted one of Orange County's best places to eat

Award winning restaurant critic Brad Johnson has been writing about food for the Orange County Register since 2013. Just recently, Mr. Johnson compiled his list of 75 best places to eat in Orange County. The City of Placentia's very own Downtown restaurant, El Farolito was included on this year's list. It was noted in the article that El Farolito serves some of the best ground beef tacos, enchiladas, refried beans and margaritas in Orange County. To read the article, please [click here](#). The City of Placentia is proud to be featured on this year's list.

Veterans Monument Community-Wide Fundraiser

The Veterans Advisory Committee was essential in the establishment of the Veterans Monument in 1994 to honor residents who have served or are currently serving in the armed forces. Twenty-two years later, the Veterans Monument, located in the Civic Center Complex, is reaching its capacity and is in need of expansion to accommodate future names of those that have served, are currently serving, or have paid the ultimate sacrifice in serving our Country.

The Committee has embarked upon a community-wide fundraiser to raise the necessary funds to build two new panels for the Veterans Monument.

For more information on the fundraiser and to make a donation, please visit the City's website www.placentia.org/veterans or call Placentia City Hall at (714) 993-8117.



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Upcoming Meetings and Events

- 4/18 City Council Meeting
- 4/25 Historical Committee Meeting
- 5/1 Veterans Committee Meeting
- 5/2 City Council Meeting
- 5/4 Citizen Fiscal Sustainability Task Force Meeting

For additional information or questions about this Weekly Briefing, please contact us at administration@placentia.org.



Fundraising Event for LOT318

Please join LOT318 on **Saturday, April 15, 2017** (Easter weekend) from 2:00p.m.-10:00p.m. at 1027 Cypress Street Placentia for their 8th Annual Food Festival/Movie Night event. [Click here](#) to see the event flyer. LOT318 is a non-profit organization that has been empowering at-risk communities in the City of Placentia for many years. Through Homework Clubs, Soccer Tournaments and a variety of community events, LOT318 has changed the lives of children, families and entire communities. For additional information about LOT318, please visit their website at www.lot318.com.



DEVELOPMENT SERVICES

Jersey Mike's

Jersey Mike's Subs is now open for business at 850 N. Rose Drive, Suite C, at the northernmost building within the Village Center at Rose shopping center. The tenant space was previously vacant and interior tenant improvements that were ongoing for several months were recently completed. Attracting quality tenants such as this and the adjacent Great Clips, which is a relatively new business, is just another example of the benefits of the City's ongoing Economic Development efforts. This will also add an additional eating option for residents and other patrons. "Jersey Mike's Subs" is a submarine sandwich chain known for made to order sandwiches with over 1,000 locations throughout the United States.



COMMUNITY SERVICES

Community Services Job Opportunities

The Community Services Department is looking for motivated team players to join the Community Services Department. Community Services is currently hiring for several open positions. Openings include Lifeguards and Community Services Leaders. For more information please visit www.placentia.org/jobs or call (714) 993-8232

A hiring banner for the City of Placentia. It features the City of Placentia logo on the left, a large yellow starburst with the word 'NOW' in blue and 'Hiring' in orange script, and the text 'The City of Placentia is hiring lifeguards and community service leaders!' in white and yellow. Below this, the website 'WWW.PLACENTIA.ORG' and phone number '(714)993-8232' are listed in white and yellow.



Love Placentia Service Day – April 29, 2017

Love Placentia is a Service Day opportunity for anyone willing to serve in various service projects. This is a great event where churches, local government, businesses, non-profits and residents partner together for the betterment of the community. Love Placentia is scheduled for **Saturday, April 29, 2017**. For more information or to sign up to volunteer, please visit www.loveplacentia.com.

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Placentia Adult Basketball

Placentia Adult Basketball is back in action. Games started April 4th. Games will be on Tuesday nights at 7:30p.m. and 8:30p.m. Games are played at Oberle Gym located at Melrose Elementary School. For more information about Placentia Basketball league, please call Placentia Community Services Department at (714) 993-8243 or go to www.placentia.org/sports.



Upcoming City Excursion

The Getty Center of Los Angeles excursion is scheduled for **Saturday, May 20, 2017** from 8:00a.m.-4:00p.m. for \$25 per person. The Getty Center features several gardens, fountains, changing exhibits, outdoor art displays, and spectacular views of the Santa Monica Mountains, the Pacific Ocean and Los Angeles. A no-host lunch is available at the Museum's Café. To register for this fun-filled excursion, visit www.placentia.org/classes or call the Community Services Department at (714) 993-8232 for more information.

Save the Date

Summer Registrations for residents is scheduled to begin on **Saturday, May 20, 2017** from 9:00-12:00p.m. at Placentia City Hall. Non-resident registration starts on **Monday, May 22, 2017**. Please note that registration for our popular Learn-to-Swim Classes can only be done in person. As a convenience to our community, online registration is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week! Online resident summer registration will open at 12:01a.m. starting **Saturday, May 20**. Please log onto www.placentia.org/classes to create your individual or family account. If you need assistance, call the Community Services Department at (714) 993-8232.





PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Free Shred & E-waste Recycling Event

The City of Placentia and the Placentia Police Department invite you to participate in a free shredding and e-waste disposal event **Saturday, April 22, 2017** from 8:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. at the Placentia Civic Center, 401 E. Chapman Ave. Placentia residents are invited to have their confidential documents destroyed on site for free by Shred-It. A maximum of two banker box size containers will be accepted from each household or business location in Placentia. E-waste from residents will also be collected by Republic Services. Items such as televisions, computer monitors, game consoles, stereos, cellphones, microwaves, and items containing circuit boards will be collected. Hazardous material or business e-waste will not be accepted. Residents will be required to provide proof of residence in order to participate. Join the Community in helping prevent fraud and identity theft. For further information call (714) 993-8189 or visit www.placentia.org.

Plants, Camera, Action!

Do you have a beautiful plant or garden? Enter our 2017 “Overwatering is Out” Photo Contest! Orange County residents are invited to share their California friendly landscape and plant photos to prevent water pollution and runoff to keep our waterways clean. Three great prizes worth over \$1,000. In addition, your photo could be featured in the OC Register! Deadline to submit a photo is **May 16, 2017**. For more information, visit <http://www.overwateringisout.org/photo-contest/>.



Free Household Hazardous Waste Disposal

Leftover household products that contain corrosive, toxic, ignitable or reactive ingredients are considered household hazardous waste or HHW. Products such as plants, cleaners, oils, batteries, and pesticides that contain potentially hazardous ingredients require special care when you dispose of them. Orange County residents can dispose of their Household Hazardous Waste items for FREE at any of the County’s four Household Hazardous Waste Collection Centers. For more information on Household Hazardous Waste Disposal, contact (714) 993-8189.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Placentia Police Department is Hiring

A blue rectangular advertisement for the Placentia Police Department. It features the text "Join the Placentia Police" in large white letters, followed by "Now Hiring, Various Positions Available" and "Expedited Hiring Process and 3% at 50 for Classic Members". The website "www.placentia.org/jobs" is listed at the bottom. On the right side, there are two police department seals: the Placentia Police seal and the Orange County Sheriff-Coroner seal.

The Placentia Police Department (PPD) is currently hiring for several open positions. Openings include Police Officers and Police Dispatchers. Please visit www.placentia.org/jobs for more information. Come be a part of a great Department and serve the community with pride.



“Postal Inspector” Scam

The Placentia Police Department has recently received complaints about the “Postal Inspector” scam going around the community. This is a fraudulent email randomly being distributed. Please do not respond to it or send them any money. Report these emails immediately to U.S Postal Inspectors. If you have information on this or similar scams, [report it online](#) or call 1(877) 876-2455, option 3



EXTERNAL COMMUNICATION

[Placentia Library District Weekly Summary](#)

[Orange County Fire Authority Weekly Executive Summary](#)