

**City Manager's Bi-Weekly Report
March 6, 2020**

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CITY MANAGER'S OFFICE

City Manager Contracts List Updated

As the Hercules City Manager, the City Council has delegated approval of certain budgeted contracts up to a limit to me. This authority is revisited each year as part of the budget approval process. In an effort to ensure transparency about City Manager approved contracts, an updated listing of City manager approved contracts has been downloaded to the City's website: <https://www.ci.hercules.ca.us/government/city-manager/city-manager-contracts>.

Hercules in the News

The East Bay Times had an article about new Safeway stores coming to Northern California, plus a number of remodels, and the new Hercules store is featured. The Hercules store will be opening later this year. The article can be found here: <https://www.eastbaytimes.com/2020/02/26/safeway-store-renovate-new-retail-supermarket-grocer-develop/>.

What to Expect When You're Expecting Census 2020

The time has come! **Census 2020 kicks off in just a FEW DAYS!** Can we count you in?

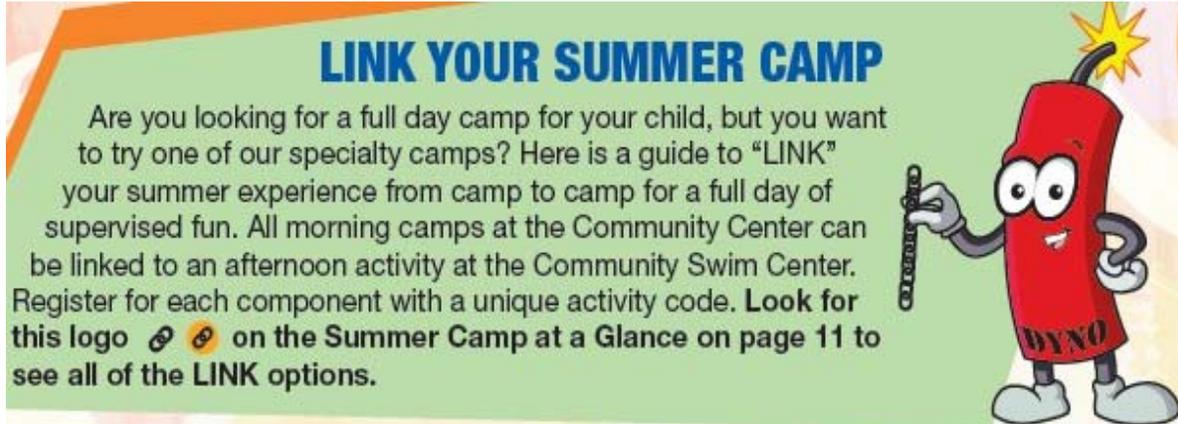


Starting Thursday, March 12, households will start to receive a notice in the mail with a unique code to fill out the census online for the first time ever. Make sure to count everyone living in your household as of April 1, 2020. Remember, your responses are confidential and will shape how much federal funding and civic representation Hercules gets **for the next decade.**

You can fill out the census online, by phone, or by mail. After April, the Census Bureau will begin sending out Enumerators to follow up with households who haven't responded. If you don't have access to the internet and/or need assistance filling out your census survey, you can go to **Questionnaire Assistance Centers (QACs)** located throughout the county that will have laptops with secured internet, resources, and a person to help answer your questions and concerns. [Click here](#) for a list and location of all QACs in Contra Costa County.

Nine questions, ten years of impact. For more information about Census 2020 and Contra Costa County's efforts visit <https://www.contracosta.ca.gov/6999/Census-2020>.

LINK Your Summer Camp!



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Are you looking for a full day camp for your child, but you want to try one of our specialty camps? Here is a guide to “LINK” your summer experience from camp to camp for a full day of supervised fun. All morning camps at the Community Center can be linked to an afternoon activity at the Community Swim Center. Register for each component with a unique activity code. **Look for this logo**   **on the Summer Camp at a Glance on page 11 to see all of the LINK options.**

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Don't forget to inquire about our 10% discount during Rec Expo Week when you pay in full. More information can be found in our complete Summer Activity Guide here: <https://www.ci.hercules.ca.us/home/showdocument?id=13469> or by calling the Parks and Recreation Department at (510) 799-8291.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

Hercules Commission Vacancies

The Hercules City Council is currently recruiting residents for appointment to the Planning Commission, Community and Library Services Commission and the Finance Commission. Applicants must be residents of the City of Hercules, 18 years of age or older and registered to vote with the exception of the Student Commissioner which must be a high school student and a resident of Hercules. The vacancies are open until filled. Contact Lori Martin, City Clerk, at 510.799.8215 or at lmartin@ci.hercules.ca.us for additional information. Applications are completed through the City's website at: <https://www.ci.hercules.ca.us/government/commissions-committees>.

Planning Commission – One (1) Vacancy with a term ending December 2021

The Planning Commission meets the first and third Mondays of every month at 7 p.m. The Commission is advisory to the Council and has statutory duties imposed by State law. The Commission:

- Performs all functions assigned to it by the zoning and design review ordinances of the City.
- Reviews and makes recommendations to the Council on the general plan, specific neighborhood plans, tentative subdivision maps, environmental impact reports, and planned unit developments.
- Reviews the capital improvements program and makes recommendations to the Council.
- Provides design review of proposed buildings and other construction projects and reviews landscape plans.
- Grants use permits and variances.

Community & Library Services Commission – One (1) Student Commissioner with a term ending December 2021

The Community and Library Services Commission meets on the second Monday of every month at 7:00 p.m. in the Hercules City Council Chambers located at 111 Civic Drive, Hercules, CA 94547. The Commission is advisory to the Council and has the following duties:

- Develop plans and recommendations for parks, playgrounds, recreational facilities, and use of community buildings.
- Work with the Parks and Recreation Department on the development and evaluation of recreation programs and community activities/events.
- Provide assistance and support in the planning and operation of City sponsored community events.
- In cooperation and consultation with the Parks and Recreation Department, make recommendations to the City Council with respect to priorities for recreation, library, and community services expenditures in the City's capital improvement program.
- Review and comment on the annual operating and capital improvement budgets for the Parks and Recreation Department.
- Make recommendations with respect to community service needs such as child care, youth summer employment, senior activities/programs, and recreational programs.
- Review and make recommendations with respect to fees for the use of parks, playgrounds, recreational facilities, and community buildings.
- Advise on matters of policy and public interest related to the management, use and preservation of library facilities and property.
- Render such other specific services as are consistent with the role of an advisory board on the library system, to include recommendations and advice to the county librarian on matters related to the Hercules library.
- The Commission member serving as the City's Area Representative to the Contra Costa County Library Commission shall routinely report to the entire Community and Library Services Commission on actions taken at the Contra Costa Library Commission meetings.
- Review and make recommendations regarding the Arts in Public Places Program and exhibits at the Hercules Public Library.
- Oversee the Heritage Memorial Garden Plaque Program which is designed to recognize Hercules residents or civic leaders and enhance the historical aspect of the garden.
- Oversee the Library Art Exhibition Program which is designed to review art pieces submitted by participants of the program to be allowed to display their art pieces at the Hercules Public Library.
- Such other duties relating to recreation activities and community and library service needs as may be directed by the City Council.

Finance Commission – One (1) Vacancy with an unexpired term ending December 2021

The Finance Commission meets the bi-monthly on the third Wednesday at 7 p.m. The Commission is advisory to the Council and has the following duties:

- Quarterly review of City's financial status; review and comment on audit reports, the proposed operating budget and the capital improvement program budgets.
- Makes recommendations to the Council with respect to budget priorities.

- Advises the Council on matters of policy and public interest related to the management of the City’s finances and budget.
- Serves as the Oversight Committee for Measure “A,” including providing an annual report, to ensure that utility user tax funds are spent in accordance with the voter approved measure adopted in June 2013.
- Serves as the Oversight Committee for Measure “O,” including providing an annual report, to ensure that the sales tax revenues approved by Hercules voters are spent in accordance with the voter approved measure adopted in June 2012.

Human Resources

For a current listing of employment opportunities at the City of Hercules go to: [Hercules Employment Opportunities](#).

City Meeting Schedules

City Council Meetings

The Hercules City Council meets regularly on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of the month. **Please Note that for the month of November and December the City Council will meet on the 2nd Tuesday only. The 4th Tuesday in November and December have been cancelled.

Community and Library Services Commission Meetings

The Hercules Library and Community Services Commission meets regularly on the 2nd Monday of the month.

Finance Commission Meetings

The Hercules Finance Commission will meet regularly every other month on the 3rd Wednesday. The Finance Commission 2020 meetings will be held on January 15th, March 18th, May 20th, July 15th, September 16th, and November 18th.

Planning Commission Meetings

The Hercules Planning Commission meets regularly on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month.

To view live broadcasts of Hercules City Council and Planning Commission meetings tune in to Hercules Government Channel 28 on Comcast Cable.

To view City Council and Planning Commission meeting videos online go to: [Hercules Meeting Videos](#).

Viewing of **LIVE** City of Hercules City Council and City Commission meetings can be done by performing the following:

1. Browse to the City of Hercules website at: www.ci.hercules.ca.us
2. Click the “**I Want To**” menu.
3. Click the “**View City of Hercules committee meetings**” link.
4. Locate the desired meeting and date.

5. Click the associated “**Video**” link (Video status is as follows):
- **Video** = Video is available for on demand viewing.
 - **In Progress** = Video is available for viewing during live recording.
 - **Not Available** = Video is either unavailable or has not been recorded.

CCTV Meeting Broadcast Replay

Broadcasting of the Hercules City Council meetings and Planning Commission meetings has resumed on Hercules Cable television (HCTV) Channel 28. The following is the Contra Costa Television (CCCTV) Broadcast replay schedule of Hercules City Council and Planning Commission meeting videos.

City Council Meeting

Meetings will replay on the following dates & times after the live meeting broadcast:

- Thursday at 7:00 p.m.
- Saturday at 1:00 p.m.

Planning Commission Meeting

Meetings will replay on the following dates & times after the live meeting broadcast:

- Wednesday at 7:00 p.m.
- Saturday at 9:00 a.m.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

Building Inspection Division

| | Feb 17 thru Feb 28, 2020 | FY 2019/20 YTD |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Number of Permits Issued: | 32 | 493 |
| Total Fees Collected: | \$18,300.34 | \$245,589.80 |
| Number of Inspections: | 26 | 516 |
| New Housing: | 0 | 0 |

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Maintenance & Operations

Staff completed their regularly scheduled custodial and facility-related tasks in public parks and buildings. At this time the Street Sign Replacement Project is approximately 90% completed and the remaining signs have been received and are being stored at the Maintenance Yard. An awning was installed on the Corporation Yard modular building. A contract for V-Ditch cleaning in open space was executed is underway. The quarterly cleaning of the sewer lift stations are underway.

Engineering

Work on the \$52M Pinole-Hercules Wastewater Treatment Plant Upgrade Project has been completed and final change orders are being negotiated as part of the contract close-out. The civil plans for the future Safeway, located at the southeast corner of San Pablo and Sycamore Avenue, have been approved and are under construction. The installation of the public improvements for the Bayfront Project are underway for Blocks Q&R and the plans are under review for Blocks M, O, & P. The design plans are also under review for the Willow Center, Sycamore Crossing, and the Hilltown projects. Design is underway for the mile long segment of sewer trunk main leading into the Pinole-Hercules Water Pollution Control Plant, computer flow modeling continues for the City's backbone sewer system, as is the financial study for the sewer fund. The Willow/Palm sidewalk project and Lake Refugio Dredging project are under design and staff continues to assist the Engie Company with the design of potential energy saving facilities such as solar arrays and light retrofits on City buildings and land. The 100% plans for the pedestrian enhancement projects at Sycamore/Civic and San Pablo/Sycamore are being reviewed.

PARKS AND RECREATION



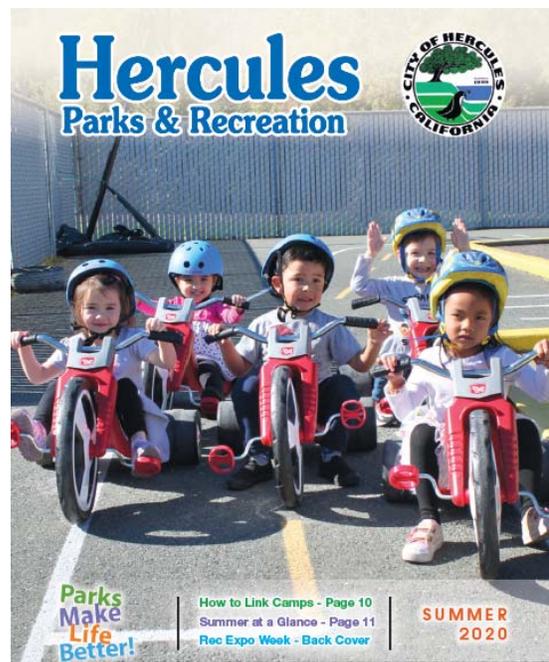
The City of Hercules Parks & Recreation Department offers a wide variety of classes and programs that help promote a healthy lifestyle, provide recreational experiences that are fun for all ages and help to build a strong sense of community pride. For additional info, visit our website at [Parks & Recreation](#) or [register online](#) for a class or program today!

Activity Guide

2020 Summer Activity Guides are HERE!

Our 2020 Summer Activity Guides arrived Monday, March 2. The response has already been great from parents who are looking to plan out their summer.

This summer we have launched a new LINK program. The LINK program will help parents connect a morning camp with an afternoon camp. Or add an extended care option before or after the camp day. These options will give parents another full day option for their kids this summer. We have also added a Preschool age traditional camp experience called Camp Sparklers. Similar to the extremely popular Camp Dynamite, Sparklers is for Preschool age children. There are lots of other great camps and programs inside the Summer Activity Guide. Pick up your copy today at City Hall, the Community Center, Senior Center, and a host of other City locations.



Special Events

Community Clean-up Day

This is a 2 month warning about the Community Clean-up Day. Clean-up day will be held Saturday, May, 2, 2020, from 8-11am @ the Corp Yard. This is one of the mandatory events that all City Recognized Nonprofit groups are required to participate. I have included the ad from our Summer Activity Guide (see below).

Please NOTE:

- NO Household Hazardous Waste and NO E-Waste are allowed at this event.
- There will be a Mattress - limit of 4 per household.
- To participate you must be Hercules resident, ID's will be required.
- No construction or commercial dumping allowed.

CITY OF HERCULES COMMUNITY CLEANUP DAY

SATURDAY, MAY 2, 2020

8-11am (or until full)

A one day event to beautify our community by providing a dumpsite to throw away outdoor trash, yard clippings, tree limbs, small appliances and furniture.

- Residents required to unload own vehicle
- Mattresses will be collected (limit 4 per household)

NO HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE ALLOWED!

NO E-WASTE AT THIS EVENT

Suggested Donation: Cars \$5 · Pick-up Trucks \$10
Large Trucks and/or Trailers \$20
No Construction or Commercial Dumping
No enclosed u-hall type vehicles, Trucks okay.

Must be Hercules Resident. Provide ID at the Gate.

CORP YARD, 1000 SYCAMORE AVENUE

Aquatics

Lap Swim/Water Walking

Join us for a refreshing twist in your fitness routine by swimming/water walking at the Hercules Community Swim Center. Swimming is one of the best full-body workouts. Lap swim/water walking is held weekdays from 6-8 p.m. throughout the winter. Come get your swim on at Hercules Community Swim Center. *All swimmers must be at least 14 years old to participate.

Lifeguard Training

Join our Aquatics Team this summer! The lifeguard training course provides you all of the certifications that are required to work as a City of Hercules lifeguard. Participants will receive American Red Cross Lifeguarding, CPR/Automated External Defibrillator (AED) for Professional Rescuers, and First-aid certifications. Our next course will be held M-F April 6th – 10th, at the Community Swim Center. Advanced registration is required. For more information, please call 510-799-8291.



Swim Team

The East Bay Silver Dolphins (EBSA) Swim Team practices year round. All swimmers must be able to swim 25 yards unassisted prior to joining the swim team. All swimmers must be between the ages of 5-18. EBSA is a USA Swim program, and participates in USA Swim Meets throughout the year. For more information, please contact the Parks & Recreation Department at (510) 799-8291, and get involved today.

Employment Opportunities

NOW HIRING for summer! If you or someone you know is searching for a job, a second job, or a change of pace, we have a great opportunity for you. We are now hiring for several positions including recreation leaders and aides for Camps and Teens, Lifeguards and Swim Instructors, and more. To join Team Hercules, click the link and complete your application today <http://www.ci.hercules.ca.us/index.aspx?page=181>.

Kidz Programs

Kaleidoscope Kidz (RAP)

RAP got back from President's Camp week and did some great projects around the theme "Outer Space"! Check out this cooking project Rockets out of hot dogs and dough.



Tiny Tots (Preschool)

The monthly themes for February include "My Amazing Body"; oval/heart for our shape and Pink for our color. Children are also exploring the concept of the 5 Senses: smell, hearing, taste and touch. It's also Dental Health month so we will discover why we need to keep our teeth healthy. Last week of February was a week of experimenting with the 5 senses: smell, taste, hearing and touch. The preschooler explored making slim and play dough, it was all about the smell and touch.



Recreation Classes

Spring Break Camps are coming!

Register today for one of the fun camps being offered during Spring Break Week (April 6-10). The West Contra Costa Unified School District is closed for the entire week, so the Hercules Parks and Recreation Department has lined up a few special camp opportunities for the community. Here is a quick look at the available camps.

Camp Dynamite: Mulan Adventure

Join us for a special Spring Break edition of our extremely popular traditional summer camp “Camp Dynamite”. The camp will be offered during Spring Break Week (April 6-10), and will be held at the Hanna Ranch Kidz Center. Our theme for the week is Mulan Adventure. Each day campers will participate in themed crafts, science, cooking, games and more. Camp will conclude with a field trip to watch the movie Mulan. Registration deadline is March 30th.

Teen Dynamite Camp

Join our staff for an amazing week of Teen Dynamite Camp Fun! Camp will be offered Tuesday through Friday during Spring Break Week (April 6-10), at the Teen Center. Campers will be kept busy with passive and active games, sports, cooking projects and trips to local attractions. Participants will need to bring money for food/arcades. Movie and bowling are included. Registration deadline is March 30th.

Chess Camp

Enter into the magical and exciting world of chess with Chess Wizards! Campers will participate in epic games, interactive lessons, tournaments, team matches, trivia and more! Whether you have been playing chess your entire life and want to improve, or you just want to have fun with your friends, Chess Wizards offers a fantastic camp experience.

Favorite Apps & Video Games

Art is all around us, including on phones and online! Join Young Rembrandts for a workshop mimicking the amazing imagery of our Favorite Apps and Video Games! Each day campers will learn new illustrations and coloring techniques inspired by popular video games. Artwork is inspired by pixel block characters, plants, zombies and more. If your child loves to game or draw, they’ll have a blast putting their own personal touches on some of these favorites!

HNSA Basketball Camp

This basketball camp is committed to providing quality teaching, training, and playing experiences. Our goal at Hoops Never Stops Academy is to develop future generations of basketball players who represent the game, themselves and the community with the highest level of character. Camps are geared towards teaching the fundamentals of the game. All participants must bring their own basketball to camp.

For more information about any of these Spring Break camp options, please contact our main office at (510) 799-8291 or register online at www.herculesrec.com.

Seniors

Alcatraz

Alcatraz here we come! On Wednesday, March 18th, a group of 30 seniors will take a trip to San Francisco to visit Alcatraz. The former military fort and notorious maximum-security federal prison that housed notorious and dangerous criminals such as Al Capone, George “Machine Gun” Kelly, and Robert Franklin Stroud, better known as the “Birdman of Alcatraz.” In addition to the historical importance of Alcatraz, we will view the gardens, bay views, and birds nesting. This is a sold out trip. If you’re interested in going on another trip to Alcatraz, or to find out more information on our Day Trips, please call 510-799-8219.

FREE Tax Service

It’s Tax Time again, and AARP has returned with FREE Tax Service for our seniors. This service is by appointment only, and available through Tuesday, April 14. So don’t delay, schedule your appointment today. To do so, contact the Senior Center at (510) 799-8219.

Volunteer at the Senior Center

The Hercules Senior Center is looking for volunteers. If you are interested in becoming a volunteer, or to simply find out more information about upcoming volunteer opportunities, please contact Kristina Griffith at (510) 799-8219.

Sports

Hoop Never Stops Academy (HNSA)

H.N.S.A is taking basketball skills training to another level. Study Hall is foundational training for parents and players to learn how to practice and improve on their own by using H.N.S.A. “Four Pillars of Practice”. In your very first session, there is a one-time materials fee that will include an H.N.S.A. Study Hall binder and every week they will get a sheet outlining the pillars and the workout that they will conduct during each Study Hall session. The upcoming March session is about to begin this Thursday and it isn’t too late to register! For more information, please contact our main office at (510) 799-8291 or register online at www.herculesrec.com.

Kidz Love Soccer

Kidz Love Soccer is ready to kick the spring season off with their popular soccer programs such as Mommy/Daddy & Me Soccer, Tot/Pre-Soccer, Soccer 1 and Soccer 2. These programs are perfect for all skill levels and will prepare you to play at a competitive level. The next session will begin on April 13th and there is still time to register. To register, please visit our website at www.herculesrec.com.

Skyhawks Sports

Skyhawks Sports is offering their very popular Tot Sports programs such as Mommy/Daddy & Me Tot Sports, Tot Sports, Mini-Hawk Sports and Full Court Basketball. These fun and exciting programs will teach your young athlete the basic motor skills and fundamentals of the game such as basketball, baseball, and soccer. The new session will begin on March 14th and space is limited. If you’re interested in registering, you may do so online at www.herculesrec.com.

Spring Break Basketball Camp (HNSA)

H.N.S.A. will be offering their popular Spring Break Basketball Camp which will run from Monday, April 6 through Thursday, April 9, 2020. This camp is perfect for all skill levels as campers will learn the fundamentals of the game such as dribbling, passing and shooting. For the more skilled campers, Coach Marcus will challenge them with combo dribbling moves, agility drills, and skill concepts to use in game-like situations. Space will be limited and you may register today at www.herculesrec.com.

Teens

Bay Area Driving School

This online class is the first required step that must be completed prior to receiving a learner's permit. Participants must be 15 ½. This course includes videos, animated driving scenarios and sample test questions. Learn the rules of the road, major causes of traffic collisions, DMV procedures, and more. A licensed instructor is available to answer any questions. Once finished, you will receive a DMV-approved certificate of completion. Register today online at www.herculesrec.com.

Teen Afterschool Program

The teens just returned to school from their week off for President's week. With the beautiful and warm weather, our teens took full advantage of being outdoors! We had a small 2 on 2 basketball tournament, relay races, jumping rope, and just hanging out in our back patio of the Teen Center. As we head toward the spring season, we will be doing a lot more outside activities and group games.

HERCULES PUBLIC LIBRARY

Service Interruption Information

Several key services are working again after the Library experienced a network outage last week. Internet, WiFi, printing and online account access are up and running.

We are doing everything we can to restore all services as quickly as possible.

Thank you for your continued patience during this difficult time.

Here is a link to the services that have been restored: <https://ccclib.org/outage-updates/>

Follow us on Facebook: [Hercules Public Library](#)

Follow us on Instagram: [herculeslibraryccclib](#)

For more information, please visit us online at <https://ccclib.org/locations/hercules.html>

Get Free Tax Help at the Library (United Way and AARP)

Every Saturday, February 8th-April 11th, 10am-3pm

Call 510-224-4635 for an appointment

If your 2019 household income was less than \$58,000 you can get free tax help here in West Contra

Costa County. IRS-certified tax preparers will help you get the refund you deserve. You could qualify for the Earned Income Tax credit which could mean a refund of up to \$6,000.

Highlighted Programs

Tuesday March 10th, 6:00pm

Count Me In! Storytime

Have fun with numbers. This storytime will focus on counting through reading, activities and song. Part of Census 2020

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Saturday March 14th, 1:30pm

All Abilities Playgroup Workshop

Speech-pathologist moms, Arezu Mashirian and Kathryn Brodsky of Chit Chat Preschool, will model and encourage evidence-based, therapeutic strategies for facilitating communication and play. They will answer questions and offer individualized referral information for a range of community agencies, resources, and parent support organizations. Toddlers 0-3, siblings welcome.

Saturday March 14th, 3:30pm

Melody of China

Join us as we listen to the soothing sounds of Melody of China, a Chinese music ensemble based in the San Francisco Bay Area. The ensemble has a two-fold mission: to promote Chinese classical, folk, and contemporary music, and to provide quality entertainment through the synergy between an ancient cultural tradition and youthful, multi-colored American culture.

Monday March 16th, 6:30pm

Uke and Me@ the Library

Slow down and enjoy the sounds of the islands as you learn to make beautiful music at the library. With monthly teacher-led ukulele classes you will be a master in no time. Instruments will be available to use at the program, but in order to reserve a ukulele for the class, registration is required. Participants are also invited to bring their own instrument to the class.

Storytimes at the Library

Tuesdays 6:00pm – Family Storytime

Thursdays 10:15am – Baby Lapsit Storytime

Thursdays 11:00am – Toddler and Preschool Storytime

There's a storytime for every age at the Hercules Library. Age appropriate stories, songs, felt board stories, finger plays and engaging activities. Programs are ongoing every week.

HERCULES POLICE DEPARTMENT

THE FOLLOWING CASES ONLY REFLECT A PARTIAL LIST OF ACTUAL CASES TAKEN. CALLS FOR SERVICE NOT GENERATING WRITTEN REPORTS ARE NOT USUALLY LISTED. ALL THOSE ARRESTED ARE PRESUMED INNOCENT UNTIL PROVEN GUILTY.

Outside Assist: On February 20, 2020 at approximately 5:45 p.m., HPD units working a Special Detail and were notified regarding an Automated License Plate Reader hit. The hit was on a vehicle wanted for felony burglaries in Los Angeles. Officers located the vehicle in the area of W/B I-80 and Carlson Blvd and the vehicle was stopped. The occupants were two 20 year old males from Vallejo and Sacramento. The subjects were detained. LAPD was contacted and requested the vehicle be towed for evidence. The subjects were released pending further investigation by LAPD.

Domestic Violence: On February 20, 2020 at approximately 7:08 p.m., HPD Officers were dispatched to a residence in Glenwood for a domestic altercation. A 37 year old female stated her 56 year old husband pushed her. The female declined medical attention and desired prosecution. The male was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Domestic Violence and Vandalism: On February 20, 2020 at approximately 10:18 p.m., HPD Officers were dispatched to the 1600 block of Sycamore Ave. for a domestic disturbance. The 28 year old female victim stated her 33 year old boyfriend damaged the front windshield of her vehicle and pulled her hair. The victim desired prosecution and male was placed under arrest and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Missing Person (Located): On February 21, 2020 at 8:10 a.m., an Officer was dispatched to a lobby detail for a missing person. The reporting party said her 24 year old son, left their home at 2:00 a.m. in a Green '05 Toyota Camry. The missing person was entered into the Missing and Unidentified Persons System, and a "Be on the Look Out" was sent. Later the reporting party called and stated the Missing Person was at the relative's house, in Richmond. Richmond P.D. responded to the relative's and contacted the subject. He was removed from MUPS.

Petty Theft from an Unlocked Vehicle/Burglary of Garage: On February 21, 2020 at 10:17 a.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Canterbury St. to take an auto burglary report. The Officer located the vehicle and contacted the victim. The victim said an unknown suspect entered the unlocked vehicle and stole some small hand tools. The suspect also stole a garage door opener from the vehicle and used it to open the home's garage door. The suspect then stole some tools from the interior of the garage, but didn't make entry into the residence. The time frame for the thefts is between 6:45 p.m. on February 19, 2020 and 8:45 a.m. this morning.

False Tab/Motorcycle/Possession of a Controlled Substance/Possession of Drug Paraphernalia: On February 21, 2020 at 5:16 p.m., an Officer checked on a suspicious White '05 Honda Shadow Motorcycle parked in the parking lot of Home Depot, 1625 Sycamore Ave. The Shadow's registration was expired as of February 2019 with no DMV fees paid since 2018. The rear license plate had a Yellow 2020 year tab affixed. While waiting for the tow truck, the 50

year old registered, of Rodeo, approached the Officer and said the Shadow belonged to him. While talking to the subject he admitted to possessing a controlled substance in his jacket pocket. A probable cause search was done and a plastic bag containing a substance, believed to be a narcotic, was found. A pipe, commonly used to smoke narcotics, was also found. The subject was arrested and later cite/released.

Warrant Arrest: On February 21, 2020 at approximately 9:19 p.m., an HPD Officer contacted a 35 year old male in the area of Bayfront Blvd. and Promenade St. He was taken into custody on non-citable warrant. The subject was transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Domestic Violence: On February 21, 2020 at approximately 10:49 p.m., HPD Officers were dispatched to a residence in the 300 block of Turquoise Dr. for a disturbance. The investigation led to the arrest of 24 year old female, of Richmond, for causing injuries to her 24 year old boyfriend. The female was transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Stolen License Plate: On February 22, 2020, at approximately 1:06 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 400 block of Weymouth for the report of a stolen license plate. Sometime between February 19, at 7:00 p.m. and today at 11:30 a.m., an unknown suspect stole the rear license plate from a 2015 Honda while it was parking in a carport.

Criminal Threats: On February 22, 2020 at 10:27 p.m. Hercules Officers were dispatched to the area of the 400 block of Olympus for a report of two males trying to fight the reporting party. The reporting party is employed as Olympian Hills's HOA parking enforcement person. He stated two males threatened to kill him. The reporting party said the two suspects were standing next to a Gray Lexus. Officers contacted several males associated with a residence in the 400 block of Olympus. An infield show-up was done with the males, and the reporting party positively identified a 19 year old male, and a 20 year old male, of Hercules as the involved suspects. The subjects were released pending further investigation.

Prisoner Pick-Up: On February 23, 2020, an Officer drove to Santa Rita Jail in Dublin to pick up two subjects for warrants held by HPD. A 39 year old male was being held for a Felony No bail warrant; and a 50 year old male was being held for a felony warrant for felon in possession of a firearm. Both subjects were transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Mail Theft: On February 23, 2020, at approximately 12:21 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to Mission Springs for the report of mail theft. The Officer determined on February 23, at approximately 4:43 a.m., two heavyset African American females were seen stealing mail from the cluster mail boxes on Mission Springs.

Theft of License Plate: On February 23, 2020, at approximately 1:01 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 400 block of Seagull for the report of the theft of a front license plate. Sometime between February 19, 2020 at approximately 1:00 p.m., and February 23, 2020, at approximately 1:01 p.m., an unknown suspect stole the front license plate from a 2010 Volkswagen Jetta.

Prisoner Transport: On February 24, 2020 at 1:00 a.m. an Officer went to Marin County Jail to pick-up 40 year old female of San Pablo. She had an outstanding Misdemeanor Warrant. She also

had a second Misdemeanor Warrant out of Pinole P.D. The subject was transported to the Martinez Detention Facility

Injury Collision: On February 24, 2020, at approximately 8:27 a.m., HPD Officers were dispatched to 4000 San Pablo Avenue for a collision with airbags deployed. Officers located two vehicles in the intersection. A 35 year old male driver, of a 2006 Infiniti, was making a U-turn at the traffic light in front of the entrance to the new Safeway store construction site. A 47 year old female driver, of a 2012 Honda, was driving north bound in the number 2 lane of San Pablo Ave. The Honda struck the Infiniti, in the intersection, causing the airbags to activate in the Honda. The driver of the Honda complained of pain to her left shoulder and she was transported by, AMR, to a local hospital.

Auto Burglary: On February 24, 2020, at approximately 9:09 a.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 100 block of Nutmeg for the report of an auto burglary. Sometime between February 20, 2020 at 4:30 p.m., and February 22, 2020 at 10:00 a.m., an unknown suspect broke the rear driver's window of a 2019 Toyota.

Unattended Death: On February 24, 2020, at approximately 11:33 a.m., HPD Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Civic Dr. for a possible deceased female. Officers found a 93 year old female with obvious signs of death. The subject reportedly had medical issues. There were no signs of foul play and the subject appeared to have died from natural causes. The coroner was contacted and the body was released to the family.

Solo Vehicle Collision: On February 24, 2020, at approximately 2:10 p.m., HPD Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Starling Way for a solo vehicle, with the driver trapped. Officers located a 65 year old female in the driver's seat of a 2008 Nissan Rogue, facing west on Starling, partially in the driveway of a house. The female was driving west on Starling, and struck a parked 2012 Acura, which was parked on the north side of the street, facing west. The Acura was pushed into the driveway a driveway and struck the rear of a 2008 Nissan, which was also parked on the north side of the street, just west of the driveway. The driver was transported to a local Hospital with complaint of pain to her chest.

Warrant Arrest x 2/Possession of a Controlled Substance/False Tab-Towed Vehicle: On February 24, 2020 at 9:17 p.m., an Officer checked on an occupied suspicious White '98 Ford Explorer parked in the parking lot of Big Lots, 1551 Sycamore Ave. The Explorer's registration was expired as of June of 2019. However, there was a Red 2021 year tab affixed to the rear license plate. A female passenger was seen exiting the Explorer walking away, at a fast pace, towards Home Depot. The 33 year old male driver, of Oakland, was found to be on searchable Felony Probation out of Alameda County. The 26 year old male left rear passenger, of San Lorenzo, was found to be on searchable Misdemeanor Probation out of Alameda County. The male passenger also had an outstanding, cite releasable, Misdemeanor Warrant out of San Jose P.D issued on 12/27/2019. Officers were able to identify the female who walked away from the vehicle. She was a 26 year old female, of San Leandro. She had an outstanding Misdemeanor No Bail Warrant out of Fremont P.D. issued 01/14/2020. Another Officer located the female standing outside the front of Home Depot and she was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility. A Probation search was done on the two males, and the vehicle. A substance, suspected to be a

narcotic, was located underneath the driver's seat where the driver had been seated. The driver was arrested for Possession of a controlled substance. He cite released. The male passenger was cite released for his Warrant.

Auto vs. Pedestrian Vehicle Collision: On February 25, 2020 at 6:39 p.m. Hercules Officers were dispatched to Shell, 3900 San Pablo Ave. for a report of a vehicle vs. pedestrian vehicle collision. Officers contacted the 19 year old male pedestrian, of Hercules, already loaded up in the ambulance. The subject complained of pain to his left leg. He said he was attempting to cross San Pablo Ave., from the east curb to the west curb, when he was hit by a Gray BMW. Officers contacted the 35 year old male driver of the BMW. The BMW did not have any noticeable damage. The driver said he was driving N/B San Pablo Ave. turning right onto E/B Sycamore Ave. when he collided with the pedestrian. The pedestrian was transported to a hospital.

Possession of Stolen Property: On February 26, 2020 at approximately 10:19 a.m., HPD Officer were dispatched to the area of the 100 block of Baywood Ln. in regards to a female, associated with a light blue sedan, going through various mailboxes. HPD Officers located the vehicle in the 1100 Block of Earnest occupied with two females. One of the females was a 39 year old from Concord. She was determined to be on Probation for Possession of Stolen Property. The second subject was a 41 year old from Vallejo. The subjects had mail in their possession from nearby addresses. Victims were confirmed, and they said neither subjects were allowed to possess their mail. The subjects were arrested for possession of stolen property. Both were transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

A BIG THANK YOU: The above arrests were made possible by an observant citizen promptly calling the Police Department.

Court Order Violation: On February 26, 2020 at approximately 10:52 a.m., an HPD Officer responded to a lobby detail involving a possible court order violation. The reporting party has a Court Order with specific terms regarding joint custody for his child. It was determined the child's mother violated the court order, by taking the child out of the country without the reporting party's consent, or knowledge.

Felony Warrant: On February 26, 2020 at approximately 12:11 p.m., an HPD Officer conducted a traffic stop on a Honda Odyssey. The 32 year old male passenger had an active Felony Warrant with a bail of \$500,000. The subject was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Center.

Warrant Arrest: On February 27, 2020 at approximately 1:26 a.m., an HPD Officer conducted a traffic stop. A 50 year old male was cite/released for two traffic warrants.

Warrant Arrest X 2: On February 27, 2020 at approximately 1:57 a.m., an HPD Officer conducted a traffic stop. A 22 year old male was taken into custody on a warrant. A 30 year old male, in the car, was also arrested on a warrant. Both subjects were transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Contribute to Delinquency of Minor/Tobacco: On February 27, 2020 at approximately 11:14 a.m., a HPD Scholl Resource investigated and incident involving a juvenile bringing tobacco on school campus and distributing it to other minors. The Officer cited, and released the juvenile, for possession of tobacco on school campus and for contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

Burglary: On February 27, 2020 at approximately 12:48 p.m., HPD Officers were dispatched to the 100 block of Bobolink Way in regards to a theft from the inside of the garage. Witnesses were able to take photos of the suspect. Officers located the 19 year old male suspect trying to walk into Lucky's at 1590 Sycamore Avenue. The subject was detained and an in-field line-up was conducted. The subject was positively identified as the suspect. Officers recovered the stolen items from a nearby home. The subject was arrested for burglary and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

CRIME PREVENTION ALERT: This arrest was made because another alert citizen took action. The citizen was able to get pictures of the suspect (without putting themselves in danger) and promptly called the Police. They willingly came forward and made an identification and assisted the Police to put a criminal in jail.

Driving Under the Influence: On February 27, 2020 at approximately 8:14 p.m., an HPD Officer conducted a traffic stop in the 1500 block of Sycamore Ave. The 41 year old male driver was placed under arrest, for Driving under the Influence, after performing the Standard Field Sobriety Test. The subject refused to, voluntarily, submit to a chemical test and a warrant was obtained for a blood sample. He was transported the Martinez Detention Facility.

Theft by False Pretense: On February 28, 2020 at 8:41 a.m., Officers contacted a Hercules Resident regarding a scam. The unknown suspect called the victim and posed as a PG&E supervisor. The suspect told the victim he was behind on his payments and his services were going to be shut down unless he paid them money. The suspect convinced the victim to send cash cards in the amount of \$484.04.

Possession of a Controlled Substance: On February 29, 2020 at 1:08 p.m., an Officer conducted a traffic stop, on a 99 Audi A4, for expired registration. The 50 old male said he was on searchable probation. After conducting a probation search the officer found a substance, suspected to be a narcotic, in the subject's backpack. The vehicle was towed for being expired over 6 months and a day, and the subject was arrested for possession of a controlled substance. He was cited and released.

Missing Person/Locate: On February 29, 2020 at 1:42 p.m., HPD Officers were dispatched to the area of 3700 San Pablo Avenue in regards to a Missing 82 at risk female. Her family said they were at Chase Bank when she walked away and disappeared around 1:00 p.m. At 2:19 p.m. Officers located the subject in front of 1590 Sycamore (Lucky's) and she was reunited with her family.

Driving Under the Influence: On February 29, 2020 at 10:22 p.m., an Officer pulled over a White 2019 Nissan Sentra for a vehicle code violation. The adult male driver, of Rodeo, showed objective signs of being under the influence of Alcohol. The subject was given the Standard Field

Sobriety Test; and the Preliminary Alcohol Screening indicated he was over the presumptive limit for the purposes of driving. The subject was placed under arrest and was taken to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Occupied Stolen Vehicle: On March 01, 2020 at 12:01 a.m. an officer checked on a suspicious Honda Accord, with no license plates, parked in the parking lot of 3700 San Pablo Ave. There was an adult male, of Oakland, sleeping in the driver seat of the Accord. The officer ran the VIN and determined the Accord was stolen out of Oakland on February 28, 2020. The subject was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Petty Theft: On March 1, 2020, at 9:24 a.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 1100 block of Earnest for a theft from a vehicle report. The reporting party stated that between February 20, 2020 at 10:00 p.m., and February 22, 2020 at 6:00 a.m., someone entered his unlocked 2014 Honda Accord and removed items from the vehicle.

Petty Theft/Evading: On March 1, 2020, at 9:51 a.m., HPD Officers were dispatched to Rite Aid for a theft that just occurred. The reporting party described the suspect as an African American male; in his 40's or 50's; wearing a backpack and baseball cap. The suspect left the area driving a blue minivan with a cracked windshield. The loss was alcohol. Officers located a vehicle on Sycamore near San Pablo Avenue. Officers followed the vehicle as it got onto W/B 80. A pursuit was initiated and terminated once the vehicle exited at El Portal in San Pablo.

Death Investigation: On March 1, 2020 at 7:54 p.m., Hercules Officers were dispatched to the 1500 block of Sycamore Ave. for a report of a 79 year old male not breathing. Officers arrived, along with Rodeo-Hercules Fire. The male was found unresponsive in his bedroom. The subject had a DNR and he was pronounced deceased at 8:15 p.m. by RHFD. The subject reportedly had several medical issues and there were no signs of foul play. The County Coroner's Deputy was contacted and released the subject's body to his family.

Possession of a Controlled Substance/Probation Violation: On March 2, 2020 at 1:28 a.m. An Officer stopped Red '01 Toyota Camry, on John Muir Parkway at Tioga Loop, for a vehicle code violation. The 39 year old male driver was a Transient, and on searchable probation. The 46 year old female passenger, of El Sobrante, was also on searchable probation in Contra Costa County. The Officer did a search of the driver, but didn't find any illegal contraband. The Officer next searched the passenger and located a substance, suspected to be a narcotic, in her waistband area. The passenger was arrested and later cited out. The driver was released.

Domestic Violence: On March 2, 2020, at 11:18 a.m., an Officer responded to the HPD lobby for a battery report. The adult female victim stated her husband "tackled" her onto the bed last night around 11:00 p.m., during an argument which occurred at their residence.

Death: On March 2, 2020, at approximately 2:16 p.m., HPD Officers were dispatched to the 200 block of Starling Way (senior care home) for an unresponsive 81 year old male. Officers arrived along with RHFD. CPR was administered until the subject was pronounced deceased at 2:55 p.m. by Fire personnel.

Found Property: On March 3, 2020, at 10:32 a.m., an Officer was dispatched to Hanna Ranch for found property. A citizen located a set of keys and a hat hanging on the fence. The keys were booked into Evidence, as Found Property.

Warrant Arrest: On March 3, 2020, at 12:59 p.m., an Officer conducted a traffic stop on a 2002 Toyota Camry. The 62 year old male passenger was found to have a \$200,000 warrant. The subject was arrested and transported to the Martinez Detention Facility.

Possession of a Controlled Substance: On March 3, 2020, at 5:59 p.m., an Officer checked on a suspicious vehicle behind Big Lots. The 20 year old female passenger, admitted to having a small amount of narcotics in her possession. The subject was arrested and cite/released from the scene.

Stolen License Plate: On March 3, 2020 at 6:48 p.m., an Officer was dispatched to the 300 block of Brighton St. to take a report for a theft of a rear license plate. The theft occurred in the parking lot of Home Depot, 1625 Sycamore Ave, sometime between 4:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

WC SHIFT STATS

Date: 02/20/20-03/03/20

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| CALLS FOR SERVICE | |
| REPORTS | 64 |
| TRAFFIC CITES | 39 |
| PARKING CITES | 117 |
| ADULT ARRESTS | 20 |
| JUVENILE ARRESTS | 0 |
| ARSONS | 0 |
| DOMESTIC VIOLENCE REPORTS | 6 |
| HATE CRIMES | 0 |
| TOWED VEHICLES | 9 |
| PART 1 TOTAL | 255 |

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| PART 1 CRIMES BROKEN DOWN | ---- |
| HOMICIDE | 0 |
| RAPE | 0 |
| ROBBERY | 0 |
| ASSAULT (everything from simple battery to aggravated) | 0 |
| BURGLARY (residential or commercial) | 1 |
| LARCENY(auto burglary or thefts) | 9 |
| MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT | 0 |

UPCOMING EVENTS

Community and Library Services Commission

Date: 03/09/2020 7:00 P.M.

Location: City Hall Council Chambers

[111 Civic Drive](#)

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City Council Meeting

Date: 03/10/2020 7:00 PM

Location: City Hall Council Chambers

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Planning Commission Meeting

Date: 03/16/2020 7:00 PM

Location: City Hall Council Chambers

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Finance Commission Meeting

Date: 03/18/2020 7:00 PM

Location: City Hall Council Chambers

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