

North Westdale Neighborhood Association P.O. Box 642522, Los Angeles, CA 90064

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groups.yahoo.com/group/NWNA

5th annual **NWNA Fall Block Party / Talent Show**

TALENT CALL - (all ages)

Register now - call 310.479.2529 or email martinrubin@earthlink.net

This is an Opportunity to Showcase Your Talent!

Mark the date: Saturday afternoon, Sept. 29th

**@ Saint Andrew's Lutheran Church, 11555 National Blvd., 90064
(Rear Parking Lot—Federal Avenue & Clarkson Road)**

Have a **SAFE** Fourth of July



have a message for you!

"HAVE A GREAT 4TH OF JULY!"

But leave fireworks to the professionals
Personal possession or use of fireworks in Los Angeles is illegal."

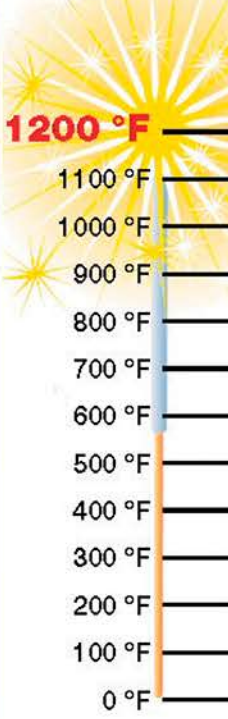
There are dozens of FREE fireworks shows in Los Angeles. Take the entire family and enjoy watching the "rockets red glare" under the stars.
Learn more, visit: www.lafd.org or www.mysafela.org

Fireworks are 100% DANGEROUS!



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Fireworks terrify pets!



Temperature (°F)	Event
1200	Sparklers
900	Glass melts at 900 °F
575	Wood burns at 575 °F
350	Cakes bake at 350 °F
212	Water boils at 212 °F

More pets go missing on July 4th than any other day.

FACTS

- Fireworks cause an average of almost 18,500 reported fires per year.
- Sparklers account for more than one-quarter of emergency room fireworks injuries.

President's message: by Martin Rubin



Dear Neighbors,

As we celebrate Independence Day, it is important to keep in mind that setting off consumer fireworks is not only illegal in Los Angeles, but it is dangerous and also very traumatic for many, especially those who are sick. Our pets and wildlife are also traumatized by the blasts of fireworks. Fireworks pollute our already bad air. I feel it is important to draw attention to these important facts that can be overlooked.

Please report to the police if you see illegal fireworks.

Citing a growing number of reports of illegal fireworks being set off around the Fourth of July and other holidays, the Los Angeles City Council approved some strategies aimed at cracking down on the use of pyrotechnics. Although fireworks are illegal in Los Angeles, every year in California they cause serious injuries and fires, and their use has become more widespread. On an 11-0 vote, the council directed the police and fire departments to implement a number of new strategies, including public outreach efforts bringing attention to the dangers of using illegal fireworks, and instructing the fire department to report on what steps are necessary to enable mobile reporting of violators through the 311 app or phone service. Councilman Mitch O'Farrell, who introduced the motion, said the problem of illegal fireworks appears to be growing. "This is a really, really serious and growing problem and has been for a long time, but it seems to have reached a crescendo last Fourth of July..."

The crime report below shows a drop in crimes since the last report. Please take note of Officer Acosta's reminders for us as we enter the hotter summer months.

At their last Board Of Directors meeting, the Mar Vista Community Council passed the motion in support of the Pelton's appeal to the L.A. City Council regarding the National/Barrington development traffic analysis. The appeal will next be heard at the L.A. Transportation Committee. Contact me for information.

The NWNA will not have a general meeting over the summer. We will hold our 5th Fall Block Party/Talent Show on Sept.29. It's a great opportunity to show off your talent (sign up now), and to have a fun-filled day. There will be free food for all as well as a bounce house for the youngsters. I hope to see you there.

Feel free to reach out to me via email or phone.

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NORTH WESTDALE CRIMES - MAY 20 to JUNE 21, 2018

Compiled by Martin Rubin from: maps.latimes.com/neighborhoods/neighborhood/sawtelle/crime/

Crime, Location, Date and Time (Address information is generalized by block to help ensure privacy is protected.)

1. Theft from vehicle-12200 Sunset Park-May 27- 9pm **2. Theft 12100 Ocean Park-June 4-12:55pm**



Our Pacific Area Senior Lead Officer: Adrian D. Acosta



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I hope that this email finds you all well and ready for the summer! We've made great strides in the last 8 weeks in reducing property crimes in Basic Car A25. More specifically Burglaries, Car Thefts and Thefts from Vehicles. You all should be commended for watching out for your neighborhoods and immediately reporting suspicious activity. As we enter the hotter summer months here is a friendly reminder:

- Please lock and secure your residences. A majority of our burglaries are due to an open point of entry. Be aware of open windows, doors and garages - especially if you're leaving for a short trip like to the market, kid drop off, etc.
- If you are going to be out of town or on an extended vacation team up with your neighbors to help keep an eye on your residence with things like bringing in your mail, newspapers and packages. Also send me an email to let me know so I can submit an extra patrol request.
- Be a good neighbor and continue to report suspicious activity. Participate in your local neighborhood watch and contact me via email to schedule a neighborhood walk.

I will be on vacation from July 5th through August 5th. I hope you all enjoy your summer!

Adrian Acosta, your Pacific Area Senior Lead Officer

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C A L E N D A R

July 05, 6:30 PM / August 02, 6:30 PM

MVCC PLUM Committee Meeting
Mar Vista Public Library Meeting Room

July 07, 6 PM / August 04, 6 PM

MVCC Airport Committee Meeting
Saint Andrew's - Library Meeting Room

July 10, 7 PM / August 14, 7 PM

MVCC Board of Directors Meeting
Mar Vista Recreation Center

September 29 (Saturday)

NWNA Fall Block Party

October 17, 7:00 PM

NWNA Meeting - Saint Andrew's

More MVCC information at: www.marvista.org

August NWNA Newsletter Submission Deadline: July 23 call: 310.479.2529 or email: martinrubin@earthlink.net

STILL NEED BLOCK/CONDO-APARTMENT CAPTAINS *FOR:*

Barrington 2700/2800 (east side only) - **Granville** 2700 - **National** 11700/11800 **Ocean Park Blvd.** (between Centinela and Barrington)

More than 50 Block Captains serve a critical role in keeping our neighbors informed by delivery of the NWNA Newsletter once a month to each door of their assigned block/condo or apartment building. .

Please volunteer to help keep our neighborhood informed.

A STRONG NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION MAKES A DIFFERENCE.

The new MVCC Chair, Elliot Hanna, would like to hear from you.

MVCC needs your participation. Please, send an e-mail to elliott.hanna@marvista.org Tell him a little bit about yourself, your interests, your goals, and your desires. He would like you in the mix as he selects the MVCC committee leadership for this term.

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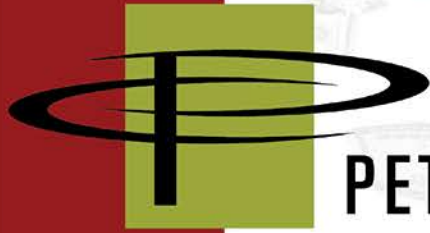
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