



City of Laguna Hills Monthly Newsletter

May 2025

Hello City of Laguna Hills,

Welcome to *The Roundup*, Laguna Hills' E-newsletter! Dedicated to keeping our community informed, this newsletter highlights local interests, events, activities, and updates on city projects. This month, the City of Laguna Hills invites you to honor our heroes by lacing up for the annual Memorial Day Race. Whether you're a seasoned runner or a first-time participant, this event is a powerful way to come together as a community, celebrate freedom, and support a cause that matters. Enjoy staying connected!

Warm regards,
Jarad Hildenbrand
City Manager

Save the Date:

- May 10: **Compost Giveaway** (Laguna Hills Mall - 8a-12p or while supplies last)
- May 13: **City Council/Planning Agency Meeting** (Council Chamber - 24035 El Toro Rd, 6pm)
- May 21: **Traffic Commission Meeting** (Council Chamber - 24035 El Toro Rd, 6pm)
- May 26: **Memorial Day Half Marathon, 5K, and 10K, Honoring USMC Team Darkhorse Battalion**
- May 27: **City Council/Planning Agency Meeting** (Council Chamber - 24035 El Toro Rd, 6pm)



Laguna Hills Senior Dial-a-Taxi Program

FREE Rides for the Month of May & June!

*Only applies to members and
within the program service area.

Enroll today! Free to apply!

Must be:

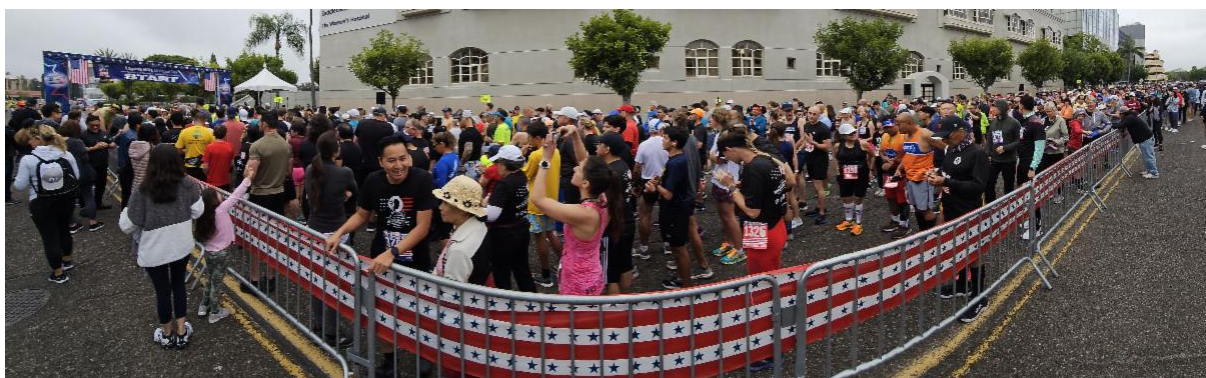
- ☒ Laguna Hills resident
- ☒ Over the age of 60

Application found online
and at the Laguna Hills
Community Center.

Contact Us

 lagunahillsca.gov

 949.707.2680



Looking for a challenge?

Sign up today for the **Memorial Day Half Marathon, 5K, and 10K Honoring the USMC**

Team Darkhorse Battalion! Whether you're a seasoned runner, a weekend warrior, or a first-time participant, there's a race for everyone – from the challenging Half Marathon to the fun and accessible 5K and 10K distances. More than just a race, this event is an opportunity to come together as a community, show your support for our military heroes, and pay tribute to those who have made the ultimate sacrifice in service to our country. Don't miss out – sign up today and be part of something truly special. See you at the starting line!

[View 5/26 Road Closures Here](#)

Major Planning Projects

For details on major planning projects in Laguna Hills, please visit our Planning Division webpage at lagunahillscsca.gov/174/Planning-Division. There, you can find comprehensive project descriptions, images, environmental documents, and additional information. For further inquiries, you can contact the Planning Division directly at (949) 707-2600. Alternatively, feel free to reach out to the assigned case planner for specific project details.

May is Building and Safety Month – We're Celebrating with the Community!

As part of **Building and Safety Month**, our **Building Official, Kent Tsen**, and **Senior Permit Technician, Cathy Tuper** will be speaking at **Orange Coast College** on **May 5th**. They'll be sharing their expertise on **plan check submittal requirements** and the **permitting process** with the college's **Interior Design Club**—a great opportunity for students to gain valuable insights from seasoned professionals in the field. We're proud to have our team sharing their knowledge and supporting the next generation of design professionals. See flyer for more details on this event.



WHY WE NEED PERMITS OCC INTERIOR DESIGN CLUB GUEST SPEAKERS

KENT TSEN

BUILDING OFFICIAL

CATHY TUPER

SENIOR PERMIT TECHNICIAN

From City of Laguna Hills



MONDAY, MAY 5

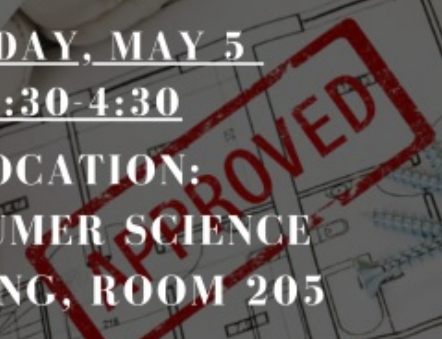


3:30-4:30

LOCATION:

CONSUMER SCIENCE

BUILDING, ROOM 205



Mother's Day Floral Workshop



Friday, May 9
6-8pm

Laguna Hills
Community Center
\$75 resident/\$80 non-
resident

Mother's Day is right around the corner. If you're looking for a meaningful way to celebrate, we've got just the thing.

Join us for our Mother's Day Flower Centerpiece Workshop, bring your mom, a mom-figure, or come solo for a fun and creative floral experience.

Everything you need is included, so just bring yourself. You'll leave with a stunning floral arrangement, new skills, and great memories!

Light refreshments will be provided.

For more details, call (949)707-2680 or visit lagunahillsca.gov



Scan to register

Register here!

FIREWORKS



Every year thousands of burns and eye injuries are caused by fireworks. Following these simple tips can help you enjoy fireworks safely.



You can
anonymously
report illegal or
dangerous firework
use by calling
714-538-3501.



Orange County
Fire Authority

(714) 573-6200
ocfa.org



Recommended Safety Tips

- Obey local laws. Safe and Sane fireworks are only legal in the cities of **Anaheim, Buena Park, Costa Mesa, Fullerton, Garden Grove, Huntington Beach, Los Alamitos, Orange, Santa Ana, Stanton, Villa Park, and Westminster.**
- Buy only Safe and Sane fireworks that are State Fire Marshal approved.
- Light fireworks outdoors in a clear area and at a safe distance away from people, homes, vehicles, or flammable materials.
- Light one firework at a time and never relight a dud.
- Have a bucket of water and a hose nearby to soak fireworks before throwing them in a trash can.
- Never point or throw fireworks at another person.

Fireworks and Child Safety

- Fireworks should only be handled by adults.
- Sparklers can exceed temperatures up to 1,200 degrees Fahrenheit, which is hot enough to melt gold.
- Never let children pick up pieces of fireworks after a show as some may still be active.
- Parents are liable for any damages or injuries caused by their children using fireworks.

In Case of an Accident:

- Call 9-1-1 and run cool water over any burn.
- In case of an eye injury, do not rub, touch, or rinse the eye as this can cause more damage to the injury.

City-Sponsored Fourth of July Events:

- A city-sponsored fireworks display is a great alternative to lighting your own fireworks. To find a fireworks display near you, please visit our website at **ocfa.org**.

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Did you attend Hoppin'
Hills?

We would love to hear from you!
Please take our survey [here!](#)



The Roundup

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