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#### **Upcoming Events**

UC Celebration Committee
Tuesday, June 7th and
Tuesday, June 21st
7:00 p.m. Standley Rec Center
Public welcome

UCCA Board Meeting Wednesday, June 8th 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. UC Library

UCPG Meeting
Tuesday, June 14th
6:00 p.m. Forum Hall,
UTC above Wells Fargo Bank
Full Agenda available at UC Library

Standley Recreation Council
Thursday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>
7:00 p.m. Standley Park
Public Welcome

#### Congratulations Graduates!!!

**Promotion Ceremonies:** 

Standley Middle School Friday, June 17th 9:30 a.m.

Curie Elementary Friday, June 17th 11:00 a.m.

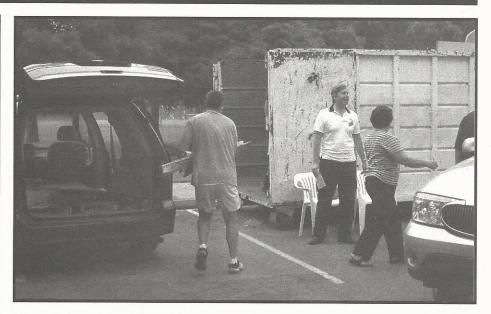
Spreckels Elementary Friday, June 17th 11:30 a.m.

UCHS Graduation 2:00 p.m. June 17<sup>th</sup> UCHS Stadium

Coming in July:

UC Celebration July 4th 8:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

Sunday summer concert series 5:00p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Standley Park



### Residents Clean Up Around the Community

UCCA's 4th annual community clean up was a big success. The bins donated by Debis Box filled quickly as residents took advantage of the opportunity to dispose of unwanted items from barbeques to basketball backboards to fences. Medians and sidewalks along Governor Dr., Regents Rd. and Genesee got a facelift as volunteers cleared tall weeds, trimmed overgrown ice plant and picked up trash.

A huge thank you to all who spent hours sprucing up the community.

Team Peters from Councilman Scott Peters office, Madeleine Lee, Rich and Angela Giesler, Cliff and his wife, tackled the weeds along Governor Dr. west of 805 and cleared trash near the 805 ramp. Joining in the effort there was the Worsham family, Milo, his wife, Susan, and daughter Amber. Realizing what a huge task this was, Milo Worsham rented a weed whacker and cleared a large part of the area along Governor Dr. east of McElroy Field.

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#### Get Ready for the Biggest Celebration Yet!

This year's Fourth of July celebration will include carnival games, pony rides, live entertainment, open swimming, a bike parade, 5-K run, and a pancake breakfast. Those who register for the 5-K run before June 24th will receive a ticket to the pancake breakfast. The Old Town Trolley will be available to shuttle residents along Governor Drive, and the Corvettes will cap off the fun-filled day with a concert in the park.

The Celebration committee has devoted many hours to making this a wonderful event for the community,

but there is still work to be done. Booth spaces are still available. Donations of gently used books are requested for the Book Barn. Volunteers are needed to run the game booths. The Celebration committee will donate money to local non-profit groups in return for volunteers to run the game booths. The UC Celebration Committee will meet June 7th and 21st at 7:00 p.m. at Standley Park. For information or to volunteer, contact Andy Freeburn at 858-336-4437 or email him at AndyFreeburn@century21award.com.

#### Neighborhood News...

Attention Senior citizens: If interested in playing Pinochle at Standley Park on Fridays from 9:30 -noon or 2:30, contact Ben at 453-2340 or email him benwroble.1@juno.com. Bridge is also played at that time... Of the many volunteers who help deliver our UCCA Newsletter every month, some are Special thanks to local students. Taylor Giffen, who delivered on Bothe for three years and is now graduating and off to Yale; also to Jon and Kevin Anderson, and Trevor Haag who regularly delivered the newsletter for over two years; and Gary Altamirano who began volunteering two years ago, and continues to deliver in his neighborhood. We appreciate your service to the community!... UC residents are in news! Tom Burke was recently inducted into the University of San Diego's Athletic Hall of Fame. Among his many contributions to the university in his 30 year career there --- 28 as Vice President of Student Affairs, Tom guided the Toreros into the NCAA Division 1 collegiate ranks and 1979 membership in the West Coast Conference... Valerie Edinger was recently promoted to Vice President of Continuing Education for the Community College District...UCHS seniors David Roost and Steven Kenyon were awarded "The Most Inspirational Students of The Month" by NBC 7/39 News for the month of March 2005. As commissioners of Athletics for the UCHS Associated Student Body, they created a student section at the basketball games, also designed, marketed, sold and distributed light blue "Bring 'Em Out" Centurion Basketball t-shirts, which were worn by fans, faculty and players alike. All the profits from this studentrun business will be combined with a UCHS Faith Club fundraiser, then matched by the ASB and donated to aid tsunami relief. Congratulations to David and Steven on receiving this award for their leadership and humanitarian efforts...At the recent CIF meet, UNLV bound UC High senior, Amanda Weinbrecht won the Div. II title in the Backstroke with her All America time. and Gary Altamirano won the Div. II Individual Medley. Congrats to both!...

# **Students Warned About the Dangers of Credit Card Debt**

Judge John Hargrove brings C.A.R.E. program to UC High

Seniors at U.C. High recently got a valuable lesson in the use and abuse of credit cards. Bankruptcy Judge John J. Hargrove, a U.C. resident and Chief Judge of the San Diego based U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of California is all too familiar with people struggling to dig out from credit card debt. He feels at least part of the solution is education at an earlier age for young consumers and has brought to San Diego the Credit Abuse Resistance Education program. C.A.R.E. was begun last year by Chief Bankruptcy Judge John Ninfo II of the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Western District of New York.

On Wednesday, May 18th, Judge Hargrove and bankruptcy attorneys, Jeffrey Cawdrey, Dean T. Kirby, Jr. and Mark Miller who are also U.C. residents volunteered their time and presented the program to UCHS seniors in assemblies throughout the day, the largest presentation to date. Students were advised to have a budget and live within it; have one credit card and to pay off their balances each month. Some were surprised to learn how quickly debt mounts when charging purchases and carrying balances at 20 percent interest and the consequences of that debt when they want to purchase a car or get a job. Students took a quiz and



Judge Hargrove speaks to students.



Jeff Cawdrey, Mark Miller, Judge John Hargrove and Dean Kirby, Jr. get ready to present C.A.R.E. program to UCHS students.

received a C.A.R.E. kit after the presentation.

Judge Hargrove and various volunteer attorneys have made the presentation to several schools, and he has partnered with San Diego City Schools to bring C.A.R.E. to every high school next year.

#### Clean Up (Cont. from pg. 1)

Another group of volunteers, John Schindel, Den Hemingway along with the Sawyers, Mark, Linda and, Katherine and the DeLeon family, Emilio, Julio, Josefa, Fides, Noel and Kristen, took on a big job on Genesee. Jemma Semala, Cathie Lester, Michele Lolly and Kids Korps cleared areas near Spreckels while Kay Brown and Sandy Lippe tackled the areas on Governor Dr. opposite the post office. Mary Kay Hewitt, Suzanne and John Ohlfest and Glenn Martin cleared weeds and iceplant along Regents Rd.

south of Governor. Mike Beck, Bryan Swift and Frank Salerno drove around picking up filled trash bags and brought them back to the bins outside Swanson Pool.

Thanks to everyone who participated for devoting your time and effort to make a difference in UC, and big thank you to Andy Freeburn for once again organizing the event and coordinating the drop offs at the bins. Thanks also to Debris Box for donating two bins and to Councilman Peters for providing passes for the "dump fee."

### **President's Perspective**

When I was a youngster, the highlight of my summer holidays was our local 4th of July Celebration. We prepared our lunch the night before the event, so we were up at dawn and out the door to make sure we got a place under one of the trees in the park. It never rained on our celebration. All day long we would swim, participate in games and had a little money for games of chance. One year my brother and I won the two legged race for our division and received two tickets each to the local theatre. That was a very special day, since the next Sunday we took Mom and Dad to the local show for free!

I would imagine that most folks have fond memories of the 4th of July. And once again this year, due to the efforts and energy of local volunteers, the University Citv Community Association and the Recreation Council have worked together to bring another celebration to our community. Due to the very generous contributions of local businesses and local citizens, we are able to expand and increase the daylong activities in the Park for young and old alike. The day will begin with the start of a fun run, a bicycle parade, the raising of the colors and our pancake breakfast from 8:00 - 11:00 A.M. Tickets are \$5

apiece and that includes all the pancakes and sausages you can pack away! The pancake committee has worked on logistics this year and have every hope that lines will be shorter and customers taken care of in very short order.

Then throughout the day there will be pony rides, rock climbing, games of chance and games for folks of all ages to exhibit their skills and abilities. For those interested in taking a dunk, the pool will be open until late in the afternoon. The day will close with a spirited concert by the Corvettes with their upbeat style and expression.

The committee can still use some volunteers to help serve the breakfast and to assist with other events of the day. Please contact Andy Freeburn: 858-552-0635 or andyfreeburn@century21award.com if you would like to pitch in to make this a wonderful celebration for all in the community.

We also hope that you will take the time to join the Community Association so that we can continue to have such special events right here in University City. Please fill in the membership form in this Newsletter and send it in as soon as possible. HAPPY BIRTHDAY AMERICA!

**Hugh Pates** 

# City's Budget Woes Affect Park, Pool and Library

UC residents will feel the effects of budget cuts on Standley Rec Center, Swanson Pool and the UC Library. Proposals call for reduction in operating hours and staff and an increase in fees.

The proposed FY 2006 budget may be viewed online at the City's website, www.sandiego.gov. There is also a link to a public comment form on the budget page and a link to the complete schedule of budget review dates.

The City Manager released his proposal for the establishment of new and adjusted fees for FY 2006.

The report has been linked via the Park and Recreation Department's Budget Web Page at

http://www.sandiego.gov/park-and-recreation/general-info/budget.shtml
The City Council is scheduled to hear the report on Tuesday, June 7, 2005 at 10am at City Hall (202 C Street, 12<sup>th</sup> floor). Budget discussion and final approval by the City Council is scheduled for Monday, June 20<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 – 5:00 p.m. Monday, June 27<sup>th</sup> has also been set aside, if needed.

#### <u>DEADLINE</u>

for the July/August issue is June 10th.

For news, email: caroleucca@sbcglobal.net For ads, email: uccaADS@hotmail.com

#### Did You Know?...

UCCA hopes to arrange a mayoral candidate forum in July in conjunction with the League of Women Voters. Watch for further news in the July newsletter...

...The City recently restriped Cather Ave. and Gullstrand. It's one of the measures residents on both streets hope will reduce speeding in the area. If you subscribe to Neighborhood ewatch, you may have noticed the number of citations written in the area in the past few months.

...If you haven't subscribed to **Neighborhood ewatch**, log on to **www.sandiego.gov**. Look for "I want to subscribe to," and click on the link to Neighborhood ewatch....

...City Council and Planning Commission meetings are broadcast live and also replayed on City channel 24. You can also view webcasts of City Council and Planning Commission meetings by clicking on the links at www.sandiego.gov...

... The area around UTC is designated as an Urban Node in the community The Planning Commission held a Workshop on the Urban Node on May 19th as a follow up to the workshop held last June. The focus of the workshop was not specific projects, but to discuss a focused update on the Urban Node in the community plan. The Urban Node is intended to be the high density, mixed use core of the University Community. Because of time constraints, discussion was limited; the Planning Commission voted to continue the workshop and make recommendations at the June 23rd meet-

... "Brush" is the predominant native plant community in the canyons of Southern California. When adjacent to homes, brush management is required in order to protect them from wild fire. Inspections of brush-covered areas adjacent to buildings are performed on a complaint basis only. The City of San Diego Fire Safety and Brush Management Guide (PDF: 499K) summarizes guidelines for brush management in canvon areas. This is a new guide, prepared after the October 2003 Cedar Fire. It's available online http://www.sandiego.gov/fireandems/p df/brushpdf.pdf.

# Clean up day in U.C.



# 2005 SUMMER CONCERTS at STANDLEY PARK Sundays 5:00-7:00 p.m.

July 10	The Bayou Brothers (Zydeco)
July 17	The Screamin Primas (Louis Prima Tribute Band)
July 24	Mario Olivares & Latin Spice
July 31	The Mar Dels (50's, 60's, & 70's)
Aug. 7	Laguna (Classic Rock)
Aug. 14	Chris Klich Jazz Quintet
Aug. 21	3 Cool Cats (Rock Oldies)
Aug. 28	Nitro Express (Country Rock)

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Thank you for your continued support!

Please make your check payable to UCCA, and mail it with this form to:

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Questions: Hugh Pates, UCCA President (858) 453-0645

# June Activities at Standley Park & Recreation Center

June 5th — 8th Master Sports presents Pee Wee Sports Camp. For ages 4-6, kids are introduced to soccer, basketball, tee-ball, flag football and track n' field. Camp goes from Monday through Thursday 9a.m. — 12 p.m. and costs \$75.

June 11th – 15th Master Sports Flag Football. Whether you need to sharpen your skills and get ready for the season or just want to play and learn for fun, sign up for this fun camp. Program includes passing, running, catching, blocking, defense, offense and much more. Ages: 7 – 12 year olds. Monday – Friday, from 9 a.m. -3 p.m. Cost is \$120.

June 15th -Kid's Night Out, 5:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m. Ages: 4-12. Children play games, do crafts, watch movies, use playground equipment and much more. Dinner included.

June 20th - September 2nd Summer Day Camp provided by Phillips Recreation. Ages 5 – 12. Regular Care is from 9 a. m.— 4 p.m. Cost: \$115 per week, \$25 daily drop-in, and \$35 for field trip drop-in (Thursdays). Extended Care is from 7 a.m. -6p.m. Cost: \$140 per week, \$30 daily drop-in, \$40 field trip drop-in (Thursdays).

June 25 – 29 **Master Sports Baseball Camp**. This camp provides the fundamentals of throwing, base running, fielding, hitting and more. Ages: 7 – 12. Monday – Friday, from 9 a.m. – 3 p.m. Cost: \$120.

Also during the month of June, Standley Park & Recreation Center will be offering adult classes such as: Stressbusters, Yoga (Beg. & Int), Hula, Aikido, and Pilates. For youth we will be offering classes in Gymnastics, Aikido, Hula, Tiny Tots (ABC Learning Program).

#### NOTICE

Flyers or handouts about businesses or non-UCCA events, activities, issues or organizations are neither inserted nor distributed with the UCCA newsletter.

# What's Happening with Construction at Standley Middle School?

The relocatable classrooms and building trailers that so dismayed local residents when they appeared on the open, green expanse on the corner of Governor and Radcliffe Drive, will disappear this summer and that delightful grassy area will be restored in fall, 2005.

Prop MM improvements begun in Spring 2004 at Standley Middle School are nearing completion.. Building 500 and four science classrooms are being remodeled, three new science classrooms are being created, a shaded lunch court is being constructed in the existing courtyard, flooring is being replaced and terrazzo refinished. To accommodate this work, classes from the science area and Building 500

needed alternative accommodation - hence the 13 relocatable classrooms.

Further improvements affecting the joint-use field areas seek to improve access and community enjoyment of the fields. On the front fields abutting Governor Drive, the school district is installing a stairway to the school parking lot, making fence and irrigation improvements, and grassing an area where spectators can sit to watch games. On the back (south) field, the sloped area is being cleared of brush, and replanted. There will also be some sidewalk repairs, and a new cement slab will be laid for the concession area. It is expected that these projects will be completed within the next two months.

### New Ad Prices Effective with July/August issue

The next issue of the newsletter will be a combined July/August edition. New advertising rates listed below will be in effect. The issue following that will be the September edition.

Thank you to all who support the newsletter through advertising. We appreciate your support.

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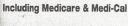
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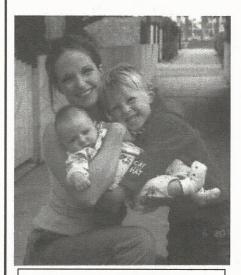
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The Rose Creek Watershed Alliance is an alliance of organizations and individuals helping to plan the future of the 23,427-acre Rose Creek Watershed. Communities in the watershed include Clairemont Mesa, University City, Pacific Beach, East Mt. Soledad and MCAS Miramar. Rose Creek enters the ocean at Mission Bay.

Meetings are being held to gather public input and suggestions on ways to improve and enhance the watershed. Please join us at our June meeting in University City:

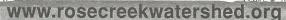
University City, June 11, Saturday, 9:30-12:00 2nd Public Workshop, Doyle Recreation Center 8175 Regents Road





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