



We're right in the middle of summer, and that means lots of backyard barbeques, beach days, and vacations. It also means a lot of community events for family and friends to gather. I'm happy to help sponsor many of those events!

Summer is also a time to take into account our health and safety. As the temperature rises in Southern California, make sure to drink lots of water and ensure that you and your loved ones have adequate sun protection, especially children and elderly.

You can protect yourself in another way, too. During summer, criminals tend to target homes for burglaries, as many residents vacation, leaving their unoccupied homes prime targets for break-ins. If you're going out of town, make sure to have adequate home security protections in place and ask a trusted neighbor to check in on your home periodically while you are away.

By taking these precautions and staying vigilant, we can all enjoy a safe and enjoyable summer.

IN THE NEWS

Statement from Chairman Don Wagner on Governor Newsom's Executive Order on Homeless Encampments

(Santa Ana, CA) – The following is a statement from Don Wagner, Chairman of the Orange County Board of Supervisors, on Governor Gavin Newsom's recent executive order on homeless encampments in California:

"While Governor Newsom holds authority to implement a homeless response for the state in the wake of the Grants Pass decision, there is no reason counties and other local governments should follow his lead given his track record," said Don Wagner, Chairman of the Orange County Board of Supervisors. "Homelessness has increased dramatically during his tenure, which followed a pandering failed promise to end homelessness within ten years during his tenure as San Francisco's mayor."

"Under Newsom's leadership, "Wagner continued, "California has witnessed an explosion of homelessness, with the situation getting worse, not better. Nearly half of all the nation's homelessness is here in California. What does that say about the Governor's leadership on the issue? In Orange County, we have cleared encampments, seen a growth in homelessness below the state's rate of growth, and advocated for the Grant's Pass ruling and a return to local government of the ability to act decisively in response to local situations. We should not give up local control now that we're freed from the rule of Federal Appellate Courts by turning it back over to Gavin Newsom.

"I'm happy that the Governor has decided to not dictate to Orange County how we will address clearing out the homeless encampments in our jurisdiction and allow us to tackle this issue without being micromanaged by the state. We will do what we believe is appropriate for our local communities, both by being compassionate to the homeless, and giving reprieve to the law-abiding citizens who have for far too long been forced to tolerate this unacceptable situation in their neighborhoods and communities."

IN THE COMMUNITY

LARGE ANIMAL EVACUATION AND TRAINING MEETING



I attended the Large Animal Evacuation and Training meeting in Lake Forest. I have been collaborating with equestrian leaders on large animal evacuations and recently directed County staff to establish a local program.

Residents, who have long volunteered in animal rescues, held the first of two planning meetings to prepare for emergencies like wildfires.

Ensuring both people and animals are safely evacuated is crucial. Thanks to the community for organizing this important event!

SOUTH ORANGE COUNTY ECONOMIC COALITION BOARD INSTALLATION CEREMONY





I joined the South Orange County Economic Coalition for its 2024-2025 board installation ceremony where I presented a certificate of recognition to new Chairwoman Adriana Galdamez.

Congratulations to Chairwoman Adriana Galdamez and the new board.

Thank you for your leadership and dedication to serving our business community!

We look forward to working with you!

CONCERT IN THE (VILLA) PARK



My Field Representatives, Pat Buttress and Al Tello, attended the Concert in Villa Park held at the Cerro Villa Middle School outdoor amphitheater. I'm proud to

have sponsored this event that was organized by the Villa Park Community Services Foundation.

The cover band Radio Royalty was a real crowd-pleaser, performing hits from the 80's.

MISSION VIEJO DEPUTY CITY MANAGER KEITH RAY RETIREMENT



My Community Outreach Director, Saga Conroy, joined the Mission Viejo City Council for a retirement ceremony for Deputy City Manager Keith Rattay.

Keith has been serving the City of Mission Viejo for almost 29 years, where he has earned the respect of city colleagues and many project partners, vendors,

and residents.

The City of Mission Viejo and the greater community have been blessed to have him in this role. Keith's diligence, creativity, and his great influence and relationships throughout the Orange County have made him a valuable partner over the years.

The next Deputy City Manager has big shoes to fill, but I'm confident that Mission Viejo will continue his legacy and standard of work.

Thank you Keith, and have a wonderful retirement!

PEDEGO ELECTRIC BIKES GRAND OPENING



My Field Representative, Pat Buttress, attended the Yorba Linda Chamber of Commerce ribbon cutting of Pedego Electric Bikes Yorba Linda. She presented a certificate of recognition on my behalf for their opening, and congratulated them on this exciting new adventure.

Pedego Yorba Linda is a locally-owned store where they pride themselves on treating you like family. They strive to put you in the perfect electric bike so you

will get the most out of it for many years to come.

Congratulations to Pedego on your grand opening!

ORANGE COUNTY ACTING ACADEMY GRAND OPENING



My District Director, Scott Voigts, presented a certificate of recognition at the grand opening and ribbon-cutting for Orange County Acting Academy in Mission Viejo.

Orange County Acting Academy's aim is to cultivate well-rounded artists who not only have exceptional acting skills, but also embody a profound sense of integrity and character that will stay with them into every aspect of their lives.

ALZHEIMER'S AWARENESS MONTH RECOGNITION



The month of June 2024 was declared Alzheimer's Awareness Month to help raise awareness of Alzheimer's and other dementias.

My Field Representative, Al Tello, visited the Alzheimer's Association, Orange County Chapter office in Irvine to thank them to everything they do to help those affected by the disease.

Nearly seven million Americans aged 65 and over have Alzheimer's disease. One in three seniors dies with Alzheimer's or other forms of dementia.

Whatever your age, now is the right time to take actions that help promote a healthy brain. You can get started with these 10 Healthy Habits for your brain: www.alz.org/healthyhabits

For more info, visit www.alz.org/oc

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ORION SENIOR COMMUNITY GROUNDGREAKING



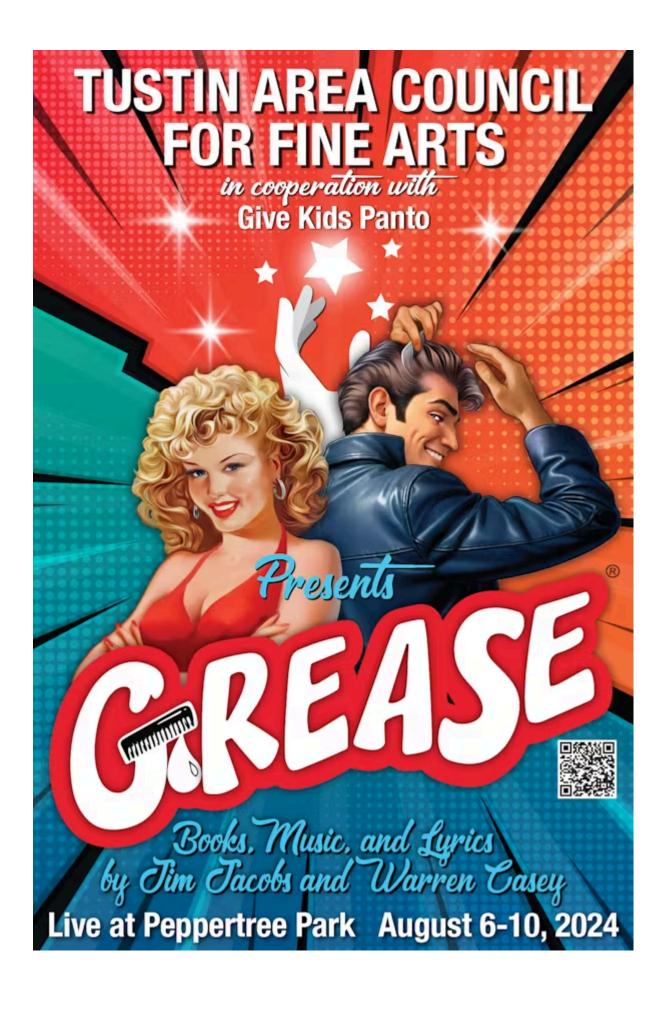


My Field Representative, Pat Buttress, joined Orange Mayor Dan Slater and other local leaders for the groundbreaking of The Orion, a Senior Community built by USA Properties Fund Inc., who proudly celebrated their first project in the City of Orange.

The Orion will be offering 166 affordable apartment homes for the senior community. This project consists of three new buildings ranging between three and four stories with surface parking and elevator accessibility. Amenities include outdoor courtyards, a dog park, a clubroom, fitness center, and senior services center, for a fantastic senior living experience.

Congratulations on this exciting new groundbreaking!

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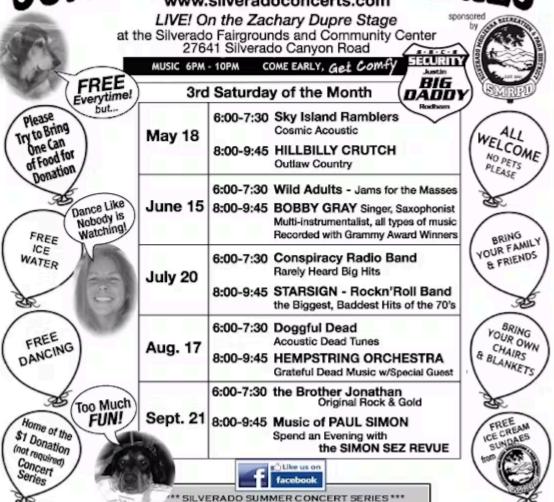








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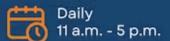
BBQ Hamburger Plates Available from 6:00 to 8:00 The Sound Man: Matt Borden, Mountain Majesty Music - 714-333-5616

Proceeds benefit Silverado Modjeska Recreation and Park District and Zachary Dupre Concert Venue Upgrades



Daily Adoption Options

Adoption Visits



- Scheduled Adoption Visits available for the convenience of adopters
- Walk-in Adoption Visits welcome and provided next available time slot
- To pre-schedule a visit, call 714-935-6848
- Phone line open daily from 8 a.m. 5 p.m.

Viewing Hours



- OC Animal Care is open daily for visitors to drop by to walk through
- Visitors can view ready-to-gohome dogs and cats during Viewing Hours

At OC Animal Care, we know how important it is to get to know a pet before you make the final decision to adopt. That's why one-on-one "meet-and-greets" are a critical part of the OCAC adoption process.

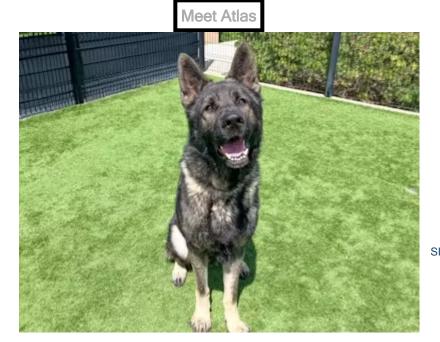
OC Animal Care's mission is to provide refuge and care for animals, foster the human-animal bond, and promote safety in our community.

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PET OF THE WEEK

UPCOMING





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