UPCOMING EVENTS

JANUARY

18th - 26th
WEEK OF THE FAMILY
Info: www.sancarlosweekofthefamily.org

25th
COMMUNITY PASTA & BINGO NIGHT
Friday, 5:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Adult Community Center,
601 Chestnut Street
Tickets: 802-4384

Jan 25th / Feb 15th / Mar 8th
KIDS’ NIGHT OUT
Friday, 6 - 9 p.m.
San Carlos Youth Center,
1001 Chestnut Street
Tickets: 802-4471

FEBRUARY

1st
CHAMBER CITIZEN OF THE YEAR GALA
Friday, 5 - 9 p.m.
Domenico Winery
www.sancarloschamber.org

8th
ROYAL BALL
Friday, 7 - 9 p.m.
Youth Center, 1001 Chestnut Street
Tickets: 802-4471

16th
HEALTHY AGING RESOURCE FAIR
Friday, 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
Adult Community Center,
601 Chestnut Street
Free! RSVP: 802-4384

23rd
COMMUNITY CRAB FEED
Saturday, 4:30 p.m.
Adult Community Center,
601 Chestnut Street
Tickets: 802-4384

MARCH

9th
MARDI GRAS DINNER DANCE
Saturday, 6 - 9 p.m.
Adult Community Center,
601 Chestnut Street
Tickets: 802-4384

Renovated Youth Center Offers New Programs and Classes for the New Year

San Carlos Parks and Recreation is thrilled to have a variety of new programs and classes coming to the Youth Center in 2019. After being renovated this past November with a new gym, kitchen, and other building improvements, the Youth Center is ready to welcome community members for the new year!

Winter Session begins in early January, and Parks and Recreation is offering 25 youth classes, 16 of which are new programs. Scratch Computer Coding and Canvas Painting taught by Out of the Box Kids instructors, and new cooking classes taught by Cooking Round the World and Junior Chef Stars headline the new offerings. New to our adult programming at the Youth Center is Drop-in Morning Basketball on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:30 – 9:00 a.m. and High-Intensity Pilates on Tuesday mornings from 6:30 – 7:15 a.m.

For more information and to register for Parks and Recreation programs, visit www.cityofsancarlos.org/register or call (650) 802-4382.

To let us know what kind of classes you would like to see offered in the future, visit www.cityofsancarlos.org/shapesancarlos.
New Mural at Museum of San Carlos History

You may have noticed a new attraction while driving or walking past the Museum of San Carlos History, located at 533 Laurel Street. The San Carlos Villagers (docents of the Museum) and the Museum Board were awarded a grant from the City of San Carlos to create a beautiful new mural, which depicts a 1927 Seagrave Fire Engine much like the one found inside the Museum itself. Painted on the garage door of a vintage 1920’s fire station, the mural is the work of local artist Suzanne Gayle, who has also beautified several of the City’s utility boxes through the Park and Recreation Department’s Utility Box Mural Project.

The mural is a first step in the creation of a mini park where the Fire Department’s old practice tower once stood, next to the Museum and Fire Station 13. Soon to join the mural will be new landscaping, benches, a trellis and pergola, as well as a kiosk that will include a plaque in memory of former Villager President Bob Bledsoe.

Inside the Museum, in addition to the vintage fire engine, is a chronological set of exhibits depicting the history of San Carlos, beginning with the Native Americans and chronicling the building of the town, community services and sports groups, and the development of the electronics industry. Memorabilia from Circle Star Theater and an antique toy display are also featured.

The Museum is open every Saturday from 1 to 4 p.m., January through November, and is staffed by trained docents eager to share the rich history of San Carlos with community members and visitors alike. Come see the new mural up close, and find out why the Museum is often called one of the best kept secrets in San Carlos!

INFO Visit the Museum’s website at www.sancarloshistorymuseum.org.

NEW COUNCIL AND AGENDA NOTIFICATIONS

After the election this past November, the City of San Carlos has three newly elected Council members—Sara McDowell, Laura Parmer-Lohan, and Adam Rak—all of whom are eager to join City Staff and the community in helping San Carlos succeed as the City of Good Living.

INFO Stay up-to-date on all City happenings as the Council discusses firearms regulations, traffic, new development, and more, by signing up to receive agenda notifications at www.cityofsancarlos.org/mysc. You can also learn about all of our Council members by visiting www.cityofsancarlos.org/council.
Here at City Hall, we are excited to begin 2019 with our new City Council. Joining Council Chair Mark Olbert and Vice Mayor Ron Collins are our three newly elected Council members—Laura Parmer-Lohan, Sara McDowell, and Adam Rak.

The entire community of San Carlos should be proud of its role in selecting our City Council. Voter turnout in this past November’s election is a great example of how involved our residents are in the civic process—with 82% of San Carlos voters casting ballots. Not only were new Council members selected, but our two tax measures also received strong support, showing that our community backs the City’s efforts on its behalf.

Community input will continue to be crucial to achieving our shared goals surrounding traffic, parking, development, and more in 2019 and in the years to come. I’m confident that thoughtful community feedback, together with transparent and honest dialogue between our Council, staff, and community members, will aid our problem solving.

I encourage our community members to continue to take a vested interest in helping San Carlos thrive by attending meetings, voicing their opinions, and supporting local programs, projects, and businesses. With your continued involvement, together we can ensure San Carlos remains the City of Good Living.

On behalf of your City Council and City staff, I wish you and yours a happy New Year.

SAN CARLOS LAUNCHES NEW Bike and Pedestrian Master Plan

In the City of Good Living, being able to comfortably walk and bike to destinations is part of our City’s vision. Whether it is reaching the San Carlos Caltrain Station to get to work, biking to the Bay Trail with your family on the weekend, or walking to errands in downtown San Carlos, we know there are ways we can make walking and biking safer and more comfortable for residents and visitors to San Carlos.
This Fall, we kicked off planning for our new San Carlos Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan to explore future improvements to enhance walking and biking opportunities in San Carlos.

**HOW YOU CAN SHARE YOUR INPUT**

As we kickoff this process, we are very interested in hearing about barriers you experience to walking and biking in San Carlos, and what you see as priorities for the City’s active transportation system. Here are a few ways you can get involved:

- **Share your thoughts at the Transportation and Circulation “T&C” Commission Meeting**—Attend the T&C meeting on Tuesday, January 15th, at 7 p.m. in the Enterprise Conference Room at City Hall (600 Elm Street).

- **Join us at the Kick-Off Workshop**—Join us on Thursday, February 21st from 6–8 p.m. at the San Carlos Library (2nd floor) for our Kick-Off Workshop. We want to hear what your top concerns and barriers are for walking and biking in the city.

- **Visit us at Pop-Up Locations**—City staff will be attending events like the Farmers’ Market to discuss the project with community members. Check the project webpage (given below) for locations.

- **Take our Online Survey**—Take our online survey on your own time and schedule to let us know about specific locations that are barriers for walking and biking to the destinations you want to reach.

For more information, and to take the online survey, please visit the project webpage at [www.cityofsancarlos.org/bikepedmasterplan](http://www.cityofsancarlos.org/bikepedmasterplan).
CONNECT with the
CITY OF SAN CARLOS
Keeping current with local happenings has never been easier. Here are all the ways you can get updates on the latest news and events in the City of Good Living.

Get San Carlos news, straight to your inbox... 
Choose from more than 40 categories in our email news service, E-notify.

... And your mailbox
Every San Carlos resident and business receives the Good Living and Spotlight newsletters. You can check them out online, too.

Visit our website for in-depth info
Our City website has plenty to offer, from a comprehensive events calendar to the latest news releases and links to all City Council, Board, and Commission Agendas.

Follow us on social media for quick updates
The City of San Carlos is social! Stay updated with our official accounts on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and Nextdoor.

Never miss a beat with our Youtube video series
Dive into City Hall In Focus, a video series that gives you info about a wide variety of newsworthy topics.

Add your voice to the conversation!
Give the City feedback on programs and projects through Shape San Carlos, our online citizens engagement forum.

Stay up to date with Parks and Recreation
Visit the Parks & Recreation web page to sign up for unique classes and special events, and keep an eye out for the Parks & Recreation Activity Guide, mailed to residents quarterly.
City Council Mission Statement
The City of San Carlos provides high quality services and facilities in a fiscally sustainable, responsive and friendly manner to foster a safe and healthy community.