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Creating Community Through People, Parks, and Programs

This is your guide to amazing seasonal activities, special events and meaningful City news. Use it to find an enriching class to inspire you, a unique community event to connect with neighbors or simply stay informed by reading about what's new. The City Council is committed to a Connected, Informed and Engaged Community and we invite you to flip through this issue and find something new to do with us!

Working Together to Promote Unity

The City of Tualatin is committed to maintaining a safe and welcoming community. Harmful acts have no place in our city. We commit to a peaceful and safe place in which to work, live and play. We encourage individual acts of kindness, community support of the most vulnerable; we discourage acts of hostility and hate. By extending safety, support and love we help those around us feel safe and build community trust.

Easily sign up for all recreational classes and events listed in this catalog at www.tualatinoregon.gov/recreation/program-registration.

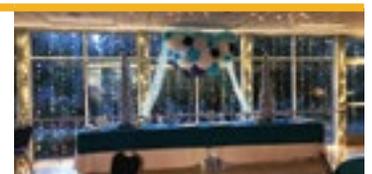
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★ ★ ★ *The City of Tualatin's* ★ ★ ★

Starry Nights & Holiday Lights

★ *Friday, December 6, 2019 5:00-8:00 pm* ★

★ *Join us at The Lake at Tualatin Commons for:* ★

- *The lighting of Tualatin's floating holiday tree.*
- *Children's choirs from Tualatin schools.*
- *Refreshments and a visit from Santa!*

The Tualatin Commons is located at 8325 SE Nyberg Street, Tualatin, OR 97062
For more information call 503-691-3061 or go to www.tualatinoregon.gov

City of Tualatin

STARRY NIGHTS AND HOLIDAY LIGHTS

Fri 12/6

5-8pm

Lake at Tualatin Commons

Join us for a special night filled with thousands of twinkling lights, hundreds of song-filled voices, and cozy treats as we kick off the holidays. This **free** family event will include music from our local youth choirs, the lighting of the floating holiday tree, holiday crafts, a visit from Santa, hot cocoa from Starbucks, and cookies from New Seasons Market. Events like this would not be possible without the support of our local businesses! Thank you Brow Betty, Lee Farms, Starbucks and New Seasons Market. For more information about this exciting event, please visit our website at www.tualatinoregon.gov, or contact Heidi Marx at 503.691.3076 or hmarx@tualatin.gov

Performance Schedule

- 5:00 Tualatin High School Brass Ensemble
- 5:30 Tualatin High School Crimsonnaires
- 6:00 **Tree Lighting Countdown & Santa's arrival**
- 6:20 Tualatin Elementary Choir
- 6:40 Byrom Elementary Choir
- 7:00 Bridgeport Elementary Choir
- 7:20 Hazelbrook Middle School
- 7:40 Twality Middle School Treble Choir

COMMUNITY EVENTS



NEW HORIZONS BIG BAND HOLIDAY CONCERT

All Ages Welcome

Enjoy some classic Big Band tunes as we celebrate the holiday season at the Juanita Pohl Center!

Mon 12/16 7-8:30pm

Free

SNOW BALL DANCE

Ages three and up

It's time for a special night out! Dance the night away and enjoy fancy desserts, sparkling decorations, and a souvenir keepsake photo. Register early, as space is limited to the first 50 couples each night. Register online: www.tualatinoregon.com

Juanita Pohl Center

Fri 2/7, Sat 2/8 6:30-8:30pm

\$15 per person





SEASONAL EVENTS AT THE LIBRARY

NW DANCE THEATER PRESENTS A NUTCRACKER TEA

Ages 4+

A Nutcracker Tea is an abridged, family-friendly adaptation of the Nutcracker ballet for ages 4 and up. The classic story of Clara and the Nutcracker Prince is told with beautiful music, colorful costumes, and delightful dancing.

Library Hearth Area

Sat 12/1 2pm

Free

PENGUIN NEEDLE FELT

Ages 12+

Learn the basics of needle felting by making a fuzzy penguin. Artist LeBrie Rich will teach you about the tools and techniques for sculpting wool with a felting needle. With an optional acorn cap beret, your little penguin can become an ornament. This is a great project for beginners. All materials provided. Come craft with us!

Requires Registration.

Library Community Room

Sun 12/8 2-4pm

Free



COMMUNITY EVENTS



TUALATIN HIGH SCHOOL CRIMSONAIRES

All Ages

The Tualatin High School Choir will be in the library for a free performance you won't soon forget! These amazing teens put on a great show for the library every year that puts you in the mood for the holidays.

Library Hearth Area

Thurs 12/19 7pm

Free

THE LITTLE MERMAID SING-A-LONG

All Ages

We're showing the sing-along version of The Little Mermaid and encouraging the audience to sing to their hearts' content. Popcorn and lemonade will be available.

Library Community Room

Mon 12/23 11am-12:30pm & 2-3:30pm

Free

MARY POPPINS SING-A-LONG

All Ages

We're showing the sing-along version of Mary Poppins and encouraging the audience to sing to their hearts' content. Popcorn and lemonade will be available.

Library Community Room

Mon 12/30 2-4pm

Free



NOON YEAR'S ROCKIN' EVE PARTY WITH MICAH & ME

All Ages

Celebrate the new year at our Noon Year's Rockin' Eve bash with Micah & Me! We'll have a rockin' good time, with dancing, bubbles, balloons and noisemakers. Dress in your finest and ring in 2020 at the Library! **Limited Seating. Beginning at 10am on the day of the event, we will hand out 150 tickets for the show.**

Library Community Room

Tue 12/31 11am - 12:30pm

Free



PARENTS' NIGHT OUT

Ages 4-11

Parents, enjoy a night out while the kids have fun with us! We'll enjoy a movie, plus fun crafts, games, and a pizza dinner. Minimum 7 participants.

Van Raden Community Center

Sat 12/7, 1/4 5:30-10pm

\$17 first child/ \$15 each additional sibling



CITY OF TUALATIN SPORTS AFFILIATES

Looking for a youth sports league? There are several independent youth sports leagues in Tualatin offering programs for all ages and abilities. For more information on youth sports, please use the contact information below.

Tualatin Youth Baseball

www.tualatinyouthbaseball.com

Tualatin Youth Softball

www.tualatinsoftball.org

Tualatin Soccer Club

www.tualatinsoccer.com

Tualatin Youth Football

www.tualatinyouthfootball.org

Tualatin Lacrosse Club

www.tualatinlacrosse.com

Tualatin Youth Basketball

www.tualatinyouthbasketball.com

Tigard Tualatin Aquatic District

www.ttadpools.com

Columbia Empire Volleyball Association

www.cevaregion.org



JOIN THE TUALATIN YOUTH ADVISORY COUNCIL!

Have you heard of the Tualatin Youth Advisory Council? The YAC is a group of energetic, motivated youth in grades 8-12 who work to make sure that the youth perspective is heard in local government and throughout the community! In addition, YAC members volunteer at City events and plan activities just for youth. Do you want to be more involved in your community? We are currently recruiting new members. Learn more about the YAC on our website: www.tualatinoregon.gov/recreation/tualatin-youth-advisory-council.

ADULT PROGRAMS & SERVICES

JUANITA POHL CENTER

"Where Active Adults Engage"

*Learn *Laugh *Move More

8513 SW Tualatin Rd.

503.691.3061

www.tualatinoregon.gov/recreation/juanita-pohl-center

AGING
MASTERY
PROGRAM



LUNCH & LEARN SERIES

Join us for a catered lunch and an educational presentation provided by local experts. Pre-registration required. Sponsored in-part by Oswego Place.



VARICOSE VEINS: INFORMATION & OPTIONS

Ages 55 & Better

Varicose veins are often misunderstood as a cosmetic problem however healthy leg veins have valves that keep blood flowing to the heart! If chronic venous insufficiency is left untreated, symptoms can worsen over time. Learn more about Chronic Venous Insufficiency and treatment options. Provided by Medtronic.

Tues 12/17 12-1pm

Free res/\$5 non-res

ESTATE PLANNING BASICS

Ages 55 & Better

An estate planning seminar focusing on how to avoid probate and help lower or eliminate estate taxes.

Presented by Myatt & Bell P.C.

Tues 1/21 12-1pm

Free res/\$5 non-res

MANAGING PAIN FOR SENIORS

Ages 55 & Better

Learn how to manage pain wisely, about alternatives to pain pills, and what you can do to help yourself when in pain.

Tues 2/18 12-1pm

Free res/\$5 non-res

NEW!

EAT, LEARN, GROW SERIES

Join us for a special lecture series focusing on personal growth and education. Sponsored in-part by Washington County.



10 WAYS TO LOVE YOUR BRAIN

Ages 55 & Better

Learn the basics of mental wellness and what behaviors help support our long term quality of life in this fun and interactive introduction to good brain health. Get tips from the latest research and information on local resources. Presented by Kera Magarill, Older Adult Behavioral Health Specialist.

Fri 1/10 12-1pm

FREE

WILL YOU STILL NEED ME WHEN I'M 64... 74... 84... 94?

Ages 55 & Better

A discussion about sexuality in the context of aging. Topics include: the lasting importance of physical intimacy; the challenges of changing sexual needs, desires, and abilities; how to obtain and confirm a partner's consent; the importance of safe sex practices; vulnerability to "sweetheart scams" and more.

Fri 2/14 12-1pm

FREE

SPECIAL EVENTS

ART TO FEED THE SOUL

Ages 55 & Better

Celebrate travel, family, age and expression in this guided art program! Learn new techniques in painting, composition, and storytelling. All are welcome, no prior experience required.

Wed 1/8-2/12 1:30-3:30pm

\$45 res/\$57 non-res

Van Raden Community Center

TWO FLEAS & A FLUKE

All Ages Welcome

Come enjoy the Finest Ukulele Trio West of the Mississippi! Two Fleas & A Fluke play a myriad of genres ranging from sound of The Beatles, to Gospels, to Hawaiian Ballads.

Thurs 1/16

11am-12:30pm

FREE



FITNESS

SILVERSNEAKERS CLASSIC*

Ages 55 & Better

Have fun and move to the music with a variety of exercises designed to increase muscular strength and range of movement. Activity level: Beginner/Moderate

Mon/Wed/Fri 10-11am
Tues 9:45-10:45am

**SILVER&FIT SIGNATURE SERIES
 LEVEL 3 EXCEL***

Ages 55 & Better

Level 3 is for very active older adults who regularly exercise three or more days per week. Activity level: Moderate

Tues/Thurs 11am-12pm

ZUMBA®

All Ages Welcome

Combines motivating, high-energy music with unique moves and combinations.

Thurs 6:30-7:30pm
\$1

TAI CHI SERIES

Ages 55 & Better

A slow movement exercise program designed to strengthen the body and improve balance and sense of well-being.

Wed/Fri 1/8-2/28
\$56 res/\$70 non-res

Series includes the following options:

Moving For Better Balance
10-11am

Yang Style 12-Movement Form
11:15am-12:15pm

Yang Style 24-Movement Form
8:45-9:45am

GENTLE YOGA

Ages 18 & Up

Come take time to gently cultivate strength, balance and flexibility with the support of props. Each participant's abilities and challenges will be respected with many options offered. Focus is on maintaining good alignment while working toward goals. All levels of ability are welcome.

Mon 12/2-2/10 8:30-9:45am
\$55 res/\$69 non-res

**AQUA AEROBICS AT MARQUIS
 COMMUNITY CENTER**

Ages 55 & Better

A variety of toning and strength exercises done for a full body resistance training workout in a warm (88°F) salt water pool. Sponsored by Marquis Companies.

Mon/Wed 12/2-2/26 9-10am
\$49 res/\$62 non-res

Location: Marquis Community Center



NEW! FIT & STRONG!

Ages 55 & Better

Fit & Strong! is a multi-component physical activity and behavior-change 12-week program that teaches sedentary adults with joint pain and stiffness and/or lower extremity pain and mobility issues how to engage in safe and effective exercise.

Tues/Thurs 12/10-2/27 1:30-3pm
\$54 res/\$68 non-res

ADULT PROGRAMS & SERVICES



TRIPS AND TOURS

DAY TRIP PHYSICAL EFFORT METER

- Minimal walking or standing
- More walking or standing
- Lots of walking or standing

HOT LIPS PIZZA •

Ages 21 & Up

Enjoy handcrafted pizza and delicious real fruit sodas at this sustainable Hawthorne Street restaurant. Fee includes lunch, gratuity, escort and transportation.

Tues 12/10 11:30am-2:30pm
\$28 res/\$35 non-res

BOX SEATS AT THE TRAILBLAZERS •

Ages 21 & Up

Experience the thrill of watching the Trailblazers play the Charlotte Hornets from the comfort of a private box at the Moda Center. Fee includes event ticket, escort and transportation.

Mon 1/13 5pm-10:30pm
\$59 res/\$74 non-res

WHITE RIVER CANYON SHOWSHOE •••

Ages 21 & Up

Rare Earth Adventure guides will show the way to some spectacular views of Mt. Hood and the surrounding wilderness, blanketed by snow! Take a moment to sit and take in the stillness of the remote mountain environment. Snowshoe instruction, gear and snacks will be provided. Fee includes snowshoe tour, escort and transportation.

Thurs 1/30 9am-5pm
\$86 res/\$108 non-res

HOLLYWOOD VINTAGE & LUNCH AT THE ZIPPER ••

Ages 21 & Up

Check out Hollywood Vintage, a large indoor vintage and antiques market in NE Portland and enjoy lunch at The Zipper, an indoor food pod. Fee includes escort and transportation.

Thurs 2/13 11:30am-3:30pm
\$15 res/\$19 non-res

AXE THROWING & LUNCH AT STORMBREAKER ••

Ages 21 & Up

Enjoy a delicious meal at Stormbreaker Brewing in St. Johns and learn to throw axes in a completely safe environment! A truly unique experience not to be missed. Axe throwing training will be provided. Fee includes one hour of axe throwing, lunch, gratuity, escort and transportation.

Wed 2/26 11am-3:30pm
\$56 res/\$70 non-res



READING THE HOLOCAUST

Ages 21 & Up

Explore some lesser-known writings on the Holocaust, with a focus on diarists, including some by local survivors. There'll be a chance to read excerpts together and discuss, as well as a reading and resource list for further study and exploration. Pre-registration is required.

Wed 12/11 1-3pm
\$5 per person

MEALS ON WHEELS

The Juanita Pohl Center, through the Meals on Wheels People, offers hot, nutritious meals for anyone age 60 & older Monday through Friday at the Juanita Pohl Center. Lunch service begins at 11:30am. Meals on Wheels service is also available for homebound seniors. For more information, call 503.692.6767 or visit

www.mealsonwheelspeople.org

TUALATIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

TUALATIN PUBLIC LIBRARY

18878 SW Martinazzi Ave.

503.691.3074

www.tualatinoregon.gov/library

Mon-Thurs 10am-9pm

Fri-Sat 10am-6pm

Sun 1-6pm

To register for library programs online, visit the website above, then click on "News and Events" and "Library Calendar".

MAKERSPACE FOR KIDS

Ages 6+

Each session will feature one of our Mobile Makerspace tech toys, such as 3Doodler pens, Little Bits, Cubelets, Dot & Dash, and Lightpad Blox. Code Ninja will present a coding corner with their trained teachers. No registration needed.

Library Community Room

Wed 12/4, Thurs 1/9, Thurs 2/13

3:30-5pm

Free

STORYTIMES

NOTE: Storytimes take a break from Saturday December 21 through Saturday January 4.

BOOK BABIES STORYTIME

Ages 0 - 18 months

Mon 11:30am-12:30pm

Free

TINY TOTS STORYTIME

Ages 12 months - 2.5 years

Tue 11:30am-12:30pm

Free

TODDLER STORYTIME

Ages 2 years - 3.5 years

Mon 10:30-11:30am

Free

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME

Ages 3 years - 5 years

Thu 1-2pm

Free



CUPCAKES & COMICS

Grades 6-12

Join other teens for cupcakes and talk about your favorite comics, manga, and manhwa! Meets the first Thursday of each month. Read whatever you want!

Library Teen Room

Thur, 12/5, 1/2, 2/6 6-7pm

Free

FAMILY STORYTIME

All Ages

Tue 10:30-11:30am

Free

SATURDAY FAMILY STORYTIME

All Ages

Sat 11am-12pm

Free

SPECIAL STORYTIME SERIES

Pre-K Imagination Yoga

Ages 3-6

Yoga teacher Carrie Young will use adventure themes to guide kids through developmentally appropriate yoga poses, kindness activities and calming techniques. Class size is limited; register online.

Library Community Room

Wed 10-10:45am

Free

Wed 1/8: Treasure hunt

Wed 1/15: Wild in Oregon

Wed 1/22: Becoming butterflies

Wed 1/29: Wild in Hawaii

TEEN ANIME SATURDAY

Grades 6-12

Join us for great Japanese animation and delicious Asian snacks. Don't forget to bring a fellow otaku!

Library Teen Room

Sat 12/7, 1/4, 2/1 2-4pm

Free

LEGO MANIACS

Grades 1-6

A master builder will show kids how to make amazing LEGO creations. We'll have all the LEGOs on hand for kids to participate, so no need to bring your own. Starting in January, the program will move to Saturday afternoons. Registration is required.

Library Community Room

Tues 12/10, Sat 1/25, Sat 2/29

4-5:30pm

Free



IMAGINATION YOGA

Grades K-2 & Grades 3-5

Kids will learn appropriate yoga poses, kindness activities and calming techniques. Register online.

Library Community Room

Thurs 12/19, 1/16, 2/20

Grades K-2 3:30pm

Grades 3-5 4:30pm

Free

ORIGAMI

Ages 12+

Learn the ancient art of origami, Japanese paper folding with a group of paper folding enthusiasts who share a love of origami.

Under age 12 with an adult.

Library Community Room

Sun 12/15, 1/19, 2/16 1-5pm

Free

PIZZA AND PAGES TEEN BOOK CLUB

Grades 8-12

The first ten teens to sign-up receive a copy of the next month's book for FREE! Registration is required.

Library Teen Room

Thurs 12/19, 1/16, 2/20

6-7pm

SMASH BROS. TOURNEY

Grades 6-12

Compete against other players and see who comes out on top. Prizes for top three brawlers.

Library Teen Room

Fri 1/3 1-5pm

Free

LION DANCE PERFORMANCE

All Ages

Featuring vibrant costumes, dancing, acrobatics, and drums, this performance will rivet viewers of all ages presented by White Lotus Dragon & Lion Dance Association.

Library Community Room

Sat 1/4 11am

Free

CITIZENSHIP

Ages 18+

Study English reading, writing, and U.S. History for the USCIS Naturalization exam and interview. Receive free study materials and learn important interview skills. Presented by SOAR immigration services.

Mon 1/6 - 4/6 6-8:45pm

Free



TRIVIA NIGHT @ BIG EDDY'S TAPHOUSE

Ages 21+

Join librarian Doug every other Wednesday for a night of trivia at Big Eddy Tap House (7642 SW Nyberg Street in Tualatin). Test your knowledge from general categories, including pop culture, current events, history, music, and of course, literature! Top scoring teams win prizes.

Big Eddy's Tap House

Wed 1/8, 1/22, 2/5, 2/19 7-9pm

Free

TUESDAY NIGHT MAKER CLUB

Ages 12+

At each session you'll walk out with skills and confidence – and something you've designed and made yourself. Open for teens ages 12 and up and adults.

Library Community Room

Tues 1/7, 1/14, 1/21, 1/28, 2/4, 2/18

7-8:30pm

Free

ART LAB

Ages 5+

Kids and grown-ups, create your own masterpiece with our supplies. Draw inspiration from the featured artist or art technique of the month. Oversized t-shirts are provided to protect clothing.

Library Community Room

Tues 1/28, 2/25 4-5pm

Free

A WILL IS NOT ENOUGH IN OREGON

Ages 18+

Receive practical advice on how to safeguard your assets and health care wishes during and after your lifetime. Acquire up to date knowledge about wills, living trusts, health care documents, issues regarding guardianship, conservatorship, and power of attorney.

Library Community Room

Wed 1/29 7pm

Free



SCHOOL'S OUT SPECIALS

BIRDS OF PREY WITH THE CASCADES RAPTOR CENTER

All Ages

Get to know birds of prey with expert staff from the Cascades Raptor Center. Various live birds of prey will be presented. **Limited seating. At 10am on the day of the event, we will hand out 65 tickets for each session (130 total).**

Library Community Room

Fri 1/31 11am or 12pm
Free

THE BUG CHICKS

All Ages

The Bug Chicks teach using preserved specimens and their live arthropod zoo. Students get an up-close look at a variety of arthropods. This workshop is designed to inspire your inner bugdork.

Limited seating. Beginning at 10am on the day of the event, we will hand out 90 tickets for the show.

Library Community Room

Fri 2/14 11am
Free



BE A CODE NINJA

Grades 3-5

A fun, hands-on, game-oriented introduction to coding in a four-week class presented by staff from Code Ninja. Participation in the entire series is required. Registration is required.

Library Community Room

Sat 2/1, 2/8, 2/15, 2/22

2-4pm

Free



JOB FAIR

Ages 16+

Job seekers, take advantage at this job fair to speak directly to employers, build your professional network, and learn about additional upcoming opportunities.

Library Community Room

Wed 2/12

10am-1pm

Free

UNLUCKY IN LOVE

Grades 6-12

Celebrate your awesome singularity. Play Games. Eat Snacks.

Library Teen Room

Fri 2/14

6-8:30pm

Free

SEDA



TWO SPIRIT JAZZ



ANNIE AVERRE



DRAM & GO



SUNDAY MUSIC AROUND THE HEARTH

All ages // 2pm // Free

12/15 TWO SPIRIT JAZZ

Two Spirit Jazz current repertoire comes from the American songbook and from the vast supply of American jazz and blues. Vocalist Suzanne Callaway and other members are also active composers and often include some of their originals at performances.

1/12 ANNIE AVERRE JAZZ TRIO

Vocalist Annie Averre, flutist Cheryl Alex and guitarist Ben Graves will showcase classic ballads, jazz standards and deliver a combination of classic jazz and Latin standards.

2/9 SEDA

Combining the traditional flamenco, latin, and afro cuban music, SEDA performs music with true flamenco rhythms and hot latin grooves.

3/15 DRAM & GO

Dram & Go engages audiences with a fun-loving mix of Celtic and American music. Founded in early 2014 by piper Micah Babinski, the band consists of an elite trio of musicians on pipes, fiddle and guitar.



Photo- Ribbon cutting celebration for opening of Boones Ferry Rd at Siletz Drive pedestrian crossing, Oct. 5, 2019.

CITY RELEASES TUALATIN MOVING FORWARD SECOND ANNUAL REPORT

Last year, Tualatin voters approved a \$20 million bond measure to pay for projects that improve traffic flow and neighborhood traffic safety, and provide safe access to schools and parks citywide. More than 35 bond-funded projects will be completed in just five years.

We are excited to give you an update on what's happened so far and what is next.

Five projects are already built and six are in design!

There is also some very good news on improvements planned to streamline the Tualatin-Sherwood Road junction with I-5 – Tualatin's busiest intersection.

All of the remaining bond-funded projects will be finished over the next four years. You can see the second annual report and continue following our progress along the way at tualatinmovingforward.com

We hope you have experienced the built projects and are already feeling a bit safer and finding it a little easier to get around town. We remain committed to keep *Tualatin Moving Forward*.



TUALATIN 2040, WHAT WILL BE OUR FUTURE?

In the past 30 years, Tualatin – along with the region – has experienced a dramatic change. The opening of Bridgeport Village, the addition of major employers, and new neighborhoods have resulted in a vibrant, livable, and safe community that still maintains a small town feel. For Tualatin to maintain its community identity while also welcoming new residents and businesses, planning and action are needed.

To help meet that need, Tualatin 2040 took a 20-year look ahead to review and update the **Comprehensive Plan and the Development Code**. Together these documents serve as the legal framework that governs important aspects like housing, jobs, community design, and the environment.

Throughout 2019, community feedback was received from over 300 people through a community advisory committee, technical review committee, an online open house, stakeholder interviews, and three in-person events, to review housing and economic analysis and strategies (e.g. Buildable Land Inventory, Housing Needs Analysis, and Economic Opportunities Analysis) with technical support provided by City staff and consultants (ECONorthwest and Angelo Planning).

Your input is needed as the process to prioritize housing and economic actions (policies) heads to City Council. Visit www.Tualatin2040.com for up-to-date information on opportunities for public input. On the website, you can sign up to receive email updates or contact Karen Perl Fox, Tualatin 2040 Project Manager, at (503) 691-3027 or kperlfox@tualatin.gov, with your questions or comments.

CITY NEWSLETTER

Stay up to date on the latest city news by subscribing to Tualatin Today, the City's digital newsletter. You can do so by visiting www.tualatinoregon.gov/tualatintoday.



CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

City Council meetings are open to the community and provide the public the opportunity to comment on current agenda item or any topic that she or he deems important for the consideration of Council. City Council Meetings are held the 2nd and 4th Monday at 7 pm at the Juanita Pohl Center, unless otherwise noted. Agenda items are available in the Library, the City offices or online at www.tualatinoregon.gov/meetings.

FACTS & INSIGHTS

The following facts were of most interest to the community:

- **Missing middle.** Only 15% of households are middle income, with 39% above and 46% below.
- **Priced out.** One in three Tualatin households are cost burdened (meaning they spend more than 30% of their monthly budget on housing). People who rent are the hardest hit, with 56% being cost burdened.
- **Live here, work there.** Only 7% of Tualatin's workers live in the city, which is half the amount of West Linn, Sherwood, and Oregon City.

VOLUNTEER SERVICES



MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY

What is civic engagement? Joining a committee, supporting a cause, promoting quality of life and sharing your time and talents with your community. Volunteering has always been a vital tradition of American civic life. Volunteering is doing more than you have to because you want to.

Places where you can get involved:

Tualatin Public Library | Tualatin Parks, Greenspaces and Recreation | Advisory Boards and Committees | Special Events | Juanita Pohl Center | Tualatin Police Department | Community Development | Administration

For current volunteer opportunities:

www.tualatinoregon.gov/volunteer

MLK DAY OF SERVICE AT THE LIBRARY

Honor the dream and continue the tradition of service inspired by Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. at our MLK Spruce Up the Tualatin Library volunteer event. Spruce Ups are ideal for families and groups who love their library. Get together with other library fans to dust shelves, organize books and socialize while learning about your library.

Sat 1/18 8-10am

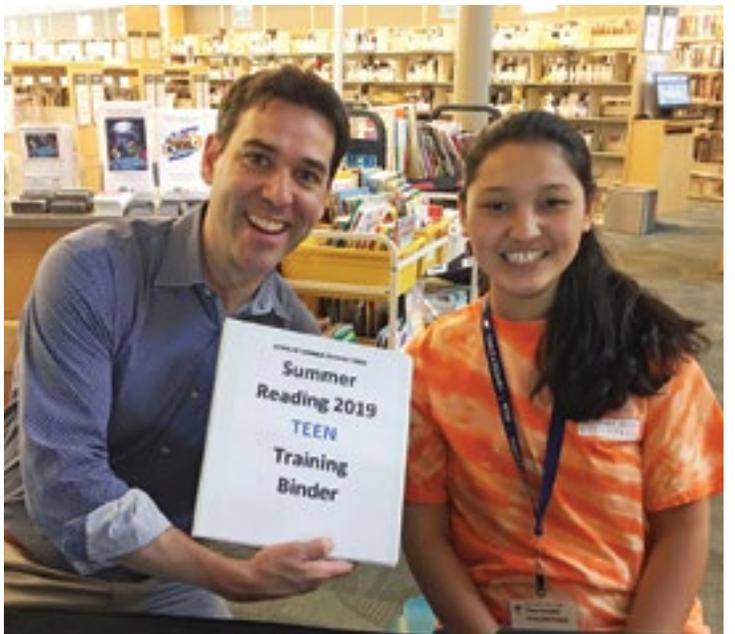
Register at www.tualatinoregon.gov/volunteer

TWEEN TAKEOVER!

This monthly volunteer opportunity is for students in 4th – 7th grade. Middle schoolers can learn how their library works, volunteer in a meaningful way for one hour, then spend an hour in the Teen Room hanging out with friends, eating donuts and playing games.

Sat 11/30, 12/21, 1/25 10am-12pm

For more information about volunteering for your library contact mgunther@tualatin.gov or call 503.691.3070.



TUALATIN HERITAGE CENTER
8700 SW Sweek Dr.
503.885.1926
Mon-Fri 10am-2pm
www.tualatinhistoricalsociety.org

KNITTING AND CROCHET WORKSHOP

Bring a project or start one. Help is available. All levels welcome.
Fri 12/6, 12/20, 1/3, 1/17, 2/7, 2/21
10am-12pm
Free

ARTS AT THE TUALATIN HERITAGE CENTER PAINTING CLASSES FOR ADULTS

Angela Wrahtz award winning artist and instructor teaches beginning to advanced watercolor painting with pen and ink classes. Lots of techniques, demos and individual help. All levels welcome.
www.watercolorsbyangela.com
 angela.wrahtz@comcast.net
 Call/text 503.705.9193
9-12pm \$30 1-4pm \$30
All day 9-4pm \$55
Tues 12/3 1/14, 1/28, 2/11, 2/25

A FEBRUARY SURPRISE

Presented by Neighborhood Payers Radio Theater Troupe
Sat 2/22 7-8pm
\$5

MASK & MIRROR COMMUNITY THEATRE

Is pleased to announce "Love, Loss and What I Wore". The play explores lives of women through 28 characters sharing their memories of love and loss in monologues and short scenes, as framed through the lens of the clothes they wore.
www.maskandmirror.com
Fri/Sat 1/24, 1/25, 1/31 2/1
7:30pm
Sun 1/26, 2/2 2:30pm

VALENTINE
 CONCERT
 DUET



VALENTINE CONCERT DUET

A Valentine Memento with Soprano Beth Donnelly & Baritone Doug Feller, artists, teachers and composers. Husband & Wife Duo "That's Amore", "My Heart Is for You", and "Lady Be Good"~songs of love, friendship and fun. 503.691.8505
www.jeremiahProductions.com
Sat 2/15 7pm
Tickets \$15

MONTHLY PROGRAMS AT THE TUALATIN HERITAGE CENTER

SPECIAL EXHIBIT

Family heirloom nativity scenes from around the world.
Wed- Fri 12/4-12/6 10am-2pm

HISTORY OF NATIVITY SCENES

Enjoy seasonal performances by the Tualatin High School Choir and Bridge Town Barbershop Quartet. Refreshments provided.
Wed 12/4 1pm
Donations accepted

HOLIDAY CONCERT

Enjoy exhibits and a special concert by Rose City Timberliners barbershop chorus.
Sat 12/7 7pm
Free

SCOTT BURNS



GEOLOGY OF ICELAND AND CONNECTIONS TO TUALATIN

Presented by Dr. Scott Burns, retired PSU professor and hometown boy who explored our local soil and rocks as a kid and still calls Tualatin home.
Wed 1/8 1pm
Donations accepted

HISTORY OF GOLD MINING IN OREGON

Retired geologist Clark Niewendorp describes how prospecting and mining have been a force in our economy for many decades and also triggered racism and conflicts with tribes.
Juanita Pohl Center
Thurs 1/16 7pm
Donations accepted

TUALATIN 101: A BRIEF HISTORY OF OUR TOWN'S BEGINNING" & GAME SHOW

by Tualatin Historical Society co-founder and author Loyce Martinazzi.
Wed 2/5 1pm
Donations Accepted

A BRIEF HISTORY OF OUR TOWN'S BEGINNING

by Tualatin Historical Society co-founder and author Loyce Martinazzi.
Thur 2/20 7pm
Suggested \$3.00 Donation

PARKS UPDATES & ANNOUNCEMENTS



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Splash Pad Renovation Receives Grant

We are excited to announce the City of Tualatin was awarded \$225,000 from the State of Oregon Parks and Recreation Department, Local Government Grant Program. This funding will be matched by the City to renovate the 25-year-old splash pad located in the Tualatin Commons public plaza.

Plans for the renovation include new spray features and colored concrete surface. These new features were chosen by the public during an outreach held at ¡Viva Tualatin! This public engagement ensures the renovation meets the needs and desires of the community. A big thank you to everyone who connected with us!

The project is in the early design and permitting stages, and is construction is expected during the winter of either 2020 or 2021. Please check our Updates and Announcements webpage as we hope to have a tentative schedule soon:

www.tualatinoregon.gov/recreation/updates-announcements



Jurgens Park Off Leash Dog Area

During the Parks and Recreation Master Plan public engagement process, community members indicated a need and desire for an off-leash dog area at Jurgens Park. To address this need, an off-leash area has been planned for the expansion property west of the Park. Thanks to public involvement from community members, the amenities of the new fenced area will be kept simple, and have a nice grass surface. Development will begin once the Clean Water Services interceptor pipe project wraps up this winter and should be open by the summer of 2020.



PICK YOUR PLAYGROUND ATFALATI PARK RESULTS

The Parks and Recreation Department would like to thank those who participated in selecting their new playground and taking the time to help us build a connected and engaged community. Over 300 of you chose from several different replacement options for each of the playgrounds and the results proved the community clearly has its favorites!

The winner of the 2-5 year old play area will include a traditional slide and unique climbing features to encourage physical development and activity. The chosen 5-12 year old playground features an innovative enclosed platform and a corkscrew slide that will take play to new heights! Participants also selected colors for the new playground equipment, which will feature the vibrant hues of blue, purple, red and green, see the playground drawings.

Here is a list of the new equipment for each play area:

5-12 year old, play area

- Inclusive spinner
- Tire swing
- 3 Standard swings
- Assessable swing
- Drum and xylophone musical panels
- 3 separate slides
- Multiple climbers

2-5 year old, play area

- 3 swings
- Assessable swing
- Viper twisting slide
- Over 5 different climbing structures including a wobbly net and rock climber

This project will begin this winter with the hope it will be fully complete by the time kids are out of school. Unfortunately, the play areas will be closed during the project. We appreciate your patience as these improvements are being made.

ELIGE TU PATIO DE JUEGOS RESULTADOS ATFALATI PARK

El Departamento de Parques y Recreación quisiera agradecer a quienes participaron en la selección de su nuevo patio de recreo y tomarse el tiempo para ayudarnos a construir una comunidad conectada y comprometida. ¡Más de 300 de ustedes eligieron entre varias opciones de reemplazo diferentes para cada uno de los parques infantiles y los resultados demostraron que la comunidad claramente tiene sus favoritos!

El ganador del área de juego de 2 a 5 años incluirá un tobogán tradicional y características únicas de escalada para fomentar el desarrollo físico y la actividad. ¡El área de juegos elegida para niños de 5 a 12 años cuenta con una innovadora plataforma cerrada y un tobogán de sacacorchos que llevará el juego a nuevas alturas! Los participantes también seleccionaron colores para el nuevo equipo de juegos, que contará con los tonos vibrantes de azul, púrpura, rojo y verde, ver los dibujos del patio.

Aquí hay una lista de los nuevos equipos para cada área de juego:

5-12 años, área de juegos

- Incluye spinner
- Balanceo de neumáticos
- 3 toboganes
- Columpio evaluable
- Paneles musicales de batería y xilófono.
- 3 diapositivas separadas
- Múltiples escaladores

2-5 años, área de juegos

- 3 columpios
- Columpio evaluable
- Tobogán giratorio Viper
- Más de 5 estructuras de escalada diferentes, incluyendo una red tambaleante y un escalador

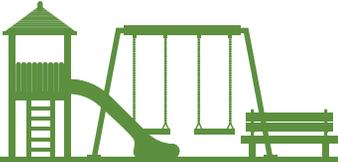
Este proyecto comenzará este invierno con la esperanza de que esté completamente completo cuando los niños salgan de la escuela. Desafortunadamente, las áreas de juego estarán cerradas durante el proyecto. Agradecemos su paciencia mientras se realizan estas mejoras.

PARKS

\$136,500

Awarded in grant funds from the State of Oregon Parks and Recreation Department

5 acres added to Jurgens Park



Renovated the Ibach Park Playground with a new surface and over 7 replacement features

City Council accepted the New Parks & Recreation Master plan, guiding us through 2035

1,000 interactions about communications and renovation projects at both Atfalati and the Tualatin Commons

2 sports courts resurfaced



1000+

trees & shrubs planted & opened half a mile of trail along the Saum Creek Greenway



Explore Tualatin

2019

YEAR IN REVIEW

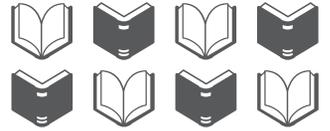
LIBRARY

257,000

library visits

20,000

library program attendees



230

story times

625,000

items checked out

3,400

Summer Reading participants with 1,500 finishers (all ages)

960

children participating in 1000 Books Before Kindergarten



JUANITA POHL CENTER

36 DAY TRIPS

2,900

miles traveled

175

miles hiked

71,000

people in the door

17,880

meals served

7 Partnerships

Barhyte Specialty Foods, Farmington Square Tualatin, Marquis Tualatin, MOWP, NRPA, Oswego Place, Washington County

17,000

QUESTIONS ANSWERED BY LIBRARIANS



SPECIAL EVENTS

35,000

EVENT ATTENDEES

New in 2019: ¡Viva Tualatin! – A Celebration of Arts and Culture and Pumpkins & Pints

People have traveled to Tualatin for events from as far away as Japan! (4,845 miles!)

7 large community events:

- Blender Dash
- Concerts on the Commons
- Movies on the Commons
- ¡Viva Tualatin!
- West Coast Giant
- Pumpkin Regatta
- Starry Nights & Holiday Lights
- Tualatin Crawfish Festival

TUALATIN MOVING FORWARD

5 PROJECTS COMPLETED

115th Ave: Tualatin Rd to Hazelbrook Rd
Buffered bike lanes and crosswalk serving Hazelbrook School

Avery St: Boones Ferry Rd to Martinazzi Ave
Driver feedback signs

Ibach St at Ibach Park
Midblock crosswalk with pedestrian activated flashing beacons

Sagert St at Atfalati Park
Midblock crosswalk with pedestrian activated flashing beacons

Boones Ferry Rd at Siletz Dr
Upgrade intersection and add pedestrian activated flashing beacons



KIDS & TEENS:

7 weeks of Kids' Camp,

- 50 kids per day
- approximately **200 friendship bracelets** created
- 20 games of sproutball
- 10 gallons of slime created,
- 1,400 runs through the fountain at Tualatin Commons

9 weeks of Teen Camp,

- 24 teens per day
- 2,500 miles traveled
- 12 river songs sung
- 5 pounds of sand brought back from the beach

Partner Programs:

Skyhawks, YMCA, Willowbrook Arts Camp

VOLUNTEER SERVICES

2,470 21,388

Volunteers

Hours

CORPORATE / GROUP VOLUNTEERS

15 corporate and group volunteers made an impact on the community environmentally and in advancing literacy

HERITAGE CENTER

22 active citizens keeping Tualatin history alive

LIBRARY VOLUNTEERS

100,000

books shelved

70,000
patron requests pulled

5,000
hours

12
Spruce Up the Library events

12
Tween TakeOvers

LIBRARY SUMMER TEEN VOLUNTEERS

38
youth

764
hours

TEAM TUALATIN SUMMER YOUTH VOLUNTEERS

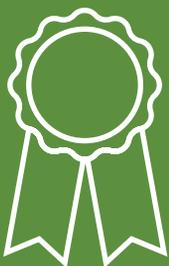
75
youth

2,500
hours

95
Fire hydrants painted

6,500
Native trees, shrubs & flowers planted

Volunteers gave over 500 hours to bring the fun to Tualatin events



AWARD WINNING PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

- International Festival and Events Association's Golden Pinnacle Award for Best Sponsor Gift, Pumpkin Regatta
- International Festival and Events Association's Golden Pinnacle Award for Best Event Photograph, Pumpkin Regatta
- National Geographic's Top Seven Fall Festivals, Pumpkin Regatta
- Oregon Recreation and Parks Association (ORPA)'s Planning Award, Parks and Recreation Master Plan

75 citizens served on advisory boards and committees that help shape the future of Tualatin.



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STARRY NIGHTS & HOLIDAY LIGHTS

Friday, December 6, 2019 from 5-8pm

TREE LIGHTING // CHILDREN'S CHOIR // A VISIT FROM SANTA