



# MISSION VIEJO REPORTER

NEWS FROM THE MISSION VIEJO HOMEOWNERS' ASSOCIATION INC.

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## Neighborhood Announcements:

### Dumpster Days:

6/10/23 and 10/21/23

**Walking club:** Starting up again!

## Mission Viejo Walking Club

WHEN: Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

WHERE: La Parquita tennis/pickle ball courts

Look for leader who will wear a bright orange jacket.

## National Rivers Month

The United States is home to about 2.9 million miles of river. One out of every three people gets their drinking water from a river or stream. People spend about \$97 billion each year on river-related recreation and tourism, and fish and wildlife depend on rivers, especially during breeding and migration.

## Happy Father's Day



Still time to clean out garages, basements, yards and debris (soaked carpet!) from hail storm!

## Reminder! Dumpster Day

(Sponsored by Mission Viejo Homeowners' Association)

**JUNE 10TH – 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.**

**Holy Love Lutheran Church, 4210 S. Chambers Rd.**

Residents of Mission Viejo who are members of the HOA can bring trash and large items (furniture, mattresses, yard debris) in excess of weekly allowances for disposal. You are a member of the HOA if you have Waste Connections for your trash service, or volunteer for other HOA activities (i.e., Newsletter deliverer, garden, board, etc.). If you are not a member, you may join for \$30 annual dues (cash or check), payable at the church on the day of this event. Remember, it costs ~\$100.00 to dump a pick-up truck load at DADS [Denver Area Disposal Site].

Below are some of the items that can NOT be dumped (the Waste Connections trash truck drivers will determine if articles are acceptable).

- Electronics
- Propane tanks or containers
- Tire/auto parts/oil/gas
- Biohazardous waste
- Wet paint
- Hot ashes
- Medical waste
- Dirt and rocks
- Batteries
- Liquids such as oil, septage, or other chemicals
- Anything with Freon or gases
- Florescent tubes or compact florescent light bulbs
- Hazardous or toxic waste

## Sign Up Today For The Mission Viejo Membership/Trash Program

Mission Viejo  and Waste Connection 

Call 303-288-2100 for current pricing information

Be sure to mention that you are a Mission Viejo resident!



### Waste Connection's service includes:

- \* Bi-weekly recyclings \*
- \* Enhanced seasonal services \*
- \* Large item pickup \*

\* The MV HOA receives a quarterly rebate of \$2.00 per participating resident, helps to fund HOA events and beautification programs.

## Park Lights & Movie Nights

This event will feature a family friendly movie that will start at 7:00 p.m. each night. Feel free to bring chairs, blankets and treats to enjoy a fun flick under the stars. Attendees are advised to arrive by 6:30 p.m. to claim their spot.

- Thursday, June 1 - **School of Rock** Expo Park, 10955 E. Exposition Ave.
- Wednesday, June 7 - **Thor: Love and Thunder** Canterbury Park, 1400 S. Joliet St.
- Thursday, June 8 - **The Sandlot** Cottonwood Park, 2600 Abilene St.
- Wednesday, June 14 - **Top Gun: Maverick** Triangle Park, 1600 Espana St.
- Thursday, June 15 - **The Addams Family (1991)** Red-Tailed Hawk Park, 23701 E. Hinsdale Way

# Beautiful Tulips!

Mission Viejo HOA Garden Committee is back in business! On May 4th, 2023, Betty, Jerry and Lois cleaned up the garden. Two bags of debris and one bag of weeds for the goats. Wow! Looks great, stop by and take a look.



## This Space Intentionally Left Blank for Teen Services

### Mission Viejo HOA Board of Directors



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#### COMMITTEES

Welcome Committee: TBD

Garden Committee: Jerry and Lois Kiefer, Betty Richards,  
Carol Tobiassen, Nicole Wallace, Sue Fedorowicz

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The Mission Viejo Homeowners' Association Inc. is a state non-profit organization. The purpose of the Mission Viejo HOA is to unite the unit owners of the Mission Viejo subdivisions in Aurora, Colorado; to encourage civic improvements within said area, to encourage community activities including, but not by way of limitation, the beautification, maintenance, and general appearance of vacant and improved lots, streets, parkways, entrances, open and recreational areas situated within the area and used in common by its residents; enhance the safety of Mission Viejo; facilitate enforcement of any and all building restrictions, protective covenants, and to otherwise act in the interests of the members of the Association. **Appearance of an advertisement in this publication does not constitute a recommendation or endorsement by the Association of the goods or services offered. The opinions expressed in this newsletter are those of the individual authors and not the Board of your Association. Neither the Board, publisher, nor the authors intend to provide any professional service or opinion through this publication.**

### News Articles

The deadline for news articles is the 15th of the month before the next month's issue. Please email news articles to **president@missionviejohoa.org**. All letters or articles need to include your name and daytime phone number. All articles must be approved by the editor for publication, or as space permits.

### Advertising:

The deadline for advertisements is the 15th of the month for the next month's issue, except for the Jan. issue which is Dec. 6th.

To place an ad, call **Colorado Lasertype, 303-979-7499**  
Email: **[getinfo@coloradolasertype.com](mailto:getinfo@coloradolasertype.com)**

To find ad rates and discounts, go to  
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and click on the "Advertising Rates" link.

### Ask The Board

In the coming months we will be publishing answers to questions the Board receives about our community. If you have any questions or concerns that can have an impact on MV and its residents, please send them by email to [president@missionviejohoa.org](mailto:president@missionviejohoa.org). Help us make MV an even better place to live!

# Mission Viejo Library: June, 2023 Programs

## ALL AGES:

Jun. 1 - Jul. 31: Summer Reading program. Free book on signup!  
 Tue, Jun 20 at 2:00 PM: Dance With Deepali:  
 Northern Indian dance performance  
 Tue, Jun 20 at 6:30 PM: Aurora Rhythms: Vio the Violinist concert

## AGES 0-6:

Tuesdays, 10:30 AM: Tots Tunes  
 Thursdays, 10:30 AM: Storytime  
 Thu, Jun 15 at 10:30 AM: Luau Party: Special Storytime

## AGES 4-12:

Wed, Jun 7 at 4:30 PM: Rainstick Craft  
 Wed, Jun 14 at 10:30 AM: Movie Day: Moana  
 Wed, Jun 14 at 4:30 PM: Matariki Star Weaving Craft  
 Sat, Jun 17 at 10:30-12: Read to a Therapy Dog  
 Wed, Jun 21 at 4:30 PM: Mandala Craft  
 Wed, Jun 28 at 4:30 PM: Storybook Craft

## AGES 11-18:

Thu, Jun 1 at 3:00-5 PM: Teen Volunteer Opportunity:  
 Craft Test Day  
 Thu, Jun 8 at 4:30 PM: Dungeons & Ducks  
 Thu, Jun 15 at 4:30 PM: Rainbow Cookies  
 Thu, Jun 22 at 4:30 PM: Teen Advisory Group (TAG)  
 Sat, Jun 24 at 3:00 PM: Teen Movie Hangout:  
 Puss in Boots Last Wish  
 Thu, Jun 29 at 4:30 PM: Karaoke & Just Dance Party  
 Fri, Jun 30 at 3:00 PM: STEM Egg Drop Challenge (ages 8-18)

## ADULTS:

Mon, Jun 5 at 10:30 AM: Movie Morning:  
 Mrs. Harris Goes to Paris  
 Sat, Jun 10 at 4:00 PM: Adult Art: Feather Bookmarks  
 Mon, Jun 12 at 10:30 AM: Medicare and  
 Retirement Planning Seminar  
 Mon, Jun 26 at 10:30 AM: Coffee and Games: Clue

## VIRTUAL/WEBEX:

Fridays, 5:30: Library Game Night (Teens)  
 Fridays, 8:00: Library Game Night (Adults)  
 Sat, Jun 17 at 4:00: Short Story Book Club

*For more information about library programs,  
 call 303-326-8600 or visit [auroralibrary.org](http://auroralibrary.org).*



## Summer Jams and Storytime

**TUESDAY, JUNE 6**

*Red-Tailed Hawk Park, 23701 E Hinsdale Way*

- **Storytime at 4:30 p.m.**
- **Ninety Percent 90s at 5:30 p.m.**  
 Ninety Percent 90s is a 3-piece band covering the best and worst hits from the 90s.

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21**

*Del Mar Park, 12000 E 6th Ave*

- **Storytime at 4:30 p.m.**
- **Kalama at 5:30 p.m.**  
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## Free Family Summer Activities

- Go for a nature walk
- Set up an obstacle course
- Visit the fire station
- Build a blanket fort inside
- Make microwave s'mores
- Make a painters tape race track
- Visit the library
- Scavenger hunt
- Visit an aquarium
- Pool day
- Visit a local farm
- Go hiking
- Go camping
- Go fishing
- Fly a kite
- Make a DIY craft
- Finger paint with pudding

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## Treasurer's Report: Month Ending April 30, 2023

Beginning 1STBANK Balance.....	\$11,369.95
Ending 1STBANK Balance.....	\$14,576.89
PayPal Balance at 04/30/2023 .....	\$285.10
(1 contribution this month)	
Expenses this month included: Electronic Storefronts. \$35.00	
QuickBooks.....	\$57.06
Bank fees (VISA debit cards).....	\$4.00
Security Self Storage (May) .....	\$205.00
Travelers (2 Payments for \$391) .....	\$782.00
Jim Donald (income tax preparation) outstanding check for \$800 cleared this month.	
Deposits: Waste Connections (2023 Q1).....	\$5,370.00

**Reminder:** Dumpster Day is June 10th, at Holy Love Lutheran Church, from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m. for HOA members. (Residents who are not Waste Connections customers can join at the event by paying \$30 dues.) See front page of this Mission Viejo Reporter (i.e. "Newsletter") for more information.



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**Non-Herbicidal Control of Grassy Weeds in Lawns**

- Mow as high as practical during the summer months for the particular grass species present in your lawn. Mow bluegrass, buffalograss, tall fescue, fine fescue and ryegrass at 2 1/2 to 3 inches during the summer. The seeds of some weeds require high light intensity to germinate. The shaded environment near the soil surface in a high-mown lawn helps deter weed seed germination. In addition, the higher mowing height produces a healthier grass plant. Crabgrass and other annual grassy weeds are much more common and aggressive in lawns that are mowed less than 2 inches.
- Mow often enough so that no more than one-third of the grass blade is removed in a single mowing. Letting grass

grow tall and then cutting it back to a low height reduces turf density, allowing weed seeds to germinate and grow more easily. It is especially important to mow a lawn more frequently in the spring, when the grass is growing faster. A lawn may require mowing every three to five days during the spring and early summer.

- Irrigate properly to help reduce annual weed infestation. Light, frequent irrigation encourages weed seed germination, even if a preemergence herbicide has been applied.
- Fertilize according to the needs of your lawn species.
- Core cultivate (aerate) the lawn at least once a year to reduce compaction and to control thatch.

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## Ideas For Father's Day Activities To Bond With Dad

**Host a Game Night:** He taught you all his poker, Uno and Monopoly tricks, now it's time to beat him at his own game.

**Pack a Picnic:** Fix up a lunch of his favorite foods and enjoy a picnic outside in your local park, or stay closer to home and eat al fresco in the garden or the front yard.

**Have a Movie Night:** Let Dad pick the film. Let him choose the snacks, too.

**Share Some Memories:** Make a greatest hits video of your family over the years and get everyone seated to watch it together. Make sure to play it on the big screen.

**Go Golfing:** Let him show off his stroke while you hone your skills. Alternatively, you can take him to a nearby Top Golf where you can also grab some bites and drinks.

**Fire Up the Grill:** Let Dad try out those new barbecue tools that you just gifted him and offer up these yummy BBQ side recipes to boot.

**Play a Video Game Together:** Even if he isn't the most technologically-savvy, we bet he can get on board with Call of Duty: Black Ops 3.

**Enjoy the Great Outdoors:** If you and your dad always bonded over camping trips or park visits, surprise him with an exciting day enjoying the great outdoors. You can either hit up a longtime favorite or test out a new location.

**Take a Hike:** Pack a picnic spread and schedule a day hike for some invigorating physical activity and time spent in nature.



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