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NOVEMBER 2023 E-NEWSLETTER



YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS



K-12 STEAM DESIGN CONTEST



The [San Diego Festival of Science and Engineering](#) is inviting K-12 students to submit designs for Expo Day on March 2, 2024. Winning students will receive a \$150 stipend for their classrooms, have their design on display at Expo Day, and will be invited to the MVP luncheon. Submissions are due **December 1, 2023!** Find more details and how to enter [at the website](#).



CHULA VISTA YOUTH ADVISORY MEMBERS

Youth Advisory Members are needed on the following Chula Vista Boards and Commissions: Board of Library Trustees; Cultural Arts Commission; Health, Wellness, and Aging Commission; Parks and Recreation Commission, and Sustainability Commission. [Visit the site](#) to learn more.



COLLEGE APPLICATION SUPPORT

The Office of Child & Youth Success and Reality Changers are providing a series of office hours and free workshops to help 12th graders with college applications. [Visit the form](#) to learn more and register!

UPCOMING EVENTS



COMMUNITY WELLNESS FAIR



BREAKING DOWN BARRIERS INVITES YOU TO ATTEND OUR FIRST

COMMUNITY WELLNESS FAIR

Join us for a day of health and wellness for all ages! Connect with community partners and resources, receive onsite nutrition assistance and HIV screenings, and enjoy performances from O'Farrell Charter School students, and more!

Saturday, November 18, 2023
11:00am - 4:00pm

Skyline Hills Public Library
7900 Paradise Valley Road
San Diego, CA 92139

QUESTIONS?
nostigma@jfssd.org

Meet Our Community Partners:



Join [Breaking Down Barriers](#) for a day of health and wellness for all! There will be food, HIV screenings, performances from O'Farrell Charter School students, a resource fair, and more!

WHEN: Saturday, November 18, 2023 | 11AM - 4PM
WHERE: Skyline Hills Public Library | 7900 Paradise Valley Rd, San Diego, CA 92139



PIE BAKING CONTEST



[SunCoast Market Co-op](#) will host a Pie Baking Contest simultaneously with their [November Farmers Market](#). [View the flyer](#) for guidelines and how to RSVP!

WHEN: Saturday, November 18, 2023 | 8AM - 2PM
WHERE: Veterans Park | 1075 8th St, Imperial Beach, CA 91932

UPCOMING EVENTS



COMMUNITY CLIMATE ACTION DAY



Join the [San Diego County Parks and Recreation Department](#) in planting trees and removing invasive species from Otay Valley Regional Park! Dress comfortably and be ready to get your hands dirty. [Visit the event page](#) to sign up and learn more!

WHEN: Saturday, November 25, 2023 | 9AM - 12PM
WHERE: Chula Vista, CA 91911 (Must register to see exact address)



COLLEGE PREP & APPLICATION WORKSHOP SERIES



FREE

COLLEGE PREP & APPLICATION WORKSHOP SERIES

Receive the college prep and application support you are looking for!

From 12 to 2 pm on the following dates:

November 11, 2023

Applications Overview

December 9, 2023

Application Essays

January 13, 2024

FAFSA

February 10, 2024

Personal Finance

March 9, 2024

Mental Health

April 13, 2024

Wellbeing

May 11, 2024

College Prep

June 8, 2024

College Success

Otay Mesa-Nestor Branch Library

3003 Coronado Ave,

San Diego, CA 92154

REGISTER NOW

bit.ly/collegeprepsd

Snacks and refreshments available!

YOUTH IN ACTION

JOVENES EN ACCIÓN

INSTITUTE FOR PUBLIC STRATEGIES

BARRIO LOGAN College Institute

This project is supported by Elevate Youth California and funded through Proposition 64.

[Youth in Action](#) and [Barrio Logan College Institute](#) are hosting college prep and application support workshops! There will be one each month leading into next summer. [Register in time](#) for the December workshop!

WHEN: Saturday, December 9th, 2023 | 12PM - 2PM
WHERE: Otay Mesa-Nestor Branch Library | 3003 Coronado Ave, San Diego, CA 92154

COMMUNITY RESOURCES



VOLUNTEER WITH FAMILY

San Diego Family Magazine has compiled a list of family-friendly volunteer opportunities for this holiday season! [Check out their article](#) to get involved and give back to our communities.



JOB CORPS

Job Corps has a free career training program for low-income youth ages 16-24. [Check out their website](#) to browse different training opportunities and enroll in their programs!



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YMCA TURNING POINT

[YMCA's Transitional Living Program](#) offers a safe environment for homeless, foster, and transition-age youth to support them in their transition to independence.



JOB SEARCH & CAREER DEVELOPMENT

San Diego Workforce Partnership offers many job search and career development resources to San Diego county job seekers ages 16 and up. [Find a career center near you!](#)