



The High Tide

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A Newsletter for Residents of Cañon del Sol

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

During the March board meeting, it was decided to reopen the pool along with the spa once the county returned to the Red Tier. We have begun heating the pool, which should have it operational and open for use during the last week of March. We will once again be using an advance reservation format to meet the necessary county guidelines of public pool and/or spa operation. A web-based reservation system is being considered to help ease the process. More information will be sent out once the system is in place and ready for use.

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With spring here, and a vaccine roll-out occurring, we look forward to increased activity within our community.

The board also approved a tree management plan, which will kick off in the next month or so. Additional information on this can be found in this newsletter on page 2.

We have our Annual Owners meeting scheduled for April 3rd at 10am. We are unable to hold an in-person meeting, so the meeting will be hosted on Zoom. The link to the meeting and necessary information can be found on the CDS website, along with the information distributed by Anderson & Company earlier this month. On our website, look for this information under the tab labeled "Announcements/Calendar."

SAVE THE DATE!

Our HOA Annual Meeting will be held via Zoom on Saturday, April 3 at 10 am.

Anderson & Company has sent detailed information on this to each homeowner, and it has been posted on the CDS website as well.



If you are unable to attend the meeting, it is important that you fill out and return the proxy form so we have the necessary quorum to carry out annual business.

Thanks to all for staying safe, and wearing your mask!

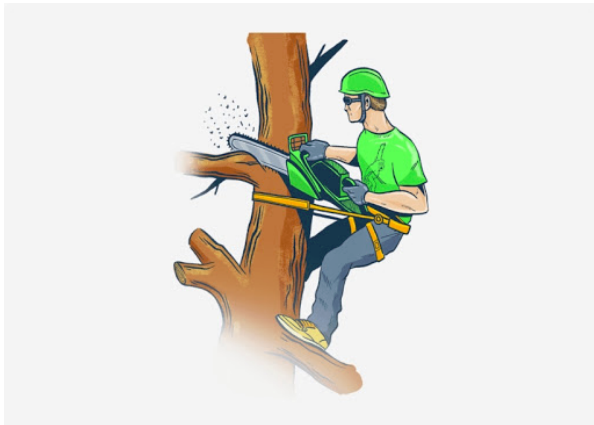
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FROM THE BOARD

TREE MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR CANON DEL SOL PROPERTY

The CDS Board, along with the Landscaping Committee, has developed a plan for tree management within the Canon Del Sol property. This is an ongoing plan and has involved hands-on review, a quote process and much research and discussion.



The priority items are identified with the help of tree experts and a focus on safety first. The plan includes removing dead trees, cutting back trees that may cause property damage or detract from property values.

All of the tree work will be performed by a licensed contractor and will begin at a date yet to be determined. The contractor will be following the specific, long-term plan as laid out by the Board and cannot deviate from this plan without Board approval.

If any Owner has specific concerns or would like to pay out of pocket for individual tree management, please contact Bob Carpenter.

FOOD

Since we moved into the Red Tier, some area restaurants are now operating indoors at 25 percent capacity. Bars and wineries are limited to outdoor service only. Many restaurants continue with take-out service only. A link to a list of local restaurants is below, although it was last updated on February 3, so check the restaurant's website for the most current information:

<https://goodtimes.sc/cover-stories/guide-to-takeout-food-santa-cruz/>

NEW RESTAURANT - GET YOUR GREENS ON!

Soul Salad opened in Aptos on March 18. It is located next to Persephone with which it shares outdoor dining space. Soul Salad offers a choice of 14 salads and plans to rotate in several other salads in the coming weeks.

7957 Soquel Drive, Aptos; soulsalad.com

Sunday: 1 - 5 pm

Monday + Thursday-Saturday 11 am - 5 pm

Closed Tuesday & Wednesday



RECIPE CORNER

Easy Meatball Recipe

35 minutes to prep and cook

Servings: 5

Calories per serving: 184

Ingredients

- 1 pound 80% lean ground beef (could sub with half ground pork)
- 1 large egg (beaten)
- 1/4 cup breadcrumbs
- 1/4 cup grated parmesan cheese
- 1/4 cup finely chopped onion
- 2 teaspoons minced garlic
- 3/4 teaspoon kosher salt
- 1/4 teaspoon black pepper
- 2 tablespoons chopped fresh Italian flat leaf parsley (optional)

Instructions

1. Preheat the oven to 400°F. Line a baking sheet with foil and spray with non-stick spray.
2. Combine the meat, egg, breadcrumbs, cheese, salt, garlic, onion, black pepper and parsley in a bowl. Stir just until combined; do not over mix. Add a tablespoon or two of water as needed to keep a wet mixture.
3. Use a medium cookie scoop or spoon to scoop the meat. Then form into 1 1/2" balls and place on the pan.
4. Bake uncovered for 17-20 minutes, or until no longer pink in the middle. Turn halfway through so the bottoms don't brown.
5. Simmer meatballs with marinara sauce for 10 minutes and serve over noodles if desired.

Notes

How to fry meatballs

You can also cook in a pan with 2 tablespoons oil over medium-high heat for 7-10 minutes, or until cooked through.

Substitutions

You can use 1/2 teaspoon each of garlic powder and onion powder if you do not have fresh garlic or onions.

Nutrition per serving

Calories: 184kcal | Carbohydrates: 5g | Protein: 23g | Fat: 7g | Saturated Fat: 3g | Cholesterol: 93mg | Sodium: 537 mg | Potassium: 348mg | Vitamin A: 90IU | Vitamin C: 1mg | Calcium: 81mg | Iron: 2.6mg

Serving Suggestions

Serve with arinara sauce and cooked noodles or pasta; make meatball subs with marinara and melted provolone atop toasted sub rolls.



Rainfall Totals

As of March 21 at 2 pm

Season to date 15.47"

Last year to date 23.04"

Last year total 27.99"

Season runs from Oct 1 - Sept 30



LIBRARY INFO



SANTA CRUZ PUBLIC LIBRARIES

<https://www.santacruzpl.org>

NOTES

The library branches remain closed with exceptions for book returns and pick-up of requested materials.

Public restrooms at all branches are closed at this time.

Book Drop Returns

All returned items are quarantined before being checked in. Allow one week for processing and to be removed from your account. No late fees will be assessed until further notice. Our closest return locations:

La Selva Beach Open 24/7
Aptos (drive up or front door)

Mon/Tues/Thurs 10am - 6pm
Wed/Friday 10am - 5pm
Closed Saturday & Sunday

Online Requests for Library Materials

Pick up your books, when ready, using the Grab & Go Lobby Service. Our closest locations:

Aptos

Mon, Tues, Thurs: 1 pm - 6 pm
Wednesday: 10 am - 3 pm
Friday: 12n - 5 pm

La Selva Beach

Tues, Thurs 1pm - 6 pm
Saturday 12n - 5 pm

La Selva Beach Library Virtual Re-opening!



Take a brief (2-minute) tour of the remodeled facility by using this link: <https://tinyurl.com/6y394e8>. The library held a virtual Grand Re-opening Ceremony via Zoom on the 20th. Watch the ceremony (25 minutes) by using the same link and then clicking on the actual link, which is located to the right of this video.



New exterior of
the La Selva
Beach Library

More information
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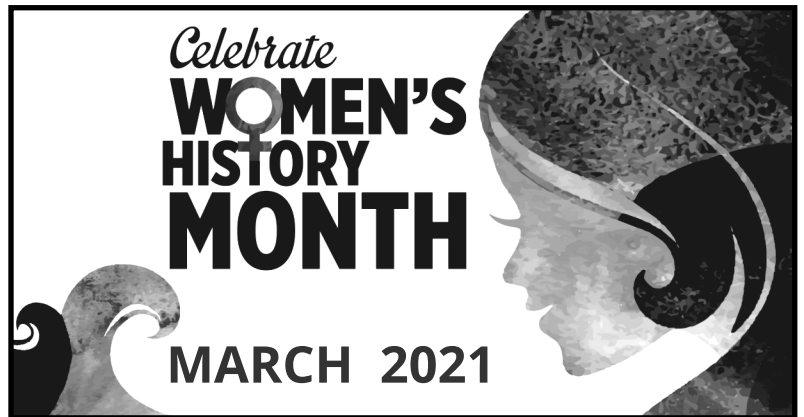


HISTORY OF THE LA SELVA BEACH LIBRARY

The La Selva Beach (LSB) Branch is the second library in the Santa Cruz Public Library system to complete construction from Measure S funds. The Branch was completely renovated, maintaining its original footprint of 2,200 square feet. Renovations include: replacements of single pane windows and doors, a new heating/ventilation system, an ADA compliant restroom, all new furniture and fixtures, and a new front entrance. Thanks to a generous matching grant of \$100,000 from the Monterey Peninsula Foundation, the library patio was upgraded with furniture and a pergola to expand outdoor programming. The Friends of the La Selva Beach Branch Library raised additional funds for interior folding glass partitions to enhance the flexibility of space usage for different types of programs for adults and children, as well as sound abatement.

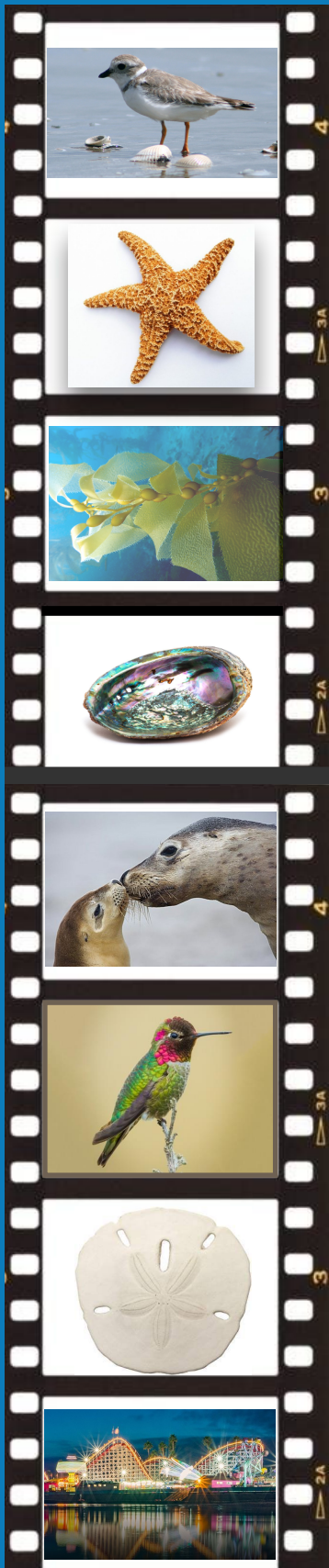
The LSB library began in 1950 with the LSB Woman's Club circulating books from a closet in the Clubhouse. By 1960, the makeshift library had issued membership cards to 199 adults and 108 youth. In 1968, an arrangement was made for a "real" library to open at its current location with the building to be owned by the LSB Recreation District and leased to the library. After Proposition 13, the library was closed briefly, but then reopened due to the dedication of volunteers who were the sole staffers for the next eight years. In 1996, a 600 square foot addition provided for a children's area and a staff room.

Thanks to wonderful staff and a full calendar of programs for both children and adults, the library has functioned as a hub for community gathering and learning in La Selva Beach.



Library Recommendations for Women's History Month





HELPFUL INFORMATION

Cañon del Sol Community Website

www.canondelsol.com

username: cds | password: surfandsun

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