



ABOUT TOWN NEWSLETTER



June 3, 2022

TOWN LAUNCHES BUY-A-ROCKET FUNDRAISER

Support the July 4 Fireworks Display

The Town of Moraga July 4th Celebration is back for 2022 following a two-year hiatus. Following the dog parade, community booths, and concert in the bandshell, the day's festivities will conclude with a spectacular fireworks finale. Once again, we are hoping to recover fireworks costs through the Buy-a-Rocket fundraising campaign.

The 2022 fundraising goal is \$30,000. A minimum donation of \$60.00 per rocket is appreciated; however, any amount would be most welcome. To ensure Moraga doesn't have to eliminate its fireworks display like most other communities in the Bay Area, we hope for a greater level of support each year. Thank you to the community members who donate each year to ensure this patriotic tradition continues for years to come.

Make donation checks payable to: *Town of Moraga* and mail to **Buy-a-Rocket, 2100 Donald Drive Moraga, CA 94556.**



[DONATE ONLINE](#)

MORAGA-ORINDA FIRE DISTRICT (MOFD)

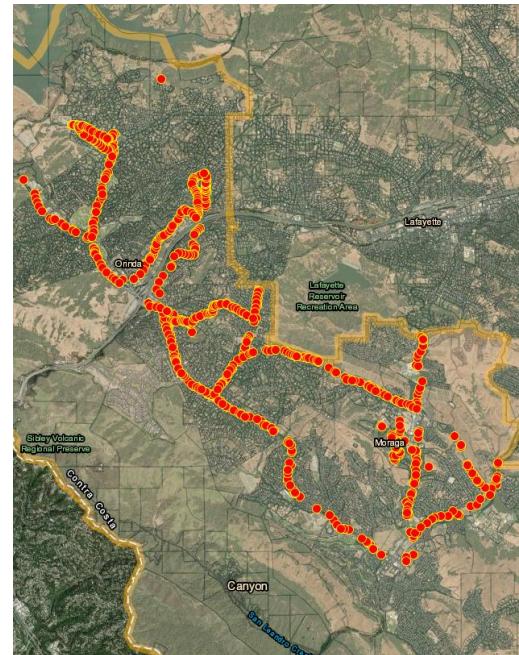
Enforcement of the June 1 Fire Abatement Deadline



The June 1 annual fire abatement deadline has passed. The Moraga-Orinda Fire District (MOFD) Fire Prevention team has begun inspections. This year's priorities include:

1. Evacuation route roadside clearance
2. Large parcels within the Town limits
3. Public land and buildings
4. High hazard areas identified in the [Community Wildfire Prevention Plan \(CWPP\)](#)
5. Property transfer inspections

MOFD anticipates that inspections will be completed and the associated violation notices of priority areas will be issued by the end of June.



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CANYON ROAD BRIDGE CLOSURE – JUNE 10

Construction on the Canyon Road Bridge resumed on Wednesday, June 1 as final punch list items are being completed. A temporary signal is now in place and traffic is limited to one lane. Please expect delays of 15 minutes or more Monday through Friday between the hours of 8:00 am and 5:00 pm.

Canyon Road from the Canyon Road Bridge to Camino Pablo will be CLOSED on June 10, 2022 from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm to all traffic, except for emergency vehicles.

Additional roadway closures may be required to complete remaining punch list items between June 13 to June 17, 2022. More information on additional full day closure will be provided once available and posted on the project website.

[PROJECT WEBSITE](#)

RESIDENTIAL RESURFACING PROJECT

The joint Lafayette, Contra Costa County and Moraga pavement resurfacing project is underway. Currently, the Town's contractor has been installing new Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) ramps and replacing older ramps that do not comply with current standards. In the coming weeks, the road resurfacing consisting of rubberized cape and microsurfacing work will commence. Properties affected by any upcoming road closures will receive notices by mail or doorhangers. Once the resurfacing schedule is finalized, it will be posted on the [Project website](#).



MORAGA ROAD AND HACIENDA DRAINAGE PROJECT

Construction has begun on the Moraga Road and Hacienda Drainage Project, after video inspections revealed priority storm drain pipes in need of repairs. The Town's contractor is working to replace the failing Corrugated Metal Pipe (CMP) storm drains crossing the front of the Hacienda parking lot and driveway with new High-Density Polyethylene (HDPE) pipe. An eroded pipe invert adjacent to the Hacienda parking lot is being repaired, and a failing CMP storm drain crossing Moraga Road near Corliss Drive is scheduled to be repaired as part of the project.

UPCOMING JUNE EVENTS

WELCOME TO THE GARDEN

SUN. JUNE 5
RANCHO LAGUNA PARK
MONARCH HABITAT

12pm Ribbon Cutting +
Butterfly Parade

1pm Food + Drinks

2pm Crafts + Games

3pm Garden Docent Tour

BUBBLE Palooza

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8
11 AM TO 12 PM

MORAGA COMMONS PARK

Interactive bubble stations
for children
ages 5 and under

Welcome to the Garden – June 5

Join the Town to celebrate the new Monarch Habitat and Demonstration Garden located at Rancho Laguna Park. The celebration will be held on Sunday, June 5 at 12:00 pm to celebrate with an afternoon filled with family fun for all ages. Food and beverages provided by Andy Boggeri.

Bubble-Palooza – June 8

Calling all children ages 5 and under for this summer's Bubble Palooza at Moraga Commons Park on June 8. The event is free and open to children ages 5 and under. There is no pre-registration for this event. Adult supervision is required.

SUMMER CONCERT SERIES RETURNS – JUNE 9

Thursday Evenings at Moraga Commons Park

The Moraga Park Foundation is pleased to bring back the Summer Concert Series. Concerts will begin on June 9 and run weekly on Thursday evenings through August 4. Concerts are held at Moraga Commons Park from 6:30 to 8:30 pm. Food will be available for purchase from local food trucks participating in the event including: [Ranchero](#), [Ofie's Kitchen](#), [WheelHouse Pizza](#), and [Loards Ice Cream](#). To learn more about the Moraga Park Foundation or how to support the Summer Concert Series, please visit the new Moraga Park Foundation [website](#).



TOWN SUMMER CAMPS BEGIN



The traditional Moraga Day Camp program located at the Hacienda de las Flores remains full for all nine weeks of summer. To accommodate the increasing demand for youth programs this summer, please check out two new additions to the Town's summer camp offerings. Register today! Programs are expected to fill up quickly.

Moraga Day Camp Jr.

June 20 - July 1, 2022
July 18 - July 29, 2022

Introduce your child to summer camp with this two-week Moraga Day Camp experience. Campers will participate in age-appropriate games, art, crafts, songs, and more all planned around the central theme for the week while making memories and new friends.

[REGISTER](#)

Camp Commons

Weekly Sessions
June 13 - July 28

Camp Commons is a new afternoon camp program with an emphasis on creativity, imagination, and socialization. Each session includes special themed activities and adventures designed to engage the minds, bodies, and spirits of campers!

[REGISTER](#)

FREE FITNESS CLASSES AT MORAGA COMMONS PARK

Provided by the Moraga Park Foundation

Sundays 8:00 to 9:00 am

The Moraga Community Foundation has partnered with the Parks and Recreation Department to hold FREE fitness classes at Moraga Commons Park. Classes are held every Sunday morning from June 5 to July 31 from 8:00 to 9:00 am. Pre-registration is not required.

The Moraga Community Foundation continues to close in on their \$450,000 fundraising goal for the "Moraga Commons Park Enhancement Program." The program will provide a new ADA restroom building at Moraga Commons Park and includes additional park enhancements including new trees, water bottle filling station, new flagpole, and contributions to the Town's irrigation replacement and picnic area refurbishment projects scheduled to occur this year.

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Sunday Strong

www.moragacommunityfoundation.org



FREE FITNESS CLASSES

Moraga Commons Park

Every Sunday @ 8am June 5th-July 31st

Featuring
local
Lamorinda
fitness
instructors!



ELECTION DAY – JUNE 7

OFFICIAL BALLOT DROP - OFF LOCATION:

Saint Mary's College
1928 St. Mary's Rd.
Moraga, CA 94556

Completed vote by mail ballots can also be returned to any polling location within Contra Costa County or dropped off at any Post Office or USPS blue box (no postage required).



**Don't Forget to
VOTE!**



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