



**CITY MANAGER
COMMENTS**

May 8, 2023

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MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS MONTH



- May is National Mental Health Awareness Month and we are offering details about resources available to residents.
- In the City's most recent 2022 community survey, 59% rated that they didn't know about the availability of affordable mental health care, 18% rated the availability as poor, 13% as fair and 11% as either good or excellent.
- Local resources are available for all, from Project Safety Net for youth to Avenidas Friendship Line for seniors and more.
- The Suicide & Crisis Lifeline can be reached by calling or texting 9-8-8.



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www.cityofpaloalto.org/BeWell

AFFORDABLE HOUSING RESOURCES FAIR



- Join the City and housing partners on **Saturday, May 13 from 1 – 3:30 p.m.** at the Affordable Housing & Housing Resources Fair.
- Gain resources for renters, seniors, and community members looking for support and services.
- Sign-up for affordable housing waiting lists.
- Ask questions about City, County and non-profit programs and services.
- Spanish speaking support available. Snacks, children's activities available during event.



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www.cityofpaloalto.org/HousingFair

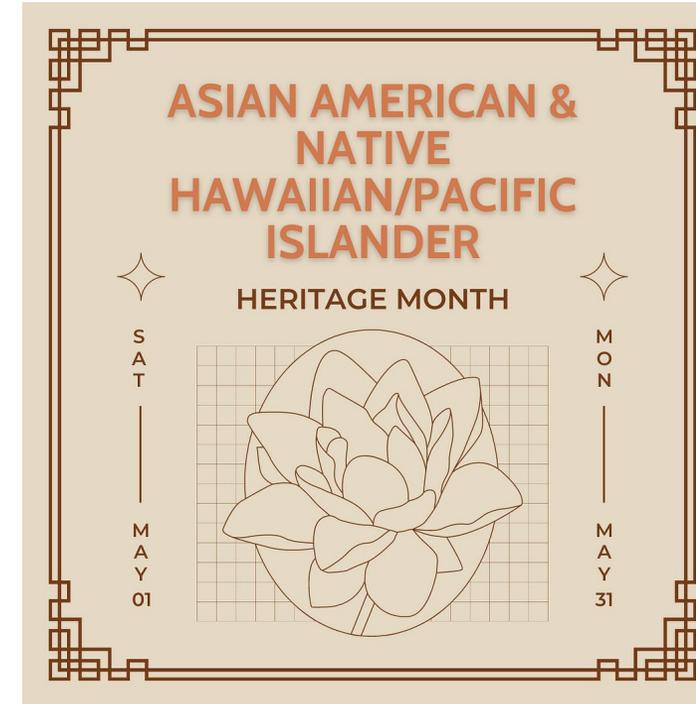
ASIAN AMERICAN, NATIVE HAWAIIAN/PACIFIC ISLANDER HERITAGE MONTH



Celebrate Asian American, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander Heritage Month this May:

- AANHPI Month Storytimes at Children's Library: May 9 and May 13
- Button making pop-up for Teens at Mitchell Park Library: May 17
- Author Event featuring Nicole Chen at Mitchell Park Library: May 20
- Stanford Gu-zheng Ensemble: Sunday, May 21, 2023 at 7 p.m. in the Braun Music Center Campbell Recital Hall.
- Movie Screening: Everything Everywhere All at Once at Rinconada Library: May 28

- Plus, don't forget to participate in the Human Relations Commission **AANHPI Lived Experience survey** by May 31.



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www.cityofpaloalto.org/AANHPIHeritageMonth

MEMORIAL TO HONOR FALLEN PAPD OFFICERS



- Join the Palo Alto Police Department to honor the sacrifice of the three officers in Palo Alto's history who were killed in the line of duty.
- The ceremony takes place on **Monday, May 15 from 9 – 9:30 a.m.** at the Memorial Grove where the three Coast Redwood trees stand together at Cogswell Plaza.
- Attend to remember Reserve Officer Lester Cole, Officer Gene Clifton, and Reserve Officer Theodore Brassinga.



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SUMMER ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

- Visit the Art Center through May 20 to experience ***Cultural Kaleidoscope*** and ***Youth Art***, the annual youth exhibit.
- Attend a concert at Rinconada Library as **Nathan's Fearless Five** tears it up with jazz and swing on Saturday, May 27 from 4–6 p.m.
- **Family Movie Nights** return on June 9 with a line up of fun movies for the whole family this summer at Mitchell Park Athletic Field.
- The **Twilight Concert Series** kicks off a 6-show series beginning June 3 at Rinconada Park and Mitchell Park.



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NOTABLE TENTATIVE UPCOMING COUNCIL ITEMS



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May 15

- Cubberley Next Steps
- Legislative Update
- ADU Ordinance Changes

May 22

- Finance Committee Budget Report Out
- Firearms Sales Limitations Ordinance

June 5

- Valley Water Water Purification Pre-screening
- Homekey Lease and Revenue Agreement
- S/CAP Update, CEQA, and 3-year Workplan

June 12 and beyond

- Pets In Need Term Sheet
- Independent Police Auditor
- Street Sense Economic Development Update
- FY 2023-24 Budget Adoption

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