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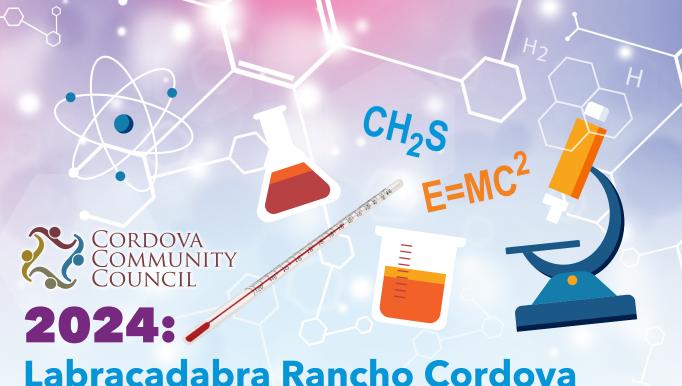
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Cordova Community Council 2024 Fun Book

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Labracadabra Rancho Cordova

Goggles on, everyone! It's time to wave our magic thermometer and say labracadabra. Poof, a periodic table of fun appears for 2024! A wonder-filled exploration begins now in the science lab that is Rancho Cordova.

Who are we?

The Cordova Community Council was founded in 1959 as an "organization of organizations," a forum for citizens to meet, dream about the future and plan community celebrations like fireworks on the Fourth of July.

The legacy of mutual support and collaboration nurtured by the Cordova Community Council has become a hallmark of Rancho Cordova community life for more than six decades and has earned our reputation as a place of collaboration and innovation.

Together with the City of Rancho Cordova and many community partners, the Cordova Community Council has continued to spread its wings to help Rancho Cordova soar to even greater heights. That effort was recognized in 2010, and again in 2019, when Rancho Cordova was named an "All-America City" by the National Civic League when we demonstrated that "We Make the Magic!"

The Cordova Community Council Foundation is recognized by the federal government as a 501(c)3 public benefit non-profit organization. We are headquartered within Rancho Cordova City Hall. Our "can do" spirit is reflected in the inspiring work of our many member organizations and active citizen and business members.

Our spirited, high-quality community events, passionate art and history experiences, and "all in" attitude toward improving youth sports continue into 2024. Connect with citizens and customers in every sector of our magnetic city where community life is out of this world... and always fun. Grab your lab coat and join us for what inventions await!

Come discover with us. Welcome to the Cordova Community Council!

David Sander, Ph. D. President of the Board of Directors

Shelly Blanchard **Executive Director**

2024 Periodic Table of Events

JANUARY Jan. 18-Feb. 24	AUGUST Aug. 2 Summer Concert Series * Village Green Park Aug. 9 Summer Concert Series * Village Green Park Aug. 16 Rancho Cordova Luncheon * City Hall Aug. 16 Summer Concert Series * Village Green Park Aug. 23 Summer Concert Series * Village Green Park Aug. 30 Summer Concert Series * Village Green Park
Feb. 3Symphony d'Oro "The Spice of Life" * Mandarins Event Center Feb. 16Rancho Cordova Luncheon * City Hall	SEPTEMBER Sept. 14Rancho Cordova Sports Hall of Fame * City Hall
MARCH March 7-23Fire, Fury & Resilience * MACC March 8Transatlantic Exploration Company Concert * MACC March 8Community Volunteer Awards * City Hall	Sept. 20
March 15Rancho Cordova Luncheon * City Hall APRIL	OCTOBER Oct. 3-19Prism Play * MACC Oct. 4-31Heartstoppers Haunted House (11 nights) * Mine Shaft
April 10Reception for Student Show * MACC April 11-275th Annual Student Show * MACC April 13Symphony d'Oro "Conductor's Choice" * CHS Performing Arts Center	Oct. 18Rancho Cordova Luncheon * City Hall Oct. 30Art Reception: Fall Fine Art * City Hall
April 14RC River City Concert Band "Space Journey" * KP International April 19Rancho Cordova Luncheon * City Hall April 27Kids Day in the Park * Hagan Community Park April 28RC River City Concert Band "Space Journey" * CHS Performing Arts Center	NOVEMBER Nov. 6
MAY	DECEMBER
May 2	Dec. 1
JUNE June 1Symphony d'Oro "Hot Latin Favorites" * CHS Performing Arts Center June 3-8 5th Annual Micro Masterpieces Fundraiser * MACC June 6-22 6th Annual RC Arts Members Show * MACC	All dates are subject to change. When opportunity knocks, the Cordova Community Council is always ready to answer. Please visit cordovacouncil.org for schedule changes and additions.
June 6-22 6th Annual RC Arts Members Snow * MACC June 7Moonlight Movie * Village Green Park	

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JULY

* CHS Performing Arts Center

July 3-4	RC Fourth of July * Hagan Community Park
July 11-2	7Length x Width x Height * MACC
July 19	Rancho Cordova Luncheon * City Hall
July 31	Art Reception: Abstract Still Life & Botanicals * City Hall

June 14..........Moonlight Movie * Village Green Park
June 21.......Rancho Cordova Luncheon * City Hall
June 21......Moonlight Movie * Village Green Park
June 28......Moonlight Movie * Village Green Park
June 30......RC River City Concert Band



The Cordova Community Council talks a lot about making magic.

We strive to combine the right elements and find the best formula to create wonder-filled moments that make us love Rancho Cordova even more. **Doesn't the science of magic sound fun?**

We think it is magical when you help a family make a memory, or a bunch of people come together to accomplish something for their neighbors. We see magic in the eyes of a child watching a parade pass by, or fireworks explode in the sky. There's a magical sparkle in the air as our Community Christmas tree comes to life.

Our magical journey began in 2010 when the National Civic League named Rancho Cordova an All-America City, bestowing its highest honor for civic engagement, innovation and citizen-driven democracy. The Cordova Community Council All-America City Team built the award-winning presentation around the theme "We Make the Magic," and we have been renewing that vision every year since. We're doing it again in 2024.

All year long, we work with local corporations, government agencies and fellow non-profits, "making the magic" along the way. We call these important partners our "Magic-Makers" and becoming one involves all the fun and surprises such a name implies.

This is your invitation to help us bring more labracadabra to Rancho Cordova on our Magic-Maker Team!

Magic-Maker sponsors make an annual commitment that places them at the forefront of the special events that comprise our Periodic Table of Events. Magic-Maker commitments are rewarded with special benefits and sponsorship discounts because we know you will be there for us. Once we craft a plan that fits your goals, we work hard to make sure you are situated in the front row of our great community events with the heavy lifting already done.

Magic-Makers enjoy such benefits as:

- · Prime locations at our events.
- Tables, chairs and pop-ups provided, and ready to go when you arrive.
- Exposure lots of it! Magic-Maker logos are on signage, publicity... even our volunteers!
- Partnership: We know our events are not all you have to do. We partner to make outreach to the community easy, fun and a good fit with your organization's resources and goals.

Become a Rancho Cordova Magic-Maker and like us, fall chemically in love with our community! Help us mix up a beaker of MAGIC!

Honoring American Heroes



The Cordova Community Council is proud to present two community events honoring those who have bravely served the nation in time of war and peace. Join us for these observances on Memorial Day and Veterans Day, 2024.

Both events are tributes to those who have served in the defense of the nation, including those who have paid the ultimate price. Our plans for 2024 include a moving musical tribute and recognition ceremony for Memorial Day, staged at the beautiful Cordova High School Performing Arts Center.

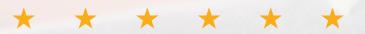
For Veterans Day, those in uniform will be honored by a spectacular installation of more than 500 American flags posted in a special location in Rancho Cordova.

On Veterans Day, honor a veteran by donating blood during our Veterans Day Blood Drive. Our theme for both events is:

"Their Sacrifice. Our Gratitude."

Rancho Cordova Memorial Day Observance Cordova High School Performing Arts Center Monday, May 27, 2024

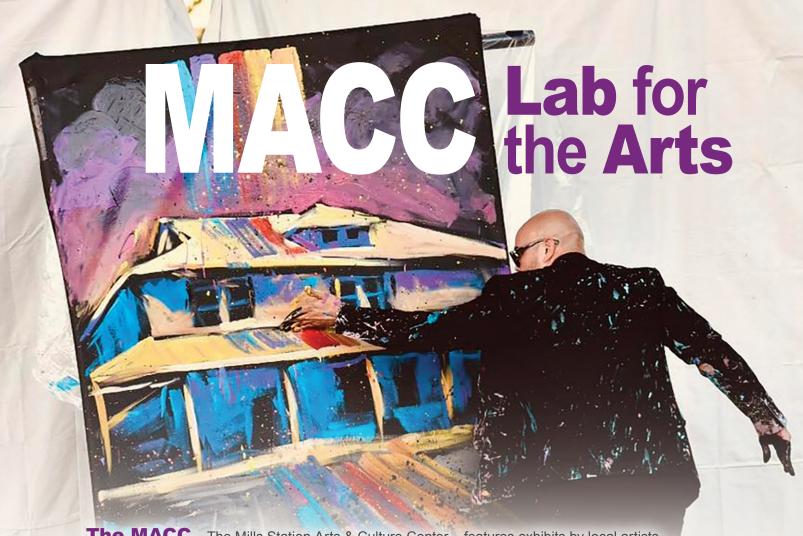
Publicity: This event is promoted through digital billboards, social media and more. Planning cycle begins in January. **Sponsor deadline is April 3** for inclusion on collateral and marketing materials.



Rancho Cordova Veterans Day Observance Flag Tribute

Veterans Day Blood Drive * Rancho Cordova City Hall Monday, Nov. 11, 2024

Publicity: This event is promoted through digital billboards, social media and high-quality flyers. Planning cycle begins in June. **Sponsor deadline is Oct. 3** for inclusion on collateral and marketing materials.



The MACC – The Mills Station Arts & Culture Center – features exhibits by local artists, workshops, history displays, cultural demonstrations, musical performances and more. These thought-provoking displays and events are meant to inspire deeper exploration and greater understanding, just like in a science lab, in addition to providing high-quality art experiences and entertainment. Built in 1911, the Mills Station Building has always been a meeting place for the community and a stopping place for travelers. Now, it is all that and more as it comes alive as the MACC.

Supported by a grant from the Rancho Cordova Community Enhancement & Investment Fund, the MACC returns as a lab for the arts in 2024 with a concoction of captivating topics:

- Sorting Out Race: Examining racial identity and sterotypes in thrift store donations.
- Fire, Fury & Resilience: Giving form to local and global events reshaping our lives.
- 5th Annual Student Show: Works by the next generation of Rancho Cordova artists.
- Pure Imagination: Discarded objects recycled, reused and re-imagined into new art.
- Micro Masterpieces: RC Arts yearly fundraiser to supply local classrooms with art supplies.
- 6th Annual Rancho Cordova Arts Members Show: Just what it sounds like your friends and neighbors star in this exhibit!
- Length x Width x Height: A multidimensional experience.
- Sac Open Studios: Rancho Cordova artists of the Sac Open Studios tour.
- Prism Play: A full spectrum of art quilts.
- 58th Annual National Mother Lode Exhibit: The MACC hosts this
 prestigious national show and features many local artists.
- Winter Art Fest 2024: Local artists provide the ease of giving just in time for the holidays!

Visit rcmacc.org and see what's brewing next! Because there's always something elementally creative at the MACC.





Greasuring Volunteers

X marks the spot!

6 P.M. FRIDAY, MARCH 8 RANCHO CORDOVA CITY HALL 2729 PROSPECT PARK DRIVE

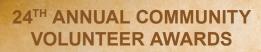
Join us as we honor:

Rancho Cordovan of the Year
Distinguished Business Partner
Outstanding Community Service
...and more!



Tickets \$30 / No host bar Buy tickets online: cordovacouncil.org (916) 273-5704

Yo-ho-ho and a volunteer's life for me!



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6 p.m. Friday, March 8, 2024 Rancho Cordova City Hall 2729 Prospect Park Drive

Attendance: 180



Ahoy, mateys! The Cordova Community Council Volunteer Awards is a public event celebrating and inspiring volunteerism in the community while raising the profile of outstanding volunteer efforts. Follow the treasure map, and join us as we sing yo-ho-ho and a volunteer's life for me!

COLLABORATORS

This celebratory event includes dinner and awards ceremony, hosted by a celebrity emcee. The Cordova Community Council conducts all award nominating and selection efforts. Local businesses provide cash sponsorships and in-kind donations.

The awards are considered to be the premiere volunteer honors in the Rancho Cordova community, with the "Rancho Cordovan of the Year" a prestigious designation, usually recognizing a lifetime of community contribution. This event is a match for those whose corporate culture prizes volunteer contribution and service to the community and wish to identify with these values in Rancho Cordova.

ATTENDANCE

This theme party event is attended by a broad spectrum of civic leaders and local elected officials who participate in the award ceremony. Current venue limits attendance to approximately 180 people. This popular event traditionally sells out.

PUBLICITY

The Community Volunteer Awards enjoy widespread publicity in Rancho Cordova as it is recognized as the most prestigious of local awards events. The event is marketed to the community through local media, social media and high-quality flyers distributed among civic groups and the general public.

Sponsor deadline is Feb. 1 for collateral materials, including publicity flyers, programs, signage and event decoration. Event marketing is year-round on the Cordova Community Council website, which displays winners and their stories for posterity.

SPONSORS

For 2024, sponsorship opportunities include:

- Presenting sponsor status, allowing company representative to make opening remarks and assist in the award presentations.
- Table sponsorships, with opportunities for distribution of company information and giveaways.
- General sponsorship benefits include logo recognition on publicity flyers, programs, signage and event decoration.



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11 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday, April 27, 2024 Hagan Community Park 2197 Chase Drive Attendance: 5,000

MISSION

Kids Day is a festival geared to families of small children. A fun day of activities for small children and their families, it is also a health and resources fair with providers on hand to engage parents and provide information. Target group is children 12 and younger and their parents. Kids Day has been a favorite Rancho Cordova special event for more than three decades. Calling all young Einsteins! Strap on your goggles and strap in for fun on an adventure inside a mad scientist-themed playground.

COLLABORATORS

Kids Day in the Park is a broad partnership of health, education and service providers in the community. Major players include Cordova Recreation and Park District, Sacramento County Department of Health Services, Folsom Cordova Unified School District and healthcare providers. This year's event promises plenty of freebies and a safe day of green grass, blue skies and fun!

ATTENDANCE

Kids Day in the Park is a longstanding event which continues to evolve. The Cordova Community Council is the event producer. Event admission is free. Food and beverage are available at modest prices. 2023 attendance exceeded 5,000 kids and adults.

PUBLICITY

Kids Day is marketed to the community through local media, social media, signage and distribution of information through the schools and preschools throughout Rancho Cordova. Online parenting websites and publications are also utilized.

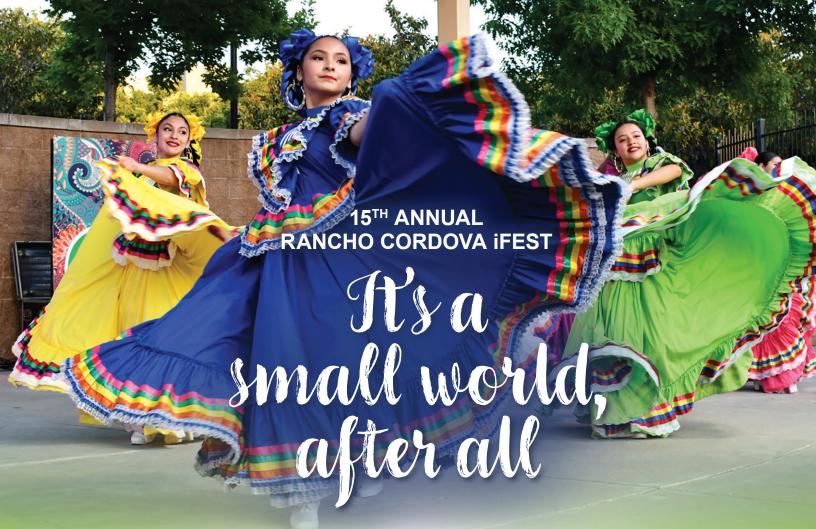
Planning cycle begins in January, with sponsor deadline for collateral materials on March 15. Event marketing begins April 1. Kids Day enjoys strong support in the local media and colorful post-event coverage.

SPONSORS

Kids Day is a wonderful gathering of our community's youngest children and their parents, all exploring and celebrating during a fun day together. Along the way they receive information to lead healthy, happy lives in Rancho Cordova. If healthy, happy kids is your mission, Kids Day is your event.







Saturday, May 11, 2024 5-9 p.m. Village Green Park 3141 Bridgeway Drive Rancho Cordova

FREE ADMISSION



Art ◆ Music ◆ Dance International Food Children's Activities

Wines of the World

Special Ticket Required ◆ 21 and older only Buy tickets at cordovacouncil.org

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15th Annual Rancho Cordova iFest

Small World. Big Party.

5-9 p.m. Saturday, May 11, 2024 Village Green Park • 3141 Bridgeway Drive Attendance: 3,000

MISSION

Rancho Cordova iFest International Festival is a festival celebrating the ethnic diversity of the community and reaching out to newcomer groups by offering an opportunity for them to showcase their cultural heritage. The event is a free, family-friendly evening in an outdoor setting. It celebrates the sounds, dance and tastes from around the world... and around the corner. Our motto is "Small World. Big Party."

COLLABORATORS

This volunteer-driven event is organized by a Cordova Community Council planning group that includes community residents. Centerpiece of this event is the colorful and lively entertainment line-up on stage in

the amphitheater. Admission to the event is free of charge. Food and beverage are available for purchase. "Wines of the World" is a unique wine-tasting experience for adults. A special ticket is required for this activity.



Participation is broadly diverse, with performing groups representing more than a dozen international cultures. Audience members are all ages, with families making up the biggest sector.

PUBLICITY

iFest is marketed to the community through local media, social media, signage throughout the community and flyers distributed through the schools. iFest has enjoyed generous coverage by local media.

Planning cycle begins in February, with sponsor deadline March 23 for collateral materials including publicity

flyers, programs and volunteer gear. Event marketing begins in mid-April.



SPONSORS

Rancho Cordova iFest is the Cordova Community Council's diversity and cultural arts showcase. If reaching out to ethnic populations by celebrating their rich cultural heritage is what you seek, join us at iFest 2024.

Rancho Cordova Fourth of July Rancho Cordova's All-America Celebration!



Wednesday, July 3 ★ 4-11 p.m. Festival & Fireworks

Thursday, July 4 ★ 9 a.m. Mile Run • 10 a.m. Parade • 4-11 p.m. Festival & Fireworks

MISSION

Rancho Cordova Fourth of July is a two-day festival and parade celebrating the local community and our American heritage. It is the signature event for the community.

COLLABORATORS

This complex event engages hundreds of local volunteers, numerous service organizations and many business sponsors within the community. Its popularity is confirmed by the large audiences which turn out for the parade and two-day festival, free concerts and fireworks shows. It is produced by the Cordova Community Council.



ATTENDANCE

Who attends the Rancho Cordova Fourth of July? Who doesn't! With its many activities, festival food, carnival rides, concerts, fireworks and more, the Rancho Cordova Fourth of July lays claim to the title of "premiere Fourth of July event in the region." No other community celebration offers the breadth of activities as does the Rancho Cordova Fourth of July, and an extraordinary fireworks show is guaranteed. Attendance has grown steadily over the years and welcomes 25,000 who attend the festival and fireworks. Approximately 10,000 participate in or watch the parade!

PUBLICITY

This event is marketed to the community and region through local media, social media, billboards and radio advertising by sponsors on our behalf. The event enjoys wonderful pre-event support from local media and is often part of regional news coverage.

Sponsor deadlines for collateral material, including publicity flyers, programs and volunteer gear, is May 3. Event marketing and advertising, including a publicity campaign, begins June 1.

SPONSORS

Sponsorships for the Rancho Cordova Fourth of July range from \$25,000 major event sponsors to \$250 contributions. Sponsorship packages offer a spectrum of exposure and benefits of supporting the community's largest event.

No event captures the spirit of the community like the Rancho Cordova Fourth of July. There are dozens of ways to align with this important community marker; let us find the one that matches your objectives.



Rancho Cordova Fourth of July returns with many old favorites and new adventures. Join us for All America Mile ROAD RACE and Fourth of July PARADE on Coloma Road, plus CARNIVAL RIDES, CONCERTS, COLD BEER and FIREWORKS in Hagan Community Park.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 3

4 p.m. Gates open to Hagan Community Park events 4-11 p.m. Carnival Rides

8 p.m. Concert 9:45 p.m. FIREWORKS!

HURSDAY, JULY 4

9 a.m. All America Road Race * Coloma Road 10 a.m. Fourth of July Parade * Coloma Road

4 p.m. Gates open to Hagan Community Park events

4-11 p.m. Carnival Rides

8 p.m. Concert

9:45 p.m. FIREWORKS!

DISCOUNT CARNIVAL RIDES!

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CASH only • NO fees

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SUMUNCY SCHOOL What are you doing Friday Night? Moonlight Movies * Summer Concerts

MISSION

Our Summer Series has become as much a part of a Rancho Cordova summer as floating down the American River. This is a series of "FREE Friday nights out" that will keep you happily entertained throughout the summer. In June, Moonlight Movies return with a "Summer of Science." Lights, camera, lift off! Journey out of this galaxy until the mission is complete. We rock the month of August away during our Friday Night Concerts. Be sure to wear your dancing shoes...

COLLABORATORS

Our summer series of outdoor movies and concerts will be held at the beautiful Village Green Park amphitheater. The Cordova Recreation and Park District is a major collaborator. Admission to all movies and concerts is free of charge. Snacks and other food are available for purchase at these events.

ATTENDANCE

We entertain up to 1,000 visitors during our free summer concerts. Our entertainment is family-friendly, and our audiences are the same. Movies attract 300 or more flick-fans. Our sponsors frequently set up at tables which we provide to interact with audience members who are circulating prior to the shows. It's a stress-free, casual way to start off a Rancho Cordova summer weekend.

PUBLICITY

The summer series is publicized utilizing local and social media, event signage and fliers, website and email campaigns, and citywide signage.

SCHEDULE

Moonlight Movies are every Friday night in June: June 7 ★ June 14 ★ June 21 ★ June 28 Showtime is 8:30 p.m.

Summer Concerts are every Friday night in August: Aug. 2 ★ Aug. 9 ★ Aug. 16 ★ Aug. 23 ★ Aug. 30 Show begins at 7 p.m.

SPONSORS

Summer Series sponsorships are available through the Magic-Maker program with benefits that include: logo identification on all pre-event publicity, event

signage, website exposure, plus venue marketing opportunities. Other sponsorships are also available. Deadline to be included in collateral material is May 2.







Rancho Cordova steps onto the national stage in a big way in 2024 as our own David Sander – Mayor of Rancho Cordova and President of the Cordova Community Council – travels the country as President of the National League of Cities. Yes, it's a big deal!

David is a scientist. So it is not surprising that his leadership both here and across the country will build upon the idea that local communities are the true laboratories of democracy.

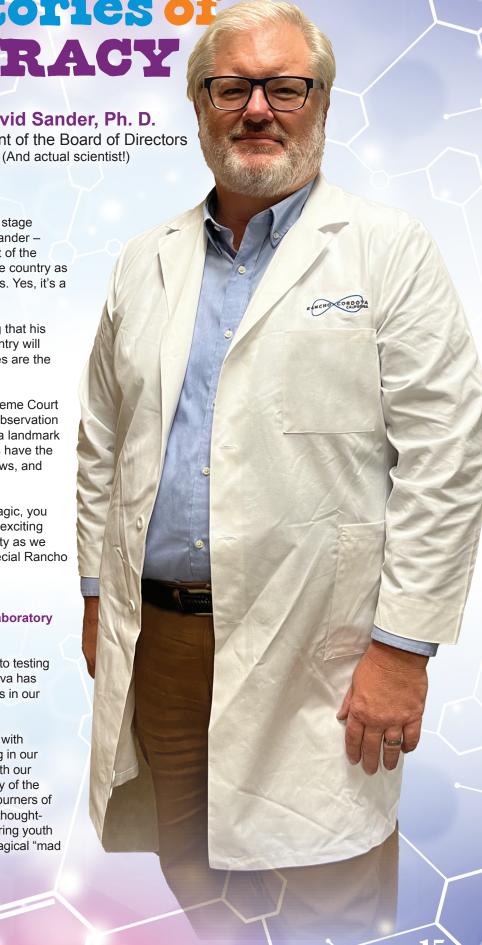
It's not a new concept. Famed U.S. Supreme Court Justice Louis Brandeis made the same observation about state government back in 1932 in a landmark case which found that local governments have the freedom to experiment, make the best laws, and serve as "social laboratories."

But if you add some Rancho Cordova magic, you have "Labracadabra" – our theme for an exciting year for Mayor Sander and our community as we share with the rest of the country our special Rancho Cordova mixture of partnership, service and innovation.

Rancho Cordova has always been a laboratory and its citizens the scientists.

From the Gold Rush, to the Space Race, to testing new ideas as a young city, Rancho Cordova has always been an incubator of ideas. Join us in our laboratory in 2024.

The Cordova Community Council will join with Dr. Sander in exploring and experimenting in our continuing quest to help you fall in love with our city and making Rancho Cordova the envy of the region. Join us as we fire up the Bunsen burners of community life with great special events, thought-provoking and entertaining arts, and inspiring youth sports opportunities... with just enough magical "mad science" to keep it interesting!



State of the City

Where Our Citizen Scientists Gather

Wednesday, Nov. 6, 2024 Rancho Cordova City Hall 2729 Prospect Park Drive Attendance: 250



MISSION

The State of the City event is a civic gathering during which the Mayor of Rancho Cordova delivers a "State of the City Address." It is an opportunity to take stock of where we are as a city and look to the future. The event is produced by the Cordova Community Council.

ATTENDANCE

Meeting in the early evening, and including a complimentary reception, the State of the City attracts approximately 250 city residents and business people for a lively presentation and info download. The event is presented in partnership with the Rancho Cordova Area Chamber of Commerce and Visit Rancho Cordova.

PUBLICITY

The event is widely publicized by the City of Rancho Cordova, Rancho Cordova Area Chamber of Commerce and Cordova Community Council. The event enjoys strong support and coverage by the local news media.

Planning cycle begins in August. Sponsor deadline is Oct. 2 to be included in collateral materials, including publicity flyers, advertising by sponsoring organizations, event programs and signage.

SPONSORS

The State of the City event has become Rancho Cordova's leading civic experience. For those who wish to be associated with good government and the bright future of Rancho Cordova, State of the City is an excellent match.





Rancho Cordova State of the City



FREE ADMISSION

5:30 p.m. Public Reception **Featuring local sweets and Barrel District libations** 6:30 p.m. State of the City Address

Presented by:















































25th Annual Cordova Community

Christmas Tree Lighting

4-7:30 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 1, 2024 Village Green Park

3141 Bridgeway Drive Attendance: 5,000



MISSION

The annual lighting of our Cordova Community Christmas Tree is a public event inspiring community unity, showcasing Rancho Cordova community life, promoting local business and providing a community branding experience.

COLLABORATORS

This vibrant holiday celebration is a happy collaboration of numerous Rancho Cordova organizations, faith communities, and performers who give our celebration a true community appeal. This event is powered completely by volunteers from local civic associations and churches, led by the Cordova Community Council and an active planning group. Food trucks, fireworks, snow and Santa make it a party!

ATTENDANCE

Event admission is free to the public. Attendance has exploded to more than 5,000 in what has become a leading community event.

PUBLICITY

This event is marketed to the community through citywide signage, local media, social media, billboards and more.

Planning cycle begins in September. Sponsor deadline is Oct. 2 for inclusion in collateral materials, including publicity flyers, programs and volunteer gear. Event marketing begins Nov. 1.



25th Annual ORDOVA COMMUNITY Christmas Tree LIGHTING

4-7:30 p.m. Sunday, December 1 **Tree Lighting &** Fireworks at 7 p.m. Village Green Park 3141 Bridgeway Drive

FREE ADMISSION

- Hay Rides Live Nativity
- Food Trucks
 Santa Claus
 - Train Rides SNOW!

HELP STUFF THE SQUAD CAR

Brighten the holidays for needy kids in our community by bringing a new, unwrapped gift.



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Rancho Cordova Athletic Association

The Cordova Community Council is bringing the same great collaborative models that have been applied to arts to youth sports organizations in the community. Our motto: "Where all kids play."

The Rancho Cordova Athletic Association (RCAA) has been formed to bring to the table those leaders who wish to propel youth sports leagues and programs to new heights. Collaborative marketing, planning, improvement of facilities, sports fee assistance, and positive coaching models are emerging from this effort with a goal that every child in Rancho Cordova will have access to affordable fun that teaches good sportsmanship, healthy lifestyles, teamwork and the rewards of commitment and hard work. The RCAA will host the 9th Annual Rancho Cordova Sports Hall of Fame on Sept. 14, 2024, a must-see event for local sports fans.

The Rancho Cordova Athletic Association is growing with the community with more leagues and more kids! This is a great partner for those interested in helping evolve the importance of sound bodies and minds through lessons learned through sports.



9th Annual Rancho Cordova Sports Hall of Fame

6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 14, 2024 Rancho Cordova City Hall 2729 Prospect Park Drive Attendance: 400



Rancho Cordova has an extraordinary sports history, and it comes to life each fall during inductions into the Rancho Cordova Sports Hall of Fame. The event returns with yet another All Star line-up of honorees on Sept. 14, 2024. This is a ticketed event which normally sells out.

During a gala event, Rancho Cordova sports legends take their rightful place in the hearts and minds of the community, enshrined forever in the Rancho Cordova Sports Hall of Fame. Help honor local sports heroes by becoming a sponsor.



Capturing and preserving the legendary sports legacy of Rancho Cordova, while inspiring community youth.



ATTENDANCE

This evening event begins with a cocktail reception, followed by a video presentation honoring individual inductees and presentation of handsome medals. An elegant keepsake program is also produced.

PUBLICITY

This popular event is widely publicized in local and social media. Planning cycle begins in January. Sponsor deadline is Aug. 1 to be included in event collateral, including marketing materials and the commemorative program.



Living the Arts!

A place for art and artists

The Cordova Community Council continues the advancement of the arts in 2024. We never tire of finding creative new ways to expand and evolve our exciting arts community and continue to elevate The MACC – the heart of the arts in Rancho Cordova. The City of Rancho

and artists." We're working hard to make that vision a reality.

Cordova's Arts Strategic Plan calls out a vision of our city being "a place for art

RANCHO CORDOVA ARTS

Representing the visual component of our arts initiative. Rancho Cordova Arts is driven by active artists in the community, who organize fine art exhibits and interesting arts speakers aimed at developing professionalism among local artists, recruit art volunteers and more. Visual artists join us in hosting quarterly City Hall exhibits and special events at The MACC.

RANCHO CORDOVA RIVER CITY CONCERT BAND

Our concert band is a lively bunch of approximately 70 volunteer musicians who play as a group or in small ensembles all over Rancho Cordova and the region when conditions permit. Rancho Cordova performances are generally free of charge and cover a wide range of popular and classical band pieces, all under the direction of Conductor Tom Seaton. Our band appears often at community events and provides the musical backbone to veterans and holiday events, as well.

SYMPHONY D'ORO

Symphony d'Oro (formerly the Rancho Cordova Civic Light Orchestra) celebrates its 11th anniversary in January 2024. The symphony has evolved with a new name and remains the pride and joy of Rancho Cordova orchestra-lovers. Conductor Pete Nowlen keeps it interesting, and with 60 musicians, Symphony d'Oro is making its mark, playing familiar music in unusual settings and creative new ways!









The Rancho Cordova Luncheon The one, and only...!

Third Friday of Each Month Rancho Cordova City Hall Attendance: 100





MISSION

Each month, the Cordova Community
Council and Rancho Cordova Area
Chamber of Commerce host a luncheon
featuring a newsmaker in the community.
This alliance of leading Rancho Cordova
organizations brings together Rancho
Cordova's "three-legged stool" of citizens,
business and government in a setting that
encourages teamwork and collaboration.
Believe it or not, this luncheon has been
meeting each month for 64 years!

We call it The Rancho Cordova Luncheon... the one and only! That's because it is the only monthly forum during which all sectors of our community turn out in force together. It's our primary civic networking event.

ATTENDANCE

The Rancho Cordova Luncheons attract approximately 100 people each third Friday, constituting the largest and longest-running regular public event of its kind in Rancho Cordova. Speakers have included Members of Congress, State Legislators and many others who make the news. Topics such as homelessness and challenges of education have also been featured. If it's in the news, it's likely to be a topic at The Rancho Cordova Luncheon.

SPONSORS

Both the Cordova Community Council and Rancho Cordova Area Chamber of Commerce will be offering sponsorship opportunities during these important monthly civic huddles. If you are interested in participating as a Rancho Cordova Luncheon sponsor, please contact us.

Becoming a supporting partner of The Rancho Cordova Luncheon, attended by leaders of local civic organizations, business and government officials, amounts to a helping hand to citizen engagement, good government and a healthy city.







HEARTSTOPPERS Haunted House

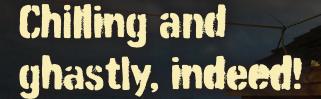
Come and support us. If you dare...

Selected Dates in September and October The Mine Shaft 2300 Mine Shaft Lane Rancho Cordova

You will be scared silly during the Cordova Community Council's largest annual fundraising event: Heartstoppers Haunted House.

In September and October, and partnering with another non-profit organization, the old Mine Shaft property at 2300 Mine Shaft Lane is converted into the scariest place in town. For 13 nights, ghouls and zombies stalk the halls and underground tunnels for 15,000 guests, who are challenged to scream – for a cause! Heartstoppers Haunted House is consistently rated the best Haunted House experience in Sacramento.

This volunteer-driven adventure has become the Cordova Community Council's largest fundraising event. Sponsorship opportunities are available. Better yet, purchase a bundle of tickets at an attractive group rate and make it a fun outing for staff and clients. We appreciate support for this mission of the macabre.





Mixing up events. And more.

CORDOVA COMMUNITY COUNCIL E-NEWS

Keep in touch with what's happening in the community and get connected to Rancho Cordova's most active citizens by subscribing to our free e-news service. This lively email delivers Rancho Cordova to more than 16,000 e-news subscribers multiple times a week... and whenever there is an important community event in our city.

CORDOVA COMMUNITY COUNCIL WEBSITES

Visit cordovacouncil.org to meet our members, join our organization and find out what's coming next! Our website features regular updates and profiles of our diverse membership. Please drop by soon.

Looking for arts information? Cordovacouncil.org is also the gateway for local artists and art lovers in the community. It is through this portal that hundreds of Rancho Cordova artists and musicians discover and find their route to advancement of the arts in our city. Are you an artist? Visit our site and join our Rancho Cordova Artist Database. Wondering what's coming to the MACC? Visit rcmacc.org and find out!

Cordova Community Council also is the power behind ranchocordovajuly4th.com, a popular website visited by thousands during the ramp-up to the Rancho Cordova Fourth of July Celebration. Be a Magic-Maker, and you are well situated on this important site.

When are soccer sign-ups? When is opening day at Rancho Cordova Little League? This information and more about all of Rancho Cordova's recreational youth sports leagues can be found beginning at reathletics.org.

DIGITAL GRAPEVINE

Interested in local history? The Cordova Community Council hosts The Digital Grapevine, online access to the long-running *Grapevine Independent*, Rancho Cordova's local newspaper. Visit cordovacouncil.org, look for the Digital Grapevine logo and dive right in!

SOCIAL MEDIA

Like everybody else, the Cordova Community Council is evolving its outreach through the many channels of social media. Be our Facebook friend, follow us on X (formally Twitter) and Instagram, and check out our Snapchat to keep up to the minute with what's happening with our organization.

ONE STOP FOR YOUR COMMUNITY CONNECTION

Rancho Cordova citizens enjoy the benefits of visionary leadership which has made Rancho Cordova City Hall the place where the community heart beats. City government is housed here. But so are the Cordova Community Council and our partner, the Rancho Cordova Area Chamber of Commerce, providing citizens with the "three-legged stool" upon which our city is seated – government, citizens and business – all under one roof. Making a stop at City Hall to view the latest exhibit of local art and checking out what's new at the Cordova Community Council in Suite 117 should be part of your "Labracadabra" agenda. We'll be waiting for you.

















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