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Tom Lutz

## Message fromTom Lutz

President, Washington Square Neighborhood Association

A 501(c)(3) in Santa Ana, California

We're halfway through 2014 and have had some interesting developments in the "Square." For one thing, it's been six months since the Bristol St. Widening Ad Hoc Committee first attended the council meeting to urge council to vote for the "full take" to make larger and safer sidewalks on both sides of Bristol between Washington and 17th, wide center medians, curb parking landscape, and a right hand turn lane exiting Washington Ave. The vote has been continued each month due to negotiations with the Bristol St. Coalition of eight businesses who are trying to remain in the same location, thus reducing the full take, narrower sidewalks, no curb parking landscape, and narrower center medians. It is scheduled to be on the council agenda the first meeting of July and we hope a vote will be taken so as to make Bristol St., our western border, look as nice as the south of First St. section of Bristol.

The other major event that took place was the placement of a mobile home otherwise known as a manufactured home or modular home. There's not enough room in my letter to explain the difference between the three, but if you see the building, you can form your own description. Once we were aware of what was going on, your board president arranged a meeting with City Planning and Building officials and in this meeting we were told that the State of California has determined these homes meet affordable and low income housing and the City has virtually no say where they can and cannot be placed. And before you ask, YES, we were told they could even be placed in Floral Park.

Our property values are at stake as the introcduction of these structures cause devaluation to permanent residences nearby. This has us very concerned as these structures could be placed at the property above 15th St. at Lowell and Olive Streets which was purchased last year for development. Board member Susan Van der Roest has done extensive research and it appears this can only be overturned by the legislature in Sacramento. In the meantime, we are threatened with a lower grade of housing that will affect our property values in Washington Square. If you haven't guessed, this President is not happy with this situation. If you feel the same, I would suggest you let your State Assemblyman and Senator know.

In closing, we were told by City staff that once the landscaping is in "it will look just fine." I'm going to leave that up to you to make that call and I sincerely hope they are right.

Have a great summer and be safe!

Jam Sutz Tom Lutz 2014 President

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# Washington Square is fun.

mark your calendars



## August 23, 2014: Family Movie Night

When we say family, we mean it! Come one, come all for a lovely evening under the stars with your friends and neighbors. The movie this year is the highly acclaimed **Ratatouille** (pronounced rat-a-too-ee). Of course, there will be cartoons prior to set the mood.

Free popcorn, candies, water, hot dogs for a buck. Cartoons and a family friendly animated movie. It's all good. Bring a sweater or blanket if the night is cool. Location is at the 16th Street cul-de-sac off of Towner.

**About the movie Ratatoille:** The Disney Pixar Academy Award winning animated movie is about a rat from the Paris sewers who has a passion for cooking. The rat, named Remy, dreams of becoming a great French chef despite his family's wishes and the obvious problem of being a rat in a decidedly rodent-phobic profession. He makes an unusual alliance with a kitchen worker at a fine French restaurant. This soon sets into motion a hilarious and exciting rat race that turns the culinary world of Paris upside down



Details: August 23, 8pm.

Nemberhsip Drive

Where: In the cul de sac just West of Towner at the end of 16th Street.

October 12th, 2014: Celebrate Oktoberfest WSNA Style

Mark your calendars for the Third Annual (can you believe it?) Oktoberfest held here in the hood. It's an epic event--great food, great beers, great fun!

Plan now so you have plenty of time to practice your beer drinking and dust off those Lederhosen and Dirndyls.

A huge, gigantic, colossal THANK YOU from the hardworking members of the WSNA Membership Committee; Laura Garcia, Kirsten Sketch, Nancy Lutz and Monica Drevon. You have generously replenished the neighborhood coffers and everyone is very grateful WSNA can continue to do the work.

P.S. You can still join the neighborhood. Just go to the Paypal page on the website, washington-square.org.



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September 6, 2014

### ConcerT in The Park



Ready for some flower power? Hop on a time machine back to the 60's for a lighthearted BeatleMania recreation but start growing bangs now so you can win the costume contest! In addition to the upbeat music of the period, you can expect cupcake-eating, dancefloor dancing, costume judging, table decorating, free prizes, T-shirt gun blasts into the audience, and more giveaways. Bring some cash so you can get into the best raffle around. Lots of super prizes worth way more than the price of a raffle ticket!

The event features the legendary bakers of Washington Square at the booth selling the best fresh and delicious homemade desserts. Also available will be coffee. bottled water, and peace signs.

It will be a blast! Features the great, most entertaining, classic rock band The Answer. In addition this concert evening is maybe the best bargain in family entertainment around--only \$25 for a table for 8. That's only \$3 per person and we really truly promise it will be a blast!

**Save the date**. **September 6, 5 pm.** Mark your calender now for Concert in the Park featuring the highly entertaining, classic rock band The Answer (www.theanswertoclassicrock.com). Bring your friends, children, neighbors and a picnic then sit back, feel the beat(les) and enjoy the blast to the past.

Location: Morrison Park, 2801 Westwood, music 6-10 p.m.,

Cost: Five foot round tables seat up to 8, only \$25.

**To reserve:** call Mel Steiner (714) 269-4138. There will be flyers available as the date draws nearer so reserve with Mel now or be on the lookout.

**Remember:** This is your event. WSNA is one of the neighborhoods helping organize Concert in the Park. We ask for your support by attending this fun evening and we're pretty sure you won't regret it.

Costume? Heck yes!! Wear a costume (there are prizes) and bring picnic food, beverages, table decor.





## Tree Replacement -- Begins in July along Louise St.

**Update:** The Washington Square Tree Committee, spearheaded by Susan van der Roest, has had a series of extremely productive meetings with the Projects Manager in charge of Santa Ana's 65,000 tree Urban Forest, Danell Mercado. Fueled by mutual concerns for safety, health and appearance of sycamore trees along Louise street resulted in the Reforestation Project described below. Work is beginning soon and all residents on Louise will receive notice via US Mail.

### The Louise Street Reforestation Project

by Dannell Mercado, Projects Manager, City of Santa Ana

Throughout the years the City of Santa Ana, Public Works Agency, Tree Section has been responsible for maintaining the 65,000 trees in the city parkways. Part of maintaining the parkway trees is recognizing when trees have matured, fulfilled their life span and become poor specimens. The Sycamore trees on Louise Street fall into that category.

In March 2014 the City Staff Arborist performed inspections on each of the Louise Street Sycamore trees. The result of the inspections is twenty-five trees will need to be removed. The City's plan is to remove the old tree and re-plant with new 24" box Alamo Sycamore trees that will grow to enhance the neighborhood and benefit future generations growing up in this community.

Alamo Sycamore is a relatively new species which is very hardy and much more resistant to environmental challenges. A number of them have been planted recently in Washington, most notably on Freeman Street.

The City will perform the removals with a two phase approach beginning the second week of July, 2014. The effected property owners and property occupants will be notified directly of the impending work in the parkways in front of their property.

You will be seeing activity on Louise Street during the week of July 7ths through July 18th and again during the weeks of of August 11th through August 15th. Please be patient as the City works diligently to upgrade the Louise Street parkway trees. If you have any questions or concerns please give the City's Public Works Maintenance Services Section a call at (714) 647-3306.

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## "Meet me at the Market."



"Meet me at the market" is something we'll be saying alot now that DTSA has a Thursday Farmers Market. Why you ask? The answer is all in the bag.

Check out this handy Farmers Market bag in the photo to the left.

The idea is that you go to the market, fill it up with certified organic produce, meat, baked goods, condiments, and more. You can grab snacks and a refreshing beverage while you're strolling the market, sampling local foods, deciding what to take home, and maybe running into a buddy or two.

In addition to the shopping, you have the opportunity to experience DTSA at a discount.

That is where your magic moneysaving bag comes in. Visit one or more of the

participating merchants for your 10% discounts and freebies. But you have to have the bag with you and show it in order to get your special Thursday prices.

Following you will find the list of participating businesses, so enjoy your Thursday in Downtown Santa Ana! Be aware that the list is constantly growing so check the list at the Info Booth for new additions while you're shopping.

Discounts currently available at: Chapter One, Diego's Paninoteca Maggio, Little Sparrow, C4 Deli, Sugaring Downtown, Loa Gaspar, Gypsy Den, Bttrooklyn Harper, Elite Fitness, Bicycle Tree, Tabu Burger, Rage Newsstand, Left of the Dial, Proof Bar.

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## Sarah's Neighborhood News

by Sarah Covarrubias

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June is a time of celebrations and fun: Graduations, Weddings, Summer Vacation...It is also one of the best times to buy real estate. While so many people are busy with these special events, there are less people house shopping. Meaning that you will probably have an easier time finding a home and getting your offer accepted. Although the days of 10-20 offers on every home are gone, some homes are still getting 2-3 offers.

As you can see, the Winter/Spring market was a very busy time with TEN closed sales in this issue. This is the highest number of closed sales, we have seen during this same period since 2009. And the most important thing is that they are all equity sellers--NO Foreclosures or Shortsales. Prices have gone up so much that most people are no longer "under water" on their loans.

Interest rates are still very, very low. FHA/VA rates are as low as 3.75% for a 30 year fixed rate. Conventional, with as low as a 5% downpayment and a maximum loan amount, is 4.25%.

With the short summer lull in the market, and low interest rates, I'd say it is an excellent time to buy a home. If you're considering selling your property, contact me for a discussion on how best to prep your home to get the maximum price.

Cheers!



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### Pickle-ball anyone?

## The question is, should we bring Pickle-Ball to Washington Square? What do YOU think?

#### What Is Pickle-ball?

A lively racket game for all ages and abilities.

Pickle-ball® was created with one thing in mind: fun. It was designed to be easy to learn and play whether you're five, eighty-five or somewhere in between.

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It can also be played indoors or on grass with a portable net (see photo below).

#### How it works

In addition to the modified net and gear, there are several key rules in Pickle-ball® that help make the game more accessible. For example, tennis games are often won and lost by the power of the serve. In Pickle-ball®, the ball must bounce once on each side before any volleys are allowed. It is played with a wiffle ball which

somewhat slows the pace as well. The idea is to open the game to more players and extends play time for added fun.



### First Presbyterian Church Santa Ana

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### Sunday Worship:

#### Traditional Services @ 10:00 a.m.

\*Held in both English and Spanish
\*Worship includes hymns & praise songs
\* Communion the first Sunday of the month.
\*Sunday School and Nursery for
children and youth.

## Save the date for annual Children's Vacation Bible School

Helld evenings starting August 11th through 15th for children. It is always a fun time for all hwo participate.

We hope you will join us this Sunday!

#### **History of Pickleball**

Pickleball was invented in 1965 near Seattle, Washington. The goal of Pickle-ball® then and now is to create and perpetuate a game that is as fun as can be for every member of the family, youngsters, oldsters and in-betweensters.

#### What do you say?

Let your opinion be known. Are you interested in bringing PickleBall to Washington Square? Anything from a trial game to forming a family-based league.

Please email us at newsletter@washingtonsquare.org with your interest or opinion.

We will need vounteers to organize the play. WSNA can contribute some equipment, flyers, newsletter and website posts.

Is anyone Interested?

newsletter@washington-square.org





## Water water everywhere. **NOT!**

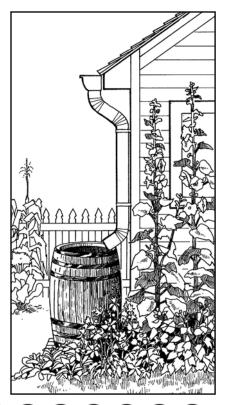
You've heard about our current drought condition. It's bad and without rain in the forseeable future, it will only get worse. Are you doing all you can? Here's one water saving idea being promoted by SoCal Water\$mart: **Rain Catch Barrels.** 

The practice of saving rainwater has been around for centuries and is even more popular today. Collecting and reusing rainwater from gutters and downspouts makes good sense. It saves money, water and the garden is enriched because plants prefer naturally soft rainwater.

When purchasing a rain barrel, be aware that at times there are rebates up to \$75 per barrel. so look at the label on the one you buy. To the right is an illustration of the old fashioned barrel and how simple the setup can be. Of course for our rain barrels to be successful, we need rain! Anyone know the dance?

Additional tactics to cut back water use during these record dry conditions include:

- Turn off water when brushing teeth. Saves 3 gal/day.
- Shorten showers by 1-2 minutes. Saves 5 gal/day.
- Wash only full loads of laundry. Saves up to 50 gal/day.
- Install a smart controller on sprinkler system. Saves 40 gal/day.
- Water grass and landscape before 8 am. Saves 25 gal/day.



## How to find the perfect plant

It's never been easier. While researching this article we found a no brainer "Plant Finder" from Sunset Magazine's website. As you may know Sunset's been around since the beginning of time and published numerous books on gardening, landscaping, etc. Their database is deep and extensive.

Now the information is online and in a convenient search format, so you can access the complete database. Just go to <a href="www.sunset.com">www.sunset.com</a>. Click on "Garden" and in the menu you will see "Plant Finder" which goes directly to the search page. You can become very narrow in your search parameters or do some general searches. It's up to YOU.

When searching, you may want to enter the Sunset Garden Zone in which we are located. We searched for you and our magic number is Zone 23. See the detail below.

#### **ZONE 23:**

#### Thermal belts of Southern California's coastal climate

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THINGS TO DO...

#### 1st Saturday Art Walk--Artist Village and East End districts

The first Saturday Artwalk in the Artist Village launched in 1995 and since then has lead the way for many other cities in Orange County to follow by starting their own Artwalks. In September, the monthly Artwalk expanded to include community district-The East End located between 3rd and 5th streets and Bush and French streets. The newer East End retail shops are open for the Artwalk with art vendors set up on 4th Street. Catch some great local bands play live at Plaza Santa at the corner of French and 4th street. Left of the Dial record shop on French Street plays host to several bands during the Artwalk and always have a packed house. Some retailers have exhibits going on or small mixer parties with a house dj. The Artists Village's 40-plus galleries throw open their doors during the Art Walk. World touring exhibits make a stop at GCAC and OCCA so there's lots to see. The First Saturday Art Walk is from 7:00pm - 10:00pm. Admission is FREE.

#### The Frida Cinema

The Frida, formerly the Fiesta Twin Theater, is a new arthouse cinema theater located on The East End in Downtown Santa Ana. The Frida Cinema is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit art organization and will serve Santa Ana and neighboring communities as an arthouse cinema, dedicated to enriching, connecting, and educating communities through the art of cinema.

What is an arthouse? A community-based, mission-driven cinema which exists for the love of cinema, and the cultural enrichment of a local community. For more information about The Frida and for the film schedules, please visit their website <u>fridacinema.org</u>.

#### **Downtown Santa Ana Farmers' Market**

Pickled beans & beets, salt rubs, fresh cut flowers, eggs and meat! Ice-brewed coffee, fruity-tart popsicles, even vegan treats! Honey from the best Bees, fresh produce from local farms, artisan breads to die for and even Kettle Corn! You will find all of that and so much more when you take a trip to your local DTSA Farmers' Market located on the Spurgeon promenade on 4th Street. The market is open every Thursday from 4-8pm! Plenty of parking all around the farmers' market-bring some change for the meters just in case the lots are full. Carpool with your neighbors or even ride your bike. You will need to add a basket to your bicycle! See you at the market!

#### **NEW RESTAURANTS...**

**The Vineyard Roz** is a beautiful wine bar, restaurant and social club designed to entice your senses offering a hand-selected variety of wine & craft beer with varying locales, vintages & vineyards in addition to high quality food, events & entertainment. Bring your friends, family, colleagues or special person to enjoy an evening out with impeccable service, chef created food & wine pairing and our featured wines of the month! 206 N. Broadway, Santa Ana, 92701 <u>vineyardroz.com</u>

**The North Left**, formerly known as The Crosby, is open and feeding our faces with amazing food once again. The owners decided to close their doors last January in response to the tragic beating death of a young woman outside of The Crosby. The new restaurant has been receiving nothing short of 5 star reviews. The Crosby was one of the first to put the downtown restaurant scene on the map and with their loyal customers and supportive community; they are back on top of their game once again! 400 N. Broadway, Santa Ana, 92701 thenorthleft.com

**Boldo Bowl**, are you having fun saying that too? Downtown was looking for a different kind of restaurant to add to the mix of all the well-established eateries we enjoy today. "Survey says", a fresh restaurant concept dishing up wholesome, nutritious, locally grown food-Boldo Bowl. You can find the head chef and owner shopping the DTSA Farmers' Market not only for his customers but also to support local farmers, and the community. Go to their website to find out more information. "It's all about how to eat and have a better life." 305-105 E. 4th Street, Santa Ana, 92701, boldobowl.com

**DID YOU KNOW...** Washington Square residents can get a discount at Chapter One & C4 Deli? Ask for your, 'Locals Only', discount coupon at the next WSNA General Meeting, Thursday, July 10th at Wilson Elementary. It's pays to be local!

#### **COMING SOON...**

El Mercado Restaurant, coming summer 2014 Native Son Alehouse, coming summer 2014 Yojie Japanese Fondue, coming summer 2014 Wurst Haus, coming summer 2014



-3nd in a series- Meet our Trees

## **Crepe Myrtle**

The common crape myrtle (Lagerstroemia indica) from China and Korea, was introduced circa 1790 to the United States by French botanist André Michaux. In the wild, the species is most often found as a multistemmed large shrub, but 200 years of cultivation has resulted in a huge number of cultivars of widely varying characteristics.

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### **Wine Walk Photos**

Pictures from May's well attended Wine Walk are now available on the website. Some may be compromising and yes, we take bribes if you want one removed. Cash only.

Visit washington-square.org to review the fun.

### **Current News**

We have a lot going on--Bristol widening, a controversial structure, transit plan finalizations, weekly farmers market now 4-8, drought issues, complete reforestation program on Louise Street, two events coming up: Movie night and Concert in the Park, and a possible neighborhood pickleball team. Whew. If you have more news here in the hood, please contact Tom Lutz President@washington-square.org.



## WSNA General Meeting July 10 at Wilson School

An awesome presentation, pizza, neighborhood updates, and your chance to hang in the hood with your homies. What more could you ask for??

Where: Wilson School Library, Baker & 15<sup>th</sup> When: 7 pm

featuring

## Earthquake Preparedness by The Red Cross

Who wants to think about earthquakes? Natural disasters are an unfortunate reality. There will be earthquakes in the Earth under Washington Square, and they will affect us, especially "The Big One."

What to expect when that happens will be covered as well as some new survival tactics. What to put in your emergency survival kit, like first aid supplies, food supplies, water supples, sanitation supplies, and we can't forget pet supplies.

So come on out and learn how to survive the big one. The neighborhood doesn't want to lose you!



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Margaret Klase Area 12 Freeman South of Washington	7/2-0731
Juan & Virginia Bernal	836-7448
Area 13 Lowell South of Washington	030-7440
Christine Cwiertny	835-9464
Area 14 Lowell North of Washington	033-7404
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Being good neighbors...

Hey fellow Poopbusters! I think it may be working. We have had fewer incidences of random poop being complained about and, consequently, more incidences of our awesome neighbors remembering their poop bags and picking up after their pets. WooHoo!

Yes, the neighborhood cats still love certain areas of my garden, but that's a small price to pay for the absence of vermin. /jlj

Shameless promotion...again

We had great feedback on this article so let's continue to give our advertisers and neighbors some love! There's so many good things to say, we can go on and on and on...and on and on and on. Oh stop already!

**Sol Handcrafted Paletas.** SO darn excited about this new business started by Edith and Jorge Prado who live on Towner. Along with birthing this business, they just birthed their first baby, an absolutely beautiful boy named Nicolas.

Back to the paletas, which are beautiful and absolutely delicious. Only the highest quality ingredients with varying fresh, seasonal, flavors to choose from--and decidedly un-popsicle-like. They are frozen bites of healthy heaven on a stick!

Check out their facebook page cleverly named "Sol Handcrafted Paletas" for more information.

We are just so happy and fortunate that **Plumfield School** is a regular advertiser with us. Lots of our Washingotn Square kids have enrolled and are finding it to be a great shoool experience. The dedicated staff works hard to create a safe, nurturing environment where children can thrive.

If you've got a problem call our neighborhood Personal Injury Attorney, **Moses Yneges** who lives on Freeman. He's the nicest man and now that we corrected his ad (ahem, our bad), he's ready to help you.

**One word: DTSA Farmers Market.** Oops, that's more than one. So much for brevity.

Neighbors who have been to the market are pretty much addicted, and neighbors who haven't been to the convenient Thursday 4-8 pm event, totally need to go. At least once. Take the kids too. There's street music, paletas, juices, fruit, baked cookies, tarts, bread, hummus, fresh naan, cheeses, nuts, fresh flowers, and oh so much more. And if you buy a shopping bag to carry around, you get discounts on Thursdays from most nearby shops and restaurants. Best. Meeting. Place. Ever! That's why we're hearing "Meet me at the Market" all over the place. See you there!



## Washington Square

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Newsletter	Jean-Louise J./Kirsten S.	543-9079
Downtown Link	Wendy Boelter	(949) 375-2485
Com-Link	Jean Poppa	836-6430
Tree	Susan van der Roest	

Bristol Widening Randy & Tracy Simons

423-0180



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I				
I	Accounting/tax prep.	Alex Schneider	364-5173	
I	Keys & Locksmith	Ivan Rivera	953-6720	
I	General Contractor	Tom Lutz	835-6130	
I	Handyman	Ken Clark	809-6884	
I	Electrician	Andrew Nunez	782-4740	
I	Realtor	Sarah Covarrubias	883-3314	
I	Santa Ana Pony	Brandie Nava	200-5831	
I	Preschool	Denise Davey	543-1813	
I	Professional Audio-Video,	-		
I	Heliotrope Studios	David Jirik	545-0222	
I	Natural pet nutrition	Jean-Louise Jirik	337-0639	
I	State Farm Insurance	Monica Martinez Drevon	966-2679	
I	Wedding Photography	Photography by Ricardo,		
I		Ricardo Barrera	836-4041	
I	Decorative Ironwork	Marco Coronado	852-1363	
I	Flooring, floor repairs	Tuzos Flooring	720-7793	
I	Piano Instructor	Bethany Campbell	585-1036	
Computer Repair-Instruction-Crisis Management				
I		Randy Simons	423-0810	
I	Personal Injury Attorney	Moses Yneges	634-3944	
I	Stella & Dot rep	Jennifer Rivera	697-6025	
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