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City Manager's Letter

SPRINGING FORWARD TOGETHER

Welcome to the latest edition of the SCENE newsletter. Spring is a season of momentum and renewal, and across our City, we remain focused on thoughtful planning, community engagement, and responsible governance to ensure Cupertino thrives. The City Council is finalizing the Long-term Strategic Plan to guide future priorities and investments. This commitment is reflected in recent recognition by [U.S. News & World Report](#), which ranks Cupertino among the top places to live in California.

A central priority this season has been advancing our budget with an emphasis on stewardship and transparency. Through our [Financial Transparency Portal](#) and events like Budget and Bites, we are making it easier for residents to understand how public resources are allocated and to engage in the process.

We are also actively negotiating a new [law enforcement services contract](#), with the goal of securing fair, sustainable terms that maintain the high level of public safety our community expects while ensuring fiscal responsibility.

Supporting local businesses remains a key focus. We are actively working to retain our retail businesses in Cupertino that may be facing displacement due to new developments. Through the Cupertino Business Outreach Program and our Business License Amnesty Program, we are helping businesses succeed and thrive. We are also preparing for our Summer of Celebration Shop Local campaign in conjunction with Independence Day festivities.

Recent events, including the Big Bunny 5K, Earth and Arbor Day, and Cherry Blossom Festival, have brought our community together in meaningful ways. We are also continuing to expand our [Explore Cupertino](#) page, a resource for discovering local events and activities throughout the year.

Environmental stewardship remains a priority, with programs such as Creek Cleanup Day, Environmental Recycling Day, and our Free Bulky Item Pickup initiative. Key projects are moving forward, including development initiatives and the Wolfe Road/280 Improvement Project.

We encourage residents to stay engaged and participate in upcoming programs, including CERT training, e-bike safety workshops, and our 4th of July 250th Anniversary celebrations.

Thank you for your continued involvement in securing a top spot on "Best Places to Live" for Cupertino and helping shape the City's future.



In service,

A stylized, handwritten signature in black ink, representing Tina Kapoor.

Tina Kapoor
CITY MANAGER

STRATEGIC VISION

City Council Goals



Focus Areas



City Work Program

Connecting Vision, City, & Community

Learn the latest about the City's long-term planning and the milestones that continue to strengthen the community's quality of life.

Vision for the Future: City Council to Adopt a Strategic Plan

The City of Cupertino is moving forward with its strategic planning efforts. Earlier this year, the City Council participated in a workshop to reaffirm the City's Strategic Vision Framework adopted in 2025 to discuss roles, responsibilities, and coordination of City programs, including the Budget, Capital Improvement Program (CIP), and the City Work Program.

Council had the opportunity to review and discuss the strategic planning framework that was adopted in 2025 which guided the two-year Fiscal Year 2025-2027 City Work Program. Council provided feedback on ways to improve the next two-year process, which

is scheduled to start in fall 2026. Before looking at the next two-year cycle, staff will bring refinements to the strategic planning framework and the adoption of the City's Strategic Plan this summer.

This work will guide the City's ongoing implementation of the strategic vision illustrated below and help ensure City programs and services are coordinated, well-planned, and aligned with community needs. Stay updated on the Strategic Plan by visiting cupertino.gov/strategicvision.

Cupertino Named as One of California's Best Places to Live

Cupertino was recently ranked third among 161 recognized California cities in [U.S. News & World Report's Best Places to Live](#) rankings. This recognition highlights the City's strong quality of life, robust job market, and highly regarded school districts. It reflects the collective efforts of staff, leadership, and the community in making Cupertino a desirable place to live and work.





Community Highlights

The 2026 year began with engaging events that brought the community together to celebrate, learn, and get involved. Explore highlights from the start of this year hosted by the City of Cupertino and community partners.

State of the City February 26, 2026

Thank you to the residents and community partners who joined the City of Cupertino for the 2026 State of the City. Held at Quinlan Community Center, Mayor Kitty Moore delivered the State of the City address focused on good governance, highlighting key accomplishments, Council priorities, and the work underway to serve Cupertino residents.

The full [recording](#) is available on the City of Cupertino YouTube channel at [youtube.com/@CupertinoCA](https://www.youtube.com/@CupertinoCA).

Big Bunny 5K March 7, 2026

Kicking off spring, more than 700 runners joined the Parks and Recreation Department for the Big Bunny 5K and Kids Fun Run. Participants ran, walked, cheered, and volunteered to make the event a success. Special thanks to the Homestead Mustang Cheer Team and volunteers from the Youth Activity Board and Recreation Event Volunteers for supporting the festivities. From bunny ears to big smiles at the finish line, we hope everyone had an egg-cellent time. See you at the starting line next year!

Earth and Arbor Day Festival April 4, 2026

Thank you to everyone who joined the City for our annual Earth and Arbor Day Festival on Saturday, April 4. With more than 50 interactive booths, live entertainment, hands-on activities, and great food, it was wonderful to see the community come together in support of a greener future. A special thank you to Silicon Valley Clean Energy, Bye Bye Mattress, Recology South Bay, Star One Credit Union, Davey, San Jose Water, LeafFilter, and Spare the Air for helping make this event possible.

Cherry Blossom Festival April 25 – 26, 2026

The annual Cupertino Cherry Blossom Festival returned for a vibrant two-day celebration honoring the City's long-standing Sister City relationship with Toyokawa, Japan. The community enjoyed cultural performances, activities, and festivities that brought the sights, sounds, and flavors of Japan to the heart of Cupertino. The event also featured Taiko drumming and a special exhibition of student artwork from Toyokawa through the annual Sister City art exchange program.

Building Trust Through Smart Governance

City Seeks Fair Terms on Law Enforcement Negotiations

The City of Cupertino continues to strongly support the deputies who serve the community. At the same time, the City is carefully reviewing the proposed 36% increase to Cupertino's law enforcement contract to ensure any cost adjustments are manageable and do not impact the services residents rely on.

Cupertino is also working in partnership with the Cities of Saratoga and Los Altos Hills, which also contract with the Sheriff's Office, to better understand the cost methodology, clarify assumptions behind the proposed increases, and advocate for fair and transparent budgeting. City leaders have emphasized that Cupertino already contributes significantly through property taxes and are working to ensure that any additional costs are clearly justified and transparent. Learn more at sheriffcontractfacts.com.

Explore the City Budget and Finances Online

Residents may explore the City's budget and historical finances through the City's OpenGov financial transparency portal at cupertino.gov/opengov. The portal benefits residents by providing real-time data, improving transparency, building public trust, and helping residents understand government finances.

In April, the City hosted its annual "Budget & Bites" community workshop featuring a Budget 101 presentation, an OpenGov demonstration, and an interactive scavenger hunt to help attendees explore the platform. Residents are encouraged to attend the Proposed Budget Study Session, which will be held on May 11, 2026 to understand the City's financial plan for FY 2026-27, ask questions, and provide feedback before the budget is adopted.

Act Now: Business License Amnesty Program

The City of Cupertino is offering a 60-day phased amnesty program to help businesses resolve unpaid



business license taxes. If you are operating without a required license or have delinquent business license taxes, take action now. Business license enforcement begins May 29, 2026. For more information and deadlines, visit cupertino.gov/businesslicense.

Explore Cupertino

Discover [Explore Cupertino](https://cupertino.gov/explore), a new interactive map highlighting retail shopping, public art, and more across the City. Find shopping centers, over 20 public art installations, and the many experiences our community has to offer at cupertino.gov/explore.

New Cupertino Businesses

Check out these new businesses now open in Cupertino as of December 2025.

Charles Schwab

19499 Stevens Creek Blvd,
Suite #100

Photoism

19449 Stevens Creek Blvd,
Suite #100

NaiSnow

19600 Vallco Pkwy,
Suite #100

Dr.inK

19959 Stevens Creek Blvd

Safar by Kirimi

19930 Stevens Creek Blvd

Miniso

19499 Stevens Creek Blvd

Robam老板油烟机&X Home Furniture

10225 S De Anza Blvd



Celebrating Public Service Recognition Week

SUNDAY, MAY 3 – SATURDAY, MAY 9, 2026

Every day, Cupertino's city staff and public servants work behind the scenes to keep the community running smoothly. From maintaining parks and City projects to providing programs and services, their efforts benefit residents of all ages. During Public Service Recognition Week from May 3 to May 9, employees all over the country are recognized for their dedication. In Cupertino, we love this tradition as it provides an opportunity to showcase and appreciate our amazing staff. Below are testimonials from staff across City departments sharing what public service means to them and how their work supports the Cupertino community.

Administrative Services

How does your work on the City's budget help support services that residents rely on every day?

The Purchasing Division guides and trains staff in appropriately using budgeted funds to contract for services that support the whole City. We partner with departments to identify potential grant funding opportunities, craft competitive solicitations for services, and solve contracting questions that allow us to accomplish our City Work Plan and provide services to our residents and businesses throughout Cupertino.

What should residents know about how the City manages money?

The City is committed to inviting competition as it selects contractors and vendors for its services so we

receive goods and services at the best price and quality. We have established policy and procedures to support this approach and converse regularly about the importance and responsibility we have to be good stewards of public funds.

City Manager's Office

What does public service mean to you in your role?

Public service means connecting the community and meeting people where they are. As City Hall's receptionist, I'm often the first point of contact for residents, and I'm proud to help them feel heard, supported, and guided—because trust builds a stronger community. One call that stayed with me involved a resident seeking a birth certificate, a service handled

by the County. After I took extra steps to help, he paused before hanging up to ask if the call was being recorded—not to complain, but to express his gratitude. Public service isn't always about having the answer; it's caring enough to find it. Serving Cupertino's diverse community and shaping how residents experience their city government makes this work meaningful.

Community Development

How does your work help shape Cupertino's growth and future?

I take pride in my role as a Permit Technician in the Planning Division of the Cupertino Community Development Department. One of the most fulfilling aspects of my role is making the City's processes, Municipal Code development requirements and historical property information accessible to residents and businesses.

The Municipal Code, which contains the City's development requirements, is detailed and can be difficult for residents and design professionals to navigate and interpret. It is satisfying to assist residents in determining which City requirements apply to their specific development proposal and providing options for meeting these requirements.

My work helps to make the permitting process approachable and more predictable and helps

residents and design professionals better achieve the collective vision for Cupertino outlined in the General Plan and Municipal Code.

What is one thing residents might not realize about the development process?

One thing that residents may not realize is that it is beneficial for residents, business owners and design professionals to reach out to Planning Division staff at (408) 777-3228 or planning@cupertino.gov, well in advance of any development project, establishment of a new business, proposed tree removal or planned event.

Staff can assist project planning by clarifying the City's requirements, submittal items and process so that the applicant has sufficient time to make any needed modifications and carry out the proposal successfully.

Information Technology

How does your work help keep City services running smoothly for residents?

I think of my job as keeping the city's digital lights on. If residents are accessing City services—whether accessing public records online, applying for building permits, accessing free city WIFI, or pulling up a zoning map—my job is to ensure the network is fast, reliable, and secure enough to handle it seamlessly.

By reducing downtime in our enterprise systems, I make sure the tools our city employees use are always working so they can help residents without technical delay.

What is one way technology is improving how the City serves the community?

By implementing digital permitting, digital business licensing, and online payment portals, we've eliminated the need for residents to take time off work or find parking at City Hall. Technology has turned an 8-to-5 service window into a 24/7 digital counter.

Parks and Recreation

What do you love most about creating community programs and spaces?

As the Administrative Assistant for

Parks and Recreation, I take pride in supporting the programs and spaces that bring our community together. It is deeply rewarding to turn behind-the-scenes work into vibrant community experiences.

Can you share a moment when you saw your work make a difference for residents?

At the annual Artist Awards Ceremony and Art Exhibition, I love connecting with artists of all ages and hearing the stories behind their creations. Seeing the pure joy this event brings to everyone involved makes it all worthwhile.

Public Works

What does a typical day look like for you, and how does your work impact Cupertino residents?

The mornings start with a tailgate meeting to go over higher priority tasks and reinforce safety. I'm reviewing and evaluating work orders, with a focus on prioritizing service requests from the Cupertino 311 system. I stay in close coordination with field staff, visiting sites to offer guidance and support. This helps ensure work is completed efficiently and to the highest standard.

Throughout the day, I manage and track workflows using Cityworks to maintain accurate reporting and operational efficiency. I also diagnose and troubleshoot irrigation system issues, making timely repairs as needed, while prioritizing landscape and infrastructure maintenance based on seasonal demands.

In addition, I handle procurement of materials and equipment to ensure the crew is properly equipped. I also support the supervisor with budget-related tasks, including tracking costs and assisting with resource allocation to keep operations running smoothly.

At the end of the day, it's about keeping the City running the way it should. Parks stay clean, landscapes stay healthy, and when residents report something, we take care of it. Good work out here means safer spaces, better-looking neighborhoods, and using taxpayer money the right way.



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Paul Sapudar

Maintenance Lead



Advancing Housing Priorities

NEW HOMES & KEY APPROVALS

New Affordable Housing Project “Mary Avenue Villas” to Bring Inclusive Living to Cupertino

An impactful new housing development, Mary Avenue Villas, was approved by the City Council on March 3, 2026. The project, a partnership between the City and several dedicated non-profit organizations, aims to provide stable housing for some of the City's most vulnerable residents. With City Council prioritizing housing for the intellectually and developmentally disabled (IDD) community in its FY 2021-22 City Work Program.

Located on the west side of Mary Avenue between the Westport project (formerly Oaks Shopping Center) and the Mary Avenue Dog Park, the development on a parcel created from excess City right of way, represents a creative response to the region's growing housing crisis. To follow this project's progress and to find an extensive FAQ, visit mary-ave-villas.com.

Third Modification to The Rise Approved

In late February, the City approved the third modification to The Rise SB 35 application. The project remains a mixed-use development with 2,669 housing units, approximately 1.475 million square feet of office, and approximately 226,600 square feet of retail. This modification revised the office and retail square footage, reduced the number of affordable units, and updated site plan and architectural details, including lowering the height of some buildings.

The project must continue to provide two-thirds of the total square footage for residential use. Sand Hill Property Company applied to modify The Rise under Government Code Section 65913.4 on November 25, 2025. Recent updates to this Government Code Section allow projects with more than 500 residential units submitted before January 1, 2019, to reduce the affordable housing share of the project from 50% to 20% of base units (i.e. not including any density bonus units allowed under state law). As a result, the project reduces affordable units from 890 to 356.

The proposal also reconfigures open space consistent with the Settlement Agreement adopted by the City Council in July 2024. The approval documents are available at cupertino.gov/therise.

Half-Year Roundup on Housing

The following major residential projects have been approved by City Council since December 2025:



United Furniture/Toll Brothers

10075 E. Estates Drive & 19610 Stevens Creek Boulevard

On December 16, 2025, the City Council approved (5-0) 55 three-story townhomes, including 11 affordable units, with 10 ADUs, on three contiguous parcels, totaling 2.72-acres, located on Stevens Creek Boulevard at the current Idlewild Shopping Center site, adjacent to the Marketplace Shopping Center.



Dividend Homes I

20085 & 20111 Stevens Creek Boulevard

On January 21, 2026, the City Council approved (4-0-1, Wang absent) 57 two- and three-story townhomes, including 11 affordable units, to replace two office buildings on a 2.6-acre site, located close to the northeast corner of the intersection of Stevens Creek Blvd and Randy Lane.



Dividend Homes II

20045 & 20065 Stevens Creek Boulevard

On January 21, 2026, the City Council approved (4-0-1, Wang absent) 32 two- and three-story townhomes, including 6 affordable units, to replace three office buildings on a 1.77-acre site, located mid-block corner on Stevens Creek Boulevard between Randy Lane and Blaney Avenue.

Major Residential Development Projects

The following larger-scale housing development projects in differing stages of development have been proposed since January 2024:

Development Projects by Nickname and Status

- [Charities Housing](#)
Approved
- [Canyon Crossing](#)
In Review
- [Dividend Homes I](#)
Approved
- [Dividend III](#)
In Review
- [Dividend Homes II](#)
Approved
- [Hanover Apartments](#)
In Review
- [Evulich Ct \(Summerhill Homes II\)](#)
Approved
- [Homestead Townhomes](#)
In Review
- [Idlewild Shopping Center/United Furniture Site \(Toll Brothers\)](#)
Approved
- [McClellan Townhomes](#)
In Review
- [Pizza Hut/Staples/Fontana's \(Summerhill Homes I\)](#)
Approved
- [N. Foothill Townhomes](#)
In Review
- [Stevens Creek Office Center \(Harvest Properties\)](#)
Approved
- [S. De Anza Townhomes \(Dollinger Properties\)](#)
In Review
- [1655 S. De Anza Blvd Townhomes \(Dividend IV\)](#)
In Review
- [Scofield Condos](#)
In Review
- [Bandley Drive \(Summerhill Homes III\)](#)
In Review
- [Upland Way](#)
In Review
- [Vista Heights/Linda Vista](#)
In Review
- [Wolfe Road Housing \(Eden Housing\)](#)
In Review

Find the full list and all project details at cupertino.gov/majorresidentialprojects.

SMaRT Station SUNNYVALE

Starting early 2027, items put in the garbage bin are taken directly to Sunnyvale's SMaRT Station to be sorted and separated into recycle, compost, and garbage categories to optimize recoverable materials, reducing the amount of landfill waste.

Newby Island Sanitary Landfill MILPITAS

Items that are put into the garbage are taken directly to Newby Island Landfill, a 342-acre landfill facility.

Blossom Valley Organics VERNALIS

Commercial and multi-family organics get taken to Blossom Valley Organics—a 216-acre composting facility that produces finished compost.

Rogers Avenue Transfer Station SAN JOSÉ

Organics first get dropped off at Rogers Avenue Transfer Station before being transported to the organics processing facilities—Blossom Valley Organics and South Valley Organics.

GreenWaste SAN JOSÉ

GreenWaste takes residential and business mixed recyclables and separates cardboard, glass, aluminum, and plastics. These materials are baled and sent to processors to produce new products.

South Valley Organics GILROY

Single-family organics are taken to South Valley Organics, which receives close to 8,000 tons of food scraps and yard trimmings from Cupertino each year.

Where Does Your Waste Go?

Have you ever wondered where your waste goes after it leaves the curb? Learn more about each process below after Cupertino's waste hauler, Recology, picks up your waste.



Regnar Creek

TAKE ACTION FOR A GREENER CUPERTINO

Working Together for a Cleaner Community

How Stormwater Management Protects Our Streets and Streams

Below the City's streets is a labyrinth of interconnected pipes designed to carry storm water away from homes and businesses and out to creeks that flow through Cupertino and end in the San Francisco Bay.

Rainwater enters underground pipes through storm drains in street gutters. Because water that enters a storm drain goes directly into the nearest creek without any cleaning or treatment, the City is required by a permit issued by the State Regional Water Quality Control Board to keep pollutants from getting into that system.

One significant pollutant is trash! To help keep trash and litter from reaching our creeks, the City uses two special devices: Auto-retractable Curb Inlet Screens (ARS) and Full Trash Capture (FTC) devices.

ARS devices are visible along Stevens Creek Boulevard and in neighborhoods. These stainless-steel plates cover storm drain openings to block large debris from entering the system. During rainfall, water pressure automatically opens the plate to prevent street flooding.

FTC devices are installed inside storm drains and are less visible. These systems capture trash and smaller debris before it can reach local waterways.

For more information about the other ways the City works to prevent stormwater pollution, please visit cupertino.gov/cleanwater.

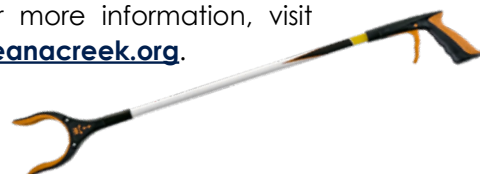


Volunteer for a Creek Cleanup

Get involved and help keep our waterways safe and clean by joining a creek cleanup. Participate by hosting your own cleanup or joining City staff for National River Cleanup Day on Saturday, May 17.

National River Cleanup is a day to protect our rivers, watersheds, and wildlife from trash and debris. Since its inception in 1991, more than 1.3 million volunteers have participated in thousands of cleanups across the country, covering more than 261,000 miles of waterways and removing more than 32.5 million pounds of litter and debris.

Keep up to date with upcoming cleanups and sign up to be notified when National River Cleanup Day registrations open. For more information, visit cleanacreek.org.



Schedule Your Free Bulky Item Pickup

Cupertino residents are eligible for two free on-call collections per year. Get your damaged or unwanted items picked up at the curb. Schedule your free pick-up today by contacting (408) 725-4020 or recologysouthbay@recology.com.



Congressman Ro Khanna visits Cupertino

Keeping Cupertino Moving

SAFER BIKING & TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENTS

Congressman Ro Khanna Secures \$1.2M in Funding for SV Hopper

On Thursday, April 9, Congressman Ro Khanna visited Cupertino City Hall for a site inspection and program update on SV Hopper, joined by Cupertino Mayor Kitty Moore and Councilmember Sheila Mohan, as well as Santa Clara Mayor Lisa Gillmor, Councilmember Kevin Park, and Councilmember Raj Chahal.

The visit highlighted a \$1.2 million federal grant supporting the local transit service and recognized its continued growth and success in the community. In 2025, SV Hopper recorded a 30 percent increase in completed rides compared to 2024, surpassing 100,000 total trips, with nearly half of all rides shared to improve efficiency and sustainability. Staff provided an overview of the program, followed by remarks from Mayor Moore and Congressman Khanna.

Big Changes Ahead at I-280/Wolfe Rd

The I-280 / Wolfe Road Interchange Improvement Project, is a regional transportation upgrade aimed at addressing long-standing congestion, improving safety, and increasing capacity for drivers, bicyclists, and pedestrians.

This \$124 million project, managed by the Santa Clara Valley Transportation Authority (VTA) in partnership with Caltrans and the City of Cupertino, has been in development for nearly a decade. The project is funded through a combination of 2016 Santa Clara County Measure B sales tax revenues, as well as state, local and developer contributions.

The City of Cupertino will join VTA and regional partners in celebrating the groundbreaking of the I-280/Wolfe Road Interchange Improvement Project on Tuesday, April 28, 2026. The ceremony will feature remarks from transportation leaders on the project's role in improving safety, mobility, and regional connectivity. Learn more about the groundbreaking at vta.org.

May Is National Bike Safety Month

Cupertino Safe Routes to School (SR2S) is celebrating National Bike Safety Month this May with school activities, games, and a community forum. Read about upcoming events and learn about this month's history at bikeleague.org/events/bike-month.

Walk 'n' Roll Bingo Month of May

Elementary and middle school Cupertino students are challenged to play to win bingo or blackout prizes by completing biking, scootering, or walking activities. Learn more at cupertino.gov/saferoutes/bingo.

E-Bikes & Youth Safety Community Meeting Wednesday, May 6, 2026

Join SR2S at Cupertino Community Hall for a hybrid community meeting on youth e-bike safety featuring expert presentations, a live Q&A, and guidance for safer e-bike usage. Learn more about the event at cupertino.gov/ebikes.

Bike To Wherever Days Thursday, May 14 – Saturday, May 16, 2026

During Bike to Wherever Days, thousands more Bay Area residents will be using bikes to get around. Join them by pledging to ride at bikesiliconvalley.org/events/btwd.

Join Cupertino's Bicycle Pedestrian Commission for their local energizer station at the corner of McClellan and Stelling roads on Thursday, May 14 from 7 to 10 a.m.

Workshop and Training Opportunities

SKILLS FOR A SAFER YOU

Cupertino offers hands-on training opportunities throughout the year to help residents build real-world emergency and safety skills—from personal and family preparedness to disaster training and youth bike safety workshops. These programs provide practical guidance, hands-on practice, and confidence so participants are better prepared to respond, support neighbors, and stay safe during emergencies.

Personal, Family, Neighborhood Preparedness

Thursday, May 14, 2026 | 7 to 9 p.m.

Saturday, June 20, 2026 | 8:30 to 10 a.m.

Cupertino City Hall, 10300 Torre Ave

Cupertino's Office of Emergency Management is offering a series of trainings to help you, your family, and your neighborhood prepare, communicate, and respond effectively during emergencies.

Learn more and register for upcoming classes at cupertino.gov/oemevents. For more information about volunteering with the Office of Emergency Management, visit cupertino.gov/oemvolunteer.

CERT Summer Academy

Tuesday, August 4 – Saturday, August 15

The Santa Clara County Fire Department offers the CERT Academy to train residents on disaster preparedness skills. In the event of a disaster or public safety emergency, CERT volunteers will be able to assist their family and neighbors when first responders are not immediately available to help. Participants will learn disaster preparedness, disaster medical operations, disaster psychology, fire suppression, light search and rescue, and terrorism awareness.

- The CERT Academy is (4) nightly sessions and a (1) final skills exercise.
- Students must attend all class meetings to receive a Certificate of Completion.
- Fee: \$35 fee covers the Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) you will receive in this course: hard hat, gloves, eye protection, and N95 mask.

Learn more and register at sccfd.org/cert.

Summer Middle School Bike Skills Classes

Classes begin Saturday, June 13, 2026

Cupertino Senior Center, 21251 Stevens Creek Blvd

Middle School Bike Skills is a one-day bike workshop where participants learn how to become confident riders by learning the rules of the road, practicing bike handling skills, and putting it all into practice during a group neighborhood ride. We're offering five opportunities to take these classes this summer in Cupertino, two of which will be focused on e-bike skills and safety.

The first class kicks off on Saturday, June 13. Learn more and sign up at cupertino.gov/saferoutes/msbs.





Photo Credit: Consulate General
of Japan in San Francisco

SPRING INTO FUN: CUPERTINO'S SPRING EVENTS

EVENTS CALENDAR

Discover a selection of seasonal activities, community celebrations, and family-friendly programs happening throughout Cupertino this winter. This calendar highlights featured events across the City. For the most up-to-date and complete list of upcoming events, please visit cupertino.gov/calendar.

Weekly

11 A.M. – 3 P.M.

SATURDAYS

Environmental Education Center

McClellan Ranch Preserve
22221 McClellan Road

The Environmental Education Center is open every Saturday. Visit our animal ambassadors, engage with preserve staff, and learn about local ecology.

Monthly

11 A.M. – 3 P.M.

SATURDAY, MAY 30

SATURDAY, JUNE 27

SATURDAY, JULY 25

Baer Blacksmith Shop Demonstration

McClellan Ranch Preserve
22221 McClellan Road

Learn about early Cupertino history and watch blacksmithing demonstrations live at the forge.

May

4:30 – 7 P.M.

SATURDAY, MAY 2

FootGolf Tournament

Blackberry Farm Golf Course
22100 Stevens Creek Boulevard

Enjoy a family-friendly evening of 9-hole FootGolf—kick a soccer ball toward the hole. Check in at 4:30 p.m. Shotgun start at 5 p.m. Register at reg4rec.org.

10:30 A.M. – 1:30 P.M.

FRIDAY, MAY 8

Live Well Age Well Health Expo

Cupertino Senior Center

21251 Stevens Creek Boulevard
Embrace a vibrant life at 50+! Explore booths, resources, and educational sessions tailored to support a healthy lifestyle as you age.

ADULT 50+

9 A.M. – 12:45 P.M.

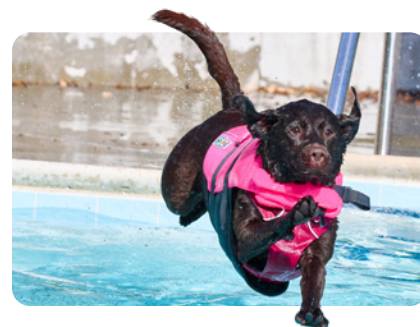
SATURDAY, MAY 16

Pooch Plunge

Blackberry Farm Pools

21979 San Fernando Avenue

Let your pup take the plunge at a dog-only swim in the Blackberry Farm pools before summer opening. Register at reg4rec.org.



9 A.M. – 12 P.M.

SATURDAY, MAY 16

Creek Cleanup Day

Multiple Locations

See link for list of locations

Volunteer with us for National River Cleanup Day. Sign up at cleanacreek.org.

June

11 A.M. – 8 P.M.

SATURDAY, JUNE 6

Dilli Haat Festival

Memorial Park

21121 Stevens Creek Blvd

Cupertino's Dilli Haat Festival celebrates Indian culture with music, dance, food, art, and performances.



3:30 – 4:30 P.M.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10

Pride Flag Raising

Civic Center Plaza

10350 Torre Avenue

The City will raise the LGBTQIA+ Progress Pride Flag in a ceremony to celebrate the community's culture.

Explore community resources from partner organizations.

6:30 – 8 P.M.

THURSDAYS, JUNE 11, 18, 25

Summer Concert Series

Memorial Park Amphitheater

21121 Stevens Creek Boulevard

Spend Thursday evenings outdoors with free live music at the Memorial Park Amphitheater. For the 2026 band lineup, visit cupertino.gov/summerconcert.

9:30 A.M.

SATURDAY, JUNE 13

Golfing FORE Generations

Blackberry Farm Golf Course

22100 Stevens Creek Boulevard

Enjoy an intergenerational morning of friendly play at Blackberry Farm Golf Course. Register at reg4rec.org.

6:30 – 8:30 P.M.

FRIDAY, JUNE 26

Disco at Dusk

Cupertino Community Hall

10350 Torre Avenue

Each guest will receive a pair of wireless headphones with three music channels to choose from. Switch between channels and find your groove. The glowing lights on your headphones will indicate which one you're tuned in to. Register at reg4rec.org.

6:30 – 8 P.M.

THURSDAYS, JULY 9, 16, 23, 30

THURSDAYS, AUGUST 6, 13, 20

Summer Concert Series

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4 P.M. – 10 A.M.

SATURDAY, JULY 18 –

SUNDAY, JULY 19

Cupertino Campout

Creekside Park

10455 Miller Avenue

Families are invited to bring a tent and camp under the stars at Creekside Park, enjoying a night filled with recreational activities. Register at reg4rec.org.



July & August

ALL DAY

SATURDAY, JULY 4

Independence Day Celebration

Multiple Locations

See link for list of locations

For information on the City's Independence Day Celebration, visit cupertino.gov/july4.

6 – 7:30 P.M.

JULY 25, 26

AUGUST 1, 2, 8, 9

Shakespeare in the Park

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21121 Stevens Creek Boulevard

Enjoy a live Shakespeare performance of *Antony and Cleopatra* under the stars. Bring a blanket or lawn chair. Learn more at sfshakes.org.

Want More Updates?

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Organization	Phone
Animal Control	(408) 794-7297
AT&T	(800) 331-0500
California Water Service	(650) 917-0152
Chamber of Commerce	(408) 252-7054
Comcast	(800) 945-2288
Cupertino Library	(408) 540-3947
Cupertino Sanitary District	(408) 253-7071
Cupertino Union School District	(408) 252-3000
Fremont Union High School District	(408) 522-2200
Hazardous Waste Drop-off	(408) 299-7300
PG&E	(800) 743-5000
Project Sentinel (Landlord/Tenant Issues) ..	(408) 720-9888
Recology (Garbage & Recycling)	(408) 725-4020
San Jose Water Company	(408) 279-7900
Santa Clara Registrar of Voters	(408) 299-6863
VTA (Transportation Authority)	(408) 321-2300
Vector Control, Santa Clara County	(408) 918-4770

First Responders

Emergency Calls	911 or (408) 299-3233 (Police, Fire, Medical)
Santa Clara County Sheriff's Office	(408) 299-2311 (Non-Emergency)
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