

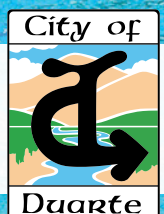
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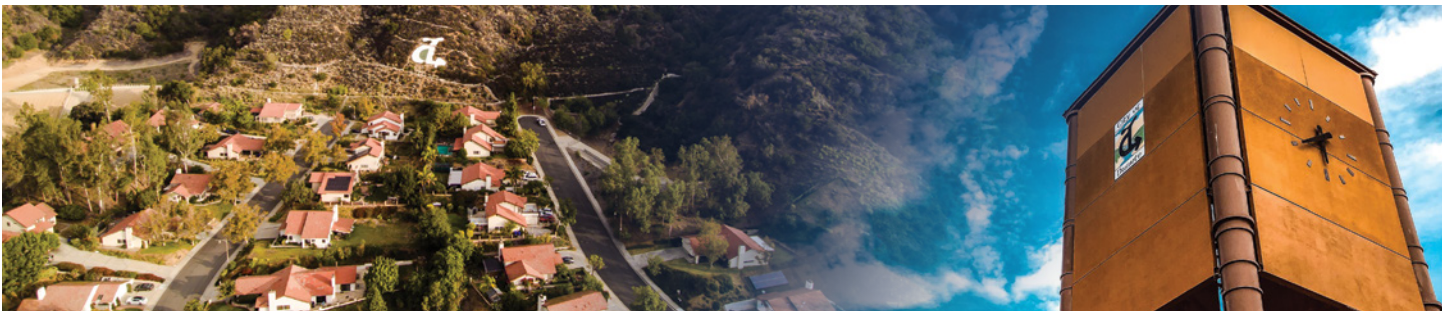
SUMMER 2021

OFFICIAL CITY NEWS AND RECREATION PROGRAMS



Independence Day Celebration and Fireworks
Guide to Youth Summer Camps | Duarte Development Digest





COMMUNITY CALENDAR

JUNE

**Parks & Rec.
Summer Registration**
June 1 | Online

Parks & Rec. Classes Start
June 14

**Drive-Thru Dog Vaccination
& Licensing Clinic**
June 19, 8-10 AM | Encanto Park

Duarte Day at the Pool
June 23, 1-3 PM
Duarte Fitness Center Pool

JULY

Duarte Virtual 5K Run & Walk
July 1-4
Anywhere and at your own pace!

**Independence Day
Celebration & Fireworks**
July 3, 6-9:30 PM
Duarte Sports Park & Duarte Park

“Splashtacular” Water Carnival
July 28, 1:30-3 PM
Duarte Fitness Center Pool

American Red Cross Blood Drive
July 29, 1-7 PM
Duarte Community Center

AUGUST

Touch-A-Truck
August 4, 1 PM
Encanto Park

Youth Boxing Show
August 28, 6 PM
Duarte Park Lawn

Due to changing COVID-19 “Safer at Home” orders, City event dates, times, and formats often change to comply with State and County health mandates. Please visit the City’s website ([accessduarte.com](https://www.accessduarte.com)) and follow us on social media to get the most up-to-date information.

Participants involved in any departmental programs or special events are subject to the use of photographs and videos depicting them or dependents in City printed materials and/ or website. The City may use this media without an obligation to provide compensation to those photographed.



Follow us online!



[accessduarte.com](https://www.accessduarte.com)

City Facility COVID-19 Hours

City Hall is open by appointment only, Mon. - Thurs. 7:30 AM - 6 PM. City Hall is closed every Friday. Please call (626) 357-7931 to make an appointment if you need permits, inspections, business licenses or similar service.

The Public Safety Office will maintain regularly scheduled hours, Mon.-Thurs., 7:30 AM - 6 PM, and Fri.-Sat., 7:30 AM - 4PM.

The Duarte Senior Center is closed until further notice.

City Facility Holiday Closures

City facilities will be closed in observance of the following holiday:

- Memorial Day, May 31

The following agencies may be contacted during closures:

- Public Safety - Temple Sheriff Station (626) 285-7171
- Animal Control - SGV Humane Society (626) 286-1159

CITY OFFICIALS

Bryan Urias | Mayor - District 6
Margaret Finlay | Mayor Pro Tem - District 4
Samuel Kang | Councilmember - District 5
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Kristen Petersen | Assistant City Manager
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Manuel Enriquez | Parks and Recreation
Brian Villalobos | Public Safety

PUBLIC MEETINGS

Starting June 8th, Duarte City Council meetings will have both virtual and limited in-person participation. Visit the City website ([accessduarte.com](https://www.accessduarte.com)) for further information on how to watch, participate virtually, and participate in-person. The format of City Council meetings will continue to change as new COVID-19 Health Orders are issued. Thank you for your understanding and patience. Please note that watching and participating in Commission meetings will remain virtual until further notice.

CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

Second & fourth Tuesdays of the month, 7 PM
Limited in-person: Duarte Community Center
Virtual: Zoom to participate, live stream to just watch at [accessduarte.com](https://www.accessduarte.com)

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS

Third Monday of the month, 7 PM
Virtual

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION MEETINGS

First Wednesday of the month, 6:30 PM
Virtual

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION MEETINGS

Third Tuesday of the month, 7 PM
Virtual

TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMISSION MEETINGS

First Tuesday of the month, 7 PM
Virtual

PUBLIC SERVICES COMMISSION MEETINGS

Second Wednesday of the month, 7 PM
Virtual

PARKS AND RECREATION

COMMISSION MEETINGS

Second Monday of the month, 7 PM
Virtual

MAYOR'S YOUTH COUNCIL MEETINGS

First Monday of the month, 6 PM
Virtual

MONROVIA ARCADIA DUARTE

TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS

Second Wednesday of the month, 7 PM
Virtual



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ALL Fireworks Are Prohibited in Duarte



**\$1,000 Minimum fines
for each violation**

SPECIAL EVENTS

Drive-Thru Dog Vaccination & Licensing Clinic

Saturday, June 19, 8-10 AM
Encanto Park, 777 Encanto Parkway



Through a partnership with VET CARE, rabies vaccinations will be available for \$10 each, microchip registration for \$25, and other vaccinations will also be available upon request. Participants will also be able to purchase Duarte dog licenses which need yearly renewal (see page 10 for more details). Only check or credit, NO CASH.

All attendees must stay in their vehicles, no walk-ups. Residents are required to wear a face covering/mask during the event. Enter through the north driveway park entrance, queuing south on Encanto Parkway.



Duarte Day at the Pool

Wednesday, June 23, 1-3 PM
Duarte Fitness Center Pool

Splash around and get wet under the summer sun. Enjoy playing in the pool with other residents - socially distanced of course. Remember to bring your sunscreen and a towel. Free for Duarte residents - reservation required/limited capacity.

2nd Annual Duarte Virtual 5K Run & Walk

July 1 - July 4

Anywhere and at your own pace!

For this fun event, you can run, jog or walk anywhere at your own pace and time it yourself. Safely complete this 5K on your own or with a family member any time between July 1 - July 4.

All participants will receive a commemorative medal.

Registration begins June 1, 2021



Independence Day *Celebration & Fireworks*

Food Trucks ★ Live Music ★ Entertainment

Now a Ticketed Event



Tickets can be reserved
for **FREE** by residents on
[accessduarte.com](https://www.accessduarte.com) starting
June 10 at 11am

*No event-day
ticket reservations
will be available

WHEN: July 3, 6 – 9:30 PM
(Gates open at 5 PM)
Fireworks Show at 9 PM

WHERE: Duarte Sports Park - Upper Baseball Fields
and Duarte Park

Limited on-site parking

To reduce potential spread of COVID-19 and support a safe and clean environment for everyone, this City event will operate in accordance with Los Angeles County Department of Public Health protocols for Live Events and Performances including:

- Entry Screenings
- Face Mask Required (except when eating or drinking)
- Limited Event Capacity - A total of up to 6 persons per pod



Call Parks & Rec. Department for more details (626) 357-7931

Splashtacular

Water Carnival

Wednesday, July 28, 1:30-3 PM
Duarte Fitness Center Pool

15 years of age and under

Cool off with relays, games, and a splash contest! Free for Duarte residents - reservation required/limited capacity.



AMERICAN RED CROSS Blood Drive

Donate blood through the American Red Cross to help save a life! All blood, platelet and plasma donations will undergo testing for COVID-19 antibodies as an additional health service to our donors. Schedule an appointment and pre-register for a Red Cross RapidPass at [redcross.org](https://www.redcross.org). Walk-ins are not allowed to ensure proper social distancing. The blood drive will be held from 1-7 PM at the Duarte Community Center (1600 Huntington Drive).

**SIGN UP FOR
BLOOD DRIVES ON:**

• **Thursday, July 29**



**American
Red Cross**

Touch-A-Truck

August 4, 1 - 3 PM
Encanto Park, 751 Encanto Parkway
Free Admission



Grab the kids and come out and explore in-person vehicles of all kinds! From trucks, to fire engines, tractors, and city buses. Food trucks will also be on-site offering lunch and snacks for purchase.

For more details, visit [accesduarte.com](https://www.accesduarte.com) or call the Parks and Recreation Department at (626) 357-7931.



Youth Boxing Show

Saturday, August 28
Evening Show! 6 PM
Duarte Park Lawn

ADMISSION: \$8 advance tickets on sale at Duarte Teen Center / \$10 at the gate (Children 11 years & under \$3, Children 3 years & under free.)

Attention all boxing fans! The Duarte Youth Boxing Club is proud to announce the presentation of the Duarte Youth Boxing Club Boxing Show. This will be an exciting day for fans and supporters of amateur youth boxing in Duarte and surrounding communities. Gates will open at 5 PM. First bout begins at 6 PM.

Championship trophies will be awarded! Special guest appearances featuring former boxing champions and a delicious snack bar will be on site.

SUMMER CAMP ARE HERE!



REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

Summer Day Camp

Ages: 5-12
Days: Monday - Friday
Time: 9 AM - 4 PM
Site: Royal Oaks Park
Fee: \$150 per one week session

Duarte is offering a safe, supervised, kid-friendly day camp program. Each day will be filled with fun recreation activities such as crafts, games, sports, and includes lunch. A special guest or activity will be provided each week.

Session	Theme	Dates
Session 1:	Mad Scientist	6/2-6/5*
Session 2:	Believe in Magic	6/7-6/11
Session 3:	The Wonders of Nature	6/14-6/18
Session 4:	Tomorrowland	6/21-6/25
Session 5:	Summer Celebration	6/28-7/2
Session 6:	Color Madness	7/5-7/9
Session 7:	H2 WHOA/Water Wars	7/12-7/16
Session 8:	Mystery Week	7/19-7/23
Session 9:	STEM-Build It	7/26-7/30
Session 10:	Adventure Week	8/2-8/6

* No camp Monday - \$120 for the 4 day week session

Skateboard Camp

Ages: 4-12
Days: Monday - Friday
Time: 9 AM - 12 PM
Site: Duarte Skate Park
Fee: \$200 per one week session

Shreducate Academy is offering a skateboard camps this Summer at the Duarte Skate Park. We encourage students to bring their own equipment, however, if they do not have all of the necessary safety and skate equipment, we can supply them at a nominal fee (only \$5 per lesson). Shreducate Academy views skateboarding as much more than something kids kick and play around on. They view it as a fun recreational activity and lifestyle and believe it is up to the person to decide if he/she will be a skateboarder and continue to push themselves to the potential they possess. LET'S SHRED!

Session 1: 6/28-7/2 Session 3: 7/12-7/16
 Session 2: 7/5-7/9 Session 4: 7/19-7/23

Camp will look different this year with modifications based on guidelines set by L.A. County Department of Public Health. These guidelines are subject to change, based on the local protocols related to COVID-19.

For more information contact the Parks and Recreation Department at **(626) 357-7931**.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Duarte Development Digest: Construction In or Coming to Town

Royal Oaks Tower

As part of a lease agreement with the City, Verizon Wireless beautified Royal Oaks Park with a paneled tower featuring art from local artist, Art Mortimer.

An homage to local history, the “Sweet Violets” sticker on the front-facing panel replicates a fruit label once used on produce grown in Duarte.

In addition to lease income from the Verizon agreement, the City received an up-front payment that was used to upgrade the parking lots at Royal Oaks Park on the east and west side of Las Lomas Road. The City will receive more than \$750,000 over the term of the lease.



Esperanza at Duarte Station (1700 Business Center Drive)

Developer MBK Homes has started grading on a 344-unit luxury apartment building near the Duarte Station and a second building with 292 units is to come. The development is designed with architecture that will blend with the area surrounding it.

Esperanza at Duarte Station will offer a variety of unit sizes, from studios in the 602 square-foot range to three bedroom apartments averaging 1,086 square feet. The building consists of a total of 259,062 square feet of residential space.

Amenities include five separate ground level open space courts that share views of the surrounding area and are each designed with a unique theme to provide different recreational and passive experiences for residents. There will also be a rooftop space with a pool, fitness center, clubroom and other activity areas. Parking will be available in a parking structure with accessible, electric vehicle and clean air vehicle spaces. Leasing space is also available for commercial use, with reserved parking spots.

The project is anticipated to be completed in December 2022.



New Hope Village Hotel



Mixed Use Development on Huntington

City of Hope Campus Expansion

New Hope Village Hotel

The City of Hope is building a new 150-room hotel on its campus, located at the southwest corner of Duarte Road and Village Road. The five-story building will help the City of Hope offer care to more patients and their families. Construction is underway and expected to be completed in late 2021.



Northwest Parking Structure

Northwest Parking Structure

A new parking structure on the northwest end of the campus is currently under construction and will add over 1,000 parking spaces. The structure is designed with a creative approach with kinetic walls that will bring a feeling of motion and art to the exterior walls. Adjacent to the west of the new structure will be Graff Park, a plaza style open area. Completion is expected in mid-2022.

Duarte Outpatient Clinic (DOC)

The most recent building approved at the City of Hope is the new Duarte Outpatient Clinic. It is an eight-story, 350,000-square-foot building just south of the new parking structure and east of the existing entry fountain.

Other Notable Projects

Over the next several months, the City of Hope is installing new traffic signals on Duarte Road at Circle Drive, Village Road and Hope Drive, along with Buena Vista at Village Road.

Learn more about the City of Hope growth at expanding-hope.org.

Mixed Use Development on Huntington

Construction is underway for a four-story, mixed-use development on the 1400 block of Huntington Drive. The building will establish new commercial/retail spaces, office spaces and apartments in Duarte.

The apartment portion will make up most of the development with 161 luxury units ranging from 550 square feet to 1,130 square feet. Commercial/retail space featuring tall windows will occupy 3,440 square feet of the building's ground floor. Lastly, the office space will occupy 2,122 square feet of the ground floor. A multi-level parking garage wrapping the building and surface parking complete the plan.

Amenities of this mixed-use development include a large open courtyard and parklets to encourage distanced social interaction, a medley of seating, and a public art piece along Huntington Drive.

This project is scheduled to be completed in November 2021.

Housing Element Update

For the past several months, the City has been in the process of preparing an update to the General Plan Housing Element for the 2021-2029 period as required by State law. The Housing Element establishes policies and programs to address existing and projected housing needs, including the City's fair share of the Regional Housing Needs Assessment (RHNA) which has been identified as 888 new housing units. Staff has conducted a series of workshops with the Planning Commission and public to provide information and solicit input for the Element, including the most recent workshop on April 26th that focused on review of potential housing element sites. The City also conducted a survey via FlashVote

with over 120 residents responding and providing input on housing needs and priorities. The complete results of the survey, along with background information on the Housing Element update, can be found on the Housing Element page at the City website (accessduarte.com).

The City is also interested in obtaining information on the housing needs of its senior citizen population and encourages seniors to take a brief survey online at surveymonkey.com/r/QVPWQBM.

Check back on the Housing Element webpage in July for Duarte's Draft 2021-2029 Housing Element.

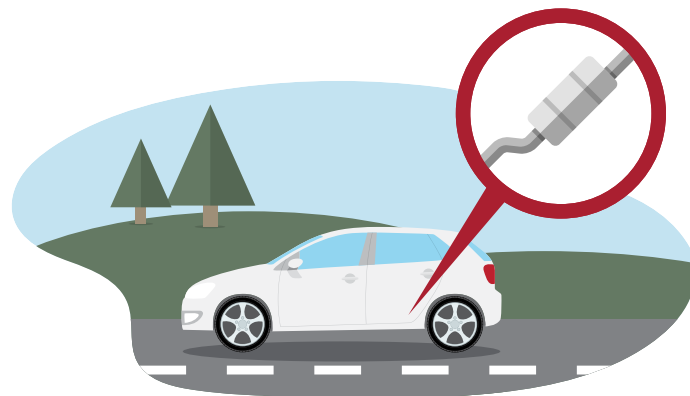
PUBLIC SAFETY

Hooked and Booked

On March 8, 2021, at approximately 3:09 AM, the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, Major Crimes Unit, working in partnership with Duarte Deputies, observed a suspicious vehicle in the Duarte Car Max parking lot with two passengers. A suspicious adult male was spotted exiting the car with a flashlight and crawling under a Ford-F-450. Deputies heard a loud noise of a saw cutting metal. They then witnessed the suspicious person roll out from under the truck with what appeared to be a catalytic converter in hand and enter a black Chevy Avalanche, and drive away from the scene.

Duarte Deputies who witnessed the suspicious behavior conducted a traffic stop. During the vehicle search, they found a reciprocal saw with metal cutting blades and a cut catalytic converter inside the car. The two suspects in the vehicle were both arrested for grand theft.

Deputies advise residents to park in a garage or driveway, if possible, install car alarms and etch their license plate number on their catalytic converter, to both prevent a theft



from happening and give law enforcement the ability to return the property in the event of a theft. To aid in these efforts, the Duarte Public Safety Office has partnered with Mountain View Tire & Service in the Target shopping center to etch your license plate number on your catalytic converter for free. Call them at (626) 358-2591 to schedule an appointment for this service.

Please take an active role by calling in any suspicious persons to Temple Sheriff Station Deputy Dispatch at (626) 285-7171. Good Teamwork Duarte Deputies!



Spotlight: Sergeant Stevin Fiedler

The City of Duarte welcomes Sergeant Stevin Fiedler this summer. He is a 25-year veteran of the Sheriff's Department and proud to call the San Gabriel Valley his home. He began his law enforcement career working for the Los Angeles County Probation Department as a group supervisor for the Central Juvenile Hall. This prepared him for his first assignment with the Sheriff's Department at Men's Central Jail.

Sergeant Fiedler worked patrolling the cities served by the East Los Angeles and Walnut/Diamond Bar stations. During this assignment, he responded to service calls, worked criminal investigations, and maintained visibility to help with crime prevention efforts. In 2017, he was promoted to Sergeant and has been supervising Deputies in the field at Temple Station in the Cities of Rosemead, South El Monte, Temple City, San Gabriel and Duarte, and unincorporated areas of Monrovia, Arcadia, Duarte, and Pasadena. In this role, he is also the station's Watch Sergeant and Watch Commander.

He has also served as the Sergeant liaison at the City of Rosemead Sub Station giving him first-hand knowledge of what it is like serving a contract city. In Rosemead, he was involved in citywide events, Neighborhood Watch, and conducted their yearly Toy Drive. Sergeant Fiedler attended Cuesta College and Mt. San Antonio College and studied Sociology and Psychology. He is a family man, and in his spare time he works out, coaches soccer, and collects Star Wars memorabilia.

The City of Duarte is fortunate to have Sergeant Fiedler as our dedicated Sergeant. He brings community partnership, leadership, and problem-solving skills, as well as community policing tactics that will keep Duarte Deputies motivated.

Help for Anyone Facing Homelessness

Times are difficult. Some of our neighbors are very well facing the unprecedented pressures of this pandemic on everything from mental health to financial burden to housing insecurity. The City of Duarte offers resources to assist those vulnerable to homelessness.

“Homelessness has been a longstanding issue in Los Angeles County, but the COVID-19 pandemic has further strained individuals financially to the point that fundamental needs are not being met,” said Brian Villalobos. “We encourage any resident who is facing homelessness or who knows a neighbor with housing struggles to reach out for help.”

Here in the City of Duarte Public Safety Outreach Coordinator Tony Hadloc works to improve public health with regional partners. Hadloc conducts direct street-level outreach to the unhoused to connect them to services, distribute hygiene kits with hand sanitizer and clean socks among many other items, and even transports individuals to safe space if requested. Through a grant from the San Gabriel Valley Council of Governments, the City of Duarte also has an assigned housing navigator and case worker through Union Station Homeless Services (USHS). Hadloc will refer clients to USHS that wish to enter the Los Angeles Coordinated Entry System to receive full case management including bridge housing, permanent housing and employment opportunities. Duarte’s assigned housing navigator, Lisa Montano, works Monday through Thursday and every other Friday, holding office hours at Duarte Park, Tuesday and Wednesday from 11 AM to 3:30 PM, and is on-call as needed.

The City of Duarte also partners closely with Foothill Unity Center (790 West Chestnut Avenue, Monrovia, CA). Foothill Unity Center provides clothing, food, school supplies, support and crisis services, health service programs, and other special programs to the Foothill community. Starting in summer 2020, Foothill Unity was a subgrant recipient through the City of Duarte to provide hygiene services for the unhoused. This funding from the City of Duarte has allowed Foothill Unity Center to secure mobile restrooms and a handwashing station - services that became even



more important during the pandemic as public restrooms were shut down. Foothill Unity Center recently acquired separate grant funding to also offer mobile showers. Visit the Foothill Unity Center website or call their office at (626) 258-3486 for support.

Additionally, Hadloc conducts intake for the City’s homeless prevention and diversion program. The City has a number of resources available to community members who are either currently unhoused or at risk of becoming homeless due to any number of reasons, including but not limited to unpaid rent, overdue utility bills, family or roommate dispute, auto repair preventing access to work, lack of rental deposit, or inability to pay moving costs. Any other barrier that may lead to homelessness can be discussed.

If you or someone you know needs help here in Duarte, please contact Tony Hadloc at (626) 386-6819 to discuss available homeless and homeless prevention resources.

Prevention/diversion funds are limited and distributed on a first-come, first-serve basis. The City of Duarte maintains the right to approve or deny funding applications based on a needs assessment. Must be a resident of Duarte.



Don't Forget to Get Your Dog License!



One Year, unaltered **\$60**

One Year, spayed/neutered **\$25**

Senior citizens, 65 years and older, are eligible for one free dog license if the pet is spayed or neutered.

Avoid late fees and purchase your license by August 31, 2021. Rates including penalty after August 31 are as follows: One year, unaltered \$120, One year, spayed/neutered \$85.

And remember, all dogs over the age of four months must be vaccinated for rabies to comply with state law. With the foothills in our backyard, your dog’s chance of having contact with local wildlife is high. Don’t hesitate... Vaccinate!

If you cannot make the drive-thru vaccination and licensing clinic event on Saturday, June 19 (see page 4), your license can be purchased by MAIL ONLY. Please mail the Public Safety Office, 1042 Huntington Drive Duarte, CA 91010 the following:

- 1 Proof of rabies vaccination – expiration date cannot expire before June 30, 2022
- 2 Proof of sterility – if the dog is spayed or neutered
- 3 Check or Money Order made out to City of Duarte (NO CASH)



Neighborhood Watch Update

Property crimes in Duarte increased over 18% in the first quarter of 2021 when compared to the same period last year.

Grand theft auto and catalytic converter theft spiked during the first part of the year and residents are encouraged to take proactive measures to avoid becoming a victim:

- Always lock your vehicle, take your keys, set your alarm even if at home or in your garage
- Never keep spare keys in or under your car or around your home
- Maintain a clean vehicle and do not keep valuables in it, or the trunk
- Park in well lit, heavily populated areas
- Make a copy of your registration and insurance, and keep them in your wallet or purse and remove all forms of identification from your vehicle
- Do not leave garage door openers in parked vehicles
- Please talk to anyone doing work in your home and make sure they secure their vehicle

If you see suspicious persons or vehicles in your neighborhood, please make a note of the make/model/color of the car or description of the person(s) and always call in ANY and ALL suspicious activity to Temple Sheriff's Station at (626) 285-7171. If you feel unsafe call 9-1-1.

You can also book a Zoom Neighborhood Watch Meeting to help your neighbors and family learn about recent criminal activity and connect Duarte Deputies with issues of concern. Book a meeting by calling Crime Prevention Specialist, Aida Torres, at (626) 359-5671 ext. 316 or via e-mail at A2Torres@lasd.org.



Crime Comparison

Part I Crime Jan to April



Part I Crimes	2020	2021	Difference	% Change
Homicide	0	1	1	100%
Rape	1	3	2	200%
Robbery	2	5	3	150%
Assault	13	13	0	0%
Burglary	13	16	3	23%
Larceny	75	80	5	6.66%
GTA	23	32	9	39.13%
Arson	0	0	0	0
Total	127	150	23	18.11%

Arrest data adjusted annually due to reclassification of crimes.

ACTIVENET REGISTRATION



Registration opens at 6 AM on **Tuesday, June 1, 2021.**

Camp registration begins **Monday, May 17.**

Classes begin **Monday, June 14, 2021** unless otherwise noted.

OUR ONLINE REGISTRATION SYSTEM IS:

QUICK

No waiting in line

CONVENIENT

Just a few clicks away

SECURE

Your account info
remains secure

**Parks
Make
Life
Better!**

Online Registration Only!

[ACCESSDUARTE.COM](https://www.accessduarte.com) > [QUICK LINKS](#) > [REGISTER FOR RECREATION PROGRAMS](#)

No Refunds or transfer of fees unless the class or camp is canceled by the department.

Registration is on a first-come, first-serve basis, and will remain open up to the second class of each session. All participants will need to create an online account. All fees must be paid in full at the time of registration.

PARKS & RECREATION CLASSES



ART YOUTH

Young Rembrandts: Live Zoom

4-week sessions | Instructor: Richard Gonzales

In this Live Zoom art class, students will practice and learn about art vocabulary, concepts, and techniques in a nurturing and step-by-step manner. Weekly login information will be emailed to the artist. Regular color markers and color pencils that students use at home will work just fine with all of our classes.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
Session I	6-12	6/15	4-5 PM	T	Virtual	\$50
Session II	6-12	7/6	4-5 PM	T	Virtual	\$50

DANCE YOUTH

Tiny Tots Ballet - Virtual

4-week sessions | Instructor: Jovana Villegas

Children will learn plies, improve flexibility and balance, all while enjoying classical music and current hits.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
Session I	3-4	6/16	5-5:30 PM	W	Virtual	\$20
Session I	3-4	6/19	10-10:30 AM	Sa	Virtual	\$20
Session II	3-4	7/14	5-5:30 PM	W	Virtual	\$20
Session II	3-4	7/17	10-10:30 AM	Sa	Virtual	\$20

Juniors Ballet - Virtual

4-week sessions | Instructor: Jovana Villegas

Children will learn plies, improve flexibility and balance, all while enjoying classical music and current hits.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
Session I	5-11	6/19	10:45-11:15 AM	Sa	Virtual	\$25
Session II	5-11	7/17	10:45-11:15 AM	Sa	Virtual	\$25

Tap - Virtual

4-week sessions | Instructor: Jovana Villegas

This course will teach your child basic tap steps and combinations. Student required to wear tap shoes.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
Session I	3-4	6/16	4:15-4:45 PM	W	Virtual	\$20
Session II	3-4	7/14	4:15-4:45 PM	W	Virtual	\$20

EXERCISE YOUTH · ADULT · ALL AGES

Duarte Virtual 5K Run and Walk

4-week session | Instructor: Duarte Recreation Staff

Put on your tennis shoes and celebrate the 4th of July by participating in our second annual virtual 5K race through Duarte! You can run, jog or walk anywhere at your own pace and time it yourself. Safely complete this 5K on your own or with a family member any time between July 1-4. You'll receive a commemorative medal in the mail at the conclusion of the event completion timeframe. A special run playlist and route suggestions will be available by June 28th on the City's website. For a chance to win some special prizes, tag the City of Duarte in your run or walk photos on social media between the event timeframe \$25 (includes race bib, mask, finisher certificate, commemorative medal) \$35 (includes race bib, mask, finisher certificate, commemorative medal and race t-shirt).

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All	6+	7/1	6 AM-8 PM	S,Th,F,Sa	TBD	\$25

Outdoor Yoga

8-week session | Instructor: Melissa Weber

Class focuses on stretching, breathing and learning the names and fundamental poses of yoga. This is a perfect class for educating stress and gaining mobility. Class will be held outdoors at Royal Oaks Park. Instructor is Melissa Weber

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All	18+	6/19	8-9 AM	Sa	ROP	\$50





Cross Fitness Workout Group - Virtual

4-week sessions | Instructor: Michelle Fanara

This workout group, hosted by Michelle Fanara from the Villari Martial Arts here in Duarte, is a fun introduction to physical fitness through a mixture of different workout methods including; HIIT, weight training, calisthenics, TRX, kettlebells, and functional movement through high energy workouts. This class is for all fitness levels and participants ages 13 and up. No special equipment is needed. Regular household items can be used in substitution.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
Session I	13+	6/15	7:30-8:30 PM	T,Th	Virtual	\$40
Session II	13+	7/13	7:30-8:30 PM	T,Th	Virtual	\$40

Cross Fitness Workout Group - In Person

6-week session | Instructor: Michelle Fanara

This workout group, hosted by Villari Martial Arts in Duarte, is a fun introduction to physical fitness through a mixture of different workout HIIT, weight training, calisthenics, TRX, kettlebells, and functional movement in a high-energy workout. This class is for all fitness levels and is for participants 13 and up. This class will meet at the Villari Martial Arts Center 1740 Huntington Drive Suite 306, Duarte, CA 91010 and conducted outdoors.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All	13+	6/12	11:15 AM-12:15 PM	Sa	VMAC	\$40

MARTIAL ARTS

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Shaolin Kempo Karate - In Person

6-week session | Instructor: Michelle Fanara

Shaolin Kempo Karate is a combination of Karate and Kung Fu. This 6-week program is designed to help students improve concentration and focus, gain discipline and self-control. They will build self-image, self-awareness, and self-confidence. Each student will progress and develop at their own pace. Students receive personal attention and direction. The 5 school principles of Effort, Etiquette, Character, Sincerity, and Self-Control are taught and routinely reinforced. This class will meet at the Villari Martial Arts Center 1740 Huntington Drive Suite 306, Duarte, CA 91010 and conducted outdoors.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All	6-12	6/15	5-5:45 PM	T,Th	Virtual	\$60

Karate - Virtual

5-week sessions | Instructor: Richard Sean Gilliland

Gym Closed? Need motivation to get you moving again? We've got you covered. As Bruce Lee says, "Be Water." We understand there are plenty of challenges, so we designed this new Karate class just for you. Now you can take a fun and refreshing break for 30 minutes and do something great together. Keep up your family's immune system: Enjoy a safe, fun activity together and blow off energy and steam in a healthy way, and build the strength of your family unit with self-defense skills and teamwork. All you need is a smartphone, laptop or tablet. Instructed by 360 Martial Arts Academy

Class	Level	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
Session I	White/Yellow Belts (No Stripes)	6/11	5-5:30 PM	F	Virtual	\$20
Session I	Yellow Belts (White/Black Stripes)	6/11	5:40-6:10 PM	F	Virtual	\$20
Session I	Orange/Green Belts (all levels)	6/11	6:20-6:50 PM	F	Virtual	\$20
Session I	Blue Belts and Above	6/11	7-7:30 PM	F	Virtual	\$20
Session II	White/Yellow Belts (No Stripes)	7/16	5-5:30 PM	F	Virtual	\$20
Session II	Yellow Belts (White/Black Stripes)	7/16	5:40-6:10 PM	F	Virtual	\$20
Session II	Orange/Green Belts (all levels)	7/16	6:20-6:50 PM	F	Virtual	\$20
Session II	Blue Belts and Above	7/16	7-7:30 PM	F	Virtual	\$20



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Piano - Virtual Instruction

8-week session | Instructor: Abraham Martinez

Live virtual piano instruction for novice to intermediate level students. Participants will receive level appropriate material to work on their own and meet weekly as a class for review, instructions, and more practice.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All Levels	9+	6/24	7:15-8:15 PM	Th	Virtual	\$40

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

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Card Making in the Park

4-week session | Instructor: Jackie Hasty

Everyone Loves to receive cards from loved ones. Tell family and friends just how cherished they are with beautiful, handmade cards that are simple to make, but so satisfying to give and receive. In this 4-class session, participants will approach card making from different angles, and given step-by-step instructions for successful achievement. Program will be held at Royal Oaks Park picnic tables.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All	6-12	6/21	4-5 PM	M	ROP	\$30

Sewing Workshops - Virtual

6-week session | Instructor: Regina Dumas Johnson

Join instructor Regina online, along with your sewing friends, for a series of fun interactive workshops. Learn how to install zippers, buttonholes and buttons. Learn different stitching techniques, how to hem pants and skirts, how to make tote bags, pillows, and more! This class will consist of 6 one and a half hour sewing workshops.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All	17+	6/12	11:30 AM-1 PM	Sa	Virtual	\$75

Challenge Your Computer Skills - In Person

8-week session | Instructor: Alan Ng

Do you want to sharpen your computer skills for writing a report, homework or basic communication? This class will provide you useful tools and benefit you to get ahead in school or at work. Students will receive hands on practice in Microsoft Word and Power Point to make a publication and turn into an awesome slide show presentation. This class is for both beginners and experienced users who want to advance their level. \$10 supply fee payable to instructor at first class. Please call (626) 379-1112 for all questions. Class will be held at Royal Oaks Park picnic tables.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All	8+	6/18	6-7 PM	F	ROP	\$140



Critical Reading - In Person

8-week session | Instructor: Alan Ng

This course helps students strengthen their critical reading skills which is an essential analytical technique for academic success. It involves students to identify information and ideas, as well as to bring outside knowledge, biases and values in order to properly analyze a given text. Students will learn how to enhance their reading comprehension skills, strategies and tools used to do the written expression and mechanism. \$10 supply fee payable to instructor at first class. Please call (626) 379-1112 for all questions. Class will be held at the Royal Oaks Park picnic tables.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All	7-12	6/18	6-7 PM	F	ROP	\$140

Intro to Typing - In Person

8-week session | Instructor: Alan Ng

Develop your child's basic typing skills and prepare them for many years of future usage. Supplemental exercises and typing games will be introduced to make learning fun as your child is taught a lifetime skill. Take this great opportunity to prepare your child for learning the keyboarding and get a jump start in school. \$10 supply fee payable to instructor at first class. Please call (626) 379-1112 for all questions. Class will be held at Royal Oaks Park picnic benches.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All	7-14	6/18	5-6 PM	F	ROP	\$140

Math Workshop - In Person

8-week session | Instructor: Alan Ng

Experience a new practical approach to math problem solving and hands-on practice for children ages 7 -15. This class teaches foundational math and time management skills, whether your student needs chapter review, assistance on a new topic for school or help preparing for tests. This program not only helps with individual improvement, but will also benefit their overall success in school. \$10 supply fee payable to instructor at first class. Please call (626) 379-1112 for all questions.

Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
7-15	6/18	5-6 PM	F	ROP	\$90

SPORTS

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Tennis - Video Analysis & Virtual Coaching

4-lesson packs | Instructor: Javier Djeu

4 Video Analysis with 20 min virtual coaching for each. Video analysis is one of the best ways to improve your strokes. Especially the serve. It can also shed light on footwork areas that need improvement, and timing and positioning corrections. In this program you will email your footage to your coach and then schedule a virtual coaching session. Additional sets may be purchased to keep improving. Once you register, you will be contacted prior to your first meet.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All	4+	6/7	3-3:30 PM	M	Virtual	\$40

Tennis: One-on-One Lessons (4 Packs)

4-lesson packs | Instructor: Javier Djeu

One-on-one tennis instruction from an experienced tennis coach. This class is open to youth to adults and all abilities. Instruction will be tailored to the student's needs. You will receive 4 lessons, 30 minute each. You may schedule the days, times, and frequency of your lessons. Lesson slot availability is Friday between 8 AM - 12 PM and 3 PM - 7 PM, or Saturdays 8 AM - 12 PM. Once you register, you will be contacted prior to your first meet.

Class	Age	Start	Time/Day	Site	Fee
All	4+	6/11	Scheduled with Instructor	ROP	\$105



YOUTH & ADULT

TEAM SPORTS

Register for Youth Sports online at: accessduarte.com > Quick Links > Register for Recreation Programs



Registration Begins June 1

Little All Stars T-Ball

8-week session | Instructor: Recreation Staff

Little All Stars is a fun introduction to baseball. Players will learn the fundamentals of the game and get a taste of team play. We will try to accommodate pairing requests, however they are not guaranteed.

Ages 4-5: Meet on Tuesday from 5-5:45 PM and on Saturday from 9-9:45 AM.

Ages 6-7: Meet on Tuesday from 6-6:45 PM and on Saturday from 10-10:45 AM.

Start: Practices begin week of July 6

Fee: \$40

Little All Stars Soccer

8-week session | Instructor: Recreation Staff

Little All Stars is a fun introduction to soccer. Players will learn the fundamentals of the game and get a taste of team play. We will try to accommodate pairing requests, however they are not guaranteed.

Ages 4-5: Meet on Tuesday from 5-5:45 PM and on Saturday from 9-9:45 AM.

Ages 6-7: Meet on Tuesday from 6-6:45 PM and on Saturday from 10-10:45 AM.

Start: Practices begin week of August 3

Fee: \$40



TEEN CENTER

1400 Buena Vista Street
 (626) 303-0863
 Monday - Friday | 3 - 8 PM

Summer Hours
 10:30 AM - 7 PM
 June 14 - July 31, 2021

The Teen Center has reopened, in compliance with the County of Los Angeles Department of Public Health protocols. The Center is open to all high school age students with a school ID card. Holiday and special event hours are subject to change.

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Nutrition/Cooking Class

Learn to make quick and easy nutritious meals, while having fun with friends!

Age	Time	Day	Site	Fee
13-18	3:30-5 PM	T,Th	Teen Center	\$0

Drama Club

Club members will participate in poetry jams, oratory, skits, and improvisations.

Age	Time	Day	Site	Fee
13-18	4-5:30 PM	F	Teen Center	\$0

Work it Out!

Come join Teen Center staff for "Work it Out," a fitness program for teens. Video workouts, walking excursions, circuit training, and nutrition tips. Come get fit with friends!

Age	Time	Day	Site	Fee
13-18	4-5 PM	Th	Teen Center	\$0

SPECIAL EVENTS

Senior Grad Party/Summer Kick Off BBQ

Date: Tuesday, May 11
Time: 3:30 PM
Fee: Free

Come join us for water games, carnival booths, laser tag, a Subway lunch, DJ and more!

Summer Kick Off Beach Trip!

Date: Friday, June 4
Time: 9 AM - 3:30 PM
Fee: \$10

Teen Summer Olympics Week

Dates: June 14 - June 18
Time: 3 - 5 PM
Fee: Free

Teams will compete all week long in various summer Olympic games with Teen Center staff as their leader. Track and Field, Boxing, Volleyball, Table Tennis, Basketball and much more! The week will end with a softball game and the awarding of the gold, silver and bronze medals!

Amazing Acts Week

Dates: July 12 - 16

Time: 3 - 5 PM

Fee: Free

A week of theatre arts, skits, poetry jam and the week will end with a Celebration!

Hip Hop Dance Camp Explosion!

Dates: July 12 - 16

Time: 9 AM - 12 PM

Fee: Free

This camp will be a high energy, fun, educational course breaking down Hip Hop movement for all levels of dancers. It will end in a culminating dance routine to new and popular Hip Hop songs.

Hip Hop Advanced Class!

Dates: July 12 - 16

Time: 1 PM - 4 PM

Fee: Free

Must have prior dance experience or prior Hip Hop class attendance.

Splash Madness Week!

Dates: July 26 - 30

Time: 3 - 5 PM

Fee: Free

Come hang out at the center and join us for water games all week, contests, super soaker fun and more! Highlight of the week with an excursion to the Beach!

Beach Trip

Date: July 30

Fee: \$10

Departs Teen Center at 9 AM

Returns at 5 PM



Join Duarte Dance!

Join our free dance program! We meet every Tuesday and Thursday from 3:30-6:30 PM. All levels of dance skill accepted. Ages: 13-19 years old.

Teen Adventure Camp Week!

Dates: August 2 - 6

Time: 9 AM - 4 PM

Fee: \$40 full week/\$10 daily fee

(Food and souvenirs on your own.)

A week full of exploring cool places and adventures!! Hollywood, Olvera Street, Venice Beach, and Warner Brothers Studio Tour. Space will be limited so sign up now!

Back To School BBQ

Date: Tuesday, August 25

Time: 3:30 PM

Fee: Free

Connect with old friends and make some new ones. We will have a DJ, food, games, contest and more!

TOURNAMENTS

Pool Kings Tournament

Date: Wednesday, June 24

Time: 3 PM

Fee: Free

Come test your skills with the best hot shots you got! Prizes awarded to the top winners! Contact Teen Center for more information.

3 Point Shoot-Out Contest!

Date: Wednesday, July 21

Time: 3 PM

Fee: Free

Come and "wet" the hoop in the Duarte Teen Center 3 point shoot out contest! Each contestant will get 1 minute to shoot as many 3 point shots for a total score, top winners will receive prizes. Come and get ya hoop on!

COMPUTER LAB

Monday - Friday | 3 - 6:30 PM

Free use to all teens visiting the Teen Center.

Take advantage of the computer lab at the Teen Center. The lab is a great place to enhance your computer skills, learn new programs, research colleges, chat on the Internet, do school work, and play various games.

FITNESS CENTER & AQUATICS

HOURS OF OPERATION

Weekdays: 6:30 AM - 8:30 PM
 Saturday: 7 AM - 4 PM
 Sunday: 11 AM - 4 PM

The Fitness Center is now open! In an effort to support a safe and clean environment for both members and staff, all are being asked to:

- Stay home if they are feeling sick
- Wear a face covering correctly when entering and exiting the facility
- Leave six feet of space between themselves and others
- Wipe down machines and individual exercise equipment after each use with the provided disinfecting wipes
- Avoid queuing in the facility to help maintain occupancy levels



LAP SWIM (14 years and older)

Monday - Thursday: 6:30 AM - 8 AM
 11:30 AM - 1 PM
 6 PM - 8 PM
 Friday: 6:30 AM - 8 AM
 11:30 AM - 1 PM
 Saturday & Sunday: 11 AM - 1 PM

Fees:

- Adults \$2
- Seniors 55+/Persons with Disabilities \$1

(No inside showers)

Reservations may be required for Lap Swim.

Please call (626) 357-6118 for more information.

SENIOR CENTER

The Senior Center is currently closed to the public due to COVID-19 pandemic.

While the Duarte Senior Center is currently closed, registration for virtual classes begins **Tuesday, June 1** beginning at 6 AM.

Note: You must have a profile to register for virtual classes and events. Register online or create an account at accessduarte.com

Classes begin the week of **June 14, 2021**, unless otherwise noted.

Senior Lunch Program

During the COVID-19 pandemic, the Duarte Senior Center has transitioned to a frozen meal pick up on Tuesdays from 11-11:45 AM. If you are interested in being placed on a waiting list, please call Intervale Senior Services at (626) 214-9443.

People Helping People

Sponsored through the partnership between the City of Duarte and AmeriCorps, the People Helping People Program is in place to help Duarte seniors gain some autonomy of their day to day life. During the pandemic, we have had to reshape what that help looks like. While the program is unable to visit seniors in their homes at this time, we continue to offer regularly scheduled friendly phone calls, general tech support, interactive art activities, and private live virtual performances. If you would like to participate in any of these, call the Duarte Senior Center at (626) 357-03513 and ask for Abraham Martinez.

Parking Lot Bingo

Wednesdays | 1 - 2:30 PM

*** Beginning Wednesday, June 23, 11:30 AM - 1 PM**

Fee: \$1 (Must have your own daubers)

The Senior Center is offering drive-in Bingo! Each person will drive into the Duarte Senior Center parking lot using the entrance off Pops Road and park by the Senior Center. When you arrive you will deposit \$1 and be given 8 sheets of paper for 8 games. We will then tell you what channel to turn your radio station to in order to hear the Bingo numbers that will be called. You will also be given a flag that you will use if you have a "Bingo". You will roll down your window and raise your flag and we will come check your numbers and give you a prize.

SENIOR CLASSES - FREE

Fun and Games - Virtual

1-day session | Instructor: John Sechini
Join John Sechini, who will lead us through this new virtual program. We will engage in a variety of fun activities such as Jeopardy, Wheel of Fortune, and Trivia.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All Levels	55+	6/14	2:30-4:30 PM	M	Virtual	\$0
All Levels	55+	6/28	2:30-4:30 PM	M	Virtual	\$0
All Levels	55+	7/12	2:30-4:30 PM	M	Virtual	\$0
All Levels	55+	7/26	2:30-4:30 PM	M	Virtual	\$0
All Levels	55+	8/9	2:30-4:30 PM	M	Virtual	\$0

Great Decisions - Virtual

1-day session | Tuesdays, 10-11:30 AM

Great Decisions of the Foreign Policy Association. Presented by facilitator Brice Harris, Professor (retired) of History and International Relations, Occidental College. We will send out study material that you can read prior to the class.

Date	Topic	Fee
7/13	China in Africa	\$0
8/17	The Two Koreas	\$0

Sing-along - Virtual

4-week session | Instructor: AmeriCorps

Join us virtually for a sing-along that ranges from show tunes to the Beatles and Stevie Wonder. We will meet over Zoom, twice a month; we look forward to singing a chorus or two with all of you.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All Levels	55+	6/8	3-3:45 PM	T	Virtual	\$0
All Levels	55+	6/22	3-3:45 PM	T	Virtual	\$0
All Levels	55+	7/13	3-3:45 PM	T	Virtual	\$0
All Levels	55+	7/27	3-3:45 PM	T	Virtual	\$0

Zoom Workshop - Virtual

1-day session | Instructor: Senior Center Staff

These workshops will be led by Senior Center staff. Please have Zoom installed and ready to use. The goal will be to have participants increase their knowledge of using Zoom on their device.

Topic	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
Phone & Tablets	6/16	10:30-11:30 AM	W	Virtual	\$0
Laptops & PC	6/30	10:30-11:30 AM	W	Virtual	\$0
Phone & Tablets	7/7	10:30-11:30 AM	W	Virtual	\$0
Laptops & PC	7/21	10:30-11:30 AM	W	Virtual	\$0



SENIOR CLASSES - FOR A FEE

Low Intensity - Easy Movement - Virtual

4-week session | Instructor: Shelly Amaro

This class offers a combination of low-impact and chair aerobics and the use of resistance bands. Participants will tone their muscles and increase flexibility.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All Levels	55+	6/16	10:30-11:30 AM	W	Virtual	\$5

Piano/Keyboard - Virtual

8-week session | Instructor: Abraham Martinez

Participants will use traditional and commercial repertoire to gain musical literacy and keyboard techniques. Class time will be used for instruction, more guided practice, and review of the weekly assigned materials. Students can be provided supplemental videos and documents for further instruction.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All Levels	55+	6/18	1-2:30 PM	F	Virtual	\$40

Sewing-Virtual

8-week session | Instructor: Regina Dumas Johnson

Learn different techniques, how to hem pants and skirts, how to make tote bags, and more.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All Levels	55+	6/14	10:30 AM-12:30 PM	M	Virtual	\$40

Tai Qi/QiGong - Virtual or at ROP

8-week session | Instructor: Chris Tucker

Strengthen and balance the body while calming the mind. Qi is said to come from the air we breathe and the foods we eat, so participants will be introduced to the concept of Food-Based-Healing and-efficient breathing. With regular practice energy, immunity, and peace of mind all increase. One may also notice improvement in respiratory efficiency and increased metabolic activity. You can join instructor Chris Tucker in person outdoor or by Zoom.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All Levels	55+	6/14	9-10 AM	M,F	Virtual	\$40

Western Line Dance - Virtual

8-week session | Instructor: Willard-Bill Berry

It's a fun way to meet new people while exercising your mind and body. Learn new dances and old favorites while improving your fitness level.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All Levels	55+	6/17	10:30-11:45 AM	Th	Virtual	\$23

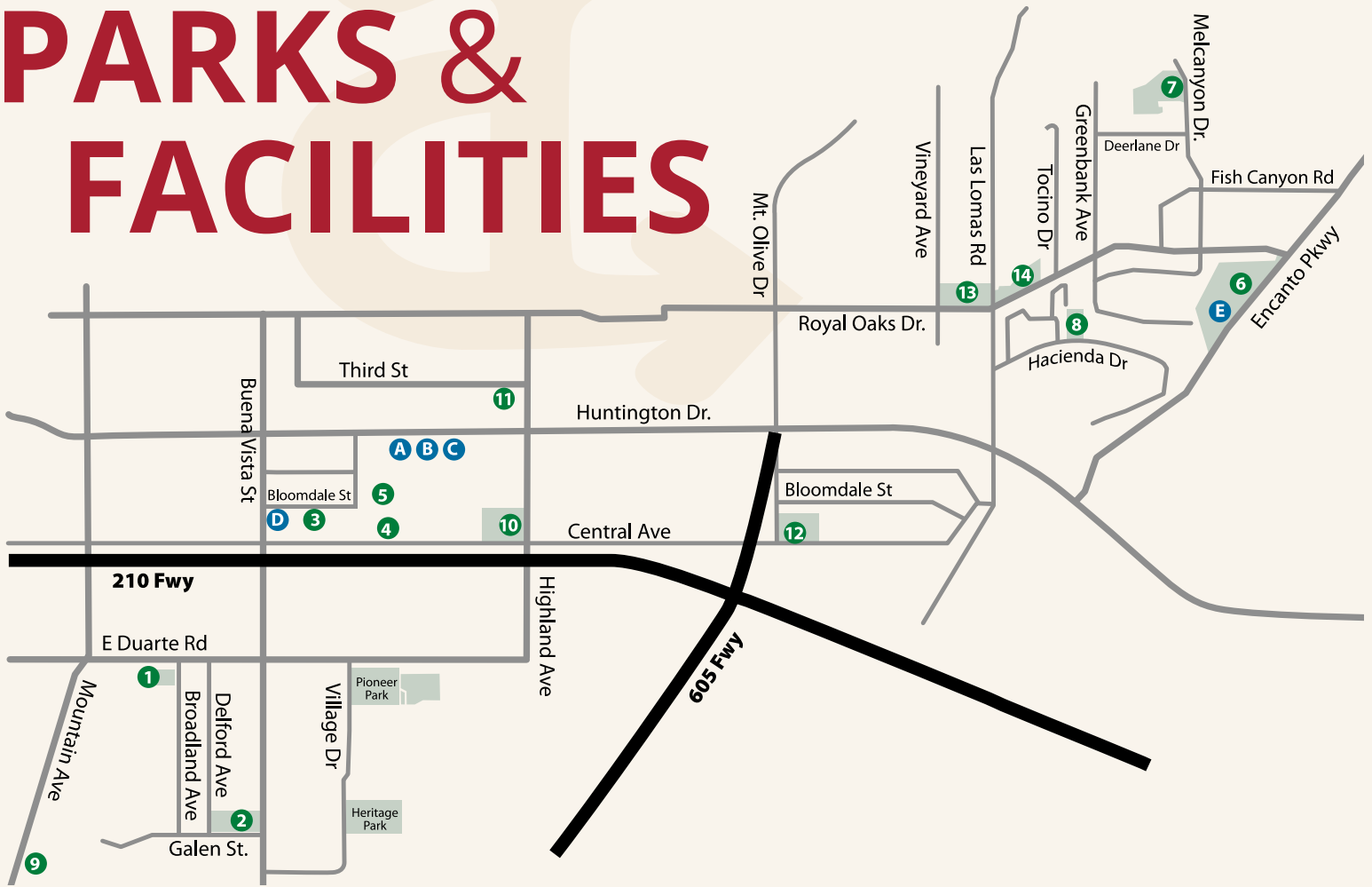
Yoga - Virtual

8-week session | Instructor: Yvette "Betsy" Laban

This class consists of "Hatha" yoga postures; poses and stretches to promote fitness. We will do Pranayama, breathing techniques, Acu-Yoga, healing with your own touch, and relaxation for mental and physical health. For those of you who think you need to be young, thin, fit and flexible for yoga ... think again. Come join us in this class for "everyday people." A mix of breathing techniques, stretching, body exercises and meditation will be used in a fun and relaxing atmosphere.

Class	Age	Start	Time	Day	Site	Fee
All Levels	55+	6/17	9-10:15 AM	Th	Virtual	\$23

PARKS & FACILITIES



Parks

1. **Aloisia Moore Park** | 1100 Duarte Road
2. **Beardslee Park** | 2000 Buena Vista Street
3. **Duarte Park & Futsal Courts** | 1344 Bloomdale Street
4. **Duarte Skate Park** | 1401 Central Avenue
5. **Duarte Sports Park** | 1401 Central Avenue
6. **Encanto Park** | 751 Encanto Parkway
7. **Glenn Miller Park** | 205 Melcanyon Drive
8. **Hacienda Park** | 2695 Hacienda Drive
9. **Lena Valenzuela Park** | 2120 Mountain Avenue
10. **Northview Park** | 1433 Highland Avenue
11. **Orange Blossom Park** | 1720 Third Street
12. **Otis Gordon Sports Park** | 2351 Central Avenue
13. **Royal Oaks Park** | 2627 Royal Oaks Drive
14. **Royal Oaks Park Ext.** | 2701 Royal Oaks Drive

Recreation Facilities

- A. **Community Center** | 1600 Huntington Drive
- B. **Fitness Center** | 1600 Huntington Drive
- C. **Senior Center** | 1610 Huntington Drive
- D. **Teen Center** | 1400 Buena Vista Street
- E. **Duarte Museum** | 777 Encanto Parkway
(626) 357-9419 | ranchodeduarte.org
Museum is open 1st and 3rd Wednesdays
of each month from 1-3 PM



The City-owned Duarte Museum is managed and operated by the Duarte Historical Society, a 501C3 non-profit organization. The museum features displays and special exhibits that highlight the rich history of Duarte. Special events, birding tours, craft fairs and more activities are presented throughout the year. Call (626) 357-9419 or email info@RanchoDeDuarte.org for more information.

PARKS & FACILITY RENTALS

In an effort to help prevent further community spread of COVID-19 our indoor facilities are closed; however, we are accepting reservations for Picnic Gazebos.

Picnic Gazebos

Encanto Park & Royal Oaks Park

Small gazebos include a small barbecue grill, gazebo shelter and picnic table. One larger gazebo is located at the Royal Oaks Park Extension and includes a large gazebo shelter, two picnic tables and a dual picnic barbecue grill. These are perfect settings for a birthday party or picnic. Don't get left without a spot for your event! Rent one or more gazebos now!



In compliance with Los Angeles County Public Health Protocols, renters are only permitted to have no more than 3 families or a maximum of 15 individuals in their group, should maintain physical distancing when possible and face masks must be worn at all times, except when eating or drinking.

**For information on rental policies and fees
call (626) 357-7931 or visit [accessduarte.com](https://www.accessduarte.com)**

City of Duarte
 1600 Huntington Drive
 Duarte, CA 91010
 (626) 357-7931

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City Directory

City Services

- Duarte City Hall (626) 357-7931
- Duarte Fitness/Pool Center (626) 357-6118
- Duarte Senior Center (626) 357-3513
- Duarte Public Safety Office (626) 357-7938
- Anonymous Tip Line (626) 357-5671 x 462
- Graffiti Removal (626) 359-7931
- Shopping Cart Retrieval (626) 357-7938
- Duarte Transportation (626) 359-1813
- Duarte Teen Center (626) 303-0863

Utilities & Other Services

- Access Paratransit..... (800) 883-1295
- San Gabriel Valley Humane Society..... (626) 286-1159
- Burrtec Waste/Street Sweeping..... (800) 325-9417
- Cal American Water (888) 422-5269
- Charter Cable (866) 499-8080
- Crime Stoppers (800) 222-8477
- Duarte Chamber (626) 357-3333
- Duarte Historical Museum..... (626) 357-9419
- Duarte Library (626) 358-1865
- Duarte Post Office..... (626) 256-6043
- Duarte Unified School District..... (626) 599-5000
- Edison..... (800) 655-4555
- Edison Outages (800) 611-1911
- Hazardous Waste..... (888) 253-2652
- SoCalGas (800) 427-2200
- Verizon (800) 483-4000

First Responders

- Emergency Calls** (Police, Fire, Medical)**911**
- Temple Sheriff Station (Dispatch)..... (626) 285-7171
- LA County Fire (Non-Emergency) (626) 358-3118



Andres Avelino Duarte
 1805 - 1863

Born at Mission San Juan Capistrano, Andres Avelino Duarte joined the Mexican Army in 1821. He fought in the Battle of San Gabriel, the last assigned to protect Mission property. Upon retirement he was granted a grant of 2,000 acres which included portions of what are now today in Duarte, Blandburg, Montclair, Azusa, Arcadia, San Gabriel, and San Dimas. Andres Duarte, his wife, Gertruda, and their son, Felipe Santiago, resided in a small adobe called the Hacienda located on what is now Tacano Drive in Duarte. Following the Mexican-American War and the signing of the Treaty of Guadalupe-Hidalgo, Duarte started selling his holdings and in 1852 the boys of Rancho Arroyo de Duarte were