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## March 2020 Special Election includes ballot measure to elect councilmembers by district

Santa Clara will have a Special Election on March 3, 2020 which will share the ballot with the California Presidential Primary. There will be a ballot measure for Santa Clara voters to decide whether to amend the City Charter to elect councilmembers by district. The City Council placed the measure on the ballot following the recommendation of a Charter Review Committee composed of seven Santa Clara residents from across the city.

## **Ballot language**

The ballot language for Measure C will read as follows: DISTRICT COUNCIL ELECTIONS. Shall the City Charter be amended to elect city council members by district, excepting the mayor, as follows: for the 2020 election to establish six districts for the election of one council member to represent each district; and, beginning in 2022 to establish three districts for the election of two council members to represent each district; and to require an independent redistricting committee?

If Measure C is approved by the voters, Santa Clarans would:

- Elect City councilmembers by district (except the mayor who will be elected citywide);
- For the 2020 election, establish six districts in which each councilmember represents each district;
- Only Council Districts 1, 4, 5 and 6 will be on the November 2020 ballot.
- Beginning with the 2022 election, establish three districts in which two councilmembers represent each district:
- Require Council candidates to be residents of the district they represent for a minimum of 30 days prior to the filing deadline to run for office;
- Require the mayor, chief of police and city clerk to be a Santa Clara resident for a minimum of 30 days prior to the filing deadline to run for office; and
- Require an independent redistricting committee that would set the boundary lines of the three Council districts.

## **Background**

The City held its first district-based election in November 2018 as required by a ruling of the Santa Clara Superior Court following a lawsuit under the California Voting Rights Act. The court ruling did not amend the City Charter which still states that councilmembers are elected "at-large, by seat." The City Charter can only be amended by the voters.

In November 2018, Measure N asked voters if they wanted to engage in a public process to draft City Charter amendment language. Voters passed Measure N with 70.4% approval. The measure, which will be on the March 3, 2020 election, is the result of the public process conducted by the Charter Review Committee.

For more information about the March 2020 Special Election, visit SantaClaraCA.gov/elections.

## Bowers playground debuts

A colorful, creative new playground, designed to be enjoyed by children of all abilities, opened in November at Bowers Park, 2582 Cabrillo Ave. The project was partially funded by a grant from PlayCore and the California Parks & Recreation Society. For information on other park rehabilitation projects underway or coming soon, see the article on page 11.



## Redesigned City website combines modern design with improved functionality

The City of Santa Clara debuted its significantly refreshed website SantaClaraCA.gov in early December. The website overhaul is designed to better serve the needs of City website users, including those who live, work, learn and play in Santa Clara.

The redesigned website features enhanced navigation including streamlined dropdown menus, a central location for City news, current topics and events, and improved search functionality that only gets better the more it's used. Most frequently searched topics,

such as activities, jobs, library and police, are also highlighted.

The reorganized navigation guides online visitors to the following high-demand resources: Services, Our City, Recreation & Community, Business & Development, and I Want To.

The new website replaces a site that was approximately five years old. Now, Santa



Clara City Library has its own subsite to provide a streamlined user experience and address specific library user needs. The Silicon Valley Power and Silicon Valley Fiber subsites also underwent a refresh tailored to the interests of their site visitors, from paying a bill to rebates for going green.

The website redesign project began with usability testing in June 2017 to better inform the comprehensive overhaul of the website. Over several weeks this fall, City staff conducted public beta testing through an online survey, several focus groups and multiple on-location testing sessions at City facilities. The data collected from the beta testing was used to further enhance the new site's usability, design and function prior to launch.

The City website averages more than 96,000 unique visitors per month. Experience SantaClaraCA.gov today!

## Free collection of extra garbage is Jan. 2-7

From Jan. 2-7, residents may set out up to two additional 32-gallon bags of garbage on their regular collection day at no additional cost. There is no collection on New Year's Day, Jan. 1, and collection is one day late the remainder of the week.

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## Dear Community,

Happy New Year and welcome to 2020 – the beginning of a new decade which holds great promise for the City of Santa Clara. We also start the year strong – with many distinctions and award recognitions as we make great strides in achieving results for the City Council's seven priorities.

- Santa Clara received the #1 ranking on chamber of commerce.org's list of California's best cities to live in 2019.
- Santa Clara was named the 6th Safest City in America, the first time that our city has achieved Top 10 status for safety.
- Silicon Valley Power was also recognized for workplace safety, the second year the utility has received this award from Northwest Public Power Association.
- Silicon Valley Power was awarded the Reliable Public Power Provider (RP3) Gold designation by the American Public Power Association.
- The City received three Public Works Project of the Year Awards from the American Public Works Association (APWA). Projects that received awards included: the San Tomas Expressway & Monroe Street Park and Community Garden Project; the Mission Branch Library Remodel Project; and the Santa Clara High and Adrian Wilcox High Crosswalk Improvements Project.
- The City of Santa Clara received the Association of Public Safety Communications Officials (APCO)
   Technology Leadership Award for its 9-1-1 Communications Center.
- The Santa Clara City Library drove away with statewide honors in late October when the California Library Association bestowed its PR Excellence Award for the Library's promotion of its revitalized bookmobile program.
- The City of Santa Clara was awarded the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting by the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada for its comprehensive annual financial report.

It is gratifying to have these acknowledgements and recognition for our high-performing organization and the steps we have taken to ensure optimum operations and service delivery. I hope you will review the highlights of our recent accomplishments on Page 3 and take a look at the more detailed summary available on SantaClaraCA.gov.



City Manage Deanna J. Santana

## **Impressive Fiscal Outlook**

I want to call special attention to the City's financial management, which is excellent! Between a healthy economy and prudent controls on expenses, we have been able to build up reserves to an unprecedented high level. We have contributed just over \$90 million of one-time revenues to our reserves since June 2019. While our projections show this pace slowing, we have been fiscally strategic and prudent, and our reserves are above the City Council policy level.

Santa Clara now uses a two-year budget cycle and a 10-year financial forecast so that we can better anticipate budget issues and make better-informed strategic decisions. See the budget article on Page 4 for additional information. In short, over the last two years, we have corrected an

approximate \$80 million budget deficit based on past projections. We did this without any cuts to service levels or employee layoffs and only modest fee increases.

## **Taking Decisive Actions**

Last year, the City Council determined that new management was needed for the Santa Clara Convention Center, and a nationwide search was conducted to find an experienced firm to take over the operation of this valuable City asset. Positive results were immediate with the new firm, Spectra Venue Management, bringing in \$831,000 net operating income in its first quarter of performance. This is much more than originally expected and is far better than the former operator who averaged \$600,000 net revenue annually.

Another major action was taken by the Stadium Authority in September to terminate an agreement with the Forty Niners Stadium Management Company LLC to manage non-NFL events at Levi's® Stadium. Last fiscal year, the Forty Niners' expenses skyrocketed \$2.5 million and they lost millions more money than they made for non-NFL events. In fact, 75% of their non-NFL ticketed events lost money for the Stadium Authority. As a result, projected revenue to the City is lost and "the pay more to lose more" business scenario that they have developed cost the General Fund \$5.4 million over two years. Another primary concern is several state contracting law violations, including worker wage law violations. The Forty Niners have filed a lawsuit in the Santa Clara Superior Court to block the termination so this is likely to be a topic of conversation for some time to come. The public will be kept fully informed through updates on SantaClaraCA.gov and other City communication channels.

## **Springtime Is Your Time**

There are many opportunities to come together this spring and enjoy our fine weather, beautiful parks and fun recreational programs. We are all anticipating the opening of the new Reed & Grant Streets Sports Park. It is also the time for residents to participate in two of the most important activities that will shape the future of Santa Clara – voting and being counted in the 2020 census. Both of these civic responsibilities will have impact on what happens in this community for years to come.

We begin the year on a high note and, indeed, it is an exciting time for the City. I look forward to seeing you at upcoming community events and hearing your opinions on the big and small items that define the amazing quality of life in Santa Clara.

In community spirit,

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Deanna J. Santana, City Manager

## Many ways to stay informed

## City Website: SantaClaraCA.gov

Visit the City website frequently to learn about services, events, issues and policy changes. Click on "More News & Stories" on the homepage.

## Santa Clara City Television

Tune in to Comeast Channel 15 to watch live City Council, Santa Clara Stadium Authority or Planning Commission meetings or rebroadcasts. The station also carries agenda highlights and other municipal announcements.

## City Manager Blog: SantaClaraCA.gov/cmblog

The City Manager Blog, published every two weeks, provides a quick overview of City activities. Subscribe to receive current information about City issues and activities.

## eNotify: SantaClaraCA.gov/enotify

Sign up to receive notices from the City about events, news, community meetings and employment opportunities. You decide what topics are of interest to you.

## Santa Clara Source: SantaClaraCA.gov/scsource

Brief video recaps of City Council and Santa Clara Stadium Authority meetings are posted to help the public track issues and decisions. More detailed information including minutes and staff reports on agenda items and videos of full City Council, Santa Clara Stadium Authority and Planning Commission meetings is on the City website SantaClaraCA.gov.

## Tentative Meeting Agenda Calendar: SantaClaraCA.gov/TMAC

This calendar is published weekly to provide tentative dates and policy-level agenda items planned for City Council study sessions, joint Council/Commission meetings and regular Council meetings in the next three to four months.

## Facebook: Facebook.com/CityofSantaClara

Follow the City of Santa Clara or specific City departments including Police, Library and Silicon Valley Power. City Council, Santa Clara Stadium Authority and Planning Commission meetings are also streamed live on Facebook.

## YouTube: SantaClaraCA.gov/youtube

Visit the City's YouTube channel to watch City Council, Santa Clara Stadium Authority and Planning Commission meetings streamed live, or to view past meetings, community events and public education videos.

## Community Meetings: SantaClaraCA.gov/planning-community-meetings

Public forums are scheduled frequently to allow residents to learn more about proposed developments, park rehabilitation, new or revised policies, or other issues in the City. Sign up to receive notifications on eNotify or through the Community Development Department.

## Nextdoor: Nextdoor.com

Sign up for this neighborhood networking tool and you will receive posts from the City of Santa Clara about public events, crime prevention, emergency notifications and more.

## Twitter: Twitter.com/santaclaracity

Follow the City of Santa Clara or specific City departments including Police, Library and Silicon Valley Power.

## LinkedIn

Look for posts from the City of Santa Clara or specific City departments including Human Resources and Silicon Valley Power.

## MySantaClara App: SantaClaraCA.gov/mysantaclara

Download this free app to your smartphone to access more than 15 options for service requests or information. Find it in the Apple App Store or Google Play.

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Register on the webpage SCPD.org to receive updates from the Santa Clara Police Department, including traffic alerts.

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## Get rebate on attic insulation and reduce energy costs

Even in a mild climate, weatherizing a home can result in saving money on energy bills. In Santa Clara, for example, installing attic insulation can reduce heating and cooling costs by an estimated 14%.



Upgrading attic insulation is one of the most cost effective ways to make a home more comfortable. Proper attic insulation makes the most of a home's heating and cooling system by helping to keep heated or cooled air from escaping. It stops cold air from seeping into the home on winter days and absorbs excess heat shining down on a roof in the summer. This means fewer chilly winter mornings and stifling summer afternoons.

Silicon Valley Power, the City's municipal electric utility, is helping residents make this upgrade with an attic insulation rebate. Residents can receive 10 cents per square foot for installing new attic insulation. With the minimum R-38 attic insulation starting at 55-88 cents per square foot, this rebate helps make the upgrade more economical for homeowners.

Preapproval is required. For more information, or to apply for the rebate, visit SiliconValleyPower.com/insulation or call 408-244-SAVE (7283).

## Other ways to stay warm

Homeowners can also take other steps to stay comfortable when the temperatures drop, starting with keeping drapes and shutters closed. Be sure heating air vents are not blocked and that doors and windows have proper weather stripping so drafts are not bringing in cold air.

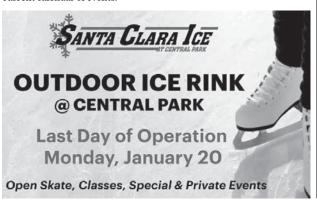
Space heaters can be effective in small areas, but also use a lot of electricity and can pose safety hazards. Never leave a space heater turned on all night or if you are out of the house. More than 55,000 fires in the U.S. every year are attributable to a space heater.

Wood fires are inviting and can generate heat, but during winter Spare the Air alerts in the Bay Area, it is illegal to use any wood-burning device including fireplaces, woodstoves, pellet stoves or outdoor fire pits.

## Sensory storytimes begin Jan. 9

Mission Branch Library, 1098 Lexington St., will hold monthly sensory storytimes starting Thursday, Jan. 9, at 10 a.m. These small, interactive storytimes are great for all children, but specifically designed for children ages three and up with autism spectrum disorder and other sensory processing challenges. Space is limited to 10 families and registration is necessary to attend. For more information, visit the Mission Branch Library or contact Justin Wasterlain at jwasterlain@santaclaraca.gov.

General storytimes for different age groups are offered at all three City libraries every week. Central Park Library, 2635 Homestead Rd., also schedules storytimes in Turkish and Arabic. Visit SCLibrary.org for the current calendar of events.



## Register now for winter recreation programs

Registration is now underway for winter/spring classes and activities for all age groups offered by the Parks & Recreation Department. The Winter Activities Guide was mailed to households in December and is also available online. To register, go to https://apm.activecommunities.com/santaclara.

The Spring/Summer Activities Guide will be mailed at the end of February and registration for Santa Clara residents begins on Feb. 27.

## Tour a Santa Clara fire station

Guided tours of Santa Clara fire stations can be scheduled by individuals, families or groups between 9 a.m. and  $5:30~\rm p.m.$ , Monday through Friday. They must be pre-arranged and approved in advance.

This is an opportunity to meet firefighters and learn more about what they do to keep Santa Clara safe. Visitors also get up-close looks at some of the equipment used for fighting fires, handling hazardous materials and saving lives and property.

For information, visit Fire. SantaClaraCA.gov and click on the link for Fire Station Tour/Engine Visit requests.



Meet some of the firefighters who keep Santa Clara safe during a tour of a local fire station

## Apply for advisory body

Residents who would like to contribute to the quality of life in the City of Santa Clara are encouraged to apply to serve on any of the City's Board, Commissions or Committees, including the Board of Library Trustees, Civil Service Commission, Cultural Commission, Historical & Landmark Commission, Parks & Recreation Commission, Planning Commission, Senior Advisory Commission and Youth Commission.

Information about current and upcoming vacancies can be found at SantaClaraCA.gov/commissions, or by contacting the City Clerk's office, 1500 Warburton Ave., clerk@santaclaraca.gov, or 408-615-2220.

## Stay safe when driving in rain

The Santa Clara Police Department urges all drivers to be careful and cautious when driving in the rain, starting with slowing down your speed, turning on headlights, and leaving more distance between your car and the one ahead of you. It is also important to use your defroster in wet weather to ensure windows don't fog up.



Concentrate fully on every aspect of driving. Anticipate the unexpected and give yourself more room and time to react than usual. Avoid hard braking and/or turning sharply to reduce the chances of hydroplaning.

Never drive through flooded roadways. It can be difficult to gauge how deep water is on a street or in an underpass so avoid standing water if at all possible. Turn around, don't drown!

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## Resolutions for the new year? Library has resources to help

The Santa Clara City Library offers many resources that can help you achieve your new year's resolutions. For more information on these and other resources, visit SCLibrary.org.

## Resolve: Learn a new language

Mango Languages, a free online service available through the library, teaches you to speak Brazilian Portuguese, French, German, Greek, Italian, Japanese, Mandarin Chinese, Russian, Spanish and many other languages. Go at your own pace with easy-to-navigate lessons and modules.

## Resolve: Become a do-it-yourselfer

Central Park Library, 2635 Homestead Rd., has a tool lending library that gives you access to handy tools like a caulking gun, a stud locator or a thermal leak detector, among others.

## Resolve: Get more comfortable with technology

Drop-in tech help with your computers, tablets or phones is available every Tuesday, 4-5 p.m., at Central Park Library, 2635 Homestead Rd. Bring your device for tech savvy teens to answer your questions and show you how to use technology features. The program is first-come, first-served.

## **Resolve: Preserve your memories**

Every Wednesday, 11 a.m.-2 p.m., equipment is available at Central Park Library, 2635 Homestead Rd., to help you digitize photos and slides, convert VHS, Super 8 and 8mm video, or save your cassettes.

## Resolve: Improve your English language skills

English as a Second Language learners can practice at a weekly conversation club on Wednesdays, 10:30 a.m.-noon, or improve English reading, speaking and listening skills at a book club on first and third Fridays, 10:30 a.m.-noon. There is also an ESL Family Night every second Thursday of the month, 6:30-8:30 p.m., where singles, parents or caregivers can socialize while their children play with toys and crafts. All take place at Central Park Library, 2635 Homestead Rd.

## **Resolve: Do better in school**

Tutor.com, accessible with a Santa Clara City Library card, offers live one-to-one homework help daily from noon to midnight, Pacific Time, plus test preparation, essay writing assistance and job hunting and resume writing help.

## SVACA debunks myths about shelter dog adoption

Every year, hundreds of families visit the Animal Care Center, 3370 Thomas Rd., operated by Silicon Valley Animal Control Authority (SVACA), to adopt a pet. Some are hesitant about shelter dogs because of myths they've heard. Here is the reality according to the SVACA experts.

Myth: Dogs are in shelters because they were not good pets.

**Reality:** Not all dogs admitted to shelters are there because they are "bad" dogs.

With the high cost of living in the Bay Area, some pets are in shelters simply because their owners couldn't afford (or find) pet-friendly housing.

Myth: Shelter dogs have medical issues.

**Reality:** Although some dogs come to SVACA with medical issues, SVACA staff evaluates and addresses medical issues when possible before the dog is put on the adoption floor. SVACA fully informs adopting families of any chronic conditions so there are no surprises.



Myth: Shelter dogs have a tough time bonding and socializing.

Reality: Certainly, many dogs have suffered some type of neglect in their previous situations, however, that can be reversed with extra TLC and working with a trainer who can steer the pup back on track.

Myth: Shelter dogs are behaviorally unsound.

**Reality:** Every dog goes through a thorough behavioral evaluation and potential adoptive families are informed of any issues concerning a dog's behavior. Unwanted behaviors can frequently be worked through by taking the dog for a series of training sessions.

Myth: Shelter dogs have no training.

**Reality:** Many shelter dogs already know several commands and will readily perform for a treat! Even those that haven't had any formal training can learn quickly. SVACA volunteers work with the dogs every day to socialize them and get them more "adoption ready."

For more information on the adoption process and pets available, visit SVACA.com/adoptions.

## Electric rate assistance program is available

Silicon Valley Power, the City-owned electric utility, offers assistance to qualified residents who need help paying their electric bill due to financial or medical hardship. The rate assistance program provides a 25% discount off the electric portion of the Santa Clara municipal utilities bill for customers who meet low-income requirements or have certain medical conditions requiring an electric device for treatment.

For more information or to obtain an application, visit SiliconValleyPower.com/assist, email cutcosts@SiliconValleyPower.com or call 408-244-SAVE (7283).

## Santa Clara Senior Center Services

The City of Santa Clara Senior Center provides a safe, positive and welcoming environment for adults ages 50+. The goal is to make available facilities, programs and services that meet the widely varying needs of older adults in our community as they age – from active senior to the frail elderly.

For program and service information, refer to the monthly Senior Center newsletter available at the Senior Center or on the website SantaClaraCA.gov/SeniorCenter. For specific questions, call 408-615-3170.



Programs and services at the Senior Center include:

- Adventures to Go Travel Program
- · Ballroom Dances
- · Care Management Services
- Classes Fitness & Special Interest
- Computer Lab
- Dining Out Senior Nutrition Program
- Drop-in Ceramics, Lapidary, Woodshop
- Drop-in Activities Billiards, Darts, Shuffleboard, Bingo, Card Games
- Fitness Center and Natatorium
- Health Education and Coaching Blood Pressure Checks, Evidence Based Programming, Health Screenings
- Health Insurance and Medicare Counseling (HICAP)
- Information Referral for Seniors (formerly SPA)
- Legal Assistance (SALA)
- $\bullet \ \ Support \ Groups$
- Welcome Newcomers (information meeting and tour of center)

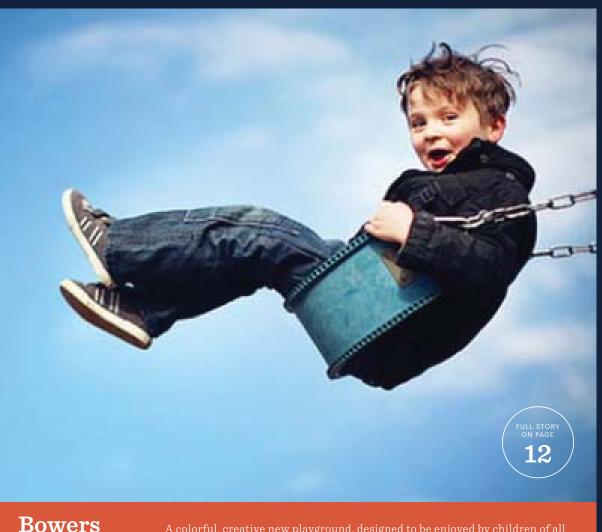


Santa Clara Senior Center 1303 Fremont St. (at Monroe) Monday-Thursday: 7 a.m.-7 p.m. Friday: 7 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday: 9 a.m.-noon Sunday: closed



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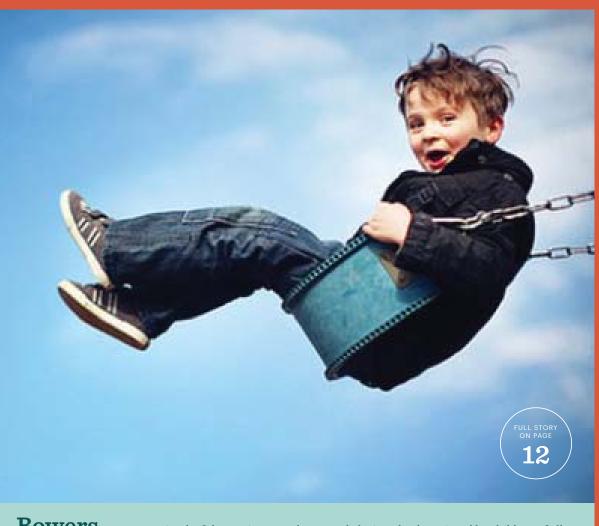
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# Places To Go, Things To Do

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## LIBRARYPALOOZA

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### **FARMERS MARKET**

Every Saturday

Buy seasonal fresh fruits and vegetables from local growers at the Downtown Santa Clara Farmers Market, held 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. on Jackson Street between Homestead Road and Benton St.

## REMEMBERANCE LANTERN

Saturday, Jan. 11

Adults and children ages 10+ will learn how to create a lantern that celebrates and remembers loved ones. 1-4 p.m. at Triton Museum of Art, 1505 Warburton Ave

## KETOGENIC DIETS AND INTERMITTENT FASTING: FADS, FACTS, FICTION

Thursday, Jan. 16

Dr. Lucia Aronica of the Stanford Prevention Research Center will present a workshop, 7-8pm at Centra Park Library, 2635 Homestead Rd.

## NEW TECHNOLOGIES SHAPING OUR WORLD

Thursday, Feb. 6

This workshop (7-8 p.m. at Central Park Library, 2635 Homestead Rd.) will discuss emerging technologies



# A NEW SONG CHORALE CONCERT

## Friday, May 8

The Santa Clara Chorale and the Santa Clara University Choirs will perform the world premiere of "Kohelet" by Henry Dehlinger at 8 p.m. at Mission Santa Clara, 500 El Camino Real. For information, visit SCC org

### **FARMERS MARKET**

Every Saturday

Buy seasonal fresh fruits and vegetables from local growers at the Downtown Santa Clara Farmers Market held 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. on Jackson Street between Homestead Road and Benton.

## REMEMBERANCE LANTERN

Saturday, Jan. 11

Adults and children ages 10+ will learn how to create a lantern that celebrates and remembers loved ones. 1-4 p.m. at Triton Museum of Art, 1505 Warburton Ave.

## KETOGENIC DIETS AND INTERMITTENT FASTING: FADS, FACTS, FICTION

Thursday, Jan. 16

Dr. Lucia Aronica of the Stanford Prevention Research Center will present a workshop, 7-8pm at Central Park Library, This workshop (7-8 p.m. at 2635 Homestead Rd.) will discuss emerging technologies including the Internet of Things

## MEET THE NEW TECHNOLOGIES SHAPING OUR WORLD

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## LIBRARYPALOOZA

Thursday, Feb. 6

A Mardi Gras theme has been selected for this annual event at Central Park Library, 2635 Homestead Rd., that raises funds to support Santa Clara City Library.

## DRINKING HABITS PLAY

Thursday, Feb. 6

A comedy by Tom Smith will be performed at the Players Theatre, 1750 Don Ave. For performance times and ticket information, visit SCPlayers.org.

