



Office of the City Manager

September 24, 2024

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Paul Buddenhagen, City Manager

Re: Parks Recreation and Waterfront Department (PRW) Fall Special Events and Capital Improvement Project (CIP) Meeting Calendar

The fall season is a particularly active period for Parks, Recreation and Waterfront, with a high volume of special events and public process meetings related to Capital Improvement Program (CIP) projects. Over the next three months, a total of 35 recreation and parks-related events are scheduled, along with 10 CIP meetings, which are highlighted in purple. Among these events, there are 9 volunteer opportunities focused on park improvements (highlighted in green), 7 Halloween-themed events, 4 "Walk and Talk" sessions with City staff, and 2 adult comedy shows. Additionally, community favorites such as the Harvest Festival and Haunted House will take place. Further details regarding these events and public meetings can be found on the City of Berkeley website at <https://berkeleyca.gov/community-recreation/events>.

Date	Day	Time	Event	Location
9/20	Fri	6pm	Teen Silent Disco Dance Party	MLK Jr. YAP Center
9/21	Sat	9am-12pm	California Coastal Cleanup Day	Shorebird Park
9/21	Sat	9am	Monterey-Posen Garden Volunteer Day	Monterey/Posen
9/26	Thurs	6-7pm	MLK Jr. YAP Center Open House	MLK Jr. YAP Center
9/27	Friday	7:15pm	Movie in the Park: <i>Kung Fu Panda 4</i>	Codornices Park
9/28	Sat	5-7pm	Nature Center Open House	Shorebird Center
9/28	Sat	7:15pm	Movie in the Park: <i>Disney Nature Bears</i>	Shorebird Park
9/30	Mon	6:30-8pm	Waterfront Specific Plan Meeting	Virtual
10/2	Tues	4:30pm	Aquatic Park Stakeholders Meeting	Virtual
10/3	Wed	11am	Berkeley Marina Lien Sale	201 University
10/3	Thurs	6-7pm	Live Oak Community Center Open House	Live Oak Center
10/4	Fri	6-8pm	Outdoor Bingo Night	Frances Albrier Center
10/5	Sat	9am-12pm	Tree Planting: Volunteer Day	South Cove Area
10/5	Sat	9am	John Hinkel Park Garden Volunteer Day	John Hinkel Park
10/5	Sat	2:30-4:30pm	Aquatics Open House	West Campus Pool
10/8	Tues	6pm	Aquatic Park Dreamland Area CIP Meeting	Virtual
10/10	Thurs	6-7pm	South Adeline Landscaping CIP Meeting	Virtual
10/10	Thurs	6-7pm	James Kenney Community Center Open House	James Kenney Center
10/11	Fri	7:30pm	Live Oak Laughs- Comedy Show	Live Oak Center
10/12	Sat	9am	Dog Park All Crew/Volunteer Day	Ohlone Dog Park
10/18	Fri	11am-12:30pm	Waterfront Walk & Talk with Ali Endress	Meet: Doubletree Patio
10/19	Sat	11am-4pm	Harvest Festival	Cedar Rose Park
10/19	Sat	4pm	Tom Bates Tour with Nelson Lam	Meet: Tom Bates Ramp

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10/21	Mon	5:30pm	Ohlone Play Structure, Restroom CIP Meeting	Virtual
10/23	Wed	9am-12pm	Tree Planting Volunteer Day	Indian Rock Park
10/23	Wed	6pm	Aquatic Park with Tour with Nelson Lam	Meet: AP Animal Shelt.
10/24	Thurs	6-8pm	Halloween Boogie Woogie Skate Night	Grove Park
10/25	Fri	11am-12:30pm	Waterfront Walk & Talk with Ali Endress	Meet: South Cove Rest.
10/25	Fri	7-9:30pm	Halloween Skate Jam	Berkeley Skate Park
10/26	Sat	9am	Native Pollinator Garden Volunteer Day	Grove Park
10/26	Sat	10-12 noon	Halloween Howl Dog Parade/Costume Contest	James Kenney Center
10/26	Sat	10- 6pm	Floating Pumpkin Patch	West Campus Pool
10/30	Wed	4-6pm	Not So Scary Spooky Room	Live Oak Center
10/30	Wed	6pm	Cesar Chavez Restroom/Pathways CIP Meeting	Virtual
10/31	Thurs	4-6pm	Halloween Parade	San Pablo Park
10/31	Thurs	6-9:30pm	Haunted House	MLK Jr. YAP Center
11/2	Sat	10am	Bolivar Project Ribbon Cutting/Tree Planting	Aquatic Park
11/6	Thurs	6pm	South Cove Seawall/Dredging CIP Meeting	Virtual
11/7	Thurs	6pm-8pm	Cedar Rose Park Playground CIP Meeting	Virtual
11/9	Sat	10-noon	Pollinator Garden Volunteer Event	James Kenney Picnic
12/6	Fri	7:30pm	Live Oak Laughs Comedy Show	Live Oak Center
12/7	Sat	10am-1pm	Winter Tots Carnival	Frances Albrier Center
12/13	Fri	6-8pm	Ginger Bread House Decoration Party	Live Oak Center

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