

The HAYES VALLEY Voice

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Neighborhood Emergency Response Training for Western Addition Begins Jan. 18th



Members of the San Francisco community with SFFD during a NERT class. NERT is a registered, FEMA compliant Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) program.

Neighborhood Emergency Response Team (NERT) is a free training program for individuals, neighborhood groups, and community-based organizations in San Francisco. Through the program, individuals will learn the basics of personal preparedness and prevention. Classes will be held one night a week for 6 weeks beginning Wednesday, January 18th. Class topics include risk awareness, disaster supplies, personal and family disaster planning, light search and rescue, disaster medicine, terrorism awareness, disaster pre-planning. The classes are intended to build knowledge and preparedness for the community one block at a time.

The full NERT training consists of six class sessions that are approximately three hours each. NERT Training is free to anyone who lives or works in San Francisco. Visit

Note: It is important for new participants to attend all sessions to gain the full benefit of the training. Enrollment must begin by the 2nd class session to participate. Make-up classes must be completed within 6 months of beginning NERT training.

Visit <https://goo.gl/BXGp6W> to sign up.

Public Safety Update

By Bob Barnwell

At the December 5 Public Safety Meeting Northern Police Station provided some good news on several fronts. In November 8 new officers from the recently graduated police academy were added to Northern Station. In December 10 more were added. That is a 15% increase in the number of officers assigned to Northern Station. For several weeks in late November and early December there was a spike in street robberies including muggings in the Northern Police District. On December 4 there were 3-4 of these crimes within blocks of Northern Station. The police were able to identify the suspect car and stopped it and arrested several suspects. The car was filled with stolen goods. Good work Northern Station in stopping some of these serial robbers.

Join or Re-new as a Member of HVNA Today!

HVNA Membership Form

Join Hayes Valley Neighborhood Association. Just return your completed form with a personal check made payable to **Hayes Valley Neighborhood Association**. You can also join online at www.hayesvalleysf.org.

Your information:

Name(s): _____

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email (for HVNA mailing use only): _____

Membership Levels:

Please check the appropriate membership category:

- **Voting Member: Must reside within the association's boundaries**, or own property or a business within the association's boundaries (*see map*)

- **Associate Member: Members residing outside the association's boundaries**

I am a: Returning Member New Member

- Limited Income \$15
- Individual \$25
- Families/Dual Members \$35
- Sponsor \$100
- Benefactor \$250
- Business \$100
- Small Non-Profit \$50



Return to:

Hayes Valley Neighborhood Association
400 Grove Street
Suite #3
San Francisco, CA 94102

JANUARY

Monday, January 9
7:00pm: Public Safety Meeting
Korean American Center 745 Buchanan

Thursday, January 12
SOUVLA re-opens!
517 Hayes Street

Wednesday, January 18
6:30pm: NERT training begins
African American Art Culture Complex
Fulton near Webster

Friday, January 20
Inauguration Day
1:15-5:15pm: afternoon of just sitting
SF Zen Center 300 Page St.

Thursday, January 26
7:00pm: HVNA membership mtg
Friends of the Urban Forest tree
planting in Hayes Valley and
CleanPowerSF to present
Hayes Valley Clubhouse
at the Playground
Hayes & Buchanan

FEBRUARY

Thursday, February 2
6-7:30pm: Transforming
Depression & Anxiety
Weekly Practice Class
SF Zen Center 308 Page St.

Monday, February 4
7:00pm: Return of Silly Pink
Bunny: BRONZED
Details to follow online!

Wednesday February 22
6:30pm: NERT training concludes
African American Art Culture Complex
Fulton near Webster

Thursday, February 23
7:00pm: HVNA membership mtg
Hayes Valley Clubhouse
at the Playground
Hayes & Buchanan

Support HVNA Business Members

Please patronize the following business and institutional members of our community!

470 Grove Street
Homeowners Association
1700 Market Street, LLC
Absinthe Brasserie & Bar
African - American Art and Culture Complex
African - American Shakespeare Company
Afrosolo
AgeSong Senior Communities
Arlequin Café
Arlequin Wine Merchants
Azalea Boutique
Baiano Pizzeria
Biergarten
Blue Bottle Coffee
Boxing Room
Don Fisher Boys & Girls Club
Brass Tacks
Brilliant Corners (West Bay Housing / Octavia Court)
BUILD Inc.
BUILD Public
Café La Vie
Cathedral Hill Neighbors Association
Chez Maman West
Church of the Advent of Christ the King
Compass Family Services
DDG
DM Development Partners LLC
Domport Auto Body, LLC
Edwardian Hotel
Electric Bike Superstore LLC
Fig and Thistle
First Baptist Church of SF
French American International School
Golden Gate Urgent Care
The Green Arcade
Hayes Valley Art Works
Hayes Valley Inn
Hayes Valley Medical & Esthetics
Headlights
Jews for Jesus
Kit and Ace
LGBT Community Center
Diane Levin, Realtor
Linden Hayes Owners Assoc.
Linus Bike San Francisco
Lucid Beauty
Lux SF
Magic Zone
McRoskey Mattress Co.
Miette Confiserie

Nabila's Health Foods
National Center for International Schools
Nearlist
Neighborhood Baptist Church
New Seasons Market
Coming to 555 Fulton
Nick's Market
Nurun
O'Grady Plumbing
One Medical Group
Openhouse
Papito West
The Parsonage Bed and Breakfast Inn
Pearl Investment Company
Progress Foundation
Proxy
PUBLIC Bikes
Raxakoul SF Wine & Cheese
Red Bridge Internet
Charles W. Roth, CPA
SFJAZZ
Sagan Piechota Architecture
Salon de Bar
San Francisco Ballet
San Francisco Bicycle Coalition
San Francisco Conservatory of Music
San Francisco Opera
San Francisco Public Press
San Francisco Symphony
San Francisco Zen Center
Seesaw
Success Center SF
Tatyana Shtyrkova CPA/CFF
Shute, Mihaly and Weinberger. LLP
Souvla
Sara C. Stephens, RN
Consult and Advocacy
Streets of San Francisco
Bike Tours and Rentals
Suppenküche
Taylor Commercial Interiors
Through the Hayes Optometry
Christine Tour - Sarkissian, Esq.
Trumark Urban
Two Sisters Bar and Books
Underglass Custom Framing
Urban Air Market
Law Office of Doron Weinberg
Warby Parker
Western Addition Beacon Center
ZERODB Global
Zen Hospice Project

Names in bold type indicate members at the Benefactor level. Thank you!

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENT

**Hayes Valley Community Garden
155 Laguna St. at Alchemy by Alta**

Alchemy's Community Garden interest list will close January 15, 2017 with an estimated lottery date of February 1, 2017.

- Any resident of San Francisco is eligible to apply for a plot.
- There will be approximately 56, 4'x4' plots.
- There are handicap accessible plots available.
- Multiple household members can be added to list, but only one plot can be awarded per household.



If you would like to be added to the list for a garden plot, please email your full name, phone number, preferred email address, and zip code to alchemygardensf@gmail.com. You will receive confirmation once added to the list. Future updates will come from the same email address.

A Haiku

Submitted by neighbor, Maxine Grodjinsky

Local inspiration: The traffic island at Market & Gough.
Street charity
A donation to
The panhandler's dog