




## THE CITY OF POMONA

**TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND COUNCILMEMBERS**

**FROM: ANITA D. SCOTT, CITY MANAGER** 

**SUBJECT: CITY MANAGER'S REPORT – Thursday, October 30, 2025**

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### **ADMINISTRATION**

#### **CITY COUNCIL MEETING REMINDERS**

**+ City Council Meeting: Monday, 11/3/2025**

Closed Session 5:30 p.m.  
Meeting: 7:00 p.m.

**+ City Council Meeting: Monday, 11/17/2025**

Closed Session 5:30 p.m.  
Meeting: 7:00 p.m.

All public meeting agendas are posted on our [website](#).

#### **YARD SALE WEEKEND: NOVEMBER 7<sup>TH</sup> – NOVEMBER 9<sup>TH</sup>**

It's true—one person's trash really can be another's treasure! Get ready for yard sale weekend in the City of Pomona, happening this Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

Yard sales are permitted on the first full weekend (Friday through Sunday) of February, May, August, and November. Reminder: posting signs on public property such as telephone poles, streetlights, traffic signs, or City trees is not allowed. Visit our [website](#) for more information.

### **CITY CLERK**

#### **BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, COMMITTEES - UPCOMING MEETINGS**

- November 5, 2025 Historic Preservation Commission

#### **COMMISSIONER/COMMITTEE VACANCIES**

The City of Pomona now uses an electronic submission process for applications!

If interested in applying, go to [NetFile | Authority | Boards and Commissions](#) to make an account, then select the body you're interested in serving and click on "Apply for this board." Applications are kept on file for one year from the date of submission. For more information, please visit the Boards, Commissions, and Committees [webpage](#).

#### **Current Vacancies:**

Board of Library Trustees – 1 Vacancy  
Police Oversight Commission – 1 Vacancy

## ***COMMUNITY SERVICES***

### **POMONA'S 10<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL HAUNTED HOUSE A BIG SUCCESS**

The 10<sup>th</sup> annual Haunted House at Palomares Park, held on October 24 and 25, was a spooktacular success. Despite competing with the World Series, Community Services welcomed more than 4,000 attendees between both nights. This year's *Monster Mash*-themed haunted house brought legendary monsters to life, thrilling hundreds of visitors eager to face creepy encounters and chilling surprises. The family-friendly area featured trunk-or-treating, costume contests, face painting, music, games, and crafts for younger children. Teens joined in the fun with photo ops, games, and bracelet making. Additional highlights included a live musical performer, a skate jam, inflatables, and a variety of food trucks. A huge thank you to City staff, 130 volunteers and 18 community partners for support, which made this event an incredible success. Community partners included:

CalPoly Pomona University

City Departments: Administration, Information & Technology, Library, Office of Violence Prevention, Pomona Police, Public Works, and Water Resource

Costco

Day One

Downtown Pomona District/DPOA

God's Pantry

Inland Valley Humane Society

Latino/Latina Round Table

Pomona Girl Scouts

Pomona Host Lions

Pomona Valley Hospital

Pomona Unified School District

Project Horseshoe

Ted Greene Little League

The CLUB

The Common Good LA

Tri-City Mental Health Services

Walmart



## **HALLOWEEN CRAFT WITH PROJECT HORSESHOE**

Project Horseshoe visited Palomares Park Community Center and led a fun craft activity. Project Horseshoe is a nonprofit organization dedicated to building on the strengths of local communities. College graduates volunteer their service in support of vulnerable communities and visit Palomares Park every Tuesday from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and provide FREE activities, exercises, and crafts to seniors. For more information, please call 909-620-2324.



## **MONDAY NIGHT DANCE**

Join us for a *Hollywood Night*-themed dance on Monday, November 17, 2025 from 5:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. at Washington Park Community Center. Enjoy a star-worthy evening with music, dancing, light refreshments, and fun photo opportunities. Embrace the theme with flowy, elegant, and sparkling attire. Admission is FREE for Pomona residents and \$4 for non-residents at the door. Registration is required, as space is limited. To register or to request more information, please call (909) 620-2324. Mark your calendars for a *Winter Wonderland* dance on Monday, December 15, 2025 at Palomares Park Community Center.

## **CULTURAL ARTS**

### **CHALK ART FESTIVAL – PARTICIPANT AND VOLUNTEER SIGN UP**



Chalk Art Festival information has been posted to our website – [www.pomonaca.gov/culturalarts](http://www.pomonaca.gov/culturalarts)

**You can find all the details about participation signups, volunteer signups, and a comprehensive document about the event on our website.**

More information will be released throughout the City’s social media pages.

**Deadline to Signup: THIS FRIDAY! October 31, 2025!**

If you do not make the deadline to sign up, you are welcome to come the morning of the event to check if there’s space to join. There will be other activities and performances to enjoy!

**Please check your e-mail for confirmation of volunteering and participation!**

For additional information, support OR if you would like to sign up in-person please contact the City of Pomona’s Office of Economic & Business Affairs by emailing [PublicArt@pomonaca.gov](mailto:PublicArt@pomonaca.gov), calling (909) 620-2253 or coming by City Hall from, Mon-Thur., 8 a.m. – 6 p.m.

Para información en Español llame (909) 620-3634.

**ACTION PLAN – COMMUNITY FEEDBACK FORM**

The Cultural Arts Commission’s current Action Plan 2020-2025 is coming to an end, and we want your feedback on ideas for the next one! This Action Plan aims to serve as a community roadmap for how the City should invest in Public Art. While we want to hear from as many community members as possible, we also want to share that the purpose of this feedback form is to identify needs and encourage ideas that support the growth of a sustainable and meaningful Public Art program for our community.



You can read through the current Action Plan here: [LINK](#)

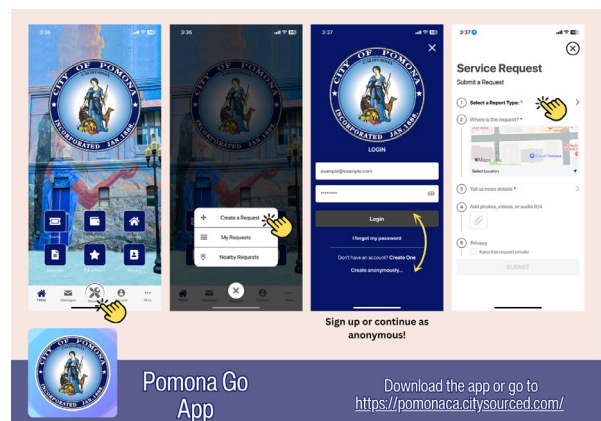
**ACTIVE ARTWORK PROJECTS**

In 2024, there were several approved art projects by the Cultural Arts Commission that are projected to be completed this year! Check out the list below to see where—

PROJECT	ARTIST	TYPE	LOCATION	STATUS
Open Call 2024	Dave Young Kim	Mural	436 W. 4 <sup>th</sup> Street, Pomona, CA 91766	FALL 2025
Open Call 2024	Carly Lake	Mural	1500 Gillette Rd., Pomona, CA 91768	FALL 2025

**ARTWORK PRESERVATION**

The City’s art collection requires ongoing preservation efforts, and we are continuously working to implement the most sustainable, effective, and efficient care strategies. We sincerely appreciate the staff and residents who have reported instances of vandalism or deterioration in our public artworks—your efforts help us ensure the longevity and integrity of the collection.



If you notice issues with public art, please don't hesitate to contact us at [PublicArt@pomonaca.gov](mailto:PublicArt@pomonaca.gov) with a photo and the location, or use the [Pomona Go app!](#) This all-in-one app allows you to easily report a variety of City-related concerns, including those about public art. You can access the app here: [Pomona Go | Pomona, CA \(pomonaca.gov\)](#).

Note: If you've submitted a mural not listed here, please wait for the following week to see its status here. Be sure to utilize the [Pomona Go App](#) or e-mail us at [PublicArt@pomonaca.gov](mailto:PublicArt@pomonaca.gov)!

TYPE	LOCATION	STATUS
1 Mural (Restroom Building)	Philadelphia Park	OPENED
5 Murals (Back Wall)	Cesar Chavez Park	OPENED
1 Mural (Restroom Building)	Kellogg Park	OPENED

## ***LIBRARY***

### **DIA DE LOS MUERTOS CELEBRATION**

Join the Library and Pomona Police Department on Wednesday November 5<sup>th</sup> from 3 p.m. – 5 p.m. for our *Dia de los Muertos* celebration as we remember those who have passed on. Add your loved one's name to the Tree of Life and create a clay keepsake with our friends from AMOCA (American Museum of Ceramic Art). Enjoy pan de muerto and Mexican hot chocolate, take a photo in our photo booth, and dance along to the Mariachi performance at 4:00 p.m. There is no cost to attend this family friendly event, and items are available while supplies last. Thank you to the Friends of the Pomona Public Library for sponsoring the musical performance and refreshments. Thank you to AMOCA for sponsoring the craft. Contact the Library for more details at **909-620-2043** or [library@pomonaca.gov](mailto:library@pomonaca.gov)



## ***HUMAN RESOURCES***

### **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

Are you interested in pursuing a career in local government? If so, the City of Pomona is an excellent option to consider! The City offers a generous benefits package that includes medical, dental, life, and disability insurance, vacation leave, paid holidays, and retirement benefits. Please browse our [current job openings](#) to see if a position is right for you. If you need assistance locating your ideal job, please fill out a "Job Interest Card." You will receive automated email notifications for job openings that match your preferred job categories within the City of Pomona. Don't hesitate to [apply today!](#)

<b>Job Title</b>	<b>Job Type</b>	<b>Salary</b>	<b>Filing Date</b>
Community Services Officer I <b>Closing Soon!</b>	Full-Time	\$4,272.00 - \$5,195.00 monthly	11/02/25
Community Services Specialist III - Youth Sports	Part-Time	\$24.84 - \$24.84 hourly	11/16/25
Jailer (Female Applicants Only)	Full-Time	\$4,957.00 - \$6,024.00 monthly	11/16/25
Lateral Police Officer	Full-Time	\$7,964.00 - \$9,723.00 monthly	12/31/25
Maintenance Worker II - OATH	Part-Time	\$23.60 - \$39.06 hourly	11/23/25
Police Officer Recruit	Full-Time	\$7,172.00/Month	11/30/25
Water Utility Crew Leader - Production	Full-Time	\$6,342.00 - \$7,710.00 monthly	Continuous

## ***POLICE***

### **COPS4KIDS ACADEMY DAY**

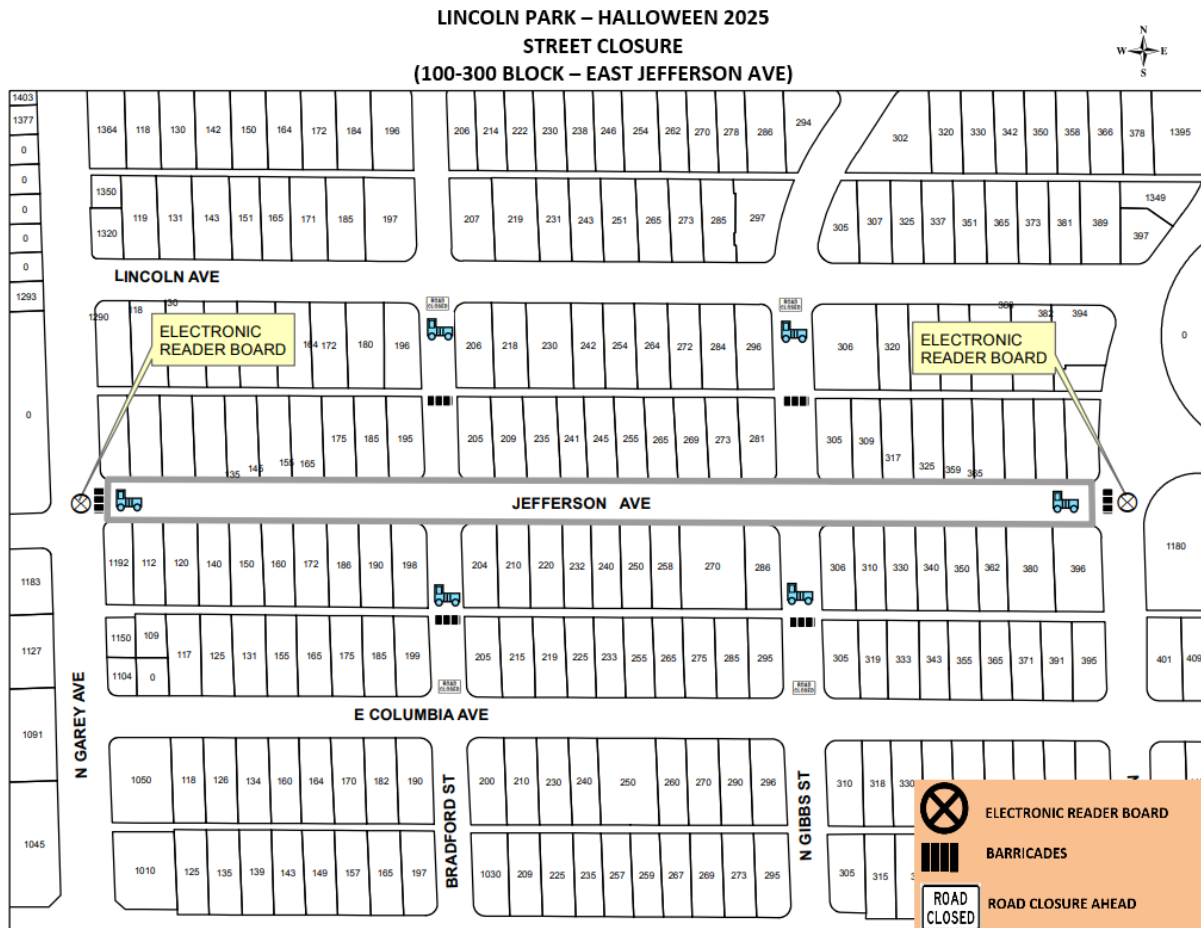
On Saturday, October 25<sup>th</sup> the Junior Cadets for the *Cops 4 Kids* program at Roosevelt Elementary participated in their Academy Day. This is an opportunity for our Junior Cadets to showcase what they have learned from the program. During the event, Junior Cadets are asked to take a written exam on the lessons they have taken during the program. They are also required to take a physical agility test to see if they have improved their overall physical fitness. Junior cadets are put through a series of obstacle courses and relay races to continue building their ability to work well with others. This not only helps build confidence, but it also gives the Junior Cadet a sense of accomplishment. Academy Day concluded with presentations from our SWAT, K-9 Unit, Unmanned Aerial Unit, and the Fire Department. The goal of Academy Day is to instill a positive self-image in the Junior Cadets while building successful interpersonal skills which will encourage the cadets to make positive choices in life. Junior Cadets will carry these memories for a lifetime.



# PUBLIC WORKS

## HALLOWEEN STREET CLOSURE – LINCOLN PARK AREA

As the City has done since 2015, Staff will close Jefferson Avenue, from Garey Avenue to Palomares Street, for the Halloween event in the Lincoln Park area. This Halloween celebration has morphed from individuals decorating yards and porches, to an event that draws visitors from the surrounding San Gabriel Valley area. The map below shows the placement of City trucks, barricades, and three electronic message boards. The City's electronic message board will read "Special Event – Jefferson Closed." The two additional message boards on Palomares – one south of Garfield and one north of Alvarado – will read "Special Event – Heavy Traffic." Additionally, "Temporary No Parking" signs will be posted beginning **Wednesday, October 29<sup>th</sup>**, reminding residents that parking will not be allowed on **Friday, October 31<sup>st</sup>**, from **4:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.** – well in advance of the event. We appreciate everyone's cooperation in helping make this Halloween a safe and magical evening for all the little goblins, superheroes, and fairytale folk who visit our neighborhood. Have a hauntingly good time!

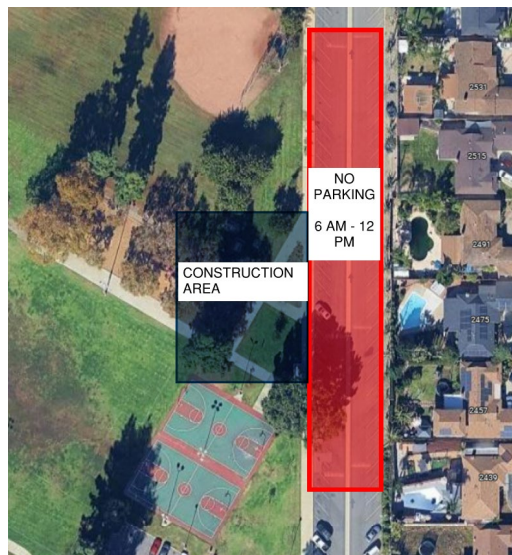


## **RESTROOM TO BE INSTALLED AT PALOMARES PARK**

Palomares Park is getting new restrooms! This project is funded with American Rescue Plan funds and CIP Project fund reserves. Construction for the new restrooms has begun and is anticipated to be completed by Spring 2026.



A portion of Palomares Park will be closed tentatively on Thursday, November 6<sup>th</sup>, while we crane in the new prefabricated restroom building.



**Construction and No Parking Area**

The Palomares Park restroom renovation includes new restroom construction close to the soccer field and basketball court. Some spaces within the park will be closed during construction and parking access will also be limited. The Community Center, sports courts, and current restroom facility will remain open for the community during construction.

We apologize for the inconvenience and thank you for your patience as we work to improve our parks. Once restroom renovations are complete, the improvements will be well worth the wait and will enhance the overall experience for everyone!

## **ATTACHMENT**

1. Upcoming Pomona Events

## 2025-UPCOMING POMONA COMMUNITY EVENTS

Date	Event	Time	Details	Location
<b>Housing Rights Center Daily Events</b>	Housing Rights Workshop, Clinics and Live Q&A	Various	Visit their Facebook page for more info.	<a href="https://facebook.com/HousingRightsCenter">facebook.com/HousingRightsCenter</a>
<b>Patria Church</b>	Generosity Center (Food Pantry)	2nd & 4th Saturday 8:30 a.m. – 12 p.m. While supplies last	Patria Church is opening their Generosity Center	490 E La Verne Ave.
<b>Pomona Community Wellness Center</b>	Free Produce Distribution	Every 2nd Wednesday 12 p.m. – 2 p.m.	Come and get your fresh produce, while supplies last.	750 S Park Ave.
<b>Pomona Community Wellness Center</b>	<a href="#">Pomona Wellness Community (PWC) Events and Programs</a>	-----	Take advantage of wellness and nutrition classes offered by the Pomona Wellness Community	<a href="#">More info here.</a>
<b>For the Love of Giving</b>	Basic Essentials Distribution	Last Wednesday of the month 2 p.m. – 4 p.m.	Distribute household items like diapers, cleaning products and toiletries.	Alliance Community Cultural Center 406 W 2nd St.
<a href="#">LA Care Health Plan</a>	Free Food Pantry	Last Friday of the month 12 p.m. – 4 p.m.	In partnership with God's Pantry, distribution of free grocery items on a first come, first served basis. Free groceries, Free resources, everyone is welcome.	Pomona Community Wellness Center 696 W Holt Ave
<b>Lopez Urban Farm</b>	<a href="#">Pay-What-You-Can Take-What-You-Need</a>	6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	Market night Wednesdays, Harvest Day Saturdays, and Bodega open daily.	1034 W Mission Blvd.
<b>AMOCA</b>	<a href="#">First Friday Pay-what-you-can</a>	First Friday of the month 11 a.m. – 4 p.m.	Thanks to generous support from AMOCA's Board of Directors, Museum admission for First Fridays at AMOCA is pay what you can (while tickets last). Each month, visit the Museum and choose your own ticket prices!	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave.
<b>AMOCA</b>	<a href="#">Second Saturdays</a> Docent Led Exhibition Tours	Second Saturday of the month 2 p.m. – 3 p.m.	AMOCA's docents offer a guided look into one of their <a href="#">current exhibitions</a> . Second Saturday tours are free with museum admission. Docent-led tours are a great opportunity to explore the exhibition and gain insights into AMOCA's collection and galleries. Don't miss your chance to go behind the scenes and learn about the artworks on view at the museum!	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave.
<b>Tri-City Mental Health Services</b>	Father's Group	3rd Thursday of the month 6:30 p.m. – 8 p.m.	Hang out and connect with other parents while watching live sports games and popular movies.	Tri-City Wellness Center 1403 N Garey Ave.
<b>Tri-City Mental Health Services</b>	Baby & Me	Every Wednesday 6 p.m. – 7 p.m.	A support group for parents and their children to improve bonding and foster social skills through fun and interactive activities. Come have fun and explore with your child, ages 2-4. Please wear comfortable shoes.	Tri-City Wellness Center 1403 N Garey Ave.
<b>Tri-City Mental Health Services</b>	Autism Empowerment Connection	Every Wednesday 3 p.m. – 4 p.m.	A safe, friendly and inclusive support group for youth and your adults on the autism spectrum. Ages 16-25	Tri-City Wellness Center 1403 N Garey Ave.
<b>Tri-City Wednesday/Thursday</b>	Virtual Gardening	Various	Join TCG/ Tri-City to practice mindfulness. Learn how gardening and nature can have a positive impact on mental health and wellness.	Contact (909) 623-6131 to <a href="#">learn how to participate</a>
<a href="#">Community Resource</a>	Free In Person Fitness	-----	Exercise (Yoga, Zumba, etc.), Nutrition and Healthy	View calendar <a href="#">here</a>

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<a href="#">Center</a>			Cooking, Health Education, and Children's Classes.	
<b>Pomona Chamber of Commerce</b>	Networking at Noon	2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Join Pomona Chamber to learn about the latest trends and community happenings.	Los Primos Tacos #1
<b>Pomona Chamber of Commerce</b>	Coffee Connections	Last Friday of the month 9 a.m. – 12:30 a.m.	Pomona Chamber of Commerce invites you to come out and grab a cup of coffee and join in networking with businesses and community leaders	1013 San Bernardino Ave.
<b>DPOA</b>	Shop Downtown Pomona	1 <sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month 5 p.m. – 9 p.m.	A day to support and explore local shops featuring special promotions and activities throughout downtown.	Downtown Pomona 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street
<b>DPOA</b>	<a href="#">Downtown Pomona Artwalk</a>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month 5 p.m. – 10 p.m.	A showcase of artists with art displays, are-gallery openings, craft vendors and live entertainment.	119 W 2 <sup>nd</sup> St.
<b>DPOA</b>	<a href="#">909 Open Market</a>	3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month 5 p.m. – 9 p.m.	A night food market featuring various local food vendors and live entertainment.	Downtown Pomona 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street
<b>DPOA</b>	Walk the Beat in Downtown Pomona	4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month 5 p.m. – 9 p.m.	A music-focused event with live performance, artwork, and vinyl and cassette trading.	Downtown Pomona 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street
<b>County of LA Public Health</b>	<a href="#">Chat &amp; Connect with a Nurse</a>	4 <sup>th</sup> Tuesdays of the month 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.	Ask your questions about health & services and get connected with the resources you need to live a healthy life!	<a href="#">Pomona Wellness Community</a>
<b>PCS Family Services</b>	Youth Anger Management	Tues/ Thurs 5 p.m. – 6 p.m.	Classes are free. Help with triggers and cues, learn anger reductions techniques and much more! More information 909-620-0688	Zoom Classes
<b>Pomona Valley Certified Farmers Market</b>	Pomona Farmers Market	Every Saturday 8 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Farmers & Crafters Market with a big heart. Come support small businesses. Lots of vendors, from crafts, produce, tamales, bread, and honey!	Pearl St. & Garey Ave.
<b>Community Services</b>	<a href="#">Senior Social</a>	Tuesdays 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Crafts, activities, exercise and fun!	Washington & Palomares Park Senior Center
<b>Community Services</b>	<a href="#">Senior Activities – Bingo</a>	Tuesdays & Thursdays 11 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Senior Activities – Bingo	Washington & Palomares Community Center
<b>Community Services</b>	Lawn Bowling	Mondays & Wednesdays 10 a.m.	Pomona Lawn Bowling Club	451 E Arrow Hwy.
<b>AMCOA</b>	<a href="#">Fall Clay Classes</a>	October – November 2025 Days & times vary, \$350	Develop your ceramic skill with a 6-week clay class! This fall, AMOCA is offering beginning and intermediate wheel throwing and beginning hand building classes for adults; classes meet once a week for 2.5 hours and access to open studio hours is included for the duration of the class.	AMOCA
The dA Center for the Arts	PUSD Family Friday Art Night	Every 1st, 2nd and 3rd Friday of the Month during the school year from 6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	The dA Center for the Arts invites PUSD Families to connect and create in a safe and supported space. The dA offers engaging activities for you to enjoy at your own pace and they serve food and refreshments to make your Fridays easy for parents and caregivers. <a href="#">SIGNUP</a>	The dA Center for the Arts 252 D South Main Street Pomona, CA 91766
Thursday, October 30	80th UN Birthday Celebration	6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	Celebrate the United Nations' 80th Birthday. Join UNA of	170 E. 6th Street Edmunds

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	<a href="#">Greenhouse Warming Unmasked</a>		Pomona Valley, and partners for an International Banquet. Learn of The UN's Sustainable Development Goals and enjoy Live Entertainment. <a href="#">Reservations Required.</a>	Ballroom at Smith Campus Center, Pomona College Claremont
Saturday, November 1	<a href="#">Kindness Festival</a>	2 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.	Join your neighbors for a joyful day of kindness, connection and celebration! Live music, games and prizes.	Shaun Diamond Plaza
Saturday, November 1	Dia de Muertos 2025	TBD	Latino and Latina Roundtable will be hosting this event. More details to follow.	Lopez Urban Farm
Sunday, November 2	Palomares Adobe Tours	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and tour the larger second adobe home of the Palomares Family in the Rancho San Jose! Tickets must be <a href="#">purchased online</a> before the day of the event, \$5.	491 E Arrow Hwy.
Monday, November 3	City Council Meeting	7 p.m.	Regular City Council Meeting. Read the agenda <a href="#">here</a> . Watch on Spectrum/FIOS Ch. 29 and at <a href="#">Pomona Live Streaming</a> .	City Council Chambers
Thursday, November 6	Día de Los Muertos	-----	This event is designed to foster community connection, showcase local talent, and highlight the beauty of Pomona's cultural heritage in the heart of downtown.	The Fox Theater
Friday, November 7	<a href="#">First Friday Pay-what-you-can</a>	11 a.m. – 4 p.m. Slicing scale	Thanks to generous support from AMOCA's Board of Directors, Museum admission for First Fridays at AMOCA is pay what you can. Each month, visit the Museum and choose your own ticket prices!	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave.
Teen Wheel Lab	Teen Wheel Lab	4:30 p.m. – 6 p.m.	Teens ages 12-16 are invited to try their hand at the wheel and learn the steps to make their own pottery. Students will have the option (\$35) to return to the studio later in the month to receive a mini-glaze workshop and fire their work. <a href="#">To learn more and register.</a>	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave.
Saturday, November 8	Coffee & Conversation with State Senator Susan Rubio	10 a.m. – 12 p.m.	State Senator Susan Rubio invites you to a Coffee & Conversation. Receive state legislative updates and share your question and ideas.	Palomares Park Community Center
Saturday, November 8	City's Chalk Art Festival	7 a.m. – 3 p.m.	The City of Pomona's 17th Annual Chalk Art Festival will be hosted in downtown Pomona. It is open and free to the public to attend. If you are interested in participating or volunteering, please go to <a href="http://www.pomonaca.gov/culturalarts">www.pomonaca.gov/culturalarts</a> for more info.	Shaun Diamond Plaza
Saturday, November 8	Docent Tour	3 p.m.	On the second Saturday of each month, AMOCA's docents offer a guided look into one of our current exhibitions. July's tour will focus on Making in Between: Indigenous Americans. Pre-registration is encouraged. <a href="#">To learn more and register.</a>	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave.
Wednesday, November 12	Making in Between	12 p.m. – 1 p.m.	Join AMOCA's for a tour of exhibition (\$15) <a href="#">Making in</a>	American Museum of

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	Exhibition Tour		<a href="#">Between: Indigenous Americans</a> with Exhibitions Manager Pam Aliaga. This tour is complimentary for museum members. <a href="#">Advance registration required.</a>	Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave
Wednesday, November 12	Finding Calm	1 p.m. – 2 p.m.	Join Tri-City for this wellness webinar session that will offer tools to help you take care of yourself and better manage the stress in your life. <a href="#">Register for free.</a>	Webinar
Thursday, November 13	Adverse Childhood Experiences	1 p.m. – 3 p.m.	Join Tri-City for this wellness webinar that will explore how early life experiences - especially stressful or traumatic ones, can impact long-term health and well-being. <a href="#">Register for free.</a>	Webinar
Thursday, November 13	Assemblymember Rodriguez: Drive-Thru Turkey Giveaway	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	Join Assemblymember Rodriguez’s first Thanksgiving Turkey Giveaway. This is a drive-thru event where families can receive free frozen turkeys this season of giving.	Ontario Elks Lodge 1150 W 4 <sup>th</sup> St. Ontario
Thursday, November 13	<a href="#">Pomona State of the City</a>	Doors open at 5 p.m. Event starts at 6 p.m.	Mayor Tim Sandoval invites you to the 2025 State of the City Address	Fox Theater Pomona
Friday, November 14	Member Clay Day	5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Learn the basics of throwing on the potter’s wheel! We’ve set aside some complimentary seats in our hands-on November Introductory Clay Class just for members. Advance registration is required. <a href="#">To learn more and register</a>	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave
Friday, November 14	Introductory Clay Class	7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.	The perfect way to get your hands dirty, relax, and have fun! In this one-hour class (\$75), you'll learn the basics of throwing on the potter's wheel. <a href="#">To learn more and register.</a>	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave
Saturday, November 15	Family Activity: Storytime in the Gallery	11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Join us for storytime in the gallery in partnership with the Pomona Public Library! Children will enjoy a story and complementary age-appropriate art activity while viewing AMOCA’s exhibition <a href="#">Making in Between: Indigenous Americans</a> . <a href="#">Pre-registration is encouraged.</a> (\$0 - \$10)	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave
Sunday, November 16	The Barbara Greenwood Kindergarten	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <a href="#">tour</a> the kindergarten build for the teacher that introduced the idea of kindergarten to American schools! Tickets must be purchased online before the day of the event. \$5	332 W McKinley Ave.
Monday, November 17	City Council Meeting	7 p.m.	Regular City Council Meeting. Read the agenda <a href="#">here</a> . Watch on Spectrum/FIOS Ch. 29 and at <a href="#">Pomona Live Streaming</a> .	City Council Chambers
Tuesday, November 18	<a href="#">Brewing a Better Pomona</a>	5:30 p.m. – 7 p.m.	Come share you thoughts, ask questions and connect over a cup of coffee with Mayor Tim Sandoval, City Manager Anita Scott, ad Police Chief Mike Ellis	The Union 350 N Garey Ave.
Saturday, November 22	Christmas on Columbia Decorating Day	9 a.m. – 4 p.m.	Volunteers needed! Help with fluffing, hanging, designing, lighting, and decorating. Use of small tools like hammers, hooks, tape, and ladders may be needed.	400 Block of W Columbia

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			Continental breakfast, full lunch, and volunteer hours.	
Saturday, November 23	Pomona Youth Orchestra	6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	Conducted by Carlos C. Mares, the Pomona Youth Orchestra will showcase many of its students who are taking part in the Pomona Youth Music Program this school year. They will be performing Christmas in Mexico, a series of Latin American songs arranged for choir and orchestra.	Palomares Park Community Center
Sunday, November 23	Operation Gobble Drive-Thru Turkey & Food Distribution	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	State Senator Susan Rubio is pleased to invite you to join her, along with their community partner God's Pantry, for Operation Gobble.	Pomona Fairplex
Sunday, November 23	Phillips Mansion Tour	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <a href="#">tour</a> the home everyone has been talking about. Built in 1875, with piped gas for heat and lights, the Phillips Mansion was the first red brick building built anywhere near the Pomona Valley! Tickets must be purchased online before the day of the event, \$15.	2640 Pomona Blvd.
Friday, November 28	Black FriGlaze! A Family Workshop	11a.m. – 12:30 p.m. or 1 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Join AMOCA this Black Friday for a family-friendly glaze workshop (\$35), painting and decorating pottery on your choice of prepared bisqued bowls, cups, or plates. AMOCA's family workshops are for all ages and everyone is welcome! <a href="#">Advance registration is required.</a>	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave
Monday, December 1	City Council Meeting	7 p.m.	Regular City Council Meeting. Read the agenda <a href="#">here</a> . Watch on Spectrum/FIOS Ch. 29 and at <a href="#">Pomona Live Streaming</a> .	City Council Chambers
Friday, December 5 – Sunday, December 7	Treasure Sale Weekend	11a a.m. – 4 p.m.	Explore AMOCA's current exhibitions, enjoy docent-led tours, and shop one-of-a-kind finds during our 2025 Treasure Sale Weekend. Admission to the museum during Treasure Sale Weekend is complimentary with <a href="#">advance registration</a> .	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave
Thursday, December 6	La Gran Posada	-----	This event is designed to foster community connection, showcase local talent, and highlight the beauty of Pomona's cultural heritage in the heart of downtown.	The Fox Theater
Saturday, December 6	Christmas on Columbia Kick Off Event/ Toy Drive	p.m. – 9 p.m.	Join your community for a festive kick off to the holidays. Street will be closed from 1 p.m. – 10 p.m. to traffic, due to vendors and entertainment.	400 Block of W Columbia
Sunday, December 7	Palomares Adobe Tours	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and tour the larger second adobe home of the Palomares Family in the Rancho San Jose! Tickets must be <a href="#">purchased online</a> before the day of the event, \$5.	491 E Arrow Hwy.
Tuesday, December 9	Understanding Compassion Fatigue	1 p.m. – 2 p.m.	Join Tri-City for this webinar which will help you recognize the signs and learn ways to care for your own	Webinar

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Date	Event	Time	Details	Location
			well-being - so you can keep doing the work that matters most. <a href="#">Register for free.</a>	
Thursday, December 11	Motivational Interviewing (MI)	1 p.m. – 3 p.m.	Join Tri-City for this MI. MI is a proven, guided conversation style that helps people explore their own reasons for making positive changes. <a href="#">Register for free.</a>	Webinar
Saturday, December 14	Holiday at the Plaza	3 p.m. – 9 p.m.	Free holiday crafts, entertainment and holiday cheer for the whole family!	Shaun Diamond Plaza
Monday, December 15	City Council Meeting	7 p.m.	Regular City Council Meeting. Read the agenda <a href="#">here</a> . Watch on Spectrum/FIOS Ch. 29 and at Pomona Live Streaming.	City Council Chambers
Saturday, December 20	Too Toxic to Trash	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	Free household Hazardous Waste and Electronic Waste Drive-Thru Collection Event	Bracket Field Fairplex Drive & W Mckinley Ave.
Sunday, December 21	Casa Primera Tour	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <a href="#">tour</a> the adobe that the Palomares family was living in while they built the larger Palomares Adobe! Tickets must be purchased online before the day of the event, \$5.	1569 N Park Ave.
Sunday, January 4	Palomares Adobe Tours	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and tour the larger second adobe home of the Palomares Family in the Rancho San Jose! Tickets must be <a href="#">purchased online</a> before the day of the event, \$5.	491 E Arrow Hwy.
Sunday, January 18	The Barbara Greenwood Kindergarten	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <a href="#">tour</a> the kindergarten build for the teacher that introduced the idea of kindergarten to American schools! Tickets must be purchased online before the day of the event. \$5	332 W McKinley Ave.
Sunday, January 25	Phillips Mansion Tour	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and <a href="#">tour</a> the home everyone has been talking about. Built in 1875, with piped gas for heat and lights, the Phillips Mansion was the first red brick building built anywhere near the Pomona Valley! Tickets must be purchased online before the day of the event, \$15.	2640 Pomona Blvd.