




THE CITY OF POMONA

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND COUNCILMEMBERS

FROM: ANITA D. SCOTT, CITY MANAGER 

SUBJECT: CITY MANAGER'S REPORT – Thursday, November 20, 2025

ADMINISTRATION

CITY COUNCIL MEETING REMINDERS

+ City Council Meeting: Monday, 12/1/2025

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

+ City Council Meeting: Monday, 12/15/2025

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

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

HOLIDAY CLOSURE

City Hall and City Facilities will be closed on Thursday, November 27th in observance of Thanksgiving Day. Regular business hours will resume on Monday, December 1st, at 7:30 a.m.

Street Sweeping: There will be no street sweeping on Thursday, November 27th, or Friday, November 28th.

Trash Collection: There will be no trash collection on Thursday, November 27th. Thursday's collection day will resume on Friday, November 28th. Friday's regular collection day will be Saturday, November 29th.

FREE SANDBAGS

With rain in the forecast, the Public Works Department is providing free sandbags to help residents protect their homes from potential flooding. Free sandbags (pre-filled and self-serve) will be available at multiple locations throughout the week and into the weekend.

Pre-Filled Sandbags (Staffed Distribution)

City crews will be on site at the Monterey City Yard to distribute pre-filled sandbags on the following schedule:

- **Nov. 20–21:** 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
- **After-hours on Nov. 21:** Residents may call the standby line at **909-282-2835** for assistance.

Weekend Availability

- **Nov. 22–23 (Sat & Sun):** Pre-filled sandbags will be available by calling the standby line at **909-282-2835**.

Pickup Location

- **Monterey City Yard**, 636 W. Monterey Ave.
 - **Pomona residents only** (ID or utility bill required)
 - **Limit:** 10 sandbags per household

Self-Serve Sandbag Stations (Unstaffed)

Empty bags will be available **Nov. 20–21 from 6:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.** at the Monterey City Yard or any Pomona Fire Station.

Residents can also access sand at:

- **Washington Park**, 865 E. Grand Ave.
 - Available while supplies last
 - Residents should bring their own shovels, gloves, and extra bags

CITY CLERK

BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, COMMITTEES - UPCOMING MEETINGS

- November 24, 2025 Cultural Arts Commission
- November 25, 2025 Community Life Commission
- November 26, 2025 Planning Commission - CANCELLED
- November 27, 2025 Ethics Commission - CANCELLED

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

Community Life Commission – 1 Vacancy

Police Oversight Commission – 1 Vacancy

COMMUNITY SERVICES

YOUTH ORCHESTRA PERFORMS HOLIDAY MUSICAL

Please join us on Saturday, November 22, 2025, from 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. at Palomares Park Community Center for a special holiday performance. *The Pomona Youth Orchestra* and many students participating in the Youth Music Program will perform *Christmas in Mexico*, a series of Latin American songs arranged for choir and orchestra. Conducted by Carlos C. Mares, the Youth Orchestra is an instrumental and vocal ensemble with an emphasis on popular music from Latin America. The vision of the *Pomona Youth Orchestra* is to become a symphonic ensemble that incorporates the diverse talents of our community.

LIGHTING CEREMONY AT CIVIC CENTER PLAZA

On Monday, December 1, 2025, join us as we light up Civic Center Plaza this holiday season. This FREE event begins at 6:30 p.m. and will feature musical performances

from local high schools, photo opportunities, and complimentary cookies, hot chocolate, and apple cider. The Holiday Lighting Ceremony is at 7:00 p.m.

HOLIDAY AT THE PLAZA

Save the date! Join us for holiday cheer on Saturday, December 13, 2025 at Shaun Diamond Plaza, 197 W. Second Street, from 3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. There will be family-friendly activities, holiday music, arts and crafts, photo opportunities with Santa, and snow sledding. The Christmas Parade, hosted by Downtown Pomona District will showcase marching bands, floats, and parade entries from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

YOUTH & GOVERNMENT ATTEND A 4-DAY COALITION CONFERENCE

The City and the YMCA of Orange County have partnered to offer high school students a unique and impactful learning opportunity through the Youth & Government program. Program delegates attended a 4-day coalition conference at Camp Roberts in San Miguel, CA, along with other teens from across California to focus on building civic and leadership skills. Participants engaged with keynote speakers, received training in policy areas, and built networking skills, while learning about the model legislative processes. The conference highlighted the significance of Veterans Day and provided a unique opportunity for young leaders to not only learn and practice their roles in governance, but also to reflect on the contributions of those who serve their communities and country. The program will culminate in a statewide conference in February 2026, where Pomona's delegates will join other delegates from across California and apply their skills and knowledge that they have developed throughout the program year.



YOUTH EMPLOYEE HIGHLIGHT

Community Services would like to highlight Valerie, a Youth Employee, who will soon be starting a new full-time position working with children with special needs at a local organization. Valerie joined our team in July 2024 as a Junior Recreation Leader and quickly stood out for her hard work and positive attitude. By September 2024, she was promoted to Youth Employee. Valerie's journey is a testament to how the City of Pomona's Youth Employment Program helps teens build skills and prepares them for future career opportunities. Valerie will be missed, and we look forward to seeing the continued impact she will make in the community.

WELCOME NEW YOUTH EMPLOYEES!

The City is excited to hire six more Pomona teens to be a part of our Youth Employment Program. The program provides youth ages 14-19, with employment opportunities, life skills, on-the-job training, and mentoring opportunities that help prepare them for future employment. Teens will assist in summer and specialty camps for youth, teens, and Outdoor & Active participants, including assisting with seniors, Library programs,

and City Special Events. For more information about the Youth Employment Program, please call 909-620-2324 or apply at bit.ly/cityofpomonajobs.

YOUTH MENTORING PROGRAM RETURNS

Community Services is thrilled to begin its 3rd year of the *Youth Mentoring Program*. Established in 2023, the program was originally created to empower Pomona's Youth Commission to make positive life choices and maximize their potential. After the Youth Commission was sunsetted in June 2025, the program was expanded to include Youth Employees, ensuring that the opportunity for mentorship and growth continues. Mentors are City employees that will engage in a one-on-one relationship with their mentee from January 2026 through June 2026, promoting leadership, confidence, and community service. Youth Employees will have the opportunity to develop knowledge, skills, and values that enhance their understanding of City functions, strengthen communication, and build confidence. We thank our dedicated City staff who have committed to supporting, guiding, and inspiring a Youth Employee through this meaningful program.

MONDAY DAY NIGHT DANCE

Adults 55+ attended a *Hollywood Night* dance on Monday, November 17, 2025 at Washington Park Community Center. Although we had a smaller turnout due to the rainy weather, participants still enjoyed a fun evening of music, dancing, refreshments, and socializing. Mark your calendars for the *Winter Wonderland* dance on Monday, December 15, 2025 at Palomares Park Community Center from 5:00 p.m. -7:30 p.m. Admission is FREE for Pomona residents and \$4 for non-residents at the door. Registration is required, as space is limited. To register or request more information, please call (909) 620-2324.



CULTURAL ARTS

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](#)



Join us for a session to give feedback directly to the Art in Public Places team!

There are a total of four sessions, however we suggest attending one session in November and one in December to get the most out of these sessions.

Event Date + Time	Location
November 20, 2025, from 6 p.m. - 7 p.m.	The dA Center for the Arts 252 D South Main St., Pomona, CA 91766
November 24, 2025, from 10 a.m. -11 a.m.	Virtual; E-mail PublicArt@pomonaca.gov for link!
December 8, 2025, from 6 p.m. - 7 p.m.	Council Chambers 505 S Garey Ave., Pomona, CA 91766
December 15, 2025, from 10 a.m. – 11 a.m.	Virtual E-mail PublicArt@pomonaca.gov for 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 th 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 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!

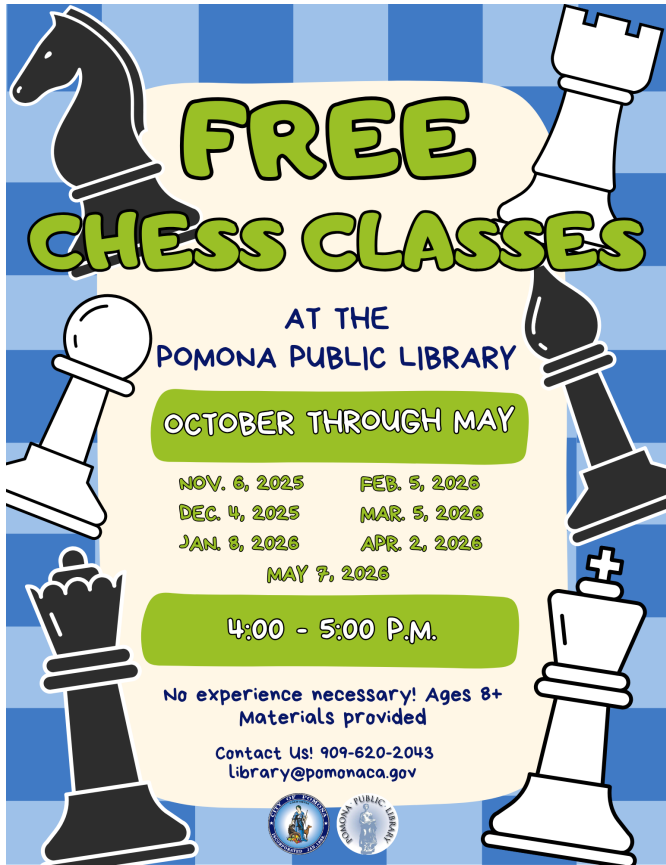
TYPE	LOCATION	STATUS
5 Murals (Back Wall)	Cesar Chavez Park	OPENED
1 Mural (Restroom Building)	Kellogg Park	OPENED

LIBRARY

FREE CHESS CLASSES @ the LIBRARY!

Do you want to learn to play chess but aren’t sure where to start? Do you know the basics but want to discover new moves and practice playing against others? If so, join us

the first Thursday of each month (January 2026 will be the 2nd Thursday) for free chess classes led by a local high school student! This is a fun and no-pressure environment, no experience necessary, and game boards are provided. Contact the Library for more details at **909-620-2043** or library@pomona.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!](#)

Job Title	Job Type	Salary	Filing Date
Children and Youth Services Director	Full-Time	\$170,419.00 - \$228,378.00 annually	Continuous
Community Services Specialist III - Youth Sports	Part-Time	\$24.84 hourly	11/16/25
Jailer (Female Applicants Only)	Full-Time	\$5,155.00 - \$6,265.00 monthly	11/16/25
Lateral Police Officer	Full-Time	\$8,614.00 - \$10,516.00 monthly	12/31/25

Police Dispatcher I	Full-Time	\$5,688.00 - \$6,915.00 monthly	12/14/25
Police Officer Recruit	Full-Time	\$7,459.00/Month	11/30/25
Technical Specialist I - Customer Service Cashier	Part-Time	\$22.00 hourly	11/30/25
Utility System Technician New!	Full-Time	\$8,037.00 - \$9,773.00	Continuous
Water Utility Crew Leader - Production	Full-Time	\$6,596.00 - \$8,018.00 monthly	Continuous

POLICE

COPS 4 KIDS GRADUATION

Families and students from Roosevelt Elementary School joined the Pomona Police Department as they celebrated the Junior Cadet Graduation of the 2025 *Cops 4 Kids* Class on Monday, November 17th. *Cops 4 Kids* assists youth in developing a positive self-image and successful interpersonal skills which encourage them to stay in school and play a constructive role in their community. The 10-week program focused on anti-bullying as well as a variety of cultural, educational and recreational activities for local youth. This was an amazing class and the graduates deserve to be celebrated for their incredible determination and achievements. Congratulations to the *Cops 4 Kids* class of 2025!



PLANNING

LATEST ZONING ADMINISTRATOR DECISIONS AND APPEAL DATES LISTED BELOW:

ZONING ADMINISTRATOR (ZA) AGENDA ITEMS

	Project Description	ZA Decision	Appeal Ends
Harold Azalte 416 N. Garey Avenue CC District No. 4 (DPR-000238-2024)	A request to develop two parcels approximately +/- .64 acres into a 5-story, mixed-use development with two ground floor commercial units, 61 residential units, and on-site amenities.	DPR-000238-2024 Approved w/conditions November 19, 2025	December 9, 2025

LATEST PLANNING COMMISSION DECISIONS AND APPEAL DATES LISTED BELOW:

PLANNING COMMISSION (PC) AGENDA ITEMS

	Project Description	PC Decision	Appeal Ends
Nick Buchanan for Pomona CPD, LLC 3101-3191 N. Garey Avenue CC District No. 6 (DPR-000445-2025 & TRACTMAP- 000447-2025)	A request for a Development Plan Review and Tentative Tract Map to develop 127, three-story, for-sale dwelling units as well as associated on/off-site improvements and a privately-owned public area on a +/-5.5-acre site.	DPR-000445-2025 Approved w/condition November 19, 2025 TRACTMAP- 000447-2025 Approved November 19, 2025	December 9, 2025

PUBLIC WORKS

CITY COUNCIL FINALIZES NAMES FOR NEW CITY PARKS

At the November 17th City Council meeting, the City Council completed the final step of the City's park naming process by unanimously approving official names for the Phillips Ranch Greenbelt, the Civic Center Plaza Park, and the Meadowview Demonstration Garden. Following a months-long nomination and outreach effort, including community pop-up events, social media engagement, and review by the Parks and Recreation Commission, the Council selected **Greenbelt Park** as the formal name for the Phillips Ranch Greenbelt, **Kids' World Pomona** for the new Civic Center Playground, and **Meadow View Demonstration Garden** for the drought-tolerant garden on Meadow View Drive which opened earlier this year.

These names will now guide future signage, programming, and activation of each location as the City continues investing in vibrant, welcoming public spaces for Pomona residents.

Greenbelt Park



Meadow View Demonstration Garden



Kids' World Pomona



ATTACHMENT

1. Upcoming Pomona Events

2025-UPCOMING POMONA COMMUNITY EVENTS

Date	Event	Time	Details	Location
Housing Rights Center Daily Events	Housing Rights Workshop, Clinics and Live Q&A	Various	Visit their Facebook page for more info.	facebook.com/HousingRightsCenter
Patria Church	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.
Pomona Community Wellness Center	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.
Pomona Community Wellness Center	Pomona Wellness Community (PWC) Events and Programs	-----	Take advantage of wellness and nutrition classes offered by the Pomona Wellness Community	More info here.
For the Love of Giving	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.
LA Care Health Plan	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
Lopez Urban Farm	Pay-What-You-Can Take-What-You-Need	6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	Market night Wednesdays, Harvest Day Saturdays, and Bodega open daily.	1034 W Mission Blvd.
AMOCA	First Friday Pay-what-you-can	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.
AMOCA	Second Saturdays 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 current exhibitions . 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.
Tri-City Mental Health Services	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.
Tri-City Mental Health Services	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.
Tri-City Mental Health Services	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.
Tri-City Wednesday/Thursday	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 learn how to participate
Community Resource	Free In Person Fitness	-----	Exercise (Yoga, Zumba, etc.), Nutrition and Healthy	View calendar here

2025-UPCOMING POMONA COMMUNITY EVENTS

Date	Event	Time	Details	Location
Center			Cooking, Health Education, and Children's Classes.	
Pomona Chamber of Commerce	Networking at Noon	2 nd 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
Pomona Chamber of Commerce	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.
DPOA	Shop Downtown Pomona	1 st 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 nd Street
DPOA	Downtown Pomona Artwalk	2 nd 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 nd St.
DPOA	909 Open Market	3 rd 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 nd Street
DPOA	Walk the Beat in Downtown Pomona	4 th 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 nd Street
County of LA Public Health	Chat & Connect with a Nurse	4 th 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!	Pomona Wellness Community
PCS Family Services	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
Pomona Valley Certified Farmers Market	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.
Community Services	Senior Social	Tuesdays 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Crafts, activities, exercise and fun!	Washington & Palomares Park Senior Center
Community Services	Senior Activities – Bingo	Tuesdays & Thursdays 11 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	Senior Activities – Bingo	Washington & Palomares Community Center
Community Services	Lawn Bowling	Mondays & Wednesdays 10 a.m.	Pomona Lawn Bowling Club	451 E Arrow Hwy.
AMCOA	Fall Clay Classes	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. SIGNUP	The dA Center for the Arts 252 D South Main Street Pomona, CA 91766
Ted Greene Little League	Spring 2026 Registration	-----	Co-ed youth baseball Spring 2026 registration now open!	-----

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Date	Event	Time	Details	Location
			Discount Ted rate through December 31st Register here.	
Friday, November 21	See's Candy Storefront Grand Opening	5 p.m. – 7 p.m.	Join Kiwanis Club of Pomona for a sweet celebration filled with fun, games and plenty of candy! A special treat for anyone who brings an unwrapped toy.	101 S Main St.
Saturday, November 22	The Pomona Community Harvest Giveaway	9 a.m. – 2 p.m.	Join Project Resilience and the CM Cole for The Pomona Community Harvest Giveaway, supporting local families that are struggling to meet their most basic needs.	Jaycee Park 2000 N San Antonio
Saturday, November 22	Family to Family Thanksgiving Food Giveaway	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	First come, first serve. Drive thru only. Limit is one turkey/food box per household and no more than two households per vehicle. To register: (909) 987-7110 www.patria.church	Patria Church 490 E La Verne Ave
Saturday, November 22	Grace & Gratitude Gathering Food Giveaway	10 a.m. – 12 p.m.	First come, first serve while supplies last. To register, contact the church office at (909) 622-5434 or info@allinthefountain.com	Fountain Church International 1100 E Holt Ave, Pomona
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. Continental breakfast, full lunch, and volunteer hours.	400 Block of W Columbia
Saturday, November 23	Operation Gobble Drive-Thru Turkey & Food Distribution	9 a.m. – 12 p.m.	Join Senator Susan Rubio for a safe drive through for families to receive support and celebrate the true spirit of giving. First-come, first served basis.	Fairplex Yellow Lot Gate 17
Sunday, November 23	Phillips Mansion Tour	2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	Join the Historical Society of Pomona Valley and tour 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.
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
Monday, November 24	Senior Movie Matinee	2 p.m.	Seniors, join Tri-City for a movie matinee: <i>The Wizard of Oz</i>	Tri-City Wellness Center 1403 N Garey Ave.
Tuesday, November 25	Fall Food Pantry	2 p.m. – 4 p.m.	First come, first serve while supplies last. Call (909) 620-1661.	Community Resource Center and God's Pantry 696 W Holt Ave, Pomona 91768
Wednesday, November 26	Turkey Giveaway &		Event for the whole family. First come first serve. For info,	Cosmo Pomona

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Date	Event	Time	Details	Location
	Community Drive		contact (909) 242-8602 or info@cosmopomona.com	197 E 2nd St, Pomona
Thursday, November 27	Free Thanksgiving Meal	11 a.m. – 1 p.m.	Event for the whole family. First come first serve. Call (909) 868-0224.	Mt. Sanai Church of God 936 W 9th St2
Thursday, November 27	Thanksgiving Day Meal	12 p.m.	200 meals served on Thanksgiving Day. First come, first serve. For more information or to reserve, please call (909) 626-3596	Our Lady of the Assumption 435 N Berkeley Ave, Claremont 91711
November TBD	Thanksgiving Meals	6 p.m. – 8 p.m.	Warm meals will be served to families. Currently taking reservations via phone. Call (909) 629-5277, press 0 for receptionist.	Purpose Church Pomona 601 N Garey Ave.
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! Advance registration is required.	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 here . Watch on Spectrum/FIOS Ch. 29 and at Pomona Live Streaming .	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 advance registration .	American Museum of Ceramic Art 399 N Garey Ave
Thursday, December 6	La Gran Posada	6 p.m. – 9 p.m.	This event is a free community live performance featuring a diverse cast, traditional Mexican songs, colorful costumes, folkloric dancers, and multiple mariachi bands, we bring one of the oldest Christmas stories to life.	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 purchased online 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 well-being - so you can keep doing the work that matters most. Register for free.	Webinar
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	Webinar

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Date	Event	Time	Details	Location
			making positive changes. Register for free.	
Friday, December 12	Christmas Celebration 2025	8 p.m.	Join Garey High School featuring Garey High Symphonic Orchestra and Auxiliary, the GHS Auxiliary and Drumline!	Garey High School Gymnasium
Saturday, December 13	Holiday at the Plaza	3 p.m. – 9 p.m.	Free holiday crafts, entertainment and holiday cheer for the whole family!	Shaun Diamond Plaza
Saturday, December 13	Downtown Pomona Holiday Parade 2025	6 p.m.	Join Downtown Pomona District for this year's Neon Candyland Holiday Parade. Preshow: Starts at 3pm and it's hosted by the School of Arts & Enterprise on the corner of 2nd & Main St.	Route: Begins near Centennial Park (Gibbs & Second St.)
Monday, December 15	City Council Meeting	7 p.m.	Regular City Council Meeting. Read the agenda here . 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 tour 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 purchased online 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 tour 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 tour 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.