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Hayward Area Recreation and Park District FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

H.A.R.D. BOARD OF DIRECTORS' BI-MONTHLY MEETING

Actions and Calendar of Upcoming Events

Hayward, CA (Thursday, October 30, 2014)

The Hayward Area Recreation and Park District (H.A.R.D.) conducted its Board of Directors' meeting on Monday, October 27, 2014. The following action was taken:

- Awarded the Monthly Volunteer Recognition Award for September 2014 to Mr. Ken Blanton for his volunteer service in the Nature Program at Sulphur Creek Nature Center.
- Approved Change Order No. 2 in the amount of \$789.33 for the ADA Upgrades at the Douglas Morrisson Theatre; and accepted completion of the contract.
- Approved the request of Change Order No. 1 in the amount of \$5,231.92 for District Wide Restroom Replacement Site Work; and accepted completion of the contract.
- Authorized the expenditure of funds not to exceed \$18,750.00 to Mosaica Flooring of Las Vegas, NV for the refinishing of the gymnasium floor at Sunset High School.

The next meeting of the Board of Directors will be held on **Monday, November 10, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.** at the **District Administration Office.**

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS:

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| Continuous | Free E-Waste Pickup Fundraiser – Support Sorensdale Recreation Center. Not sure what to do with those old TV's, Computers, Monitors, Printers or anything with a cord? You can have it picked up and support Sorensdale Recreation Center at the same time! Visit www.eWaste4good.com to enter your information. A dispatcher will contact you to schedule a pickup date. |
| Continuous | 37 th Area Artists' Annual Juried Exhibit begins October 11, 2014 and runs till November 22, 2014. This exhibit showcases art from the Bay Area art community. Juror Victoria Sheridan will select pieces form a wide range of media including acrylic, oil, watercolor, pastel, fabric, leather, wood, steel, ceramic, photographic print (digital, platinum, cyanotype, pigment, intaglio) and mixed media. This juried group exhibit is open to artists 18 or over who reside, teach art, take art classes, or belong to art associations in the Bay Area. For details on how to enter please visit our website at www.adobegallery.org . Deadline to submit artwork is September 27, 2014. |

- Continuous The Hayward Shoreline Interpretive Center's New Public Hours – HSIC is now open to the public from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Fridays, in addition to Saturdays and Sundays. The additional hours allow us to interact with the trail users and offer public programs to visitors on Fridays. The new hours went into effect at the beginning of September and will continue year round.
- November 1st Holiday Fine Art, Craft & Pottery Fair – Kenneth Aitken Senior & Community Center; 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Come by and find that local, handmade, one-of-a-kind item at an extremely affordable price. Ceramic bowls and mugs, ceramic vases and décor, garden art, hand sewn items, jewelry, knitted and crocheted items, wood crafts and more. The program supports both the Special Needs and Arts Programs.
- November 6th 5th Annual Rich Wicker Pool Tournament – All skill levels are welcomed at the Rich Wicker Pool Tournament. Light Refreshments will be served and prizes will be awarded to the top participants. The tournament will take place at the Kenneth C. Aitken Senior & Community Center from 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Please visit www.haywardrec.org and click on the Calendar under the Events Tab for more information.
- November 7th "Candide" Opening – Douglas Morrisson Theatre from 8:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. Featuring Leonard Bernstein's soaring score and lyrics from some of the wittiest writers of all time, this rollicking musical satire chronicles the lives and loves of Candide, a simple soul whose glass is always half-full. Opening Night Gala after the performance. Visit <http://dmtonline.org> for more details and to purchase tickets.
- November 8th PhotoCentral "Pride: Parade, Prom, Community" Panel Discussion located at PhotoCentral, 1099 'E' Street, Hayward CA 94541 from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Join us for a panel discussion lead by journalist Janet Kornblum regarding the images of the "PRIDE: Parade, Prom, Community" show at PhotoCentral. The exhibit features "The San Francisco Gay & Lesbian Freedom Day Parade 1984 - 1990" and the "Hayward Gay Prom 2014." Photographs by Saul Bromberger and Sandra Hoover. The historic images of the Pride Parade and the joyful portraits of the youth at the Hayward Gay Prom show us a view of the LGBT yesterday and today.
- November 14th "*Journeys*" *Candide* Pre-show Talk with Artistic Director, Susan E. Evans. Douglas Morrisson Theatre at 8:00 p.m. Visit www.dmtonline.org for more details.
- November 27th Annual Thanksgiving "Turkey Swim" – Hayward Plunge from 8:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.
- November 29th Shoreline Trash Takers - Grab your work gloves and head down to the Hayward Area Shoreline Interpretive Center and help clean up the salt marsh. Trash bags will be provided. All ages are welcome on Saturday, November 29th

from 12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Visit www.haywardrec.org and click on the Calendar under the Events Tab or call (510) 670-7270 for more information.

December 6th PhotoCentral "Pride: Parade, Prom, Community" Gallery Walk & Talk.
PhotoCentral 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Join us for our closing event and a Gallery Walk & Talk for the "PRIDE: Parade, Prom, Community" show at PhotoCentral. There will be a Gallery Walk & Talk with exhibit photographers Saul Bromberger and Sandra Hoover in discussion with Victoria Sheridan.

December 12th Holiday High Tea – Kenneth C. Aitken Senior & Community Center, 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Celebrate the holidays with a traditional High Tea. Sample sweet and savory delights and warm up with a cup of tea. Cost is \$10 per person. Visit our website at www.haywardrec.org or call (510) 881-6738 for more information.

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