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Enrollment Information for Parents in 2025-2026

As we step into the new year, many parents are proactively planning for the upcoming school year. Enrollment and school tours for Transitional Kindergarten (TK)/Kindergarten, Middle Schools, and High Schools have commenced.

New legislation has extended the eligibility for TK. To be eligible to register for TK for the 2025-2026 school year, children must turn four years old on or before September 1, 2025.

Wishing you a smooth and successful school planning process for your child! Reach out to the respective schools or visit their websites for more detailed information. Enrollment/ Application window for most begins this month.

Hubert Bancroft Elementary
TK-6 (located in College Greens):
hbancroft.scusd.edu

California Montessori Project
TK-8 (located in College Greens):
cacmp.org

AM Winn Public Waldorf TK-8:
amwwaldorf.org/enrollment

Phoebe Hearst Elementary K-6:
phoebehearst.org/school-tours/

Language Academy of
Sacramento TK-8:
lasac.info



As we reach the end of 2024, we want to take a moment to reflect on the incredible success, growth, and community spirit we've experienced this year — and express our heartfelt gratitude for your vital support.

In addition to our four pre-existing signature events, we added a fifth signature event to the line up—Bark in the Park! We also added a toy drive component to our Holidays in College-Glen craft and book fair and were able to donate those gifts to the Women's Empowerment of Sacramento!

All five of our signature events had amazing turnouts, with the biggest turnout being on Easter with over **700 in attendance!**

Along with our members, we performed a river cleanup at the Howe River Access and two garden cleanups at the Bancroft Habitat Garden. As our non-profit grows, we plan to host more neighborhood cleanups to give back and continue improving our neighborhood.

The NCG Board takes great pride in bringing fun-filled events and facilitating communication with our local representatives and public agencies to address community concerns. We want your feedback regarding what we've done well this year, what we can improve on or you'd like to see more of, and hear any concerns about our community. Email us at board@neighborsofcollegeglen.org!



Egg Hunt at Olki Park



Olki Park Food Trucks



Fourth of July Parade



Safe & Sweet Trunk or Treat

2025: The Year Ahead



Hi it's me Cash! Your youth board rep. I hope all of my friends and neighbors are having a great start to the

New Year!

In the spirit of New, I thought I'd share a little information about CG's first ever Softball league! In the past players looking for a softball league would have to drive outside of CG to join a team. Starting this spring that changes, College Glen Little League has brought softball to our neighborhood.

The league has been working hard to prepare the softball field (next to the playground) for the upcoming season.

Registration is happening now (for softball and baseball) on the CGLL website www.collegeglenlittleleague.com.

Thank you CGLL for expanding what our neighborhood has to offer! I can't wait to see our softball teams take the field!



Jasjit Singh
President
Board of Education, Area 2



Navarro pictured on left. -PC SCUSD

January

15 - NCG Community Board Meeting

February

19 - NCG Community Board Meeting

March

8 - CGLL Opening Day
19 - NCG Annual Meeting

April

16 - NCG Community Board Meeting
19 - Egg Hunt at Oki Park
TBD - CG Gators Season Kick Off

May

9* - Oki Park Food Trucks return
21 - NCG Community Board Meeting
31 - Bark in the Park at Glenbrook Dog Park

June

13* - Oki Park Food Trucks
18 - NCG Community Board Meeting

*Dates may change

July

4 - College-Glen Fourth of July Parade
16 - NCG Community Board Meeting

August

8* - Oki Park Food Trucks
11 - CMP First Day of School
18 - SCUSD First Day of School
20 - NCG Community Board Meeting
TBD - BAC Soccer Season kicks off

September

12* - Oki Park Annual Movie Night
17 - NCG Community Board Meeting

October

15 - NCG Community Board Meeting
31 - Safe and Sweet Trunk or Treat

November

19 - NCG Community Board Meeting

December

7 - Holidays in College-Glen Book & Craft Fair
17* - NCG Community Board Meeting

SCUSD welcomes new board members and appoints new President

At the December 19 meeting of the Sacramento City Unified School District Board, three newly elected Board Members - Michael Benjamin, Jose Navarro, and April Ybarra - and recently re-elected Board Member Chinua Rhodes took a ceremonial oath of office to start their term on the Board. Welcome to our new Board. The Board also elected the following Board Members to serve as Board Officers:

- Jasjit Singh, President
- Tara Jeane, Vice President
- Chinua Rhodes, Second Vice President

Jasjit Singh who represents Area 2, which spans part of the College-Glen neighborhood, became the first Punjabi Sikh to be elected as President of Sacramento City Unified, this is on top of the barriers that were broken two years ago when he

became the first visible Sikh to hold office in Sacramento. We congratulate Mr. Singh on this awesome achievement and thank him for his partnership. He can be reached at Jasjit-Singh@scusd.edu.

Jose Navarro is the newly elected member of the Sacramento City Unified School District school board in California, representing Trustee Area 3. Area 3, which includes Hubert H. Bancroft Elementary School and Rosemont High School. Jose is an Information Technology professional who works for the State of California.

Mr. Navarro's priorities are staff collaboration, building strong academic foundations for the students and creating career pathways by supporting those that want to attend college. He can be reached at Jose-Navarro@scusd.edu.



Holidays In College-Glen

Holiday Book and Craft Fair brings holiday cheer

The 2024 Holidays in College-Glen craft and book fair was bigger and better this year, despite the California International Marathon hampering traffic. The sense of community was truly heartwarming, with neighbors coming together to celebrate the season and support a great cause.

Overall, 15 local artisans and crafters participated in the event, 3 of which were mini-makers from College-Glen! A wide variety of items were available for purchase, making it easier for attendees to complete some of their holiday shopping.

In addition to complimentary Santa pictures and a hot cocoa bar, NCG added a toy drive component benefiting Women's Empowerment of Sacramento.

Thank you to everyone who came out and special thanks to those that donated in the toy drive! We hope you all enjoyed the event and hope it brought some holiday cheer to you this holiday season. As we look forward to this year's festivities, we invite everyone to continue spreading joy and kindness.



NCG Decor Contest Winners

Trophies awarded to neighborhood favorites!

Thank you to all those who participated in the house decorating contest and casted votes for the merriest house!

The 2024 NCG Holiday Lights Decor Contest was a huge success.

Congratulations to the Clafin family, who were our winners for best individual house for the second year in a row! In close 2nd and 3rd were the homes on Everglade and Terilyn. Shout out to every community member who entered this very competitive contest!



NCG Annual Sponsors & Partners



Learn more about opportunities to become a sponsor or partner by emailing us at board@neighborsofcollegelgen.org.

About Neighbors of College-Glen (NCG)

NCG was formed in March of 2023, with the vision of being instrumental in creating a welcoming and inclusive neighborhood through cultural and multi-generational engagement and outreach.

NCG's mission is to preserve and improve the College-Glen neighborhoods in concrete ways through community engagement. Specifically, NCG aims to build community pride, advocate on behalf of its members for services and needs, hold events that build

community, and ensure we cherish and protect our local parks.

Our Community Board Meetings are held every third Wednesday of the month at 5:30 pm at Bancroft Elementary and via Zoom.

NCG is a 501(c)3 and is committed to transparency in all of its endeavors. Each article in this newsletter is written and edited through NCG Board Member collaboration, unless otherwise noted. We hope you enjoy it!

NCG Board

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For more information about how to serve on the NCG Board, visit us online or send us an email at board@neighborsofcollegelgen.org.

REMINDER

The next NCG Community Board Meeting is January 15, 2024 at 6pm, in person and via zoom. Visit us online for our agenda and meeting details.

