

MAY 2023

BRADBURY NEWS



"Preserving Rural Tranquility"



Save the Date for Bradbury Night Out!

Thursday, July 27, 2023 at Bradbury Civic Center



It is the City's pleasure to announce that Bradbury Night Out is almost here! The event is hosted by the City in celebration of the City's Anniversary and National Night Out.

Mark your calendars and join us on Thursday, July 27th from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Bradbury Civic Center (600 Winston Avenue Bradbury, 91008) for dinner, dessert, giveaways and lots of fun! It will be an amazing opportunity to get to know your neighbors and organizations from the surrounding area.

We hope to see you there!

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Quote of the Month:

"Spring is the time of year when it is summer in the sun and winter in the shade."

-Charles Dickens



SEE SOMETHING? SAY SOMETHING!



As residents of Bradbury, there are a few steps you can take to help reduce burglaries in your neighborhood:

1. Know your neighbors and neighborhood. If you know your neighbors, it is easier to note suspicious activity.
2. When you leave your home: leave lights on at night, close your curtains/blinds, and do what you can to make it look like someone is home.
3. Install an alarm and cameras. Once they are installed, make sure to keep them on at all times. If you would like tips for security camera placement, our Community Services Officer is available Thursday - Saturdays. If you are interested, please call City Hall (626) 358-3218 or email cityhall@cityofbradbury.org

If you see any suspicious activity, people, or cars you are not familiar with, please report it by contacting the Los Angeles Sheriff's Department- Temple Station at (626) 285-7171. If there is an emergency, please dial 911. Remember if you see something, say something!

Living with Wildlife: Mountain Lions



One of the treats of living in Bradbury is the fact that wild animals are our neighbors. The goal is to live in harmony with the variety of wildlife that lives in Bradbury, including mountain lions. Here are some tips to prevent conflict with mountain lions from the National Park Service:

- **Do not feed wildlife.** Intentional or unintentional feeding such as leaving pet food outdoors can attract mountain lions by attracting prey animals. Wildlife, including mountain lions, are more likely to come into contact with humans or domestic animals.
- **Landscape for safety.** Remove dense and low-lying vegetation that may provide cover for predators and other wildlife.
- **Keep pets safe.** Don't allow pets to roam unattended. Unsecured pets can become easy prey. Bring them inside or provide secure enclosures.
- **Keep livestock safe.** Securing livestock, exotic animals and birds, in predator-proof barns, pens or other enclosures (dusk to dawn) can ensure their safety.
- **Use deterrents.** Consider installing motion-sensor lighting around the house and animal enclosures.

Outdoor Safety Tips

- Do not hike, bike, or jog alone. Stay alert on trails.
- Avoid outdoor activity when mountain lions are most active - dawn, dusk, night.
- Keep close watch on small children and off-leash pets.
- Never approach a mountain lion. Stay calm. Do not run.
- Report unusual behavior to your local CDFW.

If you would like specific tips on how to fortify your property from wildlife, our Community Services Officer is available from Thursday - Saturday. The City's CSO is a former animal control officer and has experience with standard procedures around wildlife. If you are interested, please call City Hall (626) 358-3218 or email cityhall@cityofbradbury.org. For wildlife concerns, contact Department of Fish and Wildlife South Coast Region at (858) 467-4201.

Local Happenings

Spring is here! The sun is (finally) out! Check out these local community activities and events that are fun for the whole family!

Duarte Mother's Day Tea & Fashion Show

May 6 at 9 a.m. | Celebrate Mother's Day with your family and friends at Duarte's Community Center this year! Visit accessduarte.com for more information.

Duarte Farmers Market

Every Wednesday from 4-7 p.m. at 819 Buena Vista Street | Join the Duarte Chamber for certified, California-grown produce directly from local farms.

Monrovia Days

May 19-21 | Celebrate Monrovia's 137th birthday during this 3-day celebration! Visit [Monroviadays.org](https://monroviadays.org) for more information.

Monrovia Farmers Market & Street Fair

Every Friday from 5-9 p.m. | Get on Myrtle Street to enjoy fresh produce, various food vendors, local businesses and more!

City Council Highlights

The following actions were taken at the April City Council meeting:

- *Presentation from the California Department of Insurance*
- *Approval to expend the budgeted Community Support funds for charitable donation.*

The next City Council meeting will take place at City Hall on May 16, 2023 at 7 p.m.

HHW/E-WASTE COLLECTION

All residents of Los Angeles County may utilize temporary, one-day collection events throughout the County to properly dispose of HHW/E-Waste FREE of charge. Events are from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. (unless otherwise noted). Rain or shine, collection events will be held as scheduled below:

- **05/06/23- CITY OF IRWINDALE @ 9 AM**
160 LONGDEN AVE
- **05/13/23- CITY OF ALTA DENA @ 9 A.M.**
252 W. MOUNTAIN VIEW ST.

Got Leftover Paint? Recycle it!

Did you know oil-based paint and latex-based paint waste is hazardous? Make sure to dispose of your paint safely! There are a few things to know before disposing of any extra paint. Paint cans can only be disposed of if the lid is off and the paint is dry. Disposing of paint cans with lids is not acceptable unless you are recycling them. Below is a list of local places you can recycle your leftover paint:

- Acrylatex Coatings and Recycling
1001 W Kirkwall Road, Azusa, CA
- Montage Paint
600 W Route 66 Ste 101, Glendora, CA
- Dunn-Edwards
630 S Grand Ave Ste 01-103, Glendora, CA
- Dunn-Edwards
3897 E Colorado Blvd, Pasadena, CA

For any other questions about disposing of paint, please call 1-888-CLEANLA.

BRADBURY
CALENDAR

First Friday Closure

Friday, May 5, 2023

Mother's Day

Saturday, May 14, 2023

City Council Meeting

Tuesday, May 16, 2023

Planning Commission Meeting

Wednesday, May 24, 2023

May 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5 <i>City Hall Closed</i>	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 <i>Mother's Day</i>	15	16 <i>City Council Meeting</i>	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 <i>Planning Commission Meeting</i>	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			



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