

RESIDENT RESOURCES

ENERGY BILL PAYMENT ASSISTANCE

Residents of Colma can receive assistance in paying their energy bills if their household makes less than the state median income (\$25,176 for a single person household, \$48,415 for a four person household) through the Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP). Applications are available at Colma Town Hall or can be requested by calling: 1-888-728-3637.

DONATIONS FOR D STREET FAMILY

Due to the recent house fire on D street, we are asking the community to come together in support of long time Colma residents. In order to help the family, recover from this tragic event, the Town will be collecting gift card donations in any denomination. Gift Cards such as groceries stores, clothing and home goods stores would be a huge help to this family on their road to recovery. Gift Cards can be dropped off at the Colma Community Center located at 1520 Hillside Blvd. Colma, CA 94014. Colma thanks you for your support and generosity during this holiday season.



LIVE WIRE



TOWN OF COLMA

COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

JANUARY 2019

MESSAGE BOARD

CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

Wednesday, January 9, 2019
Wednesday, January 23, 2019
Regular Meeting
Town Hall, 7:00 pm

WELCOME PACKETS

If you have recently moved into the Town, and have not received a Welcome Packet with information about Colma and the benefits of residency, please pick up a packet at Town Hall during normal business hours or call 650-997-8300.

COLMA IDs

In order to participate in Colma events and programs, you must have a current Colma ID card. Please renew your Colma ID, at the Colma Community Center, if it has expired. A list of acceptable proofs of identification is available at the Colma Community Center and Town Hall. Please note that if you are a new resident and have resided in Colma for at least 30 days, you are eligible to receive a Colma ID. If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact the Community Center at 650-985-5678.

REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION

Upon request, this publication will be made available in appropriate alternative formats to persons with disabilities, as required by the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. Any person with a disability, who requires a modification or accommodation to view the newsletter, should direct such a request to Brian Dossey, ADA Coordinator, at 650-985-5690 or brian.dossey@colma.ca.gov. Please allow 2 business days for your request to be processed.

SUMMARY OF POLICE LOG

Colma Police activities in November

• Arrests	62
• Cases	127
• Citations	323

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Colma Recreation Services



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CITY MANAGER'S UPDATE

Brian Dossey, City Manager

Each New Year gives us time to pause and reflect on the past year, to chart a course for the upcoming year (along with those pesky New Year Resolutions we never seem to keep), and to embrace the changes that a new year brings. Your Town government is no different – staff and the City Council undergo the same period of reflection as well.

At the Council level, the most significant changes occur at the December City Council reorganization. During this annual event a new Mayor and Vice Mayor are appointed by the Council as a whole. Unlike some larger cities, Colma does not directly-elect a Mayor – your Mayor is appointed by her/his peers on the Council.

Every two years the Town holds City Council elections as well, with three seats up for election in Presidential election years, and two seats up for election at the mid-point of each Presidential cycle. This year saw the re-election of Council Members Joanne F. del Rosario and Helen Fisicaro. Council Member del Rosario was appointed as the new Mayor and John Irish Goodwin was appointed as the Vice Mayor at our December 4, 2018 City Council reorganization.

The first part of this year will be very busy for the Council and staff. During the January – March 2019 meetings, Council will be considering raising fees for Building, Planning and Engineering services, the Five-Year Capital Improvement Plan, a review of the 2017-2019 Strategic Plan, approval of our Annual Audit and Mid-Year Budget review, and possible changes to our Smoking Ordinance and Parking Code.

We hope to see you at our future City Council meetings, we have a lot of Town business to conduct and it would be great to hear your thoughts and comments on the issues the City Council must consider before they make their decision.

I hope everyone had a great Holiday Season and want to wish everyone a Safe, Happy and Healthy New Year!

COLMA ROADWAYS — VIABLE AND SAFER

Brad Donohue, Public Works Director

A project that we are excited about is the improvements to Mission Road. The project will serve many needs, such as continuous sidewalks “accessible” on both side of the street, improve the mid-block crossing with high visibility crosswalk and flashing beacon to increase the visibility of pedestrian crossing; traffic calming features to slowdown speeding, enhanced street lighting, etc.

Input from the Mission road community (Residential and commercial) is critical! The Public Works/Engineering Department will be holding two outreach meetings with the public at large, (Refreshments will be provided)

- January 17, 2019, 11:30 AM to 1:30 PM at Malloy's Tavern, 1655 Mission Road
- January 17, 2019, 5:00 – 7:00 PM at Town Hall, 1198 El Camino Real

We hope you and your neighbors can find the time to attend one of these public outreach meetings, your questions, concerns, wants and needs will help make this a project that serves the Mission Road Community a success!

A Future project coming up in the New Year is a planning/study project that will improve mobility for El Camino Real, addressing issues such as continuous sidewalks, delineated bike paths, high visibility crosswalks and traffic control features at El Camion Real and Mission Road. A future public outreach meeting and dates will be forth coming in 2019.

From the Town of Colma's Public Works/Engineering Department, we wish all of you a New Year filled with good health and fortune!

TO:

Address Service Requested

Town of Colma
1198 El Camino Real
Colma, CA 94014-3212
Telephone: 650-997-8300
Fax: 650-997-8308
Website: www.colma.ca.gov

Presorted
First-Class Mail
U.S. Postage Paid
Daily City, CA
Permit No. 1433

(SP) The Sterling Park Recreation Center, 427 F Street schedule is:

Monday to Friday, 1 pm to 6 pm; Saturday and Sunday, 11 am to 4 pm; closed on holidays as noted on calendar. The outside park areas, including the basketball court and playground are available for use on Sunday through Saturday from dawn to dusk. For information call 650-991-3213.

(CCC) The Colma Community Center, 1520 Hillside Boulevard schedule is:

Monday to Friday, 8 am to 6 pm; Saturday and Sunday, 10 am to 3 pm; closed on holidays as noted on calendar. The outside park area includes picnic tables, lawn area and the Colma Historical Park. For information call 650-985-5678.

**TOWN OF COLMA
BUSINESS HOURS 8:00 am to 5:00 pm
Monday through Friday
www.colma.ca.gov**

Elected Officials

Mayor	Raquel Gonzalez	650-997-8305
Vice Mayor	Joanne F. del Rosario	650-997-8347
Council Member	John Irish Goodwin	650-997-8316
Council Member	Diana Colvin	650-997-8315
Council Member	Helen Fiscaro	650-997-8304

Town Hall		650-997-8300
City Manager	Brian Dossey	650-997-8318
Administrative Services Director	Pak Lin	650-997-8309
City Clerk	Caitlin Corley	650-997-8311
City Attorney	Chris Diaz	650-997-8300

Police Non-Emergency		650-997-8321
Police Chief	Kirk Stratton	650-997-8344
TIP Line		650-997-8337

Public Works/Engineering/Planning/Building		650-757-8888
Public Works Director	Brad Donohue	
City Planner	Michael Laughlin	
City Engineer	Cyrus Kianpour	

Report tree limbs, downed wires, flooded areas, sewer emergencies etc.		650-757-8888
During non-business hours, call police non-emergency number		650-997-8321
Building Permits		650-757-8888

Colma Community Center		650-985-5678
Recreation Manager	Cynthia Morquecho	650-985-5681
Recreation Coordinator	Angelika Abellana	650-985-5682

Sterling Park Recreation Center		650-991-3213
Recreation Coordinator	Liz Tapia	650-985-5691

Colma Historical Association		650-757-1676
Creekside Villas Senior Housing		650-755-0610
Colma-Daly City Chamber of Commerce		650-755-3900
Comcast Bulk Services		1-855-307-4896

BUS SCHEDULE

January 19 2018—Day at the Movies, San Bruno

10:00 am	Pick up at Creek Side Villas
10:10 am	Pick up at Creek Side Villas
4:00 pm	Arrive at Colma

**January 2019
Details of Class Schedules for January are listed in the Town of Colma Recreation Guide**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
COLOR CODE KEY: YOUTH & TEEN ADULT & SENIOR FAMILY & COMMUNITY YOUTH & ADULT BLACK—GENERAL		1 Town Hall Sterling Park Recreation Center Colma Community Center CLOSED In Observation of the New Year Holiday 	2 Winter Session Day Camp SP, 8:00 am—6:00 pm Colma Ladies Social CCC, 10:00 am—1:00 pm	3 Winter Session Day Camp SP, 8:00 am—6:00 pm Active Adult Chair Yoga, CCC 9:45—10:50 am	4 Winter Session Day Camp SP, 8:00 am—6:00 pm Friday Films "Mama Mia! Here We Go Again!" CCC, 11:30am—2:30pm Ice Cream and Art & Craft SP, "New Years Calendar" 6:00—8:00 pm	5 Boot Camp Fitness, SP, 8:30—9:30 am Zumba Toning & Palango, CCC, 9:15—10:30am Adult Golf Lessons, 9:00—10:00 am Youth Golf Lessons, 10:00—11:00 am Chamber Orchestra, 7:00—8:00 pm
	6 Beginning Keyboard 1:00—2:00 pm	7 Kids' Club After School Program, Session I SP, 3:00—6:00 pm Zumba, CCC, 6:15— 7:15 pm	8 Kids' Club After School Program, Session I SP, 3:00—6:00 pm	9 Kids' Club After School Program, Session I SP, 1:00—6:00 pm Project Read— Learning Wheels, SP 4:00—5:00 pm Open Teen Center Hours SP, 6:00—7:30pm Guitar Workshop, 7:00—8:00 pm City Council Meeting, Town Hall, 7:00pm	10 Active Adult Chair Yoga, SP, 9:45—10:50 am Arm Chair Travel SP, 12:00 pm—1:00 pm, "Jamaica" Kids' Club After School Program, Session I SP, 3:00—6:00 pm	11 Kids' Club After School Program, Session I SP, 3:00—6:00 pm Vibo Youth Ensemble 6:00—7:00 pm
13 Beginning Keyboard 1:00—2:00 pm	14 Kids' Club After School Program, Session I SP, 3:00—6:00 pm Zumba, CCC, 6:15— 7:15 pm Biggest Loser Contest Begins CCC 	15 Pastry Hour, CCC 11:00 am—1:00 pm Kids' Club After School Program, Session I SP, 3:00—6:00 pm Yoga for Adults CCC, 6:45—8:00 pm	16 Senior Luncheon CCC, 11:30 am—1:00 pm "Japanese Tea Garden" Kids' Club After School Program, Session I SP, 1:00—6:00 pm Open Teen Center Hours SP, 6:00—7:30pm	17 Active Adult Chair Yoga, CCC 9:45—10:50 am Kids' Club After School Program, Session I SP, 3:00—6:00 pm	18 A Day at the Movies San Bruno, 10:00am—4:00 pm Kids' Club After School Program, Session I SP, 3:00—6:00 pm Vibo Youth Ensemble 6:00—7:00 pm	19 Boot Camp Fitness, SP, 8:30—9:30 am Zumba Toning & Palango, CCC, 9:15—10:30am Adult Golf Lessons, 9:00—10:00 am Youth Golf Lessons, 10:00—11:00 am Teen Ice Skating at Union Square San Francisco, 1:00—5:00 pm Chamber Orchestra, 7:00—8:00 pm
20 Beginning Keyboard, 1:00—2:00 pm	21 Town Hall Sterling Park Recreation Center Colma Community Center CLOSED In Observation of the Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday 	22 Kids' Club After School Program, Session II SP, 3:00—6:00 pm Traditional Ukulele for Beginners 4:00—5:00 pm New York Life Financial Workshops "Strategies for Building a Better Retirement" CCC, 4:30—5:30 pm Performance and Stage Class 7:00—8:00 pm	23 Creekside Villas Activities "Valentines Day Cards" 11:30 am —1:00 pm Kids' Club After School Program, Session II SP, 1:00—6:00 pm Open Teen Center Hours SP, 6:00—7:30pm City Council Meeting, Town Hall, 7:00pm	24 Active Adult Chair Yoga, CCC 9:45—10:50 am Kids' Club After School Program, Session II SP, 3:00—6:00 pm	25 Breakfast and Bingo CCC, 10:00 am—11:00 am Kids' Club After School Program, Session II SP, 3:00—6:00 pm	26 Boot Camp Fitness, SP, 8:30—9:30 am Zumba Toning & Palango, CCC, 9:15—10:30am Adult Golf Lessons, 9:00—10:00 am Youth Golf Lessons, 10:00—11:00 am Violin Workshop, 1:00— 2:00 pm Guitar Workshop, 2:00—3:00 pm Chamber Orchestra, 7:00—8:00 pm
27 Beginning Keyboard, 1:00—2:00 pm	28 Kids' Club After School Program, Escape Day SP, 8:00—6:00 pm Colma Teen's L.E.A.P. Pizza with Police TBD, 5:00—7:00 pm Zumba, CCC, 6:15— 7:15 pm	29 Kids' Club After School Program, Session II SP, 3:00—6:00 pm Traditional Ukulele for Beginners 4:00—5:00 pm Yoga for Adults CCC, 6:45—8:00 pm Performance and Stage Class 7:00—8:00 pm	30 Kids' Club After School Program, Session II SP, 1:00—6:00 pm Project Read— Science Club, SP 4:00—5:00 pm Open Teen Center Hours SP, 6:00—7:30pm	31 Active Adult Chair Yoga, CCC 9:45—10:50 am Kids' Club After School Program, Session II SP, 3:00—6:00 pm	Winter Camp Session: December 26—January 4, 2019 Kids' Club After School Program Session Dates: Session I January 7—January 18 Session II January 22—February 1	Chamber Orchestra Performance and Stage Class Violin Workshop Guitar Workshop Gleeshiner's Choir 488 San Mateo Ave., San Bruno Beginning Keyboard Classes 908 Paris Street, San Francisco

RECREATION HIGHLIGHTS

Parents' Night Out (Ages 4—10 years)
 Parents, you deserve a night out! Don't let just anyone baby-sit your children; we'll do it. Yes, we are experienced, trustworthy and ready for fun. Check out our great special PNO themes. Please bring sleeping bags and pajamas. So relax, see a movie, or go out to dinner. Just remember you have a 10pm curfew. All participants are urged to enroll early to avoid program being cancelled. Children must be toilet trained in order to participate.
 DAY: Saturday
 DATE: January 12, 2019
 TIME: 6:00 pm—10:00 pm
 LOCATION: Sterling Park
 COLMA RES. FEE: \$5 Youth
 NON—RES. FEE: \$20

Town of Colma Biggest Loser Contest (Ages 13 years & older)
 Start your New Year's Resolution off right! Join our 4th round of the Biggest Loser Town Contest! You and your fellow residents are on a mission to get fit! The Town of Colma will be awarding prizes to the top male, female and team "losers" (with sufficient participation). Weekly prizes will be awarded to the top loser of the wee. Contest will run from January 14th to February 11th. To participate in the contest you must weigh-in at the Colma Community Center by January 14th. Final weigh-in must be completed in person by 3:00pm, Sunday, February 10th at the Colma Community Center. Winners will be announced by Friday, February 15th. For questions please contact Liz Tapia at 650-985-5691.
 DATES: January 14 - February 11, 2019
 TIME: Community Center Hours
 LOCATION: Colma Community Center
 COLMA RES. FEE: FREE
 NON-RES. FEE: \$10.00

Teen Ice Skating at Union Square (Ages 12—17 years old)
 Join us as we revel in an afternoon of Ice Skating at Union Square in the heart of San Francisco. Participants will have the opportunity to skate and enjoy the final days of the holiday season. BART transportation included in the participation fee. Youth & Teen residents may bring one non-resident guest at the resident rate. Please register at least one week in advance to avoid this program from being canceled.
 DAY: Saturday
 DATE: January 19, 2019
 TIME: 1:00pm—5:00pm
 LOCATION: Union Square, San Francisco
 COLMA RES. FEE: \$8 Teen
 NON—RES. FEE: \$25.00

NEW! New York Life Financial Workshops (Ages 18 years & older)
 Strategies for Building a Better Retirement Discuss the challenges retirees face when it comes to managing their retirement income and how New York Life and it's affiliate can help meet those challenges.
 DAY: Tuesday
 DATE: January 22, 2019
 LOCATION: Colma Community Center
 TIME: 4:30pm—5:30pm
 FEE: Free

Breakfast Bingo (Ages 55 years & older)
 It's time for Breakfast Bingo! Rise & shine and kick off your day with a delicious breakfast pastries, some friendly competition, and the chance to win great prizes. Join us on the Fourth Friday of each month for the classic game of Bingo with a twist. Along with all your Bingo supplies, we'll provide you with a delicious variety of morning time treats and bottomless coffee or tea.
 DAY: Tuesday
 DATE: January 25, 2019
 LOCATION: Colma Community Center
 TIME: 10:00am—11:00am
 COLMA RES. FEE: \$3
 NON—RES. FEE: \$20.00