

Newsletter of the Park LaBrea Residents Association
ADVOCATING FOR THE RESIDENTS

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Flamenco Dance at Park La Brea

FREE Performance & Champagne Reception

Saturday, June 16 at 7:30 PM
Park La Brea Activity Center Theater

Flamenco dancer Miguel Bernal, a former member of the Jose Greco & Nana Lorca Dance Company, makes his eighth appearance at Park La Brea. Mr. Bernal is a highly acclaimed Spanish and Flamenco dancer. His focus on dance took him first to Mexico City where he studied with The Ballet Folklorico of Mexico and then to Madrid, Spain.

He has since performed all over the world in a multitude of venues and media including film and television. His talents have graced the stages of the Dorothy Chandler Pavilion, Barnsdall Theatre, Wilshire Ebell Theatre, Gibson (Universal) Amphitheatre and The Madrid Theatre.

For their upcoming appearance at Park La Brea Miguel's Flamenco Ensemble will perform classical Spanish dances from the southern part of Spain, known as Andalusia the original birthplace of Flamenco, as well as Miguel's Farruca.

Both the Concert and the Champagne and Hors d'oeuvres Reception are **FREE** to Park La Brea residents and their guests. Seating is **First Come, First Served**. Arriving early is highly recommended as seating is limited.



★ For more information Call (323) 934-1177 or Email: plbra@ca.rr.com ★



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The **Park LaBrea Residents Association (PLBRA)** is your community organization but it can only achieve its objective of *Advocating for the Residents* if you collectively help.

We need both your **Membership** and your **Volunteerism** if we are to succeed.

To be an effective advocate we must have a significant part of the Park La Brea community on our side. Of equal importance, we need both your ideas and your physical support if we are to continue to serve the Park La Brea community.

If you want a viable community organization, at Park La Brea, give us your **support now**.



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Outdoor Movie at Park La Brea

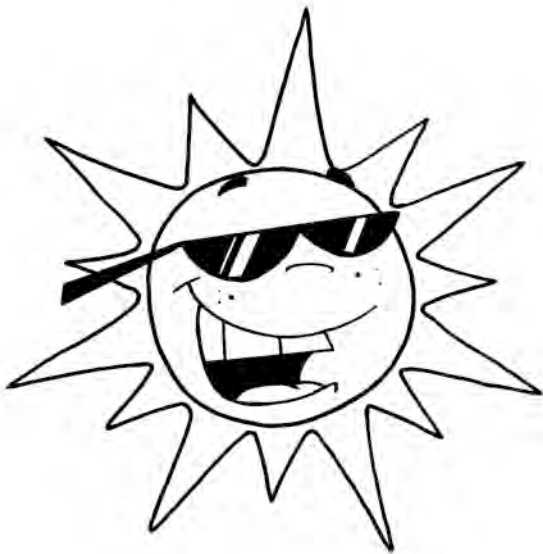
The first outdoor movie of **2018** will be shown at **Alandele Circle** on **Saturday, June 9** at **8:30 PM**.

COCO (2017) PG

(Running time - *105 minutes*) (An animated feature - Disney PIXAR)

(*Best Animated Feature Film - Academy Awards 2018*)

Prior to the screening, starting at 6:30 PM, there will be Music, Games, Free Prizes and an opportunity to purchase BBQ provided by the Curson Café.



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Election

June 5, 2018

PLB ACTIVITY CENTER 7 AM - 8 PM



Movie Calendar

June 2018

FAMILY FRIENDLY FILMS SATURDAYS AT 2 PM

6/2 **Paddington 2 (2017) PG**

103 minutes - Paddington, now happily settled with the Brown family and a popular member of the local community, picks up a series of odd jobs to buy the perfect present for his Aunt Lucy's 100th birthday, only for the gift to be stolen.

6/9 **OUTDOOR MOVIE AT ALANDELE CIRCLE**

6:30 PM GAMES

8:30 PM MOVIE BEGINS

COCO (2017) PG

105 minutes - Aspiring musician Miguel, confronted with his family's ancestral ban on music, enters the Land of the Dead to find his great-great-grandfather, a legendary singer. *(A Disney film) (Best Animated Feature Film – Academy Awards 2018)*

6/16 **Early Man (2018) PG**

89 minutes - Set at the dawn of time when prehistoric creatures and woolly mammoths roamed the earth. Early Man tells the story of Dug, along with sidekick Hognob as they unite his tribe against a mighty enemy Lord Nooth and his Bronze Age City to save their home. *(An animated feature)*

6/23 **Power Rangers (2017) PG-13**

124 minutes - A group of high-school students, who are infused with unique superpowers, harness their abilities in order to save the world.

6/30 **I Kill Giants (2017) NR**

106 minutes - Barbara Thorson struggles through life by escaping into a fantasy life of magic and monsters.

CONTEMPORARY FILMS SUNDAYS AT 2 PM

6/3 **Without a Paddle (2004) PG-13**

95 minutes - After their friend dies, three men decide to fulfill their childhood dream by going on a camping expedition to find the lost D. B. Cooper bounty, with calamitous results.

6/10 **Big Stone Gap (2014) PG-13**

103 minutes - In a small town nestled in the Appalachian Mountains of Virginia, self-proclaimed spinster Ave Maria Mulligan (Ashley Judd) finds her life shaken up and forever changed after learning about a long-buried family secret.

6/17 **Maze Runner: The Death Cure (2018) PG-13**

141 minutes - Young hero Thomas embarks on a mission to find a cure for the deadly disease known as the "Flare".

6/24 **The Three Stooges (2012) PG**

92 minutes - While trying to save their childhood orphanage, *Moe, Larry and Curly* inadvertently stumble into a murder plot and wind up starring in a reality television show.

CRIME PREVENTION TIP



Keep your car's gas tank full and your vehicle well maintained to avoid breakdowns, which may put you in danger.

(Courtesy of LAPD)

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June 2018

ACADEMY AWARDS FINALE! THURSDAYS AT 7 PM

6/7 I, Tonya (2017) R

120 minutes - Ice skater Tonya Harding rises amongst the ranks at the U.S. Figure Skating Championships, but her future in the activity is destroyed when her ex-husband intervenes. This film has a factual basis. (Best Supporting Actress – Academy Awards 2018)

6/14 Blade Runner 2049 (2017) R

164 minutes - A young blade runner's discovery of a long-buried secret leads him to track down former blade runner Rick Deckard, who's been missing for thirty years. This film stars Ryan Gosling and Harrison Ford. (Best Cinematography and Best Visual Effects – Academy Awards 2018)

6/21 Get Out (2017) R

104 minutes - A young African-American visits his white girlfriend's parents for the weekend, where his simmering uneasiness about their reception of him eventually reaches a boiling point. (Best Original Screenplay – Academy Awards 2018)

6/28 Roman J. Israel, Esq. (2017) PG-13

122 minutes - Roman J. Israel, Esq. (Denzel Washington), a driven, idealistic defense attorney, finds himself in a tumultuous series of events that lead to a situation with unfortunate consequences. (Best Actor Nomination – Academy Awards 2018)



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COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

June 2018

Book Discussion Group. Marvin or Marilyn Warsofsky, 323-917-5077. Meets on the second Monday of the month, 6:00 - 7:00 pm, call for location.

Bridge Club. Marianne Tereszczuk, 336-314-5611, Meets Wednesdays 1:00 - 3:00 pm, in the PLB Activity Center.

Chess Club. Harry LeMay, 323-935-4053. Meets Mondays and Saturdays, 10:00 am - 12:00 Noon, in the PLB Activity Center.

Community Garden. The Park La Brea Community Garden, located at the corner of Lindenhurst and Hauser, adjacent to Garage 6, provides small plots for Park La Brea residents to garden. For more information or to be added to the waiting list, email: gardenplb@gmail.com.

Debi Doodles Arts & Crafts After School Workshops.
Debora Gillman, 323-549-5458.
Tuesdays - June 12 and 26 at the PLB Activity Center, **4:00 - 5:30 pm.**

Knitting / Crocheting Group. Mary Jane Hopkins, 323-938-4861. Meets every Thursday, 10:00 am - 12:00 Noon, in the PLB Activity Center.

Plays That Shakespeare Didn't Write. Elliott Witt, 323-272-4197. Meets Sundays, 2:00 - 4:00 pm, in the PLB Activity Center. The new play will be *The Hot l Baltimore* by Lanford Wilson.
The group will resume on June 17.

Quilters. Mary Jane Hopkins, 323-938-4861. Meets every Friday, 10:00 am - 3:00 pm, in the PLB Activity Center.

Modified T'AI CHI for all ages. Jim Evering, 323-938-3490, jever@sbcglobal.net.
Meets Tuesdays & Fridays, 8:30 am - 9:00 am. Informal instruction at 9:00 am. Burnside Circle around the fountain. **Free.**

Writers Circle. Robert Richter, 312-307-9393. Meets every other Tuesday, 7:00 pm, in the PLB Activity Center. The next meeting will be **June 5.**

English as a Second Language (ESL) Conversation Group

Thursdays - June 14 and 28
PLB Activity Center, **7:00 - 8:30 pm.**

Given the international nature of our community it affords residents both native English speakers and non-native speakers an excellent opportunity to meet and have conversations in English at our biweekly ESL Conversation Group. These enjoyable sessions will enable our non-native speakers to expand their English skills. *(Additional native English speakers are always welcome.)*

For more information about this activity, contact Henry Gjestrum, hgjestrum@gmail.com.

In the event of an emergency

FIRST CALL 911

then call

**Park La Brea Patrol at
323-549-5508**

MEDICARE 101

Join us **Wednesday, June 6th (7:00 - 8:00 pm)**

At the Park La Brea Theatre to explore Original Medicare, Medicare Part C, Medigap and Rx coverage.

Meetings are **free** and **fun** educational workshops.

(Specific Proprietary Plans Are Not Covered.)

PLAYGROUND SAFETY

- The **playground** should have safety-tested mats or loose-fill materials (shredded rubber, sand, wood chips, or bark).
- Equipment should be carefully maintained.
- Swing seats should be made of soft materials such as rubber or canvas.
- Make sure children cannot reach any moving parts that might pinch or trap any body parts.
- Never attach – or allow children to attach – ropes, jump ropes, leashes, or similar items to play equipment; children can strangle on these.
- Make sure your children remove helmets and anything looped around their necks.
- Metal, rubber and plastic products can get very hot in the summer, especially under direct sun.
- Do not allow children to play barefoot on the playground.
- **Parents** should supervise children on play equipment to ensure their safety.

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