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Clark County District B Newsletter

Dear Residents,

Thank you for taking the time to stay engaged in the community. We try to keep you informed of upcoming events and things going on around the district. In this month's newsletter, you will find a robust list of activities and events, so check them out and get out and get involved!

With the July 4th holiday approaching, the County, surrounding municipalities and law enforcement agencies are teaming up to enforce a ban on illegal fireworks. Please do not call 911 or 311 to file a report. We want to make sure all emergency and non-emergency call lines are clear so that fire, police and medical calls can be prioritized accordingly on the holiday when we see a high call volume. Residents are encouraged to report the use of illegal fireworks at any time to www.ispyfireworks.com.

For those who acquire fireworks at the Moapa Reservation, we encourage you to light those fireworks at the Moapa Reservation where it is legal to enjoy them. Anywhere else, the only legal fireworks are the Safe-n-Sane Fireworks sold by local non-profit groups throughout the valley. If you are lighting fireworks at home, please only purchase Safe-n-Sane fireworks.

In August we will be hosting a couple of movie in the park events, we look forward to seeing you there. Thanks for all you do to help make our community a great place to live. Happy 4th of July!

Marilyn

Summer Safety Tip

Carry water with you at all times everywhere you go and remember the interior of a car becomes hot quickly. Don't leave pets or children unattended in parked cars.

Cinco de Mayo

We started the month of May with a fiesta! What an event it was! With our community partners LVMPD, live performers, great food and more than 70 vendors, we welcomed over 2,000 people to our best Cinco de Mayo celebration yet! We want to thank everyone who helped plan, contribute, volunteer and came out to the event. Our community partners and volunteers allowed us to have a great event and foster a sense of community in this neighborhood. Thank you!



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THINGS TO DO & UPCOMING EVENTS

July 4 Independence Day Please enjoy your 4th of July festivities with Safe & Sane Fireworks. If you would like to report illegal fireworks please visit <http://www.ispyfireworks.com/> and do not call 9-1-1 or 3-1-1. For more information about firework safety, illegal fireworks and local shows visit <http://redrock.clarkcountynv.gov/fireworks/>

July 6 & 7 Veteran's Benefit Concert starring Wolf Creek Band at the VFW Hall 4347 North Las Vegas Blvd, 89115. The evening will include raffles, auctions, all to benefit our Veterans. Tickets are \$25. Please Call Bob Feeney for tickets and more details (702) 490-7909

July 10 2nd Tuesday No Meeting in July

July 27 Community Safety Event sponsored by Metro's Traffic Safety Bureau. Come have an evening of fun & games, with free food. Veterans Tribute High School 2531 Vegas Drive, 89106 5-9 p.m.

August 3 Movie in the Park Join us for a movie at Shadow Rock Park 2650 Los Feliz St, 89156. We will get started about 7:30 p.m. with snow cones, popcorn and refreshments. Contact Vanessa for more information (702) 455-3522

August 4 Back to School Come see Marilyn for school supplies at Bob Price Recreation Center 10a.m. to noon. Call our office for more details (702) 455-3522

August 10 Silver Mesa Recreation Center Movie at the Park Join us and North Las Vegas Councilman Scott Black for a movie at the park, Silver Mesa Recreation Center 4025 Allen Rd, 89032. We will get started about 7:30 p.m. with snow cones, popcorn and refreshments. Contact Vanessa for more information (702) 455-3522

August 11 Garden Build Southern NV Mental Health Services will be our next build with Green Our Planet. Please join us at 6161 W. Charleston, 89146. We will be starting at 7 a.m.

August 14 2nd Tuesday Cora Coleman Senior Center 2100 Bonnie Lane at 4 p.m. Meet with Metro and Marilyn to discuss neighborhood issues in the 89156 and 89115 areas. Contact Vanessa for more details at (702) 455-3522.

Stay Cool and Have Fun

Visit an Indoor Play Park

Kids' Club Indoor Playground Open
Daily from 10 am to 7 pm

5831 W. Craig Road #103 Las Vegas, NV 89130

(Southeast corner of Craig Rd. and Jones Blvd.) (702) 444-4545

kidsclublasvegas@gmail.com



Kids' Club provides a place to play for children up to 8 years old and offers parents a comfortable place to work and socialize with other adults. Kids' Club is family owned and operated.

The clubhouse is over 8000 square feet and features multiple play structures, a bounce house, a padded gym just for toddlers, an iPad station with free Wi-Fi for parents. Bring a lunch and have a picnic indoors out the heat. Everyone including adults need to wear socks.

Prices: Uniform and teacher discounts available!

\$10 for a single day of play

\$60 for a 10 play pass (Can be used anytime with multiple children)

\$30 for a 30 day pass (Pass holder must show ID – Children from same household only)

1 Child: \$30, 2 children: \$45, 3 children: \$50 & 4 children: \$55

Summer Reading

Head to the library to beat the heat! The Clark County Libraries offer summer reading programs, story hours, crafts and workshops for all ages. We have Centennial Hills Library in the northwest part of our district and Sunrise Library on the eastside. But don't limit yourself, take a day each week of the summer to explore new libraries. Visit <http://www.lvcld.org> for more information

Remember to visit the recreation center in your neighborhood, for community events, field trips, family fun nights and fitness activities.

[Cora Coleman Senior Center](#)

[Bob Price Recreation Center](#)

[Silver Mesa Recreation Center](#)

[Skyview YMCA](#)

[Centennial Hills YMCA](#)

Silver Mesa and the YMCA's have pools. Check out the Hollywood Aquatic Center for a cool pool on the eastside!

Nevada Reading Contest Winners

In March Marilyn invited all of the schools in District B to participate in a reading contest to celebrate Nevada Week. Of the five schools that entered, Helen Herr Elementary School was declared the winner. The school's winning total was 296,147 pages with Ms. Attebery's 5th grade classroom reading 35,969 pages. On May 7, Marilyn, LVMPD and some of our close friends showed up to celebrate with an ice cream party! The ice cream was generously donated by Anderson Dairy, with toppings brought by Marilyn and the Police Protective Association. Visits by Mojave Max, Tommy the Turtle, McGruff, Cosmos from the 51's and last but not least, Chance from the Vegas Golden Knights had everyone cheering and taking pictures! If your school is interested please give us a holler so we



can plan early.

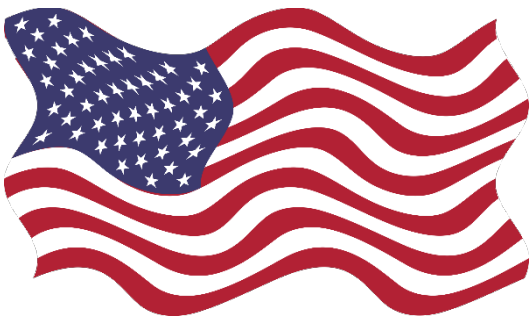


Nevada Reading Contest Winner



Great American Awards

The Great American Awards are a chance for 5th graders in Clark County to show their patriotism. Knowing how hard this is to earn, Marilyn likes to acknowledge the students hard work with a luncheon for them and their parents. This year the students at Guy and Wolfe elementary schools got an extra surprise when Gov. Brian Sandoval not only attended their luncheon, but helped serve it too!



If your school would like to participate please contact our office.



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Youth Fair

In May, the Governor's Office of Workforce Innovation, partnered with the Clark County School District and Clark County to present a Student Workforce and Innovation Summit. More than 200 Clark County high school seniors were able to attend classes on creating or improving your resume, workforce training and resources available after high school. The students got a chance to meet employers who were recruiting and even hiring for current openings. Numerous companies were on hand including MGM Resorts International, Station Casinos, Sierra Air Conditioning, Hirschi Masonry, LLC and Marilyn had a table to speak to students about job opportunities at the County. Please visit <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/clarkcounty>



Green Our Planet



Thank you Green Our Planet for allowing us to participate in the Great Garden Build, May 18. With the help of more than 600 volunteers including Marilyn and staff 12 new gardens were built at Clark County Schools. Our team helped build the newest garden in District B



at Jesse Scott Elementary School.

If you would like to volunteer for future builds please let us know.





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HIDDEN GEM

Each month we highlight a place of interest in our district.

This month we bring you: The Desert National Wildlife Refuge

Encompassing six major mountain ranges and seven distinct life zones, Desert NWR showcases the abundance and variety of nature that can be found in Southern Nevada, all just a short drive from Las Vegas.



Desert National Wildlife Refuge sign (George Gentry, U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service)



Created in 1936 to provide habitat and protection for desert bighorn sheep, Desert NWR is the largest wildlife refuge outside of Alaska. At 1.6 million acres (643,000 hectares), the refuge can cover Rhode Island twice - and still have enough room left over for a quarter of a million football fields. The Desert NWR forms one of the largest intact blocks of desert bighorn sheep habitat remaining in the Southwest. The population fluctuates with ecological conditions.

Although the bighorn sheep are rather elusive there is still plenty to see at the Refuge. The Refuge is home to over 500 plant species and 320 birds! There are other animals and reptiles, but due to hot temperatures they are best sighted during the evening and night times.

The Corn Creek Visitor's Center is a great place to start. The 11,000 square-foot building has interpretive exhibits, a gift shop/bookstore, classrooms, and administrative offices. You can also enjoy a beautiful film all about the refuge and the many species of wildlife that call it home.

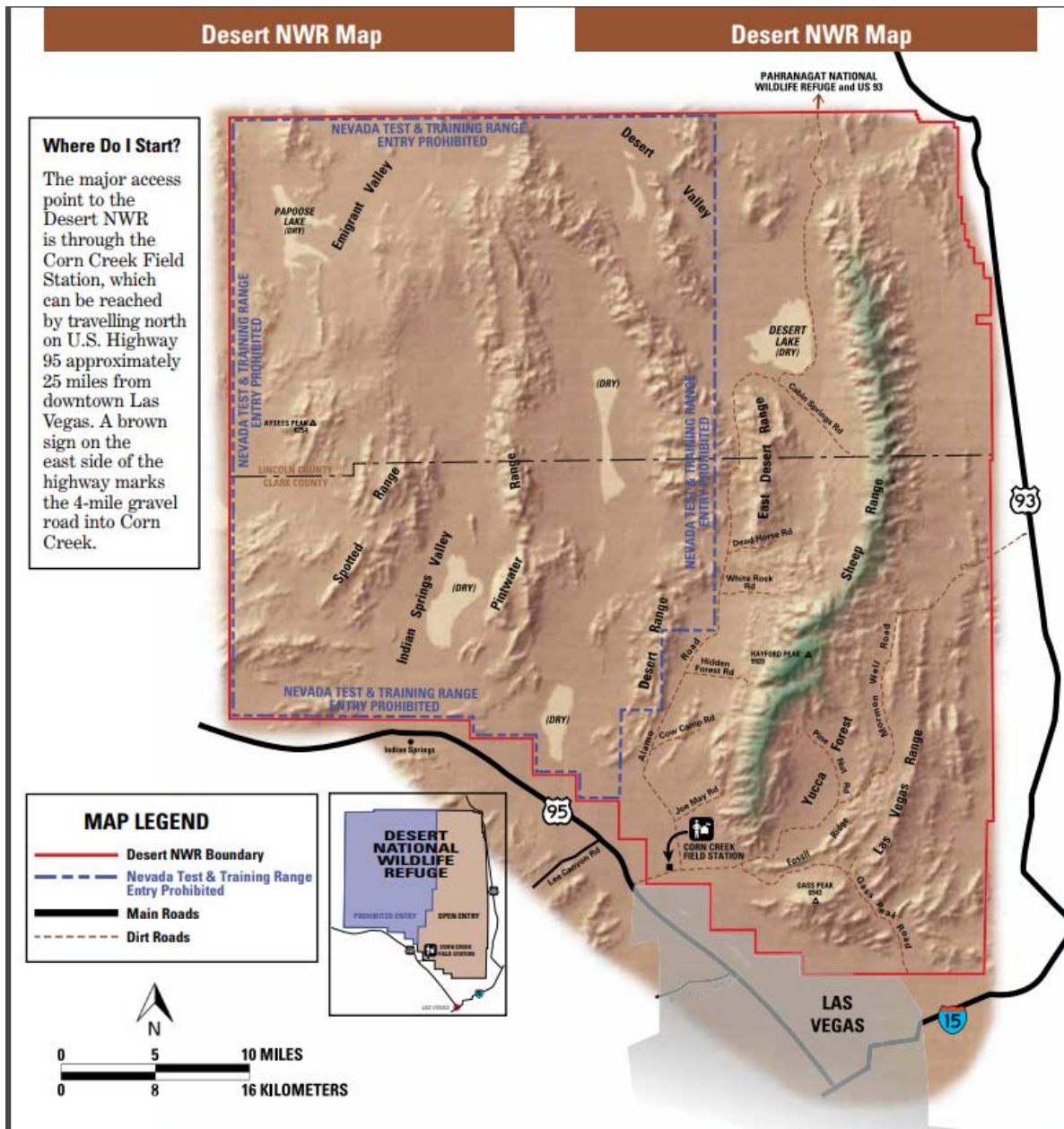
The Desert National Wildlife Refuge Visitor Center has new hours for summer 2018.

Friday, 8 a.m. – 3 p.m., Saturday, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m., Sunday, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Monday, 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. CLOSED: Tuesday - Thursday

Visitors are encouraged to visit <https://www.facebook.com/DesertNWR/> or call (702) 879-6110, for last-minute changes to visitor center hours or for more information about the refuge.

The roads that lead to the higher elevations are accessible only to trucks and 4-wheel drive vehicles. The walkways and trails near the visitor center are paved and handicap accessible. Hiking, camping and horseback riding are allowed, please visit https://www.fws.gov/refuge/Desert/visit/plan_your_visit.html for rules and guidelines for these



activities.



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Great Unconformity Cleanup

We are so grateful to all the folks who showed up to the cleanup at the Great Unconformity. This area will require an ongoing effort to make it great again, but we have to start somewhere. With the BLM and LVMPD watching over the area we hope to slow the destruction



and dumping that has become a regular problem on the mountain. We will let you know when we head out again to continue the cleanup effort.



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The topic of the month of June for both meetings was illegal fireworks. With the 4th of July right around corner LVMPD really wants to get the word out about new program to stop

Las Vegas-area police and fire are cracking down on the illegal use of fireworks to an extent that hasn't been seen in two decades.

Offenders are subject to \$1,000 citations (& up to 6 months in jail) and may be liable for fireworks disposal fees running into the hundreds of dollars.

Officers can't be everywhere, but don't risk it!



Fireworks were responsible for an estimated 11,100 injuries 2016.

Children younger than 15 years of age make up almost one-third of the injuries. The noise scares pets and can be disturbing to veterans and those suffering from post-traumatic stress syndrome. Additionally, fireworks pollute our air. It is estimated that local fire departments respond to 50,000+ fires caused by fireworks each year.

Only "safe and sane" fireworks are allowed to be used, except in cases of commercial shows. But not all "safe and sane" fireworks are legal in Clark County and its cities. The best way to ensure that your fireworks are not illegal is to buy from locally licensed and inspected fireworks booths.

**You Light It,
We Write It**

To report illegal fireworks, DO NOT call 9-1-1 or 3-1-1. Instead, report complaints online at:

www.ISpyFireworks.com

(Information will be used to document areas of concern and plan future law enforcement action.)

www.YouLightItWeWriteIt.Vegas

illegal fireworks.



Surprise for Marilyn

Usually the commissioners honor the good people of our community, but at the May 15 Board of County Commissioners meeting Nellis Air Force Base did a little reversal and recognized Marilyn. Colonel Paul Murray presented Marilyn with a proclamation and a key to the base to acknowledge the work that has been accomplished in the community surrounding the base. Also for the relationship that Marilyn has built between Nellis and the community.



East Carey Road

One of the projects that Marilyn has worked closely with Nellis AFB is the Carey Road Alignment. Through cooperation of Clark County and Nellis, right of way issues were resolved to make way for Carey to become a continuous road. When completed folks will no longer have to travel through a neighborhood to go from Nellis to Mt Hood. On May 17, Marilyn, Colonel Murray and residents broke ground to recognize the final approval for this project. Marilyn presented Colonel Murray with a street sign calling the extension “Dino Drive”, after the



colonel's nickname.

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Nellis AFB Change of Command

On Thursday, May 24, Nellis Air Force Base 99th Air Base Wing changed command from Colonel Paul Murray to Colonel Cavan Craddock. Our new Colonel comes to us from his last assignment Pearl Harbor Hickam, Hawaii. We will miss Colonel Murray, but heartily welcome Colonel Craddock and look forward to our continued partnership with Nellis AFB. There will be many new members coming to our area as the command changes. Please join us and welcome them to our community.



Air Force photograph by Senior Airman Kevin Tanenbaum

Col. Cavan Craddock assumes command of the 99th Air Base Wing during a change of command ceremony in the Thunderbirds Hangar on Nellis Air Force Base, Nev., May 24, 2018. Craddock assumed command of the 99th ABW from Col. Paul Murray during a ceremony presided over by Maj. Gen. Peter Gersten, United States Warfare Center commander.

Summer Activities & Events for Summer Fun

Splash Bash Summer Kick-off

Bob Price Recreation Center got the summer going with their Splash Bash on May 26. Water slides and slip-n-slides along with lunch provided by the Police Protective Association made for a great way



to start the summer!



Nellis BMX

Nellis BMX, located at Nellis Meadows Park, Nellis and Cheyenne, provides BMX racing for boys, girls, and adults from age 2 to over 60.

The Nellis track is built on land owned by Clark County, and is a non-profit, self-supporting organization that has been operating since 1984. All money collected through registration, concessions, raffles, etc., is used to keep the track operational and safe. The races are run by the parent volunteers and others who help to organize the racing schedule, track maintenance, and repairs and run the local races

All new participants, are allowed to try BMX racing for FREE. To participate, riders need a bike, long sleeve shirt, long pants, and a helmet (you don't have one, we have some you can borrow). We are open on Mondays for practice 6 to 8 p.m., and Wednesdays for racing, sign-ups are 6 to 7 p.m., racing to follow. We recommend that all first-time riders come on Mondays so we can spend time showing you and your parents the "Olympic" sport of BMX. You can also follow us on Facebook. Nellis BMX or call Mac (702)445-5203 or John (702)523-4800 for more information. Hope to see you soon!



Try something new for the Summer

Head out to the Clark County Shooting Complex this summer and pick a new hobby.

“LEARN TO SHOOT” SPORTING CLAYS

WITH NATIONAL SPORTING CLAYS ASSOCIATION CERTIFIED INSTRUCTOR, JASON LENHART

TWO CLASSES OFFERED EACH FRIDAY MORNING AT 9AM AND 10:45AM

Just \$49/student!

LIMITED TO 3 STUDENTS EACH

Includes:

Clays Cart transportation provided by the instructor

Firearms rental

Eye & ear protection

50 rounds of ammunition per student

Sporting Clay Targets on our World-Class course



A great follow-up to our “Learn to Shoot” Trap class

Reserve your spot at the Shotgun Center, drop by or call **702-455-2007** Wednesday – Sunday
Or, contact Jason by email at Jason.Lenhart@ClarkCountyNV.gov

Maybe you would like to try a bow and arrow, stop by the Archery Range and learn how! Don't forget to stop and grab a bite to eat at John Mull's Road Kill Grill.

Have you ever thought about learning how to shoot a bow?

Now is your chance to learn at the

Clark County Shooting Complex Archery Range!



Website



Trap · Skeet · Sporting Clays · Archery · Rifle · Pistol · Education Center

11357 N. Decatur Blvd., Las Vegas, NV
(702) 455-2000

www.ClarkCountyNV.gov/ShootingComplex
shootingcomplexinfo@ClarkCountyNV.gov

Summer Night Fun

CLARK COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION PRESENTS

LATE NITE SOLUTIONS

Bob Price Community Center
2050 Bonnie Lane
Las Vegas, NV 89156
702-455-1233

AGES 14 - 24
Every Thursday Beginning June 7, 2018
7:00pm – 11:00 pm

FREE

G.I.T. Gang Intervention Team

METROPOLITAN POLICE

CLARK COUNTY NEVADA PARKS & RECREATION

Steve Sisolak (Chairman), Chris Giunchigliani (Vice Chairman), Larry Brown, Lawrence Weekly, Marilyn Kirkpatrick, James Gibson, and Susan Brager.

Southern Nevada Health District

Summer weather has officially arrived, bringing barbecues and pool parties with the long hot days. Here are some tips to enjoy your favorite activities and stay safe.

Pool Safety

Ensure you have a Water Watcher whenever children are around water and take 3 steps to prevent drowning.

- **Patrol:** always designate an adult to be a Water Watcher when children are in pools, lakes or even bathtubs. It takes just seconds for a child to be submerged.
- **Protect:** install barriers between the home and the pool that includes fences, locks and alarms.
- **Prepare:** create a safety plan that includes having a phone nearby, knowing CPR skills, having rescue tools available, and enrolling children in swim classes.

In 2017, there were 53 non-fatal submersion incidents and 10 fatal drownings in Clark County. On average, 80 percent of these occurred in swimming pools.

Learn more about the Nevada Water Watcher program at GetHealthyClarkCounty.org.

For more summer safety tips visit

<http://www.southernnevadahealthdistrict.org/news18/20180525-Summers-here-keep-it-safe.php>



Watch for the mobile immunization clinic in your area to get an early jump on back to school vaccines.

We're bringing immunizations to your neighborhood

1st & 3rd Wednesdays
10am–1pm
Windmill Library
7060 W. Windmill Ln.
Las Vegas, NV 89113

2nd & 4th Mondays
10am–1pm
Skyview YMCA
3050 E. Centennial Pkwy.
North Las Vegas, NV 89081

4th Tuesday
9am–12pm
Wells Park
1640 Price St.
Henderson, NV 89011



Walk-ups welcome. No appointment necessary.
Please bring your immunization records.

For more locations and information, please visit
www.SNHD.info/mobile-clinic

Thank you for taking a moment to look into District B.

Please reach out to us with community events, questions or requests for information.

Contact our office at (702) 455-3504 or

Vanessa

Newsletter Editor at (702) 455-3522

Email:

Vanessa.aguayo-barker@clarkcounty.nv.gov

If you would like to be removed from this list, or have someone who would like to be added, please [email Vanessa](#).

Thank you to Nevada Consumer Affairs and the Public Utilities Commission of Nevada for alerting us to this possible scam:

This is from the PUCN:

We have confirmed with NV Energy "It appears to be solar-related . . . However, there does not seem to be a legitimate company name associated with the phone number."

NV Energy has informed they "have forwarded the information contact

NOTICE - NV ENERGY CUSTOMERS

Renewable Energy Law AB405 now requires NV Energy to help Clark County residents convert to renewable energy. With the Federal Government ITC and SolarGenerations Electric Incentive from NV Energy-homeowners will be able to install solar panels if the home qualifies. These installations have zero up front cost, and residents already participating in this program are saving up to 30% on their annual energy cost. Inspections will be held first-come, first-serve basis. To schedule an inspection please call 702-670-8493

center group to further research as part of the scam-related process."

Please call Peter Costas at the Public Utilities Commission if you have any further questions (702)486-7210

Monthly Crime Prevention Tip from Metro:

See Something Say Something Initiative

SECURE YOUR FIREARM: If you own a firearm be sure that it is stored properly so that unauthorized users and children cannot access them. Purchase a gun safe or use trigger locks.



Make Summer Delicious

FREE Breakfast and Lunch Being Served in Your Community to All Children Under 18

No enrollment required



WAYS TO FIND A SITE NEAR YOU:

1. VISIT WWW.CCSDFS.INFO/SUMMER
2. CALL 1-866-348-6479 OR TEXT "SUMMER MEALS" TO 97779
3. USE YOUR SMARTPHONE TO SCAN THE QR CODE



THIS INSTITUTION IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY PROVIDER.

You may also visit [CCSD meal locator website](#) which lets you type in your address to find the location closest to your home and provides the dates and hours meals are available

