

Art in the Park

Art in the Park is scheduled for **Sunday, August 26**, between 11:00 am and 5:00 pm, at Jackson Park, located on Park Avenue and San Jose Avenue. This annual event is an opportunity for local artists to display and sell their “works of art.” This includes artists participating in the various arts and craft classes offered at Mastick Senior Center. *Visit Mastick’s booth and discover the possibilities!*

AARP Driver Safety Program

AARP Driver Safety Program is the largest classroom driver refresher course specifically designed for motorists who are 50 and older! This eight-hour course is taught in two, four-hour sessions over a two-day period and is offered **Wednesdays, September 5 & 12**, from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm in Room D. *Preregistration is a must.* There is a \$10 per person fee with checks (ONLY) made payable to AARP. *Ask your insurance agent about automobile insurance discounts.*

Computer Classes

Alameda Adult School instructors provide computer instruction in a friendly, relaxed atmosphere at Mastick Center. The fall quarter begins **Tuesday, September 4**, and runs through **November 30, 2007**. Class instruction is provided *free* through the Alameda Adult School. There is a \$7 materials fee. Registration forms outlining fall class offerings and prerequisite information are available in the Coffee Area. *Sign up in the office or call 747-7506.*

The fall quarter class offerings are as follows:

Monday..... Introduction to the Internet

Tuesday.....Microsoft Office Suite

Wednesday....Windows OS

Thursday.....Introduction to Computers

Friday.....Quicken

Tuesday am...Basic Graphics/Paint Shop Pro 2

Impariamo L’Italiano

Whether you are learning Italian for the first time or brushing up on your skills, this class is designed for you. Join us on Fridays beginning **September 7**, at 10:00 am in Room D. **Donatella Zepplin**, Instructor. Sign up in the office or call 747-7506.

“A good way to forget your troubles is to help others out of theirs.”

Conversational Spanish: Beginning & Advanced Blanca Beal, Alameda Adult School instructor, returns to teach Conversational Spanish on Wednesdays beginning **September 5, 2007**, in Dining Room 2. Beginning Spanish will be the focus from 9:30 am to 10:30 am with Advanced Spanish the focus from 10:40 am to 11:40 am. Reserve a seat for this popular class by placing your name on the roster in the Mastick office or calling 747-7506.

Bay Area Issues & Places by Public Transportation

Learn to master the public transportation system in a supportive environment! **Donna Carruth**, Alameda Adult School instructor, will shed light on the various transportation systems available in the Bay Area. Travel to various Bay Area destinations using a myriad of transportation modes. Sturdy walking shoes and a jacket are a must. *Register on Monday, September 10, 2007, at 10:30 am Room D.*

Cultural Events

The Cultural Events class, offered by the College of Alameda, provides an avenue to explore art, music, dramatic performances, literature, lectures, discussion, and travel to cultural and theatrical performances. This class meets on Wednesdays at 1:30 pm in Dining Room 2 and is scheduled to resume on **September 12**, at 1:00 pm in Dining Room 2. Transportation to cultural performance is provided via *City of Alameda Measure B monies. Nominal class fees.* To reserve a seat, visit the Office or call 747-7506.

Creative Writing

This class will address the art and the craft of writing—the magic and the work of making art with words. The class will include a writing workshop with weekly writing assignments, lectures, discussions, in-class writing exercises, and outside examples of poetry and literature. **Carrie Pickett**, Instructor, will return on **Tuesdays**, beginning **September 25**, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 pm in the Media Room. *Fee class.*

In Memory

Albert P. Berding

“Our condolences to family and friends.”