

Weekly E-News

News



2025 Holiday Schedule

- New Year's Day: Wednesday, January 1, 2025
- Memorial Day: Monday, May 26, 2025
- Independence Day: Friday, July 4, 2025
- Labor Day: Monday, September 1, 2025
- Thanksgiving Day: Thursday, November 27, 2025
- Christmas Day: Thursday, December 25, 2025

WHEN THE HOLIDAY FALLS ON A WEEKDAY, TRASH COLLECTION FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE WEEK WILL BE DELAYED BY ONE DAY

UWS 2025 Holiday Schedule

Please be advised that UWS will observe the following holidays in 2025. When a holiday falls on a weekday, trash collection for the remainder of the week will be delayed by one day:

- New Year's Day: Wednesday, January 1
- Memorial Day: Monday, May 26
- Independence Day: Friday, July 4
- Labor Day: Monday, September 1
- Thanksgiving Day: Thursday, November 27
- Christmas Day: Thursday, December 25

HOLIDAY TREE DISPOSAL

(Residential)

CHRISTMAS TREE/FOLIAGE
WILL BE COLLECTED FROM
DECEMBER 26, 2024
THROUGH JANUARY 17, 2025

Please Remember:

No artificial trees or foliage
Remove all decorations & tinsel

Place the tree at the curb next to the bins on your regular collection day
Do not block streets, alleyways, or sidewalks



Holiday Tree Disposal

From **December 26, 2024**, through **January 17, 2025**, you can easily dispose of your holiday tree with UWS curbside collection service.

Please remember the following guidelines:

- **No artificial trees or foliage** will be accepted.
- **Remove all decorations and tinsel** from the tree before placing it out for collection.
- **Place the tree at the curb next to your bins** on your regular collection day.
- **Do not block streets, alleyways, or sidewalks** to ensure safe access for collection vehicles.

After **January 17, 2025**, customers will need to call UWS at (562) 941-4900 and schedule a pickup for their tree as a **bulky item**.

GOOD EVENING,
Los Alamitos!
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Tuesday, January 28, 2025
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Milestones + Destinations:
Looking Back, Moving Forward

Los Alamitos Community Center
10911 Oak Street
Complimentary hors d'oeuvres will be served

For more information, please visit: www.cityoflosalamitos.org

Good Evening Los Alamitos

Join us on January 28th from 6:30–8:00 PM for an evening of reflection and celebration!

This year's theme: "Milestones + Destinations: Looking Back, Moving Forward."

We will revisit all past accomplishments and set our sights on the road ahead.

10911 Oak Street • Free event

All are welcome!

Complimentary Hors d'oeuvres

Mark your calendars and don't miss out on this unforgettable evening!

Registration is not required but

recommended. To register, please visit:

<https://Goodeveninglosalamitos.eventbrite.com>



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are currently looking for residents to apply for open positions on our City's Commissions. Applications are now being accepted!

We need help with:

- Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Commission
- Personnel Appeals Commission
- Planning Commission

Commissioners are appointed for a term of three years (with the exception of Personnel Appeals Commission is appointed for a four year term). To qualify, you must be a registered voter in the City.

APPLICATION DEADLINE EXTENDED: JANUARY 31, 2025

COMMISSIONER'S ROLE:

- Attend monthly meetings
- Provide valuable feedback on City programs and policies
- Engage with the community

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT
Eleanor Granfor, Deputy City Clerk ☎ (562) 431-3538 ext. 221
✉ cityclerk@cityoflosalamitos.org 🌐 www.cityoflosalamitos.org

Annual Commission Recruitment

The City is looking for volunteers! Our annual Commission Recruitment has been extended. Applicants must be at least 18 years of age, be a registered voter in Los Alamitos, and have a passion for serving the community!

More Information can be found on the City's website:
<https://cityoflosalamitos.org/161/Boards-Commissions-Committee> **The new deadline to submit an application is January 31, 2025.**

Notices will be published on our website and social media outlets. Incumbents will be notified and encouraged to reapply. Below is a list of upcoming vacancies:

- **Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts** – 1 vacant unexpired position, expiring December 2025.
- **Personnel Appeals Commission** – 4 positions, expiring December 2028.
- **Planning** – 5 positions, expiring December 2027.



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AVAILABILITY NOTICE FOR THE FOLLOWING COMMISSIONS
PARKS, RECREATION, AND CULTURAL ARTS, PERSONNEL APPEALS, AND PLANNING COMMISSIONS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the City of Los Alamitos encourages residents to apply for open positions on City Commissions. Applications are now being accepted for the listed commissions.

PARKS, RECREATION, AND CULTURAL ARTS COMMISSION

This is a seven-member Commission, which meets at 7:00 p.m. on the first Wednesday of each month.

The Commission is responsible for advising the City Council in all matters pertaining to public recreations and parks, including problems relating to development of recreational areas, facilities, programs and services, formulating policies on recreational services, and programming yearly events within the community that promote the fine arts.

1 vacant position, expiring December 2025

PERSONNEL APPEALS COMMISSION

This is a five-member Commission, which meets on an as-needed basis and serves a four year term.

The Personnel Appeals Commission receives and hears appeals on personnel matters.

Members of the Personnel Appeals Commission may serve concurrently on an additional commission.

4 full-term positions, expiring December 2028
**Subject to change with further City Council direction*

PLANNING COMMISSION

This is a seven-member Commission, which meets at 7:00 p.m. on the fourth Wednesday of each month.

The Commission is responsible for making recommendations to the City Council regarding the implementation of the City's General Plan and zoning ordinances, as well as reviewing development proposals.

5 full-term positions, expiring December 2027
**Subject to change with further City Council direction*

Members of the City Commissions are appointed for a three year term (with the exception of Personnel Appeals Commission is appointed for a four year term), and subject to removal, by majority approval of the City Council and must be qualified directors (registered voters) of the City. No person shall be appointed to the City Commission who holds any salaried public office of employment within the City government.

APPLICATION DEADLINE EXTENDED TO 01/31/2025

City Clerk's Office
3191 Katella Ave., Los Alamitos, CA 90720 ☎ (562) 431-3538 ext. 221 ✉ cityclerk@cityoflosalamitos.org
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Recreation and Community Services



Adult Soccer

Last call for the Winter Adult Soccer Season! Whether you're a seasoned pro or a casual kicker, our adult soccer league is the perfect way to stay fit, have fun, and relive the glory days. The City of Los Alamitos Recreation and Community Services offers divisions for both Men and Women. Registration for the Winter Season will close on Thursday, January 2. Form a team and get registered now.



Divisions Offered:

- Wednesday Men's 7 v 7 35 and Over
- Thursday Women's 7 v 7 30 and Over
- Sunday Men's 7 v 7 45 and Over

[Register Here](#)



Long Beach Table Tennis Club

We are five days away from the start of Winter League! League play consists of grouped competition based on skill level where participants can improve their skill rating as the league progresses. The top four finalists from each division in the league will compete in a playoff for placement. The Winter league will begin on January 8.



In addition to league play, drop-in play occurs year-round on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Saturdays at the Oak Middle School Gym (10821 Oak St.). Whether it is your first time playing or you are a seasoned pro, this program is an excellent opportunity to increase your skillset through friendly and fun competition.

Please click [here](#) for dates, times, and pricing.

[League Play](#)



Preschool Sports - Basketball



[Register Here](#)

We're in the fourth quarter and overtime is not in the plan. Seal the game by registering now for Parent & Me Basketball (2-3 years old) and Jr. Pee Wee Basketball (4-5 years old)! These five-week programs are designed to introduce your little ones to the sport of basketball. Participants will learn basketball skills through clinic-style and game-based sessions. Skills that will be covered include dribbling, passing, defense, and shooting. Classes will be led by Recreation Staff and an award is included in the fee.

Dates: Thursdays, 1/09 - 2/06

**Location: Oak Middle School Gym
(10821 Oak St.)**



By joining this Jr. Clippers League, your child has an opportunity to play in a pro-style Clippers jersey, score a free ticket voucher to select games at Intuit Dome, and much more. Hope to see you on the hardwood!

Youth Basketball League

Last call for the Los Alamitos Youth Basketball League (Grades K-8)! Next week, teams will be practicing and dribbling into basketball fun. This is an opportunity you do not want to miss. **Get registered now before it's too late.**

[Register Here](#)



Pick-up Basketball

Looking for a nice indoor gym to hoop? Join us for Pick-Up Basketball on Tuesdays from 8:30 – 10:00 p.m. at the Oak Middle School Gym (10821 Oak St.) The drop-in price is \$5 cash per person. Come solo or bring friends and rotate through games of basketball. **Must be at least 18 years old.** All skill levels welcome! This is a great opportunity to have some basketball fun, get some exercise, and meet new people.



Los Alamitos Aquatics Program

Youth Swim Lessons are available now at the MWR Aquatic Training Center at the Los Alamitos Joint Forces Training Base! There are 2-day-a-week and 1-day-a-week options and a variety of times to fit your schedule. Space is limited in some classes, so make sure to register as soon as possible!

[Click Here](#)



Pickleball Time at the Los Alamitos Joint Forces Training Base Gym

The Los Alamitos Recreation and Community Services Department offers open-play pickleball on Tuesdays and Thursdays at the Los Alamitos Joint Forces Training Base Gym (11360 Valley Forge Ave, Los Alamitos, CA 90720). Two time slots are available on Tuesdays and Thursdays: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. and 5:00 – 8:00 p.m. Come see what the pickleball buzz is all about!



The drop-in fee per session is \$5 per person (cash only). A monthly membership option is available for \$30 which grants you access to all sessions throughout the month. Monthly memberships are purchased online.

All participants entering the Joint Forces Training Base must have a valid



Winter Brochure

The 2025 City of Los Alamitos Winter Recreation printed brochure is here now. There are so many new and exciting classes you don't want to miss!. The MemorialCare Miller Children's & Women's Hospital Long Beach Scholarships are also available for eligible Los Alamitos residents.



Senior Programs

For more information please click below

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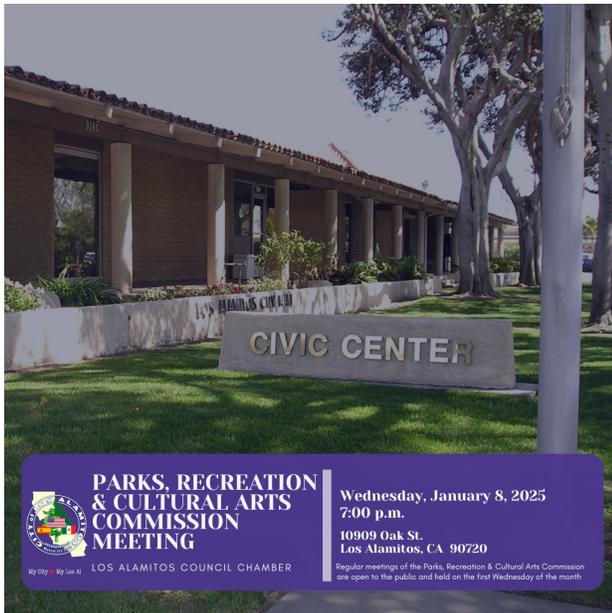
For more details on all
City events,
please visit our online calendar at:
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Business Calendar

Upcoming City Meetings



The Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Commission will meet in person Wednesday, January 8, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. at the Community Center 2 located at 10909 Oak St., Los Alamitos, CA 90720

Full agenda details can be found on the City's website at: <http://cityoflosalamitos.org/129/Agendas-Minutes>

Upcoming Schedule City Business

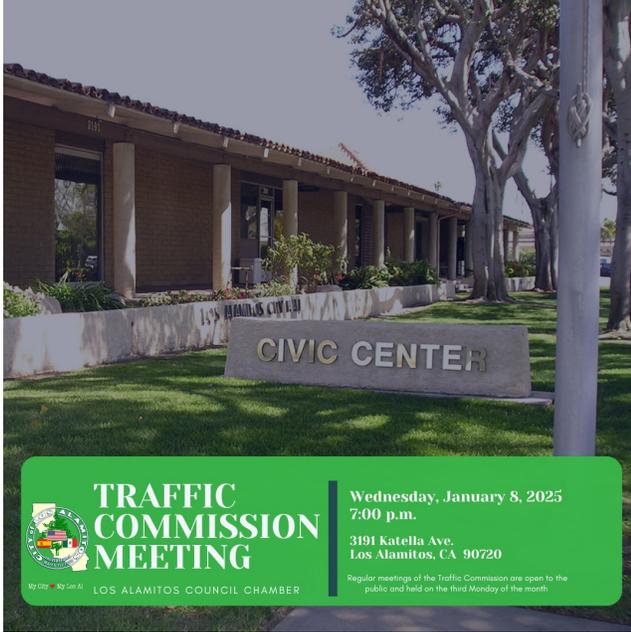
UPCOMING SCHEDULE CITY BUSINESS

- JAN 21** CITY COUNCIL
6:00 p.m. - Third Monday of the Month
- JAN 8*** PARKS, RECREATION, AND CULTURAL ARTS COMMISSION 7:00 p.m. - Special Meeting
* Cancelled January 1 Regular Meeting
- JAN 22** PLANNING COMMISSION
7:00 p.m. - Special Meeting
* Cancelled December Regular Meeting
- JAN 8*** TRAFFIC COMMISSION
7:00 p.m. - Second Wednesday of the Month
* Cancelled December Regular Meeting

Full Agenda Details Online:
<http://cityoflosalamitos.org/129/Agendas-Minutes>

The City Council and appointed Commissions meet regularly to discuss City businesses. Meetings are open to the public and your input is always welcome and appreciated. You can sign up to receive notifications every time a new agenda is posted on the City's website here: <http://cityoflosalamitos.org/List.aspx>

The Traffic Commission will meet in person Wednesday, January 8, 2025 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber located at 3191 Katella Ave., Los Alamitos, CA 90720



Full agenda details can be found on the City's website at:

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TRAFFIC COMMISSION MEETING

Wednesday, January 8, 2025
7:00 p.m.
3191 Katella Ave.
Los Alamitos, CA 90720

Regular meetings of the Traffic Commission are open to the public and held on the third Monday of the month.

LOS ALAMITOS COUNCIL CHAMBER

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