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OCTOBER 2023



- October 7: Cypress Run
- October 17: State of the City
- October 19: Mayor's Prayer Breakfast
- October 25: Women's Conference
- November 10: Veterans Day Observance (City Closed, No Street Sweeping)
- November 23-24: Thanksgiving (City Closed, No Street Sweeping)

Celebrate Cypress Month

October is Celebrate Cypress month and we're excited to bring you a series of events for the whole family! From the Cypress Run to our 2023 State of the City, there's something for everyone to enjoy and celebrate the wonderful city we call home. Details on page 4.

City of Cypress Apdates

iRHYTHM°

MADE IN CYPRESS



Meet iRhythm Technologies, a digital healthcare company that creates solutions to detect, predict and prevent disease. A patient-first company, iRhythm is setting the standard for how cardiac arrhythmias – irregular heart rhythms– are diagnosed and aspires to be the world leader in the management of cardiac arrhythmia information.

The most common form of cardiac arrhythmia is atrial fibrillation (also known as AFib), which affects up to six million people in the United States – a number expected to balloon to 12 million by 2030. While there are therapies that can treat arrhythmias, doctors need to first diagnose it. This is where iRhythm comes in with its Zio ECG heart monitoring devices that continuously record your heart rhythm for up to 14 days, helping doctors more accurately diagnose AFib and other arrhythmias. Over six million people have worn iRhythm's Zio ECG heart monitoring devices!

iRhythm was founded in 2008. Its Cypress location specializes in manufacturing Zio monitors, data intake, quality reviews, engineering, and distribution. We are thrilled to have such an innovative company as part of our business community here in Cypress!

SHOP LOCALLY AT THE CYPRESS FARMERS MARKET



Stop by the Cypress Certified Farmers Market every Saturday from 9 AM-2 PM to shop for fresh produce, prepared foods, and local products! Located in the Cottonwood Church Parking Lot on the corner of Katella and Lexington.

BE COYOTE CONSCIOUS



In an effort to reshape coyote behavior in our community, we encourage all residents to review the City's comprehensive Coyote Management Plan. The plan provides helpful guidance for residents to effectively respond to coyotes in their neighborhood. View the plan at cyopressca.org/coyote.

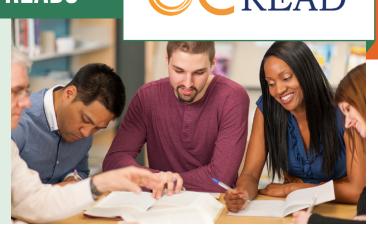
Additionally, if you encounter a coyote, please report it at (714) 229-3381 or coyotereport@cypressca.org. Thank you for playing an active role in coyote management.

IMPROVE YOUR SKILLS WITH OC READS

Did you know that 1 in 4 adults in Orange County read below the 8th-grade level?

If you are an adult looking to improve your reading and writing skills, apply for OC Reads! In collaboration with Orange County Public Libraries, OC Reads provides foundational 1-on-1 tutoring for English-speaking adults.

Further your work, family, and personal goals today! To learn more and become a learner, visit ocread.org or call (714) 566-3070.



PLANNING UPDATE: THE SQUARE

A bustling hub of retail, dining, and hospitality is soon to emerge at The Square. With Trader Joe's in full swing, the majority of retail spaces will open their doors this year. First to open will be Yoga Six and BLK Dot Coffee. Yoga Six, is a renowned yoga studio known for its invigorating classes and serene ambiance. BLK Dot Coffee, will debut its eighth location at The Square, and offer a variety of coffee drinks and breakfast items. Board and Brew, a popular sandwich shop known for its craft beer selection, and Kebab Shop, a fast-casual Mediterranean takeout spot, will open in the Fall. Finally, El Zarape, an authentic Mexican restaurant, will open in January. With its vibrant ambiance, and a menu featuring traditional dishes, El Zarape will continue to be a favorite dining destination for locals and visitors alike.

The Square's development doesn't stop at retail and dining. In January 2024, the highly anticipated Acadia luxury apartment building will open its doors, providing residents with upscale living spaces and a host of amenities. Spring 2024 will also mark the opening of Homewood Suites by Hilton, a new hotel offering top-notch hospitality services and comfortable accommodations.

With such a diverse tenant mix, The Square is sure to be a success here in Cypress!







Mayor Mallari has been out in the community connecting with residents at various events. From sharing impressions of our City to identifying opportunities for growth, we're excited to hear what "Cypress Says". See what your neighbors have to say about Cypress and its "powerful" features!

QUESTION:

If Cypress had a superpower, what would it be?

"Power of Kindness"

"Tight-Knit Community!"

"One of the Kindest Cities I've Ever Lived In!"

"Fun!"

Celebrate Cypress Month

Mark your calendars for a series of exciting community events in October!



FRIDAY
OCTOBER 6
5-9 PM
&
SATURDAY
OCTOBER 7
12-8 PM

Oak Knoll Park • 5700 Orange Ave.

Chili & Salsa Contest · Live Entertainment
Kids Area · Business & Craft Booths
Car Show · Line Dancing · and more!

FREE shuttle is back!

cypressfestival.com



Saturday, October 7 Civic Center Green





Please plan accordingly as there will be street closures from 2:30-9:30 AM for the safety of all participants.

THE CITY

Learn more at cypressca.org/stateofthecity

OCTOBER 17, 2023 5:30-8 PM CIVIC CENTER GREEN

Join Mayor Mallari and the Cypress City Council for the 2023 State of the City. This event is **OPEN TO THE PUBLIC** and **FREE** to attend.



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Throw on your favorite costume and join us for a spooktacular Halloween themed escape room. Teens can expect a night out with friends enjoying tasty pizza and creating spine-tingling memories.

Spots are limited, save your spot by registering today at cypressca.org/teensnightout

Location: Cypress Community Center

Date: October 13, 2023

Time: 6 – 9 PM Course: 9372



Check out our Kids Night Out program this fall! Full of fun-themed activities, delicious pizza, and a movie screening to end the evening, your little one will surely have a night to remember without the expensive price tag!

This program is popular, register early at cypressca.org/kidsnightout

Location: Cypress Community Center

Ages: **5 – 12** Time: **6 – 10 PM**

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FALL ACTIVITY GUIDE



Register for a fall class or activity today!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



It's never too early to start planning for the holidays!



HOLIDAY DECORATING CONTEST

Our Holiday Decorating Contest will bring the holiday spirit to your home or business with new categories for everyone to get involved!

For more information please visit cypressca.org/holiday-decorating.

Deadline to enter the contest is Friday, December 15 at 5 PM.

HOLIDAY SING AND TREE LIGHTING

Kick the season off with our 2023 Holiday Sing and Tree Lighting on Tuesday, December 5, at 6 PM. Bring your whole family, friends, and neighbors to start a season of celebration. The event is FREE to attend!

To learn more about our upcoming event, please visit cypressca.org/communityevents

Your Next Adventure Starts at the Senior Center

9031 Grindlay St. M-F | 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM (714) 229-6670

NEED A RIDE?



Are you a senior with places to go and people to see, but no way to get there? The City of Cypress offers two FREE transportation programs to help you get where you need to go!

Nutrition Transportation: If you are 60 years or older, a Cypress resident, and participate in the Lunch Café nutrition program, there is free transportation available to and from the senior center.

Taxi Voucher Program: Curb to curb taxi service for Cypress seniors over the age of 60 for medical and medically related appointments, grocery shopping, banking, visiting the Cypress Senior Center, or visiting a relative in a hospital.

To learn more and schedule an appointment for one of our transportation programs, please call (714) 229-6670.

INTERIOR IMPROVEMENT PROJECT UPDATE

The Senior Center is undergoing interior improvements that are projected to be complete by January 2024. During this time the Senior Center will remain open Monday-Friday from 8-5 PM. Staff are working hard to provide the best service and programs to our patrons at this time. We appreciate your patience during this process and are excited to make these much needed improvements that will benefit the Senior Center in the years to come.

RECOGNIZE A HOMETOWN VETERAN!



Cypress is home to Veterans from all branches of the armed forces and we want to honor them this fall through our Veterans Recognition Program.

Honorees will be recognized at a Cypress City Council Meeting and their photo and biography will be displayed in the City Hall lobby. If you know a Veteran, please share their name and story with us!

This program is open to any person who has honorably served in the military. Veterans may be a Cypress resident, have immediate family that resides in Cypress, or work in the city.

To learn more and download a recognition form, please contact the City Clerk's Office at (714) 229-6685 or visit <u>cypressca.org/veteranrecognition</u>.

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ALONG THE WAY NEWSLETTER

Subscribe to our monthly Senior Center Newsletter! Visit <u>cypressca.org/alongtheway</u>.

FREE MOVIES!

CYPRESS SENIOR CINEMA

WEDNESDAY

No movie the 2nd Wednesday of every month

12:45 PM SHOWTIME

DOORS OPEN AT 12:30 PM

9031 Grindlay St. Cypress, CA 90630

Find out what movie is playing each week by visiting <u>cypressca.org/seniorcinemas</u>.

Public Safety Updates





VOLUNTEERS IN POLICING

Become an integral part of the Cypress Police Department through the Volunteers in Policing Program (VIP)! From vacation house checks to community presentations and traffic control, our volunteers are trained in various police department support roles.

If you are 18 or older and looking to get more involved in the Cypress community, apply today! For more information and to become a VIP, please call (714) 229-6625.

We're hiring

CYPRESS POLICE OFFICERS

Looking to make a positive difference in your community every day? Consider a career in law enforcement!



SALARY & BENEFITS

Annual Salary: \$88,352 to \$115,565 (Up to \$138,010 w/specialty pays)

The City of Cypress is highly supportive of law enforcement, values proactive police work, and seeks officers committed to community engagement. In addition to a competitive annual salary, the City offers many other benefits to Police Officers including:

- A generous health benefits package
- A retiree health savings plan
- Tuition reimbursement
- A signing bonus for experienced officers
- Overtime opportunities
- Specialty pays that can increase an Officer's salary by over 19 percent!

The department's special assignment opportunities include motors, special investigations unit, task forces, school resource officer, and SWAT. If you or someone you know is interested in a career with the Cypress Police Department, please reach out to the Personnel & Training unit at (714) 229-6667.

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OVERSIZED VEHICLE PERMITS

If you own an oversized vehicle or attached trailer, you must obtain a permit to park on any city streets between the hours of 2-6 AM. Please note that an oversized vehicle is defined as any vehicle or combination of vehicles that exceeds 8 feet in height, 22 feet in length, or 92 inches in width (excluding projecting lights or devices).

Purchase or renew your permit at <u>cypresspd.org</u> or by visiting the Cypress Police Department Monday-Friday from 8 AM-4 PM.

Other questions? Please contact the Cypress Code Enforcement division at (714) 229-6726.







Oct 9 Oct 23 Nov 13 Please note City Council meeting general session begins at 6 PM.

Visit <u>cypressca.org/government</u> for information on how to participate in a meeting.

Social Media

