

The Arcadia Hot Sheet

January 2025

Highlighting News & Events from Around Town

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The Arcadia Beautiful Commission Members Bob Miller, Burton Brink, Gary Brewer, Lisa Walton, Sheryl Hunter, Uyen Wong, and Vivien Watts celebrate with Holiday Award recipients.

Let's give a big round of applause to the 16 properties that received the coveted Holiday Decoration Award from the Arcadia Beautiful Commission! From twinkling lights to cheerful inflatables, these homes were transformed into magical winter wonderlands. On December 19, 2024, Santa Claus himself, with help from his merry crew, stopped by to personally congratulate the winners and deliver a special gift.

Year-round, the Arcadia Beautiful Commission hosts engaging programs like Community Cleanup Day and the Holiday Decoration Awards. In the spring, the Arcadia Beautiful Commission issues the Spring Home Awards, recognizing homes with outstanding landscaping, drought tolerant landscaping, and exceptional curb appeal. Keep an eye out for nomination announcements so you can spotlight your favorite front yard!

Residents interested in joining the Arcadia Beautiful Commission, or any of the City's six other board and commissions, can visit ArcadiaCA.gov/Boards&Commissions to learn more and stay updated on application opportunities.

City Hall and facilities will be closed on Monday, January 20, in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Regular hours will resume on Tuesday, January 21.

The City Council will hold one Regular City Council Meeting on January 21.



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Shaping the Future of Arcadia Transit: A Comprehensive Service Assessment

The Arcadia Transit Service Assessment is an initiative designed to evaluate and enhance the City of Arcadia's transit services, including both the Arcadia Transit fixed-route and dial-a-ride programs. The goal is to identify potential improvements and explore new services to help meet our community's transportation needs.

As part of the assessment, a survey was conducted in December 2024, gathering valuable feedback from both users and non-users of Arcadia Transit to help guide future decisions. Stay updated on the Arcadia Transit Assessment project and learn about future participation opportunities at ArcadiaCA.gov/TransitStudy. The assessment is expected to be completed in Summer 2025.



Winter Programs & Events in Arcadia

Kids Night Out

January 10 | 6 p.m. - 10 p.m.

It's a Pajama Party! Enjoy a night of themed games, crafts, activities, a movie, and pizza at the Arcadia Community Center. Register at [### Classical Kaleidoscope Concert](http://Arcadia.CA.gov>Youth; cost is $30.</p></div><div data-bbox=)

January 15 | 7 p.m.

Enjoy the sublime Dumky Trio of piano, violin, and cello composed by Dvořák. The concert will take place at the Arcadia Public Library, and reservations are not required. The concert and silent auction are sponsored by Friends of the Arcadia Public Library.

Lunar New Year Exhibit

January 18

Join the Gilb Museum at this year's Lunar New Year Exhibit. See artwork decorated by members of the community. Exhibit opening January 18!

Health Education Series

January 22 | 6 p.m.

Matthew Tenser, MD, will provide an information session on stroke prevention at the Arcadia Public Library. Mandarin translation provided. To learn more and view series topics, visit ArcadiaCA.gov/HealthSeries.

Family Nature Hike

January 25 | 9 a.m.

Join a 4-mile hike at the West Fork Trails. Register at ArcadiaCA.gov/Hike; cost is \$26. Transportation and lunch included.

SAVE THE DATES!
UPCOMING 2025 EVENTS

Food ED **sustainable** **arcadia** **WM** **WASTE MANAGEMENT**

JAN 30	Compost Workshop for Teens 4-5PM LIBRARY AUDITORIUM	
FEB 8	Compostpalooza 9AM-12PM LIBRARY PARKING LOT	
MAR 11	Spring Veggie Workshop 1-2PM SENIOR CENTER	
MAR 29	Mulch Giveaway 7AM-12PM LIBRARY PARKING LOT	
APR 19	Arcadia Goes Green Event 9AM-12PM LIBRARY PARKING LOT	
APR 26	Mulch Giveaway 7AM-12PM LIBRARY PARKING LOT	

FOR MORE INFO VISIT WWW.ARCADIACA.GOV/SUSTAINABLEARCADIA

STORMWATER POLLUTION PREVENTION

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Stormwater refers to water that flows over streets and yards and is captured in storm drains along curbs. These storm drains are marked with the "No Dumping - This Drains to Waterways" logo and drain directly into active watersheds that support wildlife and plant life.

PROTECT OUR WATERWAYS FROM STORMWATER POLLUTION

- Never dump anything down a storm drain
- Do not dump discharge wastewater, like soapy water from car washing, into the storm drain system
- Properly dispose of green waste
- Always recycle used oil, antifreeze & other chemicals
- Pick up pet waste & properly dispose of it in the trash