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**CULVER CITY PARKS, RECREATION AND COMMUNITY SERVICES DEPARTMENT
 UPDATE ON FACILITIES AND PROGRAMS IN RESPONSE TO COVID-19**

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- Staying by Your Side**
 - 7,458 Meals Delivered to Seniors (March 15 through May 15)
 - 195+ Grocery Bags Delivered (March 15 through May 15)
 - 9,542 Community Calls Made (March 15 through May 15)
- Staying Connected**
 - 6,000 Senior Safer at Home Guides Mailed
 - 6,000 Postcards Sent
 - Virtual Recreation Center Launched with 106 links provided for activities to enjoy safely at home
- Staying Active**
 - 890 Acres mowed to allow for social distancing at our parks

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**Tennis, Paddle Tennis and Handball Courts and Community Garden
 Open with Restrictions**

We invite Culver City residents to once again enjoy some park amenities including tennis, paddle tennis and handball courts while adhering to the new safety measures in place to protect players. The Community Garden will continue to serve its members with new precautions to keep them safe while gardening.

Culver City Employees take pride in effectively providing the highest levels of service to enrich the quality of life for the community by building on our tradition of more than seventy-five years of public service, by our present commitment, and by our dedication to meet the challenges of the future.

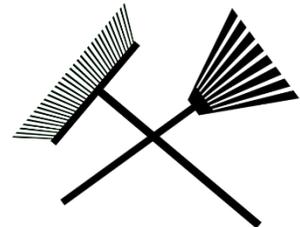
Tennis, Paddle Tennis & Handball Courts



Culver City has reopened tennis, paddle tennis and handball courts, but with restrictions to ensure the safety of residents. To enjoy the courts safely, we ask that participants follow the guidelines and precautions which are posted on the courts:

- Physical distancing of six (6) feet must be maintained at all times
- Only singles play is permitted
- Each participant must bring their own can of balls with their initials on each ball
- Participants are only permitted to handle their own equipment
- Participants are required to wear face coverings at all times except during play
- Bring water and hand sanitizer or disinfecting wipes to wash/sanitize hands frequently
- A maximum of one-hour play is allowed on heavy traffic days

Community Garden



The Community Garden has stayed open to allow for food necessities, however now additional safety measures will be in place for gardeners:

- Face coverings are required at all times
- Bring gloves and/or sanitizing wipes to unlock/open the gate, to use the hose bibs and to clean all frequently touched common surfaces before and after use
- Physical distancing of six (6) feet is required at all times
- Only eight (8) participants allowed in the garden at one time and gardeners may not work on neighboring plots at the same time
- Use hand sanitizer, sanitizing wipes and/or wash your hands before and after you go into the garden
- Gloves are required while gardening, including while handling tools and equipment
- Participants must remove all personal items and trash before leaving the garden
- Do not share tools and equipment

The Boneyard Dog Park is Open!

The Boneyard Dog Park is open for Culver City residents and their four-legged friends to enjoy. We ask that you please follow these rules which are posted at the Park:

- Maintain six-foot social distancing with others
- Benches & Hydration Stations only sanitized once per day - use at your own risk
- Limit the number of people inside the dog park:
 - 25 for the large dog area
 - 15 for the small dog area
- If the space does not permit, please wait outside (maintain six-foot distance)
- Limit your time in the park if there is a line
- Bring your own bags and hand sanitizer
- Stay with your family or household members
- Face coverings are required at all times



More Information from PRCS

As the City of Culver City follows the guidance of the California Department of Public Health and County of Los Angeles County Department of Public Health to stop the spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19), the Culver City Parks, Recreation and Community Services (PRCS) Department continues to do its part to implement precautionary measures in response to COVID-19. In accordance with health orders, additional park areas, where social distancing cannot be maintained, will be closed effective immediately.

During this challenging time, we know that parks can serve a vital role for outdoor leisure and relaxation. Our parks will remain open as outdoor-only facilities for passive use such as walking, jogging, or leisure time outdoors for individuals or families. **However, group gatherings of any size are prohibited by the health order and social distancing is required (maintain a minimum of 6 feet in between you and others).**

We know a lot has been happening quickly in response to COVID-19. Here is a list of facilities and usage implemented in Culver City Parks:

- **Many of our sports and recreation areas closed** until further notice. This includes:
 - playgrounds,
 - fitness (parcourse) equipment areas,
 - basketball courts,
 - baseball/soccer/multi-use fields,
- The **Culver City Skate Park and the Culver City Municipal Plunge (pool) are closed** until further notice.
- Parks remain open as **outdoor-only facilities** from dawn to dusk.
- **Park Restrooms** remain available from 7:00 AM – 6:00 PM (or later, depending on the park)

- **No group gatherings of any size** at outdoor-only facilities. Social distancing is required (**maintain a minimum of 6 feet between you and others**).
- **Park buildings and indoor facilities are closed** to the public including indoor gymnasiums, computer labs, multi-purpose rooms and classrooms
- **Culver City Senior Center is closed**, but the **Senior Nutrition Program** is operating as follows:
 - For registered Congregate Nutrition Meal patrons under the age of 65 and those who are 65+, *who have a family member, friend, neighbor or caregiver under the age of 65 who can pick-up the meal*, please use our drive-up service located in the Senior Center parking lot Mondays and Wednesdays between 10:30 am and 12:30 pm.
 - For registered nutrition patrons ages 65+ who do not have anyone to pick up their meals, the City will deliver frozen meals on Mondays and Wednesdays between 11 AM and 2 PM.
 - For existing Home Delivered Meal clients will continue to be served on Mondays and Wednesdays.
 - For more information about the programs offered to older adults, please visit the Culver City Adult and Senior Services website or call (310) 253-6700.
- **All programming is temporarily suspended**, including recreational activities, sports leagues, aquatics classes, instructional courses, and group sessions.
- **All events and rentals are canceled**. New reservations are suspended.

We appreciate your support and understanding as we adapt to this fluid situation. We know that you rely on our programs as consistent and crucial resources. We hope these extraordinary and unprecedented efforts will help with the City's and global effort to stop the spread of COVID-19.

We also strongly encourage you to take everyday actions to prevent the spread of germs.

- Stay home when sick. Stay home for at least 72 hours after you no longer have a fever.
- Wash hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
- Limit close contact with people who are sick.

The Parks, Recreation and Community Services Department takes pride in the role we play in the lives of residents of all ages in the Culver City community and looks forward to the time when we can all gather together in good health. Updates and additional information will be posted here as it becomes available. The City will continue to work closely with the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health to protect the health and safety of our Culver City residents, visitors and staff. [Learn more about the coronavirus on the County's website](#).

[Read the latest Culver City updates on the coronavirus](#) or for questions, please [email the City](#) or call the City's Coronavirus Hotline at (310) 253-6890 (7:30 AM to 5:30 PM). [Get specific updates as related to Park, Recreation and Community Services](#), [email PRCS](#) or call (310) 253-6650 (9:00 AM to 5:00 PM).

Sincerely,

Corey Lakin, Parks, Recreation & Community Services Director