

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

SPECIAL EVENTS

Public meetings to discuss recommendations for spending \$8 million on Boeddeker Park improvements by Trust of Public Land: Sept. 16, 5:30-7 p.m.; Oct. 3, 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; Oct. 20, 3:30-5 p.m., all at the Boeddeker Clubhouse. Contact: Meghan Peccaut 495-5660 x 531.

Community meeting and presentation on California Pacific Medical Center's Cathedral Hill Campus (Geary and Van Ness), Wed., Sept. 9, 6 p.m., 201 Turk community room, Refreshments and door prizes. Co-sponsored by a coalition of community groups.

Positively 6th Street Fair, Sat., Sept. 19, 11 a.m.- 4 p.m., Stevenson Alley between 6th and 7th streets. Live music, dance and cultural performances, children's play area, family activities, food, community information tables and booths, free health and social services, employment assistance. Info: positively6thstreetfair.org. To volunteer: Meital Amitai, 538-8100, ext. 202

ART EVENTS

2009 Fringe Festival, EXIT Theatre's 18th annual showcase of 41 performances, runs Sept. 9-20. For play descriptions, tix, locations, dates and times: sffringe.org.

Concert at Boeddeker Park. Jazz by Mel and "The Mellotones," Wed., Sept. 16, noon-1 p.m. Concerts made possible by TL Benefit District's \$1,500 grant to Friends of Boeddeker Park.

Park(ing) Day, an impromptu community garden in front of Central City Hospitality House's arts studio, Sept. 18, 10 a.m.-6 p.m., 290 Turk. Features recordings from Tender Transmissions, an aural network of recordings from Tenderloin residents. Info: Niki Savage, 741-2133.

COMMUNITY: REGULAR SCHEDULE HOUSING

Supportive Housing Network, 3rd Thursday of the month, 3-5 p.m., location TBA. Contact: Kendra Fuller, 421-2926 x304.

Tenant Associations Coalition of San Francisco, 1st Wednesday of the month, noon, 201 Turk, Community Room. Contact Michael Nulty, 339-8327. Resident unity, leadership training.

HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH

CBHS Consumer Council, 3rd Monday of the month, 5-7 p.m., CBHS, 1380 Howard, room 537. Call: 255-3695. Advisory group of consumers from self-help organizations and other mental health consumer advocates. Open to the public.

Health & Wellness Action Advocates, 1st Tuesday of the month, 5-7 p.m., Mental Health Assoc., 870 Market, Suite 928. 421-2926 x306.

Healthcare Action Team, 2nd Wednesday of the month, Quaker Center, 65 Ninth St., noon-1:30 p.m. Focus on increasing supportive home and community-based services, expanded eligibility for home care and improved discharge planning. Light lunch served. Call James Chionsini, 703-0188 x304.

Hoarders and Clutterers Support Group, Mental Health Association, 870 Market, Suite 928. Call for dates and times: 421-2926 x306.

Mental Health Board, 2nd Wednesday of the month, 6:30-8:30 p.m., City Hall, room 278. CBHS advisory committee, open to the public. Call: 255-3474.

National Alliance for the Mentally III-S.F., 3rd Wednesday of the month, 6:30-8:30 p.m., Family Service Agency, 1010 Gough, 5th Fl. Call: 905-6264. Family member group, open to the public.

SAFETY

Safety for Women in the Tenderloin, every 3rd Wednesday, Central City SRO Collaborative, 449 Turk St., 4-6 p.m. Informal, friendly environment, refreshments, gender sensitive to LGBTQ community and sex workers. Discuss how to make Tenderloin SROs safer for women. Information: Alexandra Goldman, volunteer campaign coordinator, 775-7110 x102.

Neighborhood Emergency Response Team Training (NERT). Central city residents can take the S.F. Fire Department's free disaster preparedness and response training at neighborhood locations. See www.sfgov.org/sffdnert, or call Lt. Arteseros, 970-2022.

SoMa Police Community Relations Forum, 4th Monday of the month, 6-7:30 p.m. Location varies. To receive monthly e-mail info: Meital Amitai, 538-8100 x202 or mamitai@iisf.org.

Tenderloin Police Station Community Meeting, last Tuesday of the month, 6 p.m., police station Community Room, 301 Eddy. Call Susa Black, 345-7300. Neighborhood safety.

Boeddeker Park cleanup, 3rd Saturday of the month, 9-noon, organized by the Friends of Boeddeker Park. To RSVP to work or for information, call Betty Traynor, 931-1126.

Central City Democrats, meets four times a year, 301 Eddy St. Community Room. Information: 339-VOTE (8683) or centralcitydemocrats@yahoo.com.

Central Market Community Benefit District, board meets 2nd Tuesday of the month, 989 Market St., 3rd Fl., 3 p.m. Information: 882-3088, <http://central-market.org>.

Community Leadership Alliance. Monthly meetings and informational forums, Tenderloin Police Station community room. David Villa-Lobos, admin@communityleadershipalliance.net.

Friends of Boeddeker Park, 2nd Thursday of the month, 3:30 p.m., Boeddeker Rec Center, 240 Eddy. Plan park events, activities and improvements. Contact Betty Traynor, 931-1126.

Gene Friend Recreation Center Advisory Board, 3rd Thursday of the month, 5 p.m. Board works to protect SoMa resources for children, youth, families and adults. Gene Friend Recreation Center, 270 Sixth St. Information: 538-8100 x202.

North of Market Planning Coalition, 3rd Wednesday of the month, 6 p.m., 301 Eddy. Neighborhood planning. Info: 820-1412.

North of Market/Tenderloin Community Benefit District. Call District Manager Elaine Zamora for times and dates, 292-4812.

SoMa Leadership Council, 3rd Wednesday of the month, 6 p.m., The Arc, 1500 Howard St. at 11th. Emphasizes good planning and good government to maintain a diverse, vibrant, complete neighborhood. Contact: Jim Meko, 624-4309 or jim.meko@comcast.net.

South of Market Project Area Committee, 3rd Monday of the month, 6 p.m., 1035 Folsom, between 6th & 7th sts. Health, Safety and Human Services Committee meets monthly on the first Tuesday after the first Monday, 1035 Folsom, noon. Information: 487-2166 or www.sompac.com.

Tenderloin Futures Collaborative, 2nd Wednesday of the month, 10 a.m., Tenderloin Police Station community room, 301 Eddy. Call 358-3956 for information. Network of residents, nonprofits and businesses taking on neighborhood development issues.

SENIORS AND DISABLED

Mayor's Disability Council, 3rd Friday of the month, 1-3 p.m., City Hall, room 400. Call: 554-6789. Open to the public.

Senior Action Network, general meeting, second Thursday, 10 a.m.-noon, St. Mary's Cathedral. Monthly committee meetings, 965 Mission #700: Pedestrian Safety, third Wednesday, 10 a.m.; Senior Housing Action, third Wednesday, 1:30; Information: 546-1333 and www.senioractionnetwork.org.

NEIGHBORHOOD IMPROVEMENT

Alliance for a Better District 6, 2nd Tuesday of the month, 6 p.m., 230 Eddy. Contact Michael Nulty, 820-1560 or sf_district6@yahoo.com, a districtwide improvement association.



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for over 20 years
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Tip Top Grocery Market



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Karim Rantisi and Family

Tip Top Grocery Market at 90 Turk.



You are invited

Community Meeting
Wednesday, September 9, 2009 at 6PM
201 Turk Street, Community Room

Presentation on:
**California Pacific Medical Center's
Cathedral Hill Campus
at Geary & Van Ness Avenue**

Refreshments provided
Arrive Early
Door Prizes

Co-Sponsored by: Alliance for a Better District 6, Bay Area Women's and Children's Center, Black Brothers Esteem, Central City SRO Collaborative, Curry Senior Center, The Green Door, La Voz Latina, Market Street Association, MacCanDo Tenderloin Youth Track Club, Rincon Hill Neighborhood Association, San Francisco Network Ministries, Senior Action Network, SoMa Leadership Council, Tenderloin Neighborhood Development Corporation, Tenant Associations Coalition of San Francisco, Youth with a Mission, 222 Hyde, and 509 Cultural Center

