

*Corte Madera reminds you...*  
**FACE COVERINGS ARE  
 REQUIRED THROUGHOUT  
 THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**



## **Corte Madera Chronicles July 10, 2020**

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### **Facial Coverings Requirement**

We would like to remind you that face coverings are still being required when interacting with others who are not members of their household in public and private spaces. Additionally, if you are wondering what other orders are currently in place and you want to get more details, [please click here](#) to go to the Marin County HHS website.

# **WHAT'S HAPPENING IN TOWN?**



### **Evacuation Route Fuels Reduction Program**

The Town of Corte Madera has embarked on another phase of its comprehensive vegetation management program to further increase defensible space, improve ingress & egress for first responders, improve primary and secondary evacuation routes, improve vehicular sightlines, and enhance pedestrian and biker safety. This is a town-wide initiative.

Please note that the following streets have been scheduled for abatement to begin as noted below and as time and weather permits.

- Beginning July 14th – July 24th
  - San Clemente Drive and Paradise Drive

- Beginning July 22nd – July 31st
  - Mohawk Avenue, Lakeside Drive, Monona Drive, and Seminole Avenue

To read the complete notice regarding this work, [click here](#).



## Feedback and Input Needed

The Town of Corte Madera Climate Adaptation Plan

The Town of Corte Madera invites you to provide your input on the climate change adaptation options that are being considered as part of the [Town's Adaptation Plan](#).

On June 18<sup>th</sup> – the Town hosted a virtual workshop sharing the progress on the plan to date and providing an opportunity for input and discussion on the adaptation actions that are being evaluated. You can [watch a recording of that workshop](#) here.

Now, ***we want your input on the adaptation actions.***

- Spend a few minutes [scrolling through the interactive website](#) and learn more about sea level rise, wildfire, and other climate risks and how they may affect our community.
- Answer the embedded questions to share your thoughts, comments, and insights on the adaptation options as we develop the Town of Corte Madera's Climate Adaptation Plan.

We are grateful for your input and thoughts on how best to make the community more resilient.



MARIN COUNTY  
FREE LIBRARY

## Update on the Corte Madera Library

*The following information is being provided by the Corte Madera Branch Interim Manager. Make sure to pass it on:*

The Corte Madera Library is open for curbside service the following hours:

- Tuesdays 11am - 3pm
- Wednesdays 11am - 3pm
- Thursdays 3pm - 7pm

Patrons can place items on hold using our [online catalog](#). Patrons will be notified by email that their item on hold is available. Patrons should call (415) 924-3515 when they are in front of the library during curbside service hours. Returns are accepted during curbside hours.

**Our top priority continues to be the health and safety of our library patrons and staff.** When picking up your holds or dropping off returns, please follow directions, stay at least 6 feet away from others and wear a face covering.

This year we have two **Summer Challenge games** for kids to play! You can do one or both.

[Print the Tales to Trails reading game](#) and keep track of reading and fun activities every day with our fun game board.

[Sign up for our online Tales to Trails Summer Challenge](#). Log your minutes, earn badges, and join kids, teens and adults in our communities to reach the summer reading goal of 1 million minutes.

Patrons can call with questions, get help using the catalog or downloading eBooks, or get recommendations on what to read next. Please use our [online comment form](#) or call 415-473-2272 (Mon-Fri 9am–6pm).

Find more information on our services at [www.marinlibrary.org](http://www.marinlibrary.org).



### July is Parks Make Life Better Month

Check out the [July Calendar](#) of fun ideas and activities to safely enjoy our beautiful parks and outdoor spaces.

Please remember to wash hands frequently, physical distance, and wear a face covering in public.

We want to keep our community healthy and happy.

[Read the Proclamation](#) signed at the Town Council Meeting on July 7th, 2020

Learn more about the California Park & Recreation Society ([CPRS](#)) and the National Recreation & Parks Association ([NRPA](#)) and all that our professionals do to create community through great programs, unique events, and safe parks and facilities.



We are excited to announce the name of the new dog park:



Park is OPEN! We hope you and your furry family will enjoy the new space.

### Dog Park is Open & Feedback is wanted!

Please share any comments, questions, or concerns about the park or community use of the designated dog park or greater Town Park area. Leave a detailed message at the Parks & Recreation Office (415) 927-5072 or [email](#).

Please remember the designated dog park is the only area of Town Park that off-leash dogs may play and exercise. Handlers exercising dogs off leash in Town Park may be fined.



### Register for Session Two of Camp 2020

Camp is in full swing. Camp 2020 operates out of classrooms at Neil Cummins this year. With designated group classrooms, staff are able to create safe spaces for groups to meet and engage in typical camp activities like crafts and games.

We hope you join us for session Two, [Register today](#).

Session 1: July 6-July 24  
Session 2: July 27-Aug. 14

Hours are 9:30am-5:00pm

### 5 More Smiles Delivered This Week



Through coordination between the Corte Madera Chamber of Commerce, Nothing Bundt Cake, and the Parks & Rec Department, 5 more surprise “Smiles” were delivered this week.

Since March 16, Parks & Rec staff have made weekly calls to clients typically engaged in our senior or intergenerational programs. Many of the calls are just a message, but some have turned into a weekly dialogue that both parties look forward to. Through calls, Staff have recognized that some of our friends would benefit from an additional show of appreciation. Thanks to the generous donations by Nothing Bundt Cakes, staff delivered 5 beautifully wrapped surprises last week and 5 this week.

Thank you for helping us brighten the day of a few of our seniors. We believe “Smiles are more contagious than COVID-19”.



### Host Your Fitness Class in the Park

If you are a fitness instructor or own a gym, consider hosting your classes in our beautiful 22-acre award winning park! Corte Madera Parks and Rec is renting park space for outdoor classes.

[Email Brian](#) for details and availability. Approved classes are issued a yellow yard sign.



### Community Chat with the Mayor and Town Manager

Please join Mayor Eli Beckman and Town Manager Todd Cusimano for this week’s virtual Corte Madera Community Chat. The Chat will take place on Tuesday, July 14th from 11am-12pm through videoconference, using Zoom webinar. You can join the Chat beginning at

11am using this link:

<https://tinyurl.com/y7chqd8d> (webinar ID: 910-7929-1529). No pre-registration is needed, just click on the link beginning at 11am, or any time after, to join in. For complete details, [please click here](#).


# UPCOMING TOWN MEETINGS

- [Tuesday, July 14, 2020: Planning Commission Meeting](#) - Begins at 7:00pm and will be held via videoconference only.


# STAY INFORMED



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