




LGCA Bulletin

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Pool Opening Day is June 4th

LGCA Members: Please join us at the LGCA pool for the **Pool Opening Day Potluck** from 11am to 1pm on Sunday, June 4th. Bring an entrée, snack, or dessert to share with your neighbors! Water, punch, and some snacks will be provided by the LGCA.

Reminder: Please be aware that all parents & guardians must stay on the LGCA premises while their children are in the LGCA Clubhouse. Minor children are prohibited from using the LGCA Access Card to gain entry to the LGCA facility (i.e. Members must be at least 18yrs old to use the Access Card.) **NO EXCEPTIONS**



Let's all have a fun, safe time at the LGCA Pool!

Fireworks Stand Volunteers Sign-Ups

Every year we need our LGCA members & families to help staff the annual fireworks stand in support of the LGCA. Please take a moment now to sign up for one or more shifts to work our stand. It's the biggest fundraiser of the year! We've already done a lot to improve the conditions of the LGCA Clubhouse—please help us continue to make improvements by signing on for shifts at the fireworks stand.

Here's what we need: (shifts are in 3-hr increments)

- Help unloading the Fireworks delivery truck at 7am on June 30th
- Help stocking the Fireworks Stand on June 30th
- Day Guard for June 30th (11am – 10pm) & Night Guards from June 30th to July 3rd (10pm – 7am)
- Staff to sell fireworks from 8am – 10pm July 1st to July 4th
- Help to close up the Fireworks Stand when we close on July 4th @ 10pm

Sign up at: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0A48ADAC2DA0F49-lgca> (You can also find this link on the LGCA website)



BEST SUMMER CAMP EVER!

Preschool - 6th Grade

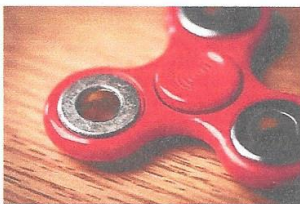
Summer Day Camp at Allison Tutoring is abound with exciting, multi-sensory teaching of (the California Common Core Standards) Reading, Writing, and Math, while incorporating the weekly themes listed below. **Your children will be having so much fun with the academic activities, they will forget they are even learning!**

Our afternoon add-on sessions include entertaining activities such as yoga, karaoke, minute-to-win-it challenges, movies, crafts, etc.



Week ONE 6/19-6/22 (Become A Podcast Pro)

You will have the chance to create your very own podcast! Learn all of the behind-the-scenes secrets to planning and recording a fun session. You can choose to do it solo or collaborate with a team to deliver your message to the world.



Week TWO 6/26-6/29 (Fidget Spinner Takeover)

EVERYONE GETS A FREE FIDGET SPINNER ON THE FIRST DAY OF CLASS! The newest craze has hit us, too! You will get a chance to design your own spinner, present it to the group, and use it for different lessons and challenges throughout the week. (Students are permitted to bring their own favorite fidget spinners from home, too!)



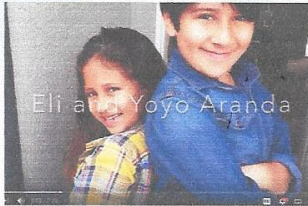
Week THREE 7/3-7/6 (Slime Time)

Who doesn't love slime? We will make UNICORN SLIME, galaxy slime, and more as you learn all about the math and science behind the gooey, sticky goodness. You will follow recipes and add your own creative twists to the projects that are sure to provide hours of fun when you TAKE HOME YOUR VERY OWN SLIME!



Week FOUR 7/10-7/13 (Designing Your Own Newspaper)

Do you want to be in the newspaper? All participants will have their picture published, and have the opportunity to compete for an article spot in the Lakewood Community News. With the guidance of the paper's publisher, you will delve into some of mechanics that go into developing a real-life newspaper for print.



Week FIVE 7/17-7/20 (Shark Week)

Did you know that the Great White Shark has a brain the size of a thumb? In honor of the recent discovery of so many Great White Sharks being spotted in our very own beaches, we have decided to highlight this stunning predator with lessons on anatomy, behaviors, environment, prey, and tons of other super cool Shark Facts.

Week SIX 7/24-7/27 (Making a Great You Tube Video)

We will kick-off the week with a special visit and performance from Eli and Yoyo from YouTube's "Eli and Yoyo Channel"! After being inspired, you will dive right in to learning the ins-and-outs of creating your very own channel filled with content that is sure to gather watchers.

Week SEVEN 7/31-8/3 (Build and Launch A Rocket)

3..2..1...BLAST OFF! You will get a chance to design, build, decorate, and launch your own rocket! All of the math and science will come together magically as you watch your hard work and designs soar into the sky.

Week EIGHT 8/7-8/10 (Saving Our Earth By Flipping Water Bottles)

LET'S FLIP SOME WATER BOTTLES! You will get the opportunity to not only learn through popular games (like water bottle flipping and recycled robot building), but also brainstorm and create your own new ways to help preserve our Mother Earth by recycling, reducing, and reusing.

Week NINE 8/14-8/17 (Think Tank: Develop & Sell The Next Great Idea)

Do you have what it takes to be the next billionaire? Is your brain brimming with ideas for the next great invention? Or are you just ready to get those creative juices flowing and team up with some other awesome kids to take the first step towards your dream? We will go through the basic overview of moving from an idea to reality. On the last day, finalists will even get the chance to "pitch" their ideas to a professional panel.

Week TEN 8/21-8/24 (Team Building Challenges)

Collaboration and innovation are the NEW competition. You will learn how to rely on partners, balance being a leader and a team player, and dig deep to make your team proud as you work together to compete in new challenges everyday. You can look forward to scavenger hunts, Lego building, minute-to-win-it, and other teambuilding games.

SUMMER CAMP PRICING

Monday-Thursday

9am-12pm (half day) | \$150/week

9am-3pm (full day) | \$175/week

\$10/week (half day) materials fee

\$20/week (full day) materials fee



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**Don't Forget to Keep
Current with
Your Membership Dues**

Membership Benefits:

- *Swimming Pool
- *New A/C Unit in large hall
- *Redecorated Member Lounge
- *Secure Building
- *Clubhouse Rental
- *WiFi Hotspot
- *Key Card Access to Clubhouse
- *Events held throughout the year (potlucks, pool parties, holiday events, etc.)

Contact Member Records
(562) 754-4715
for the status of your
membership

Upcoming Events

Sun, June 4, 2017

Pool Opening Day
Potluck 11am

Sun, June 25, 2017

LGCA Grads Pool Party
11am

Fri, June 30, 2017

Volunteers needed to
unload Fireworks

Sat, July 1, 2017

Fireworks Stand Opens
8am – 10pm
(Through Tues,
July 4th)

Volunteers needed!
Call Joaquin Castro for
more information
714-785-2549

July 1st: Come by the pool to
enjoy refreshments and to
sign up to volunteer for our
annual Fireworks Stand
fundraiser! 11am – 3pm

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, July 1, 2017 ~ **LGCA Fireworks Stand Opens! 8am – 10pm**
(Daily from July 1st through July 4th)

Classified Ads

For Sale: One (1) 4-drawer lateral file cabinets, beige, \$40/OBO. Must have vehicle & helpers to move them. Call: 626-675-3097

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Option 1: \$45 (if you have your own print-ready artwork/ad copy)

Option 2: \$65 (if you need design artwork/ad copy done for you)

Upcoming Clubhouse Rentals & Events (June - July):

June 3 & 4 - **Member's Only Weekend**

Sun. Jun 4 - **Pool Opening Day Potluck**

Sat Jun 10 - Magdalena Rodriguez rental

Sun. Jun 11 - Diana Perez rental

Sat Jun 17 - Laura Havlik rental

Sun. Jun 18 - Jamie Adams rental

Thurs Jun 22 – **BUNCO Night @ 7pm**

Sat Jun 24 - Joaquin Castro rental

Sun. Jun 25 - **LGCA Grads Pool Party**

Tues Jun 27 - LGCA Board Meeting 6:30 pm

July 1 & 2 - **Member's Only Weekend**

Sat Jul 1 – **Fireworks Stand Recruitment 11am – 3pm**

Tues Jul 4 - **Pool Open for Members (not avail to rent)**

Sat Jul 8 - Vanessa McCollum rental

Sun. Jul 9 - Available for rent

Fri Jul 14 – Daniel Cordero rental

Sat Jul 15 - Kelly & Ryan Nichols rental

Sun. Jul 16 - Available for rent

Sat Jul 22 - Darlene Saragosa rental

Sun. Jul 23 - Available for rent

Sat July 29 – Arwongs rental

Sun July 30 – Magdalena Sanchez rental



Interested in renting the
clubhouse for your next event
or party? Email
Rentals4LGCA@gmail.com

Note: Dues must be paid up to
6 months in advance if renting
the clubhouse. New Members
must be paid 1 year in
advance.



CALLING ALL LAKEWOOD GARDENS GRADUATES...

Come celebrate your hard work and accomplishment at the Gardens Graduates Pool Party

Whether your accomplishment is from kindergarten, middle school,
high school, college or another course of study:
We invite you to kick off your summer
with a neighborhood celebration!

Sunday, June 25, 2017
11am – 3pm

MEMBERS ONLY EVENT

LGCA Clubhouse
4217 Ashworth Street
Lakewood, CA


Lakewood Gardens
Civic Association

* Hot Dogs * Drinks *
* Chips * Ice Cream *
provided to members

We're proud of you ...
CONGRATS!



Lakewood Gardens Civic Association

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<http://www.lgca.info>

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Grilling Recipes:

Dry Rub Mix

Ingredients

- 1 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup salt
- 2 tablespoons paprika
- 2 tablespoons red pepper
- 1 tablespoon ground cumin
- 1 tablespoon ground celery

Directions

In a medium bowl, mix together all ingredients. Store in a tightly sealed jar.
Makes approx. 2 cups.

"This recipe is from Ollie Gates, owner of Gates Bar-B-Q in Kansas City. The rib seasoning is a dry rub that should be applied 15 minutes before grilling."

[Source: <http://www.marthastewart.com/317675/rib-seasoning>]



Perfect Grilled Steak

Ingredients

- 1 porterhouse, flank, or rib-eye steak (1 3/4 pounds and 1 1/2 inch thick)
- Coarse salt and ground pepper

Directions

1. Heat grill to medium-high; clean and lightly oil hot grates. Generously season steak with salt and pepper.
2. Grill steak 8 minutes, rotating 90 degrees halfway through. Flip steak and cook 8 minutes more for medium-rare (a thermometer inserted horizontally into center of meat should register 125 degrees), rotating again halfway through. Let rest 8 to 10 minutes before serving.

"For juicy meat and a great crust, choose a thicker cut such as rib eye. Because this type of steak takes longer to cook, it will have time to develop a nice sear."

[Source: <http://www.marthastewart.com/317400/perfect-grilled-steak>]

Happy Summer & Happy Grilling!!



Thank You & Shout Outs



We'd like to thank a few people for their help & support:

Joaquin & Yolikza Castro—for cooking & serving food at the Mexican Fiesta

Damaris Peredia & Tiffany Rodriguez—for helping with cooking for the Mexican Fiesta

David Rosales—for providing entertainment singing karaoke at the Mexican Fiesta

Juan Gutierrez—for opening the Member's Lounge for another member during their rental

Matthew Martinez—for putting up the marquee sign messages for events and member rentals