



City of Sebastopol Community Newsletter

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January 22 - January 28 Special Weekly Edition of
Sebastopol Community Newsletter

Please visit socoemergency.org for the most up-to-date information on the coronavirus crisis in Sonoma County.

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WITH MORE RAIN IN THE FORECAST, SANDBAGS AVAILABLE

With more rain in the forecast, Sebastopol residents are encouraged to pick up sandbags from behind the Youth Annex at 425 Morris Street (see map). Please note, this is a self-serve area without night lighting. Shovels, bags, and sand (of course) are provided.



SONOMA COUNTY'S REGIONAL STAY HOME ORDER LIFTED

The California Department of Public Health has lifted the Regional Stay-Home Order for the 11-county Bay Area region, including Sonoma County, effective immediately. Sonoma County, will remain in the purple tier under the Blueprint for a Safer Economy, meaning many restrictions will remain in place. Under the purple tier, outdoor gatherings are permitted with up to three households and personal care businesses can open with modifications.

The following are permitted to operate only outdoors with modifications:

- Movie theaters
- Wineries
- Restaurants
- Family entertainment centers
- Museums, zoos, and aquariums
- Gyms
- Places of worship

For more information, please read the County's press release [here](#) or visit <https://covid19.ca.gov/safer-economy/> or SoCoEmergency.org.

COVID-19 VACCINE INFORMATION

Information on vaccines and the availability of vaccination appointments in our county changes rapidly.

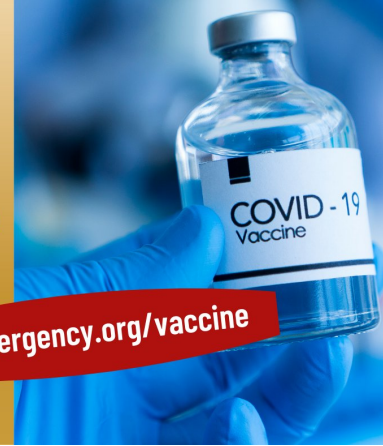
Please visit Socoemergency.org for the most current updates.

County of Sonoma [Jan. 21 Press](#)



VACCINE
INFORMATION

SoCoEmergency.org/vaccine



COUNTY OF SONOMA

VACCINE DISTRIBUTION - PHASE 1

Persons at risk of exposure to COVID-19 through their work in direct healthcare or long-term care settings, have been prioritized in the Phase 1a distribution plan according to the following groups:

All Phase 1a groups are being offered a vaccine

Phase 1 January 21, 2021



✓ A green check indicates groups that are being offered vaccine

Phase 1a - Tier 1

- Acute care, psychiatric and correctional facility hospitals ✓
- Skilled nursing facilities, assisted living facilities, and similar settings for older or medically vulnerable individuals (includes residents in these settings) ✓
- EMTs, Paramedics ✓
- Dialysis Center Staff ✓

Phase 1a - Tier 2

- Intermediate Care (non-continuous nursing supervision) ✓
- Home healthcare ✓
- In home supportive services ✓
- Community health workers and promotoras ✓
- Public health field staff ✓
- Primary care clinics, FQHCs ✓
- Rural health centers ✓
- Correctional facility clinics ✓
- Urgent care clinics ✓

Phase 1a - Tier 3

- Specialty clinics ✓
- Laboratory workers ✓
- Dental/Oral health clinics ✓
- Pharmacy staff ✓


YOUR CITY NEEDS YOU!

HOW TO PARTICIPATE IN PUBLIC MEETINGS



DURING THE PANDEMIC

Attend One City Council Meeting per Month.



Public participation is the cornerstone of our community. One impact of pandemic restrictions on public gatherings is that it's easier than ever to attend City Council meetings virtually and make your voice heard. These meetings typically take place the first and third Tuesday of each month and begin at 6:00 PM. Here's how to log in and participate. <https://bit.ly/39qyRkB>

WEBINAR: HOW TO BUILD AN ACCESSORY DWELLING UNIT IN SEBASTOPOL - FEBRUARY 11

**REGISTER FOR THE FREE LIVE WEBINAR
AT <https://napasonomaadu.org/aduevents>**



Thursday, February 11th
11:00am - 12:30 pm

Webinar: How to Build an Accessory Dwelling Unit in Sebastopol

Are you a homeowner in the City of Sebastopol?

Join us to learn about the **planning, permitting, and building** process for **Accessory Dwelling Units** (aka second units, backyard cottages, granny flats, converted garages) from your very own Planning & Building agency staff!

REGISTER FOR THE **FREE** LIVE WEBINAR AT THIS LINK:

<https://napasonomaadu.org/aduevents>

Presented by the Napa Sonoma ADU Center, a nonprofit organization fiscally-sponsored by Napa Valley Community Foundation with support from Community Foundation Sonoma County.



For more information, contact info@napasonomaadu.org or visit our nonprofit website full of resources for homeowners on ADUs at www.napasonomaadu.org.

TAKE THE TAKEOUT PLEDGE

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Once a Week is All We Ask

Join Mayor Una Glass and Vice Mayor Sarah Glade Gurney in pledging to order takeout once each week from one of our local restaurants. If even half the households in Sebastopol were to participate, it would go a long way towards helping to keep our local restaurants in business and many local residents employed. The dozens of restaurants in Sebastopol offer everything from budget friendly pizzas and tacos to fine dining. Most restaurants offer online ordering and curbside pickup, and some even deliver.

Check out the [City's Open Businesses](#) page or the [Chamber of Commerce's](#) site to see what's open and offering special services, and take The Takeout Pledge! With support from local news app Townsy, you can now [sign up](#) to take the Takeout Pledge to receive additional information, special offers, and discounts from local restaurants.

OPENING ON DESIGN REVIEW BOARD

The City of Sebastopol invites interested citizens to apply for one (1) opening on the City of Sebastopol Design Review Board. See links to the Job Notice and General Application below.

[Job Notice](#)

[General Application](#)

Application Deadline: February 4, 2021



The City of Sebastopol is accepting applications for:

- Design Review Board



PLEASE ABIDE BY DOWNTOWN PARKING LIMITS

PARK ONCE and WALK in DOWNTOWN SEBASTOPOL

It's free, easy, and convenient!



Legend
Not to scale. Subject to change.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> P1 Behind Library & City Hall P2 Town Plaza P3 Near Rialto Cinemas P4 At CVS P5 Near HopMonk P6 Behind Chamber of Commerce P7 Across from Ives Park, Veteran's Bldg/SCA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Free Public Parking Lot City Building City Park Electric Vehicle Charging Stations (P3, P4, P7) Parking Lot Entrance 	
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City of Sebastopol, California www.cityofsebastopol.org 12/1/2020

In order to help support our downtown businesses, please abide by the 10 minute and 1 hour parking limits as posted.

Don't forget that free long-term parking is available at several parking lots around Downtown.

Click [here](#) for a PDF of the Free Public Parking Lots map.

ASK SLOW CAT!



Have a question about the town we all know and love? Want to know more about the history of Sebastopol? We want to answer your questions. Submit a question via email to by clicking the button below. We'll post answers in our weekly newsletter and on our Facebook page.

Submit A
Question

ASK SLOW CAT Q&A

QUESTION: Hi, my question is whether there are families in Sebastopol experiencing food insecurity?

ANSWER: While we do not have complete data from all Sebastopol residents, our best estimate comes from a recent survey of 1,179 residents by CoMission, the City's community vitality contractor, where approximately 7% of respondents indicated that they were experiencing some degree of food insecurity. (Click [here](#) to see the complete survey report.)

Residents of Sebastopol have access to many resources for help accessing food, including:

[Inter-Church Food Pantry at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church](#) The Pantry is open every Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday from 10:00am to Noon. 707-823-2483

Sebastopol Farmer's Market accepts and matches Cal Fresh and Pandemic EBT
The market is located in the downtown plaza and is open every Sunday year-round from 10am to 1:30pm.

Information about applying for CalFresh [here](#).

Information about the Pandemic EBT program [here](#).

[Redwood Empire Food Bank](#)

Persons needing assistance may also call 211 for referrals in both English and Spanish.

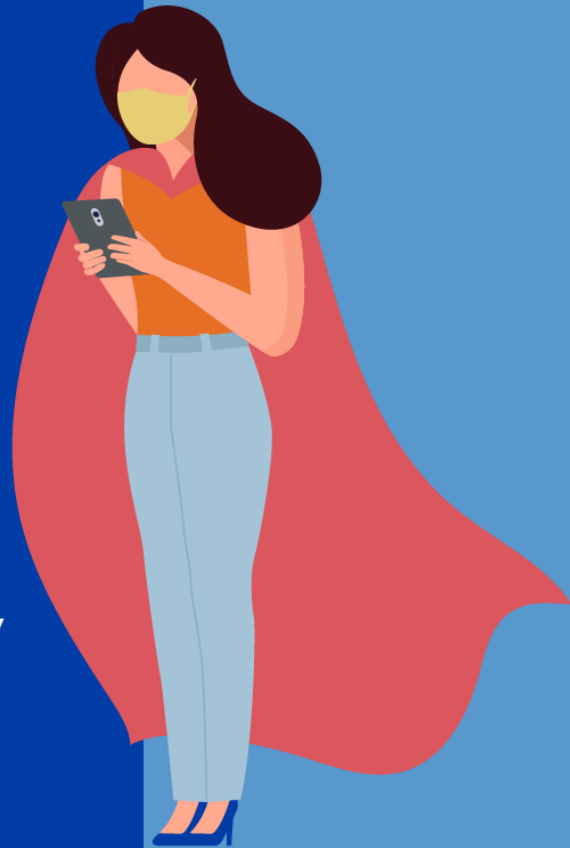
Be a COVID Hero.

Activate CA Notify
on your phone.



CANOTIFY

canotify.ca.gov



SONOMA COUNTY WINTER SHELTERS

Sonoma County Winter Shelters offer 16 beds in addition to year-round shelters and help to protect people from the year's harshest weather. Spaces are available on a first-come, first-served basis, and may offer wraparound services as well.

[Winter Shelter Flyer - English](#)

[Winter Shelter Flyer - Español](#)



COVID-19 & HEALTH UPDATES

ONLINE TOOL AVAILABLE TO BOOK COVID-19 TESTING APPOINTMENTS



Sonoma County is conducting **free, confidential COVID-19 Viral** testing for those that live or work in Sonoma County. You can now make an appointment online by visiting the online scheduler [here](#) and selecting one of the available locations (you do not need to create an account to make an appointment).

- **Each individual must schedule their appointment separately.**
- Each person must provide a **unique email address OR cell phone number** in order to receive results automatically. (Email address not required for appointment)
- Two people cannot share the same email nor cell phone number.
- If you need help making appointments for multiple family members or young children, call our hotline at 707-565-4667.

Visit the SoCo Emergency website [here](#) for more testing information.

LEGAL AID OF SONOMA COUNTY IS HERE TO HELP PEOPLE IMPACTED BY COVID-19

If you have employment questions, benefits questions, tenant protections questions, or any other legal issues related to the pandemic, please contact Legal Aid of Sonoma County. Visit their website [here](#) for more information.



EXPANDED FREE COVID-19 POP UP TEST SITES

The County of Sonoma is doubling the number of pop-up test sites available to the public beginning Tuesday, Oct. 20 and is encouraging residents, particularly those disproportionately impacted by the coronavirus, to be tested regardless of whether they have symptoms or have been exposed to someone who is COVID-19 positive. [Read the press release.](#)

SONOMA COUNTY COVID-19 TESTING INFORMATION

Click [here](#) to view Sonoma County's COVID-19 testing information.

HANDWASHING STATION LOCATIONS IN DOWNTOWN SEBASTOPOL

To help make our community safer during the COVID-19 pandemic, the City of Sebastopol set up a number of handwashing stations throughout the downtown area. Click [here](#) for a list of locations.



DID YOU KNOW:

IF EVERYONE WORE MASKS

PROPERLY, COVID-19 CASES

WOULD REDUCE UP TO 80%

covid19.ca.gov

Coronavirus spreads when an infected person speaks, sneezes, or coughs within 6 feet of others. You may have the virus and spread it even if you feel well.

To prevent infection, you must cover your nose and mouth when outside your home. So wearing a mask is now required statewide. Wearing a mask or cloth face covering can slow the spread of COVID-19 by limiting the release of virus into the air. It also reinforces physical distancing, and shows you care about the health of others.

See the following website for more information and guidance on wearing masks:

<https://covid19.ca.gov/masks-and-ppe/>

NEED HELP WITH ESSENTIAL RESOURCES?

Visit the [2-1-1 Free Referral Service](#) website if you have questions or needs.

For additional assistance, resources, and help with essential needs, see the [SoCo Emergency](#) resources webpage.

ESSENTIAL SERVICES WILL CONTINUE:

Click [here](#) for information on Essential Services during the COVID-19 Pandemic.

WARM LINE FOR EMOTIONAL & MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT



WARM LINE FOR
EMOTIONAL &
MENTAL HEALTH
SUPPORT

The last few months have been very difficult for everyone in our community. You may be feeling stressed, isolated, depressed, and anxious. You do not need to suffer alone. Help is available.

**Please call the Sonoma County Warm Line
for Emotional and Mental Health Support:**

(707) 565-2652

Or visit SoCoEmergency.org

*This free and private warm line is available seven days
a week from 10 a.m. - 7 p.m. Telephone interpretation
for other languages is available.*



CREDIBLE SOURCES FOR COVID-19 UPDATES

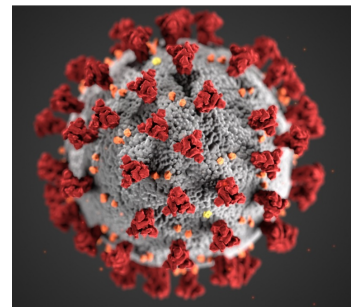
[California Department of Public Health](#)

[County of Sonoma Department of Health Services](#)

[SoCo Emergency Page](#)

[Centers for Disease Control and Prevention \(CDC\)](#)

[World Health Organization \(WHO\)](#)



EMERGENCY SAFETY & PREPAREDNESS

HAVE YOUR GO BAGS READY!

**Are you prepared to evacuate if necessary?
Are your go bags ready?**

Even though Sebastopol hasn't been under any evacuation orders or warnings, all citizens should be prepared to evacuate in the event one becomes necessary.

Everyone in your family should have their own Go Bag that contains a minimum of 72 hours worth of essential supplies. Personalize kits and keep them where they can easily be reached—at home, in the car, at work or school.



This is particularly important during fire season when a quick getaway may be needed. A backpack or other small bag is best for these kits so that they can be easily carried in an evacuation. During the COVID-19 pandemic additional considerations for your Go Bag include cloth face coverings, hand sanitizer, anti-bacterial wipes, and a thermometer.

[Build A Personal Go Bag](#)

SIGN UP FOR ALERTS

Make sure that you have signed up for:

[SoCoAlerts](#); and

Nixle Alerts (either [online](#) or by texting your zip code to 888777)

It is important to register for both types of alerts. If you receive Nixle alerts, read them thoroughly and click on any links.

Text Fire or Fuego (for Spanish) to 211-211 for updates.

More information on alerts may be found [here](#).

KNOW YOUR ALERTS

The City of Sebastopol uses multiple notifications and warning systems to make sure emergency alerts are delivered to the people who need the information.



Emergency Alert System (EAS) - No Registration Required

National public warning system that will interrupt local broadcast tv and radio programming to provide an alert in the event of a large-scale emergency.



Wireless Emergency Alerts (WEA) - No Registration Required

Urgent alerts sent as text-like messages to your mobile phone based on your location (you will only receive notification if you are in the area of the emergency). WEAs have three alert categories– Imminent Threat, AMBER, Presidential. You must keep the factory settings on to your WEA- capable phone to receive a WEA.



SoCoAlert - Registration Required

Emergency notification service providing Sonoma County first responders the ability to alert residents by landline or mobile phone, text message and email about imminent threats to life and property in specific impacted areas. Register all addresses that you'd like to receive alerts for (work, child's school, etc.). You don't have to be in the location of the emergency to receive alert.

Must register at SoCoAlert.com OR call (866) 939-0911, press "0" at the menu, ask operator for assistance with registering for SoCoAlert.



Nixle - Registration Required

Community information service managed by Sonoma County Fire District and Sonoma County Sheriff's Office. Community messages are sent to email, and for critical emergencies, Alert messages are sent via text message and email (notifications are NOT delivered by phone call). Customize your settings at nixle.com to control which types of notifications you receive. Must register at nixle.com or text your zip code to 888-777



Local Radio and Television

Local news broadcasters to provide updates during an emergency. Tune radio to 1350 AM, 103.5 FM, 100.1 FM, 89.1 FM (bilingual), 98.7 FM (Spanish); watch preferred local TV news channel.



Hi/Lo Sirens

Sebastopol police cars and fire department vehicles are outfitted with new Hi/Lo sirens, a different sound than traditional sirens. This European-style, 2-tone siren will only be used in an emergency to alert residents within specific areas of the need to evacuate.

Other Ways to Stay Informed

Sebastopol Police Dept. 
Sebastopol Fire Dept. 
City of Sebastopol  



More information on emergency alerts and notifications at SoCoEmergency.org

Thank you to the City of Santa Rosa for sharing their graphics.

**FOR NON-EMERGENCY SUPPORT
FOR FIRES IN SONOMA COUNTY
DIAL 2-1-1 OR TEXT "FIRE" TO 211-211**

**PARA AYUDA CON LOS INCENDIOS EN EL CONDADO
DE SONOMA QUE NO SEA DE EMERGENCIA,
MARQUE 2-1-1 O MANDE UN MENSAJE DE TEXTO
CON LA PALABRA "FUEGO" AL 211-211.**

FREE + AVAILABLE 24/7 GRATIS + DISPONIBLE 24/7



Get Connected. Get Help.™



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ARE YOU FLOOD READY?

The rainy season runs from October to May. The most severe flooding historically occurs between December and March. During this time you should be aware of anticipated weather conditions and take appropriate actions.

Know the flood warning signals: The Police, Fire Department, Public Works Department and Emergency Manager for the city are notified of rising floodwaters. Listen for Flood Warnings on local TV, and radio station KRSO 1350. Sign up for local alerts on your mobile phone. ***Be sure to heed the flood warnings.***

Flood safety:

Do not walk through flowing water. Drowning is the number one cause of flood deaths. Currents can be deceptive; six inches of moving water can knock you off your feet. Use a pole or stick to ensure the ground is still there before you go through an area where the water is flowing. Avoid contact with floodwaters. Do not allow children or pets play in floodwater. This water may be contaminated and poses a health hazard.

Do not drive through a flooded area. More people drown in their cars than anywhere else.

Don't drive around road barriers; the road or bridge may be washed out.

Stay away from power lines and electrical wires. The number two Killer after drowning is electrocution. Electrical current can travel through water. Report downed power lines to PG&E or call 911.

Be alert for gas leaks. Use a flashlight to inspect damage. Don't smoke or use candles,



lanterns, or open flames until you are positive the gas service is turned off and the area has been ventilated.

Sandbags

During the storm season, the Public Works Department offers free sand and sandbags behind the Youth Annex at 425 Morris Street. Please note, this is a self-serve area without night lighting. Shovels, bags, and sand (of course) are provided.

What can you do now to prepare?

- Find out if you live in or near a flood zone
- Have a personal/family emergency plan
- Have personal/family/pet disaster kits prepared

REMEMBER: *Turn around, don't drown*

Disaster Preparedness information is available on the Sebastopol Fire Department [website](#).

For more information on preparing for floods and other disasters go to:

<https://socoemergency.org/get-ready/>

<https://myhazards.caloes.ca.gov>

<https://www.fema.gov>

<https://water.ca.gov>

Information on power outages during a disaster and other safety information from PG&E can be found at [PG&E natural disaster Safety page](#)

BUSINESS NEWS

BUSINESS LICENSE APPLICATIONS AND RENEWALS



We're moving to a completely paperless system for business license applications and renewals. Renewal notices will be sent electronically to the email info we have on file. Make sure your contact information is updated. You can check and update your information at our renewals portal [here](#). We're also upgrading our online business directory to allow you to make it easier for your customers to find your business. Make sure that your business information is up to date by visiting the online portal [here](#) where you can also apply for a business license. Please make sure to fill out all applicable fields. Give us a call at **(707) 823-7863** with any questions.

OPEN BUSINESSES

Be sure to contact them first as this information may change from day to day.

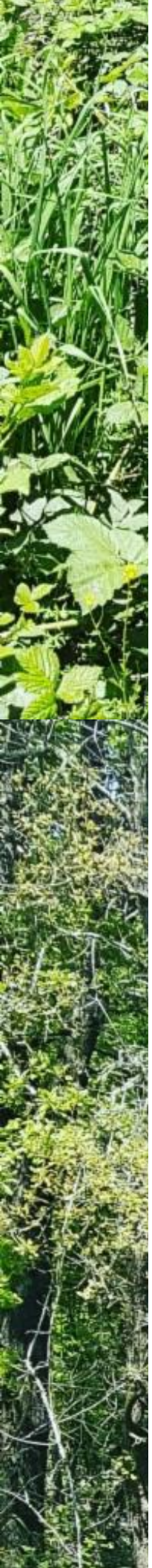
[Sonoma West Times & News](#) list of open businesses

[Sebastopol Chamber of Commerce](#) list of open businesses

[Press Democrat](#) list of open businesses



Designated as an essential business, the Sunday Farmer's Market on the Plaza is



currently open and taking safety precautions and practicing social distancing. Check their [website](#) for more information.

The City of Sebastopol has compiled a [list](#) of open essential businesses. If your business supplies essential services, please email business@CityOfSebastopol.org with details such as offerings, days/hours and any special services like online ordering, takeout, delivery, curbside pickup, and special hours for seniors, at-risk, or first responders.

When visiting local businesses for essential needs, please wear a facial covering and maintain social distance (at least 6 feet between you and anyone outside your household).

SBA ANNOUNCES 2ND ROUND OF PPP LOANS

See the US Small Business Administration [website](#) for more information on Paycheck Protection Program loan availability.

CITY NEWS

REGULAR CITY BUSINESS CONTINUES

Administrative Services:

- Administrative Service staff are available by phone or email for questions. Please email customerservice@cityofsebastopol.org; or call **707-823-7863** and leave a message and someone will respond to you.

Building Department:

- The Building Department is open and operating regular office hours - Monday - Thursday 7am to 5:30pm, Closed 12pm to 12:30pm.
- The Building Department is located inside the Fire Station.

City Manager's Office:

- City Hall is closed, but staff are available by phone or email for questions. Please email info@cityofsebastopol.org; or call **707-823-1153** and leave a message and someone will respond to you.
- City staff encourage the public to keep up with news and updates by following the City's [Facebook](#) page and checking out Council videos.

Engineering Department:

- The Engineering Department is open and operating regular office hours - Monday to Thursday 7am to 5:30pm. The Engineering Department is located in the Public Works office. Please note signage on door with instructions for safe interaction with staff.

Fire Department:

- The Fire Department is open and continuing to provide fire response and emergency services as usual.
- The Fire Department lobby is open during normal business hours Monday - Thursday 7am to 5:30pm, Closed 12pm to 12:30pm.

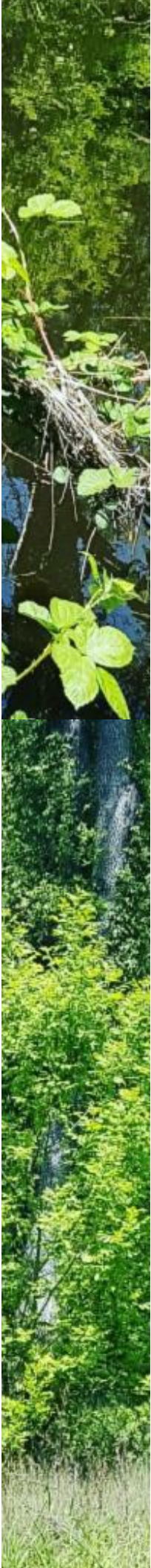
Planning Department:

- The Planning Department is (virtually) open Monday - Thursday 7am to 5:30pm (Closed 12pm to 12:30pm) and continues to accept applications. Staff is available via email or phone (707-823-6167). Planning is accepting new applications; please contact staff for instructions for submittals. Click [here](#) for details.

Police Department:

- Lobby is open to the public. For non-life-or-safety-threatening situations, we encourage the public to call the 24/7 police non-emergency line at **707-829-4400**. As always, in the event of emergency, call **911**.
- [Sebastopol Police Log January 18 - January 24](#)

Public Works Department:

- The Public Works Department is open and operating regular office hours - Monday to Thursday 7am to 5:30pm. Please note signage on door with instructions for safe
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interaction with staff.

- Water and sewer utility systems continue to be monitored and maintained.

CITY MEETINGS

All meetings will be held virtually and are open to the public to attend via web or phone link.

Agendas for upcoming meetings can be found on the City website by clicking the “[Meetings](#)” link on the home page. Agendas will contain information about participating virtually in real time when this feature is available.

City Council Meetings:

- **Meeting Days:** First and Third Tuesday of each month
- **Meeting Time:** 6pm
- **Livestream Link:** <http://bit.ly/sebcctv>
- To submit comments before the meeting:
 - **For Items Not on the Agenda:** Members of the public may submit written emails/comments for items not on the agenda either by email as a public record or by public comment during the public comment period of the virtual City Council meeting. All written emails/comments will be provided to the entire City Council as a public record but will not be read into the minutes at the City Council meeting. Written emails/comments should be received by 5:00 pm of the Council Meeting Date for submission to the entire City Council prior to the meeting and will be included as a part of the record of the meeting. Please submit your comments via email for this meeting to mgourley@cityofsebastopol.org
 - **For Items Listed on the Agenda:** Members of the public may submit written emails/comments for items listed on the agenda either by email as a public record or by public comment during the public comment period of the agenda item during the virtual City Council meeting. **Email comments must identify the Agenda Item Number in the subject line of the email.** All written emails/comments will be provided to the entire City Council as a public record but will not be read into the minutes at the City Council meeting. Written emails/comments should be received by 5:00 pm of the Council Meeting Date for submission to the entire City Council prior to the meeting and will be included as a part of the record of the meeting. Please submit your comments via email for this meeting to mgourley@cityofsebastopol.org
- **Next Meeting:** [City Council Meeting of February 2, 2021 @ 6:00 PM](#)

Planning Commission Meetings:

- **Meeting Days:** Second and Fourth Tuesday of each month
- **Meeting Time:** 7pm
- **Livestream Link:** <http://bit.ly/sebcctv>
- To submit comments before meeting, send an email to ksvanstrom@cityofsebastopol.org
- **Next Meeting:** [Planning Commission Meeting of February 9, 2021 @ 7:00 PM](#)

(NOTE: All meetings will be held virtually and are open to the public to attend via web or phone link. Information for meeting attendance can be found here: <https://www.ci.sebastopol.ca.us/Meeting-Event.aspx>)

Design Review Board Meetings:

- **Meeting Days:** First and Third Wednesday of each month
- **Meeting Time:** 4pm

- Livestream Link: <http://bit.ly/sebcctv>
- To submit comments before meeting, send an email to amontes@cityofsebastopol.org

- Next Meeting: [Design Review Board Meeting of February 3, 2021 @ 4:00 PM](#)

Public Arts Committee Meetings:

- Meeting Days: First Wednesday of each month
- Meeting Time: 10:30am
- Livestream Link: <http://bit.ly/sebcctv>
- To submit comments before meeting, send an email to amontes@cityofsebastopol.org
- Next Meeting: [Public Arts Committee Meeting of February 3, 2021 @ 10:30AM](#)



SEBASTOPOL BOARDS, COMMISSIONS & COMMITTEES OPENINGS

Design Review Board

[Job Notice](#)

[General Application](#)

Application Deadline: February 4, 2021

SERVICE REMINDERS: TAKE THE LEAVES TO THE CART, NOT TO THE CURB

SERVICE REMINDERS RECORDATORIOS DE SERVICIO

Do not pile leaves from your property on the street. Use your compost cart. Look for your street sweeping schedule at Recology.com/Sebastopol. Avoid street parking on sweep day. Make sure trees and shrubs don't grow into the roadway.

No apile hojas de su propiedad en la calle. Utilice su carrito de abono. Busque su horario de barrido de calles en Recology.com/Sebastopol. Evite el estacionamiento en la calle el día de barrido. Asegúrese de que no crezcan árboles y arbustos en la calzada.

TAKE THE LEAVES TO THE CART



NOT TO THE CURB



GENERAL INFO

The Sebastopol Center for the Arts has a fantastic education program lined up just for you!!

The classes include Spanish Songs, Pastels with Clark Mitchell, Spring Colored Pencil Workshop, Creative Process in Watercolor, ART SPOTS and more!

[Adult Classes](#)

Some classes have already started, so check them out and act fast... For full details visit the Sebastopol Center for the Arts website [here](#).

SONOMA COUNTY LIBRARY REVAMPS DIGITAL COLLECTIONS

SONOMA COUNTY LIBRARY

Digital Collections



More archives • More maps • More images • More data access

An elegant user experience
digital.sonomalibrary.org

Interested in local history, culture, art, and archives from the library's special collections? [Sonoma County Digital Collections](#) is easier than ever to use and enjoy. The updated Digital Collections is growing all the time, so bookmark it and discover new ways to keep exploring!

Featuring

- Completely redesigned, user-friendly website
- Searchable photographs and maps from Sonoma County history and culture
- [Archival Collection Guides](#)
- Videos, audio, oral histories
- Local authors
- Community memories
- [Guides to historical research](#)
- [International Wine Research Database](#)
- And much more!

Dive into [Sonoma County Digital Collections](#) today!

ADD YOUR VOICE TO THE SONOMA COUNTY LIBRARY MEMORY ARCHIVE PROJECT



SONOMA RESPONDS

A Community Memory Archive Un Archivo de Memoria Comunitaria

Tell Your Story

What comes to mind when you think about the past year? Sonoma County Library invites our communities to collectively build the historical record of living through COVID-19, the Black Lives Matter movement, and the impacts on daily life locally. [Sonoma Responds](#) is an English/Spanish online portal where you can preserve your stories through a variety of media.

Ways to Share

- Post on social media using #SonomaResponds
- Respond to reflective prompts online
- Upload images, videos, recordings, writings
- Nominate online content for a web archive
- Nominate material for the physical archive

Your submissions will be the primary sources that future generations use to understand the age of social distancing. These stories will live in the library's [Digital Collections](#) and with its online partners such as the Online Archive of California, Calisphere, and the Internet Archive.

EDUCATION RESOURCES

SUPERVISED DISTANCE LEARNING PROGRAM WITH THE SEBASTOPOL CENTER FOR THE ARTS

The Sebastopol Center for the Arts is offering supervised distance learning for families needing daytime help for children Grades 1-5.

The program offers:

- A safe, supervised environment for schoolchildren grades 1-5
- Small groups of 10-12 children who are staying in the same group for 6 weeks

- Supervision of the children by experienced educators who actively support the children during the zoom classes offered by their school
- An ideal environment for children who do not perform well at home due to lack of assistance or supervision
- A place for the children to interact with peers and continue to have a social life during Covid
- Outdoor activities together
- After school program of art classes taught by experienced artists in their field: music, dance, arts and crafts and more

If you know of a family or child that could use this help, write as soon as possible to Dana Swint, Education Manager at edumanager@sebarts.org.

First priority goes to Sebastopol Union School District students, but invite anyone interested to contact us. Scholarships and sliding scale fees available.

Click [here](#) for more information. Check out a video on the program [here](#).



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Contact Dana Swint at edumanager@sebarts.org, (707) 829-4797 x 1009 to learn more. Only 46 spots available.

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This is a challenging time for our community, and Sonoma County Library is here to help with your back-to-school needs. Are you a parent of a school-age child or children? A student yourself? Maybe you want to enrich your self-learning. We've put together a list of resources that you may find useful during the school year...and beyond!

- Access educational [eBooks, and eAudiobooks, stream movies and more](#). This includes always-available eBooks and eAudiobooks such as [Diverse Reads for Teens](#) and [Diverse Reads for Kids](#) on OverDrive.
- Students of any age can connect with free tutors and more at [Tutor.com](#).
- Our Student OneCard partnership provides students access to library resources using their student ID number. [See the list of participating schools and learn more about Student OneCards](#).
- Earn your high school diploma online with [Career Online High School](#).
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- Your library card gives you access to [Lynda.com](#), an online learning service that teaches business, technology, and creative skills through video tutorials.
- [LearningExpress Library](#) features nearly 1,000 online tutorials, practice tests, and eBooks for all ages.
- Why not use this time to learn a new language or brush up on one you're already familiar with? [Mango Languages](#) is fun and easy to use.

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ONLINE EDUCATION RESOURCES

See the [Sonoma County Office of Education](#) website for news and information about Sonoma County schools.

The [PBS LearningMedia](#) website has several free online resources including standards-aligned videos, interactives, lesson plans, and more. The website also includes [PreK-](#)



[12 Resources for Emergency Closings](#) that include activities, lesson plans, and videos organized by grade and subject area.

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