

# The Cerritos News

## CCPA welcomes Air Supply, Joshua Bell, Jack Jones and more in February



**Joshua Bell performs at the Cerritos Center for the Performing Arts on Wednesday, February 6.**

Gather family and friends and have some fun this February at the Cerritos Center for the Performing Arts (CCPA).

Catch the legendary soft-rock duo Air Supply on Friday, February 1 at 8 p.m. The pair's hits include "Lost in Love," "The One That You Love," "Here I Am (Just When I Thought I Was Over You)" and "Even the Nights Are Better." The twosome earned a place in the Australian Recording Industry Association's Hall of Fame with timeless ballads such as "Every Woman in the World," "Making Love Out of Nothing at All" and "Sweet Dreams." Tickets start at \$75.

Set to Tchaikovsky's majestic score, "Swan Lake," the tale of a swan maiden and a prince and their battle with an evil sorcerer, comes to life with the graceful movements of the Russian National Ballet Theatre dancers. Founded in Moscow in the late 1980s, the company features more than 50 dancers and has earned acclaim for its elaborate sets and vibrant costumes. Tickets for the 8 p.m. Saturday, February 2 performance start at \$60.

One of the most celebrated violinists of his era, Joshua Bell comes to the CCPA on Wednesday, February 6

at 7:30 p.m. An exclusive Sony Classical artist, Bell has recorded more than 40 albums, garnering four Grammys (for "Perpetual Motion," "Bernstein" and "Violin Concerto"), a Gramophone Award, the Echo Klassik Award and an Avery Fisher Prize. Bell will be accompanied by pianist Sam Haywood. The program includes: "BEETHOVEN – Violin Sonata No. 4 in a minor, Op. 23"; "PROKOFIEV – Violin Sonata No. 2 in D Major, Op. 94a"; and "GRIEG – Violin Sonata No. 2 in G Major, Op. 13." Ticket prices start at \$85.

The CCPA welcomes two of Jazz-Pop's biggest names on Friday, February 8 at 8 p.m. Two-time Grammy winner Jack Jones has recorded more than 50 albums – including the hits "The Impossible Dream," "Wives and Lovers" and "Lollipops and Roses." American Jazz-Pop vocalist Jane Monheit, whose recent album is "The Songbook Sessions: Ella Fitzgerald," is blessed with "a voice of phenomenal beauty," hails "The New York Times." Monheit performs first and Jones closes the show. Tickets start at \$50.

The late Rock and Roll Hall of Famer and five-time Grammy winner Davie Bowie tested music genres with chart-busting hits, including the No. One "Let's Dance" and the Top 20 successes "China Girl" and "Modern Love." In "A Bowie Celebration – The David Bowie Alumni Tour," the "Starman's" alumni band members, including Mike Garson, Earl Slick, Mark Plati, Charlie Sexton and Carmine Rojas, perform Bowie's music the way he wanted it to be played. Catch the excitement on Saturday, February 9 at 8 p.m. Tickets start at \$80.

CCPA Broadway Performance Partner 3-D Theatricals presents four-time Tony winner "A Gentleman's Guide to Love and Murder," which centers on Monty Navarro, a lowborn young Englishman and distant heir to a family fortune who sets out to elevate his social standing by speeding up the line of succession. Based on Roy Horniman's novel, which was adapted for the movie "Kind Hearts and Coronets," this tale is a murderous romp with nonstop laughs and a scene-stealing role for one actor who plays all eight of the doomed heirs who meet their ends in the most creative and side-splitting ways. Show times are 8 p.m. on Friday, February 15 and 22 and March 1; 8 p.m. Saturday, February 16; 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday, February 23 and March 2; 2 p.m. Sunday, February 17 and 24 and March 3; and 7:30 p.m. Thursday, February 28. Ticket prices start at \$45.

Tickets are available at [cerritoscenter.com](http://cerritoscenter.com) or by calling (562) 916-8500. Purchase online and select your own seats. ■

## Festival of Friendship celebrates cultural diversity

Celebrate Cerritos' rich cultural diversity at the City's Festival of Friendship from noon to 4 p.m. on Saturday, February 2. The City of Cerritos and the Let Freedom Ring Committee, in conjunction with the Los Cerritos Center, are presenting the event. The festival will be held in the Los Cerritos Center.

The Festival of Friendship will feature a variety of cultural entertainment on stages throughout the mall. Local groups will perform an assortment of cultural songs and dances. A formal ceremony with the Cerritos City Council will be held on the Forever 21 stage at 2 p.m. to commemorate the event's 20-year anniversary.

Special commemorative gifts will be distributed at each stage. For more information, call the City's Recreation Services Division at (562) 916-1254. ■

## City to observe Presidents' Day

Cerritos City Hall, the City Clerk's Office, Cerritos Library, Cerritos Senior Center at Pat Nixon Park and the Cerritos Center for the Performing Arts Ticket Office will be closed on Monday, February 18 in observance of Presidents' Day. All park facilities will maintain regular hours. Trash collection schedules will not be affected. The City's street sweeping parking ordinance will not be enforced from February 18 through 22. ■

## 12-month closure scheduled for Iron-Wood Nine Golf Course

Due to an underground vault replacement project by Southern California Edison (SCE), the Cerritos Iron-Wood Nine Golf Course will close for approximately 12 months beginning in early 2019. This includes the time necessary for SCE to complete its work and to restore the affected greens. Specific closure dates will be announced once that information becomes available. The driving range, practice greens and chipping area will remain open during the closure. ■

## Free tax preparation offered for qualifying households

In 2019, the Buddhist Tzu Chi Foundation is offering free tax preparation for taxpayers who meet the following qualifications for 2018: total income less than \$54,000; interest income less than \$10,000; fewer than five stock transactions; self-employment expenses less than \$5,000; and no rental income.

Tax preparation will be offered from Saturday, February 2 through Saturday, April 13 at the Norwalk Social Service Center at 11929 Alondra Boulevard in Norwalk. Assistance is available for English, Chinese, Spanish and Vietnamese speakers. To make an appointment, call (562) 929-5961 (English and Spanish) or (877) 889-8244 (English and Chinese). ■

## Pay parking citations online

The community is reminded that all City parking citations must be paid or appealed within 21 days of the citation date. Payments or appeals can be made by going to [cerritos.us](http://cerritos.us) and clicking on "Pay Parking Citation" under the Featured Links section. You may also mail your payment to the City of Cerritos, c/o Citation

Processing Center, P.O. Box 10479, Newport Beach, CA 92658-0479.

Community Safety Division staff are available to help those requiring assistance with the payment or appeal process. The Community Safety Division is located in the Cerritos Sheriff's Station and is open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. and Saturday from 7 to 10 p.m. ■

# Calendar of Events

- January 26 • **Recreation Services Youth Baseball** registration, 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Sports Complex. Also on January 30, 4-8 p.m. and February 2, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
- **Cerritos Tennis Club**, 7 a.m.-noon, Cerritos High School tennis courts, members only. Also on January 27, February 2, 3, 9, 10, 16, 17, 23 and 24. Contact Allen at (562) 926-9551.
- **Cerritos Certified Farmers' Market**, 8 a.m.-noon, northwest parking lot of the Cerritos Center for the Performing Arts. Also on February 2, 9, 16 and 23.
- January 28 • **Cerritos Gadabouts**, 9 a.m., Cerritos Senior Center at Pat Nixon Park. Also on February 11 and 25. Contact Eileen Mills at (714) 809-6143.
- January 29 • **Property Preservation Commission** meeting, 7 p.m., City Hall Council Chambers. Also on February 26.
- **Iron-Wood Women's Golf Club** plays, 7:30 a.m., Cerritos Iron-Wood Nine Golf Course. Also on February 5, 12, 19 and 26. Contact Sharon Hamel at (562) 598-6165.
- **Cerritos Chinese-American Senior Citizens Association**, 2-5 p.m., Cerritos Senior Center at Pat Nixon Park. Also on February 5, 12, 19 and 26. Contact Cindy Yen Chen at (562) 762-6750.
- **Classic Estates Toastmaster Club**, 6 p.m., Century 21 Classic Estates, 13217 South Street, Cerritos. Also on February 5, 12, 19 and 26. The public is invited to attend. Contact Soledad Almarinez at (562) 865-2922 for more information.
- **Da' Hawaii Senior Club**, 6-9 p.m., Cerritos Senior Center at Pat Nixon Park. Also on February 14, 1:30-4:30 p.m. and February 26, 6-9 p.m. Contact Myrna Matsuno at (310) 538-2148.
- **The "Original" Happy Seniors of Cerritos**, 6:30-9 p.m., Cerritos Senior Center at Pat Nixon Park. Also on February 5, 12, 19 and 26. Contact Victoria Ilano at (562) 862-2842.
- January 30 • **Cerritos Cheerful Chatters Toastmasters Club**, noon, SELACO Workforce Investment Board, 10900 E. 183rd Street, 3rd Floor, Cerritos. Visitors welcome. Also on February 6, 13, 20 and 27. Contact Larry Lee at (562) 402-9336.
- **Cerritos Tennis Club**, 6-10 p.m., Cerritos High School tennis courts, members only. Also on February 6, 13, 20 and 27. Contact Allen at (562) 926-9551.
- **Toastmasters International Club 3828: Eclectic Dialectics**, 7:30 p.m., The Grove at Cerritos, 11000 New Falcon Way, Cerritos. Also on February 6, 13, 20 and 27. Contact Jimmy Chan at (562) 565-7676 or Dan Nino at (562) 508-8099.
- January 31 • **Cerritos (Mid-City) Korean-American Senior Citizens Association**, 9 a.m.-noon, Cerritos Senior Center at Pat Nixon Park. Also on February 7, 14, 21 and 28. Contact John Hwang at (562) 419-5445.
- **Cerritos Indo-American Seniors**, 5-8 p.m., Cerritos Senior Center at Pat Nixon Park. Also on February 7, 14, 21 and 28. Contact Jashbhai Patel at (562) 382-7611.
- **Happy Seniors of Cerritos Association**, 6-9 p.m., Cerritos Senior Center at Pat Nixon Park. Also on February 7, 14, 21 and 28. Contact Emma Chupinghong at (562) 400-1075.
- **Formosa Senior Association**, 6:30-9 p.m., Cerritos Senior Center at Pat Nixon Park. Also on February 7, 14, 21 and 28. Contact Paul Wei at (562) 397-5797.
- February 1 • **Filipino Seniors of Cerritos**, 1 p.m., Cerritos Senior Center at Pat Nixon Park. Also on February 8, 15 and 22. Contact Mayette Centeno at (562) 860-6802.
- February 2 • **Festival of Friendship**, noon, Cultural Entertainment, Los Cerritos Center.
- February 4 • **Rotary Club of Cerritos**, noon, Peking Wok, 11203 183rd Street. Also on February 25. Contact Sharun Carlson at (562) 404-1993.
- February 5 • **Soulful Seniors of Cerritos**, 6-9 p.m., Cerritos Senior Center at Pat Nixon Park. Contact Louida Shaw at (562) 412-7448.
- **ABC Unified School District Board** meeting, 7 p.m., 16700 Norwalk Blvd., Cerritos. Also on February 19.
- February 6 • **Planning Commission** meeting, 7 p.m., City Hall Council Chambers.
- **Friends of the 1st CEB**, 6-8 p.m., Liberty Park. Also on February 23, 10 a.m. Contact Dorothy Owen at (562) 926-1092.
- February 7 • **Parks and Recreation Commission** meeting, 7 p.m., City Hall Council Chambers.
- **Cerritos Optimist Club**, 7 a.m., Off Street Café, 11020 Artesia Blvd., Cerritos. Also on February 14 and 28. Contact Gary McHatton at (562) 883-5821
- February 9 • **La Palma-Cerritos American Association of University Women**, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Sondra Cohen residence. Contact Joan Pylman at (562) 865-6592.
- February 10 • **'Ahahui 'O Lili'uokalani Hawaiian Civic Club of Southern California**, 10 a.m., John Jensen residence. Contact John Jensen at (562) 926-2286 for more information.
- February 12 • **Economic Development Commission** meeting, 7 p.m., City Hall Council Chambers.
- **Cerritos Republican Club**, 7 p.m., Cerritos Park East. Contact Becky Lingad at (562) 243-2135, or visit the website at [cerritos-republican.org](http://cerritos-republican.org).
- February 13 • **Soroptimist International of Artesia-Cerritos**, 6 p.m., Mimi's Cafe, 12727 Towne Center Drive, Cerritos. Also on February 27. Contact Lola Rizkallah at (562) 860-4675.
- **Cerritos Rod & Gun Club**, 7 p.m., Heritage Park. Contact Jay Miller at (562) 926-8521.
- February 14 • **City Council** meeting, 7 p.m., City Hall Council Chambers.
- **Woman's Club of Artesia-Cerritos**, 11 a.m., Cerritos Park East. Contact Gail Grossman at (562) 926-8487 or Delores Eveland at (562) 618-5438.
- **Bellflower Unified School District Board** meeting, 7:30 p.m., 16703 S. Clark Avenue, Bellflower.
- February 18 • **Presidents' Day**
- **City Hall, City Clerk's Office, Library, Senior Center and CCPA Ticket Office closed**
- **Hubert Humphrey Democratic Club**, 7 p.m., Mimi's Cafe, 12727 Towne Center Drive, Cerritos. Contact Elaine Duvali at (562) 924-3583 or [hhdemocrats@gmail.com](mailto:hhdemocrats@gmail.com).
- February 20 • **Veterans Workshop Seminars**, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at SELACO Workforce Investment Board, 10900 E. 183rd Street, #392 (3rd Floor), Cerritos. Also on February 26 at the Employment Development Department, 12715 S. Pioneer Blvd., Norwalk. For more information, call (562) 929-9107.
- February 21 • **Cerritos Optimist Club**, 7 p.m. Café n' Stuff, 9306 E. Firestone Blvd., Downey. Contact Gary McHatton at (562) 883-5821.
- **Philippine Society of Southeast Los Angeles**, 7 p.m., Liberty Park. Contact Nimfa Castro at (562) 822-3633.
- February 23 • **Soroptimist International of Artesia-Cerritos Monte Carlo** fundraiser, 7 p.m., Centre at Sycamore Plaza, 5000 Clark Avenue, Lakewood. Contact Sandy Fikse at (562) 618-8731.
- February 28 • **City Council** meeting, 7 p.m., City Hall Council Chambers.

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# City Council Recap

City Council/Successor Agency meetings are held at 7 p.m. on the second and fourth Thursday of every month at City Hall. For details, call the City Clerk's Office from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday at (562) 916-1248.

## November 19, 2018

- Waived full reading of and adopted Resolution No. 2018-20, a resolution of the City Of Cerritos approving wireless telecommunication Permit 2001-4(2018) renewal, a request by applicant Synergy Development Services, Inc., on behalf of T-Mobile West Corporation, to renew an existing wireless telecommunication facility on a Southern California Edison transmission tower. The existing wireless facility contains six panel antennas, three remote radio units and three tower-mounted amplifiers, and located beneath the Southern California Edison transmission tower is an existing equipment enclosure that contains four support equipment cabinets and one global positioning antenna for wireless telecommunication purposes. No changes to the existing wireless telecommunication facility are planned with the renewal request. The subject tower is located at 19900 Claretta Avenue, Cerritos, and is zoned Open Space (OS) (APN 7056-006-800).
- Directed and authorized the City Manager, or his designee, to execute and implement the agreement entitled Recycled Water Purchase Agreement by the City of Cerritos and Golden State Water Company for the purchase and sale of reclaimed water within Golden State's customer service area in the City of Lakewood, substantially in the form presented in the agenda report and subject to final review and approval by the City Attorney.
- Awarded a contract for the annual on-call maintenance and repair services for water wells, booster pump assemblies and gear drives, Bid No. 1347-18, to General Pump Company and authorized the City Manager or his designee to execute any contract modifications.

## Soroptimist benefit to be held February 23

The 27th Annual Monte Carlo Night fundraiser sponsored by Soroptimist International of Artesia-Cerritos will be held on Saturday, February 23 at 7 p.m. at the Centre at Sycamore Plaza located at 5000 Clark Avenue in Lakewood. The theme of the event is "Some Enchanted Evening." Proceeds from the evening will fund scholarships for college women, career training for high school girls, donations to community organizations such as Su Casa – Ending Domestic Violence and the Community Family Guidance Center, and other Soroptimist programs.

The event will include casino-type games, a buffet dinner and opportunity drawings. Tickets are \$70 per person. For more information or to purchase tickets, contact Sandy Fikse at (562) 618-8731. ■

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