

# San Simeon Community Services District



January – March 2018

## NEWSLETTER

1<sup>st</sup> Quarter: January 25, 2018

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THE SAN SIMEON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**

The San Simeon Chamber of Commerce greets visitors from all over the world, providing information and advice about local area attractions. Come by the center to get information or just to say hello. We welcome volunteers who like to greet visitors and provide information. The San Simeon Chamber of Commerce is open 9 am to 5 pm Mon - Fri and is located at the Cavalier Plaza, 250 San Simeon Avenue, Suite 3A. Call the Chamber office at [\(805\) 927-3500](tel:8059273500). You can also visit their website at <http://www.VistSanSimeonCa.com>

### **SAN SIMEON VISITORS SIGN RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY**



Pictured above is the ribbon cutting event for the San Simeon Visitors' Sign. Roughly 20 dignitaries and members of the public attended the event that was held on December 13, 2017. Principals involved in the years long process of making the sign a reality spoke. A reception at

at the Cavalier followed the dedication.

### **PARKING: RV's**

If you have friends or family planning to visit San Simeon with their RV or trailer that will need to be parked on District streets, please remember that you must get a permit from the District Office. SSCSD Ordinance 107 details the RV parking permit requirements. We ask hotels that have patrons with RV's to park on hotel property or obtain a parking permit from the SSCSD if street parking is necessary. RV parking on County easements is strictly prohibited and clearly posted.

The parking permit is to keep tourists from camping on our streets. In the past some took up permanent residence on District streets, leaving behind litter and sewage. Please inform SSCSD Staff whenever you see an RV on District streets without a bright pink parking permit. The permit should always be posted on the driver's side window. We thank you for your assistance in this matter.

### **SANDBAGS: FILLING & LOADING TIPS**

Sand and empty sandbags are available at the District office free of charge. Please feel free to help yourself. Here are some general tips to help prevent injuries when filling and loading sandbags:

- Use gloves to protect hands from chemically-treated sandbags and contaminants in sand and floodwater.
- Avoid touching your eyes and mouth.

- Wear work boots (waterproofed if working in floodwater.)
- Use waterproof gear if working in floodwater or rain.
- Remember, sandbags may be small, but they are heavy. Use care when lifting.
- Do not overfill sandbags - fill bag 1/2 to 2/3 full.
- Keep load in front of and close to your body.
- Keep the lift between knee and waist height.
- Do not reach out, bend over, or twist when lifting.
- Lift with your legs, not your back.
- Use a good hand grip when lifting.



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**111 Pico Avenue**  
**San Simeon, CA 93452**

**\*\*\* Next San Simeon CSD \*\*\***  
**Board of Directors' Meeting**  
**Wednesday, February 14, 2018**  
**Cavalier Ballroom**  
**6:00 PM**

Additional tips on sandbags and emergency preparedness can be found online at:  
<http://www.readycolorado.com>

**MOUNTAIN SIGHTING – 1/22/18 @ 8:00 PM**

One of our community members contacted the office to inform us about a confirmed mountain lion sighting. The mountain lion has been seen on three occasions over the last 10 days. It is recommended that you bring your animals in at night, to ensure their safety.

**Do you have information you would like added to our quarterly newsletter? Contact the office or send us an email at:**  
 sansimeoncommunityservices@yahoo.com

**HOLIDAY & OFFICE SCHEDULE**

Our office will be closed on the following dates:

- January 31, 2018
- February 19, 2018
- April 2, 2018