

TORRANCE

SEASONS

SPRING 2020

**Adaptive Recreation
is on the move
in Torrance!**



**Special
Olympics**
Southern California



Check out the Spring Season Programs and Classes
Registration Information is on Page 5.

9th Annual Cherry Blossom Festival

Sunday, April 5, 11:00am-4:00pm

Columbia Park
4045 190th Street

Admission is Free!

Celebrate the blossoming cherry trees! Join us for music, entertainment, food, activities for kids, and an exhibit of fine arts and crafts by the Torrance Craftsmen's Guild. For more information, call (310) 618-2376, or visit [Facebook.Com/TorranceCherryBlossom](https://www.facebook.com/TorranceCherryBlossom).



Breakfast And A Visit With The Bunny

Saturday, April 11, 9:00am-12:00pm

Torrance Cultural
Arts Center
3330 Civic Center Drive

\$20 person (no registrations
will be taken at the event)

This program will include breakfast, a performance by Buster Balloon, DJ Ozzie, cookie decorating, a photo with the Bunny (bring your camera), and more!

For more information, call (310) 618-2930, or visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/Our-City/Recreation/Special-Events.



Torrance Civic Chorale Presents:

VOICES IN BLOOM

Saturday, April 18, 8:00pm

James R. Armstrong
Theatre
3330 Civic Center Drive

Reserved seating: \$25

An evening featuring a variety of vocal traditions from around the world.

For ticket information, call (310) 781-7171, or visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/TCACTickets.

For more information, visit www.TorranceCivicChorale.Org.



Torrance Sister City Association Presents:

Bunka Sai Japanese Cultural Festival

Saturday & Sunday, April 18 & 19, 11:00am-5:00pm

Ken Miller
Recreation Center
3341 Torrance Boulevard

Admission is Free!

Don't miss this fun-filled event featuring taiko drums, kimono models, martial arts, calligraphy, tea ceremony, bonsai flower arrangements, doll exhibit, games, storytelling, music, dance, food, arts & crafts vendors, and more!

For more information, visit www.TorranceSisterCity.Org.



21st Annual Senior Faire

Saturday, May 2, 9:30am-2:30pm

Ken Miller
Recreation Center
3341 Torrance Boulevard

Admission is Free!

Celebrating Older Americans Month

Arts & crafts, entertainment, blood pressure screening, community resource information, and "Make It & Take It" card making table! For more information, visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/Our-City/Recreation/Seniors.



Torrance Certified Farmers' Market

Tuesdays & Saturdays, 8:00am-1:00pm

Charles H. Wilson Park
2200 Crenshaw Boulevard

*Open Year Round...
Rain or Shine!*

We're here to help you provide your family with the freshest, most wholesome fruits and vegetables available directly from California farmers. Our growers take pride in offering a variety of top quality produce, friendly service, and fair prices!



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Mayor



City Council

On the Covers:

Front: Adaptive Recreation is on the move in Torrance!
For more information see page 29.

Back: How will you vote on March 3rd? For more information about these measures and how they will affect you, visit TorranceVotes.Org.

Measure X And March 3rd District Election

On December 3rd, the Torrance City Council placed Measure X – the Torrance Local Control AND Public Safety measure on the March 3, 2020 ballot for voter consideration. Measure X is a Local Control Measure which protects the City of Torrance’s long-term financial stability.

In the last few years, County, Sacramento and Washington D.C. politicians have taken millions of dollars in funding and local tax revenue away from Torrance. In fact, of the last two county sales tax increases passed, only 13 cents on the dollar is currently being returned to Torrance.

Measure X does not currently raise taxes. Measure X will only be triggered if Los Angeles County or other regional politicians act to place another countywide or regional tax measure on the ballot in the future, which Torrance would be subject to. Only then would Measure X’s ¾ cent increase be triggered.

Torrance residents have identified the following priorities – services that would all be maintained by any local funding generated in the future by Measure X:

- Maintaining 911 emergency response
- Maintaining fire and paramedic services
- Maintaining safe schools
- Keeping parks and public areas safe and clean
- Protecting the City’s long-term financial stability
- Repairing streets and potholes
- Addressing homelessness

For the first time ever, the March 3rd ballot also includes Municipal District Elections and allows Torrance voters in new City Council Districts 2, 4 and 6 the opportunity to vote on their City Council representatives. Citywide voters will have the opportunity to decide whether to amend the City Charter. There is a Measure to allow the City Council 60 days to fill a vacancy in elective office. Measures pertaining to whether future City Clerks and City Treasurers are appointed or elected are also on the ballot.

Finally, the March 3rd election will also be fully electronic for those that will be voting at Voting Centers up to Election Day. Los Angeles County is implementing Voting Solutions for All People (VSAP) and ballot formats will be changed.

For more information on Measure X, the other City Measures, or the Municipal Election, visit: www.TorranceVotes.Org.

Students And Government Day – May 5, 2020

The City of Torrance announces the 14th annual *Students and Government Day*, a great opportunity for 8th graders who attend Torrance public and private schools to gain an understanding of local government.

To participate, 8th grade students must neatly write or type a 100- to 150-word essay on the topic: **“Successful communities thrive on civic engagement. Develop a plan where families of all abilities can volunteer together to make Torrance a better place to live, work, and play. How would you implement this plan? How will it benefit our community?”**

Essays must be submitted to the respective social studies teacher by **Tuesday, Feb. 4, 2020**.

Winning students must be available to participate on Tuesday, May 5, 2020 for Students and Government Day activities from 1 to 7:30 p.m. at Torrance City Hall.

Among those who submit essays, 21 students will be invited to participate in a variety of activities, including job shadowing elected officials or City management for the afternoon. In the evening, the students will open an actual City Council meeting.

While the program is designed for 8th grade students, the City encourages all students to continue learning about local government and how they can help serve our community. For more information on *Students and Government Day*, please visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/StudentsAndGov, or contact the City Manager’s office at (310) 618-5880.



Toiletry Drive March 9 - 20, 2020

The City of Torrance Social Services Commission will be holding a toiletry drive from March 9-20, 2020 to benefit organizations that serve people experiencing homelessness.

The Commission is seeking donations of the following new, unopened and unused, full-and travel-sized items:

- Shampoo
- Body Wash
- Toothbrushes
- Deodorant
- Razors
- Feminine hygiene products
- Conditioner
- Bar Soap
- Toothpaste
- Shaving cream/lotion
- Body wipes
- Bath towels

Please note that travel-size is the size of items you would purchase for travel. We cannot accept hotel-size products.

Donation collection bins will be placed at the following locations:

- City Hall Lobby
- Human Resources/Personnel Building Lobby
- All Torrance Public Library lobbies
- Torrance Police Department Lobby
- Fire Station 1 Lobby

Anyone with questions can call (310) 618-5880 or email SocialServicesCommission@TorranceCA.Gov.

REGISTRATION INFORMATION SPRING 2020

Classes begin the week of March 22 unless otherwise noted

Torrance resident registration begins **Wednesday, February 19**

Non-resident registration begins **Wednesday, February 26**

Registration Office Hours:

West Annex: 8:00am – 5:00pm

Cultural Arts Center: 9:00am - 4:00pm, during peak dates

City Hall offices are closed on the following dates:

February 12, 14, 17 & 28; March 13 & 27; April, 10 & 24

To have the best opportunity of getting your desired class(es), register in the following PRIORITY order.

- 1) Online – must have an account
- 2) Phone-in – (310) 618-2720
- 3) Walk-in – 3031 Torrance Blvd.
- 4) Fax – (310) 781-7598
- 5) Mail – 3031 Torrance Blvd., Torrance 90503

For more information on how to register for classes and programs contact us:

City of Torrance Community Services Department
Registration Office, Torrance City Hall West Annex
3031 Torrance Boulevard

Torrance, CA 90503

Phone (310) 618-2720

Fax (310) 781-7598

Online Help Desk (310) 618-2723

email: Enroll@TorranceCA.Gov

online: www.TorranceCA.Gov/ClassRegistration

REGISTRATION POLICIES

Persons giving false information regarding name, age, and address may be dropped from the class or activity without refund or credit.

Students MUST be age appropriate by the first class unless otherwise noted.

Cancellation Policy

Classes that do not meet the minimum enrollment requirements may be cancelled one week before class begins. Students who request to withdraw from most classes at least ONE business day BEFORE THE CLASS BEGINS may receive an 80% refund. Students who request to withdraw from most classes at least one business day before the THIRD SCHEDULED CLASS may receive a full credit on account with the City of Torrance Registration Office. A full refund will ONLY be issued if the city cancels a class. For more information, and exceptions to this policy, see Registration Guidelines at www.TorranceCA.Gov/ClassRegistration.

Convenience Fee

The City of Torrance will be charging a non-refundable convenience fee of 2.5% for all ONLINE class registrations. This fee will help recover some of the costs associated with credit card fees. The fees will be charged per class, per person, when registering online.

Fees

Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. Makeup classes are NOT offered for student missed classes. Fees are not pro-rated for students that register late.

Military Discounts

Active Military personnel and their immediate dependents are eligible to receive a 10% discount (up to a maximum of \$10 per program or class per participant) on Community Services programs and classes. For more information, and to obtain an application, see Forms and Supply Lists at www.TorranceCA.Gov/ClassRegistration.

Proof of Residency

Torrance residents will be required to provide current proof of residency when registering for the first time, if you move to a different Torrance address, or if mail is returned. Acceptable forms of proof of residency MUST be current and will be limited to the following:

- California Driver's License (with current address)
- Car Registration or Car Insurance Premium
- Utility Bill such as: gas, electric, Torrance water or trash, or a cable bill (telephone bills, bank statements, mortgage statements, rental agreements, and satellite bills are NOT accepted).

Residency

Torrance residents may register for classes and programs one week prior to non-residents. A Torrance resident is defined as anyone living within the Torrance city limits. Those living in the 90502 zip code and the 90501 zip code east of Western Avenue are considered non-residents. Non-residents are welcome to register for classes, but pay an additional non-resident fee for most classes.

Scholarships

Financial scholarships are available for Torrance residents and may be used for qualifying individuals under the age of 18 or over the age of 50 (proof of age is required). For more information, and to obtain an application, see Forms and Supply Lists at www.TorranceCA.Gov/ClassRegistration.

Waiting Lists

Once a class is filled, participants will be placed on a waiting list. If a vacancy occurs, wait list participants will be notified by phone or e-mail in the order they were placed on the list. Please be sure the Registration Office has your correct contact information on file. If we are unable to reach you, we will remove you from the wait list.

Registration Form

City of Torrance
 3031 Torrance Blvd.
 Torrance CA 90503
 310-618-2720 Telephone
 310-781-7598 Fax
 310-618-2723 Online Helpdesk
Enroll@TorranceCA.Gov



General Information

- All classes and programs are subject to change or cancellation.
- Registration and payment is required at the time of enrollment and must be received before attending any class or program.
- Students must be age appropriate by the first class unless otherwise noted.
- If a class is full at the time of registration, you may register for the waitlist. Please wait to be contacted by City staff prior to attending the class.
- Torrance Residents must submit proof of residency the first time they register, if they move to a new Torrance address, or if mail is returned.
- Improperly submitted registrations will not be processed.

How to Register:

To have the best opportunity of getting your desired class(es), register in the following PRIORITY order.

- 1) **Online** – must have an account **ClassSchedule.TorranceCA.Gov**
- 2) **Phone-in** – (310) 618-2720
- 3) **Walk-in** – 3031 Torrance Blvd.
- 4) **Fax** – (310) 781-7598
- 5) **Mail** – Registration Office
 3031 Torrance Blvd., Torrance, CA 90503

HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD		
First Name	Last Name	
Address		
City	State	Zip
Email	1st Phone	2nd Phone

PARTICIPANT'S FULL NAME	BIRTHDATE	GENDER	ACTIVITY NUMBER	ACTIVITY NAME	FEE
GRAND TOTAL					

CREDIT CARD INFORMATION	
I Hereby Authorize The Use Of My: <input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard  <input type="checkbox"/> Visa  <input type="checkbox"/> Discover  <input type="checkbox"/> American Express 	
Print Name As It Appears On Card:	
Credit Card Number:	
Security Code:	Expiration Date: Month _____ Year _____
Signature:	

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY
Receipt #: _____
Date: _____
Intials: _____

CODE OF CONDUCT
 The City of Torrance does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, age, national origin, veteran status, sexual orientation, gender identity, disability, or any other basis of discrimination. We need all participant's cooperation to reach this goal. Behavior becomes unacceptable when it impinges on the rights of other, when it could result in injury to oneself or others, when it disrupts classes, or when it could result in damage to the building or equipment.

CANCELLATION POLICY
 I understand that the office must be notified of a refund request at least one (1) working day prior to the first class and one week prior to the first class for classes that meet less than 6 times. I also understand that a 20% service charge will be withheld per class, per participant. Exceptions to this policy will be noted in the Seasons Catalog and on your receipt.

WAIVER OF RELEASE & LIABILITY
 I, the undersigned, do hereby agree to allow the individual(s) named herein to participate in the aforementioned activity(ies) and I further agree to indemnify and hold the City of Torrance harmless from and against any and all liability for any injury which may be suffered by the aforementioned individual arising out of or in any way connected with participation in this activity. I also agree, as participant/parent/guardian of any paid or free event, class, activity, or program, to grant full permission to the City of Torrance to use my name and any photographs, videographs, motion pictures or recordings for any publicity and promotion without obligation or liability to me.

For the complete Code of Conduct and Cancellation Policy visit **www.TorranceCA.Gov/ClassRegistration**. I verify that all the above information is true and accurate and I agree to comply with the Code of Conduct, Refund Policy and Waiver of Release & Liability.

MANDATORY SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

ART

Classes are held at the Torrance Cultural Arts Center, 3330 Civic Center Drive unless otherwise noted.

CERAMICS & CLAY

Clay is NOT included unless otherwise specified.

Kiln firings generally occur at least once per week. To ensure that all participants get their pieces fired in a timely manner, staff may limit the number of pieces fired at one time for each participant. Staff will make every attempt to get all pieces fired during the course of the session; however, due to the volume of ceramic work, some pieces may be fired after the session ends. Those pieces will generally be available after the first two weeks of the next session.

Ceramic Extras

Clay is sold in 25lb bags and MUST be purchased at the Registration Office. Lockers may be rented in advance. For specific locker assignments, students may come to the Cultural Services Office beginning Monday, March 23 from 9:00am-7:00pm. You must show proof of payment to receive a locker assignment, bring your receipt.

TYPE	FEE	CLASS
Clay – Regular	\$11	POS
Clay – Porcelain	\$18	POS
Casting Slip	\$14	POS
Locker – Large	\$11	231260-01
Locker – Small	\$9	231260-02

Ceramic Sculpture

Learn to use hand-building techniques to create ceramic sculptures. Methods include pinch, coil, slab, and combining these building techniques to create sculptures.

8 weeks (no class May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	F	9:30-12:00pm	Staff	\$113/\$128	231201-02

Ceramics I

Discover the world of ceramics where you can learn techniques to make dinnerware, art, and everything in between. Be introduced to hand-building, throwing, and glazing using high fire clay and glaze.

9 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	M	6:30-9:00pm	Ornelas	\$127/\$142	231203-01
18+	W	9:30-12:00pm	Taira	\$127/\$142	231203-03
18+	W	1:30-4:00pm	Taira	\$127/\$142	231203-04
18+	W	6:30-9:00pm	Ornelas	\$127/\$142	231203-05

Ceramics II – Intermediate

Prerequisite: Torrance Cultural Arts Center Beginning Ceramics or instructor approval. This class will help students expand on their current knowledge of ceramics, while helping them advance in their specific area of interest. Students will be guided to the next level in wheel throwing and/or hand-building, as desired.

9 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Th	6:30-9:00pm	Ornelas	\$127/\$142	231204-02

Ceramics III – Advanced

Hand-Building and Wheel Throwing

Prerequisite: Torrance Cultural Arts Center Beginning Ceramics or instructor approval. This class focuses on wheel throwing and hand-building techniques with the addition of an embellished surface using slip-casted pieces, sprigs, and various colored slips. Students will be guided and encouraged to expand in their specific area of interest.

8 weeks (no class May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	F	6:30-9:00pm	Ornelas	\$113/\$128	231206-01

Clay Magic, Parent & Child

Fun for parent and child with projects to encourage fine motor skills. Learn hand-building and glazing techniques. Fee includes clay, firing, and glazes. Fee is per child, no unpaid siblings. A maximum of two children per adult (same adult participation is required, no visitors).

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
3-6	Sa	12:30-2:00pm	Druitt	\$95/\$105	221201-02

Family Clay Fun

A fun time for the whole family! Learn to create with clay using your imagination and ingenuity while you work together as a family. Fee includes clay, firing, and glazes (portions allotted per student). Fee is per child, no unpaid siblings. A maximum of two children per adult, and two adults per child.

8 weeks (no class May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
5-10	F	4:00-5:30pm	Trulove	\$109/\$124	221202-01

Kids on the Wheel and Beyond

Begin delving into the potter's wheel and learn skills for creating functional and sculptural work. Hand-building techniques will also be utilized. Fee includes clay, firing and glazes.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
10-17	Sa	9:00-11:00am	Trulove	\$107/\$122	221203-04

View our Events Calendar at
www.TorranceCA.Gov

Classes begin the week of March 22 unless otherwise noted.

Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. For cancellation policy, see page 5.

Open Ceramics Studio & Workshop

Instructor: Taira

Prerequisite: current enrollment in a Torrance Community Services Department ceramics class, or previous City of Torrance ceramic student for 1 year, or demonstration of prior clay experience with supervisor's approval. To purchase clay see Ceramic Extras.

9 classes

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE	CLASS
18+	M	3/23-5/18	9:00-1:00pm	\$114/\$129	231205-21
18+	Tu	3/24-5/19	6:00-9:00pm	\$86/\$96	231205-31
18+	Th	3/26-5/21	9:00-3:00pm	\$172/\$192	231205-11

Outrageous Creative Clay

Create unique sculptures to push the extent of your imagination.

Learn pinch, slab, and coil building techniques, and explore a world of possibilities in clay. Fee includes clay, firings and glazes.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
6-9	Sa	2:30-4:00pm	Druitt	\$87/\$97	221204-03

8 weeks

6-9	Tu	4:00-5:30pm	Trulove	\$99/\$109	221204-02
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Teen Ceramic Studio

Create pots and ceramic sculpture, learn hand-building and glazing techniques, and be introduced to the potter's wheel. Become familiar with a variety of skills and create your own unique projects. Initial wheel instruction will be given at the instructor's discretion. Fee includes clay, firing, and glazes.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
13-17	Sa	4:30-6:00pm	Druitt	\$87/\$97	221205-02

DRAWING & PAINTING

Botanical and Portrait Drawing

Learn tips to draw realistic flowers and portraits in this dual course. Discover shading techniques by using graphite and charcoal pencils. A supply list is available on our web page.

8 weeks (no class May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	F	1:30-3:30pm	Ragimov	\$101/\$116	231301-01

Decorative Painting

Learn the popular One Stroke Painting technique that shades, highlights and blends all in one stroke of the brush. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

6 weeks, April 14 - May 19

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Tu	12:30-3:00pm	Numamoto	\$95/\$105	231310-01

Draw and Sketch

Learn to observe and understand the basics of shading, composition, expression, and style while drawing portraits and still lifes by using graphite and charcoal pencils. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

8 weeks (no class May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	F	10:30-12:30pm	Ragimov	\$101/\$116	231302-08

Drawing

Learn the rules of perspective, shading, and color. Draw from life and imagination learning techniques from the Old Masters. Explore two dimensional skills working with pencils while drawing portraits and still lifes.

8 weeks (no class May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
10-16	F	4:00-5:30pm	Ragimov	\$89/\$99	221302-02

Drawing - Intermediate

Use a variety of drawing media to improve drawing skills emphasizing black and white; charcoal, pencil, pen, and ink, etc., working on line, value, light, and shadow. This is a serious course and a mature attitude is a must!

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Th	11:00-12:30pm	Nagy	\$101/\$116	231304-02

Drawing, Painting and Watercolor

A beginning art class that builds skills and confidence, combining drawing exercises and creative projects. Explore the elements of art using various techniques and media on different surfaces. New projects each session.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
6-12	F	4:00-5:30pm	Reeves	\$78/\$88	221304-13
6-12	Sa	9:30-11:00am	Reeves	\$78/\$88	221304-07
6-12	Sa	11:30-1:00pm	Reeves	\$78/\$88	221304-08

8 weeks

6-12	M	4:00-5:30pm	Reeves	\$89/\$99	221304-03
6-12	Tu	4:00-5:30pm	Reeves	\$89/\$99	221304-15

Experiment with Acrylic Painting

This class is for the student with a fundamental understanding of acrylic painting techniques who wants to learn more. Class projects, demonstrations, and critiques will help the continuing student improve their painting skills. Equipment and supplies will be discussed at the first class.

9 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	M	9:30-12:00pm	Peterson	\$143/\$158	231306-01

👤 Exploring Watercolor Techniques

Watercolor is fun and easy. Each class starts with a demonstration of techniques. Students can follow along with the class project or work on their own projects. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

9 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	M	1:00-3:30pm	Peterson	\$143/\$158	231307-01

👤 Painting - Beginning

Learn the basics of color theory and how to apply it to paintings in a variety of ways. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Th	12:45-2:45pm	Nagy	\$101/\$116	231316-02

👤 Pastels Plus

Open to all mediums with an emphasis on the use of soft pastels. Weekly demonstrations will be given on the use of soft pastels to create wonderful paintings. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

9 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	W	1:00-3:30pm	Peterson	\$143/\$158	231314-01

👤 Watercolors Plus

Open to all mediums with a focus on beginning watercolor. Weekly demonstrations will be given on use and technique. Equipment and supplies will be discussed at the first class.

9 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	W	9:30-12:00pm	Peterson	\$143/\$158	231321-01

👤 Water Soluble Oil Painting

Have you ever wanted to learn the craft of water soluble painting with oil paints? This is the class for you! Supplies will be discussed at the first class. **Requests for refunds, credits and transfers must be made at least one week before class begins.**

3 weeks, April 14-28

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Tu	10:00-12:00pm	Numamoto	\$38/\$43	231315-02

JEWELRY

👤 Casting and Metalwork for Jewelry

Prerequisite: Metalsmithing and Jewelry student or demonstrate metalsmithing knowledge to the instructor. Explore the ancient art of lost wax casting. Techniques include: wax carving and shaping, various mold making and usage, free casting, cuttle fish casting, organic material casting, and metal finishing. Supplies will be discussed at the first class and may run \$70-\$80.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Th	6:00-9:00pm	Staff	\$126/\$141	231402-03

👤 Jewelry Fabrication - Beginning

Students will learn to make wearable art pieces by learning and applying the following techniques: sawing, drilling, piecing, filing, finishing and soldering. Supplies will be discussed at the first class and may run \$80.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	Sa	10:00-1:00pm	Hacker-Moss	\$110/\$125	231410-01

👤 Jewelry Fabrication - Intermediate

Prerequisite: previous enrollment in a City of Torrance Community Services Department jewelry class or demonstration of jewelry fabrication knowledge with supervisor's approval. Students will sharpen skills learned in the Beginning Jewelry Fabrication class by focusing on precision and craftsmanship. Additional techniques will be covered such as: texturing, forming, sweat soldering, and the use of color on metals. Supplies will be discussed at the first class and may run \$85.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	Sa	2:00-5:00pm	Hacker-Moss	\$110/\$125	231411-01

👤 Metalsmithing and Jewelry

Learn the basic techniques in metalsmithing and jewelry fabrication to make projects like rings, bracelets, and pendants! This class will set you up to take other jewelry courses we offer and open up the world of metalsmithing to you. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

9 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Tu	6:00-9:00pm	Ornelas	\$142/\$157	231403-03

TORRANCE AIR QUALITY MONITORING PROJECT

The Torrance Air Quality Monitoring and Notification project, sponsored by South Coast AQMD, is designed to show current ("near-real time") air quality measurements for Torrance on this website, and improve the public's understanding of air quality in the Torrance area. Visit

www.TorranceAir.Org to view data coming from monitors located at North High School and Elm Avenue. For more information on these air quality monitors, visit www.TorranceAir.Org.



Classes begin the week of March 22 unless otherwise noted. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. For cancellation policy, see page 5.

LITERARY ARTS

Creative Writing Program

Write in a variety of genres including short stories, plays, essays, poetry, chapter books, and novels. Class includes mini-lessons on story construction, brainstorming, writing techniques, and writing exercises. Bring writing paper, pencils, or pens. A supply list is available on our web page.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
8-14	Tu	4:00-5:30pm	Wright	\$100/\$110	221501-01

Mastering the Art of Writing a Report

Learn how to tackle nonfiction writing with success and have fun doing it. Selecting a topic, constructing paragraphs, and correcting grammar and spelling will be covered. This is a recreational class designed to provide guided writing opportunities. Bring writing paper, pencils, or pens.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
8-14	Th	4:00-5:30pm	Wright	\$100/\$110	221502-04

MIXED MEDIA

Bookbinding

New!

Dive into Bookbinding! Learn a new technique each week. Work on soft and hard books, accordion, Japanese or Stab binding, case-bound, altered books, theater/tunnel, and more. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Sa	9:30-12:30pm	Koss	\$133/\$148	231601-01

Open Studio Painting – All Media

Students work on projects in media of their choice at their own pace. Instructor is available to give critique and advice. Students provide their own supplies and materials.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	F	12:30-3:00pm	Reeves	\$111/\$126	231604-02

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Tu	7:00-9:30pm	Reeves	\$127/\$142	231604-01

Proof of Torrance Residency

is required when you register for the first time, if you move to a new Torrance address, or if mail is returned. New customers are automatically listed as non-residents until Proof of Torrance residency has been received and verified.

PHOTOGRAPHY

Classes are held at Paul's Photo,
23845 Hawthorne Blvd. (310) 375-7014.

Requests for refunds, credits, and transfers must be made at least one week before class begins.

First Look: Digital Mirrorless Cameras

Learn the settings and functions of your mirrorless camera. Simple step-by-step explanations perfectly designed for beginners with mirrorless cameras. Bring your camera.

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE	CLASS
18+	M	3/23	7:00-9:00pm	\$49/\$54	231702-01
18+	Th	4/30	7:00-9:00pm	\$49/\$54	231702-02

First Look: Digital SLR Canon and Nikon

Learn to set up and shoot your Digital Single Lens Reflex (DSLR) camera with ease. Covers the settings and basic menu functions for all Canon and Nikon digital SLR cameras.

Canon Cameras

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE	CLASS
18+	Th	4/9	7:00-9:00pm	\$49/\$54	231701-01
18+	W	5/20	7:00-9:00pm	\$49/\$54	231701-02

Nikon Cameras

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE	CLASS
18+	Tu	4/7	7:00-9:00pm	\$49/\$54	231701-11
18+	Th	5/14	7:00-9:00pm	\$49/\$54	231701-12

Mastering Auto Mode

Learn to make your photos POP! Learn how to control your lens, flash, exposure, and focus in this hands-on class. See examples of "with & without" settings applied and how to make good pictures even better. Ideal class for SLRs, pocket, and mirrorless cameras.

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE	CLASS
18+	Sa	5/9	9:00-11:00am	\$49/\$54	231707-01

Mastering Manual Mode

ISO, f-stop, and shutter speed are the three cornerstones to better picture-taking. You'll be taking photos at different photo stations, each designed to teach you how to capture your pictures through an understanding of the foundations of photography. Bring your camera.

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE	CLASS
18+	Th	4/2	7:00-9:00pm	\$49/\$54	231705-01
18+	M	5/18	7:00-9:00pm	\$49/\$54	231705-02

WORKSHOPS

Requests for refunds, credits, and transfers must be made at least one week before class begins.
*A supply list is available on our web page.

Collage

Learn how to “paint” with paper and use mixed media on canvas. We will create art with different color patterns, texture, and shades of paper.

Floral Still Life Collage Workshop

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	Sa	4/11	2:00-5:00pm	Reeves	\$30/\$35	231653-01

Bird Collage Workshop

16+	Sa	5/9	2:00-5:00pm	Reeves	\$30/\$35	231653-02
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Paper Flowers

Surround yourself with poppies and roses all year round. Learn to draw flower shapes so you can make your flowers in different sizes. We will be using decorative paper, watercolor and acrylic painted book pages, and German tissue paper, maps, wire, and floral tape.

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	Sa	4/4	10:00-1:00pm	Koss	\$30/\$35	231667-01

Shibori, Japanese Tie-Dye*

Shibori uses a variety of ways to embellish textiles by shaping cloth around elements like PVC pipe and rocks, then dyeing and shaping the material to create beautiful patterns!

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	Sa	4/25	1:00-4:00pm	Taira	\$30/\$35	231660-01
16+	Sa	5/30	1:00-4:00pm	Taira	\$30/\$35	231660-02

Shibori, Stitching Prep*

Learn how to stitch some designs on the cotton or silk material you will use in the Shibori Tie-Dye workshop. This class should be taken with the Shibori Tie-Dye Workshop.

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	Sa	4/25	10:00-12:00pm	Taira	\$20/\$25	231669-01
16+	Sa	5/30	10:00-12:00pm	Taira	\$20/\$25	231669-02

Silk Painting*

Join us and see how easy it is to design on silk. Try it once and you're hooked. You will learn techniques like batik, stamping, and scrunching. Produce patterns and textures using wax, salts, alcohol, resists, and different mediums to create beautiful designs.

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	Sa	4/18	10:00-2:00pm	Numamoto	\$40/\$45	231661-01

DANCE

Classes are held at the Torrance Cultural Arts Center,
3330 Civic Center Drive unless otherwise noted.



“Dancing with RKDC” offers studio-level classes taught by the acclaimed Regina Klenjoski Dance Company. Students enrolled in “Dancing with RKDC” classes will have the opportunity to participate in the annual RKDC “Kids Show” at the James R. Armstrong Theatre during the Fall and Winter sessions. For a current list of instructors, visit www.RKDC.Org, or contact them at (310) 292-7024, or Info@RKDC.Org.

See Exercise and Movement for youth and adult dance based exercise classes.

BALLET

Ballet (Dancing with RKDC)

Learn the discipline and form of basic ballet technique and terminology in a creative and welcoming environment. Students will improve upon coordination, alignment/posture, balance, and musicality. Boys and girls are welcome. **Attire:** leotard, tights and pink leather ballet shoes are recommended. **Level 1:** beginners and those with some ballet.

Level 2: for the dancer who has had the basics and is ready for a higher level of dance. **Level 3:** for students who have taken levels 1 & 2 and are ready to learn intermediate level technique.

7 weeks

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
7-10	1	Sa	11:45-12:35pm	RKDC Staff	\$76/\$86	222101-11

8 weeks

9-17	2	Tu	4:00-5:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$99/\$109	222101-10
9-17	1	Tu	4:40-5:30pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	222101-03
11-17	3	Tu	6:30-7:30pm	RKDC Staff	\$99/\$109	222101-07
7-10	1	W	4:20-5:10pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	222101-02

Ballet Fundamentals (Dancing with RKDC)

This class is designed to teach students a strong technical ballet foundation focusing on placement of the body, strength building, stretching, musical interpretation, and artistry. Students will learn ballet steps, terminology, and perform choreography at the end of the session. **Attire:** leotard, tights, and pink leather ballet shoes are recommended.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
5-7	W	3:30-4:20pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	222102-01
6-9	Th	5:10-6:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	222102-03

Registration Information for Spring 2020

Torrance resident registration begins **Wednesday, Feb. 19**

Non-resident registration begins **Wednesday, Feb. 26**

Registration is open 8:00-5:00pm

Monday – Thursday and every other Friday.

Classes begin the week of March 22 unless otherwise noted. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. For cancellation policy, see page 5.

Pre-Ballet (Dancing with RKDC)

Students learn good posture, coordination, and rhythm as they express themselves through creative ballet movement games and techniques. **Attire:** leotard and pink leather ballet shoes.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
3-5	Sa	10:10-11:00am	RKDC Staff	\$76/\$86	222108-01

8 weeks

3-5	W	2:30-3:20pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	222108-02
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Pre-Ballet, Parent & Me (Dancing with RKDC)

An interactive class for young dancers and their parent or caregiver. Children learn basic ballet through fun, creative movement activities that include stretching, music, props, circle games, and tons of fun! Only children who are enrolled may be in the classroom, no unpaid siblings, infants, or friends. **Attire for children:** leotard, tights, and proper leather ballet shoes. **Attire for adults:** socks or ballet shoes.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
2-4	Sa	12:10-12:40pm	RKDC Staff	\$48/\$53	222109-02

8 weeks (no class May 15)

2-4	F	9:30-10:00am	RKDC Staff	\$55/\$65	222109-01
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COMBINATION DANCE CLASSES

Ballet and Tap (Dancing with RKDC)

Students will learn beginning ballet and tap techniques to apply to fun and creative dance combinations. Dancers will improve upon rhythm, grace, coordination, and performance skills. **Attire:** leotard, tights, pink leather ballet shoes and black tap shoes.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
3-5	Sa	9:45-10:35am	RKDC Staff	\$76/\$86	222201-03
4-6	Sa	10:45-11:35am	RKDC Staff	\$76/\$86	222201-04

Ballet, Jazz and Tap (Dancing with RKDC)

Students will learn basic technique and combinations in this fun-filled class combining ballet, jazz, and tap dance. **Attire:** leotard, tights, tap shoes, proper leather ballet shoes, and/or jazz shoes.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
4-6	Tu	3:45-4:35pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	222202-02

Contemporary Dance (Dancing with RKDC)

Contemporary is a style of expressive dance that combines elements of several dance genres including modern, jazz, lyrical and classical ballet. This genre is seen on popular TV shows. All levels are welcome! **Attire:** jazz shoes and comfortable dancewear.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
9-17	W	5:10-6:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	222203-02

Musical Theatre Dancing (Dancing with RKDC)

Musical Theatre is a theatrical dance style that includes learning dance technique and acting to songs from popular musicals. No acting, vocal or dance experience is needed. All levels are welcome! **Attire:** comfortable clothing and jazz shoes.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
8-12	W	6:00-6:50pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	222208-02

RKDC Jr. Company (Dancing with RKDC)

Formerly known as X-Factor Dance Project, RKDC has created a new elevated class that will enhance performance skills while dancing at a higher level in preparation for special performances in and around the South Bay. Students will study ballet, lyrical, contemporary, and modern choreography. This class is not for beginning level students, some dance experience is necessary. For more information, contact Info@RKDC.Org.

9 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
9-17	Tu	5:00-6:30pm	RKDC Staff	\$165/\$185	222210-01

CULTURAL DANCE CLASSES

Ballroom Dance for Couples - Beginning

Fee is per couple. Learn the basic patterns, techniques, and style of the most popular dances and build self-confidence on the dance floor. Indicate both dancers' names when registering.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Th	7:20-8:20pm	Rod	\$77/\$87	232301-01

Ballroom Dance for Couples – Refresher

Fee is per couple. This class is intended for those that have had some dance experience but need a refresher. It will be a step between the beginning class and the beyond basics class. Some knowledge of the basics is required. Indicate both dancers' names when registering.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Th	6:15-7:15pm	Rod	\$77/\$87	232302-01

Line Dancing – Beginning

Have fun learning the basics of Line Dancing while getting great exercise. Class begins with introductory level dances and moves to more advanced level dances as the session progresses. No partner required.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	W	7:20-8:20pm	Rod	\$68/\$78	232307-02

Polynesian Dance

Learn dances from Hawaii and Tahiti. **Beginners** will learn basic Hula steps. **Intermediate and Advanced** classes will be at a faster pace and instructor approval is required to enroll. **Adults:** sarongs are optional and may be purchased from the instructor.

Youth: grass skirts or sarongs are optional and may be purchased from the instructor.

9 weeks, begins the week of March 29

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
5-7	Beg	Tu	4:00-4:50pm	Mann	\$81/\$91	222310-01
7-16	Beg	Tu	5:00-5:50pm	Mann	\$81/\$91	222310-02
3-5	Beg	W	4:00-4:30pm	Mann	\$45/\$50	222310-07
3-5	Beg	W	4:30-5:00pm	Mann	\$45/\$50	222310-03
7-16	Int	W	5:30-6:20pm	Mann	\$81/\$91	222310-04
7-16	Adv	W	6:30-7:20pm	Mann	\$81/\$91	222310-05
17+	Beg	Tu	6:35-7:25pm	Mann	\$81/\$91	232310-01
17+	Int	Tu	7:30-8:20pm	Mann	\$81/\$91	232310-02
17+	Adv	W	7:30-8:20pm	Mann	\$86/\$96	232310-04

Salsa & Merengue Dance - Beginning

Learn basic steps as well as turns, how to lead and follow, and how to dance with the music. No partner required.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	W	6:15-7:15pm	Rod	\$68/\$78	232312-03

Scottish Dance

Learn this vigorous balletic style of Contra dancing. This is a fun way to exercise in a group social setting prior to attending monthly dances. No partner required. Wear soft-soled shoes and your pedometer (optional). Students ages 8-11 may enroll with a paid adult (**fee is per person**).

7 weeks (no class April 10 & May 15)

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
12+	Beg	F	7:00-8:15pm	Rennie	\$67/\$77	232313-01
12+	Int	F	8:30-9:45pm	Rennie	\$67/\$77	232313-02

Scottish Dance – Introduction

This form of dancing is rapidly increasing in cities across the U.S. as well as around the world from Moscow to Tokyo! It promotes good exercise as well as memory improvement and ballroom social skills. Learn the five basic steps. No partner required. Students ages 8-11 may enroll with a paid adult (**fee is per person**). Wear soft-soled shoes.

6 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
12+	Th	7:15-8:30pm	Rennie	\$58/\$68	232318-02

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JAZZ AND HIP HOP

Hip Hop/Jazz (Dancing with RKDC)

In this fast-paced and fun class, students will use hip hop and jazz to develop coordination, rhythm, flexibility, and self-expression. Class consists of age appropriate movement and music geared to both boys and girls. **Attire:** jazz shoes or sneakers are required.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
5-7	Sa	12:45-1:35pm	RKDC Staff	\$76/\$86	222408-03

Jazz Funk – Beginning (Dancing with RKDC)

Formerly known as Hip Hop/Jazz, this fun all-level class includes popular dance movements and jazz technique to learn isolations, rhythm, flexibility and self-expression while learning movement progressions including turns, kicks, floor work and leaps. **Attire:** nude/beige jazz shoes are required.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
8-14	Sa	12:45-1:35pm	RKDC Staff	\$76/\$86	222417-01

Jazz Funk – Intermediate (Dancing with RKDC)

A fun, fast-paced fusion jazz class for intermediate level dancers! Students learn proper technique and fun, trendy dance steps that are used in all forms of dance. Includes strength, flexibility, and conditioning technique and progressions including kicks, turns and leaps. **Attire:** nude/beige jazz shoes are required.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
10-17	Sa	2:00-3:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	222415-01

Kids Hip Hop (Dancing with RKDC)

An exciting upbeat class that leaves dancers energized! Great for kids wanting to learn various styles of hip hop, fun choreography, and confidence boosting moves! Age appropriate music and moves in a fun and open class for boys and girls. **Attire:** sneakers are required.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
5-7	Th	3:30-4:20pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	222411-02
6-9	Th	4:20-5:10pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	222411-01

Kids Hip Hop, B-Boys & B-Girls (Dancing with RKDC)

Kids hip hop with a twist! In this class, students will learn waving, popping, locking, gliding, floor work, freestyling, and more! Students will learn some classic moves as they create their own b-boy/b-girl style.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
6-9	W	5:00-5:50pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	222416-01

Classes begin the week of March 22 unless otherwise noted. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. For cancellation policy, see page 5.

RKDC Hip Hop Krew (Dancing with RKDC)

RKDC has created a new elevated class that will enhance performance skills while dancing at a higher level in preparation for performances in the South Bay. Students will study hip hop techniques, choreography, and performance. At least one year of dance experience is suggested.

8 weeks (no class May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
9-17	F	5:30-7:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$147/\$162	222407-01

Tiny Tot Hip Hop (Dancing with RKDC)

Hip hop for little bodies! Great for getting the wiggles out, this class teaches body basics used in hip hop in a fun and engaging setting. Simple choreography, games, and big movements help little ones gain mastery of material. **Attire:** comfortable clothing and sneakers are required.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
3-5	Sa	11:10-12:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$76/\$86	222409-02

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
3-5	W	4:00-4:50pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	222409-03

Tiny Tot Hip Hop, Parent & Me (Dancing with RKDC)

An interactive class for young dancers and their parent or caregiver. Children explore rhythm and develop coordination through movement, games, and exercises that include stretching, props, combinations, and upbeat music. Only children who are enrolled may be in the classroom, no unpaid siblings, infants, or friends. **Attire:** sneakers are recommended.

8 weeks (no class May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
2-4	F	10:00-10:30am	RKDC Staff	\$55/\$65	222410-01

TAP DANCING

Tap Dance Workshop

Prerequisite for Intermediate is competence in previous level. For the more independent dancer who wants to work on steps and routines under the vocal direction of the instructor who will teach using verbal cues. Students must have knowledge of steps, techniques, and vocabulary. **Attire:** snug, comfortable fitting tap shoes are required at the first class.

8 weeks

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	Beg	Tu	6:00-6:50pm	Neal	\$62/\$72	232501-01
16+	Int	Th	5:00-5:50pm	Neal	\$62/\$72	232501-02

EXERCISE & MOVEMENT

Classes are held at the Torrance Cultural Arts Center, 3330 Civic Center Drive unless otherwise noted.

Students must provide their own mats and weights as needed. We recommend that those over 35, pregnant, or in poor health should seek a doctor's approval before enrolling.

YEAR ROUND FITNESS

Fees are paid four times per year. Fees listed represent the cost for the spring session only. Participants enrolled in the winter session will receive priority registration for the same year-round class offered in the spring session.

Step Into Fitness

Low impact fun workout with a variety of fresh "can do" moves: stretching, strength training, cardio, and hand weights, plus many fitness benefits. Always changing up for low boredom and high energy fun. Bring a mat and light hand weights.

11 weeks (no class May 15 & May 25)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	M/W/F	8:00-9:00am	Wyatt	\$137/\$152	233117-61

Yoga – Continuing

The ancient practice of Hatha Yoga enables you to reduce stress, slim and tone the body, and learn proper breathing. Slow the aging process, gain flexibility, and enjoy a surge of renewed energy balancing the body and mind. Bring a yoga mat.

11 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Th	6:40-7:55pm	Coles	\$92/\$102	233304-61

COMBINATION EXERCISES

Back to Basics Boot Camp

Want to burn calories? This intense total body workout incorporates cardiovascular, strength, flexibility, and core training geared towards increasing your stamina and toning your body. Workouts include push-ups, jumping jacks, squats, lunges, and more. Work at your own pace. Bring hand weights, mat, and water.

9 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	Tu/Th	8:30-9:30am	Warrior	\$93/\$103	233102-05

POUND™ Rockout

POUND is a full-body cardio and conditioning class that transforms drumming into an effective body workout. Channel your inner performer and “rock your body” with this modern day fusion of music and movement! Bring a mat.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
11-15	Th	5:00-6:00pm	Karwowski	\$62/\$72	223109-01
16+	Th	6:15-7:15pm	Karwowski	\$62/\$72	233109-04

Slow Morning Exercise – Beginning

Learn to relax, breathe, and stretch properly while elongating muscles. Improve posture and gently begin the day with this class. May include stretching while sitting in a chair. A great class for all ages. Bring a towel, mat, and a small blanket.

9 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Tu/Th	8:30-9:20am	Ferren	\$106/\$121	233112-01

Step and Circuit

Use a wide step platform for aerobics to burn calories, then do circuit exercises on the floor to sculpt muscles. Circuit exercises increase metabolism, build strength, and increase muscle mass. Work at your own pace on or off the step. Bring a mat and light hand weights.

9 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	M/W	4:30-5:30pm	Durish	\$93/\$103	233115-01
16+	Tu/Th	9:00-10:00am	Durish	\$93/\$103	233115-03

Step into Fitness

Low impact fun workout with a variety of fresh “can do” moves; stretching, strength training, cardio and hand weights, plus many fitness benefits. Always changing up for low boredom and high energy fun. Bring a mat and light hand weights.

9 weeks (no class May 15 & 25)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	M/W/F	9:15-10:15am	Wyatt	\$119/\$134	233117-01

DANCE STYLE EXERCISES

Barre Tone and Sculpt

This 30-minute class will consist of barre strengthening with weights. This is an intense workout without being stressful on your body. Repetitive dance movements will bring you a lean, long body, and strengthen your core. No floor work or high impact activity. Bring light hand weights.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	M	12:15-12:45pm	Warrior	\$31/\$36	233201-71

Dance Fusion Fitness

A great cardio and toning workout. A combination of basic body strength and toning exercises fused with great music and dance fitness movements. Designed to give you a full body workout to burn fat, calories, and tighten and tone up your body!

8 weeks (no class May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	F	9:45-10:45am	Warrior	\$62/\$72	233215-01

Dance Movement Fitness (RKDC Program)

Conditioning for those over 30 who want to strengthen their body through fluid dance movements. No floor work or high impact activity. This class promotes flexibility, weight loss, and balance.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
30+	M	9:30-10:20am	RKDC Staff	\$72/\$82	233205-01

Hip Hop Fitness (RKDC Program)

This class is one part fitness, one part dance! Come get your cardio on during this fast-paced class that will include a warm-up, stretching, dance choreography, and cardiovascular exercises set to upbeat hip hop/pop music. Beginners are welcome!

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
15+	W	7:00-8:00pm	RKDC Staff	\$99/\$109	233216-02

Tap Fitness – Intermediate (RKDC Program)

Get fit with this tap based workout that puts a twist on traditional tap techniques. Dance warm up, tap barre work, center work, and tap combinations are performed to today’s music.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	M	10:30-11:20am	RKDC Staff	\$72/\$82	233210-01

Zumba

This class for everyone is the most dynamic, exciting, and effective fitness system that fuses Latin and International music with easy to follow movement patterns. “Ditch the workout and join the party.” Burn fat and calories, and have fun.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
14+	Sa	8:30-9:30am	Garcia	\$54/\$64	233220-05

8 weeks

14+	M	6:00-7:00pm	Oyama	\$62/\$72	233220-01
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9 weeks

14+	Tu	12:10-12:50pm	Garcia	\$47/\$52	233220-71
14+	Tu	5:00-6:00pm	Oyama	\$70/\$80	233220-02
14+	W	8:30-9:30am	Warrior	\$70/\$80	233220-03

Classes begin the week of **March 22** unless otherwise noted. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. For cancellation policy, see page 5.

Zumba Core

Burn calories, drop inches, and get a firmer toned body. This high energy full-body workout is a fusion of Dance Cardio Fitness and Basic Boot Camp exercises using great music to help you get a healthier, active lifestyle. Bring light hand weights and a mat.

8 weeks (no class May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
14+	F	8:30-9:30am	Warrior	\$62/\$72	233221-01

Zumba Gold – Beginning

Designed for individuals and active seniors who are just starting or continuing your journey to be fit and want to join the fitness party. Same great music and movements as Zumba; just low impact, slower pace, and easier to follow.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
14+	M	8:30-9:30am	Warrior	\$62/\$72	233222-01

9 weeks

14+	W	6:00-7:00pm	Averbukh	\$70/\$80	233222-02
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Zumba Kids New!

Zumba Kids classes feature kid-friendly routines that will keep the kids engaged and active. We break down the steps, add games, activities, and cultural exploration elements into the class structure.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
4-6	Sa	10:00-10:45am	Oyama	\$41/\$46	223402-02

8 weeks

7-11	Tu	4:00-4:45pm	Oyama	\$47/\$52	223402-01
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PILATES AND YOGA

Chair Yoga – Beginning

If getting down to the floor or getting up and down is difficult, chair yoga offers spinal freedom while allowing you to remain in your comfort zone! You can improve your flexibility, mobility, and balance even while seated.

9 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Tu	11:00-12:00pm	Coles	\$60/\$70	233307-01
18+	Th	3:00-4:00pm	Coles	\$60/\$70	233307-02

Gentle Pilates (RKDC Program)

This is the perfect class for those who want a nice gentle workout with a focus on posture, core, balance, and stretching. A full-body strengthening class at a no-pressure pace with focus on breathing to enhance relaxation and flexibility. Bring a mat.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Tu	7:35-8:30pm	RKDC Staff	\$99/\$109	233309-01

Prime of Life Yoga – Beginning

Yoga can help navigate the physical and emotional changes associated with midlife and allow one to age gracefully, healthfully, and actively. Routines will include general conditioning for mid-lifers, and even younger folks who want to ease back into physical activity. Bring a yoga mat.

9 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	W	10:45-12:00pm	Coles	\$75/\$85	233305-01
18+	Th	8:00-9:15pm	Coles	\$75/\$85	233305-02

Yoga – Continuing

The ancient practice of Hatha Yoga enables you to reduce stress, slim and tone the body, and learn proper breathing. Slow the aging process, gain flexibility, and enjoy a surge of renewed energy balancing the body and mind. Bring a yoga mat. See page 14 for year round Yoga.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	M	6:45-8:00pm	Coles	\$67/\$77	233304-11
18+	M	8:05-9:20pm	Coles	\$67/\$77	233304-12

9 weeks

18+	Tu/Th	8:00-8:45am	Coles	\$94/\$104	233304-13
18+	Tu	9:15-10:30am	Coles	\$75/\$85	233304-14
18+	W	9:15-10:30am	Coles	\$75/\$85	233304-15
18+	W	12:10-12:50pm	Coles	\$41/\$46	233304-71
18+	W	8:05-9:20pm	Coles	\$75/\$85	233304-16
18+	Th	9:15-10:30am	Coles	\$75/\$85	233304-17

Yoga for Youth New!

A class designed with young yogis in mind. Students will enjoy a calming, stress-relieving yoga class to stretch and strengthen the body. Asanas/postures are practiced at a slower pace with attention to alignment, detail, meditation, and mindfulness. Bring a yoga mat and water.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
9-17	M	4:30-5:20pm	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	223305-01

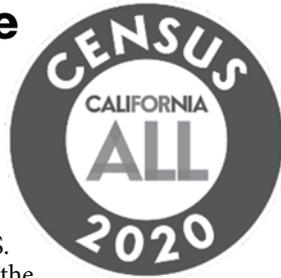
Yogalates (RKDC Program)

Can't decide between Yoga and Pilates? Then try Yogalates! A fusion of the ancient discipline of Yoga with the modern Pilates techniques. Through low impact exercises, heat building poses, and shavasana, students will lengthen and strengthen their mind and bodies. Bring a yoga mat.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	Sa	9:00-10:00am	RKDC Staff	\$87/\$97	233306-02

2020 Census Is No Joke. Save The Date April 1



As mandated by the U.S. Constitution, our nation gets just one chance each decade to count its population. The U.S. Census counts every resident in the United States. It is mandated by Article I, Section 2 of the Constitution and takes place every 10 years. The information the Census collects helps to determine how more than \$675 billion of federal funding is distributed to states and communities each year.

The reference day for the next census is April 1. In 2020, there will be three modes of response so everyone will be able to respond the way they prefer: either anytime, anywhere through the Internet, or over the phone or by returning a paper questionnaire.

Learn more at: TorranceCA.Gov/2020Census

The City Of Torrance: A Financial Picture

The City of Torrance understands that knowledgeable community members can be better participants in helping shape the City of Torrance. Consequently, the City continues to provide vital information to the community, primarily through its website, and encourages interested residents to visit often.

Through TorranceCA.Gov, the City of Torrance provides the community with information that can help monitor the City's economic health in addition to its services and programs. By visiting the Finance Department's web page, TorranceCA.Gov/Finance, residents can easily access detailed reports on the City budget, financial reports, lists of new business, purchasing information, and much more. Residents can also help us improve the Finance pages by filling out our Finance Satisfaction Survey located on the web page.

Specific information requests may also be made with the City Clerk's Office by calling (310) 618-2870 or sending an email to CityClerk@TorranceCA.Gov or in-person at City Hall, 3031 Torrance Boulevard, Torrance, CA 90503.

The City encourages residents to visit these web pages and become more active participants in shaping the community.

GYMNASTICS

🧒 SuperKids Developmental Gymnastics – Beg/Int

Cartwheels, handstands, balance beam traveling, vaulting, and bar stunts are just a few skills taught in this fun class. Gymnastics builds strength, flexibility, coordination, and confidence! Instructors are positive, caring, and energetic. Don't be late – we start on time!
Attire: work out attire, no dresses! Long hair tied back and bare feet.

8 weeks (no class April 12)

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
3-5	Su	10:00-10:50am	\$112/\$127	223802-01
5-8	Su	11:00-11:50am	\$112/\$127	223802-02

9 weeks (no class May 15 & 25)

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
5-8	M	3:45-4:35pm	\$126/\$141	223802-04
3-5	M	4:45-5:35pm	\$126/\$141	223802-09

🧒 SuperKids Developmental Gymnastics – Intermediate

Prerequisite: must be able to safely do an unassisted smooth front roll to squat, cartwheel, bridge-up, front support/roll over (on the bar). We work on round-offs, one arm cartwheels, walk overs, kick up to handstand, as well as combinations on mats, bar, and beam.

Attire: work out attire, no dresses! Long hair tied back and bare feet.

8 weeks (no class April 12 & May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
5-8	Su	12:00-12:50pm	\$112/\$127	223805-04
5-8	F	3:45-4:35pm	\$112/\$127	223805-03

🧒 SuperKids Parent and Me Gym

Learn to assist your child in basic gymnastics, balance, and coordination skills with our lively music and colorful equipment. We have mats of all shapes and sizes, balance beam, bar, mini trampoline, etc. Improve eye-hand and eye-foot coordination and build confidence! **Attire:** work out attire, no dresses! Long hair tied back and bare feet.

8 weeks (no class April 12)

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
1 ½ -3	Su	9:00-9:50am	\$112/\$127	223804-04

Torrance Alerts: If We Can't Reach You, We Can't Alert You



The City of Torrance mass notification system, TorranceAlerts, enables you to get informational messages from the City in the event of an emergency. TorranceAlerts also allows you to opt-in for other informative messages including traffic, events, library information and more.

TorranceAlerts is provided by the City to make sure you have the information you need, when you need it. Register now at TorranceCA.Gov/TorranceAlerts. If you do not have access to internet, please call 310-618-5762 for assistance.

Classes begin the week of March 22 unless otherwise noted. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. For cancellation policy, see page 5.

KIDS 0-5 YEARS

EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION PROGRAM

Requirements for parents: parents must attend a parent meeting held during the last 30 minutes of the first day of class. We encourage parents to volunteer 2-3 days during the session. If you would like to volunteer, complete the ECE Volunteer Application Form online at www.TorranceCA.Gov/VolunteerProgram. Volunteers will need to complete live-scan fingerprinting, and provide proof of a negative TB test from your doctor.

Requirements for children: children must be completely toilet trained before registering. Proof of age and a negative TB skin test **must** be presented at the parent meeting. Students enrolled in the winter session receive priority registration for the spring session. **Students must be age appropriate by the first class unless otherwise noted.**

Students may **ONLY** enroll in one ECE class per session. Students enrolling online in more than one class, will be withdrawn with no refund or credit.

Y Lollipop Tree is a developmental class that provides children with an opportunity to discover their world through play, imagination, hands-on art, and music, and provides a foundation for future learning.

10 weeks (no class April 6-10)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
Greenwood Park, 1520 Greenwood Avenue					
3-4	Tu/Th	9:00-11:30am	Cindy	\$288/\$308	224101-01

McMaster Park, 3624 Artesia Boulevard

3-4	Tu/Th	9:00-11:30am	LaDonna	\$288/\$308	224101-02
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Y Fun & Friends reinforces the concepts learned in the Lollipop Tree class. Introduction to the alphabet, numbers, shapes, and colors are some skills explored in this class as well as cutting, counting, and beginning writing skills.

10 weeks (no class April 6-10 & May 25)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
Greenwood Park, 1520 Greenwood Avenue					
3 1/2-5	M/W/F	9:00-11:30am	Cindy	\$417/\$437	224102-01

McMaster Park, 3624 Artesia Boulevard

3 1/2-5	M/W/F	9:00-11:30am	LaDonna	\$417/\$437	224102-02
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Y Kinder Class expands upon the skills learned in Fun and Friends. Students build the skills needed for future learning which prepares them for kindergarten. **Students must be 4 years old by September 1, 2019.**

10 weeks (no class April 6-10 & May 25)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
Greenwood Park, 1520 Greenwood Avenue					
4-5	M-Th	9:00-11:30am	Donna	\$561/\$581	224103-01

FAMILY FUN-TIME

Classes are held at Greenwood Park, 1520 Greenwood Avenue.

Family Fun-Time is a movement education program for children and parents. Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times. Parents are asked to bring juice or snack to share for one class. Children with disabilities are welcome. **Fee is per family.**

Y Infants

Use soft, colorful equipment to increase baby's strength and flexibility. Infants need 6-week "well baby checkup" by the first class.

8 weeks (*class begins April 4)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
6 wks-walking	Tu	11:30-12:30pm	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224201-01
6 wks-walking	W	11:30-12:30pm	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224201-02
6 wks-walking	Sa*	11:30-12:30pm	Roberta	\$88/\$98	224201-03

Y Toddlers and Preschoolers

Use balance beams, parachutes, and colorful soft equipment to explore motor development.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
12-24mos	M	10:15-11:15am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-01
12-24mos	Tu	9:00-10:00am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-02
12-24mos	F	9:00-10:00am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-03
24-36mos	M	9:00-10:00am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-21
24-36mos	W	9:00-10:00am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-23
24-36mos	F	10:15-11:15am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-24
24-48mos	Tu	10:15-11:15am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-22
36-60mos	W	10:15-11:15am	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-42
36-60mos	F	11:30-12:30pm	Nancy	\$88/\$98	224202-43

Y Music and Movement

Instructors: Les and Roberta

Start your class with a session in the music room and finish up in the activity room for movement fun.

8 weeks, begins April 2 & 4

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
6wks-walking	Sa	11:30-12:30pm	\$88/\$98	224210-01
12-24mos	Th	10:30-11:30am	\$88/\$98	224210-08
12-24mos	Sa	10:30-11:30am	\$88/\$98	224210-02
12-36mos	Th	9:30-10:30am	\$88/\$98	224210-12
12-48mos	Sa	12:30-1:30pm	\$88/\$98	224210-04
24-36mos	Sa	9:30-10:30am	\$88/\$98	224210-05
24-48mos	Th	11:30-12:30pm	\$88/\$98	224210-09
36-60mos	Th	12:30-1:30pm	\$88/\$98	224210-10
36-60mos	Sa	8:30-9:30am	\$88/\$98	224210-07

KOREAN MARTIAL ARTS WITH GRAND MASTER YOUNG YEE

Classes are held at Young Yee Martial Arts Center, 22543 Hawthorne Blvd. (Gable House Bowling Center) (310) 373-9007.

Hapkido is a combination of kicks, joint locks, boxing, Kumdo, and Tai Chi including ancient martial arts philosophy and technique and utilizes the principles of Anatomy and Kinesiology to maximize body energy and provide a solid basis for individual self-defense.

Tae Kwon Do (TKD) is an ancient Korean art of self-defense, and also a philosophy, which develops a smart mind, a caring heart, and a strong body. Classes will increase self-confidence, coordination, self-control, and concentration, while focusing on self-defense.

Notify your instructor of your class choice at the first class. This is a beginning program with no belt testing. Uniforms are required and may be purchased at the studio for \$35.

Session I begins the week of March 22

Session II begins the week of April 19

4 weeks \$80/\$90

AGE	DAY	TIME	SESSION 1	SESSION 2
6-9	M/W	4:00-4:50pm	255101-02	255101-22
6-12	M/W	5:00-5:50pm	255101-03	255101-23
6-60	M/W	6:00-6:50pm	255101-04	255101-24
6-60	M/W	7:00-7:50pm	255101-05	255101-25
6-12	Tu/Th	4:00-4:50pm	255101-06	255101-26
6-9	Tu/Th	5:00-5:50pm	255101-07	255101-27
6-16	Tu/Th	6:00-6:50pm	255101-08	255101-28
6-60	Tu/Th	7:00-7:50pm	255101-09	255101-29

8 weeks \$80/\$90

6-9	Sa	9:00-9:50am	255101-41
9-60	Sa	10:00-10:50am	255101-42

MARTIAL ARTS CHARTER CLUBS

www.TorranceCA.Gov/TCAC/CharterClubs

Kendo Charter Club teaches the "Way of the Sword," which includes mental and physical self-control and self-development. For more information, email TorranceKendo@HotMail.Com.

South Bay Judo Charter Club teaches the fundamentals of judo to help with "bullying" and to be able to protect yourself. Judo is a martial art which develops "inner" strength and discipline. For more information, call Joan Shiosaki at (310) 212-6158, or visit www.SouthBayJudo.Com.

Torrance Aikido Charter Club offers instruction in contemporary martial arts based on the coordination of mind and body. For more information, call Young Nguyen (562) 746-3250 or email TorranceAikidoClub@Outlook.Com.

Torrance Naginata Charter Club offers instruction in the traditional martial art of Naginata (pole-arm). For more information, contact Helen Nakano at (310) 530-6288, or email HelenMNakano@Gmail.Com.

MARTIAL ARTS WITH GRAND MASTER DON WORTMAN

Classes are held at KukkiDo Martial Arts Studio, 4455 Torrance Blvd (310) 370-3500, and KukkiDo Redondo, 2301 Artesia Blvd.

Cardio Kick Self-Defense

This group class combines martial arts techniques with fast-paced cardio. This high-energy workout is perfect for all ages and fitness levels. Improve stamina, coordination, flexibility, and burn calories as you build lean muscle with this fun, challenging workout.

4 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	FEE	CLASS
11+	W	7:30-8:30pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255203-01
	Sa	9:00-10:00am			

Filipino Martial Arts

Learn and master this art form from the Philippines. You'll develop self-confidence, self-control, awareness, character development, fitness, and self-defense skills. Eskrima is known for lightning-fast movements utilizing weapons, empty hand trapping, strikes, kicking techniques, takedowns and locks. Mandatory equipment is \$40.

4 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	FEE	CLASS
11+	Tu/Th	8:30-9:30pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255213-01
11+	W/F	7:15-8:00pm	Torrance	\$70/\$80	255213-02

Hapkido/Hoshinsul Self-Defense

The combination of strikes, blocks and kicks which includes hand-to-hand self-defense techniques. Learn how to defend yourself using wrist and joint locks, pressure points and weapons defense training. Mandatory equipment is \$50.

4 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	FEE	CLASS
15+	M/W	8:30-9:30pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255212-01

KukkiDo TaeKwonDo

Learn basic TaeKwonDo skills, punches, kicks, blocks, and stances in the form of structured drills and games. Develop strength, coordination, flexibility, and balance. This is a belt program and mandatory equipment is \$40.

4 weeks, attend any two classes per week

AGE	DAY	TIME	LOCATION	FEE	CLASS
3-4	M/W	3:40-4:30pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255207-01
4-6	M/W/F	4:00-5:00pm	Redondo	\$80/\$90	255207-03
4-6	M/W/F	4:35-5:30pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255207-02
5-8	M/W/F	5:00-6:00pm	Redondo	\$80/\$90	255207-08
6-13	M/W/F	6:00-7:00pm	Redondo	\$80/\$90	255207-09
11-16	Tu/Th	6:35-7:30pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255207-06
17+	Tu/Th	7:35-8:30pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255207-07

8 weeks

5-10	Sa	10:00-11:00am	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255207-21
5-10	Sa	10:00-11:00am	Redondo	\$80/\$90	255207-23
11+	Sa	12:00-1:00pm	Torrance	\$80/\$90	255207-22

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MUSIC

Classes are held at the Torrance Cultural Arts Center, 3330 Civic Center Drive unless otherwise noted.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

Drums 'R' Fun

Learn basic techniques of drumming from a professional musician, including proper grip positions, hand/wrist development, sight reading, hand/foot coordination, rudimentary training, and drum set techniques. Students will have the opportunity to play on a drum set. Supplies will be discussed at the first class.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
7+	M	7:30-8:30pm	Giachello	\$80/\$90	255501-02

Guitar

Students must provide their own guitar (acoustic or electric guitars are okay). **Beginning:** learn basic note reading and chords. No experience required. **Intermediate:** a continuation of Beginning. Students must have taken Beginning and know chords. Students will continue to work on technique at a more advanced level.

8 weeks

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
10-16	Beg	Th	4:30-5:25pm	Tomich	\$90/\$100	255502-01
10+	Beg	Th	6:30-7:25pm	Tomich	\$90/\$100	255502-03
10+	Int	Th	5:30-6:25pm	Tomich	\$90/\$100	255502-02

Guitar – Beginning/Intermediate

Students must provide their own guitar (acoustic or electric guitars are okay). Students will learn beginning and intermediate techniques of the guitar along with basic chords, strum patterns, and simple melodies.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
8-15	Sa	2:00-2:55pm	Ellis	\$79/\$89	255504-01

Guitar, Acoustic

Students must provide their own acoustic guitar. **Beginning** techniques for playing scales, basic chords, strum patterns, and simple melodies will be taught. **Intermediate** is a continuation of Beginning. Students must have taken Beginning Acoustic Guitar and know chords. Students will continue to work on technique at a more advanced level.

8 weeks

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
8-11	Beg	W	4:00-4:55pm	Ruiz	\$90/\$100	255505-01
12+	Int	Tu	6:30-7:25pm	Ruiz	\$90/\$100	255505-02

Guitar, Blues and Jazz - Beginning

Students must provide their own electric guitar. Learn the fascinating and creative styles know as Blues and Jazz music. Techniques will include the most important tools to learn how to improvise and make the style come alive, including bending, hammer-on, pull-off, and vibrato.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
12+	W	6:00-6:55pm	Ruiz	\$90/\$100	255508-01

Piano I – Beginning/Intermediate

Learn to read notes in both clefs, basic techniques, and play simple songs. Includes 10 minutes of private instruction and 40 minutes of practice time on electronic keyboards. Acoustic or electronic piano with full-size keys for home practice is required. Children ages 5-6 must be accompanied by an adult in class. A book list is available on our web page; bring books to the first class.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
8+	Sa	9:00-9:50am	Kraszewski	\$96/\$106	255510-24
8+	Sa	10:00-10:50am	Kraszewski	\$96/\$106	255510-19
8+	Sa	11:00-11:50am	Kraszewski	\$96/\$106	255510-20
8+	Sa	12:00-12:50pm	Kraszewski	\$96/\$106	255510-21

8 weeks (*no class April 12 & May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
6+	Su*	9:00-9:50am	Ellis	\$109/\$124	255510-01
6+	Su*	10:00-10:50am	Ellis	\$109/\$124	255510-02
6+	Su*	11:00-11:50am	Ellis	\$109/\$124	255510-03
6+	Su*	12:00-12:50pm	Ellis	\$109/\$124	255510-04
6+	Su*	1:00-1:50pm	Ellis	\$109/\$124	255510-05
8+	M	4:00-4:50pm	Kraszewski	\$109/\$124	255510-06
8+	M	5:00-5:50pm	Kraszewski	\$109/\$124	255510-07
8+	M	6:00-6:50pm	Kraszewski	\$109/\$124	255510-08
5-18	Tu	3:00-3:50pm	VanBuren	\$109/\$124	255510-11
5-18	Tu	4:00-4:50pm	VanBuren	\$109/\$124	255510-12
5-18	Tu	5:00-5:50pm	VanBuren	\$109/\$124	255510-13
5-10	F*	3:00-3:50pm	Ellis	\$109/\$124	255510-14
6-12	F*	4:00-4:50pm	Ellis	\$109/\$124	255510-15
8-16	F*	5:00-5:50pm	Tomich	\$109/\$124	255510-16
8-16	F*	6:00-6:50pm	Tomich	\$109/\$124	255510-17
9+	F*	7:00-7:50pm	Tomich	\$109/\$124	255510-18

Piano for Preschoolers

Introduction to piano for preschoolers. Parent must accompany child in class. Includes 10 minutes of private instruction and 40 minutes of practice time on electronic keyboards. Acoustic or electronic keyboard with full size keys is required for home practice. A book list is available on our web page, bring books to the first class.

8 weeks (no class May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
4-6	F	2:00-2:50pm	Ellis	\$109/\$124	255506-01

👤 Piano for Seniors & Adults – Beginning

For those who thought they would never learn to play piano, and those who haven't played in a while, this class is for you. Learn to read notes in both clefs, basic techniques, and play simple songs. Includes 10 minutes of private instruction and 40 minutes of practice time on electronic keyboards. Acoustic or electronic keyboard with full size keys is required for home practice. A book list is available on our web page; bring books to the first class.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
45+	Tu	12:00-12:50pm	VanBuren	\$109/\$124	255507-01
45+	Tu	1:00-1:50pm	VanBuren	\$109/\$124	255507-02
45+	Tu	2:00-2:50pm	VanBuren	\$109/\$124	255507-06
45+	Th	12:00-12:50pm	VanBuren	\$109/\$124	255507-03
45+	Th	1:00-1:50pm	VanBuren	\$109/\$124	255507-04

👤 Ukulele

Students must provide their own ukulele. Students will learn basic chords and strum patterns. These basic techniques will be applied to simple and fun songs.

7 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
8+	Sa	3:00-3:55pm	Ellis	\$79/\$89	255512-01

SPECIAL INTEREST MUSIC

👤 Music Production

Learn the necessary tools and techniques to create contemporary music in a variety of styles. The class will cover working within various Digital Audio Workstations (DAW), instrumentation, programming drums, use of synthesizers, and much more.

8 weeks

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	1	Th	6:00-7:30pm	Fefie	\$100/\$110	255601-01
16+	2	Th	7:30-9:00pm	Fefie	\$100/\$110	255601-02

👤 Songwriting

Musicians and lyricist, if you are interested in writing great songs and collaborating with others, this class is for you. You will be taught techniques used by professional songwriters; chord progressions, melodies, styles of music, song structure, and the use and substitution of chords. Students will also be able to submit songs finished or in process for a critique.

8 weeks

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	1	Tu	6:00-7:30pm	Fefie	\$100/\$110	255603-01
16+	2	Tu	7:30-9:00pm	Fefie	\$100/\$110	255603-02

SPECIAL INTEREST CLASSES

👤 American Sign Language – Beginning I & II

Torrance Cultural Arts Center, 3330 Civic Center Drive

Learn basic signs, alphabet, numbers, phrases, sentences, and many other commonly used words. A book list is available on our web page. Bring the book to the first class. Children ages 6-8 may enroll with a paid adult (**fee is per person**).

8 weeks (*no class May 15)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
9+	W	6:30-8:00pm	Barch	\$76/\$86	256601-02
9+	F*	6:30-8:00pm	Barch	\$76/\$86	256601-01

Dog Obedience Club of Torrance conducts Tuesday night classes year round at Walteria Park. Dog owners should be at least 18 years of age. Dogs should be six months or older and on a leash. For more information, and to confirm the exact class dates, visit www.Docot.Org, or call the instructor Rick Jacoby, after 5:30pm at (310) 329-0202.

👤 Engineering Workshops with LEGO™ Materials

Torrance Cultural Arts Center

Instructor: Play-Well TEKologies

Using thousands of LEGO™ parts, students will explore concepts in physics, mechanical engineering, and architecture while playing with their favorite creations. Students learn problem-solving skills and foster a greater appreciation for how things work. **Requests for refunds, credits and transfers must be made at least one week before class begins.**

4 weeks, March 28 – April 18

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
5-6	Sa	9:30-11:00am	\$96/\$106	226610-01
7-12	Sa	11:30-1:00pm	\$96/\$106	226610-02

Open Mic Torrance has a new show in town!

Are you a musician, vocalist, poetry, or song writer? Join us for an Open Mic! You can perform your heart out in a professional multi-camera studio with professional audio and bring home a video of your performance. Contact us at



OpenMic@TorranceCA.Gov for more information.

Classes begin the week of March 22 unless otherwise noted. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. For cancellation policy, see page 5.

SPRING FUN CAMPS

Greenwood Park, 1520 Greenwood Avenue

- Camp includes arts, crafts, games, and a walking field trip to the movies at Del Amo mall.
- Registration for camps and extended supervision ends one (1) week before camp begins. **Requests for credits, refunds or transfers must also be made one (1) week before the camp begins.** A 20% administrative fee per activity, per person, will be deducted from all refunds for camp and extended care. No exceptions.
- Comfortable clothing, closed-toe tennis shoes, sunscreen, and a sack lunch with a drink are required each day. The program includes mid-morning snack.
- A \$10 fee will be charged for every 15 minutes (or portion thereof) parents/guardians are early in dropping off, or late in picking up children. Fees are charged per child. **There is no grace period.**
- Camp T-shirts are available for \$7 per shirt and must be worn on walking field trips. Shirt vouchers must be purchased at the Registration Office (money is not accepted at camp). Vouchers **MUST** be presented at camp to receive your T-shirt. Lost and misplaced vouchers **WILL NOT** be replaced.
- A newsletter with daily information and reminders will be available the first day of camp and online the week prior to camp at www.TorranceCA.Gov/DayCamps. The Parent/Guardian and Participant Handbook, Severe Allergy Form, and Medication Policy are also here.
- Field trips are included in the cost of camp; however, campers have the opportunity of purchasing lunch and additional items on field trips.

Fun Camp

Participants will experience an exciting camp, make friends and stay busy during the spring break!

1 week, April 6 - 10

AGE	DAYS	TIME	FEE	CLASS
6-11	M-F	8:30-4:30pm	\$130/\$145	249201-01
6-11	M-F	7:00-8:30am*	\$20/\$25	249201X-AM
6-11	M-F	4:30-6:00pm*	\$20/\$25	249201X-PM

Teen Camp

This camp is designed to provide a positive camp experience in an age appropriate structured environment.

1 week, April 6 - 10

AGE	DAYS	TIME	FEE	CLASS
12-14	M-F	8:30-4:30pm	\$140/\$155	249204-01
12-14	M-F	7:00-8:30am*	\$20/\$25	249204X-AM
12-14	M-F	4:30-6:00pm*	\$20/\$25	249204X-PM

***These class sessions are Extended Care only. Participants MUST be enrolled in camp in order to register for extended care. Students enrolling in Extended Care that are NOT registered in camp, will be removed with no refund or credit.**

THEATRE WORKSHOPS

Presented by the Torrance Theatre Company

Classes are held at the Torrance Cultural Arts Center, 3330 Civic Center Drive. For information on the guest instructors visit www.TorranceTheatreCompany.Com.

Acting - Beginning

Explore the theory and practice of the basic tools of acting: body movement, vocal production and imagination. This class will also include an introduction to character analysis, audition basics and monologue work.

6 weeks, March 24 – April 28

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
18+	Tu	5:00-7:00pm	\$150/\$165	266601-01

Acting - Intermediate

Building on the basic tools of acting from our Beginning Acting Workshop. We will dive deeper into character analysis, advanced improv exercises, becoming an active listener, and working on authentic connection.

6 weeks, March 24 – April 28

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
18+	Tu	7:00-9:00pm	\$150/\$165	266602-01

Scene Study

Working to identify tone, conflicts and objectives, relationships, perspective, and subtext will be the beginning for working on various scene materials. We will focus on learning how to make the best choices, physically, emotionally and vocally.

6 weeks, March 25 – April 29

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
18+	W	5:00-7:00pm	\$150/\$165	266608-01

Shakespeare

Demystify Shakespeare! Through monologue work, we will learn how to approach iambic pentameter, and identify clues and imagery within the text to inform your performance. You will leave with two monologues.

6 weeks, March 25 - April 29

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
16+	W	7:00-9:00pm	\$150/\$165	266618-01

VIDEO PRODUCTION

Video Production

Telecommunications Center, 3330 Civic Center Drive

If you own a smart phone, you have an all-in-one easy to use video production tool in your pocket. Smart phones are increasingly being used for news, documentaries, and even feature films because the quality is very good. This class will cover shooting with your phone, editing directly on your phone, and the many low cost accessories that can be purchased to help you create a professional look.

2 weeks

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
16+	W	3/25 & 4/1	6:00-7:30pm	Fefie	\$60/\$70	246601-01
16+	W	4/15 & 4/22	6:00-7:30pm	Fefie	\$60/\$70	246601-02

SPORTS

CHARLES H. WILSON PARK FACILITIES

2200 Crenshaw Boulevard

Wilson Park includes tennis and paddle tennis/pickleball courts, horseshoe courts, universally accessible tree house, four softball diamonds, roller hockey rink, the Dee Hardison Sports Center, batting cages, and splash pad.

Dee Hardison Sports Center (310) 972-7760

The Sports Center conducts youth and adult basketball, volleyball, and martial arts. The gymnasium will be available on a scheduled basis for pick-up basketball and volleyball for a nominal fee. The facility is also available for public rental. For rental information, call the Facility Booking Office at (310) 618-5982. For information about ongoing activities, schedules, and leagues, call the Sports Center.

Note: A one-time purchase of a \$5 photo ID card plus \$1 per hour of participation for the following programs:

👤 Adult Open Gym Volleyball

Join us for the best adult volleyball action Torrance has to offer. Players will break into teams on three courts and rotate through to play other teams.

AGE	DAY	TIME	DATES
18+	M/Tu	7:00-10:00pm	April-December

👤 Adult Open Gym Basketball

Open Gym Basketball is the perfect chance for you to work on your jump shot or play a pickup game with your friends.

AGE	DAY	TIME	DATES
18+	F	7:00-10:00pm	April-December
18+	Sa	5:00-7:00pm	April-December

👤 Open M.P.R. Dance

Are you looking for a place to practice your dance moves? Our Multi-Purpose Room has wooden floors, a mirrored wall, and open space for you and your friends to perfect your dance routines.

AGE	DAY	TIME	DATES
All	W	7:30-10:00pm	Ongoing
All	Su	12:00-6:00pm	Ongoing

Roller Hockey Rink (310) 972-7762

Leagues are offered for adults. The Roller Hockey rink is available for public rental. For rental information, call Facility Booking at (310) 618-5982. For more information, call the rink, or visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/AdultRollerHockey.

👤 Adult Open Play Roller Hockey

Need to work on your skating and shooting skills? Our Open Play Roller Hockey program is the perfect place to practice. Players will have the opportunity to play 3 on 3 pick-up games on half of the Rink, or work on enhancing their skating and shooting skills on the other half.

AGE	DAY	TIME	DATES
18+	Th	6:00-8:00pm	Ongoing

GOLF

See your instructor for holiday dates and makeups.

👤 Adult Golf Lessons - Beginning

Los Verdes Golf Course

(562) 491-5710

7000 Los Verdes Drive, Rancho Palos Verdes

Group golf lessons are taught in a setting with panoramic ocean views. Lessons cover the basic fundamentals of the full swing and short game. Use of balls and clubs during class is included.

6 weeks begins March 21 & 22

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
18+	Sa	11:00-12:00pm	Buroza (PGA)	\$108/\$123	237101-07
18+	Su	2:00-3:00pm	Buroza (PGA)	\$108/\$123	237101-01

🧒 Youth Golf Lessons - Beginning/Intermediate

Sea Aire Golf Course, 22730 Lupine Drive

Instructor: Dennis Johnson

Sea Aire is the perfect place for golfers of all levels. Use of clubs and balls during class is included. Instruction includes proper techniques in gripping the club, and how to prepare for putting and swinging.

Requests for refunds, credits, and transfers must be made at least one week before class begins.

Session I – 4 weeks begins March 21 & 22

Session II – 4 weeks begins April 18 & 19

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	SESSION 1	SESSION 2
7-14	Sa	9:00-9:50am	\$55/\$65	227102-01	227102-21
7-14	Sa	10:00-10:50am	\$55/\$65	227102-02	227102-22
7-14	Su	9:00-9:50am	\$55/\$65	227102-03	227102-23
7-14	Su	10:00-10:50am	\$55/\$65	227102-04	227102-24

GOLF CHARTER CLUBS

For more information, call the Community Services Department at (310) 618-2930.

Senior Citizens Golf Club meets every Friday at 8:00am.

Women's Golf Club meets every Thursday at 8:00am.

SEA AIRE GOLF COURSE

22730 Lupine Drive, Torrance (310) 543-GOLF

This is a nine-hole, par three, pitch, and putt course. The last tee-off is one hour before closing. Photo ID with a Torrance address is required to prove residency. For more information, visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/SeaAireGolfCourse.

Classes begin the week of **March 22** unless otherwise noted. Fees listed represent the cost for residents/non-residents. For cancellation policy, see page 5.

SPECIAL INTEREST SPORTS

BOCCE BALL

Columbia Park, 4045 190th Street

Bocce courts are on Prairie Avenue north of 190th Street.

The South Bay Bocce Club will provide FREE Bocce Ball lessons.

The courts are universally accessible, so persons using wheelchairs, walkers, and scooters are welcome. For more information, and to register, email Bob Chiota Bocce4All@gmail.com, or Joel Massa Bocce4All.JM@yahoo.com.

4-Sport Multi Sport by BEST Sports

New!

McMaster Park, 3624 Artesia Blvd.

Enjoy soccer, softball, basketball and track. We will teach you how to kick and control a soccer ball; how to hit, catch, throw & run the bases; shoot & dribble a basketball; and running & jumping in track & field. Participants must bring their own soccer ball, basketball, and hitting tee. See our web page for a schedule of what to bring each week.

6 weeks, March 28 – May 9 (no class April 11)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
2-4	Sa	9:00-9:45am	BEST	\$99/\$109	227207-04
5-7	Sa	10:00-10:45am	BEST	\$99/\$109	227207-05
8-10	Sa	11:00-11:45am	BEST	\$99/\$109	227207-06

6 weeks, March 29 – May 10 (no class April 12)

2-4	Su	9:00-9:45am	BEST	\$99/\$109	227207-01
5-7	Su	10:00-10:45am	BEST	\$99/\$109	227207-02
8-10	Su	11:00-11:45am	BEST	\$99/\$109	227207-03

TORRANCE FENCING CLUB (TFC)

The Torrance Fencing Club meets Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:30-9:30pm at the Ken Miller Recreation Center. The Torrance Fencing Club offers classes on Tuesdays and Thursdays. For more information, call Tom Trulove at (310) 327-7348, or Sud Deland at (310) 375-1792.



Tell Us About Your Torrance Seasons

Do you prefer to explore Seasons online or in print? Do you like to register for

classes online or in person? We want to hear from you! Visit TorranceCA.Gov/SeasonsSurvey.

Pintsize Sports™

McMaster Park, 3624 Artesia Blvd.

A fun introduction to different team sports where children will learn team work, how to follow direction, individual skills, sports rules, and agility. Each week challenging age-appropriate games and activities will increase coordination and prepare children for organized league play.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
3-4	Tu	10:50-11:30am	Staff	\$106/\$121	227206-01
4-5	Tu	11:40-12:25pm	Staff	\$106/\$121	227206-02
4-5	Th	2:15-3:00pm	Staff	\$106/\$121	227206-03

Pintsize Sports™

Balls & Bubbles for Toddlers

New!

McMaster Park, 3624 Artesia Blvd.

Balls and bubbles, what could be more fun! This class will give little ones an opportunity to develop their gross motor skills through play. Each week will include a variety of different sports activities for them to learn and explore. Parent or guardian participation is required.

8 weeks

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
1-2	Tu	10:15-10:45am	Staff	\$106/\$121	227205-01

Pickleball

Wilson Park 2200 Crenshaw Boulevard

Instructor: Christine Massa

Requests for refunds, credits and transfers, must be made at least one week before class begins.

Use of balls and paddles during all classes is included.

Beginning: learn the basics of the game including game terminology, stroke names, forehand, backhand, volley, overhead and service techniques. No experience necessary.

Intermediate/Advanced: accelerated skill enhancing drills will be taught to help increase game consistency, shot proficiency, and advancing serve effectiveness. Students must have consistency with all the basic strokes and shot placement and be familiar with game rules and terminology.

All Levels: designed to further the beginning level student's basic game knowledge and skills while implementing intermediate drills and game strategy.

4 weeks (*no class May 25)

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE	CLASS
18+	Beg	Th	4/9- 4/30	1:00-2:30pm	\$59	237203-01
18+	Beg	Th	5/7-5/28	1:00-2:30pm	\$59	237203-02
18+	Int/Adv	M	4/6-4/27	1:00-2:30pm	\$59	237204-01
18+	Int/Adv	M*	5/4-6/1	1:00-2:30pm	\$59	237204-02
18+	All	W	4/8-4/29	1:00-2:30pm	\$59	237205-01
18+	All	W	5/6-5/27	1:00-2:30pm	\$59	237205-02

🧒 Track and Field/Cross Country

West High Track, 20401 Victor Street

This program is designed to introduce kids to track and field. Students will develop the necessary conditioning for running and learn the basic techniques for field events in long jump, high jump, and pole vault. The program is designed to gradually build up the students' running fitness.

8 weeks (no class April 6)

AGE	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
5-14	M	6:00-7:00pm	Drueten	\$125/\$140	227203-01

SPORT LEAGUES – ADULTS

Leagues are scheduled to begin the week of May 11
 Resident team registration begins March 16
 Non-resident team registration begins March 23
 Registration ends May 1 at 5:00pm

Resident teams must submit full payment from a Torrance business, or submit a team roster with 75% of the players living within the Torrance city limits. All players must play in one of the first 5 games to be eligible for the second half of the season. No additions after game 5. For more information, contact Garrett Craig, GCraig@TorranceCA.Gov (310) 781-7590, or visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/AdultSports.

Adult Basketball Leagues play on Wednesday and Thursday evening, and Sunday afternoon and evening at the Dee Hardison Sports Center at Wilson Park.
Fees: \$715 per team (unlimited roster).

Adult Roller Hockey Leagues for men and women of all skill levels are offered at the Wilson Park Roller Hockey Rink.
Fees: \$1,025/\$1,045 (16 players max roster).

Adult Softball Leagues are offered for men, women, and coed Sunday through Friday at Wilson Park and El Nido Park.
Fees: \$600/\$620 (unlimited roster).

**TORRANCE
COMMUNITY
TELEVISION
CENTER**



Join the Torrance Community Television team and produce the kind of programming you want to see! You'll get the training and assistance to make your ideas a reality. Certified Users can also receive advanced training in lighting, program development and editing.

Located at 3350 Civic Center Drive, the Center's facilities include a professional, high-definition production studio, field cameras, editing bays and more. TCTV is open Tuesday through Friday, 2:00 to 5:00pm and 6:00 to 10:00pm, and Saturday 10:00am to 6:00pm.

SPORT LEAGUES – YOUTH

🧒 Youth Volleyball

\$73

Grades 2-8 (as of April 2020)

The main goal of the Youth Sports Program is to provide a positive recreational experience for each participant. By communicating the recreational philosophies that underlie sports competition and teaching basic skills, we try to provide a healthy, enjoyable experience for everyone.

The Youth Volleyball program is structured to teach basic fundamentals and rules of the game. Each player participates in every game. **We do not honor requests for coaches! All teams must have a volunteer coach to participate.**

Volunteer Head Coach positions are limited to one per team. To volunteer, you must complete a Volunteer Coach's Application at www.TorranceCA.Gov/VolunteerProgram and be fingerprinted annually. Volunteer coaches will receive a refund of the activity fee upon return of their equipment at the end of the season.

All registrations must be received by March 25!

There are no full refunds given and only partial refunds of 80% will be given if requested by 5:00pm on April 17. To withdraw, you **MUST** contact the Registration Office at (310) 618-2720 or Enroll@TorranceCA.Gov.

For more information, call Youth Sports at (310) 781-7515, or visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/YouthSports.

8 weeks, tentatively scheduled to begin April 18

GRADE	DIVISION	DAY	TIME	CLASS
2-4	Clinic	Sa	9:00-10:45am	227400-00
4	Junior	Sa	varies	227400-04
5	Junior	Sa	varies	227400-05
6	Senior	Sa	varies	227400-06
7	Senior	Sa	varies	227400-07
8	Senior	Sa	varies	227400-08

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[YouTube.Com/TorranceCitiCABLE](https://www.youtube.com/TorranceCitiCABLE)

Follow our Recreation programs on Social Media

Facebook – [TorranceParksandRecreation](https://www.facebook.com/TorranceParksandRecreation)

Instagram – [@TorranceRecreation](https://www.instagram.com/TorranceRecreation)

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TENNIS

Students that do not meet the prerequisite requirement may be withdrawn with no refund or credit.

Beginner I: Introduction to fundamental strokes.

Beginner II: Prerequisite: Beginner I. More fundamentals.

Intermediate: Prerequisite: Beginner II. Should have some control of forehand, backhand, and serve. Net play, doubles strategy, and polishing the mechanics of play are introduced.

Advanced: Prerequisite: Intermediate. Must have good control of forehand, backhand, and serve.

Round Robin Doubles: Prerequisite: Intermediate and Advanced level students. Learn by playing, develop strategy, and movement.

Tennis at El Retiro Park

126 Vista del Parque

8 weeks

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
8-16	Beg I	W	4:00-4:50pm	Le	\$78	227501-01
8-16	Beg II	W	5:00-5:50pm	Le	\$78	227502-01
8-16	Int	W	6:00-6:50pm	Le	\$78	227503-01
17+	Int	Th	10:00-10:50am	Crofut	\$78	237503-01
17+	Int/RRD	Th	11:00-12:50pm	Crofut	\$65	237506-01

Tennis at Paradise Park

5006 Lee Street

8 weeks

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
8-16	Beg I	Tu	4:00-4:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227501-21
8-16	Beg I	F	4:00-4:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227501-22
8-16	Beg I	Sa	9:00-9:50am	Le	\$78	227501-23
8-16	Beg II	Tu	5:00-5:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227502-21
8-16	Beg II	F	5:00-5:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227502-22
8-16	Beg II	Sa	10:00-10:50am	Le	\$78	227502-23
8-16	Int	Tu	6:00-6:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227503-21
8-16	Int	F	6:00-6:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227503-22
8-16	Int	Sa	11:00-11:50am	Le	\$78	227503-23
8-16	Int/Adv	Sa	12:00-12:50pm	Le	\$78	227505-21
8-16	Adv	Tu	7:00-7:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227504-21
17+	Beg I	Tu	10:00-10:50am	Crofut	\$78	237501-21
17+	Int/RRD	Tu	11:00-12:50pm	Crofut	\$65	237506-21

Tennis at Sur La Brea Park

23610 Cabrillo Avenue

8 weeks

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
8-16	Beg I	M	4:00-4:50pm	Le	\$78	227501-31
8-16	Beg II	M	5:00-5:50pm	Le	\$78	227502-32
8-16	Int	M	6:00-6:50pm	Le	\$78	227503-31
17+	Beg II	Tu	6:00-6:50pm	Le	\$78	237502-33
17+	Int	Tu	7:00-7:50pm	Le	\$78	237503-32

Tennis at Wilson Park

2200 Crenshaw Boulevard

8 weeks

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
8-16	Beg I	M	4:00-4:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227501-41
8-16	Beg I	W	4:00-4:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227501-42
8-16	Beg I	Th	4:00-4:50pm	Le	\$78	227501-43
8-16	Beg I	Th	4:00-4:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227501-11
8-16	Beg II	M	5:00-5:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227502-41
8-16	Beg II	W	5:00-5:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227502-42
8-16	Beg II	Th	5:00-5:50pm	Le	\$78	227502-43
8-16	Beg II	Th	5:00-5:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227502-11
8-16	Int	M	6:00-6:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227503-41
8-16	Int	W	6:00-6:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227503-42
8-16	Int	Th	6:00-6:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227503-11
8-16	Int/Adv	Th	7:00-7:50pm	Crofut	\$78	227505-11
17+	Beg I	Th	6:00-6:50pm	Le	\$78	237501-41
17+	Beg I	Sa	12:00-12:50pm	Crofut	\$78	237501-42
17+	Beg II	Th	7:00-7:50pm	Le	\$78	237502-41
17+	Beg II	Sa	1:00-1:50pm	Crofut	\$78	237502-42
17+	Int	Sa	2:00-2:50pm	Crofut	\$78	237503-41
17+	Int/RRD	W	7:00-8:50pm	Crofut	\$65	237506-41
17+	Int/RRD	Sa	3:00-4:50pm	Crofut	\$65	237506-42
17+	Int/RRD	Sa	5:00-6:50pm	Crofut	\$65	237506-43

Tennis for Seniors at Wilson Park

2200 Crenshaw Boulevard

This is a non-competitive, recreational program, as a fun route to fitness. Class includes stretching, warm-up, basic strokes, rules, and strategies.

8 weeks

AGE	LEVEL	DAY	TIME	INSTRUCTOR	FEE	CLASS
50+	Adv/RRD	Tu	9:00-10:20am	Le	\$58	237510-41
50+	Adv/RRD	F	9:00-10:20am	Le	\$58	237510-42
50+	Int/Adv/RRD	Tu	10:30-11:50am	Le	\$58	237510-43
50+	Int/Adv/RRD	F	10:30-11:50am	Le	\$58	237510-44

LAS CANCHAS TENNIS CENTER

25924 Rolling Hills Road

A City of Torrance facility operated and managed by the South Bay Tennis Center with eight lighted courts available for public use seven days a week. For more information, visit www.SouthBayTennisCenter.Com, or call (310) 530-8212 or (310) 415-1969.

For current class information visit
www.TorranceCA.Gov/ClassRegistration

SWIMMING

VICTOR E. BENSTEAD PLUNGE

3331 Torrance Boulevard (310) 781-7113
www.TorranceCA.Gov/Aquatics

The Victor E. Benstead Plunge is a 50 by 20 meter heated outdoor pool. During the school year, the pool is divided into two 8-lane, 25-yard sections, and offers a variety of aquatic programs. Swim attire is required to enter the pool area (T-shirts, shorts, and street clothing are not allowed). Fuller coverage attire specifically designed as swim wear (such as a rash guard) is permitted. No floatation devices (lifejackets, water wings, toys, etc.) are permitted. Lockers are available for daily use and padlocks may be rented at the facility. The Plunge is not responsible for lost or stolen articles. Each child less than 50 inches tall must be accompanied in the pool, and on the deck, by an adult (18+), within arm's reach (maximum of one child per adult).

For class cancellation policy, see page 5.
The pool is closed on May 16 and 25.

Drop-In, Lap and Recreation Swim Rates

Age	Fee	Ticket books – 11 admissions
17 & under	\$2	\$20
18 +	\$3	\$30
Senior 50+	\$2	\$20

(Must present proof of age)

Drop-in Lap Swim for Ages 15+

Monday – Thursday	8:30-9:30pm
Monday – Friday	6:30-8:00am & 11:00-1:00pm
Saturday	1:30-4:00pm
Sunday	11:00-1:00pm

Drop-in Recreation Open Swim

Saturday	1:30-4:00pm
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SPECIAL INTEREST SWIM CLASSES

👤 Adult Water Exercise Class

A low impact workout held in shallow water that focuses on cardiovascular training, muscle toning, flexibility, and coordination.

10 classes (*no class April 12)

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE	CLASS
18+	Su*	3/22-5/31	2:00-2:45pm	\$60	237612-21
18+	M/W	3/23-4/22	7:15-8:15pm	\$60	237612-01

9 classes (no class May 25)

18+	M/W	4/27-5/27	7:15-8:15pm	\$54	237612-02
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👤 American Red Cross Lifeguard Training

Prerequisite: students must be able to swim 300 continuous yards of front crawl and breaststroke, as well as, retrieve a diving brick from 7 feet of water and swim it 20 yards back. This course trains and certifies participants in American Red Cross Lifeguarding, CPR/AED, and First Aid. Students must attend at least 24 hours and complete and pass a written and practical exam to receive certification.

7 weeks, March 22 – May 10 (no class April 12)

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
15+	Su	12:00-4:00pm	\$234	237611-01

👤 Aqua Zumba

A Zumba dance class held in shallow water that focuses on aerobic movements in a fun and exciting way. The dance moves are fun and easy to follow.

10 classes (*9 classes-no class May 25)

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE	CLASS
18+	M/W	3/23-4/22	10:00-10:45am	\$60	237613-01
18+	M/W	4/27-5/27*	10:00-10:45am	\$54	237613-02

🧒 Jr. Lifeguard Prep

Prerequisite: each participant must be able to swim 25 yards freestyle unassisted and be comfortable in deep water. This class will help prepare those who are looking to participate in a Jr. Lifeguard program during the summer months.

9 weeks, March 28 – May 30 (no class May 16)

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
8-17	Sa	12:00-12:45pm	\$52	227612-01

🧒 Pre-Competitive Swim

Prerequisite: participants should be able to swim 100 yards freestyle, backstroke, and breaststroke with good form. This course helps students focus on the competitive elements of swimming. In addition to endurance and conditioning training, we focus on the four competitive strokes, starts, and turns.

9 weeks, March 28 – May 30 (no class May 16)

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
7-17	Sa	10:30-11:05am	\$52	227613-01
7-17	Sa	12:45-1:20pm	\$52	227613-02

🧒 Synchronized Swimming

Prerequisite: each participant must be able to swim 50 yards freestyle and backstroke with good form, tread water, and be comfortable in deep water. Our synchronized swim team is for participants who want to experience the more competitive side of the sport. Participants will learn and refine more advanced synchronized swimming skills and develop a routine to perform.

10 weeks, March 22 – May 31 (no class April 12 & May 25)

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
8-18	Su	2:00-4:00pm	\$150	227614-01
and	M/W	6:00-7:30pm		

🧒 Water Polo Basics

Prerequisite: participants must be able to tread water and swim comfortably in deep water. Girls and boys learn how to play Water Polo. Learn basic skills and strategies of the game.

9 weeks, March 28 – May 30 (no class May 16)

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
11-16	Sa	12:00-12:35pm	\$72	227617-01

Swimming/Programs

👤 Adults 🧒 Youth 👤 Youth & Adults

SWIM LESSONS

🧒 Adaptive Swim Lessons for Special Needs

Adaptive lessons are for students with special needs. Once registered, participants must contact the aquatics department to discuss the student's special needs. Parent or PCA involvement in the water is required.

10 weeks, March 22 – May 31 (no class April 12)

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
4-6	Su	2:00-2:30pm	\$31	227650-01
7-11	Su	2:40-3:10pm	\$31	227650-02
12-17	Su	3:20-3:50pm	\$31	227650-03

👤 Private Swim Lessons – All Levels

This class is ideal for those seeking one-on-one instruction to learn to swim and improve swim technique.

DAY	TIME	SESSION 1 - \$200	SESSION 2 - \$180
Ages 4+		3/23-4/22	4/27-5/27 (no class May 25)
M/W	10:00-10:30am	227660-01	227660-11
M/W	10:35-11:05am	227660-02	227660-12
M/W	11:10-11:40am	227660-03	227660-13
M/W	11:45-12:15pm	227660-04	227660-14
M/W	12:20-12:50pm	227660-05	227660-15

👤 Swim Lessons – All Ages

Participants register for swim lessons according to their age. On the first day, our instructors will evaluate students and divide them into classes based on their swimming ability. Please come 10 minutes early to check in for the first class.

9 weeks, March 28 – May 30 (no class May 16)

AGE	DAY	TIME	FEE	CLASS
4-6	Sa	9:00-9:30am	\$52	227623-01
4-6	Sa	9:45-10:15am	\$52	227623-02
4-6	Sa	10:30-11:00am	\$52	227623-03
4-6	Sa	11:15-11:45pm	\$52	227623-04
4-6	Sa	12:00-12:30pm	\$52	227623-05
4-6	Sa	12:45-1:15pm	\$52	227623-06
7-12	Sa	9:00-9:35am	\$52	227622-01
7-12	Sa	9:45-10:20am	\$52	227622-02
7-12	Sa	11:15-11:50am	\$52	227622-04
7-12	Sa	12:00-12:35pm	\$52	227622-05
12-17	Sa	12:45-1:20pm	\$52	227624-06

5 weeks

AGE	DAY	DATE	TIME	FEE	CLASS
18+	Tu/Th	3/24-4/23	7:35-8:35pm	\$60	237621-01
18+	Tu/Th	4/28-5/28	7:35-8:35pm	\$60	237621-02

5 weeks - These classes are ideal for Homeschool students

4-6	Tu/Th	3/24-4/23	9:35-10:05am	\$58	227623-51
4-6	Tu/Th	4/28-5/28	9:35-10:05am	\$58	227623-52
7-12	Tu/Th	3/24-4/23	10:10-10:45am	\$58	227622-51
7-12	Tu/Th	4/28-5/28	10:10-10:45am	\$58	227622-52

ACTIVITIES & PROGRAMS

ART PROGRAMS

ART CHARTER CLUBS

Torrance Artists Guild is a non-profit fine arts organization that recognizes all medium of paintings, etchings, and photography. The general meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00pm in the Ken Miller Recreation Center. For more information, contact TorranceArtistsGuild@gmail.com, or visit www.TorranceArtistsGuild.Org.

Torrance Craftsmen's Guild is a non-profit organization promoting interest in all arts and crafts and the exchange of artistic ideas. Meetings are held the 1st Thursday of each month (no July or December meeting) at 6:45pm in the Ken Miller Recreation Center. The Annual Spring Faire will be held on March 21 from 10:00am to 4:00pm. For more information, visit TorranceCraftsmensGuild.Org.

TORRANCE ART MUSEUM

3320 Civic Center Drive

Tuesday – Saturday, 11:00am to 5:00pm

(310) 618-5388

[Torrance Art Muesum.Com](http://TorranceArtMuseum.Com)

Always Free to the Public!

January 18 – March 14

DEATH CULT

Motorcycles, skulls and the moment of impact...

Curated by Max Presnill

The obsession with Death has always been a fundamental pivot for much of art throughout history and across geographical boundaries. The awareness of our own mortality can be explored through this exhibition which focuses on the ubiquitous skull and its relationship to the very American Dream idea of the open road, via motorcycle iconography. A death wish or the instinctive aligning of danger and excitement in a world that many see as too bland and safe?

April 4 – May 16

CO/LAB 5

An international, emerging artists collaborative project which presents 8 artist-run gallery/spaces from SoCal partnering with 8 artist-run spaces from around the world – 16 spaces create 8 curatorial projects. With international spaces: Gallery Kalashnikov (Johannesburg), Galleri Pompom (Sydney), Supermarket (Stockholm), Space One (Seoul), Sanatorium (Istanbul), Obrera Centro (Mexico City), Cycladic Arts (Paros) + 1 more. SoCal spaces to be announced....

TEEN ACTIVITIES

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

THE ATTIC - A Torrance Teen Center

2320 West Carson Street

(310) 782-8828

www.TorranceCA.Gov/TheATTIC

Follow us on Social Media

Facebook.Com/THEATTIC-A Torrance Teen Center

Instagram - @THEATTICteencenter

Attention all High School Students!

Bishop • CAMS • North High • Shery

South High • Torrance High • West High

THE ATTIC is the perfect place for Torrance high school students to enjoy an assortment of recreational, academic, vocation, and self-help programs in a relaxed atmosphere. We have the perfect place for students to hang out and meet up with friends. Stop in and check it out for yourself!

Facility Hours during the School Year

Monday- Friday, 3:00-9:00pm (closed spring break April 6-10)

Facility Offers

Full service kitchen-ATTIC Café, full fitness room, regulation size pool table, board games, basketball court, big screen TV, air hockey table, foosball table, ping pong table, three 40" game TVs (Wii, PS4, PS3 & X-Box 360), and computers with free internet access and Wi-Fi.

Special Events

Ski/snowboard trips, job/college fairs, amusement parks, fundraisers, fashion shows, theme parties, movie marathons, and much more!

ATTIC SPECIAL EVENTS

For more information, call the ATTIC.

Pancake Breakfast	\$5
Saturday, April 4	7:00-11:00am

Mothers Against Drunk Driving Event	Free
Thursday, May 21	5:00-6:30pm

ATTIC CLASSES

Classes begin the week of April 20 (must be a member).

Fees: \$10 for 10 weeks or \$2 per drop-in session.

Onsite Fitness Video's **Wednesdays** **4:00-5:00pm**

THE ATTIC offers a variety of fitness videos onsite to meet your needs.

Strength Training **Friday** **5:00-6:00pm**

This class focuses on establishing life-long exercise and nutritional habits by learning basic strength training techniques. Build confidence by improving your fitness level.

SPIN (serving People in Need)

1st Wednesday of the month **5:00-6:00pm**

Do you need volunteer hours? Volunteer hours and project dates will be announced at the meetings.

MIDDLE SCHOOL ACTIVITIES CO-REC CLUB

For more information, call (310) 618-2930, or visit

www.TorranceCA.Gov/CoRec.

Instagram - @coreclub

Exclusively for Torrance middle school students in 6th, 7th and 8th grade. Come and check out the Co-Rec Program! We feature the best DJs around, a great snack bar, game room, and door prizes! Co-Rec is a membership program. You must be a member to attend these dances. **Guests are allowed to attend ONE dance before joining the club** (a Torrance middle school ID or a print out of a current school schedule is required for admission).

Membership into this exclusive club is \$15. You can sign up before any dance, or visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/CoRec for a mail in application. **A current school ID or a print out of a current school schedule is mandatory for membership** (Power School and notes will not be accepted as proof of grade or residency). Your membership will include a Co-Rec picture ID card and a monthly newsletter.

Note to parents: Please do not drop off children before 7:00pm and be prompt in picking them up at 9:30pm.

Dances are held at the Ken Miller Recreation Center, 3341 Torrance Boulevard.

Spring dances will be held on the following dates:

March 6 & 20; April 24 & May 8

Spring Carnival

\$6 members / \$8 guests

March 20

7:30-9:30pm

All guests must have a Torrance Middle School ID.

Join us at Co-Rec for a Spring Carnival! Test your skills on the carnival games or just get your face painted! We will provide the carnival snacks! The night will be filled with fun activities and great music! You could even win a cool Door Prize.

Hawaiian Dance Party

\$6 members / \$8 guests

May 8

7:30-9:30pm

All guests must have a Torrance Middle School ID.

Aloha! Pull out all your summer clothes, it's time for our annual Hawaiian Dance! Come hang out with friends at the island of Co-Rec. We'll feature island snacks for all to enjoy. Dress Hawaiian and enjoy an evening of dancing with great music! There will be cool prizes for the best attire. Stop in for an evening of fun!

FACILITY BOOKING



Facility Booking

Host your next event with the City of Torrance!

- Picnic Areas
 - Sports Fields
 - Roller Rink
 - Swimming Pool
- Park Buildings
 - Gymnasium
 - Wedding Venue
 - THE ATTIC

Book Online: www.TorranceCA.Gov/FacilityBooking

Phone: (310) 618-5982

Reservations, additions, and changes are not accepted by phone.

Office hours M-F, 8:00am to 5:00pm
(closed alternate Fridays)

Southern California Live Steamers, Inc.

Free train rides the first Sunday of the month from 11:00am to 3:00pm and the third Saturday of the month (March to December) from 12:00pm to 3:00pm at the east end of Wilson Park. For more information, visit www.WilsonParkTrains.Org.

Torrance Batting Cages

(310) 320-2243

Are you looking to perfect your batting skills? The Torrance Batting Cages at Wilson Park has eight batting stations for slow-pitch softball, multi-speed hardball, and fast-pitch softball. Come visit the pro shop that features top brands like Rawlings, Mizuno, Easton, Louisville Slugger, and more. There is also an artificial turf area available to rent for baseball, softball, and soccer. For more information, visit www.TorranceBattingCages.Com.

TORRANCE COMMUNITY GARDENS

Torrance Community Gardens are located at Columbia and Lago Seco Parks and offer a wonderful opportunity for folks to grow their own produce in a fun and friendly atmosphere. The program is offered for Torrance residents only. Fees and cleaning deposits apply. For more information, contact Joyce Chan at (310) 781-7520. To be added to the wait list, call the Registration Office at (310) 618-2720. Proof of Torrance residency is required.



TORRANCE CULTURAL ARTS CENTER

www.Arts.TorranceCA.Gov **(310) 781-7150**

The Torrance Cultural Arts Center is a beautiful, multipurpose complex designed with all your event needs in mind. Versatile accommodations provide ideal settings for business conferences, weddings, seminars, receptions, trade shows, festivals, award banquets, parties, performances, and more. For your safety, hand rails have been installed on either side of the James R. Armstrong Theatre's House.

TORRANCE CULTURAL ARTS FOUNDATION

www.TorranceArts.Org

For ticket information and reservations call the Box Office (310) 781-7171. For online ticket purchase visit www.TorranceCA.Gov/TCACTickets.

GUEST ARTISTS SERIES

Croce Plays Croce

Friday, February 7 8:00pm

Far From Home

Saturday, March 14 8:00pm

The Chipper Experience: Where Comedy & Magic Collide!

Sunday, March 15 2:00 & 7:00pm

More Magic Up Close

Friday & Saturday, April 17 & 18 8:00pm

The Interactive Beatles Experience: Yesterday and Today

Saturday, April 25 8:00pm

NATIONAL THEATRE LIVE SERIES

42nd Street

Sunday, February 9 2:00pm

Kinky Boots

Sunday, April 26 2:00pm

STUDIO CABARET SERIES

Angel Town Combo

Friday & Saturday, February 14 & 15 7:30pm

Brother Yusef

Friday & Saturday, March 6 & 7 7:30pm

Sydney Rane

Friday & Saturday, April 3 & 4 7:30pm

TORRANCE PERFORMING ARTS CONSORTIUM

www.TorrancePerformingArts.Com

The Consortium is a coalition of Torrance based non-profit performing arts organizations formed to promote and encourage the appreciation, understanding, and patronage of the fine arts in the City of Torrance.

LOS CANCIONEROS MASTER CHORALE

Masterpieces for the Living

Sunday, March 8 7:00pm

SOUTH BAY BALLET

Bravo! The Classical and Contemporary Ballet Experience

Saturday, March 7 7:00pm

Sunday, March 8 2:00pm

TORRANCE PUBLIC LIBRARY

LIBRARY LOCATIONS

El Retiro

126 Vista del Parque
Redondo Beach 90277
(310) 375-0922

Henderson

4805 Emerald St.
Torrance 90503
(310) 371-2075

Katy Geissert Civic Center

3301 Torrance Blvd.
Torrance 90503
(310) 618-5959

North Torrance

3604 Artesia Blvd.
Torrance 90504
(310) 323-7200

Southeast

23115 S. Arlington Ave.
Torrance 90501
(310) 530-5044

Walteria

3815 W. 242nd St.
Torrance 90505
(310) 375-8418

All programs are free and generously sponsored by the Friends of the Torrance Library.

EVENTS FOR ADULTS

The Library offers free programs for adults including Meet the Author, lectures, films, crafts, and discussions. For a schedule of programs see the online Calendar of Events at www.TorranceCA.Gov/Events or call (310) 618-5959.

Open Opera Talks

Katy Geissert Library

Opera aficionados and novices alike are invited to join L.A. Opera's Community Educators for a lively, interactive discussion of their favorite operas.

Roberto Devereux Saturday, March 7, 2:00pm
Specialty Saturday, April 18, 2:00pm
Pelleas et Melisande Wednesday, May 6, 7:00pm

Literary Tea

Walteria Library

Monday, April 13 4:00pm

Sip tea and enjoy light refreshments while listening to short stories and poems. Adults are encouraged to read out loud to the group with material selected by the librarian or sit back and listen.

Morning Movies

Katy Geissert Library

Select Wednesdays 10:30am

Adults are invited to join us for screenings of film favorites. No registration required. For more movie information, call the Reference Department at (310) 781-7599.

Storytime for Grownups

Henderson Library

Third Tuesday of the month 11:30am-12:15pm

Join us for a special storytime just for adults! Relax with your bag lunch or coffee and enjoy classic and contemporary short stories read aloud.

Coloring and Conversation

Southeast Library

Third Wednesday of the month 12:00-2:00pm

Adults are invited to create, relax, and socialize with our drop-in coloring community.

Craft Delight

Henderson Library

Meets every Wednesday 12:00pm

Calling all crafters! Bring your current portable project and spend time with fellow crafters. Learn, share, and be inspired.

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

Mystery Book Group

North Torrance Library

1st Monday of the month 6:30pm

El Retiro Book Group

El Retiro Library

1st Tuesday of the month 10:00am

Science Fiction and Fantasy Book Group

Katy Geissert Civic Center Library

1st Wednesday of the month 7:00pm

Armchair Traveler Book Group

Walteria Library

2nd Wednesday of the month 11:00am

Mayhem in the AM Mystery Book Group

Henderson Library

2nd Thursday of the month 10:00am

Biography and Memoirs Book Group

Katy Geissert Civic Center Library

2nd Thursday of the month 10:30am

Novels at Night Book Group

Southeast Library

4th Thursday of the month 6:30pm

Book Group in a Box

Each box contains everything needed to lead your own group: 10 copies of the book, discussion questions, and background information. Boxes may be checked out for six weeks. For more information call (310) 618-5954 or access the Library's catalog at www.TorranceCA.Gov/Library.

Book Sale – Friends of the Torrance Library

Katy Geissert Civic Center Library

Friday April 24	Members presale	2:00-6:00pm
Saturday April 25	Public sale	9:00am-4:00pm
Sunday April 26	Bag sale	1:00-4:00pm

The Friends offer a great selection of books on a vast array of topics – all at bargain prices. Join the Friends for only \$5

Be Counted! Come to a Torrance Public Library Census Celebration

An accurate and complete 2020 Census count is vital to Los Angeles County. Census data is used to determine funding for programs and projects ranging from early childhood education to senior nutrition.

The Library has computers you can use for free to fill out the Census any time during open hours, and we will have staff assist you on the following dates:

Saturday, March 14, 1:00-5:00pm	<i>Katy Geissert</i>
Saturday, March 21, 10:00am-4:00pm	<i>North Torrance</i>
Wednesday, March 25, 5:00-8:30pm	<i>Katy Geissert</i>
Saturday, March 28, 10:00am-4:00pm	<i>Walteria</i>
Wednesday, April 1, 5:00-8:30pm	<i>Katy Geissert</i>
Saturday, April 4, 10:00am-4:00pm	<i>Henderson</i>
Monday, April 6, 1:00-7:00pm	<i>El Retiro</i>
Saturday, April 11, 10:00am-4:00pm	<i>Southeast</i>

EVENTS FOR YOUTH

The Library offers a wide variety of free programs for youth at all locations. For more information, call (310) 618-5964, or visit the online Calendar of Events at www.TorranceCA.Gov/Events.

Storytimes

The Spring Storytime session begins the week of March 30 and ends the week of May 18. No registration is required.

Babytime at the Library

Mondays at 10:30am & 1:30pm..... Katy Geissert Library
 Wednesday at 11:30am..... Southeast Library
 For infants 6 to 18 months and their caregivers, this program is designed to build pre-literacy skills. (45 minutes)

Toddler time

Tuesdays at 10:30am..... North Torrance Library
 Tuesdays at 10:30am..... Henderson Library
 Wednesdays at 11:00am..... El Retiro Library
 Fridays at 10:15 and 11:00am..... Katy Geissert Library
 Designed for children ages 18 months to 3 years and their caregivers. (25 minutes)

Family Storytime

Tuesdays at 11:00am..... Walteria Library
 Tuesdays at 11:00am..... Southeast Library
 Open to the entire family – just drop in! (30 minutes)

Pajama-rama – Evening Storytimes

Wednesdays at 6:30pm..... Henderson Library
 Wednesdays at 6:30pm..... North Torrance Library
 Designed for children ages 2 and up and their caregivers. Children are encouraged to wear their pajamas. (30 minutes)

Brush with Words - Evening Story and Craft

Walteria Library
 First and Third Mondays of each month 6:30pm
 Southeast Library
 Second and Fourth Mondays of each month 6:30pm
 Children and their grown-ups are invited to join us for stories and various fun-filled projects involving S.T.E.A.M., imagination, and creativity!

Serendipity Saturdays

Katy Geissert Library
 Select Saturdays 10:30am
 Bring the little ones (ages 1-5) for a morning of fun! Each program is designed to engage and entertain while building important developmental skills. (45 minutes)

Youth After-School Programs

Programs are designed for school-aged children (ages 5-11) and last between 45 and 60 minutes. For more information, call 310-618-5964.

North Torrance Library Select Tuesdays.....	4:00pm
El Retiro Library Select Wednesdays.....	4:00pm
Henderson Library Select Thursdays.....	3:30pm
Walteria Library Select Thursdays.....	4:00pm
Katy Geissert Library Select Fridays.....	4:00pm
Southeast Library Select Wednesdays.....	2:45pm

Computer Coding Clubs

All Kids can Code

Walteria Library
 Third Thursday of each month..... 4:00pm
 Students ages 9 and up are invited to a beginner level computer class. No Registration is required. Space is limited to the first 12 participants.

Coding Club

Katy Geissert Library
 Third Wednesday of each month..... 3:30pm
 Students ages 9 and up are invited to learn simple coding in a fun social environment. Space is limited.

Tween and Teen Programs

Check it out @ the Southeast Library

Southeast Library
 Select Thursdays..... 3:00pm
 Tweens and teens - check out fun and interactive programs.

Teen Zone

Katy Geissert Library
 Select Thursdays..... 3:30pm
 Interactive programs designed specifically for teens.

Madrona Marsh

MADRONA MARSH PRESERVE AND NATURE CENTER

"An Island of Wilderness in the City"

A visit to the Madrona Marsh Preserve is truly a unique experience. It is thought to be the last remaining vernal marsh in Los Angeles County. The Madrona Marsh Nature Center is an educational and interpretive center for the Preserve's natural resources. It includes an Exhibit Hall, Classroom, Gift Shop, and a beautiful native plant garden.

Open Tuesday – Sunday 10:00am – 5:00pm

3201 Plaza Del Amo, Torrance CA 90503
(310) 782-3989

www.FriendsofMadronaMarsh.Com

www.TorranceCA.Gov/MadronaMarsh

Find us on Facebook!



ART AT THE MARSH

View the works of local artists portraying the beauty of the Madrona Marsh! The public is invited to attend the artist's reception where the artists talk about their work or give a related demonstration.

Artwork is on display daily in the Nature Center.

"Nature's Wings" – Stephan West

March 10 – April 17

Artist's Reception: March 14, 1:00-3:00pm

"My Favorite Marshin' II" – Dave Wolfram

April 21 – May 29

Artist's Reception: April 25, 1:00-3:00pm

ASTRONOMY

Star Party **Free**

The entire family is invited to explore the night sky with Paul Livio and the Riverside Astronomical Society. Telescopes will be available for viewing (weather permitting).

Saturday, March 28 7:30-9:30pm

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

Tyke Hike (3 months-6 years) \$5 donation

1st Thursday of every month 10:00-11:30am

Friday Fun (3-6 years) Donations accepted

Fridays 10:00am-12:00pm

Pre-registration is required; opens Tuesday of same week.

Nature Stories & Crafts (2-5 years) Donations accepted

2nd Thursday of every month 10:30-11:30am

Pre-registration is required.

ONGOING ACTIVITIES FAMILIES AND ADULTS

Tour de Torrance **Free**

Every Tuesday 8:30am
Birding "hot spots" of the South Bay.

The Birds of Madrona, a Walk with Bob Shanman **Free**

2nd Wednesday of every month 8:00-10:00am

Audubon Bird Walk **Free**

4th Saturday of every month 8:30-10:30am
A walk on the Preserve looking for resident and visiting birds.

Nature Walk **Free**

2nd weekend of every month 10:00am-12:00pm
Docent led walk around the Preserve.

Exploring Henrietta Basin **Free**

3rd Saturday of every month 9:00-11:00am
Meet at the Basin's north gate on Henrietta Street, across from West High School.

Help Enhance the Beauty of the Marsh!

Propagation Society **Free**

Every Thursday* 10:30am-12:30pm
Working on the Preserve and planting seeds for the future.

Habitat Restoration **Free**

Every Saturday* 8:45am-12:00pm
Community service learning – participants 14 years and younger must be accompanied by an adult.

***Weather permitting - call the Nature Center to confirm.**

SPECIAL EVENTS

Senior Stroll **Free**

Wednesday, February 5 10:00-11:00am
A casual stroll on the Preserve.

Night Hike on the Preserve **\$5 person/\$10 family**

Saturday, March 7 6:30-8:30pm
Pre-registration is required.

International Bird Rescue **Free**

Saturday, March 21 10:00-11:30am
Meet IBR staff & volunteers who take action to save wildlife. Learn what you can do if you find an injured bird.

Spring Egg-stravaganza! **\$5/person or \$10/family**

Saturday, April 4 10:00am-1:00pm
Join us for a Spring celebration of animals that hatch from eggs!
Includes a guided scavenger hunt, arts & crafts activities, and meet & greet with our animal ambassadors!

Earth Day Habitat Restoration **Free**

Saturday, April 18 8:45am-12:00pm
Celebrate Earth Day's 50th anniversary by helping to restore the Preserve! Pre-registration is recommended.

Turtle & Tortoise Day **Free**

Saturday, April 25 10:00am-1:00pm
Adoption event with the California Turtle & Tortoise Society. Adoption fee may apply.

City of Torrance Facilities & Parks

POLICE

- Torrance Police Department**
3300 Civic Center Dr
- Torrance Animal Control**
2200 Jefferson St.

FIRE STATIONS

- Torrance Fire Station #1**
1701 Crenshaw Blvd
- Torrance Fire Station #2**
25135 Robinson Way
- Torrance Fire Station #3**
3535 W 182nd St.
- Torrance Fire Station #4**
5205 Calle Mayor
- Torrance Fire Station #5**
3940 Del Amo Blvd
- Torrance Fire Station #6**
21401 Del Amo Circle

CITY FACILITIES

- Torrance Civic Center**
City Hall, Cultural Arts Center,
George Nakano Theatre,
Ken Miller Recreation Center,
Torrance Art Museum (TAM),
Victor E Benstead Plunge
- Bartlett Senior Center**
1318 Cravens Ave 1
- Las Canchas Tennis Center**
25924 Rolling Hills Rd 2
- Madrona Marsh Nature Center & Preserve**
3201 Plaza del Amo 3
- Sea Aire Golf Course**
22730 Lupine Dr 4
- The ATTIC Teen Center**
2320 W Carson St. 5
- Toyota Sports Complex**
555 Maple Ave 6

LIBRARIES

- El Retiro Library**
126 Vista del Parque 7
- Henderson Library**
4805 Emerald St 8
- Katy Geissert Civic Center Library**
Main Library
3301 Torrance Blvd. 9
- North Torrance Library**
3604 Artesia Blvd 10
- Southeast Library**
23115 Arlington 11
- Walteria Library**
3815 W 242nd St 12

PARKS

- Alta Loma Park**
26126 Delos Drive 13
- Charles H. Wilson Park**
Batting Cages, Roller Rink,
Dee Hardison Sports Center
2200 Crenshaw Blvd 14
- Columbia Park**
4045 190th St 15
- De Portola Park**
25615 Lazy Meadow Dr 16
- Delthorne Park**
3401 Spencer St 17
- Descanso Park**
2500 Descanso Way 18
- Discovery Park**
22526 Ocean Ave 19

- Hospitals
- Parks and City Facilities
- Voting Districts



Map not to scale.

- El Nido Park**
18301 Kingsdale Ave 20
- El Prado Park**
El Prado Ave from Carson to Cravens 21
- El Retiro Park**
126 Vista del Parque 22
- Entradero Park**
5500 Towers St 23
- Greenwood Park**
1520 Greenwood Ave 24
- Guenser Park**
17800 Gramercy Place 25
- Hickory Park**
2850 W 232nd St 26
- La Carretera Park**
2040 186th St 27
- La Paloma Park**
Lomita Blvd., East of Anza 28
- La Romeria Park**
19501 Inglewood Ave 29
- Lago Seco Park**
3920 W 235th St 30
- Los Arboles (Rocketship) Park**
5101 Calle de Ricardo 31
- McMaster Park**
Tillim Senior Center
3624 Artesia Blvd 32
- Miramar Park**
201 Paseo de la Playa 33
- Osage Park**
17008 Osage Ave 34

- Paradise Park**
5006 Lee St 35
- Pequeno Park**
4223 180th St 36
- Pueblo Park**
2252 Del Amo Blvd 37
- Riviera Park**
Catalina at P.V. Drive 38
- Seaside Heroes Park**
22851 Anza Ave 39
- Sunnynglen Park**
5525 Del Amo Blvd 40
- Sur La Brea Park**
23610 Cabrillo Ave 41
- Torrance Park**
2001 Santa Fe Ave 42
- Victor Park**
4727 Emerald St 43
- Walteria Park**
3855 W 242nd St 44

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How will you vote on March 3rd?



Make an informed decision about how to vote based on your observations and values.

New to the 2020 Election, all Torrance residents will have the opportunity to vote, but only registered voters who reside in Districts 2, 4, and 6 will be voting for Councilmembers. Visit our election website for information about the election, the candidates and their campaign finance disclosures and donations, an interactive district map, and the 4 Measures placed on the ballot by City Council.

- **Measure J**, if approved by the Torrance voters, would amend the City Charter to transition from an elected City Treasurer to an appointed City Treasurer.
- **Measure Q**, if approved by the Torrance voters, would amend the City Charter to transition from an elected City Clerk to an appointed City Clerk.
- **Measure U**, if approved by the Torrance voters, would amend the City Charter to allow the City Council 60 days to fill a vacancy in elective office.
- **Measure X**, if approved by the Torrance Voters, would raise revenue for General City purposes by authorizing a $\frac{3}{4}$ cent transactions and use tax ("sales tax") within Torrance. The tax, however, would only be collected if a District such as the County of Los Angeles or other governmental entity ("District") places a sales tax measure on a ballot and would only continue to be collected if the District sales tax measure was legally approved by a majority of County voters.

Learn more about these measures and how they will affect you by visiting [TorranceVotes.Org](https://www.torrancevotes.org).

Register to vote by picking up your Voter Registration Card at the Torrance City Clerk's Office or at any Torrance Public Library, or visit the Los Angeles County Registrar-Recorder's website to register online at www.LAVote.Net. Please note that the last day to register to vote is February 17, 2020.