

Surfside



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The April Board Meeting will be held at the

NORTH Clubhouse

Tuesday, April 21st, 6pm

Community Updates

Parking Passes:

- ⇒ IMPORTANT: Effective April 1st, the old green parking hangtags will no longer be valid. The new red hangtags should be displayed properly to avoid being towed in permitted parking spaces in the community. If you still have not traded in your old parking passes for the new ones, contact Carissa.Andrus@fsresidential.com asap to make an appointment to pick up the new ones.



Landscaping News by Richard Lopez:

- ⇒ In April, BEMUS will be aerating the turf.
- ⇒ Fertilizing of the turf will happen after Easter (all common areas North of Eastport)
- ⇒ New landscape plantings will be installed along the flood control channel on Chesterbrook and along the perimeter block wall East of the South Pool.



Pool News:

- ⇒ The North Pool is now heated, and the South Pool heater will be turned on Memorial Day weekend. NOTE: we now have Wi-Fi available at both pools.



Slurry Update:

- ⇒ United Paving will come out on April 14th-16th to fix any slurry patches that did not take during the slurry project. FS Residential will send out information with a site map and formal notice- check your emails!

Surfside Community Garage Sale

- ⇒ Saturday, April 11th, 7am-1pm
- ⇒ April Armendariz (Surfside resident and Realtor for Coldwell Banker Realty) will be providing signage, price stickers, and donuts! Please call or text April at 714-330-2655 to reserve signs and price stickers! aprilarmendariz@cbrealty.com
- ⇒ Time to refresh your homes and share items you no longer need! Gather any furniture, clothing, or household items you're ready to pass on and take part in this feel-good community event.

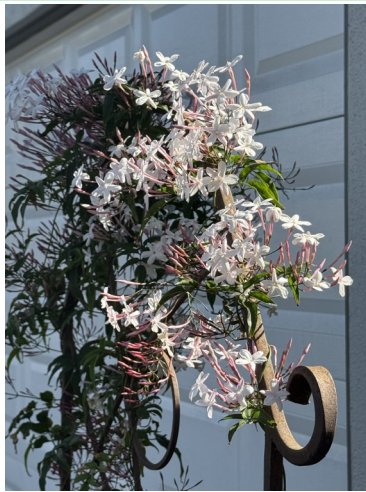


Plant of the Month—April

by Beth Shafer

The **Jasmine** is in the Olive family. Although it prefers full sun, this Surfside jasmine is growing behind a garage that faces north and is thriving. It is an avid climber on a trellis and has a beautiful fragrance. It is pet friendly, a prolific bloomer and is heat tolerant making it a perfect specimen for any garden. It is rated Easy to grow, High in toughness and Low in maintenance. Its lovely blooms and bright color make it a favorite for many gardens.

Let's beautify Surfside!



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EMERGENCY NUMBERS

Allied Security
Dispatch
(Security and parking control)
949.814.8986

Animal Control
714.935.6848
714.259.1122 (after hours)

Graffiti Hotline
714.960.8861

Orange County Vector Control
714.971.2421

Parking Enforcement
(Illegally parked vehicles)
714.960.8825

Police (to report a crime)
714.960.8811

Porch/Garage Light Out
800.428.5588

Republic Disposal
714.847.3581

Southern CA Edison
800.655.4555

Southern CA Gas Co.
800.427.2200

Street Sweeping/Public Works
714.960.8861

Water Services
714.536.5921

Surfside Tech Corner:

- ⇒ Visit www.SurfsideHB.com to fill out vacation request forms online; find architectural forms, clickable links in the newsletter and more!
- ⇒ Please note new email addresses for:
 - Richard Lopez: Richard@surfsidehb.com
 - Gina Stubbert: Gina@surfsidehb.com
- ⇒ Have general questions? Email info@surfsidehb.com.
- ⇒ Check out our new logo! (top of page one). Thank you Royce for the new Surfside logo and user-friendly website: <https://www.surfsidehb.com>



NOW HIRING:

Surfside is looking to hire 2-3 local kids/teens in our community to distribute the newsletter once a month. This is a paid job with the purpose of providing early job experience for kids in our community. Please submit a letter or resume to carissa.andrus@fsresidential.com. Interviews will be held mid April.



Parking Reminder

Surfside Parking Passes are required 24 hours/7days a week in marked areas. Cars parked without a pass will be towed. The same goes for parking in **red fire lanes** behind garages.



Mark Your Calendars:

- The next **Board of Directors Meeting** is scheduled for **Tuesday, April 21st, 2026 at 6:00 p.m.** at the **NORTH Clubhouse**. For Zoom link to participate online, email carissa.andrus@fsresidential.com. Meeting ID 713 415 3374. You will be entered into the waiting room.
- **Street Sweeping: Tuesdays April 14th and 28th, 12pm-4:00pm**
- **Vacation Dropbox** is located at the **NORTH CLUBHOUSE** inside the security gate in a locked metal box.



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Things you can do for Earth Day

“Our Power, Our Planet” is Earth Day 2026’s theme. Wednesday, April 22, 2026

Join community cleanups, tree plantings, make sustainable choices daily.

Take an Earth Day Quiz here:

[Earth Day Quiz | Official Earth Day Website | earthday.org](https://www.earthday.org/earth-day-quizzes/)

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Beach Cleanup– Pasea Hotel, 21080 Pacific Coast Hwy, Huntington Beach, CA 92648

Wednesday, April 22 at 10am-11:30am (meet in the hotel lobby at 10am)

<https://stayhappening.com/e/earth-day-beach-cleanup-E2ISYDC30MF>

Run For The Planet 5K, 10K, and Half Marathon

Saturday, April 18th, 2026

Bolsa Chica– 17851 Pacific Coast Hwy, Huntington Beach, CA

This run supports the Surfrider Foundation to help keep our oceans clean

<https://runsignup.com/Race/CA/HuntingtonBeach/RunForThePlanetEarthDayCelebration5K10KAndHalfMarathon>

[Run for the Planet -An Earth Day Run by CaliFlow Runs - 5K, 10K, Half Marathon](#)

Go Green 5k (8am), Coastal Green 10k (8am), Earth Day Endurance Half Marathon (7am), Eco 1 Miler (9am), Planet Protector Kids Dash (9:30am). Pet and Stroller friendly. Bring a re-usable water bottle.

Huntington Beach Tree Society Spring 2026 3K Poppy Stroll!

April 4, 2026 from 9:00am-12noon. (Rain date is April 11, 2026). Free Registration and Parking at Goldenwest & Ellis. Join us on the corner of Goldenwest and Ellis for Breakfast, Music , and Poppy strolling! This is a free event sponsored by FREE REIN Foundation. Donate to HB Trees, learn about forestation, beautification and restoration in Huntington Beach. Volunteers are always welcome throughout the year. “50 Trees For 50 Years” campaign: New trees for Huntington Central Park celebrates the 50th anniversary and is replenishing some of the more than 500 trees lost from the original landscaping plan. To date, 60 new trees have been planted. See more here: <https://hbtrees.org> and <https://hbtrees.org/featured/>.



It's BEE Season!

Please cover the opening of gas meters to prevent bees from setting up a home in the vault. The meter is the homeowner's responsibility and the covers really help. You can DIY your own cover (like the one in the photo).

If you find a hive of bees on your property, call a bee keeper to have them removed.

Bee Removal and Relocation Services:

- **Family Bees Removal:** (818) 359-6800 <https://familybeesremoval.com>. Removes and relocates bees without harm.
- **AA Beekeeper OC:** (949) 287-4300 <https://ocbeekeeper.com>. Safe eco-friendly bee removal and hive relocation .
- **Bee Safe Orange County Bee Removal:** (714) 551-9150, www.beesafebeeremoval.com/orange-county-bee-removal. Safely removes bees and relocates them; eco-friendly and affordable.
- **SoCal Bee Savers** (714) 316-6479 <https://socalbeesavers.com>. Local FV native who started this business removing and relocating bees to a local orchard. Email: socalbeesavers@gmail.com



Huntington Beach and Local Easter Events

Huntington Beach Easter Hunt & Family Fun Day: Saturday April 4, 2026, 8:30am-3:00pm. Huntington Beach Central Park Sports Complex, 18100 Goldenwest Street, Huntington Beach. Hosted by the Kiwanis Club, families can visit the Sports Complex to enjoy an egg hunt for ages 2-10, view vendor booths, and pick up goodies along the way. Featuring Fire and Police Displays, Live Music, and Food Vendors.

Children with disabilities: 9am

3 years and younger: 9:20am, 10:20am, 12:00pm & 1:00pm

4-6 years: 9:40am, 10:40am, 12:20am & 1:20pm

7-10 years: 10:00am, 11:40am, 12:40am & 1:40pm

Visually-impaired Egg Hunt: 11:00am & 11:20am

Call Shawn Wood for event info: 818-679-0034

<https://www.kiwanishb.org/easter-family-fun-day>

Fountain Valley Recreation Center & Sports Park Easter Egg Hunt: Saturday April 4, 2026 from 8am-11:30am. 16400 Brookhurst Street, Fountain Valley.

Springtime At South Coast Plaza: visit the Easter Bunny's Garden in Carousel Court for photos and crafts, or in the Gazebo at Macy's Home Store Wing.

Find other events here:

[Easter Events In Orange County | Enjoy OC ; https://enjoyorangecounty.com](https://enjoyorangecounty.com)

