

In early February, the San Francisco Unified Lions Club, along with the San Francisco Filipino American Chamber of Commerce and Community Youth Center, hosted a one-day luncheon for our Filipino WWII veterans and their families. Bringing in a team of volunteers from around the Bay Area, they provided a hearty lunch, hosted dancing, games, and took professional portraits of all the attendees. We extend our thanks to these organizations for their generosity and commitment to serving the community.



MARCH REMINDERS

CMC COMMUNITY CHOIR

No Rehearsal on Monday, March 19

LEGAL CLINIC

Fridays, March 2, 16 (2-4 PM)

Free legal immigration consultation. Priority is given to Filipino veterans, their families, and low-income VEC consumers. Now also available every second and fourth Wednesday of the month.

EASTER LUNCHEON

Tuesday, March 27 (11 AM-1 PM)

Join us for dancing, games, prizes and lunch at Gene Friend Recreation Center!

SENIOR HOUSING

Wednesday, March 14 (10-12 PM)

Join us at GFRC every third Wednesday of the month for free workshops on preparation for applications, tenants rights, etc., and upcoming housing opportunities.

BIRTHDAY BINGO BASH

Friday, March 23 (2-4 PM)

Join us for FREE merienda and bingo to celebrate our March birthdays. Party with us even if it isn't your birth month!



Filipino World War II Veterans Roster

The Veterans Equity Center is working in collaboration with the Filipino Veterans Recognition and Education Project (FilVetRep) to ensure that the Filipino veterans in California are recognized for their service under the Congressional Gold Medal.

If you or your family member is a Filipino veteran of World War II, and is interested in receiving the Congressional Gold Medal, please refer to our website for eligibility, or call our office.

<http://www.vetsequitycenter.org/cgm/>

Phone: (415) 255-2347



Join our Community Choir

In partnership with the San Francisco Community Music Center, the CMC Community Choir at VEC rehearses **every Monday**, from 1:30-3:00 pm. Led by Choir Director, Leon Palad.

KARAOKE HOUR

Every second and fourth Wednesday of the month from 2:00-4:00pm.

March 14
March 28



EQUIFAX DATA BREACH



What does it mean?

Leaked sensitive information:

- Social Security Number
- Birthdates
- Addresses
- Credit Card Numbers

How do I check if my information was stolen?

Use free online resources to check your credit:

- Annual Credit Report: Initial Fraud Alert
- Extended Fraud Alert

We have computers and we can help you run a credit check. Make an appointment with our Community Service Workers.



The Bill Sorro Housing Program (BiSHoP) is a community based program of the Veterans Equity Center (VEC), committed to addressing housing related issues for low to moderate income families, individuals and families.

HOUSING DROP IN CLINIC*

Every Tuesday
 10:00 am-12:00 pm and
 1:30 pm-4:00 pm

*Assistance is available on a first come, first served basis. Bring your income information to determine what kind of housing you qualify for.

AFFORDABLE HOUSING OPPORTUNITIES

1036 MISSION

1036 Mission Street, San Francisco, CA 94103

83 Total Units

- 38 one-bedroom
- 38 two-bedroom
- 7 three-bedroom

40 units will be dedicated to homeless families and individuals.

Direct referrals only through Coordinated Entry*

Application period: March 1- March 22

Information Sessions:

Thursday, 3/8 @Bayanihan Community Center, 5:30-7:30pm
 Wednesday, 3/14 @ Gene Friend Rec Center, 11:00am

Referrals for homeless families open March 14, 2018.

To access Coordinated Entry, please contact
 Bayview Access Point: 1641 LaSalle Ave. (415) 430-6320
 Central City Access Point: 995 Market St. (415) 644-0504

*Employment opportunities will also be available at this site.

For more information or assistance, please contact Veterans Equity Center at (415) 255-2347

TECH LAB



- Use our laptops and computers
- Set up email
- Apply for housing online

WHEN: Mondays
March 5, 12, 19, 26
 11:00 am- 12:00 pm

We're hiring!

We are looking for dedicated and passionate individuals to join our team.

- 1 Full Time Housing Case Worker
- 1 Full Time Outreach Coordinator
- 1 Full Time Senior Housing Community Service Worker

For more information and to see job descriptions, please visit our website:
<http://www.vetsequitycenter.org/category/employment/>

Gene Friend Recreation Center

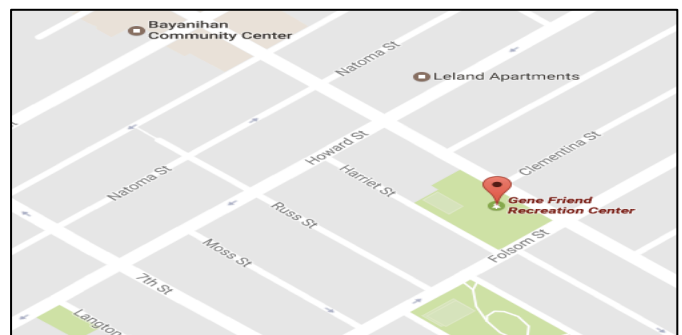
Senior Housing Workshop: 1036 MISSION Info & Application

Wednesday, 3/14
11:00am-1:00pm

Easter Luncheon



Tuesday, 3/27
11:00am-1:00pm





March 2018



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Food Distribution 1:00-3:00 pm (BH)	2 Exercise Class 10:00-11:00 am (BH) Legal Clinic 2-4:00 pm (BH)	3
4	5 Community Choir 1:30-3:00 pm (BH) Tech Lab 2:00-4:00 pm (AR)	6 Housing Clinic 10-12pm & 1:30-4pm (AR) Exercise Class 10:00-11:00 am (GFRC)	7 Drop-In Housing Clinic 9:30-2:00pm (GFRC) Arts & Crafts 2:00-4:00 pm (BH)	8 Food Distribution 1:00-3:00 pm (BH) Housing Workshop: 1036 Mission 5:30-7:30pm (BH)	9 Exercise Class 10:00-11:00 am (BH)	10
11	12 Community Choir 1:30-3:00 pm (BH) Tech Class 11:00-12:00 pm (AR)	13 Housing Clinic 10-12pm & 1:30-4pm (AR) F WWII Veterans Portraits 10:00-12:00 pm (GFRC)	14 Senior Housing Workshop: 1036 Mission 11:00-1:00pm (GFRC) Karaoke Hour 2:00-4:00 pm (BH)	15 Food Distribution 1:00-3:00 pm (BH)	16 Exercise Class 10:00-11:00 am (BH) Legal Clinic 2-4:00 pm (BH)	17 Naturalization Workshop (Location TBD)
18	19 Community Choir No Rehearsal Tech Lab 2:00-4:00 pm (AR)	20 Housing Clinic 10-12pm & 1:30-4pm (AR) Drop In Housing Clinic 9:30am-2:00pm (GFRC)	21 Drop In Housing Clinic 9:30am-2:00pm (GFRC) Arts & Crafts 2:00-4:00 pm (BH)	22 Food Distribution 1:00-3:00 pm (BH)	23 Exercise Class 10:00-11:00 am (BH) Birthday Bingo Bash 2:00 pm-4:00 pm (BH)	24
25	26 Community Choir 1:30-3:00 pm (BH) Tech Class 11:00-12:00 pm (AR)	27 Housing Clinic 10-12pm & 1:30-4pm (AR) Easter Luncheon 10:00-11:00 am (GFRC)	28 Drop-In Housing Clinic 9:30-2:00pm (GFRC) Karaoke Hour 2:00-4:00 pm (BH)	29 Food Distribution 1:00-3:00 pm (BH)	30 (Good Friday) Exercise Class 10:00-11:00 am (BH)	31

KEY

(AR) – Anihan Room
 (BH) – Barangay Hall
 (CR) – Computer Room
 (GFRC) – Gene Friend Rec. Center

Office Hours

Monday-Friday
 9:00 AM- 12:00 Noon
 12:00 Noon-1 PM CLOSED

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