

# Town of Hillsborough

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[Get Ready Disaster Preparedness Training](#)

**Monday, March 20, 2017, 6:30pm - 9:30pm**

**Burlingame Corp Yard, 1361 North Carolan Ave., Burlingame**



This basic disaster preparedness class will teach you how to prepare yourself, your family, home and workplace for a major disaster. The information provided will allow you to help yourself, rather than needing help, following a disaster.

Course instructors are experienced staff of the Central County Fire Department which serves the Cities of Burlingame, Millbrae and Town of Hillsborough.

Pre-registration required. To register for this class, please go to

[Get Ready Class Registration](#)

This class is offered free to all Burlingame, Hillsborough and Millbrae residents.



[Reception for Hillsborough Schools' Citizen of the Year/Community Care Award Recipients](#)

**Thursday, March 30th, 5:30pm**

**Hillsborough Town Hall, 1600 Floribunda Avenue**

Join us on Thursday, March 30th from 5:30 - 7:00pm to celebrate Hillsborough Schools' Citizen of the Year [Sherry Haber](#) and Community Care Award recipient [Carol Gutierrez](#) at a reception and presentation in their honor at [Hillsborough Town Hall](#). Please RSVP to Associated Parents' Group Secretary [Cindy Chase](#).

Hope to see you there!



### CERT Training Spring Session 2017

**Mondays, April 10th through May 15th, 6:30 pm-9:30 pm, and**

**Saturday, May 20th, 9:00 am-5:00 pm**

**Burlingame Corp Yard, 1361 North Carolan Ave., Burlingame**



CERT training provides private citizens with the basic skills needed to respond to their community's immediate needs in the aftermath of a disaster when emergency services are not immediately available. This training is offered free to all Burlingame, Hillsborough and Millbrae residents.

Pre-registration is required. To register for this training, please go to

[CERT Training Registration](#)



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### Hillsborough Community Music Festival 2017 Auditions

**Monday, May 29, 2017**



The 8th annual Hillsborough Memorial Day Parade and Festival is approaching fast on Monday, May 29th. The music festival featuring wonderful musicians from the community starts immediately after the parade.

If you or someone you know is interested in performing in the music festival, please send an audition video to:

Corinne Marcus - [corinnemarcus@gmail.com](mailto:corinnemarcus@gmail.com), or

Kim Gelman - [kimgelman@comcast.net](mailto:kimgelman@comcast.net)

We welcome all styles of music and encourage multi-generational performers to participate!

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**=== INFORMATION ===**

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At age 65, older adults are twice as likely to be killed or injured by fires compared to the population at large. Fires and burns are not the only hazards that threaten our older citizens. Statistics from the Center of Disease Control (CDC) show that falls are the leading cause of death from unintentional injury in the home. Some of those falls are fatal, while others permanently disable victims, often causing loss of mobility or independence.

*Remembering When* is a program designed to prevent injuries among older adults and help them live safely at home. Featured below are 16 key messages that the program teaches.

***How to Prevent Fires- [click here](#) to continue.***

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### **Girl Scout Cookie Donation**

Cookies not in your diet, but Girl Scout support is?

Then, donate to our troops. GS Cookies are THE MOST favorite item of Americana requested by deployed soldiers.

Just drop that unopened box off at the Hillsborough Police Dept.  
Our military troops will love you for it.



## SMC Alert System

SMC Alert is the Town's primary notification system to reach residents and volunteer responders during a disaster, emergency or other significant event affecting the Town. If you do not currently receive SMC Alerts on your mobile device or by email, the Town is advising each household adult to create an account.



**SMCAAlert.info**  
San Mateo County's Alert System

Please register today at: [www.smcalert.info](http://www.smcalert.info)

## HILLSBOROUGH RECREATION PROGRAM

For details on classes offered, check [www.hillsboroughrecreation.com](http://www.hillsboroughrecreation.com) or call 650-342-5439.



## Peninsula Clean Energy (PCE) - Phase 2



*Check Your Mail for Information*

Starting next week, 220,000 residences and businesses throughout San Mateo County will receive four notices in the mail to inform them that the Peninsula Clean Energy (PCE) program will become available to them. In April all county residents and businesses will be offered either **ECOplus** which includes an estimated 5% savings on the electrical generation portion of their bill and greener electricity, or **ECO100** to receive 100% renewable energy with a slight increase in rates through the PCE program.

Peninsula Clean Energy purchases greener electricity for its customers, while PG&E continues to handle electricity delivery, maintenance of wires, customer billing, and natural gas services. Call PG&E's customer service line if you experience an outage. PCE customers receive a [consolidated bill from PG&E](#), which will reflect 5% savings if they are enrolled in ECOplus. Customers can learn more and make their choices on PCE's website [www.peninsulacleanenergy.com](http://www.peninsulacleanenergy.com) or by calling PCE's customer service phone number at 1-866-966-0110.