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## **FAIRVIEW PARK**

### **MASTER PLAN:**

*A guide for tomorrow*

### *Park Update....*

Well fall is here and as we will miss the warm days of summer, so too will we miss Fairview Park Plan Administrator, Ron Molendyk. Ron Molendyk has recently resigned from the City of Costa Mesa and taken on a position with the City of Fullerton. His contributions to the City and the advancement of the Fairview Park Master Plan are much appreciated by the community and his fellow staff.

In the absence of Ron, the City's Public Service Department is continuing to move forward in carrying out Fairview Park's Master Plan. A number of projects at Fairview Park are in the works including: Park Signage (ongoing), Placentia Bridge (winter 2005), Multi-Purpose Trail (winter 2005), and the Restoration of the Placentia Drain (unidentified).

Park enthusiasts are excited about the new interpretive signage program that has recently been installed along the park's bluff trail. Visitors to the park can now enjoy reading information regarding the park's natural and cultural history, and future plans. Three benches have also been placed in the park so that park users can take a moment to rest and enjoy the beautiful sights, sounds, and smells of Costa Mesa's Natural Jewel. Please be mindful that Fairview Park is made up of fragile habitat, and you can contribute to its protection by staying on trails, throwing trash away, keeping dogs on their leash, and reporting prohibited activities.

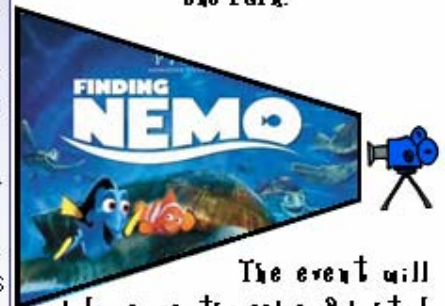
For any additional information pertaining to Fairview Park, please call the Fairview Park Plan Administrator, at 714-754-5303.



Saturday, October 16th

6:00 pm.

Bring your folding chairs, jackets, blankets, pillows, and flashlights for a relaxing evening with family and friends at the Park.



The event will include games, the sales of lighted items, snacks, and beverages. Park in the main lot; additional parking will be available at Estancia High School.

For more information call our **Hotline.**







# PARK-O-RAMA PICS



*Congratulations to our 50/50 Opportunity Drawing winner, Bill Thomas, who won close to \$200! A*



*big thanks goes out to everyone who purchased*

*tickets to support the Park.*



## ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHT

Join us for our series of tours that display the variation of the seasons in the park. The City of Costa Mesa's Fairview Friends Committee will be hosting a free guided tour of Fairview Park on Saturday, November 20th, 2004. The Fairview Park Fall tour will take place at 9:30 a.m. at the south end of the main parking lot on the west side of Placentia Avenue and is expected to take 1 1/2 hours.

The tour will present an overview of what the Park has to offer the community, as well as provide public understanding regarding the future plans for the Park. The Fairview Friends Committee holds seasonal tours of the park to encourage the community to witness subtle changes in the park with regard to weather and other conditions.



### **And the award goes to...**

The Friends of Fairview Park received a Volunteer Merit Award for the California Park and Recreation Society District X 2004 Awards. This award was presented to our organization in recognition of our contributions to the community.



## Friends of Fairview Park Committee

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ACTIVITIES

Costa Mesa Historical Society (949) 631-5918  
Harbor Soaring Society (949) 642-6830  
Orange County Model Engineers (949) 631-3418  
ReLeaf Costa Mesa (714) 540-5811

CONTACTS



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UPCOMING EVENTS

October 11-18th Pizza Fund-Raiser @ Participating Pizza Hut  
October 16th-Lounge Chair Theater @ 6 p.m.  
November 20th-Fall Park Tour @ 9:30am

Every 3rd Weekend of the Month: Free train rides on the East-  
side of the park provided by the Orange County Model  
Engineers Club