

**MEMORANDUM**  
**City of Chino**  
**Community Services,**  
**Parks & Recreation Department**

**DATE: JUNE 23, 2025**

**TO: COMMUNITY SERVICES, PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION**

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**SUBJECT: PROGRAMS ACTIVITY REPORT – MAY 2025**

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**AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS**

**SOAR and High Five After School Programs**

- SOAR and RAAP After School sites concluded the school year on May 22, with fun team-building activities, which gave participants a chance to celebrate and connect before summer break.
- RAAP participants were invited to visit the Chino Teen Experience Teen Center at Monte Vista Park on May 22. They enjoyed an end-of-school-year barbecue and participated in fun activities with Teen Center participants.
- On May 13, After School Specialists met to wrap up the school year. Staff discussed the highlights of the school year and brainstormed activities to improve the program for the upcoming 2025-2026 year.
- SOAR and High Five participants and staff visited the Pomona Fairplex in their free time to view all the 2025 Agriculture Fair projects on display. Many sites and participants' projects received ribbons for the hard work and effort put into their projects. Below is the list of Agriculture Fair entry categories and winners:
  - **Wall Mural**
    - K-2nd Grade: Dickson SOAR - 1st Place (Grade Group)  
Theme: Water - A Fact of Life
    - 3<sup>rd</sup>-4th Grade: Dickson SOAR - 1st Place (Grade Group)  
Theme: Bread Making
    - 5<sup>th</sup>-6th Grade: Dickson SOAR - 1st Place (Grade Group)  
Theme: Cotton Journey
  - **Individual Container Garden (K-6th Grade)**
    - 1st Place: Marshall SOAR (29 Individual Winners)
    - 2nd Place: Marshall SOAR (1 Individual Winner)

- **Dry Bean & Seed Art (K-6th Grade)**
  - 1st Place: High Five Preserve (8 Individual Winners)
  - 2nd Place: High Five Preserve (6 Individual Winners)
  - 3rd Place: High Five Preserve (6 Individual Winners)
- **Flower Garden**
  - 2nd Place: Walnut SOAR (Group Entire Site)
  - 3rd Place: Anna Borba SOAR (Group Entire Site)
- **Vegetable Garden**
  - 3rd Place: Anna Borba SOAR (Group Entire Site)



## SEASONAL CAMP

- On May 15, Summer Camp staff met at the Carolyn Owens Community Center to review Camp procedures, field trip safety rules, and upcoming partnerships and activities. Summer Camp began May 27, at CrossPoint Church and Monte Vista Park.
- To kick-off the summer, all Camp participants enjoyed Thor's Reptile Family Show at Monte Vista Park on May 28. Participants from both sites had a great time discovering various reptiles and interacting closely with the animals.



## CHINO YOUTH MUSEUM

### Letter Learners and Tunes & Tales Programs

- Thirty children and family members participated in the interactive storytelling programs offered on Wednesdays and Thursdays.

- During Letter Learners, staff led children through a “get your wiggles out” activity and guided children in making alphabet Play-Doh letters, letter crafts, story time, and exploring the letters J-M. The program is suitable for toddlers and preschoolers.
- The Tunes & Tales program featured themed stories and live dancing with videos. Participants were given prizes for creative dance moves. The program is for all ages.

### **First Friday CYM Lab**

- Fifty-nine children and adults attended the First Friday CYM Lab on May 2, from 3:00-5:00 p.m. The free lab program featured a STEAM experiment raising the question, “Have you ever wondered how water can walk?” Participant families painted paper towels with the color of rainbows. Then dipped each end in cups of water to observe the experiment results.

### **25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Bingo Bash**

- On May 19, the Chino Youth Museum hosted its 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Bingo fundraiser at Brinderson Hall. The event sold 215 tickets. Participants played 10 Bingo games, enjoyed barbecue cheeseburgers, and won various opportunity drawings and raffle prizes. The Museum raised \$16,043 in revenue before expenses.
- The Chino Police Officers Association members donated the dinner supplies and volunteered their time to grill cheeseburgers served at the event.
- Recognized event sponsors included:
  - Kiwanis Club of Chino
  - Shell Roofing Solutions
  - Canyon Ridge Hospital
  - O.F. Wolfinbarger, Inc.
  - Office of Jamie Harwood, Edward Jones
  - Cannataro’s Inc.
  - Chino Senior Bingo Club
  - Gloria Smith
  - Assemblymember Michelle Rodriguez
  - Jack and Charlie Lewis
  - Lewis Window Washing
  - Chino Fair Association
  - Chino Police Officers Association
  - Chino Youth Museum Board of Directors

### **Memberships**

- Five family membership packages were sold.

### **Tours**

- Two private tours were booked:
  - On May 6, the Jackson Elementary School tour participants consisted of 12 adults and 43 children.
  - On May 13, the Litel Elementary School tour participants consisted of 15 adults and 24 children.
  - Staff led participants through a narrative historical tour of the Museum, made butter and learned about farming in Chino, and guided exploration play of the exhibits.

### 5-Star Google Business Review

- On May 11, customer Luz Perez posted a five-star review on Google Business. She said, “The kids love it.”

### Museum Board Meeting

- The Chino Youth Museum Board of Directors held its monthly meeting on May 27, from 6:00-7:30 p.m., at the Museum. Board Members talked about future fundraising events.

## COUNSELING PROGRAMS

### Family Counseling

- Human Services provided counseling services to 83 participants for a total of 294 units of service. Counseling services are provided in-person, as well as through telehealth.
- The CDBG program provided counseling services to 7 participants for a total of 23 units of service.

### Volunteers

- Human Services had 26 volunteer interns, who logged a total of 990.5 hours.

### Proclamation

- On May 6, the City Council proclaimed May as National Mental Health Awareness Month. The proclamation was accepted by National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI). The community was reminded of the importance of taking care of their mental health by asking for help as needed.

### School-Based Counseling

- Counselors concluded counseling services at the school sites on May 22; however, school-based counseling services were offered through June 6, via telehealth or in-person at Chino Human Services.
- Counselors informed all parents of current clients or recently submitted counseling referrals of the opportunity to access counseling services during the summer at the Carolyn Owens Community Center for a low- to no-cost fee-based on eligibility.

### End-of-the-Year

- The Human Services Coordinator conducted end-of-the-year evaluations with Counseling staff members. This was a great opportunity for the Counselors to discuss their experiences at different school sites. They also were able to reflect on the year's accomplished goals and experiences they received from serving the community.
- Human Services also hosted an end-of-the-year luau to celebrate all the Human Services graduates in counseling and case management. The team played games, enjoyed Papachino's, an ice cream sundae bar, and took photos for lasting memories.



## HOMELESS OUTREACH PROGRAM

- The Homeless Outreach Team is comprised of the Community Services, Parks & Recreation Homeless Outreach Coordinator/Assistant Coordinator and Chino Police Department Quality-of-Life Team. The team focuses on providing street outreach to individuals who are displaced. Staff provides direct resources to services, such as rehab centers, transitional housing, permanent housing, or family reunification. The goal of the team is to provide individuals with wraparound services and create a case plan with goals to obtain permanent housing.
- Homeless Outreach provided services to 16 duplicated clients and 8 new clients for a total of 40 units of service. One client exited the streets.
- The Homeless Outreach team and Case Management team attended a training on *Narrative Interviewing* presented by the San Bernardino County Coordinated Entry System Manager. This specific style of client communication allows for more accuracy when completing the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS) VISPDAT survey, which determines a score to better match clients to appropriate housing programs.

### Success Stories

- A man was found sleeping on the balcony of a vacant apartment and refused to leave, prompting a call to Chino PD. Officers identified that the individual was experiencing homelessness and contacted the Homeless Outreach Coordinator and Assistant Coordinator for support. The Coordinators discovered that he was originally from Rancho Cucamonga, had benefits from L.A. County, and possessed no identification or belongings beyond the clothes he was wearing. They secured a spot for him at Set Free, a low-barrier shelter in San Bernardino County, and transported him there after police clearance. During the ride, the individual expressed appreciation for having a safe place to sleep.

## GIVEAWAY EVENTS

### Back-to-School Event

- Planning for the Back-to-School event, scheduled for Saturday, July 26, continues to receive sponsors and supply donations. Vendors are being secured, including Vibe Barber, a fan favorite from last year providing the coolest haircuts around. A social media post was scheduled for May to advertise the event registration dates, Tuesday, June 17, from 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.; and Wednesday, June 18, from 11:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., at the Neighborhood Activity Center. School supply donation drives are being scheduled with faith-based partners and local organizations. Chino Cares Challenge will conduct a supply drive from June 2 to July 14.

### Supply Collection Boxes are at the following locations:

- HOPE Family Resource Center (12970 Third Street)
- Carolyn Owens Community Center (13201 Central Avenue)
- Neighborhood Activity Center (5201 D Street)
- Chino City Hall (13220 Central Avenue)
- Preserve Community Center (15800 Main Street)
- Ayala Park Operations Center (5575 Edison Avenue)

- Chino Police Department (5450 Guardian Way)

## TUPE

- The Tobacco Use Prevention Education (TUPE) Program consists of two intervention/prevention programs: You, Me, Together Vape Free (YMTVF) and Project ALERT. The program concluded on May 22, coinciding with the end of the school year. The following program(s) were offered to the schools listed in May:
  - You, Me, Together Vape Free (YMTVF) – 6<sup>th</sup> Grade
    - Howard Cattle Elementary School
    - Legacy Academy
    - Liberty Elementary School
    - Oak Ridge Elementary School
  - Project Alert (PA) – 7<sup>th</sup> Grade
    - Cal Aero Preserve Academy
    - Canyon Hills Junior High School

## HOPE FAMILY RESOURCE CENTER (HOPE)

### Case Management

- The program enrolled 30 new families to receive assistance with various resources. Many of the new families were seeking help with food, Medi-Cal applications, and housing support.
- The HOPE team attended the CA Homeless Education Conference in San Diego. The team shared that it was a positive learning experience. Breakout sessions presented new strategies to try out in the new school year, such as building better relationships with unaccompanied youth, connecting with resource centers at the post-secondary level, and meeting families where they are at as they face unimaginable challenges. During the conference, the team heard from a parent panel who received support from McKinney-Vento liaisons. These parents shared how impactful and life-changing the support was they received while facing homelessness; a challenge that many of our Chino Valley families are currently facing.
- With the school year ending, Case Managers were focused on informing families about the upcoming Back-to-School Giveaway registration dates, as well as the HOPE reenrollment period beginning on July 7.
- Through McKinney-Vento funding, 25 students had the opportunity to attend the full nine weeks of Chino Summer Camp. Case Managers have collected feedback after the first week. Students have been enjoying Camp and are looking forward to the field trips. Aside from essential childcare, Camp also provides an opportunity to address food insecurity by allowing Camp participants to partake in the free Summer Lunch program.

### CARE Closet

- The CARE Closet supported 50 individuals, 19 children received clothing, and 16 hygiene packs were distributed to families.
- The Chino Valley Democratic Club provided a donation of new and used clothing, emergency hygiene supplies, and school supplies.
- The CARE Closet is preparing for the collection of school supply donations to be used for the Back-to-School Giveaway event.



### **TYKES**

- The TYKES Case Managers are continuing Parents as Teachers services for five parents and have concluded sessions with two parents.
- The Outreach Specialist was present on multiple Open House nights at the school sites. The Specialist also partnered with the Tiny Tots Coordinator to conduct Outreach and on-site Ages and Stages Questionnaires.
- There were 555 contacts made to promote the services available through the TYKES program.

### **POSITIVE ACTION FOR LIFE SUCCESS (PALS)**

- PALS Specialists finalized all sessions with the end of the school year on May 22. Monthly evaluations were sent to school administrators, teachers, and MTSS-B counselors to share student progress.
- Cal Aero PALS will conclude on June 30, with the conclusion of the year-round school schedule.

### **HEALTHY CHINO**

#### **Hike the Valley**

- Participants were shuttled to Mount Rubidoux on May 3. This was a three-mile hike and was classified as moderate intensity. After the hike, participants enjoyed a healthy snack at a nearby park.



### **Garden Workshop**

- The Community Garden Workshop took place on May 17. This month's topic was "Planning Your Summer Garden." The workshop was hosted by the San Bernardino County Master Gardeners. Participants learned about preparing their garden for the summer season.



### **Children's Discovery Workshop**

- The Children's Discovery Workshop took place on May 17. The topic was "Descriptive Gardens." Participants created construction paper flowers and wrote descriptions on the petals describing their favorite parts of gardening.



### **Outreach**

- Healthy Chino staff hosted an outreach booth at Chino Bike Day on May 10, and at Heritage Farmers Market on May 28. Participants visited the booth to learn about upcoming Healthy Chino programs and events and spun the prize wheel to win Healthy Chino swag.



### Chino Bike Day

- Chino Bike Day took place on May 10 at Ruben S. Ayala Park. The event hosted a bicycle obstacle course provided by the Chino Police Department and a bike repair station provided by BikeFix. Participants enjoyed a 13-mile community bike ride and a 5-mile family bike ride.



### Community Garden Tour

- E.J. Marshall Elementary School's kindergarten classes toured the Community Garden on May 8. Participants rotated between three different activities, which included rock painting, seed planting, and outdoor games.



## CITYWIDE SPECIAL EVENTS

### Chino Corporate Challenge

- 2025 Corporate Challenge Teams:
  - Allegiance STEAM Academy
  - City of Chino
  - Chino Valley Chamber of Commerce
  - Chino Valley Unified School District
  - City of Chino Hills
  - Hussmann
  - In-N-Out
  - K.A.G
  - Lewis Management Corp.

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- Mattel Toys
- Metrie El & El Woods
- NFI
- Vertical IT Solutions
- Two weeks of events were held on May 3-16.
- Teams competed in the following activities: Tug of War, Team Relay, Cornhole, Game Night, Trivia Night, Laser Tag, Billiards, Boat Races, Pickleball, Co-Ed Softball, Golf, Bowling, Darts, Basketball, Horseshoes, Volleyball, Blackjack, Craps, Roulette, and Texas Hold'em.
- Closing Ceremony was held at the Chaffey College Chino Community Center on May 16.
- City of Chino took home the first place title for the third year in a row and the City of Chino Hills was awarded the Sportsmanship Award.
- Listed below are the participating organizations and their final standings:
  - 1st Place - City of Chino - 211.5 pts.
  - 2nd Place - Allegiance STEAM Academy - 181.5 pts.
  - 3rd Place - NFI - 181.5 pts.
  - 4th Place - City of Chino Hills - 124 pts.
  - 5th Place - Mattel - 73 pts.
  - 6th Place - Chino Valley Unified School District - 68.5 pts.
  - 7th Place - Hussmann - 68.5 pts.
  - 8th Place - In N Out - 62.5 pts.
  - 9th Place - Metrie El&El Wood - 61.5 pts.
  - 10th Place - Lewis Management - 50 pts.
  - 11th Place - Chino Valley Chamber of Commerce - 50 pts.
  - 12th Place - KAG - 34 pts.
  - 13th Place - Vertical IT - 9.5 pts.



### Memorial Day

- The Memorial Day event was held on May 26, at the Chino Community Building.
- Staff assisted with logistics and set up.
- There were over 100 in attendance.



### Fireworks Spectacular

- The event is scheduled for June 27, from 4:00-10:00 p.m.; and June 28, from 1:00-10:00 p.m., at Ruben S. Ayala Park.
- Contracts for portable restrooms, live band, carnival, and light towers are finalized.
- The staff schedule is almost finalized.
- The final committee meeting will be held on June 18.

### Summer Movie Nights

- The movie line-up has been selected:
  - June 13 Inside Out 2
  - June 20 Beetlejuice 2
  - July 11 Emperor's New Groove
  - July 18 Moana 2
  - July 25 Transformers One
  - August 1 Mufasa
- Staff confirmed entertainment for pre-movie performances and began working on contracts for confirmed entertainment.
- Retail, information, and food vendors have been selected and approved.
- Staff met with Public Works for equipment needs.
- Staff has finalized contracts (portable restroom rentals, entertainment, etc.).
- SWANK movie contract has been executed.
- Three event sponsors have been confirmed: Waste Management, Watson Land Company, Renewals by Andersen, All Pro, and Kiwanis Club of Chino.
- Five food vendors, 2 cottage food vendors, and 16 retail and information vendors are confirmed for June 13.

## SERVICES OUTREACH

### LA County Fair on May 4, 17, and 18

- This was the second year that Chino Outreach attended the L.A. County Fair.
- Participants expressed interest in horseback riding, Summer Movie Nights, Chino Fireworks Spectacular, and tennis classes.
- Staff distributed cow bookmarks, a coloring book with a Chino Connection QR code, and a Chino pride megaphone to the attendees.

### Doris Dickson Elementary Open House on May 7

- This was the first time Chino Outreach attended the open house event at Doris Dickson Elementary School.

- The event saw a large turnout with significant interest in Summer Movie Nights, football, and basketball.
- A Chino Connection QR code was displayed for guests to scan.

### Howard Cattle Open House on May 9

- Spring and summer programs were well-promoted.
- The event attracted a large audience, generating significant interest in activities, such as Summer Movie Nights, free summer lunch program, basketball, football, Summer Camp, Storytime in the Garden, and Kiwanis Summer Concerts.
- The Chino Connection QR code was prominently displayed.

### Chino Bike Day on May 10

- Staff provided families with information about Chino Fireworks Spectacular, Summer Movie Nights, free summer lunch program, and Kiwanis Summer Concerts.
- The Chino Connection was displayed and SWAG items were available for purchase.

### Corporate Challenge Closing Ceremony on May 16

- Staff promoted upcoming events, as well as new spring and summer programming.
- There was a lot of interest in Kiwanis Summer Concerts and Summer Movie Nights.
- Chino Connection and SWAG were displayed.

### Chino Youth Museum 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Bingo Bash on May 19

- Summer Movie Nights, Kiwanis Summer Concerts, Garden Workshops, and volunteer opportunities gathered significant interest.
- Chino Connection and SWAG items were displayed.



## CHINO SWAG

- Chino SWAG display boxes are placed at five locations throughout the City: Carolyn Owens Community (COCC), Ayala Park Operations Center (APOC), Senior Center (SC), Preserve Community Center (PCC), and Neighborhood Activity Center (NAC).
- “Chino Swag” merchandise encourages Chino pride.
- Swag items include key chains (\$5), men’s and women’s gray t-shirts (\$14-\$16), black t-shirts (\$16-\$19), and stickers (\$4).
- Swag can be purchased at the Carolyn Owens Community Center (COCC), Neighborhood Activity Center (NAC), Ayala Park Operations Center (APOC), Senior Center, and Preserve Community Center (PCC).

- The Swag logo design contest ended with the community voting on a first-place logo that will be placed on Swag items.
- Staff is purchasing new items with the winning logo.
- SWAG is available for purchase at all City of Chino events.



## YOUTH SPORTS

- Youth Volleyball Clinic concluded on May 17, at the Preserve Community Center. Participants finished the class with competitive scrimmage games to put their new skills in action.



- Summer Youth Basketball Skills Assessments were held at the Neighborhood Activity Center on May 12 and 14, with make-ups offered May 22. Participants had the opportunity to showcase their skills before the coaches' draft.

## PEE WEE SPORTS

- Pee Wee Baseball kicked off on May 10, at Founders Park. Participants began learning the basics of baseball, including how to hit, throw, field, catch, and run the bases in a group setting.

## CHINO BOXING CLUB

- On May 30, the Chino Youth Boxing Foundation hosted its annual banquet recognizing the 2024 award winners and celebrating the Club's 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary. Mayor Eunice

Ulloa, Mayor Pro Tem Curtis Burton, Council Member Marc Lucio, and Council Member Christopher Flores were in attendance. Awards were presented to boxers of the month, boxer of the year, most improved, and sportsmanship. Boxers, coaches, and families were in attendance and expressed their enjoyment.



**BATTING CAGES**

- Batting Cages served over 1,875 guests.
- Batting Cages generated over \$13,890.00 in revenue.

**ADULT SPORTS**

**Women’s Soccer**

- The spring season held 11 games this month with 1 forfeit.
- The summer season will start on June 17, at Ayala Park.

**Men’s Basketball**

- Men’s Basketball spring season continued through May. Competing in games weekly are 16 teams for the Recreation Division and 4 teams for the Advanced Division. The season will conclude with playoffs and championship games on June 29, at the Neighborhood Activity Center.

**SPORTS FIELD RENTALS**

- Corporate Challenge Opening Ceremonies was held on May 3, at Ayala Park.

- Legends FC hosted a soccer tournament on May 17-18, at Ayala Park.
- Velocity FC hosted a soccer tournament on May 24-25, at Ayala Park.
- All-star teams were selected for baseball and softball and will compete in tournaments in June.

## NEIGHBORHOOD ACTIVITY CENTER (NAC)

### Case Management

- The Case Manager consistently delivered individualized support to both ongoing clients and newly referred individuals. Services included assistance with job applications, Medi-Cal and CalFresh applications, and completion of Housing Authority certifications. Additionally, the Case Manager helped participants access valuable resources, such as free mobile phones and other essential services, and ensuring clients were connected to programs that support their well-being and stability.
- On May 15, the Case Manager attended the Children’s Network Open House event. This event provided an opportunity to learn more about key programs, including the Child Abuse Prevention program, Inland Empire Father Involvement Coalition, and Coalition Against Sexual Exploitation. The Case Manager also engaged in valuable networking with representatives from various organizations, strengthening community partnerships, and expanding resource connections for clients.

### NAC Enrichment Classes

- Young Builders was cancelled this month due to low enrollment.
- In Young Chefs, participants had a blast making their very own equites, pupusas, and churros.
- Participants enjoyed creating taco cupcakes, adding a fun and creative twist to the class.



## CHINO EXPERIENCE TEEN CENTER

### Chino Experience Teen Center/Teen Programs Activities

- The Before and After School shuttling services continued for students attending Chino High School, Don Lugo High School, Magnolia Jr. High School, Ramona Jr. High School, and 7th and 8th graders enrolled at Briggs Fundamental.

- On May 16, the Teen Beach Excursion took place with 13 teens in attendance. Participants were able to play sports, swim, and enjoy smores over an evening bonfire. They had a great time kicking off the summer.
- On May 22, staff barbequed hot dogs for Teen Center and RAAP participants to celebrate the last day of school. Participants enjoyed hot dogs, chips, and popsicles.

### Teen Opportunity Program (TOP)

- The TOP meeting was conducted on May 1, in City Council Chambers. There were nine members in attendance. Members had the opportunity to sign up for Bike Day, the Memorial Day event, Summer Nights, and the Firework Spectacular.

### Teen Advisory Committee (TAC)

- The final TAC meeting was conducted on May 1, in City Council Chambers. There were six members in attendance. Members discussed their summer and graduation plans.
- On May 6, TAC members were recognized at the City Council meeting for their dedication and hard work throughout the 2024-2025 term. After the meeting, members took the collected hygiene items from their final service project to Chino Neighborhood House. They were grateful for the donations.
- On May 21, interviews were conducted for the 2025-2026 term. Six new members were selected.



## MONTE VISTA PARK

### Splash Pad

- The Splash Pad began operation for the season on May 24.
- The Splash Pad is open to the public daily, May 24 through September 1, from 11:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m. Days of operation will change to only Saturday and Sunday starting September 2 through October 27.

## SUMMER LUNCH

### Monte Vista Park

- The Free Summer Lunch Program started on May 27, and will run through August 1. There were 530 meals served at Monte Vista Park during this reporting period.

### Liberty Park

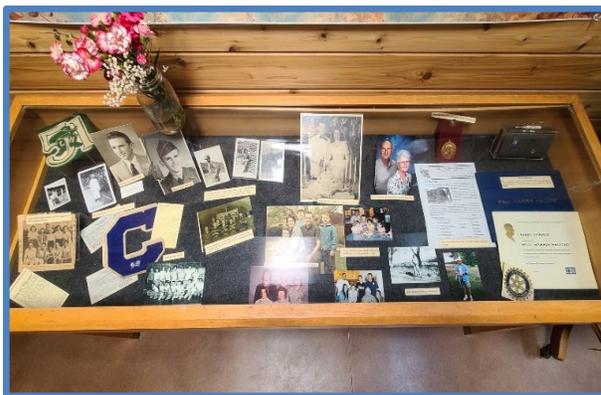
- The Free Summer Lunch Program started on May 27, and will run through August 1. There were 139 meals served at Liberty Park during this reporting period.

### OLD SCHOOLHOUSE MUSEUM

- The museum had 31 visitors.

### Exhibits

- Staff continued to prepare the Hall of Fame display for Barry Johnson. Staff reached out to family members for more information, pictures, and other memorabilia.
- The Old Schoolhouse Museum staff helped the Chino Valley Historical Society organize the Pioneer Picnic Centennial Celebration hosted on May 18. Staff supported the logistics, décor, and hosted an open house of the barn and museum the day of the event.
- On May 20, the Johnson Family was recognized at the City Council meeting and received the Hall of Fame frame.



*Barry Johnson  
2025 Hall of Fame  
Recipient*



**PRESERVE COMMUNITY CENTER**

**Programs and Classes**

- Enrichment classes did not take place in May. Young Builders is scheduled to begin on June 3.
- The Preserve Community Center proudly hosted Corporate Challenge basketball and volleyball matches on May 6 and 8.
- The Youth Sports program concluded its final Volleyball Clinic on May 17.



**COMMUNITY SERVICE VOLUNTEER CORP**

- Hours tracked were equivalent to \$51,793.38 in volunteer service:

Community Support Services ~ Human Services ~ Neighborhood Services ~ Parks and Facilities ~ Recreation Services ~ Senior Services

- Recreation and Social Services: 377.75 hours x \$27.48 Leader pay = \$10,380.57
- Human Services: 990.50 hours x \$41.81 Counselor II pay = \$41,412.81
- Total volunteer value since July 1, 2024: \$622,671.11
- Recruitment for volunteers took place for the following events, facilities, or partnership opportunities:
  - Jotform.com
  - Senior Center
  - Chino Youth Museum
  - Human Services
  - Memorial Day Event
  - Chino Summer Camp
  - Chino Bike Day
- Volunteer recruitment continues for the following upcoming events:
  - Enrichment Classes
  - Senior Center
  - Hope Care Closet
  - Chino Summer Nights
  - Chino Family Campout
  - Chino Fireworks Spectacular

## SENIOR CENTER

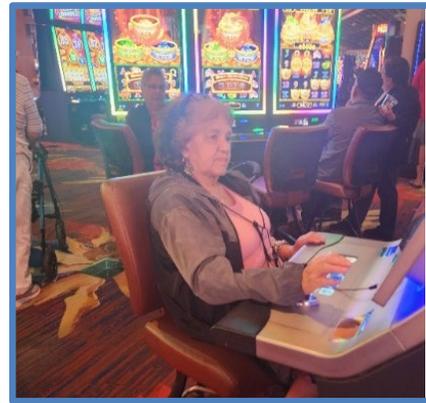
### Transportation Services

- The Get S.M.A.R.T. program provided 527 transportation trips to 7 participants for different services, including to Senior Center for activities, doctor appointments, grocery stores, banks, and post office.
- The Get S.M.A.R.T. program Breakfast Club took place on May 7, with 10 participants who enjoyed Ranch Burger. Free transportation is provided to a local restaurant once a month.
- The monthly special trip to Walmart took place on May 29, with a total of 18 participants.



### Excursions, Trips and Tours

- Twenty participants took a trip to the L.A. County Fair in Pomona. Participants enjoyed trying all the different foods, shopping, and visiting the farm animals.
- Thirty-Three participants took a trip to Soboba Casino in San Jacinto. Participants played their favorite games and enjoyed lunch on their own.



**Class Highlights**

- Door Décor and More took place on May 19, with eight participants. Participants made crepe paper flowers and designed their flower arrangements to take home. Next month's theme is Red, White, and Blue, and will take place on June 30.

**Special Events**

- The Senior Citizen's Club helped host a Mother's Day Tea. Refreshments were served and corsages were given to all the mothers. Aqua Ridge Senior Living provided musical entertainment. A total of 56 participants enjoyed the celebration.
- The Senior Citizen's Club hosted a musical performance by the Senior Chino Choir on Friday, May 16. Forty-eight participants enjoyed the performance.



**Case Management**

- The Aging Services Coordinator provided services to 37 participants for 127 units of service. The Aging Services Coordinator worked with various participants for applications for rental and utility assistance. Direct services include food resources, low-income housing lists, and Medi-Cal and Cal-Fresh applications. In addition, 32 resources and referrals were provided to participants.

**Success Story**

- The Aging Services Coordinator was able to assist a participant who was struggling to get her bills in order. The participant suffered the loss of her spouse, as well as half of her income. After full evaluation of her situation, staff suggested City of Chino utility assistance program for her electric bill. The Aging Services Coordinator walked the participant through the process. Her application was approved. The participant was able to start a clean slate with her Edison bill.

**Social Services**

- On May 1, HICAP provided free non-biased information for Medicare. There were three participants.
- On May 5, Elidia Diaz from West End Counseling provided a craft for Mother's Day. There were 12 participants.
- On May 14, the Department of Aging and Adult Services distributed bus passes to 90 participants over the age of 60.
- On May 19, Inland Counties Legal Services provided free legal aid to three participants.
- On May 22, Feeding America distributed 185 boxes of fresh produce and dry goods.
- The P.A.T.C.H. program assisted two participants with affording their prescriptions.

**Workshops and Support Groups**

- On May 19, Jen Sancen from Aging Next provided a resource table. There were 21 participants who visited her table.
- On May 28, the Aging Services Coordinator conducted outreach at Oldtimers Senior apartments. The Aging Services Coordinator was able to speak with 17 participants.

**RECREATION CLASSES / CONTRACT CLASSES****Class Highlights**

- Johnny Allen Tennis successfully completed the May session. There was an increase in participation in the High School Tennis program, and the Adult Cardio Tennis class met its minimum enrollment requirement with at least four participants.
- Mat Pilates continued running consistently over the past few months. The class saw a boost in engagement with a few new participants joining alongside returning ones.
- Over half of the ongoing contracts were submitted for renewal this month in preparation for the upcoming fiscal year beginning on July 1.
- Karate has continued to gain popularity with almost full enrollment.



**TINY TOTS**

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- Tiny Tots participants kicked off May by celebrating Cinco de Mayo. Participants made taco-shaped maracas, colorful sombreros, and ended the class with a fun hat dance.
- In celebration of Mother’s Day, participants painting tulips and created teapots and teacups. All participants had the opportunity to discuss the important role mothers play in our lives and the unconditional love they give.
- Plus Level classes are currently practicing a few songs to perform at their graduation, which will be held on June 13.



**RECOMMENDATION**

For Commission information.