



# DIXON INSIDER

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## MAY FAIR PARADE- MAY 13

The Dixon Chamber of Commerce and the City of Dixon are co-sponsoring the 146th Annual Dixon May Fair Parade! The Dixon May Fair Parade is the oldest state affiliated parade in California and is one of the most colorful of its kind. The parade will start at 10:00am on Saturday, May 13.

Are you interested in participating or sponsoring the Parade? Application packets are available on the Chamber website: <https://dixonchamber.org/> The deadline to apply for entry is Friday, April 21, 2023 at 4pm.

Highway 113 and downtown streets will be closed from 5:00am-2:00pm on Saturday, May 13.



# PARKS & RECREATION

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## SPRING LAP SWIM

Spring lap swim has started! The pool is open Monday and Wednesday from 5:30am- 7:00am and Saturday from 8:00-10:00am. The pool is located at 450 E. Mayes St., Dixon, CA.

The cost is:

- Daily visit \$5
- Senior daily visit \$4
- 20 visit punch card \$75
- Senior 20 visit punch card \$60

## SENIOR RESOURCE FAIR

The Advocates for Dixon Seniors 21st Annual Senior Resource Fair will be on Saturday, April 29 from 10am-1pm at SMUC (201 S. Fifth St., Dixon, CA).

Vendor tables are still available, if interested please call 707-678-7022.

# DIXON FIRE HOSTS COUNTY-WIDE TRAINING

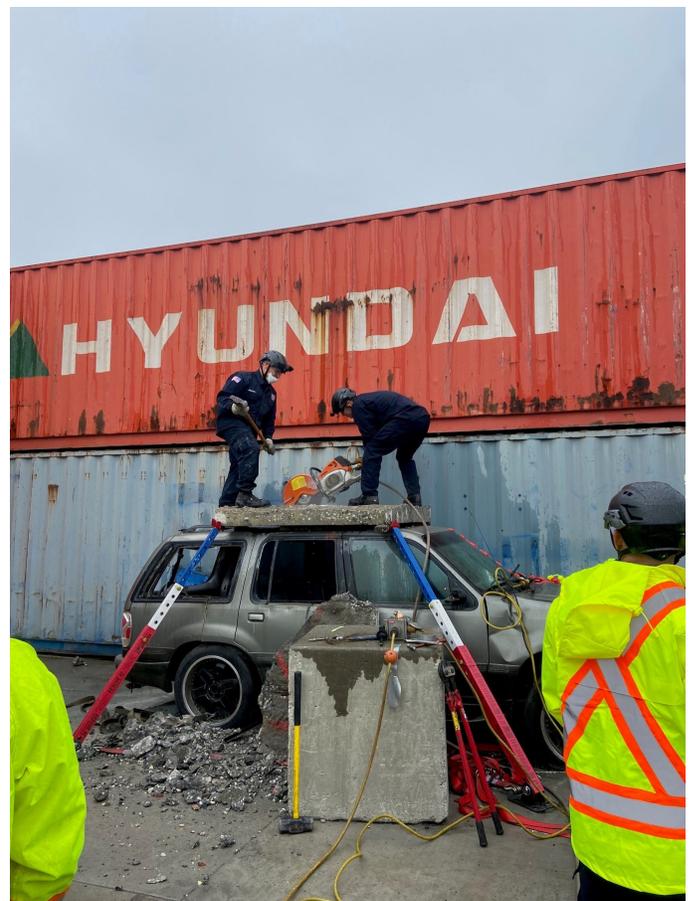
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In March, the Dixon Fire Department hosted a quarterly Solano County Urban Search and Rescue Team training.

This team, made up of members from each Fire Department, works together to respond to major incidents throughout the County.

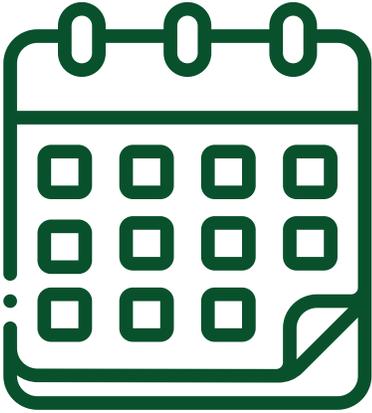
At the training the team practiced breaking, breaching and cutting using a simulation where a parking structure had collapsed on top of a vehicle.

Thanks for joining us Suisun City Fire Department, Vacaville Fire Dept, Fairfield Fire Department and Vallejo Fire Department!



# UPDATES FROM CITY HALL

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## UPCOMING MEETINGS

Did you know? You can view City Council meetings in person, on Channel 20, on the City website and on Zoom! See below for a list of upcoming City Council and Commission meetings and visit our website for the latest information.

Parks & Recreation Commission Meeting	03/28/2023
City Council Meeting	04/04/23
Water Rate Advisory Ad Hoc Committee Meeting	04/06/23
Planning Commission Meeting	04/11/23
Vacaville Dixon Greenbelt Authority Meeting	04/12/23
City Council Meeting	04/18/23
Transportation Advisory Commission Meeting	04/19/23
Special Dixon City Council & Planning Commission Meeting - Joint Study Session #3	04/24/23
Parks & Recreation Commission Meeting	04/25/23

## WE'RE HIRING!

The City of Dixon is hiring for the following positions. Interested in joining our team? Visit: [www.calopps.org/city-of-dixon](http://www.calopps.org/city-of-dixon)

Position	Deadline
Account Clerk I	04/16/23
Lateral Police Officer (\$30,000 Hiring Incentive) & Entry Level	Continuous
Police Recruit (Academy Bound)	Continuous
Lifeguard/Swim Instructor	Continuous
Pool Manager	Continuous
Senior Maintenance Worker- Streetscapes	Until Filled
Transit Driver/Dispatcher	Until Filled

We are offering Lifeguard certification courses for those interested in our Lifeguard positions. Classes will be April 3-6 and April 15-16 & 22-23. To learn more, or sign up, click [here](#).



## SAND BAGS AVAILABLE

Sand bags are available at the Dixon Fire Station, 205 Ford Way, Dixon, CA Monday-Friday 9am-5pm. Sand is available on the NW corner of A St. and Jackson St. Sand is self serve, please bring a shovel.

# COMMISSION VACANCY FOR STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE ON THE PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION

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The City of Dixon is currently accepting applications for one (1) Student Representative, and one (1) Alternate Student Representative on the Parks and Recreation Commission. The Student Representative must be in his or her senior year of high school, and the Alternate Student Representative must be in his or her junior year of high school.

The Commission is an advisory body to the City Council on matters pertaining to recreation programs and parks facilities. The Student Representative is expected to attend all Parks & Recreation Commission meetings. The Alternate Student Representative will fill in for the Student Representative, when the Student Representative is unable to attend Commission meetings. It is expected that the Alternate Student Representative will apply to become the Student Representative the following school year. The term to be served is July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024.

The Commission meets in the Dixon City Council Chambers at 7:00 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of every month. City residency is required.

Interested students may obtain an application by contacting Stephanie Marquez at the Dixon High School. The deadline for filing applications is 5:00 p.m., Friday, May 19, 2023.

If no applications are submitted by the deadline, the City will accept applications until the vacancy is filled.

## STAR AWARD

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Congratulations to Kim Stalie, HR/Risk Analyst II, for earning a Star Award due to her dedication and efficiency!

Kim recently conducted an extensive recruitment process for the position of Police Lieutenant and represented the city well throughout the entire process. She successfully coordinated all aspects of the process which included multiple examinations and bringing outside assessors from other police agencies.

She is a valuable asset to the Human Resources team and we're very proud of her outstanding hard work. The City Manager, Jim Lindley, presented the award on March 24, 2023.



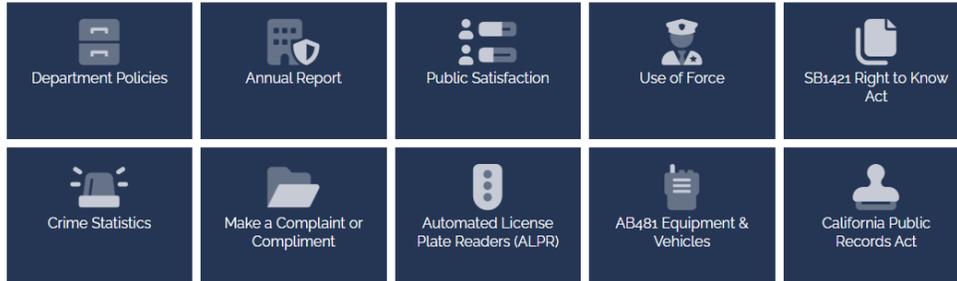
# DIXON POLICE LAUNCH PUBLIC TRANSPARENCY PORTAL



## Transparency Portal



The Dixon Police Department strives to provide transparency on police activities, departmental policies, training materials, and agency practices. We are committed to openness, accountability, and integrity. We want to ensure all materials can be made easily available to the public. Please click through the information and contact us if you have any questions.



The Dixon Police Department is pleased to announce the launch of a new public transparency portal on its website. This portal provides access to important information that members of the community have been requesting, including department policies, annual reports, results of public satisfaction surveys, use of force statistics, SB1421 information, crime statistics, ways to make a complaint or provide a compliment about police staff, Automated License Plate Reader (ALPR) information, AB481 military equipment use disclosures, and links to information about the California Public Records Act.

The Department is committed to fostering transparency and building trust with the community it serves. The portal offers a wealth of information that will help residents understand how the Department operates and make informed decisions about public safety.

"We understand the importance of transparency in policing and believe that the portal will provide members of the public with a clear understanding of our policies, practices, and performance," said Chief Robert Thompson.

"By making this information available, we hope to strengthen our relationship with the community and promote accountability and trust."

The portal is easy to use and accessible to anyone with an internet connection. Visitors can browse the different sections and download any of the available documents. They can also access a section that provides details on how to make a public records request if they cannot find the information they need on the portal.

"We are committed to serving the community with integrity, professionalism, and transparency," added Thompson. "The portal is just one way we are working to build trust and strengthen our relationship with the people we serve."

To access the public transparency portal, please visit <https://www.dixonpolice.org/transparency>. For more information about the Dixon Police Department, please contact us at 707-678-7070.



# Solano County Earth Day Cleanup



# SATURDAY APRIL 22, 2023

Be a Part of the Movement,  
Keep Solano Clean & Green

#KeepSolanoClean

*"You cannot get through a single day without having an impact on the world around you. What you do makes a difference, and you have to decide what kind of difference you want to make."*

– Jane Goodall



## BENICIA

**Location:** Ninth Street Park  
**Time:** Saturday April 22, 8am-11am  
**Contact:** Sharon Denney  
**Email:** SDenney@ci.benicia.ca.us  
**www.ci.benicia.ca.us**



## DIXON

**Location:** Pond C on Yale Drive  
**Time:** Saturday April 22, 9am-11am  
**Contact:** Leland Markusen  
**Email:** lmarkusen@cityofdixon.us  
**www.cityofdixon.us/stormwater**



## FAIRFIELD

**Location:** Lower Ledgewood Creek  
(parking lot behind Home Depot)  
**Time:** Saturday April 22, 9am-11am  
**Contact:** Emily Corwin  
**Email:** ecorwin@fssd.com  
**www.fssd.com**



## RIO VISTA

**Location:** Sandy Beach Park  
**Time:** Saturday April 22, 10am-12pm  
**Contact:** Marissa Medders  
**Email:** MAMedders@SolanoCounty.com  
**www.solanocounty.com**



## SUISUN CITY

**Location:** Lower Union Ave Creek  
(dead end of Railroad Ave near Marina Blvd)  
**Time:** Saturday April 22, 9am-11am  
**Contact:** Emily Corwin  
**Email:** ecorwin@fssd.com  
**www.fssd.com**



**Location:** Suisun Waterfront – Kayaking  
(call 707-341-6141 to reserve a space)  
**Time:** Saturday April 22, 9am-11am  
**Contact:** James Berg  
**Email:** grizzlywaterskayaking@gmail.com  
**www.grizzlywaters.com**



**Location:** Grizzly Island Road  
(meet at Suisun Hill Bridge)  
**Time:** Saturday April 22, 9am-12pm  
**Contact:** Jordan Knippenberg  
**Email:** jordan@solanolandtrust.org  
**www.solanolandtrust.org**



## VACAVILLE

**Location:** Rocky Hill Trail  
**Time:** Saturday April 22, 9am-11am  
**Contact:** Peter Wanberg  
**Email:** Peter.Wanberg@cityofvacaville.com  
**www.cityofvacaville.com/creekcleanup**



## VALLEJO

**Location:** Blue Rock Springs Creek Corridor  
(below Wardlaw Park)  
**Time:** Saturday April 22, 9am-12pm  
**Contact:** Doug Darling  
**Email:** ddfish4life@sbcglobal.net  
**www.vallejowatershedalliance.org**



**Location:** McGary Road  
(meet at Lynch Canyon parking lot)  
**Time:** Saturday April 22, 9am-11:30am  
**Contact:** Diana Samuels  
**Email:** DLSamuels@SolanoCounty.com  
**www.solanocounty.com**



## LAKE SOLANO

**Location:** Lake Solano County Park  
**Time:** Saturday April 22, 9am-12pm  
**Contact:** Jamie Fussell  
**Email:** JMFussell@SolanoCounty.com  
**www.solanocounty.com/parks**

**Please do your part  
to help save resources  
by bringing your own gloves,  
water bottle, and collection bucket.**

**For more information contact  
707.678.1655 (ext 112)  
or visit: [www.cleanupsolano.org](http://www.cleanupsolano.org)**



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