While it’s not possible to say with certainty what the next few months hold in store, the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) believes it’s very likely that flu viruses and the virus that causes COVID-19 will both be spreading. With everything else going on around us, getting a flu vaccine will be more important than ever. The CDC recommends that all people 6 months and older get a yearly flu vaccine.

Influenza (Flu) and COVID-19 are both contagious respiratory illnesses, but they are caused by different viruses. Because some of the symptoms of flu and COVID-19 are similar, it may be hard to tell the difference between them based on symptoms alone, and testing may be needed to help confirm a diagnosis. Flu and COVID-19 share many characteristics, and it is possible to have the flu, as well as other respiratory illnesses, and COVID-19 at the same time. It’s critical we take every precaution we can to keep ourselves and our loved ones healthy, no one likes getting sick!

For more information on influenza and COVID-19 viruses, please visit www.cdc.gov.
**WLV Census Response – 79% Complete**

We’re almost there Westlake Village! About 79 percent of Westlake Village residents have completed the 2020 Census Questionnaire, making us the highest response rate in the district, but we’re not done yet. Now let’s set our sights on completing that final 21 percent!

Completing the 2020 Census is quick and easy. The 10-minute questionnaire is safe, secure, and confidential. Your information and privacy are protected. Your response helps to direct billions of dollars in federal funds to local communities for schools, roads, and other public services. If you’ve already completed yours, help us spread the word by reminding your friends and neighbors how much is riding on the census. You can fill out your form online at www.my2020census.gov or via phone by calling (844) 330-2020. Deadline to submit is September 30th.

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**A Note from City Manager Rob de Geus**

We hope this newsletter finds you and your family safe and well. As California’s experienced many wildfires this past month, we are reminded of the importance of being prepared. In October and November, as the Santa Ana winds begin to blow, the City Westlake Village and our region is most susceptible to wildfire. I would like you to know about an excellent wildfire preparedness toolkit called “Ready, Set, Go!” that you can use to better prepare and protect your home and family. The tool kit provides the resources needed to create your very own Wildfire Action Plan for your household. The Ready, Set, Go! tool kit is available on our City Website at www.WLV.org please take advantage of it.

Regarding COVID-19, I want to thank you for your patience, support, and perseverance. Our lives have been impacted in so many ways, but we will get through this together. I am often reminded that despite COVID-19 we are very fortunate to live and work in this great city of ours. As I regularly speak with residents and business owners, I am so grateful and hopeful for the strong sense community that exists here and know that we will overcome any challenge we face as a community. For frequent, useful, and local COVID-19 updates and resources, please visit www.ReadyWLV.org. Thank you!
Virtual Senior Classes

Virtual Senior Classes are here! The City has partnered with the Conejo Recreation and Park district to offer senior recreation classes on Zoom. Sign up for fall classes like yoga basics, gentle yoga, ukulele, and art!

For class information, registration, and more please call CRPD at (805) 375-1003 or visit their website at WWW.CRPD.ORG. All registration will need to be over the phone or online due to COVID-19 safety protocols. Please remember that City Hall is still closed to the public.

Creating a COVID-19 Backup Plan: What to do if you or your loved one becomes ill
When: Tuesday, September 8, 2020
4:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Location: Zoom Virtual Seminar

Legalities of Hiring In Home Care During COVID
When: Tuesday, September 22, 2020
4:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Location: Zoom Virtual Seminar

RSVP: Please register online at: www.seniorconcerns.org/seminars or email mshapiro@seniorconcerns.org. Please call (805) 497-0189 with any questions.

For more information about Senior Concerns please contact (805) 381-1290 or visit the Senior Concerns website at www.seniorconcerns.org.

Civil Rights for Beginners
A book featuring interviews with over 150 Americans accompanied by their photographs, the authors recount their experience talking to people from all walks of life about race and identity on a cross-country tour of America. (Adult Nonfiction)

MARCH Book One
A bestselling author, National Book Award winner and professor combines ethics, history, law, and science with a personal narrative to describe how to move beyond the awareness of racism and contribute to making society just and equitable. (Adult Nonfiction)

Tell Me Who You Are
A first-hand account of civil-rights leader and congressman John Lewis’ lifelong struggle for civil and human rights that spans his youth in rural Alabama, his life-changing meeting with Martin Luther King, Jr., and the birth of the Nashville Student Movement. (Graphic Novel Adult Nonfiction)
SEPTEMBER STREET SWEEPING

The City’s street sweeping occurs every other week on Thursdays and Fridays. Please help maximize street sweeping effectiveness by parking off the roadway on your neighborhood’s cleaning day (see chart below). For additional information on this service, please contact City Hall at (818) 706-1613.

- Thursday, September 3
- Friday, September 4
- Thursday, September 17
- Friday, September 18

Bi-weekly Street Sweeping Schedule

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Councilmember: RAY PEARL
Councilmember: NED E. DAVIS

Upcoming City Council Meetings.

September 9 and 23, 2020
October 14 and 28, 2020

City Council meetings can be seen live on WVTV Channel 10 and via web streaming on www.WLV.org.

Recycle Often, Recycle Right

Always place in the recycling bin: plastic bottles and containers; food and beverage cans; paper; flattened cardboard and paperboard; glass bottles and containers; food and beverage cartons.

Never place in the recycling bin: food; liquid; foam cups and containers; loose plastic bags or film; batteries; green waste; clothing; furniture and carpet.

To learn more visit www.RecycleOftenRecycleRight.com #recycling101