Free NC Outreach!

New Location for 10th Annual

VALLEY DISASTER PREPAREDNESS FAIR

WWW.VALLEYDISASTERFAIR.COM

Saturday, October 7, 2017 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Northridge Fashion Center—Pacific Theater Parking Lot

(9400 Shirley Ave., south of Plummer St.)

QUESTIONS? INFO@VALLEYDISASTERFAIR.COM

ONLINE REGISTRATION NOW OPEN

REGISTRATION ALSO AVAILABLE AT THE FAIR

A FUN AND FREE FAMILY EVENT THAT JUST MIGHT SAVE YOUR LIFE, YOUR PET'S LIFE, OR THE LIFE OF A LOVED ONE.

Targeted outreach to YOUR stakeholders:

Our Request

A short (150-200 words) message from your NC to your stakeholders to be included in an email sent to families within your boundaries when they register online for the Fair. *Details on back.*

Valley Disaster Preparedness Fair 2017

What You Get

- ⇒ **Great satisfaction** from helping prepare LA for our next major disaster
- ⇒ **A spreadsheet** of your stakeholder families that register for the Fair
- ⇒ **Demonstrate your commitment** to the Mayor's *resiliency* and *readiness* programs
- ⇒ **Opportunity** to share ideas and see how others support and promote their NC
- ⇒ **Outreach booth** space (10' x 10') at the Fair to showcase your community and NC
- ⇒ **First-come, first-served** basis for Outreach space. Contact Bill.Hopkins@SoCalPrep.us ASAP

Call for Exhibitors, Contributors, and Volunteers

If your business, group, organization, company, agency, association, or team has a strong relationship to disaster preparedness (offers training; sells equipment/supplies; conducts/participates in emergency drills; provides education; is a city, county, state, tribal, or federal response agency; a private/public service provider; etc.) and would like to exhibit at the Fair (no selling permitted), or would like to contribute services, products, personnel, or a grant, let us hear from you. We are also seeking organized groups (Scouts, clubs, associations, etc.) and individuals as volunteers to assist with a diversity of tasks. Contact us at **Info@ValleyDisasterFair.com**.

Volunteer opportunities & community service hours: Kit Prep, Registration, Set-up, Take-down, Promotion, PR, Donations, & more! Info@ValleyDisasterFair.com

This annual event is sponsored by
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Southern California Preparedness Foundation

Co-sponsored by the *Patriot Oil Community Benefit Trust Fund* (administered by the North Valley Coalition)

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EP kits to registered families only and while supplies last. Events, exhibitors, and features subject to availability and may change.
Supported by Los Angeles Neighborhood Councils, Councilmember Mitchell Englander, County Supervisor Kathryn Barger, with Federal, State, County, and City agency participation.

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Right after registrants click on the online form's Submit button (www.ValleyDisasterFair.com) beginning July 1, we email them a ***Welcome to the Fair*** letter. A section of that email includes a paragraph of about 150-200 words that your NC wishes to present to its stakeholders and will include an NC contact name and email provided by your Council, so they can request more information, etc.

Here is one example from Lake Balboa:

We want you to be safe by creating a neighborhood watch on every street (Health & Safety Committee), we want you to know your neighbors by "mapping your neighborhood" so that you are prepared for emergencies (Emergency Preparedness Committee AND Amateur Radio Check-in), we want to maintain the integrity of Lake Balboa (Land Use Committee), we are developing a neighborhood relationship with our local schools (Education Committee), we are developing relationships with retail businesses that support our community (Economic Revitalization & Development Committee—ERaD). Now that we are safe and prepared we want you to know "what's happening" (Outreach/Newsletter Committee), and to enjoy movies and concerts in the park (Rec and Park Committee), art shows, dog parades, 5ks etc. We need and want your participation, whatever time and talent you can volunteer, we want. We are elected volunteers for your community. Check out our website: www.lakebalboanc.org.

Another from Foothill Trails District:

Nestled between Sunland-Tujunga, Sylmar, Pacoima and Sun Valley, the Foothill Trails District Neighborhood Council offers its stakeholder one of the few areas within the city of Los Angeles where the rural lifestyle is still preserved and celebrated. Please help us as we work hard to ensure this tradition is passed on to future generations.
The Foothill Trails District Neighborhood Council, consisting of Lake View Terrace, La Tuna Canyon and Shadow Hills, is nestled between Sunland-Tujunga, Sylmar, Pacoima and Sun Valley. As elected members of our community, we collectively advocate for our stakeholders regarding land use, planning, and development, and all issues of concern to our stakeholders. We work to preserve the rural, recreational, ethnically diverse, and environmentally sensitive nature of our area as an important low-density oasis within Los Angeles City limits; and to acknowledge that the FTDNC comprises 3 of the few remaining horse keeping areas within the entire city of Los Angeles.
The Foothill Trails District Neighborhood Council will facilitate and encourage diverse interests in our community to work together in addressing common concerns and to promote and facilitate dialogue and collaboration with other neighborhoods in the City of Los Angeles.

Don't miss this great free outreach opportunity! I look forward to hearing from you right away! If you have any questions, please let me know (Bill.Hopkins@SoCalPrep.us) and I'll get back to you ASAP.

Thank you.

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