

**December 13, 2023**  
**UPCOMING AND ACCOMPLISHED EVENTS**

**To Sign up for volunteer events:** [City of Santa Rosa Recreation & Parks \(volunteerhub.com\)](http://volunteerhub.com)  
**Recreation and Parks Homepage:** [Recreation & Parks | Santa Rosa, CA \(srcity.org\)](http://srcity.org)

**UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- **December 26-29:** Winter break sports camp and Neighborhood Services Winter Break Camp held at Steele Lane Community Center. <https://www.srcity.org/990/Camp>
- **December 20:** Neighborhood Services After School Program Holiday Parties.
- **December 27-29:** Traditional Winter Break Camps. <https://www.srcity.org/917/winter-camp>
- **January 02-05:** Neighborhood Services second week of Winter Break Camp at Steele Lane Community Center. <https://www.srcity.org/990/Camps>
- **January 2-4:** Traditional Break Camp. <https://www.srcity.org/917/Winter-Camps>
- **January 13:** Park-A-Month volunteer event from 9am-12pm, Bellevue Ranch Park, 2645 Arrowhead Park. <https://www.srcity.org/ParkAMonth>
- **January 15:** Martin Luther King Jr. Day of Service volunteer event from 9am-12pm at Martin Luther King Park, 1671 Hendley St. <https://www.srcity.org/ParkAMonth>
- **January 17:** Violence Prevention Partnership Policy Team meeting; 9am at Steele Lane Community Center, 415 Steele Lane.
- **January 20:** Rural Cemetery volunteer workday from 9am-12pm at Rural Cemetery, 1600 Franklin Ave. <https://www.srcity.org/volunteer-in-a-park>
- **January 30:** Spring Activity Guide registration begins! <https://www.santarosarec.com>

## ACCOMPLISHED EVENTS:

- **October 12 – Dec 12:** Sports Parties in Hub popularity rising! Parties booked every weekend (14 parties in last 2 months serving over 220 children).
- **October 9-16:** Neighborhood Services After School Program hosted eight ice cream socials for participants and their families.
- **October 21:** Bennett Valley Vision held a successful clean-up event with 22 volunteers participating.
- **October 21:** The Rural Cemetery Preservation Committee held a successful workday with 16 volunteers.
- **October 21:** Last Day of Neighborhood Services flag Football Program
- **October 27:** Adult Fall softball season concluded with over 1200 participating this year.
- **October 28:** Halloween at Howarth Park [srcity.org/2164/Halloween-at-Howarth](http://srcity.org/2164/Halloween-at-Howarth)
- **October 28:** Neighborhood Services Halloween Bash, in collaboration with the Santa Rosa Violence Prevention Partnership had over 600 people in attendance and 30 community partners. [srcity.org/2108/Family-Fun-Times](http://srcity.org/2108/Family-Fun-Times)
- **November 2:** Violence Prevention Awareness Seminar, hosted by the Santa Rosa Violence Prevention Partnership; 200 participants. This year's seminar featured keynote speaker Luis J. Rodriguez, author of *Always Running* and *It Calls You Back*, presentations by Santa Rosa Police Department and the City of San Jose, and six breakout sessions.
- **November 3:** Finley Swim Center Closure for 6-8 months for Renovations.
- **November 5:** Neighborhood Services Junior Warriors and Cheer programs concluded with over 400 youth participating in the Fall Season
- **November 6:** Due to the Finley Swim Center Closure, Accommodations at Ridgway begin.
- **November 11:** Last day of City Booters youth soccer league.
- **November 11:** Successful Park-A-Month volunteer event at Brush Creek Park with 20 volunteers participating.
- **November 9:** Last day of Neighborhood Services Girls Circle Prevention Program
- **November 18:** Last Rural Cemetery workday for this year.
- **November 20-22:** Thanksgiving break sports camp and Neighborhood Services Fall break camp held at Steele Lane Community Center
- **November 30:** First day of Neighborhood Services Futsal Program; 86 participants enrolled with over 20 on the waitlist.
- **November 28:** Neighborhood Services After School Programs went on a field trip to the movies.
- **December 2:** Handmade Holiday Craft Fair – Nearly 3,000 visitors to the fair. The prize

giveaway table raised \$2,500 for our scholarship fund.

- **December 8:** Applications due for softball/baseball field rentals for Spring season, which begins 2/1/24)
- **December 9: Park-A-Month Volunteer Event** held from 9am to 12pm at Oaklake Park