



OCTOBER 2014

**NEW!** City Connection Calendar Reminder

**CALENDAR**

**October 23 - Utility Day, 11:30 am - 2:00 pm**  
*Utility Operations Center*  
 800 Air Way  
 GWP invites the public to the Utility Operations Center to tour the power plant, meet staff, and learn about how water and power get to your home.  
*See story above to learn more.*

**October 23 - Red Ribbon Week Parent Night, 6:30 - 8:00 pm**  
*Roosevelt Middle School, 222 East Acacia Avenue*  
 Join the Glendale Parent Teacher Association for an in-depth conversation with community professionals from the Glendale Police Department, CV Alliance, and Didi Hirsch Mental Health Services on preventing substance use among youth. This is a free community event for all parents. Translation will be provided in Spanish, Armenian and Korean.

**October 25 - Utility Box Murals & The Big Draw LA, 11:00 am**  
 Eleven artists will be painting murals on Montrose area utility boxes to coincide with Big Draw LA events throughout Los Angeles. Big Draw LA activities for the entire family will be occurring at Library locations throughout the city, with special focus on the Montrose Library. The utility box murals are sponsored by the Glendale Arts & Culture Commission.  
*Learn more [here](#).*

**October 25 - Montrose Mural Project with Nickelodeon Artist Kristin Donner, 2:00 - 4:00 pm**  
*Montrose Library, 2465 Honolulu Avenue*  
 Kristin Donner, an educator and

**Vote for Montrose as a Great Place!**



Honolulu Avenue in Montrose has been nominated for the 31st Great Place in America Award! This is part of the American Planning Association (APA) 2014 Great Places in America program that celebrates places of exemplary character, quality, and planning. Places are selected annually and represent the gold standard in terms of having a true sense of place, cultural and historical interest, community involvement, and a vision for tomorrow.

This is a people's choice award and Montrose needs your votes. Please click [here](#) to vote and help spread the word.

**Utility Day - Today**



artist at Nickelodeon who has worked in animation for 10 years, will lead this family-friendly community drawing project to recreate our community in drawings. The drawings will make a large panel collage featuring the unique people and places of Montrose and Glendale. Learn more [here](#).

**October 26 - Brand Library Art Galleries, 2:00 pm**  
*Brand Library Art Galleries*  
1601 West Mountain Street  
Sunday's performance will be by Benita Bike's DanceArt Company.  
Learn more [here](#).

**October 29 - Riverwalk Meeting, 4:00 - 8:00 pm**  
4:00 pm - Walk the project area starting at Paula Avenue / Garden Street  
6:30 pm - Community meeting to discuss the future of Riverwalk Phases II & III will commence at the Pacific Community Center, 501 South Pacific Avenue.  
Learn more [here](#).

**October 29 - Author / Illustrator Frans Vischer, 6:30 pm**  
*Casa Verdugo Library, 1151 North Brand Blvd*  
Meet children's book author and illustrator Frans Vischer. Learn what inspired him to write and illustrate his character Fuddles. Bring a favorite drawing of yours to share.  
Learn more [here](#).

**October 30 - Community Meeting Hosted by Crescenta Valley Weekly and Verdugo Woodlands Homeowners Association - Invites you to an Informational Meeting on Council Districting, 6:00 pm**  
*Sparr Heights Community Center, 1613 Glencoe Way*

Check the City's calendar for changes in times or locations [here](#).

Glendale Water & Power (GWP) invites the public to the Utility Operations Center (UOC) to tour the power plant, meet staff, and learn about how water and power get to your home. Utility Day is on Thursday, October 23 at 800 Air Way from 11:30 am - 2:00 pm. Two public tours of the power plant and surrounding facilities will be held at 12:30 pm and 1:30 pm. Free food and refreshments will be available at noon, while supplies last. Parking is available on Air Way and Flower Street, and the entrance to the UOC is on Air Way at Gate C. Look for GWP signs to guide you. For questions please call (818) 548-4828 or email [vavetisian@glendaleca.gov](mailto:vavetisian@glendaleca.gov).

Please be advised that due to the Utility Day events our call center and payment counters will be closed from 11:30 am - 2:00 pm on October 23. All calls will be routed to a voicemail system. Customers that leave a message will receive a response by 5:00 pm that day.

## Glendale On The Move



GTV6's newest episode of *On The Move* is now available! October's episode features the Maple Park Grand Re-Opening, information on workforce development, updates on the various infrastructure projects, more on the Glendale Narrows Riverwalk community workshops, and Halloween safety. Be sure to tune in to Charter channel 6 or check the City's [YouTube](#) channel for new episodes.

## Army of Pink



October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month and the City of Glendale has partnered with Glendale Adventist to promote Army of Pink. The Army's soldiers include Archbishop Derderian, Police Lieutenant Tim Feeley, Deputy Fire Chief Greg Fish, Dr. Harlan Gibbs, Greg Krikorian, and City Manager Scott Ochoa. Learn more about breast cancer prevention and detection and vote for your top Army of Pink soldier at [AdventistHealth.org](http://AdventistHealth.org).

## Halloween Safety



Cats, Spiders, and Ghosts will roam the streets on October 31 as children celebrate Halloween by going trick-or-treating. The Glendale Fire Department encourages parents to think about safety when creating costumes and out trick-or-treating. Be sure costumes are bright, reflective, and fit properly. If your child's costume requires a wig, ensure that it is flame resistant. While trick-or-treating, be sure to have glow sticks or a flash light to help illuminate the walk ways and always cross the street at designated areas. Review STOP-DROP-ROLL with children. The Glendale Fire Department wishes the residents of Glendale a safe and fun Halloween.

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