

MONTHLY MEETING

Wednesday, July 12, 2017

The Newport Beach Animal Shelter is Up and Running! A new refuge for our furry friend.

The City of Newport Beach has recently partnered with Home Free Animal Rescue & Sanctuary to provide boarding, care and feeding of animals collected by the Police Department's Animal Control Division, which coordinates these services. Come and learn about when, where and how the Shelter operates--from domestic animals and how to adopt them to how local wild animals are being controlled.

Guest speakers are Newport Beach Police Officer and Animal Control Supervisor Valerie Schomburg, who has worked for 16 years toward Newport Beach having its own shelter, along with Animal Control Officer Jesse Castro—both sharing their passion for the well-being of the animals in their care.

Former Mayor Nancy Gardner will speak about the Friends of the Newport Beach Animal Shelter, offering information on how citizens can support the shelter, from donations of supplies and funds to volunteering at the shelter.

Questions and answers will follow the presentation.

5:15 – 6 pm – Reception hosted by The Bungalow Restaurant 6 – 7 pm – Program and Q&A

Civic Center Community Room

100 Civic Center Drive, Newport Beach, CA 92660

Please bring your neighbors and friends—guests are always welcome!

No charge to attend. Reservations are not necessary.

For information or to join, call 949.224.2266 or visit www.speakupnewport.com

Speak Up Newport (SUN) is a non-profit, non-partisan citizens group organized to promote the common good and general welfare of the Newport Beach community.

Founded in 1979, it meets monthly, presenting a public forum to hear topics of interest to the local community. SUN produces the annual Mayor's Dinner each February, featuring the Mayor's annual State of the City address.

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