

# Sunnyvale Neighborhoods Quarterly Meeting Notes, February 3, 2014

Hi Sunnyvale Neighborhoods,

We had a great quarterly meeting this week and we want to share the notes with you.

The highlights include:

- Information on the new Levi's 49ers Stadium (from the 49ers and also from Sunnyvale DPS) and the impact on Sunnyvale

Lots of opportunities to give back to the community in whatever ways may work for you!!!

- Reading Partners Program which is in 5 schools in Sunnyvale and is a fulfilling and statistically proven program that is looking for volunteers to help increase literacy in Sunnyvale.

- Reminder of the monthly Personal Emergency Preparedness classes the first Sunday of every month 2-4pm.

- Junior Giants baseball, sponsored by Sunnyvale DPS, is looking for coaches and team parents- no experience necessary!

- Relay for Life is looking for groups, walkers, donors, etc! Date is June 21st and 22nd

- If you are concerned about the residential growth in Sunnyvale (Esp along the El Camino corridor)- consider joining "Keep Sunnyvale Beautiful" at

[www.keepsunnyvalebeautiful.org](http://www.keepsunnyvalebeautiful.org)

See below for more details:

## Sunnyvale Quarterly Neighborhood Association Meeting 3/3/14

7pm- Welcome and Introductions

7:05pm- Impact of the 49ers Stadium on Sunnyvale

with the Sunnyvale PD & **Jim Mercurio- VP of Stadium Operations**

Levi's Stadium- groundbreaking April 19th, 2012

August 2014 - opening the doors... team store, restaurant, green roof, wifi.

68,900 - total seating

Will host Superbowl L in February 2016— currently 85% complete— working on “finishing touches” mostly interior. On target, on budget, on time.

\$1.3billion to build

20,605 parking spaces needed for a sold-out event at Levi’s Stadium

We have 18,865 parking stalls for paid attendance

1,740 employee parking spaces

pre-selling as many parking spots as possible

As of now there are 27,194 (extra parking lots) - will be using golf course for some spots.

#### Public Transit Options

- VTA
- Caltrain
- ACE from stockton to Levi’s Stadium
- Capitol Corridor
- Charter bus companies (Bauer is interested)

Answers to questions:

Will be looking for ways to mitigate traffic constantly

Haven’t finalized rates of parking

There will be bicycle parking

20-25 large scale events per year— includes football games

#### Dep Chief Dayton Pang- City of Sunnyvale

Sunnyvale Actions

meeting monthly with Santa Clara PD

Law Enforcement Services agreement

Up to 4 DPS officers per event serving S’vale- parking enforcement, traffic enforcement, EMS Fire response

Don’t use GPS to get to the stadium as streets will be closed off. Season pass holders will have explicit directions.

Mercado will likely have their own added security

Next Steps

Off Street Parking Ordinance

Traffic Control Coordination  
Community Outreach  
VTA Coordination  
First Event Preparation- August 2, 2014

### Kent Steffens, Director of Public Works- Sunnyvale

Public Transportation

VTA Lightrail— lots of stations in S'vale to get to the station

Caltrain will come to Mtn View and then light rail can take people express to the stadium

Added service for stadium events

Traffic signals— Tasman and Lawrence will be re-timed for events

Some businesses in S'vale may want to lease out their parking lots (if there is a safe way to walk to the stadium)- but it's illegal for individuals to do this.

Closing the road on Wildwood near Mercado after the games so drivers will stay out of Fairwood neighborhood

Casa de Amigos Mobile Park

March 13th at 6pm— DETAILED MEETING ON THE STADIUM - with Santa Clara and Sunnyvale PD and 49ers Operations

--- Please come if you have questions or concerns! ---

1085 Tasman Dr. Sunnyvale

[www.49ersStadiumInfo.inSunnyvale.com](http://www.49ersStadiumInfo.inSunnyvale.com).

### 7:50pm- Reading Partners: Tai Sunnanan Executive Director

National Education Non Profit to close the literacy gap. Sole purpose to help kids learn to read to fight the literacy crisis.

Nationwide- only 42% of 4th graders are reading at grade level

Kids that can't read by 3rd grade are 4X more likely to drop out of high school

In Silicon Valley- 3 of 5 4th graders from schools in-need are not reading at grade-level

If we can increase the college-going rate by 2% in Sunnyvale- we would get 2.1 billion back in city revenue

In CA we've put more \$\$ into prisons in the past 50 years than all education centers put together.

If you're not reading by 3rd grade- we can determine how many prisons to build.

Tutor- minimum of 1 hour/week— 1:1 tutoring... for one semester— Makes All the Difference in the World!

In the 2012-13 year-  
88% of the kids accelerated their progress in reading  
78% of Principals had an increase in reading levels  
82% of classroom teachers report that reading has improved since enrolling in reading partners

Midyear Impact in Sunnyvale  
— average before enrollment—for every month in school the kids are gaining .59 of a month in reading levels  
— Average mid year— for every month- they are now getting 1.9 months of reading skills— 3X greater

Model:  
Relationships  
Structured, Research-Validated Curriculum— anyone can help!  
Data

Schools In Sunnyvale Reading Partners serves:  
Bishop  
Ellis — NEEDS TUTORS  
Lakewood — NEEDS TUTORS  
San Miguel  
Vargas

If you'd like to help, please visit [www.readingpartners.org](http://www.readingpartners.org)

8:15pm- Personal Emergency Preparedness: Anna Ravenscroft  
Sunnyvale Personal Emergency Preparedness Coordinator

Help people overcome the overwhelmed feeling about anticipating the next emergency

New monthly 2-hour classes being offered  
to all residents PEP personal emergency preparedness ... a quick and easy way to be prepared!  
— what to keep in an emergency kit  
— what should be in your car, etc.  
— who do you contact in a disaster— where will we meet?  
— prioritization checklist

FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH AT DPS! 2-4pm.

Will also go to a neighborhood asso meeting and train people!

To sign up or for questions—  
[sunnyvalepep@gmail.com](mailto:sunnyvalepep@gmail.com)

8:25pm- **Comments from Neighborhoods:** Eric Krock from the new Cherry Chase NA will share some construction concerns

Keep Sunnyvale Beautiful— concerns about traffic with new building and less lanes of traffic. If you want to do something and you're skeptical of the plan... join us [www.keepsunnyvalebeautiful.org](http://www.keepsunnyvalebeautiful.org)

Ross Spencer— Police Athletic League- helping kids with life lessons, integrity, confidence, leadership  
Junior Giants baseball from 5 years old to 18yrs— last year inaugural season  
Request: Needs coaches/volunteer team parents!!! Has many many kids to serve.  
Will teach the coaches how to be coaches  
[www.sunnyvalepal.com](http://www.sunnyvalepal.com)

Rebecca Bonham Sunnyvale Relay for Life  
Will be June 21-22nd— primary fundraiser for the cancer society  
you can put a team together— then walk the track for 24 hours one day a year.  
Need volunteers day of, people to put teams together, etc.  
All volunteer run  
[www.relayforlife.org/sunnyvaleca](http://www.relayforlife.org/sunnyvaleca)

8:30pm- Adjourn

Respectfully Submitted by Reid Myers