



NOISE AT PALOMAR AIRPORT

Over the summer, CBS 8 News reached out to C4FA after frustrated local residents contacted the news station about the ever increasing noise and flight path issues at Palomar Airport. C4FA partnered with volunteers from over 16 homeowner associations (HOAs), representing residents in Carlsbad, San Marcos, Vista, and Oceanside.

The first in a series of CBS8 episodes was aired last week featuring Carlo Cecchetto. Take a look at the coverage for yourselves, and then read the accompanying report by Carlo Cecchetto and CBS8 Investigative reporter, Dorian Hargrove. As we all have known for years, the FAA points to the County to manage the noise and flight path issues, and the County points right back to the FAA, and nothing appears to change.

Here's the link:

<https://www.cbs8.com/article/news/investigations/carlsbad-residents-mcclellan-palomar-airport-flight-curfew-violations/509-7e8bc283-51b8-46a1-832c-d7340e31efa9>

Additionally, when the HOA's pointed out that it's difficult to make noise complaints via the County website, this dedicated number was provided:

**Palomar Airport Complaint Hotline:
760-966-3288**

Please include:

- Name and contact telephone number
- Date and time of incident
- Address of incident (cross streets are acceptable too)
- Describe the complaint (e.g. low flying plane, late night jet, etc.)

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SEPTEMBER 14— SVC COMMUNITY MEETING

By Annie Bader, *North County Daily Star*

South Vista Communities' fall meeting was held at Shadowridge Golf Club. They invited City Manager John Conley, who offered an overview of development activities in Vista. This update included details of Vista's growth, including transportation, infrastructure, circulation, housing, parks, and recreation, all vital components of the city's 2023 general plan.



L-R: Board President Dr. Francis Dumler, Board Member Stephanie Jackel, Vista City Manager John Conley

Crime Prevention Specialist George Hernandez provided very helpful information about recognizing and avoiding fraud, particularly via the internet and by phone.

It was really good to see friends and neighbors again after several years of pandemic concerns.

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Please call and report the issues. Please ask your neighbors to call as well. Online reporting ensures the complaint is 100% captured, but we know the County's online reporting system is cumbersome to use. (Instructions for filing an online Noise complaint may be found on our website at www.c4fa.org).

The data won't lie. We need your help. Please make those calls especially for late night flights. It's been a long battle, and there's a lot more to do, but the HOA's and C4FA are not going anywhere.

As always, if you have questions, please reach out to us at c4fa.info@gmail.com. Thank you for your continued support.

Your Friends and Neighbors at Citizens for a Friendly Airport

JOIN CONSERVATION OPPORTUNITIES

From the Conservation Core, Wild Animal Park:


Our first action day will be **Saturday November 4th in Oceanside**. We will be joining Surfrider Foundation, a local environmental organization that focuses on keeping our shorelines clean, at Oceanside Pier for a beach clean up from 9:00–11:00am. This is an all ages event. Children under the age of 14 must be accompanied by a guardian or responsible adult.

Our second action day will be **Saturday December 9th at San Elijo Lagoon**. We will be working with Nature Collective on a habitat restoration project from 9:00–12:00pm. More details on exactly where to meet and what to expect will be provided as we get closer to the date. Children must be at least 6 years old to participate in this event, and any children under the age of 14 must be accompanied by a guardian or responsible adult.

Reply to: Julie Nute M.S., Safari Park Education Dept., jnute@sdzwa.org

RECREATION VEHICLE (RV) USER Know Before You Go...



You can keep pollutants, like bacteria, out of our waterways by using RV dump stations.



Tips for proper disposal:

- ✓ Secure both ends of the hose before opening tank valve.
- ✓ Do not leave hose unattended while dumping.
- ✓ Tightly close valves when dumping is complete.
- ✓ Only rinse spills toward the dump station inlet pipe.
- ✓ Have dry clean-up materials on hand for spills.

When you enjoy the environment, help protect it by using RV dump stations to keep pollutants out of our local waterways. To find dump stations or more resources, visit Stormwater at (www.cityofvista.com/Stormwater) or call Water Quality Hotline: 760-643-2804



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