



# BGC Main Club March Newsletter

## \*Department Updates\*

**Technology Lab:** Torch Club will be having a fundraiser to raise funds for new technology equipment to better advance our program during Spring Break.

**Art Department:** Belmont Senior Center on March 2nd. RAW ARTISTS DAY at the club this Sat., March 6th from 9:30-2:30. Local artists will hold an art workshop, a hip hop workshop, an acting workshop and a photography workshop for all kids enrolled in elementary and middle school acting class.

On Tues March 23, twelve elementary artists will begin a 3 Tuesdays in a row ceramics program at Inner City Arts

**Athletics:** Shape Up Campaign March 14th, LA Galaxy March 27

**Soccer session Kick off:** Washington Elementary March 29th,  
Miller Elementary: April 5th

## \*Events in March\*

### READ ACROSS AMERICA

Boys & Girls Club of Burbank and Greater East Valley is having their annual Read-A-Thon which will begin on **March 1st**. Winners will be chosen depending on the number of pages read. All entries need to be submitted by **March 31<sup>st</sup>**.

Prizes will include: Movie tickets, Kid's Castle vouchers, and much more!!!!

Please get a submission flyer from Ms. Iris in the Learning Center.

### National Boys & Girls Club Week

March 21st through March 27th is National Boys & Girls Club Week . Activities will include a look alike contest, Theme Days, Vice Mayor visit, Parent/ child night of service (more information below), and much more.

**Parent /Child Night of Service** will be on March 23rd 6:00-7:30 @ the Main Club. Parents and children will be writing letters and creating art for the troops. Please come to show your support.



## Spring Break

ATTENTION PARENTS: Spring Break is March 15-19  
The Main Club will be open from 7am-7pm.

Activities include:

March 15th: La Brea Tar Pits 1pm-4pm (\$3)

March 16th: Horseback Riding\* 10am-1pm (\$25)

March 17th: Nature Center Hike 1-3pm (\$3)

(Members must have bottled water and appropriate shoes)

March 18th: Shane's Inspiration Griffith Park 11am-2pm (\$3)

March 19th: Long Beach Aquarium of the Pacific 10am-3pm (\$12)

### Fresh and Easy Stores

Fresh and Easy is opening a store on Verdugo and Olive. Every time they open a store, they donate \$1,000 to a local non profit. There's a link where neighbors of Burbank can nominate non profits. Please nominate BGC of Burbank and Greater East Valley at

<http://www.freshandeasy.com/NominateGroup.aspx>



### Important Dates

03/01 Read-a-thon Begins

3/14 Shape Up Campaign

3/15-3/19 Spring Break

03/23 Parent/Child night of service

03/27 Summer Registration  
9am-3pm

03/21-03/27 National BGC Week

3/31 Read-a-thon submissions due

