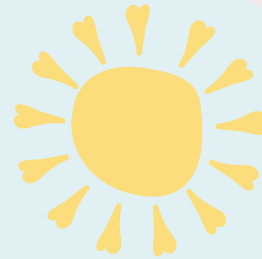


Important Numbers:

Access Services	(800) 827-0829	L.A. Sheriff's Dept.	(562) 863-8711
Adult Protective Services	(877) 477-3646	Legal Aid	(800) 834-5001
Alondra Library	(562) 868-7771	Norwalk Library	(562) 868-0775
Athens Trash Services	(888) 336-6100	Norwalk School District	(562) 868-0431
Child Abuse Hotline	(800) 540-4000	Public Safety	(562) 929-5732
Child Development Program	(562) 462-1713	Public Services	(562) 929-5511
City Hall	(562) 929-5700	Recreation	(562) 929-5702
Dial a Ride Reservation	(562) 929-7512	Senior Center	(562) 929-5580
D.P.S.S.	(866) 613-3777	Social Security	(866) 331-4279
Hall of Records	(562) 462-2137	Sports Complex	(562) 929-5566
Home Delivered Meals	(562) 929-5580	Suicide & Crisis Lifeline	988
Info Line	211	Transportation	(562) 929-5550
IHSS	(888) 822-9622	Wesley Health Center	(562) 281-0305
		WIC	(888) 942-2229

Norwalk City Council

Mayor: Margarita Rios
 Vice Mayor: Tony Ayala
 Council Member: Jennifer Perez
 Council Member: Rick Ramirez
 Council Member: Ana Valencia



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 Jesus M. Gomez, City Manager
 Gabriela Regalado, Director of Social Services

Beginning January 1, 2024 providers will receive a monthly, per child payment for cost of care plus rates based on child care services provided during December 2023-May 2025. Payments will cover the service months of December 2023 through May 2025. Providers final payment will be issued June 2025.

Per-child plus rate amounts:

- Centers - \$171
- Licensed Family Child Care Providers - \$171
- Licensed-Exempt Providers - \$119



May 2024

Child Development Program

The Social Services Center will be closed on Monday, May 27, 2024 in observance of Memorial Day.

WHAT IS SUBSIDIZED CHILDCARE?

OUR PROGRAMS CAN HELP PAY FOR ALL OR PART OF YOUR CHILDCARE EXPENSES. A VARIETY OF CHILDCARE PROVIDER OPTIONS ARE AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT THE COMMUNITY.

WHO CAN BE SERVED?

NEWBORNS THROUGH CHILDREN 13 YEARS OF AGE. OLDER CHILDREN WITH EXCEPTIONAL NEEDS MAY ALSO RECEIVE SERVICES.

DO I QUALIFY?

YOU MAY QUALIFY IF YOU ARE:

- WORKING
- SEEKING EMPLOYMENT
- ATTENDING SCHOOL
- ENROLLED IN VOCATIONAL TRAINING
- RECEIVING CASH AID (CALWORKS)
- A CALWORKS RECIPIENT WITHIN THE LAST 24 MONTHS

WE ARE LOCATED AT:

11929 ALONDRA BLVD.
 NORWALK CA, 90650

OFFICE HOURS

MONDAY THROUGH THURSDAY
 8:00 A.M. TO 6:00 P.M.
 FRIDAY
 8:00 A.M. TO 5:00 P.M.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL (562) 462-1713.

Come join us for

FLOWER GARDEN PAINT NIGHT

LET'S PAINT FLOWERS! STOP BY THE SOCIAL SERVICES CENTER TO LEARN HOW TO PAINT FLOWERS AND A GARDEN ON A CANVAS IN A CLASS LED BY OUR RECREATION STAFF. ALL AGES ARE ENCOURAGED TO PARTICIPATE. SNACKS AND LIGHT REFRESHMENTS WILL BE PROVIDED TO THOSE IN ATTENDANCE. TO REGISTER, PLEASE CALL (562) 929-5544.

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 2024
5:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.
COST: FREE
NORWALK SOCIAL SERVICES CENTER
11929 ALONDRA BLVD.
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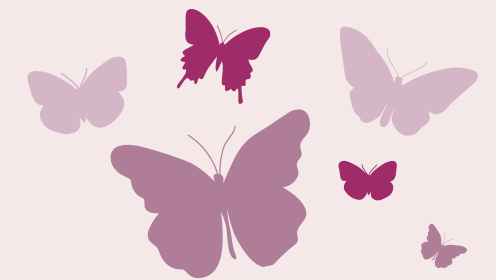
Thursday, May 16, 2024 | 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Cost: Free

Happy Mother's Day! Calling all families to come out and learn how to make a lantern while enjoying a picnic and a viewing of the movie, "Encanto." All ages are encouraged to participate. Snacks and light refreshments will be provided to those in attendance.

To register please call (562) 929-5544.
Norwalk Social Services Center
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Beaded Pipe Cleaner Butterflies

Supplies needed:
2.5 Pipe cleaners (12" length)
Plastic pony beads
Clothespin
White Glue
Glitter



Important Reminders

- In order for payment(s) to be issued in a timely manner please ensure that you are submitting the original Attendance Record(s) and Provider Payment Request(s) (PPR) to our office on-time. Take note that the April Timesheets are due: May 1, 2024 to May 5, 2024
- Licensed Providers: Please remember that our 2024-2025 fiscal year will begin soon. This is the time to gather all your provider re-contracting documents. If you are unsure of the documents that are need, please feel free to contact our office at (562) 462-1713 for supplemental information.

- Step 1: Add about 40 pony beads to each of the 12 inch pipe cleaners, leaving about 1 inch empty at both ends. Make sure you leave enough of the pipe cleaner empty at the ends or it will be really hard to twist them into the butterfly wing shapes.
- Step 2: Take the two ends of the beaded pipe cleaner and cross them slightly to form a circle. Twist the pipe cleaner ends and wrap them around the circle to make a full beaded circle shape.
- Step 3: Spread the beads apart at the top and bottom of the circle (there should be 20 beads on each side), leaving about 1/2 inch of pipe cleaner exposed at the top and bottom.
- Step 4: Pinch the top and bottom of the circle together and twist two or three times to make an 8 shape. Repeat the steps with the second beaded pipe cleaner so you end up with 2 eight shaped butterfly wings.
- Step 5: Add a generous amount of white glue to the top of the clothespin. You can add glue and glitter on the entire top, including the groove and the little metal piece if you like as well. Not recommended: adding glue and glitter to the sides of the clothespin.
- Step 6: It takes a couple hours for the glue and glitter to dry, but it's worth the wait! After everything is dry, pinch open the end of the clothespin and slide in the butterfly wings.
- Step 7: Reshape the pipe cleaners into even butterfly wing shapes. Finally, take that last 6 inch pipe cleaner and fold it in half. Add one pony bead to one end, then curl it around in a spiral to make the butterfly's antenna. Repeat on the other end of the pipe cleaner so you have two even, beaded ends to the antenna. Slide the pipe cleaner into the end of the clothespin, and you're done!

Source: <https://onelittleproject.com/beaded-pipe-cleaner-butterflies/>