

Redding Connects

Your Connection to City Services



April 2019

Building a Better Planet, One Person and One Community at a Time

We all want to live on a healthy planet — one that is healthy, free of pollution, and always renewing itself. A healthy planet results from healthy living and healthy communities. You can find out more at the:

**2019 Whole Earth and Watershed Festival,
April 20 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the
Redding City Hall and Sculpture Park.**

February's Winter storm that dropped a foot of snow in Redding was a major inconvenience for many of you. It toppled trees, blocked roads, and fell on vehicles. Tens of thousands of customers lost power. But the snow also replenished our groundwater and provided vital moisture for our ecosystem.

The festival, honoring Earth Day, will showcase local and regional businesses and organizations promoting sustainable products, renewable energy, environmental advocacy, and natural resource conservation. The goal of the event is to provide information that improves the health of our residents, our community, and our planet.

Over 100 exhibitors will provide information about sustainability, climate change, and resource preservation. Other booths will have information on personal fitness, mental wellness, gardening, crafts, face-painting, animal adoption, alternative transportation, and lifestyle choices. A wide range of food and beverage stations will be at the festival as well.



Key activities include:

- Keynote Theatre will feature inspiring and informative speakers and videos throughout the day.
- Music Festival within the Festival, featuring a wide range of regional and local bands and performers, including the Dead Winter Carpenters, Hannah Jane Kile, Jonathan Foster, Nick Ciampi Band, Against the Grain, and Anna Jae
- Eco Fashion Show
- STEM + Arts (STEAM) Tents and Children's Zone offer awesome activities

We encourage you to bring your family and friends and make a day of it!

Numerous city agencies — including Redding Electric Utility, Redding Police Department, Redding Fire Department, and the Redding Parks & Recreation Department — will have booths and distribute products and information geared to improving the health, safety, and sustainability of families, communities, and the planet.

We hope to see you there!

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Redding Electric Utility

POWERING A STRONG COMMUNITY



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TAKE THE CHALLENGE



APRIL 1 - MAY 31

Get all the details online at mayorsmtbchallenge.org

MOSQUITOES CAN BREED IN JUST A CAPFUL OF water

1,000,000+ FROM A POOL

100+ FROM A CUP

Protect yourself from mosquitoes and the diseases they carry by following the 4 D's

- DRAIN** ✓ all standing water
- DEFEND** ✓ yourself by using EPA approved repellent
- DRESS** ✓ in long sleeves and pants when mosquitoes are active
- DUSK & DAWN** ✓ Avoid outdoor activities at dusk & dawn

Shasta Mosquito & Vector Control District
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Do you hear it coming to the Redding Library?

Saturday, April 6th from 10am to 12pm, Rev, Rumble, & Roar! returns to the Redding Library. Kids can climb aboard emergency, construction, and military vehicles to see what it is like behind the wheel.

Now in its 5th year, this free family event is a proud part of First 5 Shasta's Week of the Young Child. Some of the most popular attractions will be back, like the Vietnam-era Huey helicopter, the fire engine, and the special story time aboard a school bus.

For more information call our Children's Desk at 530-245-7253 or visit www.shastalibraries.org/rev.

For more Week of the Young Child fun, the Anderson Library brings you some Fun Down on the Farm. There will be a mini petting zoo, story time, face painting, balloon creations, and much more. Thurs., April 11th at 3:30-5pm. Call 530-365-7685 for info.

REV, RUMBLE, & ROAR!

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