

MACC Staff Report – 3/1/23

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MACC Building Updates

MACC Staff is now working virtually as well as officing out of the AARC, the DAC and the Carver.

City of Austin sites have claimed furniture, equipment, etc. Big thanks to MACC staff and Museums and Cultural Programs staff for finding homes for so many of the items we have cleaned out of our spaces!



The La Mujer Mosaic Mural has been installed on the SouthEast our property at the edge of the Hike and Bike trail , and we are producing a video and programming that will tie it to our La Mujer events in April.



The *axolotes* (Mexican salamanders) that used to live in our Raul Salinas room have been safely relocated to the Austin Nature and Science Center.



The Tejano Legends Sculpture has been moved safely into storage on-site at the MACC.

Staff Updates

- Frederico Geib has accepted a position with Cultural Arts Division. He oversees AIPP projects at the MACC.
- Lorie Martinez has accepted the acting Supervisor position at the MACC
- The MACC is hiring for other vacant positions, make sure to check [AustinCityJobs.org](https://www.austincityjobs.org) for open positions.
- The Parks and Recreation Department is hiring for Summer! [Austintexas.gov/department/join-our-team](https://www.austintexas.gov/department/join-our-team)

Holistic Wellness Programming

Our Holistic Wellness Program offers bilingual (English and Spanish) FREE programming across Austin.

[Take Our Survey](#) to gather feedback and ideas on additional programs to be added to our 2023 programming.

Emma S. Barrientos
Mexican American Cultural Center

March-September
2023

Holistic Wellness Program



FREE!

****Todas las clases son bilingües
- inglés y español****

***2 hrs FREE garage parking
at Central Library***

- Adaptive Yoga**
Monday @ 6:30pm
South Austin Recreation Center
- Chair Yoga**
Wednesday @ 11am
George Morales Dove Springs
Recreation Center
- Yoga for All Levels**
Saturday @ 10am
George Morales Dove Springs
Recreation Center
- Kid's Capoeira (5-15)**
Saturday @ 12pm
George Morales Dove Springs
Recreation Center
- Taller Abierto:
Painting/Drawing Workshop (15+)**
Thurs, March 2 and Wed, April 5
10-11:30am
George Morales Dove Springs
Recreation Center
- Gardening/Composting/Recycling**
Wednesday, March 8 @ 6-7:30pm
Carver Branch - Meeting Room
- Afro-Latin Flow**
Sunday @ 2pm
George Morales Dove Springs
Recreation Center
• March 12, 26
• April 16, 30
• May 7, 21
- Adult Story Hour, Celebrating Women
Who Tell Our Stories**
Wed, March 15 @ Twin Oaks Branch
Mon, March 20 @ Southeast Branch
Tues, March 28 @ Central Library
- Learn to Row (18+)**
Mar 23, April 27, May 25 @ 6-7:30pm
Austin Rowing Club
- Taller Abierto:
Painting/Drawing Workshop (15+)**
Sat, Mar 25 @ 2:30-4pm
North Village Library
- Voice/Guitar/Songwriting Lessons
Beginner (15+)**
Monday @ 4pm
Windsor Park Library
• April 3, 17
• May 1, 15
- Voice/Guitar/Songwriting Lessons
Intermediate (15+)**
Monday @ 4pm
University Hills Library
• April 10, 24
• May 8, 22
- Gardening/Composting/Recycling**
Wednesday, April 12 @ 6-7:30pm
Central Library - Demo Area
- Drumming Lessons**
Sunday @ 1pm
George Morales Dove Springs
Recreation Center
• April 16, 30
• May 7, 21
- Road to Financial Freedom**
Wednesday, May 10 @ 6-7:30pm
Carver Branch - Meeting Room
- Cooking Demo: Vegan**
Wednesday, June 14 @ 6-7:30pm
Central Library - Demo Area/Kitchen
- Stress Reduction/ Meditation**
Wednesday, July 12 @ 6-7:30pm
Carver Branch - Meeting Room
- Cooking Demo: High Protein**
Wednesday, August 9 @ 6-7:30pm
Central Library - Demo Area/Kitchen
- Home Ownership**
Wednesday, September 13 @ 6-7:30pm
Carver Branch - Computer Room
- Day of Wellness**
Sunday, March 26 @ 8:30am-1pm
Sunset Valley Community Garden
- Guitar Lessons: Beginner (15+)**
Tuesday @ 2pm
Twin Oaks Library Branch
• April 4, 18
• May 2, 16, 30
- Guitar Lessons: Intermediate (15+)**
Tuesday @ 2pm
Twin Oaks Library Branch
• April 11, 25
• May 9, 23

Programs Locations:

Austin Public Libraries:

- Central Library (78701)
- Carver Library (78702)
- Twin Oaks (78704)
- SouthEast (78744)
- Windsor Park (78723)
- University Hills (78723)
- North Village (78757)
- The Carver Museum (78702)
- South Austin Recreation Center
- Dove Springs Recreation Center (78744)
- Sunset Valley Community Garden (78745)
- Austin Rowing Club (78701)



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Day of Wellness

Sunday March 26, 2023

Join us for our annual Day of Wellness at our ESS-MACC Healing Garden's new temporary location in the peaceful Sunset Valley Organic Community Garden.

8:30am: Hike with a Doctor
9:30am: Gardening
10:30am: Yoga and Meditation
**11:30-1pm: Nature Painting Demo
Live Acoustic Guitar
Craft Project**

Please dress comfortably and appropriately for the weather.
For more information contact: Lorie Martinez at 512.974.3773
or maccwellness@austintexas.gov,
visit: austintexas.gov/essmacc

1160 Lone Oak Trail, Sunset Valley, TX 78745
"Across the street from Sunset Valley City Hall"

For Details

The following organizations will be on-site sharing resources and information:
CommUnityCare
American Heart Association
The Trail Conservancy

10 Holistic Wellness classes and events have been added at 5 new locations (including NE and NW Austin): Taller Abierto, Adult Story Hour, Learn to Row, Guitar Lessons (Beg/Int), Voice Lessons (Beg/Int), Drumming Lessons.

March 26th Day of Wellness is a full day of programming, also planned for the Carver Museum are a one-man play with Adrian Villegas of Latino Comedy Project called *Barrio Daze* on 4/14 & Documentary Screening on an Andes Healer on 4/27.

Signature Event: La Mujer

For *La Mujer*, Spring signature event, we will host pop-up activities and art activations at over 6 weeks, at various locations in Austin. We will have activities at Spring women's events at the Elizabeth Ney Museum (4/22), UT Latino Studies (3/25) & the American Heart Association's Vestido Rojo event (4/1). Workshops include women's self-defense classes, women's storytelling and art making activities that celebrate the accomplishments of Latinas in central Texas. To kick off our *La Mujer* programming, we will publicly (virtually) unveil our highly anticipated *La Mujer Mosaic Mural*.





Education/ Summer Camp

Our Cosecha Summer camp has already filled all its sessions! We held early enrollment Feb 18-24, and on Feb 25 registration opened to everyone. Camp takes place at the Asian American Resource Center on Cameron rd. (78754)

There is still waitlist space available as well as plenty of space in our virtual Spring Break camp March 13-17.
www.AustinTexas.gov/MACCEDU

Instructions/ tips on how to register or be added to the waitlist: <https://youtu.be/sdRqDVtrCHQ>

AZTECH (KIDz) CODE // SUMMER CAMP '23

camp 1: june 5th > june 23rd classes are bilingual // English & Spanish
camp 2: june 26th > july 14th (no camp July 4th)
camp 3: july 17th > august 4th
times // (8a.m. > 3p.m.)

...a youth technology program designed to teach students how to code, create video games, and monetize their creations!

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Logos: Dana S. Burdette Mexican American Cultural Center, CAPA, Austin, AZTECH KIDz CODE, Academia Cuauhtli

Aztech Kidz Code is a FREE bilingual summer Danza Mexico and coding camp in collaboration with the Academia Cuauhtli, which is specifically designed for developing STEM skills using coding tools for kids.

This camp is a project-based, language, and Indigenous STEM program for second to sixth-grade students attending the Austin Independent School District. This is a youth technology program designed to teach students how to code, create video games, and monetize their creations.

This camp is open to current Academia Cuauhtli students and emergent bilingual students. Classes are taught in Spanish and Nahuatl. Summer camp registrations are now closed. For information about Academia Cuauhtli, please visit academiacuauhtli.com

Location: Sanchez Elementary School

Dates: Monday through Friday, 8 am - 3 pm

Camp #1: Monday, June 5 – June 23, 2023

Camp #2: Monday, June 26 – July 14, 2023 (No Camp on Tuesday, July 4)

Camp #3: Monday, July 17 – August 4, 2023

Caminos Teen Leadership Program



The annual Breaking Barriers Latinx Youth Conference will take place at the Carver Museum on April 8th.

Applications for the 2023-2024 class of Caminos are now online!
www.AustinTexas.gov/Caminos

