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Thursday Night Happy Hour Tonight!

Join your neighbors tonight from 6-8pm for our monthly community happy hour. Our host this month is our very own MBCA Treasurer and neighbor Jed Kling. Located at 782 Brackley Road, Jed has quite the backyard oasis. Come see for yourself and BYOB!

Proposed FY28 Budget Posted to MBCA Website

Per our Bylaws, the initial draft of our proposed Budget is to be posted to the website by September 24th, and a notification sent to residents via this email list with a link to the document. You can download the [PDF HERE](#). Your MBCA Officers have been working hard over the past year to reduce costs, review prior and anticipated future spending, and ensure we are maximizing the use of every dollar we manage on your behalf.

MBCA Focus on Social Events

Starting in 2026, the MBCA has been focused on bringing back many of the fun and exciting social events our predecessors held regularly over the past 50+ years. The pandemic grinded everything to a halt for a few years and we were slow to gain back the momentum.

I am happy to announce that Julia Ludwig has agreed to be our Social Events Chairperson. Julia is the reason we had such a great turnout and awesome time with friends and neighbors at the Summer Kickoff and End of Summer parties. Julia has also begun assembling a new Social Committee to help identify and revive popular events of the past as well as new ideas for bringing the community together. Please reach out to Julia at MBCAsocial@gmail.com if you would like to contribute ideas and help with planning.

[Click HERE](#) for a list of upcoming MBCA Events. Bookmark it and check back often for updates!

Environmental Committee Native Shade Garden

Thank you to Jane Story for leading the effort to revitalize a small parcel of MBCA-owned property in front of the entrance to Oak Grove beach. The area was overgrown with weeds and invasive vines. Jane along with several other community volunteers transformed the area into a native shade garden. Make sure you check it out on your next walk - it will take some time to grow and fill in, and Jane will continue to add more elements over time.

Next Board & General Membership Meeting

The next meeting will be on October 6 and will include our budget proposal for fiscal year 2028 (July 1, 2027 - June 30, 2028). This is your opportunity to ask questions and provide feedback before we ratify the budget on November 10th which requires a simple majority vote to pass.

Thank you for subscribing to notifications from MBCA. This list is for residents of Manhattan Beach only and provides insight into upcoming events, membership meetings, and other community business. Please bookmark the following link on your mobile phone for quick access to the News section of our website for the latest updates throughout the month: <https://mbcaweb.org/blog>

[We look forward to seeing you at an upcoming meeting or event. Together, we keep our community strong.](#)

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