

# City Manager's Report

Tuesday, September 3, 2024





# Council Board and Commission Updates



TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2024

# Hybrid Meetings

- Upcoming Hybrid City Council Meeting
  - Tuesday, September 17 at 5:00 PM
- Hybrid Boards and Commissions Meetings (All Meetings on Zoom)
  - Parks/Recreation Commission – Thu. Sept 5 at 5:00 PM
  - Utility Board – Tue. Sept 10 at 5:00 PM
  - Arts Council – Mon. Sept 16 at 5:30 PM

Visit [www.mercerisland.gov/meetings](http://www.mercerisland.gov/meetings) for more information.



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# Summer Recap

Thank you to everyone who participated in making this summer unforgettable – whether you attended one of the seven Mostly Music in the Park concerts, contributed or participated in Summer Celebration, saw a Shakespeare in the Park performance, joined Juneteenth or Pride in the Park, enrolled in a summer camp or stopped by the Community Center for a round of pickleball – you’ve all made Mercer Island vibrant, fun, and a special place to be!



# Pride in the Park

- The Mercer Island Pride in the Park event was a success, despite the challenging weather.
- The community spirit truly shone through!
- Activities, included lively music from an enthusiastic band, food vendors, and a fantastic RuPAWS Puppy Parade and Costume Contest.
- It was terrific to see participants of all ages coming together to celebrate and we thank Mercer Island Pride+ for their partnership in this event.



# Thank you to our Summer event sponsors!

Mercer Island Martial Arts

John L. Scott

Parent Map

Belle Harbour

Mercer Island City Lifestyle

Island Animal Hospital

Windermere

Abode Consulting

Puget Sound Energy

Baklinski Home

Improvement

Mercer Island Community  
Fund

The Mercer

Pure Food Fish Market

Island Books

Island Treats

Mercer Island School District

Haka Hat

Mioposto

4Culture

Mercer Island Visual Arts  
League

MIHS Black Student Union

Pride+



# Upcoming Events



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# Art Uncorked

- Mercer Island's First Friday Art Walk is set to coincide with the annual **Art Uncorked** event for an evening of fun - catch both events on September 7 for a creative exploration of art, wine, and more in Town Center.
- Art Uncorked will feature a tasting garden, live music, and food. See the schedule and get your tickets on the event website.

<https://www.mercerislandartuncorked.com/>



Title Sponsor



THE MERCER  
APARTMENT HOMES

Presented by Mercer Island Chamber

Mercer Island  
**Art 2024**  
**UnCorked**

Music  
Art  
Food  
Wine  
Tasting

Saturday, September 7th  
3:00pm-7:00pm

21+ Event Only  
20+ Wineries, Food Trucks, Artisan Booths, Music, Photo Booth, Games and More!



# Mid-Autumn Festival

- The City has partnered with the Mercer Island Chinese Association to bring the Mid-Autumn Festival to the Community Center on **September 22 from 10am – 2pm.**
- This event will be filled with beautiful lanterns, delicious mooncakes, incredible performances, fun games and activities for the entire family.
- For more information, visit: <https://www.michinese.org/>

百家 ASIAN FAMILY MARKET  
Mercer Island  
Mid Autumn Festival  
**Carnival**  
默瑟岛中秋嘉年华

**FREE ENTRY**  
免费入场

SEP. 22, 2024  
SUNDAY,  
10 AM - 2 PM  
MERCER ISLAND  
COMMUNITY & EVENT  
CENTER

WIN  
\$100+ VALUE  
GOODIE BAGS  
FOR THOSE WHO WIN ALL  
THE GAMES  
闯关成功获\$100大礼包!

KUNGFU | 功夫  
HAN COSTUME | 汉服秀  
PERFORMANCES | 表演  
GAMES | 闯关游戏  
ARTS & CRAFTS | 手工  
ARTISAN MARKETS | 集市  
BOBA TEA | 奶茶饮品  
MOONCAKES | 各式月饼

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CITY OF MERCER ISLAND WASHINGTON  
DIAMOND SPONSOR 百家 ASIAN FAMILY MARKET  
GOLD SPONSORS bAklinski HOME IMPROVEMENT Jessica Livingston ENGINEER MERCE ISLAND



# Some Good News

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# Welcome, Officer Bonagofski

- Recently, our newest officer was sworn in at the Law Enforcement Academy, Luke Bonagofski.
- Officer Bonagofski graduates with the top academic score in his academy class.
- Excellent job, Officer Bonagofski! We're excited to have you supporting our community.



**Thank you!**

