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## City of Sandy At Your Service



A Monthly Bulletin of Community News

**LEAVES** - As leaves begin to pile up in the street and in your yard we are often asked whether it is okay to rake leaves into the gutter for pick up by the street sweeper. The sweeper is not able to pick up leaves raked into the street, especially when they are wet. The weight of the leaves overloads one side of the conveyor that picks up the sweepings, (think of your washing machine with an unbalanced load). Please do not rake leaves from your yard into the street.

But what to do with the leaves? Weekly yard debris pickup is included with your garbage service through Hoodview Disposal. If you don't have garbage service Metro's recycling hotline, (503-234-3000) has great tips for composting leaves, (they are easy to compost) and a list of leaf disposal sites.

We would also like to send a big shout-out to all the residents who have helped us by cleaning leaves from drain grates in your neighborhoods during the recent wet weather. Since we can't be everywhere at once this kind of thoughtful effort really helps.

**LIGHTS** – With the recent change back to standard time and longer hours of darkness burnt-out streetlights are more noticeable. Nearly all streetlights are maintained by PGE. If you notice a burnt-out streetlight in your neighborhood you can report it to PGE at this address: <a href="https://www.portlandgeneral.com/forms/report-streetlight-problem">https://www.portlandgeneral.com/forms/report-streetlight-problem</a> or call <a href="800-544-1795">800-544-1795</a> and press 3. You should be prepared to provide an address or street intersection or look on the pole for a round or oval metal tag with the pole and map number.

The SANDY SHOPPER arrives in time for the Holidays!

The Shopper begins December CATCH A RIDE, IT IS FREE!! 503-668-3466 for more information and to find out how you can ride.





## **BREAKFAST WITH SANTA**

Sandy Senior Center 38348 Pioneer Blvd. ~ Sandy Saturday, December 3rd 7:00 am to 12:00 noon \$4.00 per person

(\$2.00 children 12 & under)
Fundraiser for Sandy/Boring
Meals-on-Wheels
Pictures with Santa

## **Adult Game Night**

Thursday, December 1st, 6:30-8pm Sandy Library Community Room Part of the MIND-BODY-SPIRIT; creating a vibrant adult life series Remember how much fun you had playing board games as a kid? It's even better now! Bring your favorite board games, drinks (alcoholic or not), and snacks to share. Life is Good, time to play...

GameOn! Contact: <a href="mailto:sjenkins@ci.san">sjenkins@ci.san</a> <a href="mailto:dy.or.us">dy.or.us</a> <a href="mailto:503-668-5537">503-668-5537</a>

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