CHECKING WIFI COVERAGE IN YOUR UNIT (MB)

Starting on Monday, October 22 at 9am, RF Works will be on site to test the recently installed wifi devices to ensure proper wireless coverage in the MB Housing Buildings. RF Works will need access to all areas of MB Housing and will need to access each unit. RF Works will be accompanied by a UCSF Housing representative who will unlock and lock the doors so you do not have to be home for this certification. Each unit will take no longer than 15 minutes. The certification will be completed in one week. If you have any questions, please contact: james.palmer@ucsf.edu.

WEILL NEUROSCIENCES BUILDING EARLY MORNING WORK (MB)

The construction site of the Weill Neurosciences Building, to the south of Mission Bay Housing, has alerted us that they are scheduling concrete pours to start at 3am, about once per week, over the next few months. The next date that this early morning work is scheduled is Wednesday, October 24. If you have any concerns or complaints about this work, please contact the project email or phone number, which will connect you directly to someone on the job site: WeillNeuroBldg@ucsf.edu and 415.502.4013.

SURVEY ABOUT THESE TENANT UPDATES

We would like to know your thoughts about these weekly tenant update emails. If you have 5 minutes, please take this survey and you’ll be entered to win one of three $25 amazon gift cards! Thank you in advance! Link to survey: https://ucsf.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_aWBruPZyXfP5qGV

ANIMALS IN HOUSING (MB/P)

Recently, Housing Services received complaints about animal misbehavior in campus housing. Only individuals who were previously authorized (in writing) to have an animal are permitted to have one in housing. If you have received authorization to have an animal in Housing, you are responsible for the care, supervision and control of the animal at all times. If you have been approved for an animal, please see the “Service or Assistance Animal Partner’s Responsibilities in University Housing” section on our website, https://campuslifeservices.ucsf.edu/housing/services/new_applicants/accessible_housing.
HOUSING FACILITIES WORK NEXT WEEK (MB)

Next Monday through Friday, Facilities will be conducting fire alarm testing in all building common areas. On Tuesday, the ADA units will also be tested. In addition, window cleaning will continue in the North building on Monday. Meanwhile, the South building hallway carpets will be cleaned next week. Lastly, the laundry rooms will be closed for strip and waxing. On Monday, the South room will be closed from 7am-12pm, and the West room will be closed from 12pm-4pm. On Tuesday, the East room will be closed from 7am-12pm, and the North room will be closed from 12pm-4pm. Please notify Girod St. Martin if you have any questions about any of this work at Girod.St.Martin@ucsf.edu.

STRIKE AT UCSF OCTOBER 23-26 (MB/P)

UCSF has received notice from the AFSCME union that both of their bargaining units will strike across the UC system beginning Tuesday, October 23, 2018 at 4:00 a.m. and ending Friday, October 26, 2018 at 3:59 a.m. Shuttle schedules will be impacted, packages and mail deliveries may be delayed, and the Pub at the Rutter Center will be closed. To see the full list of impacts please visit https://intheknow.ucsf.edu.

ALDEA POTHOLE AND PARKING LOT REPAIRS (P)

Housing Services is planning to repair several potholes, a small sinkhole, and resurface a parking lot at Aldea San Miguel Housing starting October 24 through November 2. We have posted a notice on your door and your vehicle if your parking spot will be temporarily relocated during this time. If your vehicle is towed, please contact Atlas Towing directly at 415-673-4242. We apologize for this inconvenience but look forward to the smooth drive along Behr and Adolph Sutro Court afterwards!

STINKY WASHING MACHINES (MB)

Please leave the laundry washing machine doors open when they're not being used. Otherwise, the heat from the machines will be trapped inside and keep the mildew stinky smell inside. And you don’t want your clean laundry to smell like mildew, do ya?

IS YOUR LAUNDRY DONE? CHECK ONLINE! (MB/P)

Speaking of laundry...tired of sitting in the laundry room, watching the dryer spin? If you live at Mission Bay or 145 Irving, you can check the status of your laundry online. You can even have the laundry machine send you a text, telling you that the cycle is done. Just go to http://www.laundryalert.com. Bookmark it, and remember the Sign In ID: UCSF3297.
THE STEP IT UP CHALLENGE IS BACK (MB/P)

‘Tis the season to be healthy! Step it Up returns on Monday, November 5, and registration is open now. The 5-week online wellness challenge focuses on physical activity, gratitude and recognition. Participants who meet the weekly and overall challenge goals will be entered in prize drawings for Amazon.com gift cards (we’re giving away ten every week!). Sign up today as an individual or on a team with colleagues. Challenge is open to UCSF faculty, staff, trainees and students.

https://campuslifeservices.ucsf.edu/wellnesscommunity/services/programs/step_it_up

POTRERO HILL FESTIVAL (MB)

The 29th Annual Potrero Hill Festival takes place on Saturday, October 20, 2018, from 11:00 am - 4:00 pm on 20th Street between Wisconsin and Missouri Streets. Experience the “flavor” of the Potrero community, featuring local food vendors and chefs, artists, musicians, historians, homegrown entertainment and much more! http://potrerofestival.com

SLICE OF SAFETY RETURNS THIS FALL (MB/P)

Join Housing Services you enjoy a FREE pizza dinner and safety presentation with UCPD at 6 PM on Tuesday, October 23rd (Aldea) and Wednesday the 24th (Mission Bay). Take our quiz at the end of the workshop for your chance to win an emergency preparedness kit for your home! All Tenants and well-behaved children are welcome to attend. Please RSVP here if you plan to attend: (Aldea, 10/23 at 6 PM) https://www.eventbrite.com/e/slice-of-safety-aldea-tickets-50982122902 (Mission Bay, 10/24 at 6 PM) https://www.eventbrite.com/e/slice-of-safety-mission-bay-tickets-50982429820

CREEPY CRAWLIES! BUG SCIENCE CLASS FOR KIDS (AGES 2-5) (MB)

Do you know the difference between an insect and a bug? Come meet entomologist Stephanie Dole, PhD (aka “Beetlelady”) at the Housing Community Room at Mission Bay on Saturday, October 27th (from 10:00-11:15am) as she teaches “bug science” for kids. This class is specifically designed for the Pre-K audience (ages 2-5) and includes an interactive story time, live bug time where kids get to meet real bugs up close, movement time where kids get to imagine they are bugs, a bug song or rhyme, and buggy art where children can explore what they have just learned through creativity. The class utilizes live invertebrates, museum-quality displays, and hands-on activities. Adult caregivers must be present. Class is FREE (sponsored by Housing Services) and is limited to 30 kids. Please register for the number of kid attendees ONLY. For more information and to register your
VOLUNTEER TO HAND OUT CANDY TO THE TRICK-OR-TREATERS (MB/P)

To create a fun and easy Halloween Trick or Treating experience for the kids within our housing communities, Housing Services Events team is putting together a list of apartments that have signed up to participate in handing out candy on Wednesday, October 31st from 5pm – 8pm. Tenants who sign up to hand out candy should provide their own candy (not provided by Housing). Because Mission Bay Housing is such a large housing complex with so many units and we want kids to be able to trick-or-treat without having to knock on every door, Housing tries to make it a little easier for them. If you would like to volunteer to buy some candy or treats for the kids and hand them out to trick-or-treaters on Halloween, Wednesday, October 31st from 5-8 PM, please sign up through this link: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/hand-out-candy-on-halloween-tickets-51083890291 We will then put a pumpkin on your door to let the kids know where to find all the goodies. Please sign up no later than Monday, October 29th.

Parents: Housing will also deliver a list of participating apartments to your door on Halloween to make your lives a little easier. If for some reason you don’t get a list on your door, please make sure to stop by the Housing Office before 5 PM on October 31st to pick one up.

For those of you who don’t know what Halloween and trick-or-treating is all about, here’s a helpful video https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vtWYMyMmTUR8.