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| http://www.lasvegasnevada.gov/images/clear.gif   |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **FREE TENNIS IN SEPTEMBER!** Mayor Carolyn G. Goodman is the official spokesperson to kick off Tennis Month for the United States Tennis Association in Nevada. Register now for free tennis clinics throughout September at [www.ustanevada.com/](http://www.ustanevada.com/)http://www.lasvegasnevada.gov/images/icons/icoExternalLink.gif. Any Southern Nevada child or adult age 3 and older may participate and receive a free USTA-Nevada membership or USTA Junior membership (ages 10 and younger). Tennis clinics will be provided at local participating tennis facilities (free loaner racquet included). Call [(702) 792-8384](tel:%28702%29%20792-8384) to register or complete a registration form online at [www.ustanevada.com/](http://www.ustanevada.com/)http://www.lasvegasnevada.gov/images/icons/icoExternalLink.gif. See the [flier](http://www.lasvegasnevada.gov/images/FREE_Tennis_Flier_Sept_2013.jpg).  **CITY OF LAS VEGAS KICKS OFF NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS MONTH** *City Features KCLV Special, Provides Tips on Social Media, Offers Educational Opportunities*    The city of Las Vegas is participating in National Preparedness Month in September by offering a variety of ways for the public to receive tips and other important information.  KCLV Channel 2, the city of Las Vegas government access television station, will air an emergency preparedness special this month, beginningSept. 11. The 30-minute program, hosted by Nancy Byrne, provides information on how to prepare for and respond to emergency situations. This special will include the latest on cyber security, important items to take with you when evacuating your home, Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) training classes, active shooter response, and how to participate in the Great Nevada Shake Out earthquake drill Oct. 17.  The program will air multiple times this month. Viewers can check weekly schedules of KCLV programming online at [www.kclv.tv/](http://www.kclv.tv/). Initial air dates include:   * Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 7 p.m.; * Thursday, Sept. 12, at 3:30 a.m., 11 a.m. and 9 p.m.; * Friday, Sept. 13, at 2 p.m. and 10:30 p.m.; * Saturday, Sept. 14, at 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.; * Sunday, Sept. 15, at 4 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; * Monday, Sept. 16, at 8 a.m.; and * Tuesday, Sept. 17, at 2 a.m., 10 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.   In addition, the city of Las Vegas Office of Emergency Management has upcoming training for the public in disaster preparedness, fire suppression, medical operations, disaster psychology, weapons of mass destruction and team organization. The upcoming training dates include Sept. 11, Sept. 18, and Sept. 25. CERT training is free to residents, sponsored through a grant from the Department of Homeland Security. Residents may review the available CERT training courses and register at [www.nvcert.org/Home](http://www.nvcert.org/Home)http://www.lasvegasnevada.gov/images/icons/icoExternalLink.gif.  The city of Las Vegas will spread the word about emergency preparedness by sharing daily emergency tips on the city’s emergency communication site at [Twitter.com](https://twitter.com/clvalerts)http://www.lasvegasnevada.gov/images/icons/icoExternalLink.gif. Additionally, the city has launched a [Tumblr page](http://cityoflasvegas.tumblr.com/" \t "_blank)http://www.lasvegasnevada.gov/images/icons/icoExternalLink.gif that will highlight how to prepare for different types of emergencies and how the city plans for major events to ensure public safety.  The city of Las Vegas offers emergency information at [www.lvalert.com/](http://www.lvalert.com/), and during emergencies, provides emergency information by telephone at (702) 38-ALERT (382-5378).  **REGISTRATION FOR YNAPP GRANTS NOW OPEN** *Applicants Encouraged To Attend One Of Two Grant Workshops*  The city of Las Vegas’ annual Youth Neighborhood Association Partnership Program (YNAPP) grant application process is now open through Nov. 22, 2013. YNAPP offers grants for up to $1,000 for youth to create and implement neighborhood-based service learning projects of their own design.  The program requires youth to match the city’s grant with cash, volunteer time or in-kind services and goods donated to the project. Projects are required to take place in city limits.  Applicants are encouraged to attend one of two workshops scheduled forSept. 25 and Oct. 1 from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. at City Hall located at 495 S. Main St. To register for a workshop call [(702) 229-5406](tel:%28702%29%20229-5406) or e-mail[lcampbell@lasvegasnevada.gov](mailto:lcampbell@lasvegasnevada.gov).  Applications will be reviewed by the YNAPP board, whose members are appointed by the City Council. Funding recommendations will be presented to the City Council for final approval in February 2014. | | |  |  |