



VINELAND News

HOUSING DEVELOPMENTS BREAK GROUND



Two planned housing developments are moving forward in Vineland, bringing new opportunities for seniors and working families.

Developers recently broke ground on Live Well Cottages at Vineland, a 130-unit community for adults 65 and older on Orchard Road. The development will feature private cottage homes, walkable “pocket neighborhoods,” integrated home care, and amenities including a clubhouse, fitness center, bistro, playground, and dog park. Built on 25 acres, the project is aimed at serving middle-income seniors seeking independence with support as needed. City officials joined developers to introduce this new model of senior living to Southern New Jersey.

Meanwhile, Oak Hill Farms located on E. Oak Road will offer affordable luxury living for families with 56 three-bedroom townhome-style residences. This Energy Star Zero Ready Home development will offer modern amenities such as ranges, refrigerators, dishwashers, gas heating and cooling, on-site management, a community building, a children’s play area, and planned social activities for residents.

Mayor Anthony R. Fanucci said, “These are important investments in Vineland’s future. The projects expand housing for residents at every stage of life, while strengthening neighborhoods and the local economy. These new communities reflect Vineland’s commitment to growth, affordability, and creating a welcoming place for seniors and families alike.”

JUNETEENTH AND GRADUATION EVENTS

The City of Vineland invites you to join us as we celebrate freedom, achievement, and the spirit of community at two upcoming events.

First, on Friday June 19, the City of Vineland is hosting a Juneteenth Community Celebration from 11:00 am to 7:00 pm. The event kicks off with a flag rising ceremony on the steps of City Hall, followed by a party in the adjacent parking lot featuring music and a variety of food truck choices to enjoy. Let’s make this a memorable day. Please join us for a celebration of freedom, culture, and community.

Then on Saturday, June 27, we are hosting a Graduation and Food Truck Bash from Noon to 7:00 pm at Vineland High School in honor of the Class of 2026. This is for graduates at every level, from kindergarten through 12th grade, as well as those earning associate’s, bachelor’s, master’s, and doctoral degrees. Come enjoy the music, a variety of delicious food trucks, and every graduate will receive a complimentary 5x7 framed color photo courtesy of T&F Camera to commemorate their achievement. Gather your friends and family to celebrate and have a great time together.

“These events recognize the best of Vineland as we salute our history, our pride, and our people.” Mayor Fanucci said. “We invite everyone to come together, have fun, and support our community.”



Enjoy a dozen food trucks including Cousins Maine Lobster, great music, and amazing community energy at these two fun-filled celebrations.



COMMUNITY BLOCKS EVENT



Mayor Fanucci and the Vineland Health Department present our 2nd Annual “Together on the Block” celebration! We invite community members to nominate your neighborhood for a chance to be selected to host this exciting event. Scan the QR code to submit your neighborhood nomination and help us bring “Together on the Block” to your street!

9TH ANNUAL FOOD TRUCK FESTIVAL

VINELAND RECREATION SUMMER CONCERT SERIES



The Vineland Recreation Summer Concert Series returns with three free concerts at the Enrico Serra Band Shell at Giampietro Park.

The Vineland Recreation Department will host three special concerts this Summer at Giampietro Park. The shows will begin at 7:00 pm and are Free to the public. Bring the family and enjoy the fun!

SATURDAY, JULY 18

Yacht Rock Gold Experience is a high-energy tribute to the smooth sounds of late 70s and early 80s yacht rock, featuring multiple lead vocalists and a full band with horns that keeps audiences singing and dancing all night.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22

Kevin Kenny: The Chesney Show brings the excitement of a Kenny Chesney concert to life packed with chart-topping hits and sing-along favorites which keeps crowds on their feet from start to finish.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

Van Halen Nation is a powerhouse tribute to the David Lee Roth-era Van Halen, delivering an electrifying 80s concert experience with authentic stage production, high-octane performances, and all the iconic hits.



Steely Dan tribute band Kid Charlemagne headlines the 2026 Food Truck Festival.

Get ready for one of Vineland's most anticipated events of the year. The 9th Annual Vineland Food Truck Festival returns to downtown Vineland on Sunday, September 13, from 11 am to 7 pm. Enjoy delicious eats from 30 food trucks, shop local craft and merchandise vendors, and experience live entertainment throughout the day featuring Stealy Dan tribute band Kid Charlemagne, Direct From Philadelphia DJ Ben Arsenal, DJ Domo, Riva & Bianca, DJs Joe & Joey, and 4DiamondZ. Bring your family and friends for a full day of food and music on Landis Avenue. For more information, contact Special Events Coordinator Sheena Santiago at 856-794-4000 ext. 4169.



Mayor Fanucci and members of City Council were on hand for the ribbon cutting of the Inclusion Café at the Vineland Library. Owner Amanda Vello runs the café with the goal of hiring adults with disabilities like autism or Down syndrome, and to promote inclusion through meaningful employment.



CRUISE NIGHT JUST GOT BIGGER

Cruise Down Memory Lane returns to Landis Avenue on June 13 with over 700 classic cars (1974 and older) lining nearly a mile of The Ave in a celebration of Vineland's cruising history. As always, the night ends with show vehicles cruising Landis Avenue just like the old days.

New for 2026, car lovers can also check out the Indoor Swap Meet & Auto Expo at the Vineland Convention Center from 3:00 pm to 8:00 pm. Browse local auto vendors, specialty parts, accessories, services, and connect with fellow enthusiasts, all under one roof. Admission to both the cruise and expo is free, giving visitors even more reasons to experience Cruise Night on The Ave.

"Cruise Night on The Ave is a Vineland tradition, and we're excited to make it bigger and better in 2026," Mayor Fanucci said. "Residents and visitors alike are invited to come out and enjoy a night of classic cars, community spirit, and family-friendly fun."