

SAFETY TOWN

Safety First! for Santa Clarita's Kids

www.safetytownscv.com

Safety Town is a one-week, 3 ½ - hour day, safety education summer program for young children (4^{1/2} to 6 years of age) to be held at a local elementary school in Santa Clarita. Safety awareness is introduced to children in an age-appropriate, fun, and secure environment. Through group lessons, guest visits from local community safety professionals, songs, lessons, crafts and pedestrian/driver-role play, the program teaches children to evaluate “safe” from “unsafe” situations. *Topics include:*

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| o Earthquake Safety & Disaster Preparedness | o Pedestrian Safety |
| o Fire Safety | o Vehicle and Passenger Safety |
| o Emergencies/Dialing 9-1-1 | o Playground Safety |
| o Water Safety (pool, ocean, lake, river) | o Animal Safety |
| o Personal Safety/Stranger Danger | o Internet Safety |
| o Bicycle/Scooter/Wheels Safety | o Drugs/Medicine Safety |

At **Safety Town**, young children develop, practice and reinforce basic safety habits and rules under the guidance of a California-credentialed teacher, a safety education specialist, and trained youth volunteers. They learn lessons from daily visits by local community safety professionals representing the County Fire and Sheriff's Departments, American Red Cross, the City of Santa Clarita — Crossing guards, Lifeguards, and more. The Safety Town community is complete with child-size buildings, street signs, crosswalks, sidewalks, traffic light and small pedal cars with seatbelts. Children are divided into building groups and colors for smaller group instruction.

Session Date & Time: July 13 – 17, 2020 from 9:00 AM to 12: 30 PM

Location: Wiley Canyon Elementary School
24240 La Glorita Circle, Newhall

Enrollment information:

- **Age of children.** The child must be 5 years old by Dec. 1, 2020 and be enrolled in kindergarten in the fall of 2020.
- **Cost per session:** \$ 150 (includes a Safety Town t-shirt, backpack, daily healthy snack and bottled water).
- **Application for Scholarships:** Financial aid scholarships are available for qualifying families. Please request a scholarship application by calling Susan Russell, Director at (661) 306-4414. Active-Duty Military Families may receive a 20% discount
- **Application deadline.** The camp will be filled according to the first families who enroll their children. The deadline to register is July 1, 2020. Please submit the completed application by mail *before* July 1. You will notified if your child has been accepted.
- **Parent orientation.** A parent/guardian of each child must attend an important meeting on Mon., July 13, 9:05-9:25 AM.
- **Cancellation policy.** We can return your money only if we can fill your child's space with another child.
- The registration form can be downloaded from www.safetytownscv.com.

For more information, visit the Safety Town website at www.SafetyTownSCV.com or contact:

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