

Community Heroes of Lake Forest

Lake Forest is home to generous, talented, and amazing residents. Anyone can be a hero through kind, selfless acts, hard work, or outstanding achievement. Every hero is a valued and an inspiring member of the community. The City of Lake Forest honors residents through its Community Heroes program. Here are just two of the latest:

Adin Boyer is a 22-year-old contestant on American Idol who is also a music theory teacher at Orange County School of the Arts. Adin grew up in Lake Forest and is classically trained on the piano. He became well-known internationally after his musical comedy videos on TikTok garnered millions of views. Adin was diagnosed at the age of 2 with autism and by going on American Idol, he hopes to further his musical career and spread awareness for the neurodivergent community. Stay connected with Adin's journey by following him on Instagram @adinboyer and TikTok @pianoified.

John Wirth, a Lake Forest resident since 1980, encourages others to pick up while catching up. After seeing trash in the park when spending time with his granddaughter, John resolved to pick up trash in the area around his home. He regularly takes walks around his neighborhood to get exercise and brings his trash bags to help beautify the community. Join the inspiring group of picker-uppers at Lake Forest Trash Walkers on Facebook or start walking with friends and family.

Do you know an inspiring resident of Lake Forest? Nominate a hero by emailing pio@lakeforestca.gov. View past Community Heroes at www.lakeforestca.gov/en/communityheroes or on the City's YouTube channel: @CityofLakeForestCA1991.