



Oct-Nov 2021 Issue #210

Build a bridge, not a barrier; make a friend, not a fuss; find a cause, not a controversy; be a cheerleader, not a critic; seek a solution, not a standoff

STALLION SPRINGS RESIDENTS:

Fall is here and what a beautiful time of year it is!

A few things to remember:

We are still awaiting the outcome of our Prop 68 Parks grant, (fingers crossed). We are currently working on a grant for Horsethief Park including aeration of the lake and playground equipment. Looking for any thoughts or ideas on any improvements you would like to see at the park as well. Please email your thoughts no later than November 1, 2021 to Shawnee at: stallionparksandrec@gmail.com.

We have some serious vandals in this community and it has been very disappointing

to see the destruction these culprits have been causing! PARENTS: if you have ANY spray paint or sharpies in your home, please lock them up! We are investigating and handling on a case by case basis. If you see something, say something and call our Police Department Dispatch immediately at: 661-861-3110.

I hope to see you all at our Annual Oktoberfest set for this Saturday, October 2nd from 12p-5p. This is our biggest fundraiser for our Parks and Rec. Dept. so please if you can stop by and show your support!

We will have over 35 vendors, beer, brats, hot dog kids' meals, sno-cones, live music and so much more!

Take Care, Vanessa Stevens, General Manager





Board of Directors

Teresa Sasnett, *President* Ben Dewell, *Director* Barry Leslie, *Director* Leslie Wellman, Vice President Neil Record, *Director*



FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

Food * Beer * Wine * Gifts * Kid Friendly Activities * Vendors



Stallion Springs Community Center 27800 Stallion Springs Drive

*NO PETS ALLOWED with the exception of certified trained service animals *



2021 Stallion Springs Torch Run

JOIN US

REGISTER -

JOIN A TEAM -

MAKE A DONATION





Saturday October 30th 10 AM Stallion Springs Community Center fundraising.sosc.org/goto/sspd2021

For more information

contact: Veronica Smiddle

vsmiddle@sosc.org

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

WOOD WARD WEST / CA





Spend an entire weekend at Woodward with your family or a group of friends!

29-31

5-7

19-21

MAR

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4-6

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SCAN TO VIEW Lodging Rates and To Book!



*DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE

HALLOWEEN HOOPLA!

OCTOBER 30TH-DETAILS COMING SOON!

WOODWARDWEST.COM | 661.822.7900 | OFFICE@WOODWARDWEST.COM | 28400 STALLION SPRINGS DRIVE, TEHACHAPI, CA

parks and rec

Stay active, stay positive, and stay well.

Couples Country Dance



Join us EVERY SUNDAY for a fun night of Couple's dancing from 4-6pm! Lessons are included & donations are welcomed.

If you are interested and/or have any questions please contact Bob at 805-304-5299 or Go.Country.Dancing@gmail.com



Open Gym

Monday, Wednesday, Friday 3-6pm





A certified personal trainer and certified yoga instructor.

Thursday, November 25th class will be moved to Friday, Nov. 26th.

When: Mondays 5:30pm and

Thursdays 9:30am

Who: Anyone - ages 13 and up

Where: Stallion Springs Community

Center

Cost: \$8 per person residents/\$10

per person Non-Residents

Email instructor for more details: myauntsonya@gmail.com

Sign up and pay instructor <u>only</u> at the start of each class.

DANCE WITH MISS CHRIS

BEGINS TUESDAY, OCTOBER 5TH

Tuesdays: 4pm-5pm ages 3/4 Ballet/Tap

5pm-6pm Ages 5/6 Ballet/Tap

Thursdays: 4pm-5pm open age Ballet/Tap

5pm-6:30pm ages 8&up Jazz/Tap

Adult Clogging: Thursdays @ 6:30

This is a 10 week session that will end on December 11th with a Christmas Program.

Cost is \$95 for the first child and 10% discount for siblings.



FREE Pickle ball in the Gymnasium Tuesdays & Thursday

6pm

Saturday 9am
*All levels welcome.
Come join the FUN!!

Get crafty...

Friday, October 22 @ 6pm

Brush and Blush: \$35

Sign up at the CSD or on the Eventbrite page.

https://www.bbeaselevents.com/calendarc18i0/10-22-Stallion-Springs-Community-Center-Tehachapi-6-00p386256583



Friday, November 19th @ 6pm

We will be making these adorable Christmas gnomes!

Make 1 gnome for \$25 or 2 for \$40.00 Sign up at the CSD.

Please bring the following materials: Hot glue gun and wire cutters/scissors.



THE END OF SUMMER EVENT
WAS A HIT! WE HAD SO MANY
FAMILIES COME OUT, IT WAS A
GREAT TIME FOR ALL!
THANK YOU SO MUCH TO
PAPA'S HOUSE FOR SPONSORING
THE MOVIE!!









EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT

Big THANK YOU to **Garrett Kendrick Jr**. on his completion of his <u>Eagle Scout Project</u> at our Community Center! Garrett installed much needed benches around the playground for our families to enjoy.

Thank you Garrett. You did a great job, you were kind and professional and followed through very well.

It was a pleasure working with you.







For any parks activity ideas, class request, or general questions you can contact Shawnee at stallionparksandrec@gmail.com

| | October 2021 | | | | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|--|---|
| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
| | | | | | 1 | 2 OKTOBERFEST 12-5PM |
| 3 | 4 Open Gym 3-6 | 5 PICKLEBALL 6PM DANCE STARTS | 6 Open Gym 3-6 | 7 PICKLEBALL 6PM | 8 Open Gym 3-6 | 9 PICKLEBALL 9AM |
| 10 COUPLES DANCING 4-6 | 11 Open Gym 3-6 | 12 PICKLEBALL 6PM | 13 Open Gym 3-6 | 14 PICKLEBALL 6PM | 15 Open Gym 3-6 | 16 PICKLEBALL 9AM BLOOD DRIVE 9AM |
| 17 COUPLES DANCING 4-6 | 18 Open Gym 3-6 | 19 PICKLEBALL 6PM | 20 Open Gym 3-6 | 21 PICKLEBALL 6PM | 22 Open Gym 3-6 BRUSH AND BLUSH 6PM | 23 PICKLEBALL 9AM |
| 24 COUPLES DANCING 4-6 | 25 Open Gym 3-6 | 26 PICKLEBALL 6PM | 27 Open Gym 3-6 | 28 PICKLEBALL 6PM | 29 Open Gym 3-6 | 30 TORCH RUN 10AM PICKLEBALL 9AM |
| 31 HALLOWEEN | | • | | | | |

| | November 2021 | | | | | |
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| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
| | 1 Open Gym 3-6 | PICKLEBALL 6PM | 3 Open Gym 3-6 | 4 PICKLEBALL 6PM | 5 Open Gym 3-6 | 6 PICKLEBALL 9AM |
| 7 COUPLES DANCING 4-6 | 8 Open Gym 3-6 | 9 PICKLEBALL 6PM | 10 Open Gym 3-6 | 11 PICKLEBALL 6PM | 12 Open Gym 3-6 | 13 PICKLEBALL 9AM |
| 14 COUPLES DANCING 4-6 | 15 Open Gym 3-6 | 16 PICKLEBALL 6PM | 17 Open Gym 3-6 | 18 PICKLEBALL 6PM | 19 Open Gym 3-6 CRAFT NIGHT 6PM | 20 PICKLEBALL 9AM |
| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 THANKSGIVING CLOSED | 26 CLOSED | 27 PICKLEBALL 9AM |
| 28 COUPLES DANCING 4-6 | 29 Open Gym 3-6 | 30 PICKLEBALL 6PM | | | | |

S.S.P.O.A.

The SSPOA (non-profit organization) paid for 47 kids to swim FREE on August 28th!! We have been doing this yearly for many years now. One of the many ways we give back to our community. Happy Fall, y'all! Follow us on Facebook for any updates: Stallion Springs Property Owners Assoc.- SSPOA

Debbie Rodriguez, President



Blood Drive
October 16th &
Dec 11th
9 A.M.
at the
Community
Center



Trail Maintenance

Hiking and spending time outdoors is good for your soul and Fall is the BEST time to hike! We have so many family friendly easy and intermediate Trails, but these trails need maintenance in order to continue to use them. Help us conserve this great asset to our Community.

Trail Maintenance dates are set for the 2nd Saturday of each month. Follow us on Facebook at Stallion Springs trails and trail maintenance for more information. The group has been meeting to hike a few times a month ALL ARE WELCOME!

E-mail:

Shawnee at Stallionparksandrec@gmail.com if you are interested in helping.







Thinking of what to buy for the family and friends for Christmas?

The Stallion Springs artist exchange and the Stallion Springs Library will be having a combined art and book sale on October 30, 2021 from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Come in and see all the new fall and holiday paintings the artists have painted, meet the artists, and take home some of their wonderful work.

We will also be selling books for only a buck a bag or 25 cents each.

Please come in and enjoy this time together.

Thank you and we hope to see you soon.

Address: 20030 Pellisier Road.

Phone: 661-822-4003.

Hours are:

Tuesday & Thursday 10am-2pm

Saturday 12pm-3pm

If you would like to volunteer, please contact Emma at **661-822-1385**. We are so excited for this great improvement to our community!

Looking forward to seeing you!

SAFE MEDICATION DISPOSAL

Story Time at the Stallion Springs Library on Pelliser 3rd Friday of each month, at our new time of 10am



snack with friends

We are asking residents when using the safe medication disposal box to place only medicines and to please:

NO Needles of ANY sort, NO Liquids, NO Thermometers, NO inhalers or aerosols, NO empty bottles or medical supplies.

Most of these items can be received at hazardous waste days the 1st Saturday of each month.

IMPORTANT:

FISHING PERMITS ARE **REQUIRED AT ALL TIMES:**

Fishing without a permit will result in a fine. 48-hour permits are available at the Stallion Springs General Store or the CSD for \$10. Yearly permits are available at the District Office ONLY Monday thru Friday, 8 a.m.— 4:15 p.m. (closed from 12—1).

IMPORTANT No fishing from the bridge or on or near the dam.



ARE YOU PREPARED FOR THE NEXT PUBLIC SAFETY POWER SHUTOFF?

Independent Living Center of Kern County (ILCKC) is partnering with PG&E, SCE, along with other community organizations to help people with disabilities be prepared by:

 Receiving ILCKC support in the event of a Public Safety Power Shutoff (PSPS) or disaster.

-Signing up for the Medical Baseline Program to lower the rate on your monthly energy bill, if you require the use of a medical or life support device.

-Accessing backup portable batteries for those who require power for medical reasons. Individuals who use life-sustaining electrical support will be the highest priority.

-Providing tools to help you create a disaster plan, including a personalized disaster kit.

Visit us online to apply and learn more: www.ilcofkerncounty.org/psps-public-safety-power-shutoff/

> Email or call us with questions: info@ilcofkerncounty.org or 661-325-1063 ¡Se habla español!



NEW TO STALLION SPRINGS?

Did you know we have <u>CC&R's (Conditions,</u> <u>Covenants and Restrictions)</u> in our community?

These CC&R's are necessary to preserve & enhance property values throughout our community and to protect and maintain the rural residential character of the area. A few examples are: having paint samples, fencing, building and any outdoor structures approved. We protect our oaks, you MUST get approval for the removal of any oak trees on your property.

Please take the time to review them on our website: www.stallionspringscsd.com and call the office with any questions you may have.

Stallion Springs Community Emergency Response Team

661-412-CERT (2378)

JUST A HEADS UP ABOUT WATER PAYMENTS....

When you use your bill payment system to pay Stallion Springs CSD, your bank writes a check and it is sent by mail.

Your bank may take money out of your account today, but not write a check for up to 10 days after your request.

We may not get your payment for up to 14 days after your request.

SSCSD offers credit card payments thru our website www.stallionspringscsd.com and we now offer Phone payments and Auto payments by calling: 661-825-1515.

There is a minimum processing charge for the online credit card payments, but the payments are processed immediately.

What you will find in your water bill....

<u>Description</u>: is where you will find what you are paying for or if you have a previous balance.

Recharge fee— is the amount you pay if you have not signed a covenant. This fee can be eliminated if you come into the office and have a form notarized.

Water—this is the water you used for two months.

<u>Sewer</u>—if you have sewer services.

Refuse—Trash

<u>Service Charge</u>— is the Base Rate that will be charged whether you use water or not.

<u>Penalties</u>— is the fee that is added if not paid by the 20th of the due date.



STALLION SPRINGS

COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT 27800 STALLION SPRINGS DRIVE TEHACHAPI, CA 93561 661-822-3268 MAIN 661-822-1878 FAX

Important Information for Stallion Springs Residents

Stallion Springs Community Services District Office (Hours - Monday thru Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. (Closed 12:00n - 1:00 p.m. for lunch) 27800 Stallion Springs Drive • Tehachapi • CA • 93561 • Phone: 661-822-3268

| Parks and Recreation | |
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| 661-823-7883 | |
| Police Department Dispatch 800-861-3110 | |
| Fire Department | |
| 661-822-3980 | |

Water & Sewer Emergency 661-822-3268 661-753-6207 (after hours)

Police/Fire Emergencies 911

| Police Non-Emergency |
|----------------------|
| 800-861-3110 |

Street lights should be reported to Southern California Edison 800-655-4555. They will need the closest cross streets & the pole # that can be found on the pole.

Potholes or needed street repairs should be reported to the Al White, Public Services Supervisor via email:

awhite@stallionspringscsd.com or call the District office 661-822-3268.

| Utilities & Services | Provider | Phone Number | Website |
|-------------------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------|
| Trash, Water, Sewer | SSCSD | 661-822-3268 | mysscsd.com |
| Electricity | So. Cal. Edison | 800-655-4555 | sce.com |
| Natural Gas | The Gas Company | 800-427-2200 | socalgas.com |
| Telephone | AT & T | 800-331-0500 | att.com |
| Internet/Telephone | Race Communications | 877-722-3833 | race.com |
| Animal Control | K.C. Animal Services | 661-868-7100 | |

Planning to dig? You will need to have the underground utilities marked. Designing a project, no matter how big or small, you need to know the location of the underground lines. To place a dig notification, please call 8-1-1 or 800-227-2600.

| Public School Information | Phone Number | Website |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|
| Tehachapi Unified School District | 661-822-2100 | teh.k12.ca.us/ |
| Tehachapi High School | 661-822-2130 | ths.teh.k12.ca.us/ |
| Jacobsen Middle School | 661-822-2150 | jms.teh.k12.ca.us/ |
| Transportation Dept. | 661-822-2115 | teh.k12.ca.us/ |



PAY ONLINE! Pay your water bill anytime, anywhere. Online Bill Pay makes it easy for you to manage your water bill. You can view your bill, see payment history, etc. You can even do auto pay. Owners can register or use Quick Pay. Renter's Only use Quick Pay. Go to our website at www.stallionspringscsd.com. It is located on the Home Page.

Please be advised that the Main District Water Valve should never be turned at your meter. By doing this, it may cause damage or may be broken which will cause water shut offs not only to your residence, but to a whole neighborhood. Thank you.

Recommended: All customers should have their own customer valve for shutting off water.

INFORMATION AND NOTES

- ◆ For emergency police, fire and medical calls dial 911 and specify to the dispatcher that you live in Stallion Springs. To reach the police for nonemergency purposes, contact Kern County Dispatch at (800) or (661) 861-3110.
- ♦ California law states that dogs must be on a leash. Please follow this rule. Stallion Springs Police will be working with Kern County Animal Control in regard to ticketing violators.
- ♦ For District emergencies off hours, such as a main line water break you may call 822-3268. Leave a message with the problem, your name and contact number and an on-call District staff will be paged.
- Please visit our website:

www.stallionspringscsd.com

to keep informed.