



# NEWSLETTER

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## KNOW THE RULES, CONSERVE WATER, SAVE MONEY!!!



Established water days for Escalon are as follows:

- ◆ **OBSERVE WATERING HOURS**  
Even addresses may water Sunday, Wednesday and Friday.  
Odd addresses may water Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.  
Non-watering hours are 8:00am - 8:00pm and NO watering on Mondays.
- ◆ **ELIMINATE WATER FROM LEAVING YOUR PROPERTY** - Excess water shall not be allowed to

leave the property or area being watered.

- ◆ The use of water hoses without a shut-off nozzle is prohibited.
- ◆ Watering outdoor landscaping while raining is prohibited.
- ◆ Program sprinklers to run 3-5 minutes at a time.

For more conservation tips and/or drought information you may visit [www.cityofescalon.org](http://www.cityofescalon.org) or [www.saveourwater.com](http://www.saveourwater.com). ■

## E-WASTE & TIRE RECYCLING DAY

Electronic Waste Disposal & Tire Recycling Day is **Sunday, April 5, 2020**. Drop items off at the parking lot of the Escalon Community Center, 1055 Escalon Avenue, 9:00am and 1:00pm. Acceptable E-Waste items are:

- Televisions
- Computer Monitors
- Computer Processing Units
- Radios/Stereos
- Microwaves

- Printers
  - Telephones
  - Fax Machines
  - Cell Phones
  - Answering Machines
- Other acceptable items are:
- Styrofoam #6 (no packing peanuts).
  - Mercury Devices
  - Batteries (no car batteries)
- For more information you may contact us at **691-7422**. ■

### COMMUNITY MEETINGS

**MARCH**

- 2 7:00pm City Council
- 4 6:30pm Recreation Commission
- 10 7:00pm Planning Commission
- 16 7:00pm City Council

**APRIL**

- 1 6:30pm Recreation Commission
- 6 7:00pm City Council
- 14 7:00pm Planning Commission
- 20 7:00pm City Council

All meetings are open to the public and are held in the Escalon City Council Chambers at 2060 McHenry Avenue. In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if you need special assistance to participate in a public meeting, please contact the Deputy City Clerk at (209) 691-7400. Notification 48 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to ensure accessibility. ■



### IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

ESCALON CITY HALL • 691-7400  
[www.cityofescalon.org](http://www.cityofescalon.org)  
CITY COUNCIL • 691-7400  
Robert Swift, Mayor  
Ed Alves, Mayor Pro-Tem  
Peter Krumeich • Jeff Laugero • Walt Murken

### Recycle Used Tires For Free!

Sunday, April 5, 2020 from 9:00am - 1:00pm  
Escalon Community Center - 1055 Escalon Ave.  
Limit - 9 tires per trip, multiple trips accepted  
Passenger Car or Light Truck Tires Only - Tires on Rims OK  
RESIDENTS ONLY, NO BUSINESS WASTE



Need a Ride in Escalon or to Modesto?

Call eTrans at 209.541.6645 for a reservation and more information. You can also obtain information online at [www.cityofescalon.org](http://www.cityofescalon.org). Buses operate Monday-Friday from 8:00am - 12:00pm & 1:00pm - 5:00pm A service of the City of Escalon.

### WATER RATE INCREASE

A water rate increase will be reflected on your City of Escalon March utility bill:

**Residential Base Rate**  
\$51.45 to \$58.95

**Water Consumption**  
\$1.44 per thousand gallons of water used

For questions regarding the increase, call 209-691-7423. ■

## OPENING DAY AT BABE RUTH



The Recreation Department invites everyone to join in on the Opening Day Ceremonies for the Annual **ESCALON BABE RUTH** baseball season on

## PUBLIC SWIMMING

Beginning the first day of summer vacation the Community Pool at Escalon High School will be open for Public Swimming Monday-Friday; 1-5pm, \$2 per person at the gate. Swim Passes will also be available to purchase at the Recreation Dept., 2060 McHenry Avenue. Purchase passes 15 single for \$27; 1 season pass, \$65 or a family pass \$120 (up to 4 members of same family). ■

## SWIM LESSONS

Registration begins May 1st at the Recreation Dept (no online registration) 2060 McHenry. Sessions are two weeks, Monday-Thursday for one-half hour each day (Mommy & Me is Tuesday and Thursday). Lesson schedules will be available May 1st. All lessons are given at the Escalon Community Pool. Fees are \$40 for first child, \$30 each additional child from the same family; Mommy & Me \$35. A \$10 out of district fee will be added to participants who reside outside of the Escalon Unified School District. ■

## LOOKING FOR A COOL SUMMER JOB?

If you are...get more information on American Red Cross training fees, dates and locations from the Recreation Department at 2060 McHenry Avenue or call 691-7372. First Aid for Public Safety Personnel (Title 22) may be required at a later date. Must be 15 years of age by the last day of

March 7, 2020. Festivities will start at 8 am. If you have any questions, contact the Recreation Department at 691-7372. ■

## ADULT SOFTBALL

Summer League sign ups are March 1 - April 30; Cost is \$440 per Team. Coed plays **Thursday** evenings. Rosters and registration forms due when fee is turned in at the Recreation Department. Get roster & registration information forms at [www.cityofescalon.org](http://www.cityofescalon.org). ■

## VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX ASSISTANCE - VITA

The VITA program offers free tax help to people with low to moderate incomes. The Escalon VITA site will be located at the Escalon Branch Library (1540 2nd Street) on Tuesdays & Thursdays through approximately April 9, 2020. This service is **by appointment only**, call (209) 484-1497 to schedule an appointment, forms will be completed and e-filed during your scheduled time. If you are filing "Married" both spouses must be present. Please bring the following to your appointment:

- Identification for yourself and spouse if filing "Married."
- Social Security card for everyone on the return.
- W2 from all jobs
- 1099 for Other Income.
- 1098 for Interest Paid

training. Applications for new Lifeguards will be accepted March 9th - 31st only. Please note that passing the course does not guarantee a position with the City of Escalon. For more information, please contact the Recreation Department, 691-7372. ■

## ESCALON YOUTH SOCCER

Registration Begins April 1st - June 7th

Divisions are based on child's age as of September 1, 2020.

### EUSD Residents/Non-EUSD Residents

3-4.....Tot.....	\$40/\$50
5-6.....Squirt.....	\$45/\$55
7-8.....Pee Wee.....	\$50/\$60
9-10.....Minor.....	\$50/\$60
11-14.....Major/Sr.....	\$55/\$65

A \$20 late fee will be added to any registration accepted after deadline. If we are experiencing a low registration, we will combine affected divisions. Go to [www.cityofescalon.org](http://www.cityofescalon.org) to register. ■

- Child Care Expenses.

For more information visit [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov) or call (209)484-1497. ■

## STORM WATER CORNER

As you look along Escalon streets, you will find drain inlets that connect to the storm drain system. Storm lines collect runoff (rain) and materials found on streets, such as litter, pet waste, leaves, and grass clippings and transport it directly to creeks, rivers, and the ocean. When these materials enter creeks and rivers, they become pollutants that negatively affect water quality. Littering is against the law so place your trash into a garbage can. If you are hauling a load of trash or green waste to the dump or recycling station, be sure to securely cover the load to avoid flyaway trash. Public Works has labeled all City storm drain inlets with a circular label stating "Only Rain Down the Storm Drain". If you notice a missing label, or see anyone illegally dumping into a storm drain, please contact the City Storm-water Line at 691-7495. ■

