



# NEWSLETTER

[www.cityofescalon.org](http://www.cityofescalon.org)

## DROUGHT EMERGENCY DECLARED!

The state and county have declared a drought emergency and are encouraging customers to reduce their water use by 20%. The state has also added a ban on irrigating turf at commercial, industrial and institutional properties.

- ◆ **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.
- ◆ Program sprinklers to run 3-5 minutes at a time, preferably between the hours of 12am & 4am.

For more water restriction information go to [cityofescalon.org/government/departments/utilities/watering\\_restrictions](http://cityofescalon.org/government/departments/utilities/watering_restrictions) ■

## NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

National Night out has been celebrated nationally since 1984. Join forces to promote police & community partnerships to fight crime and strengthen neighborhood spirit and unity. On August 2, 2022 from 6 to 9 p.m. residents in neighborhoods throughout Escalon are asked to lock their doors, turn on outside lights and spend the evening outside with neighbors and police.

## City of Escalon Recreation Programs Assessment

Your input is needed! Escalon is reviewing the recreation programs and other important activities and needs to know your thoughts.

Topics range from swimming to senior housing. It's a quick and easy survey. Please go to our website to enter your ideas into the survey or print it out and drop it off at City Hall. ■

[https://www.cityofescalon.org/news/what\\_s\\_new/recreation\\_programs\\_assessment](https://www.cityofescalon.org/news/what_s_new/recreation_programs_assessment)

## ESCALON PARK FETE

It's time for Escalon's Annual Park Fete sponsored by the Escalon Lions Club. This event is held at Main Street Park on August 5th & 6th. Enjoy food, rides, vendors and entertainment.

Interested in having a booth?? Contact Rachelle Fast at 479-2277, for other information/questions contact Debbie Murken at 402-0505. You can also visit [www.cityofescalon.org](http://www.cityofescalon.org) for more information. ■

## CITY HALL CLOSED

Independence Day  
Monday, July 4th

## COMMUNITY MEETINGS

### JULY

- 5 7:00pm City Council
- 6 6:30pm Recreation Commission
- 12 6:30pm Planning Commission
- 18 7:00pm City Council

### AUGUST

- 1 7:00pm City Council
- 3 6:30pm Recreation Commission
- 9 6:30pm Planning Commission
- 15 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 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

Ed Alves, Mayor

Robert Swift, Mayor Pro-Tem

David Bellinger • Peter Krumeich • Andrew Hagan

Animal Services.....	838-7093
Community Center Rentals .....	691-7372
eTrans (Public Bus Service).....	541-6645
Fingerprinting .....	691-7314
Library .....	1-866-805-7323
Police Non-Emergency.....	838-7093
Public Works .....	691-7470
Public Works After Hours .....	838-7093
Recreation Department .....	691-7372
Street Light Problems.....	691-7442
Water, Sewer, Garbage Service.....	691-7423

**OFF-HOURS CONTACTS:** When City Hall is closed, the Police Dept can be reached at the non-emergency number or 911. To plan an off-hours visit to City Hall, call (209) 691-7400 to schedule an appointment.

**Please note that ALL recreation activities and registration dates are subject to change.**  
**Go to [www.cityofescalon.org](http://www.cityofescalon.org) for updated information.**

## NFL FLAG FOOTBALL

Registration opens July 1st - August 19th. The program offers a fun, non-contact football experience for boys and girls, ages 5-13. The season will run October 22nd - December 10th; games will be played on Saturdays at Hogan-Ennis Field.

Divisions are based on child's age as of September 1, 2022.

7U ..... Ages 5 - 7  
10U..... Ages 8 - 10  
13U..... Ages 11 -13

Check out our website at [www.cityofescalon.org](http://www.cityofescalon.org) for updated information. ■



## RECYCLE USED TIRES

Join us at the Escalon Center on Saturday, July 16, 2022, from 9am to 1pm, for free tire recycling. Residents may bring up to 9 passenger car or light truck tires per trip, on or off of the rims. Please note that this service is for residents only, no business waste. This event is sponsored by the Communities of San Joaquin County, the City of Escalon and the Greater Valley Conservation Corp, with funding provided by a grant from CalRecycle. ■



### THE NEXT ELECTRONIC WASTE DISPOSAL DAY IS

Saturday • July 16 • 9am - 1pm  
Escalon Community Center  
For More information visit [www.cityofescalon.org](http://www.cityofescalon.org) or call 691-7422.

## ESCALON PUPPY 1 CLASS

Puppy training will be offered by Bone-A-Fide Dog Training.

5 weeks - \$130  
Tuesdays 6:00pm - 7:00pm  
Escalon Community Center  
1055 Escalon Ave.  
Escalon CA 95320

- \* Puppies will learn the building blocks of important skills including come, sit, settle down, leave it & more.
- \* You'll learn how to address & prevent common puppy behavior & temperament problems.

Puppies who do not have all their shots must be carried into the classroom.

Register at [www.cityofescalon.org](http://www.cityofescalon.org).  
For information go to [www.bfdogtraining.com](http://www.bfdogtraining.com). ■

## Escalon Swimming Pool Update

The pool at Escalon High School is closed due to a lack of certified lifeguards and ongoing maintenance issues. The City is working to correct these issues with the hope of opening the pool soon. In the meantime, other pools in the area are open in Riverbank, Oakdale, Ripon & Manteca.

To keep up with developments on the pool, please watch our website at :

<https://tshq.bluesombrero.com/Default.aspx?tabid=2197060>

### Need a Ride in Escalon or to Modesto?

Call eTrans at 209.541.6645 for a reservation and more information. Find more information online at [cityofescalon.org](http://cityofescalon.org)  
Buses operate Monday-Friday



## DOG TRAINING IN THE PARK

Bone-A-Fide Dog Training will offer dog training in the park. The class will focus on:

- \* Building a good relationship with your dog
- \* Good Manners
- \* Focus
- \* No Pulling on Leash
- \* No Jumping & Settle



Your dog must be up to date on all shots (rabies, distemper, parvo & canine flu).

5 WEEKS \$130  
Main Street Park  
Mondays at 6:30pm or  
Thursdays at 9:30am

Please bring a 6ft leash, collar and your dogs water bowl. Due to the canine flu there will not be a community bowl. Register at [www.cityofescalon.org](http://www.cityofescalon.org).

For information go to [www.bfdogtraining.com](http://www.bfdogtraining.com). ■



## STORMWATER CORNER

When caring for your lawn or garden, sweep fertilizer, soil and other debris from sidewalks and driveways instead of hosing them off. The flowing water will wash the pollutants into streams, rivers, and lakes. Avoid overwatering after applying lawn and garden chemicals to reduce the concentrations of pollutants in stormwater runoff. Use non-toxic pest controls such as insecticidal soaps or lady bugs for aphids. Wash your car on the grass rather than in the street so the soapy water does not flow directly into the storm drain. To report illegal dumping into storm drains, please call the 209-691-7450. ■

