

CITY OF ESCALON SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER 2023 NEWW. cityofescalon.org

Water Bill Assistance

f you need assistance paying your water bill, you may be eligible for State or Federal assistance programs. One of those programs is the Low Income Household Water Assistance Program (LIHWAP), which will be administered through the California Department of Community Services and Development (CSD). For more information on LIHWAP and to learn more about the eligibility requirements, visit their website at: www.csd.ca.gov/waterbill



IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

ESCALON CITY HALL • 691-7400

www.cityofescalon.org CITY COUNCIL • 691-7400 David Bellinger, Mayor Andrew Hagan, Mayor Pro-Tem Jeremy Engle•Shawn Strohman•Malinda Walker

WATER...HELP CONSERVE NOW

• Reduced water use is very important during the period of 4:00am and 9:00am. During the summer months this period of the morning is typically very high in usage. Please set your landscape watering schedules to the early morning hours between 12:00am and 4:00am and adjust sprinklers to avoid water runoff

• Use the washing machine for full loads only to save both water and energy.

- Install low-flow shower heads
- Turn water off when brushing teeth or shaving



31st ANNUAL CITY-WIDE YARD SALE

t's that time of year again and plans are underway for the 31st Annual City-Wide Yard Sale which is planned for Saturday, October 7, 2023 from 8:00 am to 2:30 pm. This truly unique experience is especially fun for collectors and yard sale addicts. Residents who wish to advertise their sale must complete the form below and return it to City Hall with the required \$5 fee. This fee will cover the cost of regional advertising and printing of maps with addresses of residents participating in the event. Once

CITY HALL CLOSED

Labor Day Monday, September 4th Every Friday

COMMUNITY MEETINGS SEPTEMBER

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

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- **11** 6:30pm Planning Commission
- 17 7:00pm City Council

All meetings are open to the public and are held in the Escalon City Chambers 2060 Council at 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.



you have returned your form and paid the fee, your address will be listed on the Yard Sale Map that will be distributed at City Hall and posted online. All forms must be received by **October 3, 2023**. For more information , please call 691-7400. ■

	Yes! I would like to participate in the 31st Annual City-Wide Yard Sale Enclosed is my \$5.00 fee
Name	
Address	
Phone	
Thi	s form must be turned in by Tuesday, October 3, 2023 to be included on the map. Address must be within City limits.
	OFFICE USE ONLY: Receipt #

PLEASE NOTE: Registration for sports may close early & without notice if low on coaches. Signup to coach today!

YOUTH BASKETBALL

hanges are coming for Youth Basketball! There is still a season planned for Early 2024, so keep an eye out for more information and announcements on registration dates.

ADVERTISE ON THE ELECTRONIC SIGN

We are currently accepting applications from local businesses to advertise on our electronic sign for a fee. Non-Profit groups can also advertise events on our electronic sign, free of charge. For more information visit <u>www.cityofescalon.org</u> or contact Jenny at (209) 691-7442. ■

E-WASTE & Mattress Disposal Day

The next Electronic Waste Disposal Day is **Sunday**, **October 1**, **2023**. Items may be dropped off in the parking lot of the Escalon Community Center, 1055 Escalon Avenue, between the hours of 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:
- Batteries (no car batteries)
- Fluorescent lights
- Mattresses & box springs Up to 8 units (mattress & boxspring), nothing severely damaged or soiled or infested with bed bugs. No futons, waterbeds or other furniture.

For more information you may contact us at **691-7422**. ■

ESCALON BABE RUTH

Registration opens November 1st. Players must reside or attend school within the EUSD boundaries or Valley Home Joint School District boundaries. More information to come!

DOG TRAINING IN THE PARK

Bone-A-Fide Dog Training continues to offer dog training in the park.

Classes on Saturdays & Mondays New sessions start in October Main Street Park \$140

Your dog must be up to date on all shots (rabies, distemper, parvo & canine flu). For more info or to register, go to www.cityofescalon.org. ■

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

Escalon is preparing an update to the! Housing Element of the General Plan. The Housing Element sets the City's goals and policies related to housing for the 2023-2031 planning period. Using the QR Code or our website! https://www.cityofescalon.org/ housing element, please take a brief survey that addresses important Housing Element update topics. If you have specific questions or would like to stay informed about opportunities to participate in the Housing Element Update, please email housingelement@cityofescalon.org to be added to the contact list.■



YOUTH KARATE

Karate will be offered by Shotokan Karate in a friendly safe environment where children can learn the art of karate.

New classes begin monthly

Mondays & Wednesdays Escalon Community Center 1055 Escalon Ave. \$65 - Monthly session Ages 10 - Adult <u>Kids Karate (ages 6-9)</u>

5:45-6:30pm \$65/mo

Beginner Karate (ages 10-17)

6:30 - 7:30pm \$65/mo

Teen & Adult Classes begin every odd month Mondays & Wednesdays Escalon Community Center 1055 Escalon Ave. \$130 - Bi-monthly session 7:30 - 8:30pm Sign up online today!

STORMWATER CORNER

FATS, OIL & GREASE - FOG from cooking and food all contribute buildup in your pipes and the pipes that run from your house to the municipal sewer system. This buildup restricts flow of sewage and clogs pipes at your residence and at municipal sewer system. Help protect your home's plumbing and our environment.

- <u>Don't</u> put oil, grease or food scraps down the drain.
- * <u>**Don't**</u> run hot water over dishes, or pans to wash oil and grease down the drains.
- * <u>**Do</u>** put used oil and grease in covered container for proper disposal. Allow oils to cool before you skim, or wipe off excess grease.</u>
- * <u>**Do**</u> scrape food scraps from dishes into garbage for proper disposal.
- * **Do** cover kitchen sink with catch basket and empty debris into garbage as needed. ■