



NEWSLETTER

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NEW ANIMAL CONTROL PARTNERSHIP

The City of Escalon is partnering with the City of Oakdale to provide enhanced animal control services. The hours of operation will increase to 39 hours per week for Escalon residents. These shelter services are located at 9800 Liberini Road. More services will be available for adoptions and spay and neuter clinics. To request service, please contact the Oakdale Animal Shelter at (209) 847-5625 or the Oakdale Non-emergency number after hours at (209) 847-2231. No changes to fees will occur at this time. To find out more about the enhanced services, go to <https://www.oakdalegov.com/animal->



November 8, 2022

FALL CLEAN UP TIPS

The State Water Resources Control Board requires the City to evaluate current practices and implement processes that protect storm water runoff. Leaves and plant debris are an unexpected source of stormwater pollution where they, like fertilizer, contribute excess nitrogen to local waterways. As the leaves decompose, the water quality decreases. In an effort to meet the stormwater requirements, residents need to keep grass clippings and leaves away from storm drains and out of the street.

PROTECT AGAINST PEDDLING

Peddlers going door to door are required to have a City of Escalon business license and should have it readily available for you to view. Prior to committing for service, please feel free to check with the business license department (691-7430) to ensure the company has a valid business license. If being solicited by a peddler with no business license, you may contact the police department (838-7093). ■

TAKE PRIDE IN OUR PARKS!!

Whether you are there playing, exercising, practicing or just relaxing, remember the beauty of our parks is in your hands. Park patrons can help keep our parks clean throughout the year by depositing trash in one of the many receptacles located throughout the parks and picking up your pet waste from the grass and surrounding sidewalks. Report vandalism and/or hazards to Public Works at 209-691-7470 or on www.cityofescalon.org. Together we can keep our parks safe and clean for everyone. ■



A few simple guidelines:

- ◇ Deposit leaves and clippings in your green waste can and not in the street.
- ◇ Additional Green Waste containers can be ordered from City Hall and cost less than \$9.50 a month!
- ◇ Sweep fallen leaves away from storm drain inlets to prevent neighborhood street flooding.

For more information, contact the Public Works Department at 691-7470. ■

CITY HALL CLOSED

November 10

Veterans Day

November 23 & 24

Thanksgiving Holiday

December 22 & 26

Christmas Holiday

January 2

New Year's Day Observance

Every Friday



COMMUNITY MEETINGS

NOVEMBER

- 2 6:30pm Recreation Commission
- 7 7:00pm City Council
- 15 6:30pm Planning Commission
- 21 7:00pm City Council

DECEMBER

- 5 7:00pm City Council
- 7 6:30pm Recreation Commission
- 13 6:30pm Planning Commission
- 19 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.

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BUSINESS LICENSE RENEWAL DUE!

Don't forget to renew your business license.

ALL business licenses expire December 31, 2022....

Renew by January 30, 2023 to avoid penalties!

For information regarding business licenses call (209)691-7430.

RECREATION PROGRAMS

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

YOUTH BASKETBALL

Register now for Youth Basketball! The season is tentatively scheduled to begin mid-January. Fees are based on child's age/grade as September 1, 2022.

EUSD Residents/Non-EUSD Residents

Pre-K (3&4,coed)	\$35/\$45
K-1 (5&6,coed)	\$40/\$50
2nd & 3rd (7&8,coed)	\$65/\$75
4th-6th (9-11)	\$65/\$75
4th-6th division may be combined to be coed if registration is low.	
Sponsor	\$75

Deadline to register is
November 23rd

(a \$20 late fee applies 11/24/21)

For more program information visit www.cityofescalon.org or call 691-7372. ■



HOSPICE OF SAN JOAQUIN'S TREE OF LIGHTS



Tree of Lights offers the community an opportunity to memorialize a loved one no longer with us, or to honor a person who holds a special place in your heart. "Light up a Light...Light up a Life!" The tree lighting ceremony is hosted by the City of Escalon and the Escalon Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday, November 29th in Main Street Park. The tree is decorated by PG&E employee volunteers. To dedicate a light in memory of a loved one, or for more information, call (209)957-3888 or visit <https://www.hospicesj.org/events/tree-of-lights>. ■



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. Buses operate Monday-Friday. A service of the City of Escalon.

ESCALON BABE RUTH

Registration opens November 15th. Players must reside or attend school within the EUSD boundaries or Valley Home Joint School District boundaries. NEW participants must provide a **Birth Certificate at time of registration**. Players wanting to move up a division MUST make a request to the Recreation Commission at the regularly scheduled meeting on January 4, 2023.

Divisions and fees are as follows:

COED T-BALL

Age as of April 30, 2023	
4-5-6	\$50

BASEBALL

Age as of April 30, 2023	
6-7-8.....Rookie	\$60
(6yr old Rookies must have played 1 year of T-Ball with Escalon Recreation)	
9-10.....Minor	\$70
11-12.....Major	\$75

SOFTBALL

Age as of December 31, 2022	
7-8..... 8U	\$60
9-10..... 10U	\$70
11-12..... 12U	\$75

Evaluation date TBD ■



COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING DINNER

The Escalon Ministerial Association is offering a free Thanksgiving meal to anyone interested or in need.

Dinner will be served 11:30am - 1:30 pm at the Escalon Community Center (1055 Escalon Ave). For those who are physically unable to attend, a delivery service is available. Monetary donations are appreciated & can be made to the EMA-Thanksgiving Dinner, P.O. Box 1, Escalon CA 95320. For more info contact DeAnna Jackson at 209-838-6808 ■



GILTON SOLID WASTE HOLIDAY CLOSURES

Gilton will be closed on Thanksgiving Day. If your normal collection day falls on that holiday, your collection will be done the following day. For more info contact Gilton at 527-3781 ■

8 WINTER PREPARADNESS TIPS:

1. Replace the batteries in your smoke detectors now.
2. Have your chimney inspected by a professional chimney sweep.
3. Conduct a safety check of your vehicle.
4. Secure your home and your vehicle against theft.
5. Assemble an emergency kit.
6. Save money on your water bills by cutting back on sprinkler use.
7. Insulate exterior water pipes vulnerable to freezing.
8. Trim large tree branches away from house and vehicles to prevent damage. ■

UPDATED STREET SWEEPING SCHEDULE

Beginning October through December streets will be swept every week on either Tuesday or Wednesday; streets NE of Main Street will be done on Tuesdays and SW of Main Street on Wednesdays. You can view the street sweeping schedule/map on the Street & Traffic section of the Public Works page at www.cityofescalon.org. ■

STORM WATER CORNER Dispose of Pesticides Like a Pro

Do you have any unused pesticides (liquid or solid) or fertilizers around your home that you no longer need? These items must be disposed of properly so that they do not harm you or the environment. Take leftover pesticides and fertilizers to your local household hazardous waste facility FOR FREE at 7850 R.A. Bridgeford Street, Stockton, CA 95206. Call 209-468-3066 for details. ■