



CITY OF ESCALON

MAY-JUNE 2023

# NEWSLETTER

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

## Eye On Water Leak Alerts!

Have you signed up for Eye On Water and been alerted that you have a water leak? Here are some common places to check for that leak:

- ◆ Drip lines in your garden
- ◆ Automatic Pool Refiller
- ◆ Water Softener System
- ◆ Leaky toilets
- ◆ Irrigation/sprinkler lines

Sign up for leak alerts at [www.eyeonwater.com/signup](http://www.eyeonwater.com/signup)



## Water Bill Payment Arrangements

Water service is set to be shut off on **May 9, 2023** for non-payment of the March bill. If you are unable to pay your bill by that date, please be sure to submit a Request for Payment Plan form at least **48 hours prior**. The form can be found at <https://tinyurl.com/escwaterdisc>.

## SAVE MONEY, SAVE WATER....HELP CONSERVE NOW!

Water is California's most precious natural resource. How we manage it today will affect nearly every aspect of our future. California cannot take its water supply for granted. Conservation is a critical tool to help ensure that we have enough water for our communities, environment, farms and other important parts of our economy. **WATER RULES TO LIVE BY:**

◆ **OBSERVE WATERING HOURS** – Even Address-may water Sunday, Wednesday & Friday. Odd Addresses-may water



eTrans will now subsidize up to \$10 per Uber ride for a \$2 upfront fare! You can travel anywhere in Escalon, to Riverbank, Oakdale or Modesto, seven days a week, between 5am and 10pm. Ride cost beyond \$10 will be the responsibility of the rider. Uber app will need to be downloaded and a credit card or Uber gift card is required to use this service. To download your voucher, scan the QR code below!



For a normal bus ride, 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 8am to 5pm

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Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday. **Non Watering Hours**-are 8am-8pm, 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 shutoff valve is prohibited. 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).

**Please Save Today for Water Tomorrow!!**

**CITY HALL CLOSED**  
Monday • May 29  
Memorial Day Observed  
Every Friday

## COMMUNITY MEETINGS

### MAY

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

### JUNE

- 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. ■



## IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

ESCALON CITY HALL • 691-7400

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

CITY COUNCIL • 691-7400

David Bellinger, Mayor

Andrew Hagan, Mayor Pro-Tem

Jeremy Engle•Shawn Strohmman•Malinda Walker

- 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

**Please note that ALL recreation activities and dates are subject to change without notice. Go to [tshq.bluesomberero.com/cityofescalonrec](http://tshq.bluesomberero.com/cityofescalonrec) for updated information.**

## ESCALON YOUTH SOCCER

Registration is open now thru June 2nd. Divisions are based on child's age as of September 1, 2023.

Tot (3 & 4) - \$40  
Squirt (5 & 6) - \$45  
Pee Wee (7 & 8) - \$76  
Minor (9 & 10) - \$76  
Major/Sr (11 & 12) - \$76

## 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  
Adult Class  
5:30 - 6:30pm  
Beginner Class  
6:30 - 7:30pm

### Advanced Youth Classes begin every odd month

Mondays & Wednesdays  
Escalon Community Center  
1055 Escalon Ave.  
\$130 - Bi-monthly session  
7:30 - 8:30pm  
**Sign up online**

## CODE ENFORCEMENT SPRING TIP

With spring in full swing, now is the time for property owners to get "Ready" for the fire season by cutting grass, and weeds to a maximum height of six inches. Trees should be trimmed of dead or dying branches and removed from the property. ■



If we are experiencing a low registration, we will combine affected divisions. Check out our website at [cityofescalon.org](http://cityofescalon.org) for updated information. ■

### \*COACHES ALSO NEEDED\*



## DOG TRAINING

Join Bone-a-fide Dog Training for their next 5-week Beginner/Canine Good Citizen Class!

\*Saturday mornings beginning May 13th from 9:30-10:30am at Main Street Park.

\*Dogs must be up to date on vaccinations (rabies, distemper, parvo & canine flu) and owners must bring a 6' leash, collar and water bowl.

To sign up, head to [tshq.bluesomberero.com/cityofescalonrec](http://tshq.bluesomberero.com/cityofescalonrec), create an account, add yourself as the participant and choose Dog Training from Available Programs.

## ESCALON YOUTH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The City of Escalon Recreation Department offers youth scholarships to eligible families. Scholarship recipients must be 16 years old or younger and participating in a youth activity. All City of Escalon youth sports programs are eligible; classes and sports clinics are excluded.

Proof of income is required. For more information regarding income guidelines contact the Recreation Department at 2060 McHenry Ave. or call 209-691-7372. ■

## NFL FLAG FOOTBALL

Registration opens July 1st - August 18th. The program offers a fun, non-contact football experience for boys and girls, ages 5-13. The season will run October 21st - December 9th; games will be played on Saturdays at Hogan-Ennis Field.

Divisions are based on child's age as of September 1, 2023.

6U ..... Ages 5 - 6  
8U ..... Ages 7 - 8  
10U ..... Ages 9 - 10  
13U ..... Ages 11 - 13

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## STORM WATER CORNER

Residential water runoff from rain, hosing down driveways/sidewalks, and sprinkler overwatering collects oil, gas, pet waste, heavy metals, fertilizers, leaves, and grass clippings on its way down the gutter to the storm drain. These materials enter local creeks and rivers untreated and become pollutants that negatively affect water quality. Sweep driveways and sidewalks instead of hosing down. Adjust sprinkler timers so that water does not leave the property. 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 Stormwater Line at 691-7495. ■

