



# October 2022 Newsletter

**Phone**  
760-951-0006

**Address**  
26540 Vista Rd. Helendale

**Our Lobby is Open**  
Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 5:30 pm

## Fall Clean Up Day

FALL CLEAN UP DAY is October 29th, 2022, from 8:00 am to 11:30 am at the Community Center – 26540 Vista Rd. We accept general trash, large items, electronic waste, green waste, and tires without rims (no commercial tires).

### Bring your shredding!

We will have an onsite document shredding truck to destroy sensitive and confidential documents.

### Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)

Residents may drop off antifreeze, batteries, fluorescent light bulbs and tubes, oil and filters, paint, pesticides and fertilizers, home generated needles, medicine (except controlled substances). Transport no more than 15 gallons or 125 lbs in containers no larger than 5 gallons. Containers must be sound and not leaking.



### NEW THIS YEAR

Drop off HHW at the clean up event at the Helendale Community Center **NOT** at the Fire Station.

## FREE Phone Workshop

California Phones will be at the Senior Center on **October 21<sup>st</sup> at 10:00 am** to discuss the California Telephone Access Program that offers free phones to people experiencing hearing, vision, mobility, speech and memory issues. Attend this free workshop to learn how you may qualify for a new phone!

## DAILY LUNCH AT THE SENIOR CENTER



Monday through Friday from 11:30 – 12:30.  
**ALL ARE WELCOME**

A voluntary \$3 donation is suggested for anyone over 60, for people under 60 lunch is \$7.50. Menus available at [www.helendalecsd.org](http://www.helendalecsd.org)

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

**We need your help!** If you would like to volunteer to help with the daily lunch program, please contact Norma at 760-952-2357.

26540 Vista Rd. Suite C. Questions? Call 760-951-0006

# YOUTH BASKETBALL

Open to kids from kindergarten through 9<sup>th</sup> grade.

**WHEN:** Saturday's January 7th through February 25th.

**WHERE:** ACE High School Gymnasium.

**FEE:** \$60 per player. Registration fee includes uniform, pictures, and award at the end of the season.

**REGISTER ONLINE AT:** [www.helendalecsd.org](http://www.helendalecsd.org) under the Park and Recreation button.

### VOLUNTEER COACHES NEEDED

To volunteer or if you have questions regarding the program call 760-951-0006 ext. 230 for questions.

**Register Early!!** After November 15<sup>th</sup> registration will be \$70.



**Bring your pumpkins to the Community Food Waste Drop Off!**



# Helendale Certified FARMERS' MARKET

The market is open every Wednesday from 3 pm to 7 pm rain or shine. We have a great variety of vendors with everything from fresh fruits and vegetables to bread, honey, baked goods, and so much more. Every week we have artisan crafts, delicious homemade food and several food trucks to choose from! **EBT accepted for fruits, vegetables and packaged foods, and get up to \$15 free every week!** (some restrictions apply)



GET UP TO \$15 IN FREE FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Thanks to a grant through the Market Match program, customers using EBT can get up to \$15 in **FREE** fruits and vegetables every week. Visit our booth in Suite D for more information!

## Special Holiday Themed Markets

October 12<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>

### Fall Festival

Pumpkin Patch, Petting Zoo, fall photo area, face painting and more!



October 26<sup>th</sup>

### Trick or Treating at the market

Dress the kiddos up in Halloween costumes and trick or treat at all of our vendor booths!



November 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>

### Food, Toy & Coat Drive

Help someone in need - bring canned, non-perishable foods, coats and new unwrapped toys to the market. Items will be donated to local families. We will also have train rides for the kids!



December 14<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>

### Christmas Markets & Pictures with Santa

Bring the kids for free train rides, take selfies with Santa, shop at our many handcrafted boutique vendors for unique Christmas gifts and enjoy other Christmas festivities.



## Backyard Composting Workshop

Learn all about how to compost at home. We will also discuss the new community food waste recycling program. Countertop compost pails will be available to purchase for \$6.00.

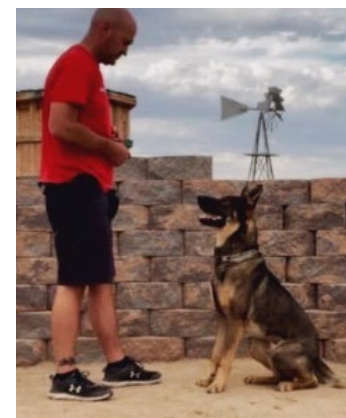
**When:** November 5<sup>th</sup>  
**Time:** 9:00 – 11:00 am  
**Where:** 26540 Vista Rd. Suite C.



## Dog Training Classes

Fact K9 Training has partnered with the Helendale CSD to offer indoor dog training classes at the Community Center.

Training is scheduled on an individual basis. If you are interested in more information email [FACTK9TRAINING@gmail.com](mailto:FACTK9TRAINING@gmail.com)



## COMMUNITY FOOD WASTE DROP OFF PROGRAM



The Community Food Waste Drop off program is off to a great start! Your voluntary participation helps the District meet State-mandated diversion requirements without adding a costly third barrel to your service. In the first month of the program residents have recycled over 2,100 pounds of food waste! Keep up the great work. **Thank you** for helping with this program. Please call 760-951-0006 x224 if you have any questions about the program. [www.helendalecsd.org](http://www.helendalecsd.org) for more info.

