



November 2021 Newsletter

Phone
760-951-0006

Address
26540 Vista Rd. Helendale

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

YOUTH BASKETBALL

WHEN: Saturday's January 15th through March 5th.

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 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.

Current COVID guidelines will apply.

Helendale Thrift Store Annual

Christmas Sale

- Christmas Trees
- Decorations
- Christmas Lights
- Raffle
- And More!

If you love the earth... Buy second hand first!

26540 Vista Rd. Suite A. Helendale, Ca

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Senior Center News

If you are looking for something to do, please consider joining us at the Helendale Senior Center located in the Community Center – Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

Activities include Wii bowling, poker, pinochle, card games, board games and there is always jigsaw puzzle. Bring your lunch, meet new people and have some fun. For more info call Norma at 760-952-2357.

The Senior Center is open to all Seniors 60 and up. New members are always welcome!

Handling the Holidays

For many the holidays can be a difficult time of year. Please join us on Monday, November 15th at 11 am. San Bernardino County Aging & Adult Services will be presenting ways to cope with holiday stress. 26540 Vista Rd. Suite C. Helendale

Board Meetings

November 4th and 18th at 6:30 pm

Park & Rec Meeting

November 9th at 3:00 pm

Upcoming Office Closures

Our offices will be closed on the following days:
November 11, 25 & 26 , December 23, 24 & 31 and
January 3rd. Please note if there is a water or sewer
emergency, you can call our after-hours service at 760-951-0006.



Adult Co-ed Softball

Our first season of adult co-ed softball has come to a close. Thank you to all of the teams and umpires for a great first season. Congratulations to Chaos Crew, who came in first place for the tournament! Spring season sign ups will be open soon!



Green Waste Drop Off

Green Waste drop off is available Monday through Saturday 11:00 am to 3:00 pm by appointment only. You can contact the office at 760-951-0006 to schedule your drop off.



Proposed Wastewater Rate Increase

Two public meetings are scheduled to discuss a proposed wastewater rate increase. At the meeting, you will learn about the capital projects at the wastewater treatment plant and gain information on the need for the proposed increase.

When: November 13th at 2:00 pm and November 16th at 6:30 pm.

What is FOG?

FOG stands for Fats, Oils and Grease. You may not think much of scraping your leftover food or cooking grease into the sink, but it can cause trouble for your pipes and the community sewer system.

Some common FOG found in kitchens includes cooking oils, condiments such as salad dressings and sandwich spreads, meat juices and fat, butter, lard, shortening and bacon grease. When FOG is poured down the drain and garbage disposals, it can cause blockages that can cause the sewer to back up into your home or business through sinks, drains and toilets. Here are a few simple things you can do to avoid sewage blockage and increased treatment costs:

- Do not pour fats, oils, or grease down the drain –Cool it, can it and trash it instead! Pour used cooking oil and grease into a can or another sealable container and throw it in the trash when cool.
- Wipe down greasy dishes, pots and pans and cooking utensils with a paper towel and dispose of it in your garbage.
- Use a strainer to catch food scraps and throw them in the trash.

Remember these simple tips this holiday season and throughout the year!

Paint Parties

Join us for our upcoming Paint Parties! The cost is \$25 per person per class and all art supplies are provided. Location: 26540 Vista Rd. Register at www.helendalecsd.org



November 5th at 6 PM



December 3rd at 6 PM

November Watering Times

After 9:00 am and before 6:00 pm.



Conservation Tip:

As the weather cools down, grass, shrubs, and trees need less water. Reduce the amount of time and the number of days per week that you water.