

October 2023 Newsletter

Phone 760-951-0006

Address 26540 Vista Rd. Helendale

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

Daily Lunch at the Community Center

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

A voluntary \$4 donation is suggested for anyone over 60, for people under 60 lunch is \$7.50.

Menus available at www.helendalecsd.org



Helendale CSD will be holding our annual fall clean up at the Community Center – 26540 Vista Rd. Accepted items: general trash, large items, electronic waste, green waste, and tires without rims (no commercial tires please). Please note there will be NO SHREDDING.



HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Residents may drop off antifreeze, batteries, oil and filters, paint, pesticides and fertilizers, fluorescent light bulbs and tubes, 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. Drop off location at the Community Center – 26540 Vista Rd. Helendale.

VOLUNTEER TO CLEAN UP THE DESERT

You can make a difference! Participate in our community clean up as an individual, community group, business or family! Groups will meet at the CSD at 7:30 am to get gloves, safety vests and bags. Volunteers will not have to wait in line to drop off.

"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it's the only thing that ever has." – Margaret Mead



FREE COMPOST

Compost will be available at the cleanup. Compost has many benefits including retaining moisture, controlling erosion, and it has beneficial nutrients to improve soil. Residents must bring their own shovels and bags/containers for compost.

Address - 26540 Vista Rd. Helendale – Enter on Jordan Rd.

Recycling Services at the Thrift Store

Please drop off all Thrift Store donations during our regular business hours to prevent theft and keep our donation area clean. Your donations are tax deductible and proceeds from the Thrift Store go directly back into the community by helping to fund our Community Park. When you drop off donations during normal business hours, please see one of our team members for your donation receipt.

The Thrift Store will also pick up your re-sellable items at no cost. To make an appointment, please call 760-952-1941.

If you have large items that are not re-sellable, you can contact the office at 760-951-0006 for a bulky item pick-up. Customers can get up to 5 items picked up twice a year.

Did you know you can drop off the following items at the Helendale Thrift Store Monday through Saturday from 11:00 am to 4:30 pm at NO COST!

Mattresses - no soiled mattress or mattresses with bed bugs.

Electronics - including ty's, computers, vacuums, toasters, coffee pots, printers, etc.

Cardboard - must be broken down.

Green Waste - some exclusions apply, cannot be bagged.

Large Items – furniture, appliances, etc.







Fall Festival - October 11, 18 & 25

Games and activities for the kids. Pumpkin patch, vendors, food, and more!



Trick or Treat at the Farmers Market October 25

Bring the kiddos to trick or treating at the Farmers Market! Vendors will be passing out candy. We will also have fun activities for the kids courtesy of the Helendale MOPS!



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, pickles, baked goods, and more. Every week we have crafts, delicious food and several food trucks to choose from!



Win \$100 if vou recycle the right stuff!

Do You Have... The Right Stuff?

Residents who recycle correctly help keep rates lower for everyone and lower the amount of trash going to the landfill! You can help by taking the Recycling Challenge!!! For rules and the entry form go to www.helendalecsd.org or visit the office. Winners will be selected in October and November.

THANK YOU ...

The Helendale CSD Board and Staff would like to thank all of our volunteers who donate their time to help with activities such as sports, Concerts in the Park, clean up days and more!

"The quality of your life will be determined by the quality of your contribution. When you work to improve the lives of others, your life improves automatically." – Kurek Ashley We would also like to thank all our sponsors who so generously gave this past year to improve the quality of our youth sports programs and Concerts in the Park.











Fall 2023 Season

Registration Fee - \$70 includes jersey and trophy. A set of flags for each player and two footballs will be provided for each team. Games will be held on Saturday and Sunday mornings. Co-ed league, ages 5-14.

New players MUST attend one of the assessments: October 10th at 6:00 pm or October 14th at 2:00 pm.

Register online at www.helendalecsd.org, click on the Park and Recreation link. Registration deadline October 14th. No late registrations will be accepted.



Helendale Youth Baketball

Registration Fee - \$70 includes uniform, pictures and trophy. Games will be held on Saturday mornings at ACE High School January 13 - March 2. Co-ed league, ages 5-14.

Register online at www.helendalecsd.org, click on the Park and Recreation link. Registration deadline November 24th. No late registrations will be accepted.

Volunteer coaches and referees needed

If you would like to volunteer or if you have any questions, please call 760-951-0006 ext. 230 for more information.

Activities at the Senior Center

Helendale Senior Outreach offers daily activities for seniors from 10 am to 2 pm at the Community Center including Wii Bowling, card games, Bingo and more. The Helendale CSD and Helendale Senior Outreach are proud to partner with Providence St. Mary Medical Group to offer activities and workshops for Helendale residents!

Crafts on the second and fourth Thursday of the month at 12:30. Space is limited to 20 participants, RSVP with Norma.

Forever Fit exercise classes September 1st and 15th at 10:45 am.

All activities and workshops will be held at the Community Center located at 26540 Vista Rd.

Be sure you are signed up on the Senior Center call list to get important reminders and information on classes and workshops. Call (760) 780-1123 to leave a message for Norma.

Upcoming Helendale CSD Board Meetings

Board meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Thursday of every month at 6:00 pm.

Full agenda packets and links to our meetings can be found under the agenda tab at www.helendalecsd.org.