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NEW THS OFFICES & STEM CLASSROOMS NEAR COMPLETION



Above: It's down to the wire, and a beehive of activity surrounds the new front office building and STEM classrooms at Templeton High School (THS). Back to work after a short summer hiatus, THS administrative staff is between offices and somewhat hampered in their preparations for the new school year which begins on August 20. According to THS Principal Erik Lewis, their hope is to move into the new admin offices within a week and STEM teachers should be able to move into their new classrooms a few days prior to the start of school. The almost completed construction project was made possible through Measure H12 funding. Photo © Soaring Eagle Press 2018; All Rights Reserved

CALENDAR ADDITIONS / CORRECTIONS

ACTIVE SENIORS CLUB WILL MEET THIS FRIDAY – The Senior Club will meet on Friday, August 3 at 10:30 am in the Templeton Community Center (Women's Clubhouse at 601 S. Main). The featured speaker is Evan Vossler, Head Chef at the Wellness Kitchen and Resource Center. There will be a potluck luncheon following the program. Visitors are always welcome! For more information, please

contact Templeton Recreation at 434-4909. To learn more about the Wellness Kitchen, please visit their website at www.thewkrc.org.

WEEKDAY SWIMMING CONTINUES THROUGH AUGUST 17 – Templeton Pool will continue to be open during the week through Friday, August 17th. After that date, it will stay open on the weekends through Labor Day (Sept 3). While the pool normally closes on Mondays for maintenance, it will be open the entire Labor Day Weekend (Sat, Sun, & Mon). The pool will then close – with the exception of Dog Splash Days (Sept 8-9) – until Memorial Day Weekend 2019.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

DEADLINE NEARING AND STILL NO TEMPLETON CANDIDATES (July 30) – According to the Clerk Recorder’s Office “[Candidates List](#)” published this afternoon (July 30), no one is listed as running for either the school board (TUSD) or Templeton’s town council (TCSD). **Two seats are up for election on both boards. The deadline to file to run is August 10th (if an incumbent in a seat up for election isn’t running, the deadline will be extended to August 15th – for non-incumbents only).**

Editor’s Note! For more information, please see “Please consider running for local office” in the REMINDERS section in this Update.

ROADS & TRAFFIC

Please be cautious around this Las Tablas work site

WORK CONTINUES ON TEMPLETON WASTEWATER PROJECT



Above: Pipe is moved from a storage area on Duncan as work continues on the Templeton Community Services District (TCSD) project to return eastside wastewater flows from Paso Robles to the Meadowbrook Wastewater Treatment Plant. Construction is currently in progress at Las Tablas and Duncan Road just off Hwy 101. Motorists are asked to be cautious as they travel through the construction area. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to learn more about the project. Photo © Soaring Eagle Press 2018; All Rights Reserved

EMERGENCY RETAINING WALL WORK REQUIRES CLOSURES OVERNIGHT *(From*

Caltrans) – Augmenting the existing retaining wall on State Route 1 at Paul’s Slide in Big Sur will require both directions of road to fully close overnight for three consecutive nights, starting Sunday, August 5. The highway will be closed from 10 pm to 6 am and motorists/cyclists are asked to plan around these three emergency, overnight closures. Paul’s Slide suffered major storm damage last January 2017 and lost part of its embankment including the southbound lane – requiring closure for several months. Paul’s Slide remains active and continues to be monitored.

WATER NEWS

PRECIOUS RAIN – SLOW IT DOWN & SOAK IT UP

Help replenish water resources - design landscaping to limit runoff and soak up the rain

“Nacimientto, San Antonio shrinking water levels affect recreation, draw legal threats”

The Monterey Herald – July 28, 2018

By Jim Johnson

(S.MONTEREY COUNTY) Just a year and a half since winter rains swelled two Monterey County-owned reservoirs, water levels at Lakes Nacimientto and San Antonio are already shrinking back to where they were during a four year drought – largely due to increased county water agency water releases.

These receding water levels have started to affect the county’s own recreation business and prompted complaints and even the threat of legal action.

At the same time, the county’s search for a long-term lakes management deal is in limbo as negotiations appear to have been stalled and the contract with Cal Parks, which currently manages the lakes is just months away from expiring. The lakes’ general manager left earlier this month.

Please [CLICK HERE](#) to read more.

“California’s raging wildfires are creating lightning filled volcanic clouds”

Quartz Magazine – July 29, 2018

By Zoë Schlanger

Pyrocumulus clouds, also known as “fire clouds” are extremely rare cloud formations caused by rising heat and smoke from volcanos, or as in the case in California right now, by raging wildfires. These extremely fast forming fire clouds can host their own lightning storms, and cause devastating winds.

Please [CLICK HERE](#) to read more.

REMINDERS

PLEASE CONSIDER RUNNING FOR LOCAL OFFICE – The nomination period to run for a seat on either the Templeton Community Services District Board of Directors or the Templeton Unified School District Board of Trustees **begins on Monday, July 16th and runs through August 10**. Two seats are up for election on each board and a minimum of three candidates for each board must step forward for an election to be held. If two or less file, they will automatically be seated without an election. Please consider running and serving either the school board or the services district (town council). For more information, please visit the County Clerk-Recorder’s web pages on the County website.

PUBLIC WORKSHOP ON WATER & SEWER RATE CHANGES AUGUST 30 – The Templeton Community Services District (TCSD) provides drinking water service to approximately 2,800 accounts including homes and businesses. TCSD also provides sewer conveyance, treatment, and disposal to

about 2,200 accounts. TCSD's water and sewer utilities rely on rates paid by customers to fund the costs for operations and maintenance. These utilities do not receive any property tax revenues. After a great deal of careful study, the District has proposed an adjustment in both water and sewer rates to maintain a balanced budget. The public is invited to attend a workshop to learn more about the proposed rate adjustments on August 30 at 6:30 pm in the Templeton Community Center (Women's Clubhouse at 601 S. Main). The DRAFT rate study can be viewed at the District's website at www.templetoncsd.org or in the District office (5th & Crocker).

BULLETIN BOARD

Please click on the links provided for more information

Wednesday, August 1st – EIGHTH 2018 [Summer Concert](#) in the Park

Saturday, August 4th – Castoro [Outdoor Concert featuring "Blame Sally"](#)

Wednesday, August 8th – NINTH 2018 [Summer Concert](#) in the Park

Saturday, August 11th – THS "[All Alumni Day](#)" – Includes BBQ & Boosters Kick Off

Saturday, August 11th – 4th Annual [Whale Rock Wine Down Tournament](#) (Disc Golf)

Saturday, August 11th – 20th Annual Paso Robles Rotary "[Winemakers Cookoff](#)"

Sunday, August 12th – Castoro Cellars August [Yoga, Brunch & Bubbles](#)

Sunday, August 12th – [FREE Castoro Cellars Outdoor Concert](#) with "Mannequins by Day"

Wednesday, August 15th – TENTH 2018 [Summer Concert](#) in the Park

Saturday, August 18th – [Summer Social at Vineyard Dog Park](#)

Monday, August 20th – [FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL](#)

Wednesday, August 22nd – **LAST** 2018 [Summer Concert](#) in the Park

Saturday, August 25th – ECHO's 7th Annual "[Long Walk Home](#)"

Saturday, August 25th – [Whale Rock "Warm Up"](#)

Saturday, August 25th – 2018 Morning [Summer Social at Sherwood Dog Park](#)

Thursday, August 30th – TCSD Public Workshop on [Water & Sewer Rate Changes](#)

September 8th thru 9th – [Dog Splash Days](#)

September 15 & 16th – [Whale Rock Music & Arts Festival](#)

Saturday, September 22nd – Templeton Education Foundation "[Denim & Diamonds](#)"

Saturday, October 13th – "Livin' the Dream" Rec Volunteer Awards Dinner & Auction

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"If we can't get it right at the local, grass roots level, how in the world can we expect to get it right at the county, state, and federal levels?" nanette fisher