



Monthly Report of Services & Activities Park and Recreation Department

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Upcoming Events

- Movies in the Park
June 8
- Father's Day BBQ & Pool Party
June 16
- Concert in the Park
June 21
- Apple Valley Idol
June 22

PARKS and FACILITIES DIVISIONS

APRIL 2012

PARK AND FACILITY MAINTENANCE

Total Park Acreage Maintained: 196 acres

Total Facility Square Footage Maintained: 153,267 sq. ft.

	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
# TREES PLANTED	0	1	0	8
# TREES REMOVED	1	0	10	17
# TREES TRIMMED	15	0	142	205
SERVICE REQUESTS COMPLETED	5	5	70	42
VANDALISM ACTS REPAIRED	0	1	11	26
GRAFFITI ACTS REPAIRED	9	2	42	44

**NON PAID LABOR SOURCES	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
WEEKEND WORKERS	1272	360	3336	4568
WEEKDAY WORKERS	608	800	6888	10,046
VOLUNTEER WORKERS	0	0	895	249
OTHER	0	72	735	681.5
TOTAL NON PAID LABOR HOURS:	1880	1232	11,854	15,544.5

PARK AND FACILITY PROJECTS COMPLETED

Christmas came early to Apple Valley when a new tree was planted this week to replace the town's Christmas tree that succumbed to a vicious bark beetle attack last September.

The 25-foot deodar cedar, and the labor to install it, was donated by The Home Depot.



PARK AND FACILITY USAGE



Local Boy Scouts removed graffiti from the rock formations at Horsemen's Center earlier this month.

PICNIC AREA USAGE - SCHEDULED # of Uses	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
Corwin Park	6	8	38	27
James Woody Park	1	2	10	12
Mendel Park	3	2	9	6
Sycamore Rocks Park	0	1	0	1
Thunderbird Park	1	0	2	1
Virginia Park	0	1	1	2
TOTAL	11	14	60	49



PARK/FIELD USAGE (Typical Use = 1 Hour) # of Uses	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
Lenny Brewster Sports Center	136	158	1197	1306
Corwin Park	44	46	281	260
James Woody Park 9 fields	295	279	1807	1692
Lions Park	34	47	212	247
Mendel Park	21	21	122	149
Norm Schmidt Park	14	23	100	125
Sycamore Rocks Park	45	46	261	270
Thunderbird Park	49	49	277	306
Virginia Park	48	49	219	298
Yucca Loma Park	25	21	132	121
TOTAL	711	739	4608	4774



PARK AND FACILITY USAGE

APPLE VALLEY GOLF COURSE	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
Total Golf Rounds Played	2809	2337	22,242	25,340

CIVIC CENTER PARK USAGE	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
# of Uses				
Aquatic Center	52*	86	838*	1279
Amphitheatre	0	0	12	14
TOTAL	52	86	850	1293

HORSEMEN'S CENTER USAGE	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
# of Uses				
BMX	10	8	70	87
Horseshows	0	2	4	11
Picnics/Camping/Day Use	8	8	52	37
TOTAL	18	18	126	135



Local Boy Scouts retired over 300 US flags at Horsemen's Center this month.

PARK AND FACILITY USAGE

TOWN HALL # of Uses	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
Recreation Center - Room # 1	28	7	191	229
Recreation Center - Room # 2	27	2	210	207
Recreation Center - Room # 3	21	18	277	188
Recreation Center - Room # 4	21	19	277	191
Recreation Center - Room # 5	1	30	13	249
Full Conference Center	2	4	14	24
Conference Center - North Room	1	1	31	35
Conference Center - South Room	7	4	27	63
Development Services Conf Room I	12	17	57	145
TOTAL	120	102	1097	1331



Over 400 volunteers turned out on April 14th to help to rid the desert of trash at Community Clean-Up Day.

JAMES A. WOODY COMMUNITY CENTER # of Uses	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
Auditorium	29	57	340	497
Ward Room	43	nap*	349	nap*
Arts and Crafts Room	47	30	348	303
Upstairs Meeting Room	6	0	56	0
Kitchen	6	4	83	50
Mini-Gym	29	21	298	244
Gymnasium	44	45	493	417
TOTAL	204	157	1967	1511

*Ward Room is now used by the Police Activities League as a Teen Center.

nap - Figures not applicable

YOUTH AND ADULT SPORTS PARTICIPATION



ADULT SPORTS	# of Participants		# of Teams	
	YEAR-TO-DATE		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
Adult Softball	524	460	40	36
Over 25/30-Basketball	119	242	14	26
TOTAL	643	702	54	62

YOUTH SPORTS	# of Participants		# of Teams	
	YEAR-TO-DATE		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
Youth Basketball - Summer/Winter	381	413	42	38
Hot Shots Basketball - Summer/Winter	46	39	6	4
Sports Camps	9	NO	nap	nap
Youth 3-on-3 Soccer Tournament	108	112	27	28
Boys Basketball Tournament	90	158	9	16
Youth Volleyball	36	44	4	6
TOTAL	670	766	88	92

PEE WEE SPORTS	# of Participants		# of Teams	
	YEAR-TO-DATE		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
Pee Wee Basketball - Summer/Winter	37	36	4	4
Adventures in Pee Wee Sports	64	68	nap	nap
Pee Wee Soccer	89	66	10	8
Pee Wee T-Ball	87	85	10	10
TOTAL	277	255	24	22



PROGRAMS AND CLASSES PARTICIPATION

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Fotoworkz
Photography



PROGRAMS/CLASSES # of Participants	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
Adult Programs/Classes	127	110	1017	1162
Youth Programs/Classes	158	144	1519	1500
Day Camp	15	NO	321	305
CAVE	10	NO	168	NO
Open Gym	324	292	2561	2357
Therapeutic Recreation	12	7	122	135
Swing the Town	NO	NO	117	NO
Active Adults	12	8	95	92
TOTAL	658	561	5920	5551

A new Fotoworkz Photography class was offered this month for adults. Participants learned about different common functions of digital cameras and how to make their photos stand out more.

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES PROGRAM (Program is offered during AAE & AV School District School Year and is based on weekly enrollment)	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
AAE - Corwin Campus	59	161	409	1135
AAE - Thunderbird Campus	60	55	414	412
Desert Knolls Elementary School*	32	NO**	316	82
Rio Vista Elementary School*	60	92	610	790
Sitting Bull Academy (K-4)*	65	116	725	797
Sitting Bull Academy (5-8)*	37	78	380	745
Vanguard Preparatory*	75	121	839	1110
TOTAL	388	623	3693	5071

*AVUSD & AAE school schedules changed this year. AAE started August 1, 2011. AVUSD started August 10, 2011.

**Desert Knolls closed in January 2012 due to low enrollment.

nap - Figures not applicable min - Minimum participation not met NO - Not offered

HEALTHY APPLE VALLEY

BE ACTIVE ***EAT SMART*** ***LIVE BETTER***

The Town of Apple Valley with the help of a grant by the County of San Bernardino Department of Public Health began the Healthy Apple Valley program with a mission of improving the health and well-being of our residents through the promotion of healthy eating, education, cooking programs and physical activity.



HEALTHY APPLE VALLEY # of Participants	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
Healthy Living Workshops (HEAL)	NO	NO	38	48
Kids Cooking Classes	NO	NO	NO	25
Family Nights	NO	NO	NO	61
Special Events	NO	NO	NO	167
Walking Club	NO	NO	NO	NO
Cycling Events	NO	NO	NO	16
Teen Events	NO	NO	NO	100
Bring Your Lunch from Home	NO	NO	NO	10
TOTAL	0	0	38	427

NO - Not offered

Be Active

Family Field Day

Tired of the same old, same old? Join the Recreation staff at the Civic Center Park Retention Basin for Family Field Day! It's a time for families to break out of their hectic schedules and enjoy a day of fun and adventure.

Phone in registration is required.
Please no later than April 19

April 21, 2012
9 am
Civic Center Park
14999 Dale Evans Parkway
Retention Basin

FREE!

Town of Apple Valley Park & Recreation Department
14955 Dale Evans Parkway, Apple Valley, CA 92307
(760) 240-7880 or www.AVRecreation.org

Eat Smart

Healthy Cooking For Kids

March 15, 2012
Ages 11 - 15
6 - 8 pm

James Woody
Community
Center
Kitchen

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Explore new foods and wholesome baking to introduce older kids to the joy of cooking for themselves. Incorporate healthy alternatives to fast food and creative ideas to expand your weekly menu.

Pre-registration is required.
Class maximum is 10.

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Live Better

Healthy Living Workshop

Your ticket to a healthier life
Learn from a Registered Dietitian on healthier living through grocery shopping, balanced eating and fun exercises!

Weekly Sessions will cover the following topics:

- Disease Prevention and Healthy Weight Loss
- Healthy Eating Basics/Healthy Eating on a Budget
- Label Reading and Grocery Shopping
- Family Fun Physical Activities

When: Tuesday, March 13, 20 & 27
Who: High Desert Residents and their families
Where: Apple Valley Conference Center
14975 Dale Evans Parkway
Apple Valley, CA 92307
Time: 6:00-8:00 p.m.
Cost: Free
Free child care for children ages 2-12

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AQUATIC PROGRAMS PARTICIPATION

AQUATICS # of Participants	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
Open Rec Swim	NO	NO	7433	8149
Morning Lap Swim	346	239	4391	3278
Lunchtime Lap Swim	NO	111	NO	590
Evening Lap Swim	21	NO	628	980
Swim Lessons	NO	NO	976	808
Water Aerobics	58	53	768	605
Open Water Diver Course	NO	NO	8	NO
Apple Valley WAVE	49	NO	637	191
Advanced Stroke Development	NO	15	NO	43
Lifeguard Training Course	NO	13	19	34
Special Events	NO	NO	33	26
Drop-In Scuba	NO	NO	8	2
CPR Challenge	9	NO	NO	5
TOTAL	483	431	14,931	14,711



Lifeguard Training



nap - Figures not applicable

min - Minimum participation not met

NO - Not offered

**SPECIAL EVENTS PARTICIPATION/
PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS**

Easter
Eggstravaganza



SPECIAL EVENTS # of Participants	YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12
Firecracker Run	188	217
Movie Night in the Park	325	380
Mud Fest	190	260
Horsemen's Center Campfire	25	min
Reverse Triathlon	321	340
Fall Festival	nav	2,000
Tour de Apple Valley	nav	114
Kiddie Carnival	380	400
Haunted House	500	265
Freedom Festival	12,000	8,000*
Concerts in the Park	nav	9,600
Concerts in the Courtyard	nav	800
Rockin' Flea Market	nav	700
Equine Festival of Apple Valley	nav	2000
Community Clean-Up Day	nav	1,000
Turkey Run	140	243
Holiday Craft Fair	nav	1,000
Apple Valley's Most Talented Kid	150	104
Rent-a-Santa	14	17
Pictures with Santa	NO	5
Santa in the Park	100	90
Cocoa & Carols with Santa	NO	15
Winter Wonderland	nav	800
Teen Art Festival	229	275
Youth Track Meet	430	460
Bunny Run	245	275
Eggstravaganza	1,000	1,500
TOTAL	16,237	30,860



HIGHLIGHTS

The 6th Annual Easter Eggstravaganza was offered on Saturday, April 7th at the James Woody Community Center. Co-hosted by the Optimist Club, the event featured fun for all ages with game booths, face painting, a bouncer slide and an Easter Egg Hunt.

nav - Figures not available
min - Minimum participation not met
NO - Not offered



VISION 2020



Goal #5 - Ample Parkland and Diverse Recreational Opportunities

Objective - Expand and enhance the Town's network of parkland and recreational opportunities.

Strategies

- Expand youth, senior and equestrian recreation programs.
- Identify secure funding sources.
- Develop partnerships.
- Develop Apple Valley Country Club as a self-sustaining facility.
- Update the Town's Park and Recreation Master Plan.

	# of Volunteers		# of Volunteers		# of Hours	
	MONTHLY		YEAR-TO-DATE		YEAR-TO-DATE	
	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12	10/11	11/12
Volunteers/Volunteers	29	20	233	228	2025	2281
Coaches	14	16	250	225	1190	1082
TOTAL	43	36	483	453	3215	3363



Teen Zone members volunteered at a prom held for local special needs teens. They were very friendly, open-minded and compassionate towards the students - a proud representation of the Teen Zone program.

