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Town of Apple Valley, CA

A Better Way of Life.

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Heart Games to provide fun way get healthy

Get healthy and have fun doing it on February 22 from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the 2014 Heart Games. This event features healthy competition designed to educate and entertain while racing through 10 heart healthy activities that are a cross between The Amazing Race and Minute to Win It.

"This is the third year we've hosted the Heart Games and it gets more and more popular each year," said Lena Quinonez, recreation supervisor and Healthy Apple Valley coordinator. "It's exciting to see families, friends and co-workers team up to have fun and get healthy at the same time."

Teams of three to five people are encouraged to register by February 19. The cost is \$10 per person.

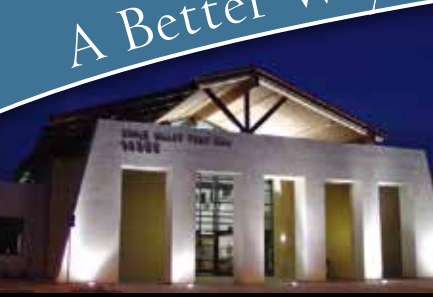
Last year the fees from this event, combined with a grant from Kaiser Permanente, purchased exercise equipment

stations for Civic Center Park. A cardio stepper, pull-up/dip bar, bench press, abdominal crunch/leg lift bench and Tai Chi wheels are available to use in the outdoor venue at no cost. A ribbon cutting for the equipment was held during the Town's 25th anniversary of incorporation celebration on November 15.

The Heart Games is one of many activities offered through the Town's Healthy Apple Valley program that supports a mission of improving the health and well-being of our residents through the promotion of healthy eating, education, cooking programs and physical activity.

For more information on The Heart Games or Healthy Apple Valley, contact Lena Quinonez at (760) 240-7000 x7883 or visit www.HealthyAppleValley.org.





MEETING CALENDAR

Unless otherwise noted, all meetings take place in the Council Chambers at 14955 Dale Evans Parkway

TOWN COUNCIL

2nd & 4th Tuesday, 6:30 p.m.

PLANNING COMMISSION

1st & 3rd Wednesday, 6 p.m.

PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION

1st Thursday of alternate months, 6 p.m.

EQUESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

2nd Wednesday of alternate months, 7 p.m.

HISTORICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

3rd Thursday of alternate months, 2:00 p.m.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Every Saturday, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Hazardous Waste Collection Center

13450 Nomwaket Road
Information:
240-7000 x7522

DISASTER COUNCIL

Tuesday, January 14, 1:30 p.m.

Apple Valley Fire Station #336

19235 Yucca Loma Road

Town Holiday Closures

December 24 to January 1	Christmas and New Year's Day
January 1	New Year's Day
January 20	Martin Luther King Jr. Day
February 17	President's Day



Free 2014 community calendars available

Celebrate the beauty of Apple Valley by hanging the 2014 Community Calendar in your home or office. The full-color publication features photographs of local features taken by Apple Valley residents, volunteers and employees. The calendar includes listings of Council and Commission meetings, special events, Town Hall closures and a two-page Town services guide that will make this a resource you won't want

to be without. We are grateful to Apple Valley Ranchos Water Company for their support that allowed us to distribute the calendars for free. For a list of contest winners visit www.GreenAppleValley.org.

LifeStream blood drives scheduled for 2014



It is easy to save a life and only takes a few minutes when you participate in a LifeStream Blood Drive. The Town of Apple Valley has scheduled six bi-monthly events for our residents and neighbors to come by this year and see how simple it is to give the gift of life.

Healthy individuals at least 15 years of age may donate blood. Those 15 and 16 years of age must provide LifeStream with written parental consent. Parent consent forms are available at any donor center or community blood drive. All prospective donors should be free of infections or illness, weigh at least 110 pounds, and not be at risk for AIDS or hepatitis. Donors receive a free mini-physical as part of the donation process. Donating blood takes about an hour, yet gives someone a lifetime.

Walk-ins are welcome. For appointments or more information call 1-800-TRY-GIVING or visit www.lstream.org.

2014 Schedule

Apple Valley Conference Center
14975 Dale Evans Parkway
11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

January 21

March 18

May 20

July 15

September 16

November 18

The Music Man is coming to town!



The Town of Apple Valley is excited to announce an effort to bring a live musical theater production to the Civic Center Park Amphitheater! Hannett-Thorn Productions has plans to present "The Music Man", with three shows, June 19-21, 2014. Fundraising is underway.

If you'd like to contribute, contact Kathie Martin at kmartin@applevalley.org or (760)240-7000 x 7070. Auditions will be held in late March. Check www.hannett-thorn-productions.com for the latest news! ☺



Community Clean Up Day

Saturday, April 5
8:30 a.m. to noon

Volunteers needed! Sign up in advance!

Families * Clubs * Churches
Businesses * Individuals



FREE lunch & T-shirt while supplies last!

Non-hazardous material drop off corner of Navajo & Pah-ute

(760) 240-7000 x 7071
AppleValleyEvents.org

VETERANS' AID & ATTENDANCE PENSION PROGRAM

Are You A Veteran Or Surviving Spouse?

The VA designed this program to help Veterans and their surviving spouses receive the financial support necessary to ensure their continuing care in an Assisted Living setting. The Aid and Attendance Pension provides benefits to Veterans and their surviving spouses. The program can provide up to \$1732.00 for a veteran, \$1113.00 per month to a surviving spouse, or \$2054.00 per month to a couple.

Eligibility Requirements

- Veteran must have served at least 90 days of active duty, with a least one day served during a time of war.
- Assets must be less than \$80,000. (Assets do not include your personal residence, car).
- Financial need – in general, there must be less income yearly than the cost of care provided.
- Medical diagnosis – You must have a medical condition indicating that you are in need of assistance from others in order to live a quality life, including, but not limited to the following:
 - Walking – Bathing
 - Dressing – Meal Preparation
 - Medication Assistance
 - Getting out of bed

For more information, please call

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Code Enforcement makes Apple Valley a “Better Way of Life”

In addition to dealing with common nuisance codes, code enforcement is responsible for many other types of violations including, but not limited to:

- Business license compliance
- Drinking alcohol in public
- Trash and debris
- Grading without a permit
- Faulty plumbing
- Illegal dumping
- Prohibited accessory structure
- Polluted swimming pool
- Joshua tree disposal
- Unauthorized removal of recyclables
- Inoperative vehicles or vehicles for sale
- Trash carts left out at the curb
- Septic or sewage violation
- Prohibited off road riding
- Hazardous electrical
- Aggressive panhandling
- Trespass by refusal to leave
- Shopping cart theft

They say “one man’s trash is another man’s treasure.” In Apple Valley, one man’s trash can be a huge nuisance. Fortunately, the Town’s Code Enforcement Department works hard to remove trash, graffiti, inoperable vehicles and other public nuisances that create a problem for our residents.

“Code enforcement helps residents enjoy their neighborhood. Securing vacant homes from vandals and cleaning up trash and debris are two issues we address, so people don’t have to worry about the negative impact on their property,” Code Enforcement Manager Jim Andersen cites as an example.



After the economic downturn and foreclosure crisis began in 2008, a few cities cut code enforcement programs completely. But in Apple Valley we established a Foreclosure Task Force, which has since proactively inspected more than 3,000 properties in various stages of foreclosure. Many were unsecured with

trash and debris strewn about the yards, attracting vandals and squatters. In nearly all instances, Apple Valley Code Enforcement Officers opened up cases, removed the violations, and secured the properties before residents phoned in complaints. This aggressive approach resulted in very few houses being vandalized or targeted by squatters.

“Our six officers processed 6,200 cases last year. Imagine the conditions that would have been left unchecked if Apple Valley had eliminated our Code Enforcement like so many other cities did,” said Andersen. “As it turns out, many of those cities had to reinstate their programs.”

Code enforcement uses the Town’s Municipal Code, Development Code, Building Code, Business and Professions Code, and the Uniform Housing Code to maintain the health, safety, welfare and property values in Apple Valley.

Want to know more about what Code Enforcement does on a monthly basis? Visit our website at www.AVCode.org. Click on news and upcoming events to access a monthly report that highlights department statistics and interesting cases. Call (760) 240-7560 to report a violation. 📞

Code Enforcement provides events to get rid of unwanted items such as old tires, mattresses, appliances, and trash free of charge.

Join us for these upcoming events from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.:

Tire Amnesty - January 25 at Lions Park

Neighborhood Clean Up - February 8 on Otoe at Dale Evans

Neighborhood Clean Up - March 22 on Standing Rock at Central Road

Police programs serve up safety

Start Smart Driving Program

Send your teen on the road to safety by enrolling him or her in the Apple Valley Police Department's new Smart Start driving class.

In collaboration with the California Highway Patrol, the first class will be January 8 from 6 to 8 p.m. in Conference Room 1 at the Apple Valley Conference Center at 14975 Dale Evans Parkway.

"This class is designed to keep teen drivers safe by teaching them safe driving habits, giving them tips on how to avoid collisions and discussing the consequences of poor choices behind the wheel," said Crime Prevention Officer Karen Hunt. "Participants will hear testimonies of people tragically impacted by incidents involving teen drivers and learn about the legal ramifications and civil liabilities affecting teen drivers and their parents."

The class is free for students and accompanying parents. Some automobile insurance companies may offer a discount for teens who attend a Start Smart class. For additional information or to register, contact Crime Prevention Officer Hunt at (760) 240-7400 x7457.


Neighborhood Watch/Community Watch

The Apple Valley Police Department will host bi-monthly Neighborhood Watch and Community Watch meetings beginning in January. Members, block captains and neighbors who want more information on how to keep their community safe are invited to learn how to establish and reinforce cooperation between law enforcement and citizens that want to keep their neighborhoods and community safe.

Meetings will be held on the first Tuesday of every other month from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the Apple Valley Conference Center, 14975 Dale Evans Parkway.

- January 7
- March 4
- May 6
- July 1
- September 2
- November 4

Cell phones for seniors

Apple Valley senior citizens - would you like the security of being able to call 9-1-1 at all times without the cost of a cell phone plan? Just contact us for a free phone. The Apple Valley Police Department has acquired, through Secure the Call, a limited number of cell phones that are available to seniors in our community. The only thing you need to do is keep the phone charged and remember to carry it with you. Seniors interested in obtaining a cell phone need only to provide documentation that you reside in the Town of Apple Valley. For additional information or to obtain a phone, contact Crime Prevention Officer Hunt at (760) 240-7400 x7457. 



Police staff shared information on programs and services at the 25th Anniversary Open House in November.

Citizen's Academy to begin in 2014

The Apple Valley and Hesperia Sheriff's Stations will co-host a Citizen's Academy in early 2014. The two night class will include information on the following topics:

- Department overview and history
- Introduction to law and citations
- How a 911 call is processed and prioritized
- How to recognize and report a suspicious person or vehicle
- How to be a good witness
- Target hardening-burglary and crime prevention techniques
- Drug recognition
- Gang recognition, graffiti and fraud

The date has yet to be determined, but call (760) 240-7400 for more information or to be put on an interest list

Recreation & events for all ages

Information/Registration: (760) 240-7880 or www.AVRecreation.org



Special Apples Valentine's Dance, Feb. 8, 6 - 8 p.m.: Dress in your best evening wear for the Special Apples Valentine's Dance and enjoy an evening of music, socializing, party games and fun in the Town Hall Conference Center. Refreshments will be served. The Special Apples Program is designed for individuals with disabilities. In addition to fun, the program offers opportunities for physical fitness, self-confidence, cooperation and positive use of leisure time. Check out our Recreation Guide for additional Special Apples programming. **Cost:** \$3 per person

Tri-Star Basketball Skills Contest, Feb. 25, 6 - 8 p.m. – Sponsored by the Apple Valley Optimist Club, girls and boys compete in dribbling, shooting and passing contests at James Woody Community Center Gym. Winners receive awards and can advance to higher levels of competition. **Cost:** Free

Teen Art Festival, March 29, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.: Students 13 to 18 are invited to submit their drawing, painting, sculpture, photography or digital art to compete for prizes and trophies. Entry forms and submission guidelines are available at Apple Valley Town Hall, Apple Valley Library or on-line at www.AVRecreation.org. **Cost:** Free. Entry Deadline: March 6 Location: Apple Valley Library.

Spring Day Camps, selected weeks in March: Spring break doesn't have to be boring. Children ages 7 to 15 can enroll in the Creative Brain Introduction to Robotics or Stop Motion Animation camps where they will have an amazing opportunity for fun, hands-on learning and building. **Cost:** Ranges from \$30 to \$170 per session depending on the camp. Location: James Woody Community Center or Lewis Center for Education.

Easter Eggstravaganza and Bunny Run, April 19, 9 a.m. - 12 noon: Join in good old fashioned fun at James Woody Community Center. The free egg hunt by the Optimist Club starts at 9:30 a.m. sharp, but the fun lasts until noon. Children can play games for prizes, jump in the bounce houses and much more with a \$5 wristband. Check in for the 5/10K Bunny Run starts at 7 a.m. and the race starts at 8 a.m. **Run Cost:** Pre-register by April 17 for \$17 or after for \$20; walkers are free. 🔄



February is National Heart Month

Physical activity is one of the healthiest things people of any age can do for their heart. Celebrate National Heart Month by joining in on any of these activities. Call the Parks and Recreation Department at (760) 240-7880 for more information.

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| 60 Minutes to Heart Health | Feb. 1 |
| Healthy Heart Seminar | Feb. 8 |
| "VANtastic! Fun" Play | Feb. 15 |

Save Apple Valley Events!

Can you imagine a summer in Apple Valley without our Sunset Concert Series? What would Independence Day be without a spectacular fireworks show at Brewster Park? As inconceivable as these might seem, shrinking budgets could make the elimination of special events in our Town a reality. From gathering corporate sponsors to taking up a collection at concerts, our Special Events Department has been exploring new ways to continue offering fun, free, family activities in Apple Valley.

With budgets getting smaller and event costs getting larger, we are turning to YOU for additional support to keep these events going. Any contribution will help. With a \$25 donation, you will receive a limited edition 25th anniversary lapel pin. For \$250 or more, you will be invited to the end of the season donor appreciation event in August. Checks can be sent to S.A.V.E. Campaign, Town of Apple Valley, 14955 Dale Evans Parkway, Apple Valley, CA 92307. Or you can donate online using PayPal or a credit card.

The AVCRF is a not-for-profit public benefit corporation. Check with your tax professional to see what tax benefits you may gain from your contribution. For more information call (760) 240-7000 x 7070, or visit www.AppleValleyEvents.org. ☺



Animal Services “Bow-Meow Luau” to benefit shelter animals

Prepare yourself for a barking good time on March 22 when Apple Valley Animal Services hosts the Fourth Annual Fur Ball, an upscale benefit dinner at the Apple Valley Conference Center.

“For the last three years, the Animal Services staff has gone all out to create a fun event with outstanding entertainment and excellent food. This year will be no exception,” said Animal Services Manager Gina Schwin-Whiteside.

The Fur Ball has become one of the shelter’s signature events, raising funds for shelter animals and creating awareness about the important work done to help our community’s animals. The event features live entertainment and a live auction for items that, in the past, have

included week-long vacations, entertainment packages, signed artwork and much more.

While previous years have paid tribute to the Roaring ‘20s and Fabulous 50s, this year will feature a Polynesian Luau theme.

Like the Cruisin’ Fur Critters Poker Run and the Paws N’ Claws Pet Fair, the Fur Ball gains popularity each year and we expect this year’s event to sell out weeks ahead of time. Tickets for the event are \$80 per person, \$140 per couple and \$500 for a table of eight. Corporate sponsorships are available. For more information, contact Animal Services at (760) 240-7000 x 7555. ☺

Apple Valley Golf Course



A message from Sierra Golf Management

By Gary Matteson,
Apple Valley Golf Course Manager

In July 2013, Sierra Golf Management (SGM) was given responsibility for the pro shop and the grounds at the Apple Valley Golf Course. There was some apprehension from golfers as they faced "breaking in" a new management team, and I was a little apprehensive myself.

What I found, though, were folks with a fierce love for these 18 holes called Apple Valley. They quickly saw that Sierra Golf shares in their passion for this golf club, and I personally want to thank them for welcoming me and my family with open arms.

Nick Hansen, former greens superintendent, left the course in beautiful shape. The rough was the toughest I've seen, and the fairways and greens were wonderful. Our new greens superintendent, Jeff Armantrout, has maintained the tradition of excellence and has plans for this upcoming year that include improvements to the driving range and changes to the lakes on both 2 and 17.

With the introduction of our new "Revolution Membership", the AV Men's Club is more than 160 members. The competition is fierce, with two brand new members winning in the club championships: John Crumbly (Men's Club Champion), and Robert Rochelle (Senior Club Champion). If you think you might be a candidate for membership, "Take the Test." If you answer "yes" to any one of these

questions, the Golf Revolution package can save you money.

- 1) Do you play 4 times in a month?
- 2) Do you play 3 Saturdays or Sundays a month?
- 3) Do you play 7 twilight rounds a month?
- 4) Are you over 60 years, and play 7 times in a month?
- 5) Are you under the age of 18 and play more than 10 times in one "Year"

In 2014 we are focused on reaching our junior golfers. Our goal is to start holding clinics and weekly tournaments just for juniors.

Whether shopping for yourself or the golfer in your life, check out the new merchandise in the pro shop. My wife Jennifer and my daughter Paige have put together an expanded collection of women's items, from blinged out ball markers and club covers, to warm-up suits.. We also have vendors that are happy to place special orders.

Our goal is to make Apple Valley Golf Club the place to be! We are excited for next year, the possibilities are endless. Come join in our excitement. ☺



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Scan this with a QR code reader on your smart phone to be taken to a webpage with links to all of our social media sites!

HHW offers solution to the question...”what do I do with this?”



Residents take advantage of the convenient, drive-up and drop-off location of the Apple Valley Household Hazardous Waste Collection Center every Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

What do old paint, broken fans, obsolete computer monitors, batteries and expired medicines have in common? They are all things that can be brought to the Household Hazardous Waste collection center in Apple Valley.

Located at 13450 Nomwaket Road between Powhatan and Ottawa roads, the collection center is open every Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2

p.m., weather permitting. More than 3,600 participants recycled 115 tons of materials last year, an increase of 15% over 2012.

Household hazardous waste is any material generated from normal household activity that may threaten human health or the environment when disposed of improperly. For example, one gallon of motor oil can contaminate a million gallons of drinking water. Left over cleaners, medicines or hobby supplies can sicken animals or people. Dumping oil or any other chemical is a crime, both legally and environmentally.

This service is free to Apple Valley residents and proof of residency is required. No business waste is accepted. The Town contracts with San Bernardino County Fire HHW which arranges for safe recycling or disposal of the waste as well as training workers.

For safe transport, make sure the amount of waste does not exceed five gallons per container and a total of 15 gallons or 125 pounds per trip. Check that the waste containers are properly sealed. Keep the waste in its original container if possible. Otherwise, label its contents clearly. Place the waste securely in the vehicle for safe transport to the collection center. Call (760) 240-7521 for more information or visit www.GreenAppleValley.org.

ABCs of Water to discuss the “Science of Water”

Do you ever wonder how much water we really have in the High Desert? Do you ponder what kind of chemicals are found are in our groundwater? If so, the ABCs of Water session on January 28 can answer these questions and more. Representatives from the Mojave Water Agency will explain how they use science to make sound decisions to ensure a sustainable water supply for the region. The talk begins at 5:30 p.m. at the Mojave Water Agency offices at 13846 Conference Center Drive in Apple Valley. To register or for more information, call Gloria Golike at (760) 946-7001.

Report Illegal Dumping

TIREd of illegal dumping in our desert? We're not a **FAN** either.

See it? Report it!

Apple Valley offers options for free disposal of bulky items. For locations and dates visit www.AVCode.org.

Code Enforcement
760-240-7560

SB County Sheriff
760-245-4211

We Tip Hotline
1-800-78-CRIME

Town to break ground for Yucca Loma Bridge January 10



Rendering of the Yucca Loma Bridge as it is expected to look after its completion.

January 2014 will see the start of the much-anticipated Yucca Loma Bridge, a project more than 40 years in the making! In December, the Town Council awarded a \$37.3 million contract to Security Paving, Inc. for the construction of the Yucca Loma Bridge over the Mojave River and Yates Road Improvements project. A ground breaking ceremony is scheduled for Friday, January 10.

“Seeing is believing,” said Brad Miller, town engineer. “And finally, we will see the result of years of planning and permitting.”

The contract will build the Yucca Loma Bridge, widen Yates Road from two lanes to four lanes and construct new soundwalls on the south side of Yates Road. Construction is estimated to last two years. Construction projects to widen Yucca Loma Road from the Yucca Loma Bridge to Apple Valley Road, and to extend Green Tree Blvd from Hesperia Road to Ridgecrest Road, are currently in final design with construction planned for 2015, 2016 and 2017.

Once completed, and in concert with the recently opened La Mesa/Nisqualli Interchange, a new east-west regional transportation corridor will be realized in the Victor Valley, providing relief to existing and future anticipated traffic congestion on Bear Valley Road and State Route 18 (Happy Trails Highway).

Liz Diamond, Director of Engineering for Dokken Engineering is the project design manager, and has been working with the Town since 2007. Rebecca Neves, also with Dokken, is the project’s lead civil engineer. Ernie Figueroa of Parsons will serve as the on-site construction manager. Working alongside Miller will also be Paula Pereira, who serves as the in-house manager of the multitude of permit applications, time-lines, scheduling and invoices. Miller and Pereira are both employees of Charles Abbott Associates, which has provided engineering and building and safety contract services to the Town for nearly 25 years.

Funding for the contract is from a combination of regional transportation funds through Measure I (\$11 million), \$17 million in Apple Valley Redevelopment Agency Funds, \$10 million from the State Local Transportation Partnership Program funds, and \$2 million from Proposition 1B. Visit www.YuccaLomaBridge.com to keep up-to-date on the progress. ☺

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Downpayment assistance now available town-wide

Funding also available for home repairs

Does your house need repairs that you can't afford? Are you renting a place but dreaming of a home to call your own? You may qualify for help to make these dreams come true. The Town of Apple Valley has more than \$2 million in grant funds to help with the purchase or rehabilitation of a home in the form of 30-year deferred, 0% interest loans.

Downpayment Assistance

While previous assistance was limited to selected areas of town, the 2013 Cal Home award provides the first town-wide down payment funding source in nearly a decade. Low to moderate income first-time homebuyers may be eligible for up to \$55,000 to buy a home with a purchase price that does not exceed \$183,000. The property must be a fee simple single family residence in the incorporated area of Apple Valley. Manufactured and mobile homes on individually owned parcels are eligible if they are on a permanent foundation. An additional \$1 million in funding remains available for homes purchased within the eligible target area.

Interested buyers should contact a Town-approved participating lender to be pre-qualified for a conventional fixed rate first mortgage and to calculate the level of assistance to be provided by the Town.

Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program

Apple Valley residents who already own a home may qualify for up to \$20,000 for eligible repairs. The Residential Rehabilitation Loan Program (RRLP) provides money to address health, safety and code violation issues, energy conservation, weatherization, accessibility and deferred

maintenance. Eligible items include, but are not limited to: roofing, heating and air conditioning, evaporative coolers, doors and windows, painting, flooring, insulation, plumbing, and electrical work.

The work must be done on owner-occupied, single-family residential properties within town boundaries. There are no required payments during the 30-year term of loan, but the loan becomes due if the property is sold, transferred, no longer the primary residence or refinanced for cash out. The applicant must complete an application packet and provide evidence of income, show responsible credit history, and be current on house payments, property taxes and insurance.

Residents interested in participating in either loan program may call (760) 240-7000 X 7919 for further information. Download program brochures and additional information at www.AVHousingPrograms.org.

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- Termite
- Energy conservation
- Accessibility improvements

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Kaiser grants fund mobile van and exercise equipment



The Town recently received two \$10,000 grants from Kaiser Permanente's Community Benefit Grant Program. The first grant purchased exercise equipment that was installed at Civic Center Park last fall. The second grant will allow us to expand our VANtastic Fun program. VANtastic Fun is a mobile recreation program offered to local schools, teaching young children that eating right and being active to get healthy can be fun and rewarding.

The program started last year after the town received a grant from First 5 San Bernardino. Due to the success of the program, First 5 has extended and increased the contract funding for two more years. This will allow us to expand the program to include the new "RX for Play" program, support a prenatal health class and fund the development of a strategic health and wellness plan.

TOWN INFORMATION

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..... 245-4211
Town dispatch after hours
..... 961-6001
Town Hall 240-7000

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Public Worksx7500
Town Clerkx7800
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Town celebrates 25th Anniversary

Hundreds of Apple Valley citizens enjoyed displays, a History Expo and slices of cake in celebration of the 25th Anniversary of Incorporation for the Town of Apple Valley in November. Guests visited with Town staff, learning about the accomplishments of the last 25 years, the modern day founders of 60 years ago, and our pioneers 100 years ago and beyond. At a cocktail reception the evening before, 13 current and former Town Council members mingled and reminisced on the incorporation drive and efforts to uphold the goals of increased public safety and better roads. Below are a few scenes from the celebration. 