

CITY OF IONE NEWS

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Apple iPad2 for Elementary Teachers

Help to bring the next phase of technology to Ione Elementary School. The community has the opportunity to fund an Apple iPad2, projector, adapter and keyboard for each of the 18 teachers at the elementary school. This year's event, "Bulldog Bytes Again" will be held at the BIG RED BARN at Rancho Arroyo Seco. You can help by attending the event or making a donation to this fundraiser. Each dollar contributed will be matched dollar-for-dollar up to \$10K by Rancho Arroyo Seco. Tickets are \$15 for adults, \$20 for adults at the door, \$5 for kids 6 to 10 years, and 5 years and under are free. This is a family event with activities for all ages.

A Safari West Adventure is the grand prize raffle for the evening. The winner will stay overnight in a safari tent room for four (2 adults and 2 children), with breakfast served the next morning. African safari animals will be in plain view. This is a \$650 value prize. Raffle tickets are \$5 ea and will be available at the event. The silent auction will feature a "Kindle" with case, 1/2 cord wood, 1/2 hog, Zip Line Adventure at Moaning Caverns for 2 adults and 2 children and many other items.

Tickets are on sale at the Ione Elementary School and Clark's Corner. If you cannot attend, but would like to donate, checks are made payable to IES-Tech Tools and mailed to P.O. Box 1730, Ione, CA 95640. All donations are tax deductible through the Amador Community Foundation; tax ID # 68-0447992. For more information, call 274-2777.

Preston Castle Halloween Haunt

For three nights in October, you can experience the eerie, scary Preston Castle. Special fun "scare" tours will be offered October 28-30th beginning at 6:00 PM. There will be special activities for kids. Cost is \$20 per adult ticket. High school and younger student's admission is \$10, and young children accompanied by an adult will be admitted for a cost of \$5. Snacks and T-shirts will be on sale. Gates open at 6 PM; first tour begins at 6:30. Tickets are limited each night so order early to make sure you get in. Call 209-256-3623 or go to the website at prestoncastle.com.

City Hosts Public Meetings in October

Downtown Master Plan - On Tuesday, October 11 at 6:30 PM in the City Council Chambers, a joint meeting of the City Council and Planning Commission will be held to discuss a Downtown Master Plan under development. The focus of the plan is to strengthen economic potential while preserving and enhancing Ione's historic heritage. This is intended to be a dynamic and interactive public workshop.

Wastewater Treatment Plant - On Wednesday, October 19 at 5:00 PM, at Evalynn Bishop Hall, a second public workshop on the City's wastewater treatment plant process will be held. The City Wastewater Team will provide an update on progress and the likely direction to be taken in the development and finance of a new wastewater treatment facility that meets State Water Quality Control Board specifications. The City was pleased with the turnout in September and again encourages and anticipates good attendance at this workshop.

City Budget - A public workshop will be scheduled to in the near future to discuss the FY 2011-2012 City budget's enterprise, general and other funds. An initial report will be made at the October 4th City Council meeting.

ATCAA Head Start Enrollment

The Head Start program at the Ione Center as well as the Home Base program is accepting children who are 3 years of age before December 2, 2011. Both programs are based on income eligibility and are offered for free. ATCAA Head Start offers services on a non-discriminatory basis including the Childcare Food Program. For more information, and an application, call Bev in Ione at 209-274-0395, 0#.

IONE COMMUNITY CLEAN UP DAY SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15TH - 9 TO 1 Ed Hughes Memorial Arena

Clean up is FREE. Bring your House ware, paper, wood, tools, metal, plastic clothes, furniture, yard waste, mattress, carpeting, microwaves, washers & dryers. Refrigerators accepted at Preston Castle.

*For info, contact Laurie @ 274-2777.
Not intended for commercial businesses.
Proof of 95640 Residence Required*

Around Town

Cloudz Pest Control has relocated to Lone after working in Pioneer for 11 years. Owner/operator Ray Cloud worked in corporate general pest control for over 30 years, and started his business in 2000. The company's goal is to provide quality pest control at an affordable price and to cater to the needs of the customers. Linda Cloud manages the office and all scheduling. Cloudz Pest Control is open Mon-Fri from 8 AM to 5 PM. They can be reached at 209-274-0400 or email cloudzpestcontrol@volcano.net.

IBCA Harvest Faire – October 8th - The second annual IBCA Harvest Faire will be held in downtown Lone on Saturday, October 8th. The event will kick off at 7:30 AM with the pumpkin weigh-in. Vendors, "Chalk the Walk", pet judging and scarecrow decorating events will fill the day. All ages are welcome. For information, call Richard Forster at 209-608-4748

Date Change - Rotary Steak & Lobster dinner is planned for Saturday, October 15th at Evalynn Bishop Hall starting at 6:00 PM. Tickets are \$35 each and are available from any Rotary member. There will be a no-host bar, silent auction and raffle. For more information, call Richard Forster at 209-608-4748.

Document Shredding will be available on October 15th from 9:00 to 1:00 at Howard Park. IBCA will once again partner with ShredBiz, a bonded document destruction company, to shred files and records. Cost is \$5 per banker's box and \$10 for a bag.

Annual Halloween Party & Pie Contest will be held at the Lone Community United Methodist Church on October 29th from noon to 4:00 PM. The church is located at 150 W. Marlette Street.

Morroney Hairstyling has moved in with Eva Marie's Barber and offers services for men, women and children. Located at 26 E. Jackson, hours are Tues-Sat from 9 AM. Senior and student discounts are available. For an appointment, call Andrea at 209-781-5563. Walk-ins welcome.

Thank You Honey Bee Rescue – Tom Cannon, owner of Honey Bee Rescue Service, at no charge, took care of the bee problem on the play structure at the Train Park behind City Hall. The City and the children who enjoy the park say thank you.

The Path Less Traveled is a women's retreat to be held on October 15th from 11 AM to 2 PM. Women are invited to enjoy a relaxing afternoon in a serene setting while learning practical strategies and techniques in approaching life in physical, mental, emotional and nutritional areas. The hosts for the afternoon are psychotherapist, Rennie' Simpson, M.S. MFTI and Certified Sports Massage Therapist and Group Fitness Instructor, Mary Wheat. Cost is \$30 pp, lunch is provided. Location is 11301 New York Ranch Road in Jackson. To purchase tickets call 209-304-0855.

City Meetings – October 2011

Meetings are held at 6:00 PM

City Council Oct 4 & 18
Planning Commission Oct 11 –Joint mtg with City Council
Parks & Recreation Oct 25
Agendas are posted at ione-ca.com – City Council Link

Organization Meetings & Activities

Bingo at Clark's Corner – 209-304-3732

3rd Wednesday, 6:30 to 8:30 PM

Bingo, Raffle, Food & Drinks – 209-274-6075

1st Saturday, 7:00 PM - Camanche Community Center

Castle Oaks Women's Club Luncheon

3rd Monday – Caddy's Restaurant - 11:30 check-in.

Information: 209-274-6639

Castle Oaks Women's Bible Study Group

Wednesdays, 10-11:30 AM. Call 274-0600

Grange & Jr. Grange Meetings & Potluck

2nd Thursday – 6:00 PM – VFW Hall – Info 209-610-9415

IBCA Board Meeting

3rd Thursday – 8:30 AM – Castle Oaks Golf Club

Oct 20 – 5:30 PM – Pizza Factory

Lone Homecoming Picnic Association

1st Wednesday – 6:30 PM – VFW Hall

Lone Masonic Lodge #80 – 274-0354

2nd Wednesday – 8:00 PM – Lone Masonic Hall

Eastern Star Meeting – 274-4289 or 274-0354

3rd Thursday – 7:30 PM – Lone Masonic Hall

Methodist Church Lone - Food Distribution & Meals

Interfaith Food Bank and EFAP - 3rd Saturday, 10:30 -12:30

Senior food distribution – 1st Thursday – 11:00-12:00 noon

Senior meals every Thursday – 11:30 AM – Call 223-3015

Free Pancake Breakfast – 2nd & 4th Sundays – 8:30 to 10 AM

Native Sons Parlor 33

1st & 3rd Wednesday – 7:00 PM – Native Sons' Bldg, Lone

Preston Castle Foundation Meetings

1st Wednesday - 6:30 PM – Cornerstone Church

Rotary of Lone Club Meeting

1st Thursday 6:00 PM – All others 12 noon –Clark's Corner

Veterans of Foreign War Meeting – Lone Memorial Hall

2nd Friday – Family dinner 6:00 PM – Meeting 7:00 PM

Important Numbers

City Hall	209-274-2412
Emergency	911
Non-emergency	209-223-6513 or 209-223-6500
Lone PD Website	www.ionepd.org

City of Lone NEWS

The deadline for input is the 20th of each month. Input forms are available at City Hall, on the City website or email Sharon Long, lonacitynews@ione-ca.com

E-Waste Collection

Sponsored by Preston Castle Foundation

1st Saturday – 8:00 to 12:00 - Preston Castle

CORRECTION – The phone number for *Erica Germolus-Finch* who joined Castle Cuts Barber and Beauty Salon as a stylist was incorrectly listed in last months newsletter. Erica is available Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday and can be reached at 209-304-9833.