

RTA Calendar



Tax Preparation

1st 2-6 pm

RTCF Meeting

6th at 10am

Mass

9th 7pm

Food Bank

13th 12-2pm

Cooking 4 Kids

11th 6pm

VFW

14th 6pm

BOD Meeting

15th 6pm

Bingo

17th 6 pm

Car Club

20th 6pm

J.G. B-Ball Sign ups

25th 1-3pm

VFW Aux

27rd 1 pm

OTFF Meeting

28th 7 pm

Crafts 10-1pm

Every Weds.

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Board of Director Election

The extended election for the Board of Directors was held on March 21, 2015. There was not enough ballots returned to reach quorum. A total of 497 ballots were required and only 434 ballots were received even after extending the balloting period for an additional 70 days. Due to the lack of quorum, the ballots could not be opened and counted. The Board of Directors are planning on petitioning the court to lower the quorum requirement for this election to the number of ballots cast. Please note that if the court should allow the quorum to be lowered, it would be for this election only. We will still have the 1/3 quorum requirement in our Bylaws. In order to hold future successful elections we need more voter participation. Otherwise we will have to continue to petition the court, which will become very costly, or amend our documents to permanently do away with quorum requirements. The quorum requirement to amend our documents is even greater than the director election, requiring 3/4 of the voting power.

So, please get involved and vote for all Rancho Tehama Elections!

The entry deadline for the Logo Contest is now closed. We need a logo committee to help judge and pick the winner. Please contact the Association Office if interested. The committee shall be made up of impartial individuals who do not have family members as contestants.

EASTER EGG HUNT



Fun 4 Kids will be putting on the Easter Egg Hunt for all children ages 0-12 on Saturday April 4th 9:30am at Fawn Meadows. In addition they would like to invite everyone to join them at the Rec. Hall Friday April 3rd at 10am to dye the eggs. Donations and volunteers are greatly appreciated, contact Chris Bradford at 530-585-2247.

NO CAMPING ALLOWED!!

There is no camping allowed on individual lots or common areas. All the Ponds and the Beach Park are day use only. Park hours are Dawn to Dusk. This means you are only allowed on the premises during daylight hours. These common areas are adjoining to members properties. Please be respectful to the neighbors by keeping noise down to a reasonable level. Clean up after yourselves. Do not leave behind any trash. Dogs must be leashed at all times. Do not trespass onto other neighboring properties. All properties whether or not they are developed are privately owned. Taking anything off these properties including wood is considered theft and you will be turned into the authorities.

Protect our Water and Wildlife

Never remove any water from the ponds or the creek! Quads, Motorcycles and ATV are NOT allowed to trespass onto other members properties or allowed in the creek bed! This is a safety and environmental hazard. Help keep our water and animals safe. Report any unauthorized motor vehicles or any other pollution in the creek to California Fish and Wildlife 1-888- DFG-CALTIP (888-334-2258) open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.



Get ready for another year of Pals Junior Giant Baseball! Junior Giants are for all children ages 5-18. Signups will be held at the Rec. Hall on April 25th and May 23rd from 1-3pm. Signups are also available online at <https://sfrg-tehamapal.sportssignup.com>. Coaches are always needed, contact Janice Menzies at 530-585-3342 for more details on how to become a coach. The first pitch meeting is on June 5th at 7pm. Then it's time to play ball! The opening ceremony is June 13th at 9am.

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT TEHAMA COUNTY'S NEW MARIJUANA ORDINANCE

On March 3, 2015, the Tehama County Board of Supervisors adopted Interim Urgency Ordinance No. 2000, which amended Tehama County Code Article 9.06 to Prohibit the Outdoor Cultivation Of Marijuana and Establish an Alternative Abatement Process.

WHAT ARE THE NEW RULES?

- Outdoor cultivation of marijuana is now completely banned in Tehama County.
- Cultivation of marijuana in ANY building intended for human occupancy is now completely banned in Tehama County.
- As of April 1, 2015, the Environmental Health Department will refuse to register outdoor grows or grows located inside buildings used for human occupancy.

I HAVE STARTED GROWING OUTDOORS IN COMPLIANCE UNDER THE OLD ORDINANCE, WHAT DO I DO?

- If you have actually started growing in compliance with the old ordinance and are registered before April 1, 2015, you may continue to grow marijuana outdoors until December 31, 2015, after that date you cannot grow marijuana outdoors.
- Your current registration expires on December 31, 2015. You will need to re-register with a compliant indoor grow pursuant to Tehama County Code 9.06.035(E) to lawfully grow in Tehama County after December 31, 2015.

WHAT IS THE NEW ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS PROCESS?

- Abatement Hearings will now be heard by an Administrative Hearing Officer instead of the Board of Supervisors.
- When an Abatement Notice is issued a hearing is automatically scheduled on the next available hearing date that is at least five calendar days later (six if the notice is served by overnight mail.)
- You have the right to be present at the hearing and present to the Hearing Officer any evidence about why the marijuana should not be abated. If you do not appear or if the Hearing Officer allows the abatement then the marijuana will be abated at least two calendar days after the hearing and without further notice.
- Abatement of noncompliant marijuana will usually occur much more rapidly under the new ordinance.

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

Contact Tehama County Environmental Health Department Ph. (530) 527-8020

*You can pick up the complete marijuana ordinance at the Association Office or online at <http://tehamaso.org/MARIORD2000%2003-04-2015.pdf> or <http://ranchotehama.org/PDFs/Marijuana%20Ordinance%202000%2003-04-2015.pdf>