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To: The Honorable Mayor and City Council
From: Steven S. Carrigan, City Manager
Date: August 2, 2019
Re: City Council Information Report

COOLING ZONE REPORT

The City has opened its Cooling Zone for seven days during the month of July. The hottest day of July also saw the highest number of users. People at the Cooling Zone receive cold drinks, snacks and some light entertainment. The Sam Pipes Room is usually used for the Cooling Zone. Individuals can bring their pets, as long as the animals get along with people and other pets. The hours are 3 to 8 p.m. The National Weather Service weather forecasts for Merced are used for opening the Cooling Zone. Here in the City, the standard used is three days of 103 degree temperatures, or a heat index of 103 degrees. The heat index is a combination of the air temperature and the relative humidity.

Date	Participants
Sunday, July 7 th	8
Tuesday, July 23 rd	4
Wednesday, July 24 th	5
Thursday, July 25 th	13
Friday, July 26 th	16
Saturday, July 27 th	10
Sunday, July 28 th	22

MERCED PD UPDATE

Weapons seized, drugs found, arrests made

Officers and the Gang Violence Suppression Unit (GVSU) have recently taken a number of guns off the streets, making the City safer for residents and police. Two of the weapon seizures involved traffic stops, and one involved serving a search warrant on a home. Four suspects were arrested, two rifles, a shotgun, a handgun and ammunition were located. In addition, officers found 1.2 pounds of methamphetamine, 30 grams of rock cocaine and a large amount of cash.



A motivational talk

The Youth Football League is about to kickoff and League officials requested Capt. Bimley West and Chief Chris Goodwin to speak with the youth at the start of their season. Last Friday at East Campus the pair talked with the participants at the Youth Cougars Football Camp. They gave an inspirational talk to the youth to get them to focus on being productive in the community and also to have a good season. There were approximately 60 players and 40 parents and grandparents in attendance.



INSPECTION SERVICES REPORT

The biweekly Inspection Services Report through July 28 is attached.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY UPDATE

ERP (Enterprise Resource Planning) system vendor demonstrations have been in the planning stages for months. The first vendor was onsite for the week of July 29. There were over 80 breakout sessions for the vendor to demonstrate their software proof of capabilities. Sixty-plus City staff across all departments attended these breakout sessions. The vendor was required to follow a very precise script of demonstration requirements to help ensure the software meets each department's unique business requirements. More vendors are scheduled for proof of capabilities over the next month.

PUBLIC WORKS NEWS

Signal repaired at Main and G Street

A semi-truck damaged the signal at the intersection of Main & G Streets on Monday morning. Public Works crews quickly repaired the signal. (See photos below.)



Stephen Leonard Park Update

The fence around the skate park at Stephen Leonard was removed this week.



HOUSING DIVISION NEWS

The City of Merced Housing Division has partnered with Habitat for Humanity – Stanislaus County, to fund the Homeowner Rehabilitation Program. One property that was recently completed was for a former farmworker who took vacations from the field to maintain her house. She was blinded in her right eye at the age of 1 when she was washing clothes with her mom in Bear Creek. She resides at this house with her son and granddaughter. The City provided the funding needed to remodel the kitchen and bathroom, clear the property of lead paint, replaced the roof, install the HVAC system, new windows, and a new front door with a deadbolt.



KIDS CONNECT CELEBRATION

The Kids Connect Community Celebration will be Sat. Aug. 10 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Applegate Park as part of Child Support Awareness Month. See attached flier.

CAREER AND RESOURCE FAIR

A Career and Resource Fair will be held Weds., Aug. 7 from 8:30 a.m. to noon at the Merced County Child Support Office, 3368, N. Hwy 59, Suite A. A flier is attached.

29th ANNUAL BILL KIRBY WESTERN BBQ/AUCTION

The annual fundraiser for the Merced County Historical Society will be held Tues., Sept. 10 from 5 to 9 p.m. at Lake Yosemite. A flier is attached.

NATIONAL HEALTH CENTER WEEK

National Health Center Week is Aug. 5 through 9. Golden Valley Health Center is having a Patient Appreciation Family Event at 867 W. Childs on Friday, Aug. 9 from 3 to 5 p.m. A flier is attached.

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

Once again, the Merced Police Department will be celebrating National Night Out, Tues., Aug. 6, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Applegate Park in front of Kiddieland. A flier is attached.

SAVE THE DATE

- Aug. 5 – Chancellor Leland Reception, Second Flood Landing , 5:30 p.m.
- Aug. 6 – National Night Out, Applegate Park, 6-8 p.m.
- Aug. 7 – Career Fair – Child Support Office, 3368 Hwy 59, Suite A, 8:30 a.m. – noon
- Aug. 9 – Patient Appreciation, Golden Valley Health Center, 3-5 p.m.
- Aug. 10 – Kids Connect Community Celebration, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. Applegate Park
- Aug. 14 – Merced 2020 Phase 2 Opening, 6:30-8 p.m. UC Merced
- Aug. 23 – Lives Well Lived, Merced Theatre, 7 p.m. Doors open 6 p.m.
- Sept. 10 – Historical Society BBQ, Lake Yosemite, 5-9 p.m.
- Oct. 3 – MCOE Excellence in Education Awards, Merced Theatre, 6:30 p.m.

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Inspection Services CI

For the period of July 15th through July 28th, 2019, there were 68 New Single Family Dwelling Permits Issued.

The running total of New Single Family Dwellings in Plan Review is **92**.

Multi Family Permits in review:

Gateway Terrace Apartments located at 405 W 12th St, 1 Office/Lounge and 6, 2 story Apartments; 2 buildings have 16 units, 3 buildings have 30 units, and 1 building has 4 units.

Yosemite at Lake Apartments located at 2850 E. Yosemite Ave.; 15- 27,276 SF 3-story apartment buildings each with 15 units, and a 1,200 SF maintenance building.

Compass Pointe phase II: 128 units in 16, 8-plex buildings plus a clubhouse.

There were 0 multi-family permits issued during this period.

(No change since last report)

There were 0 new construction commercial permits issued during this period.

There were 3 new tenant improvement permits issued during this period; one to add a roll up door and electrical receptacles and repair a trash enclosure and concrete surface in the alley at Dunn-Edwards Paint located at 1414 R St., one to install 2 paint booths and ADA parking upgrades for Centurion Boats located at 2047 Grogan Ave., and one for a 477 SF outdoor patio seating area for Villa's Mexican Restaurant located at 900 Loughborough Dr.

There was 1 new commercial submittal during this period; for a 7,200 SF metal building addition to an existing 6,000 SF metal building for research and development at Fineline Industries located at 2043 Grogan Ave.

There were 2 new tenant improvement submittals during this period; one for accessibility upgrades and general renovations for Buhach Preschool located at 750 Loughborough Dr. and one for a general tenant improvement for offices for the Weaver Unified School District located at 1240 D St.

There was 1 CofO issued for this period; for a tenant improvement to the apparel department at Walmart, located at 3055 Loughborough Dr.

Save the Date!



Merced County Department of Child Support Services

We Support Children and Family

Kids Connect Community
Celebration!

Saturday

August 10, 2019

Applegate Park

(Outdoor Theater)

10:00AM— 2:00PM

For more information contact Nicole Cortez (209) 381-1335

In celebration of

Child Support Awareness Month

Merced County Department of Child Support Services

will hold its 1st Annual

Kids Connect Community Celebration!

Connecting children and families with community partners,
clubs and organizations that offer services to children of
Merced County

Fun Activities



Music



Entertainment

Raffle Prizes



Refreshments

Please join us for this **FREE** event!



¡Guarda La Fecha!



¡Celebración
de la Comunidad para
Los Niños!

Sábado 10 De Agosto
Applegate Park
(Teatro de afuera)
10:00AM – 2:00PM

Merced County Department of Child Support Services

We Support Children and Family

Para más información contactar a Nicole Cortez (209)-381-1335

¡En celebración del mes de concienciación el
Departamento de Manutención de Menores
tendrá su primer evento anual!

¡Celebración de la comunidad para Los niños!

Conectando familias con socios comunitarios, clubs y
organizaciones que ofrecen servicios a los niños del
Condado de Merced

Actividades divertidas  Música  Entretenimient
Rifas y Prmios  Refrescos

¡Acompáñenos en este evento gratis!



Exhibitor Space Reservation
2019 Merced County Department of Child Support Services
Kids Connect Community Celebration
Applegate Park "Moat" Theater - 1045 W. 25th Street, Merced, CA
Event time 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

The 2019 Kids Connect Community Celebration is an event for all Merced County families with children to learn about community partners, clubs and organizations along with the resources or services available to them. This event will provide a fun and safe place for families to spend the day and a great opportunity for you to highlight your services and connect to families in our community. The day will include visits from local dignitaries, spotlight local entertainment and have kid friendly activities. We hope your organization will join us for this big event.

Saturday, August 10, 2019

Space reservation is FREE.

Reserve your space:
Complete the form below and Fax to: (209) 381-1310 or
Email: nicole.cortez@countyofmerced.com

Deadline Date: Monday, July 29, 2019

Exhibitor Table Guidelines

1. Exhibitors are asked to bring your own canopy/table/chairs. Also, bring table coverings of your choosing.
2. Exhibitors are asked to provide a simple activity for kids to experience at your table. Ex: coloring pages, bubble blowing, hula-hoops, craft activities, rock painting, stickers, play dough, etc.
3. Exhibitors are prohibited from soliciting anything at the event; however, we encourage you to promote your items and invite attendees to your organization.
4. Each exhibitor is requested to provide a drawing prize to be raffled. At **minimum** - a backpack filled with school supplies. However, other family and children centered prizes are greatly appreciated. (Ex: bikes, scooters, gift basket, gift cards, school spirit wear, etc.). Raffles will be drawn and announced between each stage performance.
5. Agency/Businesses who send their reservation in by the **Deadline Date (7/29/2019)** will have their name posted on a banner which will be on display.

Please type or print clearly. * indicates required field before you can send via email.

*Contact Name: _____

Agency/ Business: _____

*Address: _____

*City, State, Zip _____

*Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

*What kind of information, resource and/or activities do you plan to provide for attendees?

Are you an enterainer? Or would you like to do a demonstration or have your group perform? Yes No

If yes, please provide the name of the group performing and type of demo. (Ex: dance, zumba, magician, etc.)

Name of Group: _____

Questions? Nicole Cortez (209) 381-1335, nicole.cortez@countyofmerced.com

You Are There for Them, We'll Be There for You.

August is Child Support Awareness Month

www.childsupport.ca.gov • 1-866-901-3212

Dear Potential Exhibitor,

You're invited!

Merced County Department of Child Support Services (DCSS) will hold its 1st Annual “Kids Connect Community Celebration”. We are looking for community partners, clubs and organizations to come together to provide a fun and safe place for families to spend the day together. This will be a great event to highlight your services and connect to families in our community. The day will include visits from local dignitaries, spotlight local entertainment and kid friendly activities.

When: Saturday, August 10, 2019 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

Where: City of Merced, Applegate Park “Moat” Theater Area

Cost: Free for exhibitors and attendees

If you are interested in having a booth or table, we ask that you RSVP by July 29, 2019 to Nicole Cortez.

Everyone is invited to take the stage and introduce yourself/ your booth/and your services to attendees. If you would like additional time for a demonstration or performance, please email: Nicole Cortez, Nicole.cortez@countyofmerced.com.

Exhibitors are asked to provide a simple activity for kids to experience at your table example: coloring pages, bubble blowing, hula-hoops, craft activities, rock painting, stickers, etc.

- No solicitation of items of any kind.
- Bring your own table/chairs/canopy
- Each exhibitor is requested to provide a drawing prize to be raffled. At minimum - a backpack filled with school supplies. However, other family and children centered prizes are greatly appreciated. Ex: bikes, scooters, gift cards for school supplies/school clothes/groceries, basket with goodies for families with children.

We look forward to your organization being a part of the “2019 Kids Connect Community Celebration”. Your participation will help make our event a success!

Career & Resource Fair

CHILD SUPPORT AWARENESS MONTH

Wednesday, August 7, 2019 | 8:30 am - 12:00 pm



You're Invited - Open to the Public

Merced County Child Support Office

3368 N. State Hwy 59 Suite A, Merced, CA 95348

Connecting parents with community partners, organizations, and employers that offer services to support a better future for Merced County families.



Find the job that's right for you



Find the right resources for you and your family



Various employers will be on-site



Professional attire recommended and bring resumes



Raffle prizes will be drawn at 9:30 am and 10:30 am

For information, please contact our office at (877) 267-WORK




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**Merced County Historical Society
29th Annual Bill Kirby Western BBQ/Auction**

Tuesday, September 10

5:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Rotary Cove, Lake Yosemite

Tickets: \$50

Courthouse Museum: 723-2401

**Hors D'oeuvres, Chicken and Prime Rib, Open Bar,
Chuckwagon Beans, Salad and Tomatoes, Bread and Dessert**

Entertainment: Evening Edition & Cen-Cal Events

NATIONAL HEALTH CENTER WEEK

August 5-9, 2019

Celebrating America's Health Centers: Rooted In Communities

Join us for a week of fun filled activities, prizes and raffles!

Monday 8/5

Healthcare for the Homeless Patient Appreciation Day
West Modesto Health Center:
1114 6th St, 8am-10am

Patient Appreciation Family Event
Ceres Health Center:
1920 Memorial Dr, 10am-12pm

Thursday 8/8

Stakeholder Appreciation Mixer
Manteca Health Center:
302 Northgate Dr, 5pm-7pm

Patient Appreciation Family Event
Los Banos Health Center:
821 Texas Ave, 10am-12pm

Tuesday 8/6

Patient Appreciation Family Event
Turlock Health Center: 1200 W Main St, 10am-12pm

Friday 8/9

Child Immunization Day
Modesto: Roosevelt Jr High:
1330 College Ave,
Program: 10am-11:30am
Immunizations: 10-5pm

Patient Appreciation Family Event
Merced Campus Fair:
857 W Childs Ave, 3pm-5pm

Wednesday 8/7

Agricultural Worker Health Day
Patterson Community Center:
506 Mayette Ave, 3pm-5pm

Children Health Day
Planada Health Center:
9235 E Broadway St, 10am-12pm

Patient Appreciation Day
will be celebrated all week
long at all our health centers!

During National Health Center Week GVHC wants to celebrate with our theme of Rooted in Communities by holding events where we will be partnering with community organizations and agencies that benefit the different sectors of patients we serve, see the information above and come join us at the events where we will have children games, community booths, popcorn, GVHC Swag, raffles and more.



**THANK YOU
FOR HELPING US GROW**

Please visit www.gvhc.org or [f](#) for more information and to find events in your area



SEMANA NACIONAL DE CENTRO DE SALUD

Agosto 5-9, 2019

Celebrando los centros de salud de EU con el tema: Enraizados en las Comunidades

Únete a nosotros para una semana de actividades llenas de diversión, premios y sorteos!

Lunes 8/5

**Cuidado de salud para las personas sin hogar
Apreciación al paciente**
Modesto Centro de Salud:
1114 6th St, 8am-10am

Evento Familiar de Apreciación al paciente
Ceres Centro de Salud:
1920 Memorial Dr, 10am-12pm

Jueves 8/8

Fiesta de Apreciación
Manteca Centro de Salud:
302 Northgate Dr, 5pm-7pm

Evento Familiar de Apreciación al paciente
Los Baños Centro de Salud:
821 Texas Ave, 10am-12pm

Martes 8/6

Evento Familiar de Apreciación al paciente
Turlock Health Center: 1200 W Main St, 10am-12pm

Viernes 8/9

Día de vacunación a los niños
Modesto: Secundaria Roosevelt:
1330 College Ave,
Programa: 10am-11:30am
Vacunación: 10-5pm

Evento Familiar de Apreciación al paciente
Feria de Salud en Merced:
857 W Childs Ave, 3pm-5pm

Miércoles 8/7

Día de salud del Trabajador Agrícola
Centro Migrante de Patterson:
506 Mayette Ave, 3pm-5pm

Evento Familiar de Apreciación al paciente
Planada Centro de Salud:
9235 E Broadway St, 10am-12pm

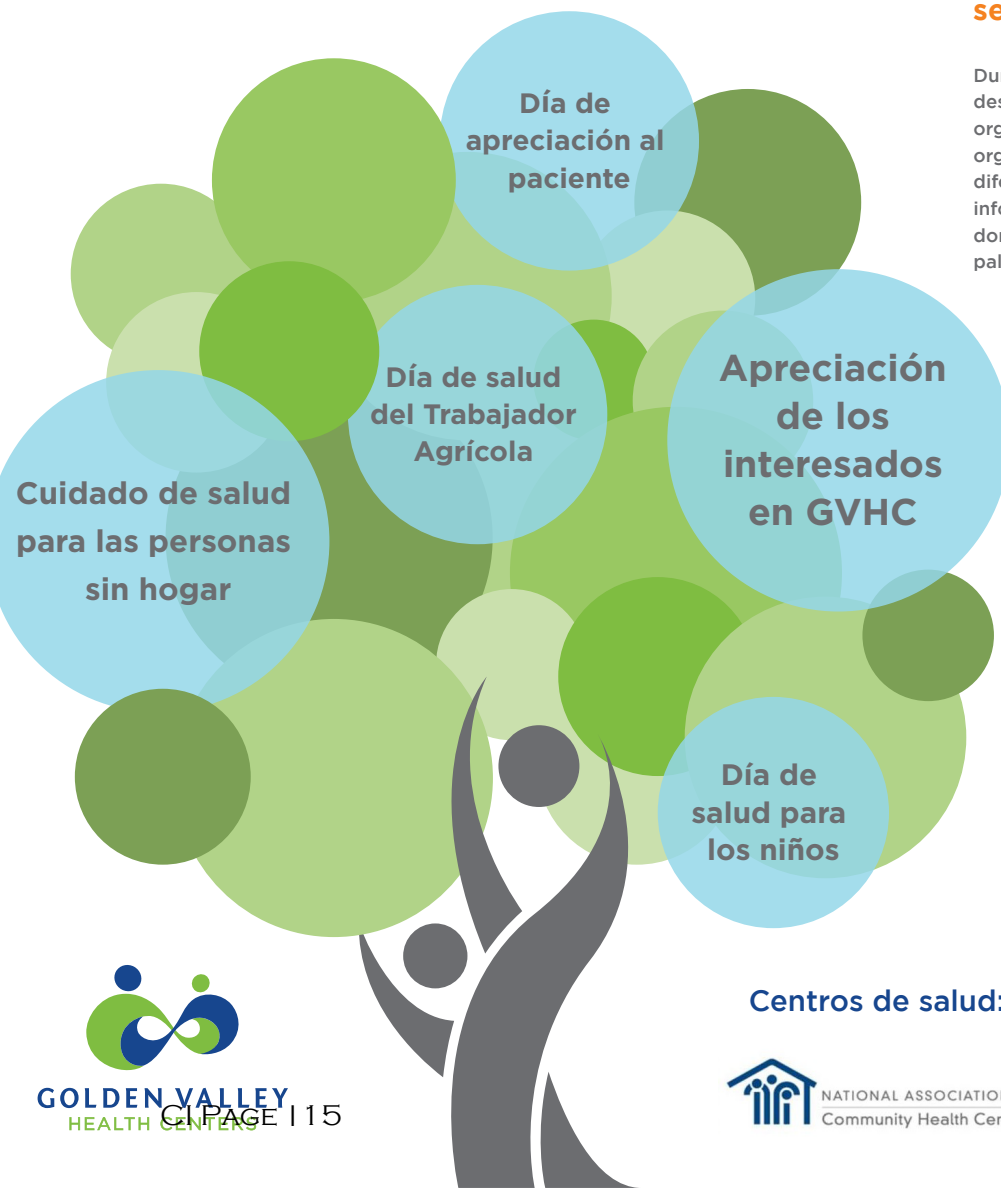
Día de agradecimiento al paciente se celebrará toda la semana en nuestros centros de salud!

Durante la Semana Nacional de Centros de Salud, GVHC desea celebrar con nuestro tema: enraizados en comunidades organizando eventos en los que nos asociaremos con organizaciones y agencias comunitarias que benefician a los diferentes sectores de nuestros pacientes, consulte la información arriba y únase a nosotros en uno de los eventos donde tendremos juegos infantiles, puestos comunitarios, palomitas de maíz, GVHC regalos, sorteos y más.



GRACIAS POR AYUDARNOS A CRECER

Por favor visita a www.gvhc.org or  para más información sobre eventos en tu área



Centros de salud: Enraizados en las Comunidades

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT



Tuesday, August 6, 2019

6:00-8:00 P.M.

Applegate Park

(In Front of Kiwanis Kiddieland)



FREE FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!!!

Police & Fire Vehicles * Face Painting * Free Hot Dogs
Recycling Info * Information on Community Resources
Kids Fingerprinting * Public Safety Displays

Come Celebrate What's Right with Merced with Your Family and Friends

Join the Merced Police Department, Community Organizations and area Businesses
to learn more about crime prevention and public safety awareness.

