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## Newly Created Local Foundation Aims to Serve Entire County



Although creating a charitable organization designed to serve all of Yolo County may have seemed like a daunting task, a group of local residents have recently announced the formation of a foundation designed to do just that.

The notion of a broad-based philanthropic effort first took root in 2001 as a series of discussions took place in living rooms and around kitchen tables. While acknowledging the long-standing relationships that a number of charitable non-profits enjoyed in the local community, group members were concerned that there was no place where unique or emerging needs might turn to find funding. The very challenge of finding funding was often sufficient to

doom worthwhile projects.

A visionary donor next donated "seed money" of \$100,000 as startup funds for the fledgling foundation and the Yolo Community Foundation was born. Open meetings in Davis and Woodland attracted additional participants from throughout the County, who soon evolved into a Board of Directors. By the end of 2002, official 501 (c) (3) non-profit status was granted by the IRS.

YCF's goals include:

- Assisting donors in meeting their charitable needs.
- Building the capacity of the local community and non-profit community organizations.
- Leveraging other philanthropic funds.
- Developing local responses to local problems.
- Preserving our heritage, and contributing to the future of Yolo County.

YCF's first entry into the public arena will be its upcoming announcement of mini-grants awarded to K-6 teachers in public schools throughout the County. The grants will be made directly to Yolo County teachers to purchase classroom supplies.

In addition, the Board intends to continue the mini-grant program in future years and hopes to expand it to include 7th-12th grade teachers.

YCF will focus its efforts on funding projects or activities that benefit all residents of Yolo County in perpetuity. It will also work collaboratively with other philanthropic organizations in serving County residents.

YCF's initial focus will be to fund development projects to provide stability and growth for charitable giving. To enhance its funding, YCF intends to implement a broad-based approach to fund raising that includes reaching out to large individual donors, seeking business donations, applying for foundation grants, soliciting community donations, and asking the YCF Board to contribute personal funds and professional services. To learn more about YCF and its programs call (530) 757-8420 or go to: [www.yolocf.org](http://www.yolocf.org)

## **Capay Valley Motorcycle 'Toy Run' Set for Nov. 22**

### ***Bikers to Donate Toys, Ride from Sacramento to Brooks, Calif.***

SACRAMENTO—Motorcycle enthusiasts are encouraged to participate in a charity event to collect toys to be distributed to less fortunate children during the upcoming holiday season.

Renegade Classics Outlet in Sacramento and Cache Creek Casino in Brooks have joined to co-sponsor the event, which will benefit the Ronald McDonald House of Sacramento and RISE, Inc., in the Capay Valley.

Bikers will meet for the "Toy Run" at the Renegade Classics Outlet at 6758 Folsom Blvd., in Sacramento between 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. on Saturday, Nov. 22 to register for the event. Admission is \$10 plus a new, unwrapped toy.

At 11 a.m. the bikers will start their ride in Sacramento and travel through Woodland, Madison, Esparto and Capay before arriving in Brooks for a party in the Cache Creek Casino Bingo Hall featuring live music from the Beer Dawgs from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Participants will also receive an event T-shirt, a continental breakfast in Sacramento, a buffet lunch at the casino, and be eligible for prizes.

"My husband and I love to ride and our tribe likes to help out children whenever and wherever we can," said Tribal Chairwoman Paula Lorenzo of the Rumsey Band of Wintun Indians, owners of Cache Creek Casino.

Lorenzo and her husband have been asked to be the captains of the Toy Run ride.

"We have had great success with our Toy Runs at our flagship store in Sturgis, South Dakota, and at our outlet in Fresno," Renegade Classics Outlet owner Troy Rowsey said. "We hope for similar success with our first run here in Sacramento."

For more information contact:

Troy Rowsey  
Renegade Classics Outlet Sacramento  
(916) 454-3700

A.C. Hopper  
Cache Creek Casino  
(530) 796-5361



November 2003

## **Annual Turkey Dinner will be November 9<sup>th</sup>**

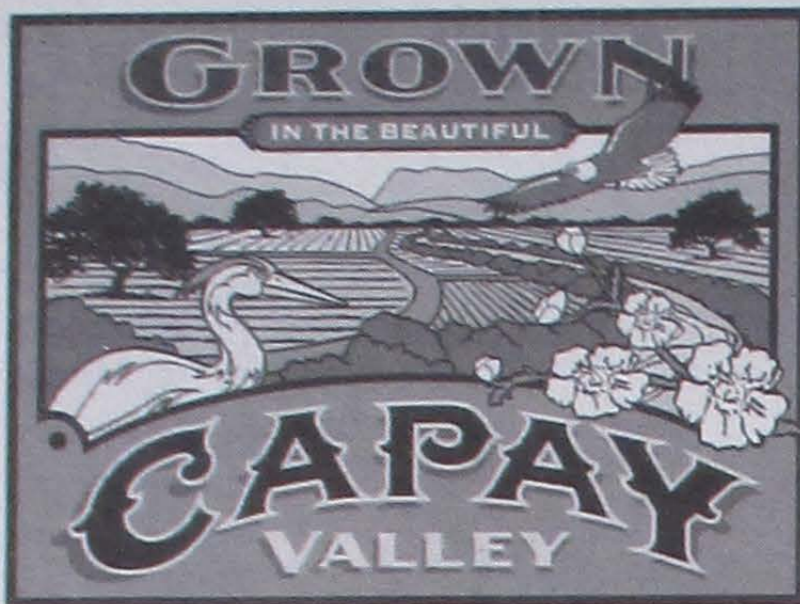
It takes a lot of work by many volunteers to keep the doors of the Esparto Library open extended hours. One of the main events to raise money is the Annual Turkey Dinner. The Friends of Esparto regional Library will hold this year's Annual Turkey Dinner on Sunday, November 9, 2003 at "Alice March Hall" on the Esparto High School Campus on Plainfield Street. Hours for the even will be 1:00-4:00 pm. Dinner is \$10.99 for adults and \$5.00 for children 12 and under. This year's theme is "Bring on the Books". A quilt make and donated by Jeanne Han will be raffled off during the dinner. Tickets for the raffle will be sold for seven chances for a donation of \$5.00. there will be door prizes also. If anyone wishes to donate something for a door prize, please contact Ken at 796-4151 or Ethel at 787-3858.



**Homecoming King & Queen are crowned at Esparto High School Homecoming Football game.**

## **Mark Your Calendars & Don't forget:**

Cache Creek Watershed Stakeholders Group Meeting  
Date: 11/13/03  
Time: 6-8pm  
Place: Guinda Grange Hall  
Subject: Release of Capay Valley Watershed Stewardship Plan



### Capay Valley Vision Update

#### Transportation Plan Available for Comment

The Draft Capay Valley Highway 16 Corridor Concept Plan is available for public review. Comments are due November 14.

The draft corridor plan is the written result of a planning project convened by Capay Valley Vision (CVV) and participated in by community members and governmental entities through an Action Team and three workshops this year. Throughout the project a team of consultants, led by planner Randy Anderson, helped to guide and catalog the discussion on which the plan is based. The project was funded by a grant from the Federal Highway Administration's Partnership Planning grant program, provided through Caltrans.

Organized in seven sections, the plan seeks to document concepts for transportation improvements of all types that reflect the community's vision of the best possible transportation system for the Capay Valley Region. Included are reviews of State, County, and Rancheria-sponsored transportation projects currently in the planning and design phases; an overview of highway design principles and existing conditions in the Valley; and a discussion of specific concepts to address safety, circulation, transit service, economic development, and other goals.

Copies of the draft plan are available at the Esparto Regional Library. To have an electronic PDF file sent to you by email, send a request to [tnelson@foodsecurity.org](mailto:tnelson@foodsecurity.org). A public open house will be held in January to present the final corridor concept plan.

#### Capay Valley Atlas and Action Plans Available

As mentioned in the last *Valley Voice*, CVV recently published a series of documents that serve as planning tools for our community. These publications are available at cost to the public and include:

*Capay Valley Atlas*—a 36-page, full-color guide to the natural and economic resources of the Valley. It includes eight maps as well narrative descriptions of soil and water resources, agricultural crop patterns, and community history. Photographs depict scenic vistas and historic structures. \$12.95 plus postage and handling.

*Action Plan and Agriculture Plan*—the result of more than two years of community visioning efforts, these documents present goals, strategies, and actions that together work toward a shared vision for the future of the Valley. The 56-page Action Plan is \$5.00 and the 32-page Agriculture Plan is \$3.00, plus postage and handling.

#### Holiday Gifts

Also available as gifts for the holiday season are t-shirts sporting the new full-color Capay Valley label, as well as refrigerator magnets and buttons. These items are available directly through CVV and at various Valley businesses.

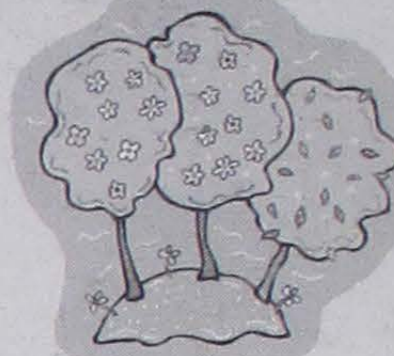
CVV is organizing a team of volunteers to help raise funds for Sacramento's public TV station KVIE on Sunday, November 30, 3:15pm - 8:00pm. Come smile for the cameras, have fun and get a free Capay Valley Grown t-shirt.

For more information about CVV and its projects, call Thomas Nelson at 796-4160 or email [tnelson@foodsecurity.org](mailto:tnelson@foodsecurity.org).

### Almond Festival Set for February 29th

The Esparto District Chamber of Commerce Board, after due consultation, has confirmed that the annual ALMOND FESTIVAL, first held in 1915, will be celebrated the LAST Sunday of February in this coming year. Please make your appropriate editors/journalists/event lists conform to the date of February 29, 2004 which is the FIFTH Sunday of February.

For trivia experts, this unusual 5-Sunday month last happened 28 years ago in the year of the U.S. Bi-Centennial, 1976, as that also was a leap year with a Sunday on February 1



### Celebrate 42 Years of Memories

St. Martin de Pourres Day will be celebrated on Sunday, November 2, 2003 starting at 4:00pm with a Pot Luck Dinner at 5:00pm at St. Martin Church. The Knights of Columbus will furnish barbequed tri-tip and everyone else should bring a potluck dish to compliment the meat. Please bring your own dishes and silverware.

As part of the celebration Angie Osborn will share the highlights of the events that have taken place the last 42 years. This should be a very fun evening. You can contact Ken at 797-4151 for more information or if you would like to contribute something.



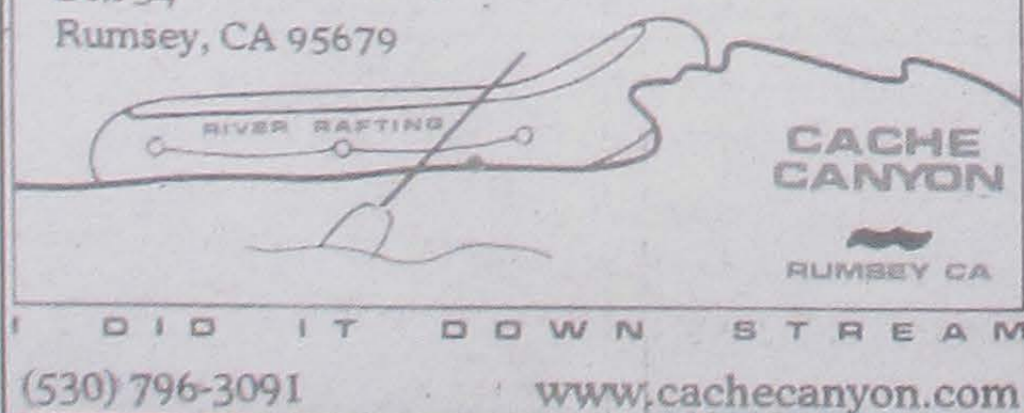
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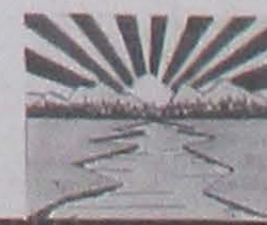
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NEWS FROM THE ESPARTO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICE...



- From the Desk of Superintendent Tom Michaelson:
  - NEW SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER APPOINTED ...** The District is proud to announce the appointment of a new member to the EUSD Board of Trustees.



- Interviews were held at a Board Meeting held on Wednesday, October 22, 2003, and it was determined that **Dr. Jane Stallings** would be appointed to serve a 4-year term to begin at the annual organizational meeting.
- Dr. Stallings comes to the position with a vast background of educational experience having taught in pre-school, junior high school and at the university levels. We welcome her to the Board!

✓ **INCREASED STUDENT TEST SCORES THROUGHOUT DISTRICT ...** The 2002-2003 Academic Performance Index (API) Growth Reports were recently released on the California Department of Education's website.

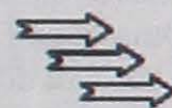


- The community will be proud to join in "CONGRATULATING" all of our school district personnel!!!
- Esparto High School under **Principal Stan Dodd**, showed a 97-point gain over last year's scores, the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest score among all high schools in Yolo County and a greater increase over all but 1 of the 48 county schools.
- Esparto Elementary School under **Principal Greta Taber** demonstrated a 41-point gain that ranked 6<sup>th</sup> of the 30 elementary schools in the county.
- Esparto Middle School under **Principal Carole Hiltman** continues to improve by increasing 22 points. EMS ranks as the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest middle school in the county.
- Overall, Esparto School District Scores showed the greatest gains in the county and are 2<sup>nd</sup> only to the Davis Joint Unified School District.



➤ **CAROLE HILTMAN RECEIVES GOLDEN APPLE AWARD ...** We salute EMS Principal Carole Hiltman for being selected as one of three recipients of the coveted Golden Apple Award. At a ceremony held at the Yolo Fliers Club and sponsored by the Yolo County California School Boards Association, Mrs. Hiltman was honored for outstanding leadership that has resulted in sustained increase of student test scores during her tenure. State Superintendent of Instruction Jack O'Connell was the featured speaker who gave personal commendation to each of the recipients.

- The award is shared in spirit with all of Mrs. Hiltman's staff at the Esparto Middle School who continue to work toward improvement and excellence in the education of our 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders.



**JOB OPPORTUNITIES AT ESPARTO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT:**

- \*\*\* EHS Bilingual Aide Positions (3 Hr.)
- \*\*\* Cafeteria Worker (1.5 Hr.)
- \*\*\* Yard Duty Supervisors
- \*\*\* Speech Therapist
- \*\*\* Independent Study Teachers (Certificated)
- \*\*\* MHS Teacher

(If interested or need more information, call the District Office: **787-3446**)



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**Thanksgiving Week Program**

Need somewhere for your children to go during the Thanksgiving Week break? Look no further than the Esparto After School Program for your answer. The program will be open from **7:30 a.m. til 5:30 p.m.** Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. **November 24-26.**

The cost for the program is only \$25 for all 3 days. Minimum number of children needed in order for the program to be open is 15. Deadline to turn in payment and registration form is Friday November 14, 2003. Space will be limited so don't delay.

Morning and afternoon snacks will be provided. Children will need to bring their own lunches.

Arts & Crafts, games, and fun will be available for all that attend.

For more information or to register, contact Dennis Huitt, Program Coordinator at **787-4110** or **908-1052**.

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## News from the Countryside Community Church

### The Esparto Clothes Closet needs your help.

If you are interested in volunteering to assist the Clothes Closet on Wednesdays from 10am to noon and Saturdays from 1-4pm please contact the Countryside Community Church at 787-3586.

**Annual Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service** If you're ready to hear the longing voices of the Capay Valley Chorus and ready for Clarence's slow-foot-stompin' rendition of Amazing Grace then you're ready for the annual Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service. For the past six years Countryside Community Church has hosted this service the Sunday before Thanksgiving to give thanks for the blessings we have in our lives and in this community. Last year all the churches in Esparto, Madison and the Capay Valley were represented. We hope to do the same this year and that you will join us. It truly is a very enjoyable experience. Be prepared to eat lots and lots and LOTS of sweets afterwards. ...you know how we church folk are. We hope to see you on Sunday November 23 at 2pm at Countryside Community Church. If you have any questions, give us a call: 787-3586.



On Sunday November 9<sup>th</sup> the Rev. Dr. Pamela McNally Anderson will officially be installed as the pastor for Countryside Community Church during our 10:30am service. We would like to extend a very warm invitation to Esparto and the Capay Valley to come and join us on this very special day. Pamela (pictured to the left of this article) is a Minister of the Word and Sacrament with the Presbyterian Church (USA). She is from Sacramento and graduated from Sacramento State in 1986, then went to the San Francisco Theological Seminary where she graduated in 1990 and was officially ordained in 1991, with her first church in Basking Ridge, New Jersey. In 1994 Pamela took a call and worked at St. Michael's Uniting Church in Melbourne, Australia and then moved in 1997 to work for a church in Sydney by the name of Wesley Mission. Pamela was engaged to her husband, Marc, on the steps of the Sydney Opera House in October 1998 and then married a month later on San Francisco's Golden Gate Bridge. (They have a daughter by the name of Charlene Sydney born on July 18, 2002.) Pamela returned to America in the spring of 2001 and graduated with her Doctor of Ministry from the San Francisco Theological Seminary. Pamela came to Countryside Community Church in November 2001 as our temporary supply pastor and now will be officially installed as our pastor on Sunday November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2003 at 10:30am. We hope that you will be able to join us on this very special day. Congratulations Pamela!

**TNT: Thursday Night Together!** Countryside Community Church would like to present TNT: Thursday Night Together! This program is held every Thursday night from 6:30-8:00pm and encompasses the whole family. We have a bible study available for adults led by Kurt Uleman, a children's program for 4-9 year olds led by Marty Uleman and a new youth group.

We have hired a youth director by the name of Ryan Smith (pictured to the right of the article). He comes to us from the Vacaville Community Church. Ryan resides in Sacramento while studying to be an EMT (Emergency Medical Technician) at American River College. Ryan's girlfriend, Erica, is a college student at the University of the Pacific and both of them worked at Westminster Woods Camp in Occidental, CA this past summer. Ryan has impressive leadership skills and a lot of enthusiasm for youth ministry.

We are so excited about TNT and the impact that it will have on our church and community. We are so thrilled to have Ryan on board with us and we hope that you will invite any junior high or high school student that you know to come and check out the youth group. If you have any questions, feel free to contact us at 787-3586. The TNT program is guaranteed to be "Dyn-o-mite!"



### Contra Dance on November 29<sup>th</sup>

In the tradition of American and English line dances, swing your partner at the Guinda Community Contra Dance. There will be live music by Ukiah's Economy String Quartet.

Saturday night, November 29<sup>th</sup>

Lesson at 7:30

Dance at 8:00

at Guinda's Grange Hall

No experience needed! All dances taught by caller, Mavis McGaugh.

Bring a friend or come solo. All ages welcome. \$6 admission per person

Call (530) 796-3801 for more info. or to volunteer to help.

Directions: Take Hwy 16 to Guinda. Turn left at the Corner Store

(Rd.53/Forrest Ave.) The hall is on the left at the top of the hill.

Whenever there are 5 Saturdays in a month, we have a dance.

Mark your calendar!



### Soccer Update

The combined U-10 and U-8 Dolphins of Capay Valley AYSO played a challenging game against Rio Linda U-10 girls, 0-4 on Saturday September 27, 2003. On defense, fending off many goal attempts, were Alyssa Trejo Alvarez, Sophia Robles, Monica Quiroz, and Lauren Tharp. Forwards keeping the ball downfield were Lindsey Rehg, Emma Watkins, Stephanie Pantoja, Briceida Jacobo and Kashmir Lam. In mid-field, persistent players were Melanie Virgin and Cassidy Campbell Mueller.

The Dolphins have 5 games left in the 2003 season. Go dolphins!

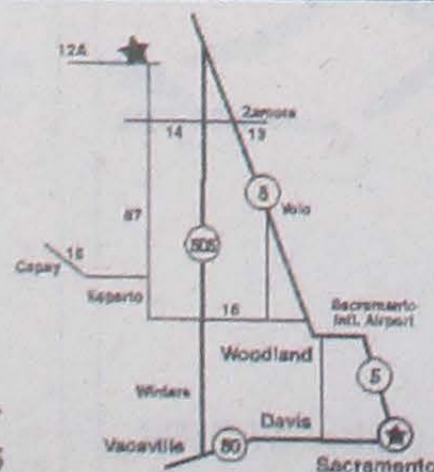
On Saturday October 4, 2003, the Capay Valley AYSO U-10 Dolphins played the Winters Dare Devils in Esparto. The first half of the game, the Dolphins played great defense and kept the scoring by the Dare Devils down. Kashmir Lam, Alyssa Trejo-Alvarez, and Sophia Robles played defense. Briceida Jacobo, Lauren Tharp, Stephanie Pantoja, and Emma Watkins played forwards with Lindsey Rehg, Melanie Virgin, Cassidy Campbell Mueller, Alicia Paddock and Jessica Paddock playing mid-field. Christina Lira, Monica Quiroz, and Mari-esa Cramer also played mid-field.



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**Our Child's Journey Begins With Us Breaking Strongholds and Encouraging Strengths**

Please Join Us on Wednesday, Nov. 5 from 9:15-11am at University Covenant Church, 1715 Anderson Road in Davis.

Returning will be our speaker, Jayne Williams who put on a wonderful presentation for us in October.

Topics will include:

How to briefly take a look at one's own childhood memories and utilize the lessons learned to better understand possible struggles and concerns for their child.

How to build on mistakes of the past as opportunities for guidance, relationship and love for the future.

How to proactively encourage role models that communicate character for children before the teen years

How to establish a pattern of love that will carry both parent and child throughout the difficult teenage years and into adulthood.

Please RSVP to Stacy at 758-8565 or looneys@peoplepc.com for childcare

**New Funding Raising Opportunity for WYORCA**

The Western Yolo Recreation Center Association is diving into a new phase of fund-raising through the Raley's, Nob Hill and Bel Air scrip program. You can use your purchasing power when you shop at Raley's. Help raise funds for recreational classes, water safety awareness, and youth education about health issues with the end goal of fund-raising for the construction of a community swimming pool and multi-purpose room for the residents of Madison, Esparto, Capay, Brooks, Guinda, and Rumsey.

Here is how the program works:

- 1) Contact Trini Campbell, WYORCA treasurer to obtain a Raley's Scrip Card. Contact Trini by phone at 530-796-3802 or email riverdog@yolo.com.
- 2) Using the first 11 digits of the number on the back of the card, register your card on-line at [www.raleys.com](http://www.raleys.com). OR
- 3) Give your contact information (name, address, and email address) to Trini Campbell who will register your card for you.
- 4) When you shop at Raley's, show your card at the check-out register before the checker starts scanning your items. A percentage of your purchase will go directly to WYORCA for the purpose of raising funds for a community swimming pool through recreational and health awareness classes.

Tell your friends, family and grandparents who shop at any Raley's, Nob Hill, or Bel Air in any area about this opportunity to help make swimming pool a reality for the rural communities of Western Yolo County. The strength of this fund-raising program lies in the communities willingness to encourage neighbors and family to participate. When a high number of people register their cards, the payback to the community will be significant. For example, when one enrolled family spends 300.00 per month, 1% or \$3.00 goes to WYORCA each month. When 40 families spending 300.00 each month participate, then WYORCA receives 120.00 each month. Over time this will have a significant impact on our efforts to fund raise for the swimming pool.

For more information, please contact Trini Campbell at 796-3802 or come to WYORCA's monthly meeting held the second Thursday of each month at the Esparto Library. The next meeting will be Thursday November 13, 2003 at 7 pm.



**Esparto Family Practice New Hours**

Monday 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
 Tuesday 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
 Wednesday 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.  
 Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 pm.  
 Friday 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

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## Mommy & Me Program Share Health Information



Sonja Rincus, a nurse from the County Health Department graciously came to our meeting to give parents some health tips to follow when their children become ill. She brought in a doll and showed parents how to not over bundle their child when taking them outdoors. Sonia explained that children

should be dressed according to the weather outside and that once inside, their blanket and wraps should be taken off. Fresh air is good for children and doesn't make them ill. What makes children ill are other individuals who are ill. She further went on to show the parents how to take their child's temperature and explained that the under arm is the proper location for doing this. Sonia also gave the parents information on what to do when your child has a fever and when to call the doctor. Parents were able to ask questions regarding their child's health as well as receive a thermometer to take home. For more information on how to join our group, please contact Oralia at RISE Inc. (530) 787-4110.

### "Toddler Too!"

During the month of October 2003, the "Toddler Too Group" had three sessions which took place at the Early Learning Center, located (corner of Fremont and Grafton Street). The children enjoyed a peanut butter play dough, took a fall nature walk to collect leaves and made fall collages made applesauce and learned fall finger plays. The children also enjoyed the many gross and fine motor development activities that included music by Hap Palmer's "Circle Game".

The children played at several learning stations which included puzzles, writing and reading activities, while the parent group develop a Parent Creed and took part in a Health and Safety orientation.

The Next "Toddler Too" play group  
Meets on Wednesday, November 12, 2003  
At the Early Learning Center

(On the corner of Grafton and Fremont Street)  
Session begins at 9:00 am. and end at 10:30 am.

To get on our mailing list call  
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## County Workforce Investment Board and One-Stop Partners Sponsor Celebration of Success' Event Honors Hardworking Achievers

Broad smiles, firm handshakes, hearty hugs and shouts of "congratulations" were in abundance Thursday, Oct. 9th, at the Hotel Woodland. Dignitaries, families, well-wishers and honorees gathered to celebrate the triumph of some of the Yolo County One-Stop Career Center customers.

"There are jobs out there," commented Asef Al-Bazirgan, one of the many successful customers in attendance, "but the competition for them is fierce. Without the help of the people at the county One-Stop, I would still be frustrated and still be looking for a break." Later in the evening, he and others shared their stories of overcoming barriers such as plant closures; drug dependency, teen pregnancy, single parenthood, the lack of work experience and other hurdles to find meaningful employment and begin the journey back to self-sufficiency.

One after another, they walked to the podium; set in front of a large crowd of enthusiastic supporters, and told their personal stories of overcoming overwhelming hardships they faced to beat the odds against them. They thanked staff for believing in and guiding them through the often-arduous process of becoming job ready and searching for and finding meaningful employment. The One-Stop Career Centers also assisted customers obtain their GED or high school diploma.

The Yolo County Workforce Investment Board (WIB) and the One-Stop partners, who join forces to provide free and low-cost professional services to county residents and employers throughout Greater Sacramento, sponsored the annual event. The focus of the One-Stop Career Centers in Woodland and West Sacramento is to provide assistance to job seekers within the region and help employers with recruitment, screening and hiring needs. The centers in Yolo County saw more than 21,000 visits during the year.

According to Lynnel Pollock, chair of the Yolo County Board of Supervisors, "the One-Stop Centers are vital to helping employers maintain a qualified labor pool and to ensure that Yolo County residents work in our community and support our local economy."

Robby Wilson, Admissions director for the Truck Driving Academy in Sacramento, was moved by the experiences the speakers shared during the event. He asked to address the audience. "I'm not on the agenda," he said, "but as I was listening to the speakers and reading through the program, I realized that three of the people being honored here went to my truck driving school. I've worked with many case managers here and I really am happy to be a part of this. You sent us quality people who really wanted to change their lives," he said, and he thanked the One-Stop partners, staff and the customers for doing such a great job.

Jerry Knapp, vice president and general manager of Printers Ink in Woodland and WIB member, addressed the gathering, offering job-related advice and acknowledged the One-Stop's strong partnership with the business community. "We are fortunate," he said, "to have many businesses come to the One-Stop centers to recruit for job openings, participate in job fairs and hire from the One-Stop (labor pool). The true success of the One-Stop is matching employer needs with job seekers needs." He said that the Celebration of Success event is an "example of a great collaboration."

The One-Stop partners are the California Human Development Corporation; California Indian Manpower Consortium; the Department of Employment and Social Services; the Department of Rehabilitation; the Employment Development Department; Experience Works, Inc.; Job Corps; the Los Rios Community College District; Sacramento City College; Woodland Adult Education; Woodland Community College; Yolo County Housing Authority and the Yolo County Office of Education. Yolo County Alcohol, Drug and Mental Health and City of Davis - Child Care contributed to the event as well.

### Reminder to all Parents!

Schools will be closed on  
Tuesday November 11th to  
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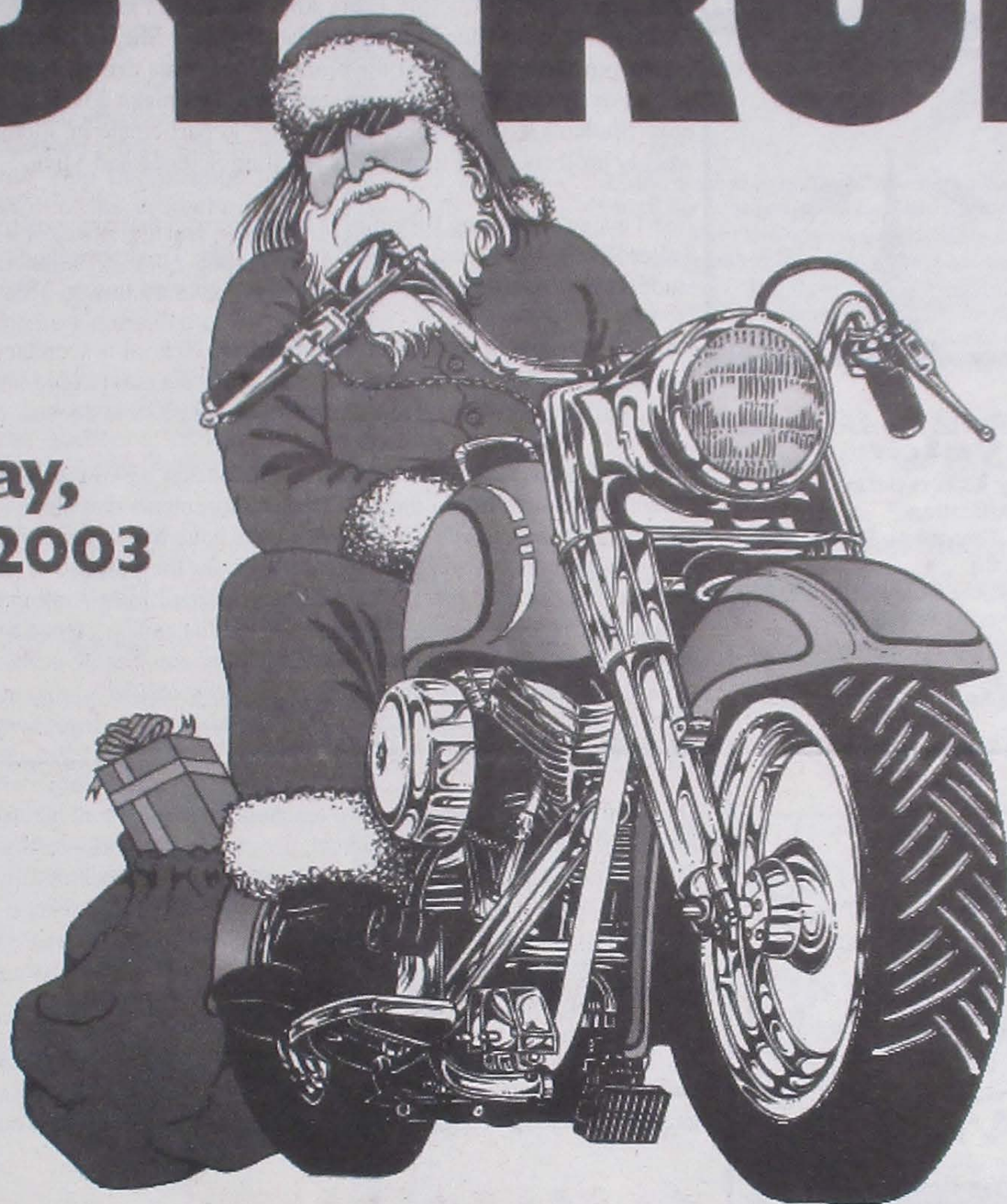
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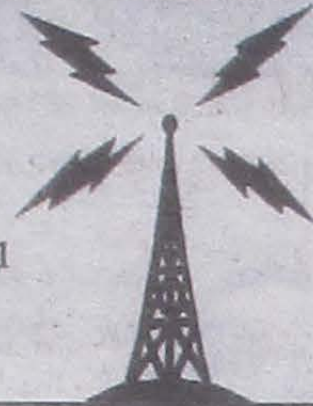
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*This pet is: up to date with routine shots, altered*



### Changes Aboard at Madison High School



Several new staff members now work at Madison High School. Dr. Kenneth Witte wears the hats of principal of Madison High, Director of Special Education, Director of State and Federal Programs and Principal for Independent Studies for the District. He was previously the principal of alternative education in King City for three years. He has completed his doctorate from the University of Southern California in Education Leadership. He hopes that the fighting Trojans will win this season. He completed his bachelor's work in both special education and administration from California State University, Bakersfield. He is not new to the Sacramento Valley having completed his Bachelors at Sacramento State in Geology.

Erica Abel comes as a highly qualified teacher with experience working for the Yolo County Office of Education for the last 5 years. She completed her teaching credential at Sacramento State. Her classroom activities exhibit the practical materials that all students will have to acquire in order to pass the high school exit exam, the California standards, and make advancement towards the state's academic performance index. Students have a variety of activities to participate in, including discussions, textbook assignments, and weekly projects. This term she is teaching Science and Math.

Lee Tinsley's teaching specialty is language arts that are sensitive to various cultures. She has a Masters from Fuller Seminary in cross-cultural studies. Ms. Tinsley engages students in writing about cultural heroes helping students realize that they too can become their own heroes. She teaches Language Arts and Social Studies.

Katie McFarland, a graduate of Esparto High School is secretary for Madison and for the District Special Education Departments. She balances the work that several people in larger district would have to do, including attendance calling, registrar, receptionist and file clerk. She does all these with her ever-present smile.

Instead of delivering instruction through a packet based curriculum, the morning program is now delivered as direct instruction fulfilling the core class requirements that almost all students at Madison are lacking; Math, English, Science, and Social Studies. Students have the opportunity on Wednesday and Thursday to meet with the teachers individually to plan for extra work for the purpose of gaining more credits. This will validate that they are serious about academics. Extra credits are earned from reading books in the library and then testing with the Accelerated Reader program. Additionally credits can be earned by completing 15 hours of community service per credit. Furthermore, credits can be earned by completing academic textbook work at home as well as taking classes at Woodland Community College. Physical education activities and tutoring for younger students can earn extra credits for students. All students attend Madison from 8am to 12:45pm with a 30 min lunch break. The school district provides transportation from Esparto to Madison.

On Monday and Tuesday, the two teachers meet with students for independent study work. These students qualify for this program because of medical, pregnancy, or work reasons that interfere with attending the regular program. These students meet with a teacher for one hour per week to turn in work, gain new assignments, and have assessments on work completed. Students that wish to use this form of alternative instruction must be highly organized, determined and work independently since there isn't any daily structure. If a student misses an appointment it is as if they hadn't been in school for five days—a precious waste of instructional time to meet the high stakes that the state requires.

Dr. Witte invites the community to visit Madison High School to see the changes in how the school looks, the behavior of the students, and meet the staff. You may already see some parents of Madison students already engaged in assisting activities at the school. How about you? Would you like to get involved too?

### Mommy, Daddy, and Me Group Meets.

On October 17, 2003 the first of three Mommy, Daddy and me groups met. The families in attendance were treated a spaghetti dinner and an evening of sharing childhood experiences and dancing to the sounds of Hap Palmer.

The Mommy, Daddy and Me group is developed to encourage male/father involvement in their children's everyday life. Our Mommy, Daddy, and Me group provide an opportunity for Dad's to receive up to date information on importance of their involvement in their child's Early Year's 0-5 yrs.

Keep your eyes open for the next Mommy, Daddy and Me group meeting,  
For more information call Oralia, Lupe or Joe at the Rise Inc. office at 787-4110.



*L-R Angelica Malendrez, Martin & Ana Rosa Delgado w/ Rosanayeli participating in the Mommy, Daddy, and Me Group.*



**CHILD CARE BUSINESS MODULES  
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**ARE YOU INTERESTED IN CHILD CARE  
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YOU LIKE TO HAVE MORE INFORMATION  
ABOUT THE POSSIBLITY ?**

There is a program that might interest you! An informational orientation to the "child care business" and a local training program is being offered in a cooperative venture between the Yolo Commission for Children and Families and RISE Inc. The effort of the program is to encourage more viable, local care options for working families. Some support is available for new child care providers' start-up, and resources have been recruited to assist child care operators to provide age-appropriate development activities for children in their care.

If you are interested in attending an **INFORMATIONAL ORIENTATION**, please fill out the short cut-out below and send to RISE Inc... we'll be sure and invite you and you can ask questions, consider if it's a "fit" for your family and business goals, and consider resources available.....

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

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PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ [OPTIONAL]

The planned **INFORMATIONAL ORIENTATION** is free to everyone and is being provided in an informal atmosphere for those considering becoming a child care provider as a dedicated career choice and professional business. There is also some financial support for persons completing the modules and starting a child care business! The following training modules are being provided to assist interested persons to meet requirements, develop business plans and engage promotion strategies:

- ◆ Business Orientation/Overview
- ◆ Your Business Narrative!
- ◆ Regulations and You...
- ◆ Financial Planning - building Profit!
- ◆ Marketing Strategy - Promoting Your Unique-ness with Kids!
- ◆ Business Basics and Care
- ◆ Take First Aid
- ◆ Complete CPR
- ◆ Assessing Kids' Progress.
- ◆ Grants, Resources, Home Visit.

**PLAN TO ATTEND: First Module (Orientation) - Date Planned for Wednesday November 12<sup>th</sup>... attend either of two convenient times, 2:30 PM or 6:00 PM for one hour, at the Esparto Library. Everyone is welcome!**

Questions??? .. Call Cathie Wicks at 787-3433. Plan now to attend! For a notice, mail this coupon today:

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## Community Service Opportunity

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Registration ends November 3

Payment must be made at time of registration (cash only)

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Classes will be held at the Esparto Fire Dept.

**Middle School Students  
November 15, 2003 8am-3pm**

**High School Students  
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## El Programa de Mami & Mí Compartieron Información de Salud



Sonja Rincus, enfermera del Departamento de Salud del Condado de Yolo vino amablemente a nuestra reunión para darles a los padres algunas puntas de salud para seguir cuando sus niños llegan a ser enfermos. Ella introdujo una muñeca y les demostro a los padres cómo vestir a sus niños cuando salen afuera. Sonia explicó que niños deben ser vestidos según el tiempo afuera y cuando entran para adentro se les debe retirar sus cobijas y abrigos. Explico que el aire es bueno para los niños y no les hace daño, que personas con enfermedades son los que pasan enfermedad a los niños. Ademas ella les enseñio cómo tomarle a su niño la temperatura y explico que es mayor tomarles la temperatura por de bajo del brazo. Que esto es el lugar mas apropiado para hacer esto. Sonia también les dio información sobre que pueden hacer cuando su niño tiene fiebre y cuando llamar al médico. Los padres tu-

vieron la oportunidad de hacer preguntas con respecto a la salud de su niño y recibieron un termómetro para llevar a casa. Para más información en cómo participar en nuestro grupo, por favor de hablar con Oralia, en el programa de RISE Inc. al numero de (530) 787-4110.

## Se Junta El Grupo de Mami, Papá y Mí

En el 17 de octubre de 2003 el primer de tres juntas de Mami, Papá y Mí se reunion por primera vez.

Las familias en la aisitencia fueron tratadas a una cena de espaguetis y una tarde de compartir las experiencias de su niñez y bailando a los sonidos de Hap Palmer.

El grupo de Mami, Papá y Mí se desarrollo para alentar la participación de los masculions/Papás

en las vidas de sus niños. El grupo de Mami, Papá y Mí proporciona una oportunidad para que los

Papás recibian información tocante la importancia de su participación en los años temprano's de sus niños 0-5 años.

¡ Pongase atención! Para la próxima junta del grupo Mami, Papá y Mí. Para mas información

comuniquese con Oralia, Lupe o Jose al numero 787-4110 o venga a la oficina de Rise Inc..

## Viajes Seguros y Sanos

Las celebraciones de la época de las fiestas (empezando con el día de Acción de Gracias hasta Año Nuevo) normalmente conllevan pasar más tiempo en el automóvil - haciendo compras, viajando y asistiendo a fiestas. Los accidentes de automóvil son la causa principal de lesiones y muertes entre niños y adultos. Una gran parte de estos accidentes ocurren cuando se conduce el coche después de consumir alcohol.

Es impresionante sólo pensar que cada 33 minutos alguien muere en un accidente relacionado con la consumición de alcohol. Durante la época de las fiestas, el número de accidentes provocados por conductores embriagados puede aumentar hasta un 10 por ciento o más. En 1998, un 38 por ciento de todos los accidentes mortales de automóvil estuvieron relacionados con la consumición de alcohol; durante las navidades, casi un 48 por ciento incluyeron alcohol y en Año Nuevo aproximadamente un 69 por ciento de todos los accidentes mortales de automóvil incluyeron alcohol.

### Cada 33 minutos alguien muere en un accidente de automóvil relacionado con alcohol.

Demasiadas veces los niños son las víctimas en accidentes que están relacionados con el alcohol. Trágicamente, desde 1985 hasta 1996, 3,556 de los 5,555 niños que murieron en accidentes relacionados con la consumición de alcohol eran los pasajeros en un automóvil conducido por alguien embriagado. Casi 2,400 (67 por ciento de 3,556) de todos estos conductores embriagados eran suficientemente mayores para ser los padres o los proveedores de cuidados de los niños que transportaban.



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Mucha atención se ha dado durante los últimos veinte años a los conductores menores de edad embriagados. Aunque los jóvenes continúan conduciendo después de consumir alcohol, el número de muertes de menores de edad producidas por la consumición de alcohol disminuyó un 33 por ciento desde 1988 hasta 1998. Sin embargo, los conductores de entre los 21 y los 34 años de edad se resisten a cambiar sus costumbres respecto a la bebida y al automóvil y son los responsables

de más de la mitad de todos los accidentes de automóvil mortales relacionados con la consumición de alcohol.

Beber alcohol antes de conducir se combina a menudo con otros comportamientos irresponsables. Los conductores embriagados tienden a no utilizar el cinturón de seguridad y a no sujetar adecuadamente a los niños que van en el automóvil. Desgraciadamente, cuando la consumición de alcohol aumenta, la probabilidad de que se conduzca con los dispositivos de seguridad apropiados disminuye.

### Consejos para conducir prudentemente

- *Tenga como regla no permitir ni una gota de alcohol cuando se transporte a niños.*
- *Siempre lleve a los niños adecuadamente sujetos y enséñeles a sujetarse solos.*
- *Asegure a su hijo en una silla para niños o con el cinturón cada vez que vayan en el automóvil.*
- *Lea las instrucciones del fabricante de la silla para niños para averiguar la edad y el peso límite que la silla puede aguantar.*
- *Asegúrese de que la silla del bebé se coloca mirando hacia la parte trasera del automóvil hasta que el niño tenga al menos 1 año de edad y pese al menos 20 libras. Esta posición permite reposar la cabeza y proteger el cuello.*
- *Una silla transformable o de seguridad mirando hacia adelante es lo que deberían usar los niños entre 1 y 4 años de edad (entre 20 y 40 libras).*
- *Use una silla o un asiento elevado de seguridad para niños hasta que tengan al menos 6 años o hasta que pesen al menos 60 libras. El cinturón de seguridad debe ajustarse de tal manera que el cinturón para el regazo sujete los mulos y que el cinturón del hombro cruce el hombro en vez del cuello.*



Javier Tersa Ramirez participating in the Mommy, Daddy, and Me Group

### “Pequeñín También!”

Durante el mes de octubre 2003, el “El Grupo Pequeños También” tuvieron tres sesión que sucedió en el Centro de Desarrollo, localizado (en la esquina de Fremont y la Calle Grafton). Los niños gozaron de las actividades, de masa de cacahuete, tomamos una caminata de la naturaleza para recojer hojas para un collage de otoño, también hizemos Salas de Manzana y aprendimos canciones. Los niños también gozaron de las actividades de los musculos brutos y finos que incluyen la musica de Hap Palmer's “el Juego del Círculo”. Los niños jugaron en las estaciones de aprendensaje que consistieron en rope cabezas, escribiendo y las actividades de la lectura, mientras el grupo de padre desarrolla un Credo de Padre y tomaron parte en una orientación de la Salud y la Seguridad.

La próxima junta de grupo “Pequeños También”

el miércoles, el 12 de noviembre de 2003 en el Centro de Desarrollo

(en la esquina de Fremont y calle Grafton) la sesión empieza a las 9:00 - 10:30 am.

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## CALENDAR DETAILS

**The Dental office in Esparto** is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. every Tuesday, Call 787-4972 to make an appt.

**Food and Clothes Closet**, more information contact RISE Inc. at 787-4110.

**AA meetings**, *Countryside Community Church*, located at 26479 Grafton St. Entrance is on west side of building. Go down the stairs to kitchen. Call Don Bertleson at 787-3322 for more information.

*Guinda Community Church*, Thursdays at 4:00 p.m.

**Home Schooling Cooperative**, Call Elvira Paoletti at 796-2280.

**WIC Services** is located in the Esparto Family Practice office at 17050 South Grafton St. For an appt. call (209) 870-5000.

**Church of God Spanish** services to be held on Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 p.m. The services will be held at the Countryside Community Church.

**Capay Valley General Plan Advisory Committee**

(CVGPAC) meets every 1st wed. of the month at 7 p.m. at the Grange Hall in Guinda. Open to the public.

**Esparto Citizen Advisory Committee to Planning Council** (ECAC) meets every 3rd Tuesday at 7pm in the Wintum Room at the Esparto Regional Library.

If you would like to get contact information about calendar events in the next meeting please email the editors of the Valley Voice at valleyvoice2@hotmail.com or call 787-4110 to get the information in.



### Esparto Youth Basketball

The Esparto Youth Basketball program will begin taking registration December 1st. This program is open for all youth of the Capay Valley in grades 2nd—5th. Look in the December issue of the Valley Voice for Dates and cost of this program. Flyers will be sent home the first week of December at the schools also. Children will learn the fundamentals of basketball and have fun doing it in. Instructor of this program will be Dennis Huitt.

### Guinda Community Church

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<p>*****            ★ Place and ad here on the back page of the calendar or a saying to a loved one wishing them a Happy Birthday, Anniversary or whatever. Call 787-4110 for more details and talk with the Editor.            *****</p>						<p><b>1</b>            1-4pm Food/Clothes Closet            7pm Spanish Mass St. Martin's Church</p>
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<p><b>23/30</b>            8:30 am St Martin's Service            9 am Guinda Community Church Service            10:30 am Countryside Community Church Service            11 am Esparto Baptist Church Service</p>	<p><b>24</b>            Thanksgiving Break No School All Week            2-6pm Esparto Family Practice Clinic</p>	<p><b>25</b>            8am-5pm Esparto Dental            9am-1pm Esparto Family Practice Clinic            7pm AA meeting CCC            7pm FERL Meeting            7-9pm Nimble Needles</p>	<p><b>26</b>            10am-12 Food/Clothes Closet            2-6pm Esparto Family Practice Clinic            6:30pm Western Yolo Grange Meeting            7pm Church of God            7pm CVGPAC Meeting            7pm School Board Mtg</p>	<p><b>27</b>            Thanksgiving Day            2-6pm EFP Clinic            4pm AA meeting GCC            7pm Bible Study Guinda Community Church</p> 	<p><b>28</b>            9am-12:30pm EFP Clinic            7pm Church of God Spanish Service</p>	<p><b>29</b>            1-4pm Food/Clothes Closet            7pm Spanish Mass St. Martin's Church            7pm Contra Dance            Guinda Grange Hall</p>