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A Casual Conversation with a Local Maestro, Terry Riley

By John Deaderick

With a musical career spanning six decades, area resident Terry Riley remains one of the most significant and innovative American composers of the 20th and 21st centuries. Terry is a true original, with a unique and immediately recognizable sound. His influences include the jazz of Bill Evans and John Coltrane, Indian raga, Bach, Debussy; but the end result is pure Terry. Often imitated, lauded and celebrated world-wide, Terry's music has been performed by orchestras in Berlin, London, New York, Los Angeles, and on and on. As a soloist and composer, Terry is continually sought after, traveling to Japan, Australia, indeed, everywhere.

And he's your neighbor.

In conversation recently, I asked Terry about his love for this area and how he feels about his upcoming Benefit Performance for the Camptonville Community Center.



John: Terry, you came here in 1974? What was it that drew you to this particular area?

Terry: I was living in San Francisco and looking for a place to live in the Sierra Foothills. I connected with a realtor who brought me out here and it was love at first sight.

John: Your kids went to school here?

Terry: Well, Colleen was 15 when we came up, so she went to Nevada Union. Shahn was born just before we moved here, so he and his younger brother Gyan went to Camptonville School, where [Terry's wife] Ann worked as a substitute teacher.

John: What does it mean to you to be performing here, I mean you'll just be returning from London.

Terry: There's always a relationship between the performer and the audience that is unique each time you play, no matter where it is. To me it can be just as high an experience playing here as it is in London, maybe higher, because I've never done it.

John: Will you be doing a lot of improvisation at this show?

Terry: I would imagine so. [much laughter; Terry always improvises - a lot.] I'm not playing classical or pop music. People should know that. It's music that I've designed, composed, which is then extemporized in concert.

John: What instrument will you be playing?

Terry: I'm using my Korg. You can layer up to eight voices. And you can have as many different tunings as you want. It comes with *equal temperament*, of course, but I may also be playing in *just intonation* and other tempered tunings, like Bach-type temperaments. There are so many possibilities of sound out there; it's like if a painter said "I only paint with pastels." That's OK, but if you want to make statements in different feelings, you need more colors.

John: Well, *equal temperament* [the standard tuning] is a series of compromises anyway.

Terry: It certainly is; twelve of them [much laughter]. I think that even though I'm not going to be playing anything this audience will be familiar with, except for the people that know my music and venture out from Nevada City or the

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Terry Riley Benefit Performance
Saturday, August 29th, 7:30 pm, at the new Camptonville Community Center

Please see Page 3 for information on ticket purchase

From the Editor

- Shirley DickKard

Turn the World Around

Water make the river, river wash the mountain

Fire make the sunlight, turn the world around

Heart is of the river, body is the mountain

Spirit is the sunlight, turn the world around

We are of the spirit, truly of the spirit

Only can the spirit turn the world around.

(Excerpt from song by Harry Belafonte)



Though water levels fall and helpless feelings rise, there's something in the spirit of music that connects us. So friends, neighbors, community, let's gather at Terry's concert and together, turn our world around!

Mermaid Run and Luau at Burgee Dave's, August 22nd

Come for the Mermaid (motorcycle) Run, stay for the Pig Roast Luau Dinner and live music on **Saturday, August 22nd** at Burgee Dave's at the Mayo in downtown Camptonville.

The Mermaid Run starts at 8 am and is \$45/couple. For those who just want to drop by in the evening for a dinner buffet and dancing, the cost is \$20 per person. To register, or for information, call Burgee's at 288-3301. Donations of canned food for the local food bank will be gratefully accepted.

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Gardeners' Market has New Location, New Faces

By Jimbo Garrison

The fabulous "Camptonville Community Gardeners' Market" is moving to our new Community Center, which is located at the former Masonic Lodge on Cleveland Avenue right in the heart of beautiful downtown Camptonville.

I will be unavailable to run the market this year but we have recruited a terrific replacement. From Ledson's Family Farm, I bring you (drumroll please) the awesome Christina Ledson, who has graciously agreed to step in on short notice, for which we are most grateful. Thank you Christina!

The Market starts August 1st and continues in August and September every Saturday from 10 am to noon. Stop by the Center and say *Hi* and pick up some fabulous home grown produce and other goodies including a new addition to the market - super fresh, super yummy, and very local duck eggs. Peace Be With You, and have a great summer!



Coming to the Community Center this August!

August 1st - Lee Dummel's Old West Re-enactments, 2 pm

August 15th - Camptonville Yard Sale, 12-3 pm

August 29th - Benefit Concert by Terry Riley, 7:30 pm

Corrections

By Shirley DickKard, Editor

Though *The Courier* is proofread many times by the Editor and three proofreaders, occasionally something slips by.

Please note these corrections:

- June 2015, front page: In case you don't recognize the CCP Board member James Garrison – it's *Jimbo!*
- July 2015, front page. The article on Camptonville School was written by Superintendent Sandy Ross, not Radoff. (Sandy was known at the school for almost 20 years by her maiden name, Radoff).

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Riley: continued from front page

(Terry) Bay Area, I think I can communicate fairly well with any audience, just because I played in bars for years [laughter]. Not that I'm going to entertain them, but I feel like I sense a musical need in the audience, and I don't try to ignore that. I don't pander to it either. I know that it will be strange and new, but if you're a good communicator, you can communicate the strange, and people will say, "Hmmm, that's not as bad as I thought it was going to be!" [hilarity ensues].

John: That is great Terry, you can't top that; I'm using that quote whether you like it or not!

Terry: That's your job!



Photos: Shirley Dickard

**From the Concert Hall to Camptonville
Ann and Terry Riley**

Tickets and Information - Terry Riley's Performance August 29th

Get your tickets early! Seating is limited and you won't want to miss this legendary performance.

Tickets can be purchased at:

- **Rebel Ridge Organics** Nursery and Garden Supply, 16042 Creekside Trail, near the corner of Hwy 49 and Marysville Road in Camptonville. (Hours: Mondays, Wed. to Saturdays 9-5, Sundays 10-2, Closed Tuesdays)
- **The Briarpatch** Co-op Market in Grass Valley
- **On-line** at www.brownpapertickets.com
- **Tickets** are \$25 or \$30 at the door, if available.

Doors will open at 6:30 pm. You're invited to come early to visit, enjoy refreshments (beer and wine for sale), and view how proceeds from the Benefit will enable community volunteers to transform the former Masonic Lodge into our new Community Center. For information, call 288-3479.

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The Camptonville Water Report

- Creek is Falling; Use is Rising

By Mark Jokerst, Water Plant Manager

The Drought ... hmmm. Getting Worse? Folks, the creek is falling fast and consumption is UP. Please conserve water as best you can, and be on the lookout for leaks and open hoses. Last month, one customer accidentally left a hose on for two days. Jeff and I scrambled for two days trying to keep the tank full and looking for leaks. ONE HOSE makes a difference!

As I write this on July 20, we are producing 15 to 20 gpm trying to keep up with the town, and the creek is barely keeping up with us. Town use needs to be in the range of 10-15 gpm if we are to make it through the summer - so please cut back!

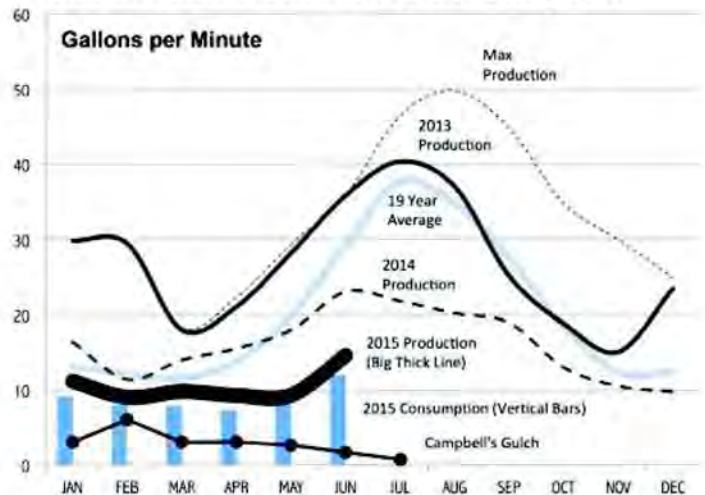


Photo: Mark Jokerst

Breaking Ground

The Water Project broke ground in June, and a large excavation was just completed in preparation for the tank to be delivered in August as you can see in the photo. Our current tank, 64,000 gallons of storage, is in the background; the new tank, 220,000 gallons, will appear in the center of the circle the dozer is grading in the picture. With summer water use at 22,000 gallons per day, we have one day of surplus in the current tank but will have eight days of surplus in the new tank.

CCSD Water Production & Consumption



The Water Chart compares water production for the current versus past years and for our 19 year history of data. The graph also shows current consumption, and it shows the overflow at the Campbell Gulch weir. **The creek is currently down to ZERO inches over the weir.**

When asked to describe a "weir," Mark gave such an interesting answer, I thought I'd share it with Courier readers.
- Editor



Photo: Mark Jokerst

What Does "Zero Inches Over the Weir" Mean to Us?

By Mark Jokerst

A "gauging weir" is the small notch at the top of our dam, and if water is able to flow over the dam, it will flow first through that notch or "gauging weir." We measure how much water is flowing over the dam by measuring the height of the water in this notch. We can convert "inches of water" to "gallons per minute" over the dam using "Bazin's Formula." For example, at our dam, one inch of water in the weir equates to 23 gallon per minute over the dam.

When we report a reading of ZERO in the weir, it means that no water is flowing over the dam - and since we (the town) are taking the water impounded behind the dam, that means we (the town) are using all the available water in the creek, and no water is flowing past the dam and downstream. Not good if you're a tadpole. At this time of year, every year, the Water Department struggles to keep the town supplied with water and yet leave enough to flow thru the weir to keep those downstream tadpoles happy.

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Moms and Babies Get to Sleep In

By Yakshi Vadeboncoeur, 1,2 3 Grow

1, 2, 3 Grow, Camptonville's free, parent participation preschool, begins its 2015/16 school year on **Tuesday, August 25**. Please note that we will be starting the morning an hour later this year, running from **9:30 to 12:30 Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday mornings**. Five year olds starting Kindergarten later in the morning, are welcome to join us until the K, 1, 2 class has recess at 10:00.

If you have friends with young children in a neighboring community, please feel free to invite them and their child to attend. The program is opened to all children 0 to 5 years old, and we love sharing the experience.



The Courier welcomes Josh Harris, new Superintendent of Yuba County Office of Education. YCOE provides administrative and financial services to Camptonville School.



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Back-to-School Schedule

By Sandy Ross, Superintendent/Principal

- **School begins on Wednesday, August 19th.**
 - The school day begins at 8:25 am and ends at 2:45 pm. Students may arrive at school at 8:05 am.
 - The Kindergarten day starts at 10:15 am and ends at 2:45 pm. Kindergarten students may arrive at school at 10 am.
 - Please register your Kindergartener or new student by August 17th.
 - The office will resume normal hours (8 am–3 pm) beginning August 10th. Please call us at 288-3277 for registration and any information regarding the 2015-16 school year.
 - **Back to School Night will be Thursday, August 27th.**
- The 27th is also a minimum day. Kindergarteners begin at 8:25 am and all students will be dismissed at 12:45 pm.



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Meet Your Local Campground Proprietor Don Deane, Willow Creek Campground

By Linda Rose

In late 2007, Don Deane saw an ad listing the Willow Creek Campground for sale. He had just sold his home in Bolinas and bought an RV, so he thought, "What a great destination!" When he arrived at the campground, he took one long look and realized, "this is too pretty, too beautiful to pass up." He became the proud new owner a few months later.

Since the 1950's when the property first became a place for visitors to the area to stay, it has slowly evolved into a beautiful, serene campground for people to experience the wonders that nature has to offer. The campground has five fully-equipped cabins, and two others for sleeping only. There are 18-20 tent sites and 18 more for RVs. Willow Creek can accommodate a maximum of 150 people, and unlike the local Forest Service campgrounds, Willow Creek Campground is open year-round.

There is a small convenience store and video lending library, as well as a bath house, outdoor restroom facilities, and a game room. Until recently, the game room had a pool table and table tennis, but they were mauled by a group of kids. So if you have an extra game table sitting around, I'm sure Don would be grateful to take it off your hands. Any other game room donations will be readily accepted.

Don's life-long passion has been working with kids. For more than 25 years, beginning in 1986, he provided foster care for four to six children at a time, most of whom were in his care for two or three years. Some were with him from ages 12 to 18. For seven years prior to being a foster parent, he ran a residential treatment facility for children. Don remains in touch with many of his foster children and it brings him joy to see that many have started their own families.

For 25 years, Don was the happy proprietor of Smilies' Saloon in Bolinas – the oldest continuously operated saloon in California. He also owned and operated a small hotel with six rooms. He sold the business when he moved to live here full-time in January 2015. Since 1975, Don also (see next column)

owned The Coastal Post newspaper, which ran for 30 years. Currently Don is involved locally as a board member of the Camptonville Community Partnership. Don hopes to include a Disc (Frisbee) Golf course in the campground's future. He also wants to attract more group functions to the campground, such as reunions, conferences, and business retreats. If you have never been to Willow Creek Campground, I encourage you to drop in and say "hey" to Don, as you are in for a real treat. Don will proudly give you a personal tour.

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Amazing Grace

*Amazing grace! (how sweet the sound)
That sav'd a wretch like me!
I once was lost, but now am found,
Was blind, but now I see.*

*'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear,
And grace my fears reliev'd;
How precious did that grace appear
The hour I first believ'd!*

*Thro' many dangers, toils, and snares,
I have already come;
'Tis grace hath brought me safe thus far,
And grace will lead me home.*

*The Lord has promis'd good to me,
His word my hope secures;
He will my shield and portion be
As long as life endures.*

*Yes, when this flesh and heart shall fail,
And mortal life shall cease;
I shall possess, within the veil,
A life of joy and peace.*

*The earth shall soon dissolve like snow,
The sun forbear to shine;
But God, who call'd me here below,
Will be forever mine.*

These original words from *Olney Hymns* were written in 1779 by John Newton, a slave trader turned Abolitionist. Some versions include an additional verse written by Harriet Beecher Stowe and added to *Amazing Grace* as it appeared in her novel, *Uncle Tom's Cabin*. - Editor

*When we've been there ten thousand years,
Bright shining as the sun,
We've no less days to sing God's praise
Than when we'd first begun.*



Amazing Grace

By Yana Slade

I have sung *Amazing Grace* many times over the years, but I never understood why it filled me with so much emotion. It was only recently I realized the meaning of the story. The lyrics were written by a slave ship captain after he had the realization that what he was doing was wrong.

This song is about recognizing that each and every one of us has the right to live without fear. The United States of America's Declaration of Independence states that everyone has the right to "Life, Liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness."

In regard to those rights, *thank you* Yuba County Board of Supervisors for your willingness to continue the process of designing an ordinance that can address the concerns and desires of both the medical marijuana growers and the county. Yuba County can become the leader in the movement to protect the environment and support the medical marijuana community to grow our medicine.

Let's choose the path of inclusion....and celebrate the *amazing grace!*

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The Yuba Patients Coalition

By Shabda Owens

The Yuba Patients Coalition has organized in response to the extremely restrictive cannabis cultivation ordinance enacted by the Yuba County Board of Supervisors this spring. The Coalition is involved in legal challenges and voter initiatives designed to once again allow citizens of Yuba County to grow a limited amount of cannabis as medicine outdoors on their private property, which has been a legal right in California since 1996. YPC is also working to promote voter registration, further public awareness around water issues in Yuba county, and to bring more transparency to county government.

For information and updates on medical cannabis in Yuba County or to become involved, visit The Yuba Patients Coalition website: www.yubapatientcoalition.org

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Cooling Herbs for Summer Heat

By Catie Pazandak

We all know the intensity of the Sierra summers. Some days can be so hot and dry you just want to hide inside beside a fan or lie in the river all day. But, for the days when work has to be done and we find ourselves easily overheating, our herbal allies may come to the rescue.



Hibiscus: a well-known, well-liked summer herb. It is used in flavorings for many commercially made teas and juice drinks. It is a refrigerant, and does what you might expect by deeply cooling the body. Its sour and slightly sweet flavor is a favorite with kids.

Peppermint: The mints are mostly cooling in nature, some more than others. Peppermint is one of the most cooling; Spearmint is slightly warmer. Mints are what are known as diaphoretic - they stimulate sweating and the opening of the pores to allow heat to escape in cases of fever and other 'hot' conditions.

Monk Fruit (Lo Han): a Chinese herb that moistens and drains heat from the body, especially the lungs. It is used in many Chinese formulas to harmonize and sweeten. It is a favorite for respiratory conditions where heat and dryness need to be addressed. The Monk Fruit is sweet, yet has no glycemic index value. It is safe for diabetics and satisfies that sweet craving.

Borage leaf and flower: another refrigerant that is sweet as well as bitter in energetics and likely found in many gardens.

Marshmallow root: moistening and cooling, Marshmallow is one of the classic vulnerary and demulcent (moistening) herbs. It soothes and heals tissues remarkably well, especially tissues of the lung and stomach (digestive tract), and helps the kidney meridians. As a yin tonic, it helps to promote the building of fluids in the body.



Suggested Tea Recipe:

Simmer these two herbs uncovered for 15-20 minutes in 1 gallon of water: 1 Monk Fruit ball (well crushed) and 1/4 oz (one handful) Marshmallow root.

Turn off heat. Add approximately 1/4 oz Peppermint; 1/2 to 1 oz Hibiscus (to taste); 1/2 oz Borage leaves (and flowers if you like). Tulsi is another great addition, or use it in place of Peppermint.

Cover immediately and let sit 20 minutes. Strain and enjoy! Keep cold in the fridge for up to three days.

All herbs can be purchased either from Catie (harvestingvitality@gmail.com) or at HAALo (www.haalo.org)

Free Help to Firesafe Your Home

By Cathy LeBlanc, CCP



Yuba County Foothill Homeowners: Yuba Watershed Protection & Fire Safe Council (YWP&FSC) has CalFire funding for two programs to help assist your home in fire safety.

YWP&FSC is working with Yuba County Public Works on a **Free Chipping Program** for any foothill homeowner who lives on or adjacent to a county maintained road.

There is also no-cost assistance through the Yuba County Special Needs Assistance Program for **Defensible Space Clearance**. YWP&FSC will provide defensible space clearing around the homes of Yuba County foothill residents who are physically or financially unable to maintain their own defensible space. Please read the insert in this issue for qualifications. For information, call CCP at 288-9355 or visit www.yubafiresafe.org to fill out an application. This program ends 3/1/17, and is offered on a first-come, first-served basis.



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News from the C'ville Community Center

By Christina Ledson, Director

Following another enjoyable Country Faire, August is gearing up to be a very busy month for the Center. We are kicking off the month with a fundraising event hosted by the Historical Society. As previously stated, the Camptonville Historical Society will be housed in the Center with their own museum. Hopefully with their **Historical Re-enactment at 2 pm on August 1st**, they will get closer to raising the funds they need to get the museum under way.

On **August 15th, from 12-3 pm**, the Center will be hosting a **Camptonville Yard Sale**, including items inside the building being sold specifically to support the Community Center. Gather all those items that have been collecting dust and bring them down. The cost will be \$15 for a space. To reserve a space you can call Christina at 288-3655 or email christinaledson@gmail.com, or just show up on the 15th.



Photo: Richard DicKard

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There have been some changes to the Lodge Room! We have been preparing for the benefit concert that our very own Terry Riley has so generously offered to do for the Center. Dick DicKard has been very busy building us a stage. **The Benefit Concert is 7:30 pm, August 29th**, and we hope this will be the first of many more concerts to be held here.

Last but not least, the **Camptonville Gardeners' Market** is moving to the Center and will take place **every Saturday from 10 am-12 pm** in August and September. Remember, it's not just for gardeners. Local craftspeople and artisans are welcome to sell their goods. The market donates 10% of all sales to various local non-profits. Don't forget that the Center is available to rent for your next meeting, party, or gathering!

The Camptonville Country Faire

By Barbara Ramirez, CCP

The 2nd annual Camptonville Country Faire was a big success. We didn't have as many visitors this year, but I am so grateful for those who attended. Thank you to Cathy LeBlanc for announcing our parade entrants and to all who participated, including the following vendors: Christmas Club, Ledson's Family Farm, and Charlotte's Garden. Carolyn Perkins was also there with her astrological charts. The Camptonville Community Center Steering Committee held a used book and CD sale. CCP thanks our community for supporting this endeavor.



How Can I Help This Month?

By Tonie Hilligoss

Thanks again to those of you who are helping transform the old Masonic Lodge into the Camptonville Community Center. We've met some of our goals, and here are our new and ongoing requests for assistance:

- **A backhoe with an operator** willing to donate a few hours to prepare the hillside for the new Community Center sign.
- **Volunteers to work on renovating the building** to incorporate the Leland K. Pauly Museum (date TBA).
- **Volunteers to help collect rocks** for the hillside Community Center sign (date TBA for a rock collecting party soon, so let us know if you'd like to help - thilligoss@mac.com)
- Remember to **save your goodies for the flea market August 15th**. For only \$15 a booth, you can support the Center while cleaning your closets and making some money at the same time. Contact Christina Ledson at 288-3655 or christinaledson@gmail.com for more information.

Rita Ortega is our Volunteer Coordinator and can be reached at 288-3421 or ritaortega4@gmail.com.

Donations can be sent to:

CCSD, PO Box 327, Camptonville, CA 95922,

Make checks out to: Camptonville Community Center.

Questions about donations can be directed to Char Jokerst (288-9320 or rubycj@att.net) or Tonie Hilligoss (288-3451 or thilligoss@mac.com).

We're making progress because so many of you have volunteered your time and resources, so please bear with us as we continue to solicit your support. Thank you!



An Appeal From Our Fire Chief

By Brandi Dudek, CVFD Chief

The Camptonville Volunteer Fire Department is looking for **VOLUNTEERS!** Firefighter trainings are Tuesday evenings from 6 to 9 pm. Stop by the Fire Station any Tuesday and check us out.

You don't have to be a firefighter to be part of our team. We also need volunteers for support staff to help with paperwork, maintenance work at the station, and other non-firefighter projects. If you're interested in donating time and being part of a great team, feel free to give your chief a call at 288-3303.



Desperately Needed! Volunteers to Assist Wildlife Rehabilitation and Release

By Ann Westling, Wildlife Rehabilitation and Release

Imagine seeing a gray fox with its head caught in a plastic mayonnaise jar, or finding a lone baby raccoon walking along a busy street, hungry and dehydrated, or a litter of baby skunks without a mom. What would you do? Who would you turn to for help?

Wildlife Rehabilitation and Release (WR&R) is an all-volunteer organization that assists injured or orphaned wild mammals, birds, and bats from Nevada, Yuba, and Sutter Counties. However, WR&R is struggling not only for funds, but also for volunteers.

The small mammal team is in critical need of volunteers – especially to help transport animals. A volunteer with their own vehicle (and gas) would be called to pick up an injured or orphaned mammal and bring it to one of the rehabbers. WR&R will provide some additional equipment if necessary.

Volunteers are also needed to tend young animals. This requires a bit more training and facilities at home, but is still doable for a beginner, and WR&R would provide training on how to feed and care for young animals.

For injured wildlife, call the Hotline at (530) 432-5522. If you'd like to help, please call 650-759-1462 and one of our volunteers will call you back. To become a member, volunteer, or make a donation, please visit the website www.cawildlife911.org. Your help is desperately needed!

Summer events to support WR&R:

- * Dine out at Smiley Guys Smokehouse, August 6, 5-9 pm
131 Joerschke Dr., Grass Valley.
- * Happy Hour at Ole Republic Brewery, 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm
124 Argall Way, Nevada City.



Yuba River Ranger District

By Betty Leffew

The weather has surely warmed up. Please be extremely careful. The Cottage Creek boat ramp at Bullards Bar Reservoir is closed due to low water.



Bullards Bar on 7.14.15

Photo: Shirley Dickard

We are in fire restrictions, and off-road vehicles have to stay on roads and maintained trails only. Campfires and Bar-B-Q's are not allowed except within the fire rings and grills provided in developed campgrounds.

People who live in, or visit bear country, need to remember to keep all garbage sealed in airtight containers. Never keep food in your tent. Keep a clean camp by cleaning up and storing food and garbage immediately after meals. Put sealed containers in the trunk of your car. If you put anything that has an odor in your car, be sure to use airtight containers and have the windows all the way up.

Be alert in the coming month as bow season starts for hunting. Have a great summer!

Explosives-Related Incident at Forest Service Fire Station in Camptonville

By Michael Woodbridge, U.S.F.S. Public Affairs Officer

Recently, a concerned citizen dropped off a box of old blasting caps at the U.S. Forest Service Fire Station in Camptonville. Forest Service law enforcement, fire, and explosives professionals, working with local public services partners and the Butte County Inter-Agency Bomb Squad, neutralized the explosives and ensured public safety.

When the box of explosives arrived at the station in the afternoon, Forest Service personnel advised residents in the immediate area to voluntarily evacuate the area. After the Butte County Bomb Squad arrived in the evening, they removed the explosives and rendered them safe.

Safety is the highest priority for the U.S. Forest Service. Although rare, it is possible there could be explosives on the Tahoe National Forest from industrial, mining or other activities.

"If you encounter dynamite, blasting caps, unexploded ordnances (UXO), or other types of explosives on the Tahoe National Forest, leave them where they are, and notify the U.S. Forest Service or call local emergency services," said Joe Cook, Patrol Captain for the Tahoe National Forest. "For your safety and the safety of others, do not touch explosives, as they can be very unstable."

Save the Date: Biomass to Energy Report

By Regine Miller, CCP

CCP will present the final Forest Biomass to Energy Feasibility Report to the Yuba County Board of Supervisors **September 15th** at the regularly scheduled Supervisors meeting.

CCP will also present the report in Camptonville on **September 17th at 6:30 pm**. Details to follow.



Tobacco Cessation Classes in C'Ville?

By Cathy LeBlanc, CCP



Yuba County Public Health held a Tobacco Cessation educational table at our recent Country Faire. They informed us that if we can find five people who will commit to taking the Tobacco Cessation classes, they have instructors willing to bring their free "Connecting To Quit" program to Camptonville!

The six one-hour classes promote ideas and exercises to help individuals quit smoking, chewing, vaping, and other forms of tobacco use. Classes run twice a week for three consecutive weeks. Various incentives are given at each meeting to help encourage participation, but the real prize is a healthier individual through a tobacco-free lifestyle! For further information visit: www.nobutts.org/tobacco-users-welcome and www.co.yuba.ca.us/departments/hhsd/Public%20Health/

If you want to quit smoking, now seems like a good time! Please call the Resource Center at 288-9355 and we will add your name to the list.

WSMC Adds Obstetric/Gynecology Doctor

By Cheryl Rubin

Western Sierra Medical Clinic announces the hiring of Dr. Scott Mack who will provide Obstetrics and Gynecology services at their Grass Valley Clinic to help meet the critical shortage of Ob/Gyn services for women in the area. WSMC provides comprehensive medical, dental, and behavioral health care in Nevada, Sierra, and Yuba counties. You can learn more at www.wsmcmed.org.

Help & Hope

For Emergencies.....First Call 911

(All area codes are 530, unless specified)

Camptonville Fire Department	288-3303
Yuba County Sheriff Emergency	749-7909
Non-Emergency	749-7777
PG&E	800-743-5000
Red Cross of NE California	673-1460
Office of Emergency Services-Yuba	749-7520
Camptonville Resource Center/CCP	288-9355
KVMR 89.5 FM	265-9555
KNCO News Talk 830 AM	272-3424
AA in Camptonville	288-1001
CoRR (Community Recovery Resources)	273-9541
Domestic Violence:	
-Casa de Esperanza, Hot Line (Yuba)	674-2040
-DVSAC Crisis (Nevada Co)	272-3467
CA Rural Legal Assistance (Yuba)	742-5191
Legal Center for Seniors (Yuba)	742-8289
Mental Health 24hr Crisis Line (Yuba)	673-8255
NAMI – Support for mental illness	272-7863

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First Tuesday of the Month

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wsmcmed.org

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 Tickets \$25 (\$30 at the door)

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Camptonville Community Calendar

Please read inside for details

On-Line Calendar: www.camptonville/calendar/phb

August 1 - Historical Re-enactments
August 1 - First Gardeners' Market
August 15 - Camptonville Yard Sale
August 19 - First Day of C'ville School
August 22 - Mermaid Run & Luau Dinner

August 25 - First Day of 1,2,3 Grow
August 27 - Back to School Night
August 29 - Terry Riley Concert
September 12 - Fire Department Picnic
September 17 - Biomass to Energy Report

On-Going Weekly Events

Tuesdays: Organic Lunch, 12 pm, NSJ Center
 Yoga, 5:30 pm, Camptonville School Gym
 Camptonville Fire Dept Trainings, 6-9 pm, Fire Hall

Thursdays: Community Lunch, 12 pm, NSJ Center
 Food Bank, Dobbins (except 3rd Thurs), 12:30-1:30 pm
 Food Bank, NSJ, 2nd Thurs, 8 am, NSJ Center
 AA Meeting, 6:30-7:30 pm, Camptonville Resource Center

Fridays: Bingo, 1st & 3rd Friday, 7 pm, NSJ Center
 USDA Food Bank, 3rd Fri, 9-10:30 am, Dobbins Church

Saturdays: Gardeners' Market, 10-Noon, C'ville Community Center

Sundays: Open Mic, 1st & 3rd Sundays at Burgee Daves, 4-7 pm



On-Going MONTHLY Events

CCP Board - Meets 3rd Monday, 5 pm, Resource Center
 Contact: 288-9355

CCSD Board - Meets 4th Monday, 7 pm, Camptonville School
 Contact: 288-3421 or 288-3676

WSMC Health Van - 1st Tuesday, 10 am - 3 pm,
 Community Center. Contact: 289-3298

School Board - Meets 3rd Wednesday, 6 pm, at CV School
 Contact: 288-3277