



Family Resource Centers
PENN VALLEY SITE

**OCTOBER 2019
HAPPY HALLOWEEN**

10862 Spenceville Road,
Penn Valley
Located on Ready Springs
School Campus
Turn right at the campus
stop sign, we are located
in the 2nd portable
(530) 432-1118 x249
M - F 9:00 to 4:00

REMINDERS

- DID YOU KNOW THAT WE HAVE A PRINTERS & A FAX MACHINE THAT ANYONE CAN USE?
- IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT OUR HOURS, GIVE US A CALL!

WHAT WE OFFER

- CLOTHES CLOSET
- FREE DIAPERS
- LENDING LIBRARY
- COMPUTER LAB (INTERNET ACCESS, FAX, PRINTER, COMPUTERS)
- CAREER DEVELOPMENT SUPPORT
- PARENTING CLASSES
- WEEKLY PLAYGROUP
- COMMUNITY RESOURCES & REFERRALS



**STORY TIME
Every Wednesday
10-11:30**

Welcoming parents & their children (birth to 5)
Connect with your child & other parents
Drop-ins welcome!

**18TH ANNUAL
'READ TO YOUR CHILD' HALLOWEEN BOOK GIVEAWAY
"MAKE READING A FAMILY TRADITION"**

Thursday, October 31st
10:00 to 1:00
Grass Valley Elks Lodge
Part of the Grass Valley
Downtown Association's
'Safe Trick or Treat'

Come pick out a free book
(Books in English & Spanish)
with free personalized bookplate



**SAFE TRICK OR TREAT
FOR PRESCHOOLERS
DOWNTOWN GRASS VALLEY**

October 31st
FREE candy & treats from
downtown merchants
272-8315
downtowngrassvalley.com



FALL FAMILY FESTIVAL

October 31st
5pm to 8pm
Twin Cities Church
FREE
GAMES CANDY BOUNCE
HOUSES & MORE!

Reasonably priced food will be available for purchase
Free parking
& continuously-running shuttle from Scotten and Lyman-Gilmore Schools
Need more info? Call Mare
273-6425 x400

PENN VALLEY HOMETOWN FALL FESTIVAL



There was misprint in our last issue and there is NO Fall Festival at Western Gateway Park, ONLY at the Rodeo Grounds. Sorry for any inconvenience that this may have caused!

Saturday October 5th
10am to 9pm
10513 Spenceville Rd
Presented by the Penn Valley Community Rodeo Association

Pumpkin Patch
Kids Games
Food
Demonstration
Brats and Beer
Music
Local Wineries
Vendors



Mule Packing Exhibition & Gymkhana
Events will be hosted in arena
Bring your camp chair to rodeo grounds to relax & enjoy all of your favorite foods & entertainment on our lawn

Scarecrow Contest
Create your business or own scarecrow to add to our pumpkin patch!
Prizes awarded!
Business Category/Kids under 10/Kids over 19

Costumed Gamblers Cow and Mutton Bustin' Event
Check - In at 3:30 at the info booth
Performance is at 4pm
Riders must be no more than 50 lbs on the date of ride.

Entry fee is \$35 per rider
Buckles given for the longest ride, farthest ride, best dressed cowboy & cowgirl, scariest costume, & most creative boy & girl
Limited number of rides available so sign up early. Email teresa@goldcountryranches.com with completed entry form
Entry form at PVRodeo.com



FREE COMMUNITY CLASSES

Did you know that Connecting Point offers free classes that are open to the public?
Register online at connectingpoint.org/events or by phone, call Karen 274-5601

Upcoming Classes
Freedom from Smoking
8-week series
Ready to quit smoking? Finding your path to a smoke-free life is easier with the right help. This program is a proven way to quit smoking and stay quit. You'll set a quit date, build a quit plan, & work through your 1st smoke-free weeks with support.

Thursdays, Nov. 2-Dec.14
11 to 1pm
Connecting Point

TIP OF THE MONTH from 40 Assets

Reading with your kids
Children learn words by your speaking and reading to them, and by their own reading as they get older. The more words a child knows, the better they will do in school. If you read to your child 1-2 times/week before kindergarten, they will have heard 63,570 words, 3-5 times/week 169,520 words, no early reading 4,662 words by the time they start school. (Journal of Developmental and Behavioral Pediatrics) Early reading also promotes reading for pleasure throughout their school lives and beyond.

Older children who have not discovered the joy and benefits of reading, need encouragement to start. Find anything they will enjoy reading, something to do with their hobbies, sports, music & other arts. Anything. The goal is to get them reading.

Questions?
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