

OroValley VISTO Newsletter May 2021











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BEAUTIFUL



If your group or organization is looking for a great service project, then check out Keep OV Beautiful. This new program makes it easy for your large group to give back to the community we love by scheduling a litter pick-up day that is convenient for you. All you need to do is select your volunteer coordinator and have him/her start the registration process by going to www.orovalleyaz.gov and typing KEEP OV BEAUTIFUL in the search bar or click here. Town staff will work with the coordinator to identify a date and location for the litter pick-up. The Town will also provide safety vests, pick-up tools and trash bags. Once your pick-up day is complete, the Town will then collect and dispose of all the gathered trash the next business day. Picking up litter is a simple act of service with a tremendous impact. Please help us Keep OV Beautiful!

OVSafeSteps awards more than \$720K to local businesses



Since September 2020, qualifying Oro Valley businesses have been applying for financial assistance and reimbursement through Oro Valley Safe Steps, a collaboration between the Town of Oro Valley and Oro Valley Chamber of Commerce. As of the April 1, 2021 application deadline, 215 local businesses right here in Oro Valley were approved to receive financial assistance, for a collective total of \$720,000. Some applications are still being processed and money will continue to be distributed to the businesses until funds are exhausted. Additionally, 194 businesses have made the OVSafeSteps Promise to do their part to help protect our vulnerable populations, reduce stress on our healthcare system and keep our businesses open. A healthy community leads to a healthy economy.



Have you heard the latest episode of the Town's podcast, This is Oro Valley? Town Manager Mary Jacobs sat down with Oro Valley's Recreation and Cultural Services Manager Lynanne Dellerman and Oro Valley Historical Society President Henry Zipf to discuss the past, present and future of historic Steam Pump Ranch. Be sure to subscribe to the podcast on Apple Music, Google Podcasts or Spotify. Or listen directly from the Town's website. Just visit www.OroValleyAZ.gov and type "PODCAST" in the search bar or click here.

It's not too late to Celebrate OV!



Did you miss the virtual Celebrate Oro Valley event April 19-23? That's okay! You can still view the videos that were posted each day of the celebration, in honor of our five foundational pillars. For all the details, visit the Oro Valley Parks and Recreation Facebook

UPCOMING EVENTS

FREE Friday Night Drive-in Concerts at Steam Pump Ranch



10901 N. Oracle Road Friday, May 7 Band: Final Approach (hits from the 50s thru 90s) 7 – 9:30 p.m.

Summer camp returns to the OV!



Oro Valley Parks and Recreation is excited to announce the return of youth camps this summer! Pending ongoing COVID-19 data and safety recommendations, staff is planning to hold limitedcapacity, in-person camps at Steam Pump Ranch, the Oro

Valley Aquatic Center and the Oro Valley Community and Recreation Center. As this newsletter went to press, details were still being finalized, so keep an eye on the Parks and Recreation Facebook page in the coming weeks. Registration should be available by early May.

COVID-19 Vaccine

"I strongly encourage residents to consider vaccination. I recognize that vaccination is a personal choice, but our personal choices impact not only our own health, but also the health of those around us. Safety precautions plus vaccinations means greater health and safety for all of Oro Valley."

-Oro Valley Mayor Joe Winfield in a March 26, 2021, press release

The Pima County Health Department continues to serve as the lead agency for Oro Valley during the COVID-19 pandemic. For the latest information on vaccine eligibility and availability, visit www.pima.gov/covid19vaccine, or call the Pima County vaccine information and registration assistance call center at 520-222-0119. Individuals who are home bound and need additional assistance can also call 520-222-0119.

Meetings and events



As this newsletter went to press, the Town of Oro Valley was still conducting its public meetings online, with various opportunities for public input via email, phone and video conferencing. Please check the Town's website at www.OroValleyAZ.gov to learn about upcoming meetings.

Shop Oro Valley!

Remember: shopping locally is a reinvestment in your quality of life! Find out what your favorite businesses are doing to keep you safe by visiting www.OVSafeSteps.com.



NOW OPEN:

- A Wise Move Physical Therapy and Pilates, PLLC 180 W. Magee Rd. #164
- F45 Fitness, 9740 N. Oracle Rd. #170
- Luxspace Studios, 7315 N. Oracle Rd. #051

COMING SOON:

- Five Below 10571 N. Oracle Rd.
- Jersey Mike's 7315 N. Oracle Rd. #108
- Noodleholics 7850 N. Oracle Rd.
- Peachwave Frozen Yogurt &
 Wow Wow Lemonade Gelato 12155 N. Oracle Rd. #121
- Sally Beauty Supply 7854 N. Oracle Rd.
- Sol Physical Therapy 10445 N. Oracle Rd. #101
- Tuk Tuk Thai 12125 N. Oracle Rd. #169
 - 7705 N. Oracle Rd.