



MAY 2024 NEWSLETTER



CONSTRUCTION OF NEW COMMUNITY CENTER BEGINS.

Demolition of the old pool building began on April 19 and was completed on April 26. The new Community Center will be approximately, 5,490 sq ft. The center will serve the community in multiple ways to include the Parks & Recreation Department main office, Pool Office, a new multi-use room, and accessible restrooms.

In addition to the new facility, we will also have an updated parking lot, new concrete walkways, stairs & ramps. There will be updated and refreshed landscaping & a new fence between the parking lot & pool.

The multi-purpose room which features an adjoining catering kitchen will be available to rent and can be used for a variety of functions including meetings, family reunions, and other events..



Dear fellow citizens of Castroville,

As your mayor, I am deeply committed to serving you—you who are the heartbeat of our vibrant community. The “Mayor’s Corner” is more than just a column; it’s a bridge connecting us, where your voices echo and your concerns find a home. Here, we’ll delve into topics that matter most to you: from infrastructure improvements to local events, from dealing with growth to addressing traffic, from quality of life to fiscal responsibility. I will strive to cover as much as possible.

But this isn’t a one-way street. I invite you to be active participants—to share your thoughts, hopes, and dreams. Your input fuels our progress. Together, we’ll weave a tapestry of transparency, accountability, and shared responsibility. Trust that I will champion your needs, advocate for your rights, and amplify your voices.

Castroville, let’s build a legacy—one where every citizen has a voice and is valued and empowered.

With unwavering dedication,
Darrin Schroeder, Mayor of Castroville
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**MAYOR'S
CORNER**



Celebrate Historic Castroville

CASTROVILLE Night

SA MISSIONS VS. CC HOOKS

Saturday, May 18th @ 7:05pm CDT

NELSON WOLFF MUNICIPAL STADIUM

5757 US-90, San Antonio, TX



\$17 TICKETS



Utility Issues
& Emergencies
Who Do I Call?



**WATER/
SEWER**



GAS



ELECTRIC

Call Public Works
(830) 931-4090

SAME NUMBER FOR AFTER HOURS

City in Stage 3 Water Reduction

Landscape watering is allowed only every other week with an irrigation system, sprinkler or soaker hose from 7 AM to 11 AM and 7 PM to 11 PM on your designated watering day as determined by your the last digit of your address.

- Watering with a hand-held hose, bucket or watering can is allowed any time, any day.
- Washing impervious cover such as parking lots, driveways, streets or sidewalks is prohibited.

DID YOU KNOW? *It pays to be Over 65 in Castroville!*

Did you know that the City of Castroville is the only City in the County to offer a tax freeze on your property tax once you reach age 65? If you are a homeowner in the City of Castroville who is over the age of sixty-five (65), please contact the Medina County Appraisal District at (830)741-3035 to "freeze" your property tax. Castroville also offers a 'senior rate' (5% discount) for all residential electric customers over the age of 65. Please come into City Hall and show proof of age (drivers license, State ID, Passport) to request this senior discount. In March of 2022, the Castroville City Council established the Castroville Cares program, an electric utility assistance program for those who are struggling to pay their utility bills. For information and to find out if you qualify, please visit www.ccscct.org.

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Castroville Public Library

KIDS

SUMMER CAMPS 2024

CPL SUMMER CAMPS ARE RECOMMENDED FOR CHILDREN AND TEENS ENTERING 3RD-8TH GRADE FOR THE 2024 SCHOOL YEAR. OUR SESSIONS OFFER PARTICIPANTS THE CHANCE TO HAVE FUN AND LEARN SOMETHING NEW. YOU MUST REGISTER EACH CHILD/TEEN INDIVIDUALLY AT THE LIBRARY.

ALL REGISTRANTS WILL RECEIVE THE CAMP PARTICIPATION INFORMATION ON THE FRIDAY PRIOR TO THE CAMP DATE. CPL WILL FEATURE SEVEN CAMPS WITH A LIMITED SPACE OF 10 CAMPERS PER SESSION. LUNCH AND SNACKS ARE PROVIDED.

**IN-PERSON
REGISTRATION
BEGINS:**

**MAY 18,
2024**

**SIGN-UP IS ON A
FIRST-COME, FIRST-
SERVED BASIS**



SCAN ME

**BUG'S LIFE JUNE 3-7
BROADWAY JUNE 10-13**

**MOVIE MAKING JUNE
17-21**

**HARRY POTTER JUNE
24-28**

**WORLD EXPLORER JULY
8-12**

SPACE JULY 15-19

SCIENCE JULY 22-26

**COOKING JULY 29-
AUGUST 2**

ART AUGUST 5-9

**MONDAY-FRIDAY FROM
10:30 AM-2:30 PM**

For more information contact below:
830-931-4070 library@castrovilletx.gov