

"A YEAR IN REVIEW" What to expect in 2024

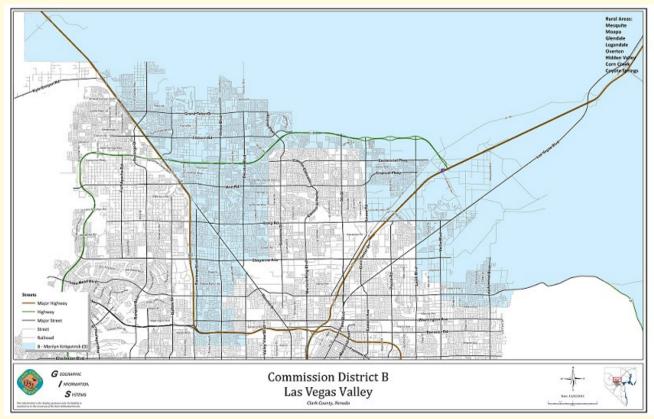
DISTRICT B NEWSLETTER

To my Friends & Neighbors,

I hope that the information in our newsletter is helpful to you. It is always nice to hear from you so don't hesitate to reach out. Hard to believe that 2023 is over and 2024 is here. The spring months tend to be very busy with activities. We have a lot of projects that we will be finishing up so stay tuned for more information. Please feel free to reach out if we can be of help or just point you in the right direction at 702-455-3504 or marilyn.kirkpatrick@clarkcountynv.gov

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Community Highlights!!

What's Coming Cheyenne & Torrey Pines
Grand Opening April 2024
We will open a new Community
Resource Center in the Social
Services Complex, it will include
Center Ring West and
Cooperative Extension

UPCOMING EVENTS DISTRICT B

- NEVADA STATE TULE
 SPRINGS DINOSAUR PARK
 OPENING -
- CLOTHES FOR COMFORT CLOTHING DRIVE-
- BLACK HISTORY
 RECOGNITION (PLEASE LET
 US KNOW IF YOU KNOW OF
 SOMEONE WE SHOULD
 CONSIDER)
- WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH
- PANCAKE BREAKFAST/ EASTER EGG HUNT
- 3RD ANNUAL NORTHWEST COUNTRY FEST
- CINCO DE MAYO



4TH ANNUAL



FEBRUARY 1ST - MARCH 1ST

*Donations can be dropped off at any of these locations:
All Clark County Parks & Recreation Community Center(s)
The Harbor - all locations
Clark County Government Center

GATHERING NEW UNDER GARMENTS AND SOCKS + GENTLY USED CLOTHES
DONATED CLOTHING SHOULD BE CLEAN, FRESHLY LAUNDERED AND STAIN-FREE

















Friday, March 8 – Spring Break Begins – End of Day No School March 11 – March 15

> Monday, April 1 – Staff Development Day (No School for Students) Friday, April 26 – (No School for Students)

Monday, May 20 -End of School Year (180 Days)

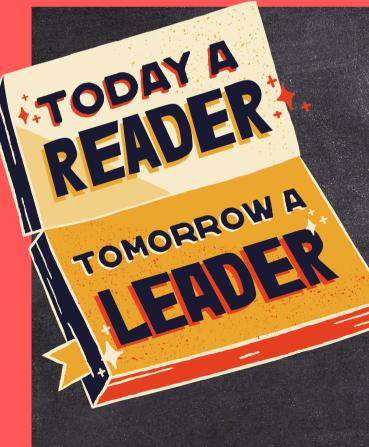
Contact the school closest to you for Kindergarten Registeration in March

Back to School Shots and Kindergarten Roundup Vaccines contact SNHD @ 702-759-1000

Main Public Health Center

280 S. Decatur Blvd. – <u>Map</u> Las Vegas, NV 89107

• Monday – Thursday 7 a.m. – 5 p.m. (Closed 12 – 1 p.m.)



While we have No official role in the CCSD system, we stay engaged in the schools in our district. Literacy is very important to me. We encourage kids to read 10 minutes a day. Need a book, let us help find one for you. Some of the programing that we support are the following: Nevada Reading week, PTA, Student Garden Program, Robotics, Hydroponics, Chess Club, Great American, Girls on the Run, Around the World in District B (this program is in partnership with Cooperative Extension) and 1st year teacher resources. If you want to have a partnership with us, please feel free to reach out to our office at 702–455–3504. Please don't hesitate to reach out if we can be assistance.

Community Highlights

Attendance matters at school in District B. We invited 200 students from four of our schools in District B for a night at Crystal Palace. We had a great time!! We want to thank our partners: Super Bowl Host Committee gave stickers and pencils, the Las Vegas Raiders raffled off two tickets to the Giants game and a hat for each student. The kids enjoyed pizza, a drink and a night of skating.

ATTENDANCE MATTERS! Crystal Palace Roller Skating







2900 Torrey Pines Community Resource Center

In April of 2024, the gym at 2900 Torrey Pine Dr. will open to the public. This is such a unique venue. While the bulk of the property is social services, the gym will be a community resource center. Here are some things that will be available to the community. Nutrition classes will be available, robotics, sports clinics such as basketball, volleyball, track, mentorship classes for kids and more. We will also introduce Center Ring Boxing West. All of this programing will be free to the community. We will also have a Metro satellite office that will be able to take reports Monday thru Friday.







Clay Target, Air Rifle & Archery Scholarship Awareness Program (Turkey Shoot)

November 4, we partnered with the Clark County Shooting Complex staff to host our first-ever Clark Target, Air Rifle and Archery Scholarship Awareness Program. The event was a perfect way to showcase Clark County's five-star shooting facility and the amazing staff who bring the facility to life. We had close to a hundred students participate. The shooting complex provided great instructors who were patient with the students and taught them how to shoot. We had a great lunch that was filled with raffle prizes. At the end of the day, as a reward, each student was able to take home a turkey. See you next November!



Super Bowl Surprise

November 13, my heart was warmed as one of our great community partners was presented with a Super Bowl Surprise by the Las Vegas Super Bowl Host Committee. Tony Valdez, from Center Ring Boxing, is a great coach, mentor, and friend to generations of kids in the community. He donates his time teaching the kids boxing and valuable life skills to make them successful in the ring and in life. He was surprised with two tickets to the Super Bowl as well as a Proclamation and Key to the Strip. I couldn't think of a more deserving person, and I was pleased to see him recognized. Be on the lookout for Center Ring West, which will be coming to the Northwest Area in early 2024. Thank you, Tony and Center Ring, for all you do.







Alamo, NV 4-H Camp & Learning Center

ABOUT US

University of Nevada, Reno began the southern area camp program in August of 2022.

A collaborative agreement between University of Nevada, Reno Extension; Lincoln County; and Clark County brings a beautiful facility to youth groups and other outside groups in need of a location for educational and leadership development opportunities. Nevada 4-H Camp Alamo is located in Alamo, NV on a 72-acre property. Built in 1996 and previously used as a conference/retreat center, the main building consists of 17,000square feet with fifteen guest rooms, two classrooms and a commercial kitchen. The facility can accommodate up to 60 overnight guests and has a variety of outside recreational activities. Day use groups can bring up to 200 guests.







ACTIVITIES

Pond - check out the floating dock while participating in water activities such as water testing, kayaking, small boating contests etc. (no swimming allowed)

Archery range - test your skills shooting a bow and arrow at a small target.

Campfire - enjoy the night sky around our campfire set up while eating your favorite treat.

Rock-climbing wall - find your bravery while climbing the rock-wall to the top









NEVADA CHILD CARE FUND

Expanded support for families seeking child care

Eligibility requirements for child care assistance have expanded. If you weren't previously eligible for financial support to help pay for child care, you may be now.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

How do I find out if I'm eligible for support?

Contact the child care resource and referral agency (CCR&R) in your region :



Northern & Rural Nevada

The Children's Cabinet childrenscabinet.org (775) 856-6200



Southern Nevada

Las Vegas Urban League childcarelv.org (702) 473-9400

How do I know if my child care provider accepts this funding?

Your CCR&R can access that information. If the provider you use/choose is not currently enrolled, your CCR&R can help recruit them or figure out their barriers to participating.

Can I get help if I use an unlicensed in-home child care provider, such as a relative?

Yes. However, the provider must go through a registration process including basic health and safety certifications through your CCR&R to become a FFN Provider (Family, Friend, or Neighbor) who can receive subsidy payments.

How is the intake process done?

The intake process can be done in person, over the phone, or by video call. Your CCR&R will use the method that works best for you.

If I have guardianship of a child, can I apply to help pay for their care?

Yes. If you have guardianship papers, a court order, or a statement from the parents, you may apply. If you are a foster parent or involved as a guardian in a child welfare case, we encourage you to apply regardless of your personal income situation. Please contact your CCR&R to discuss your case.

Does this cover before and after school care?

Yes. There are multiple providers that we contract with, including the Boys and Girls Club and Safekey facilities.



Updated information

LAS VEGAS VALLEY WATER DISTRICT

Please contact our office if we can assist with more information

Utilizing funds generated by the EUC, the Las Vegas Valley Water District effective January 1, 2024, enhanced its Property Owner Leak Adjustment program to reverse 100 percent of the water bill costs resulting from leaks (including EUC), and will now make that available once every 12 months instead of limiting eligibility to a single occurrence per the account's duration.



The District is also creating a novel program to assist customers with the costs to repair on-site leaks; while water bill adjustment programs are common, a program to help customers pay for repair costs is believed to be the first of its kind. This program is tentatively slated to launch by April 2024.

The Southern Nevada Water Authority is also developing a voucher program to help pay for leak detection services through its Water Smart Plumber program. This program is tentatively slated to launch by April 2024.

IF YOUR HOME IS ON A SEPTIC TANK?

Link to SNWA Septic Interest List:

https://www.snwa.com/rebates/septic-conversion

SOUTHERN NEVADA WATER AUTHORITY

PARTIALLY FUNDED PROGRAM

This program reimburses property owners up to 85% of conversion costs, up to a maximum benefit of \$40,000. Similar to the Water Smart Landscapes Program, property owners obtain construction bids, manage the process themselves, and submit receipts for reimbursement. This pathway is available to municipal water customers and well owners.

Participants in this program are those who require a conversion quickly and/or cannot wait for the fully funded program to launch.

Homeowner's Process:

Secure bids from three contractors

Work with your Contractor and local sewer agency
to complete your conversion and abandon your
septic tank.

Submit a simple application at snwa.com

Submit your receipts to SNWA and receive your reimbursement.

Program Stats:

Total applications received: III
Total conversions in progress: 7
Total conversions completed: 6
Total \$ reimbursed: \$178,331

FULLY FUNDED PROGRAM

When finalized, this program will provide no-cost conversions completed by an SNWA-managed contractor funded through federal grant dollars (and future SNHD voluntary fee collections).

To date, the SNWA has currently secured \$11.5 million in federal grant dollars.

Current Activities:

SNWA is finalizing the EPA grant agreement necessary to fund design engineering costs.

The SNWA and SNHD are working on an MOU to establish the SNHD septic conversion program, which includes the voluntary program fee. To date, the entities have had 3 meetings to work on the MOU and a draft is currently in review by the SHND legal team with a targeted date for board approval in May 2023.

The SNWA is planning to release the RFA for the septic master contractor by February

Program Stats:

No. people on Interest List (volunteers): 331 Grant funding secured to date: \$11.5 million

DID YOU KNOW?

THE RESILIENCY CENTER

ARE YOU ELIGIBLE FOR ASSISTANCE?

TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR

ASSISTANCE, A PERSON MUST
BE A VICTIM OF A VIOLENT
CRIME IN NEVADA, INVOLVING
PHYSICAL INJURY, THREAT OF
PHYSICAL INJURY OR DEATH.
FAMILY MEMBERS OF A
DECEASED VICTIM OF A CRIME
MAY ALSO BE ELIGIBLE.
SEE THE LIST OF ELIGIBLE
CRIMES AND QUALIFICATION
REQUIREMENTS.

VICTIMS OF CRIME

Assault / Battery

Sexual assult

Domestics violence

Physical abuse

Child abuse

Elder abuse

Homicide .

Drunk driving

RESOURCES AND SERVICES
ARE AVAILABLE AT THE
VEGAS STRONGRESILIENCY
CENTER TO HELP VICTIMS,
THEIR FAMILIES AND
OTHERS DIRECTLY
IMPACTED BY TRAGIC
EVENTS.

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Clark County Social Service

Provides a variety of services for family, general, medical and rental assistance 702-455-4270

Help of Southern Nevada

Provides food, clothing, medical, dental and health assistance 702-369-4357

Hopelink of Southern Nevada

Provides rental, utilities, and food assistance. Transitional living for Low Income 702-566-0576

Three Square Food Bank

Provides food assistance 702-644-3663

Veterans Care Assistance Program

Provides food, rental, utilities and emergency financial assistance for veterans 702-686-5666

Division of Welfare & Supportive Services

Administers Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Energy Assistance & Medicaid Programs 702-486-5000

Nevada Legal Services

Provide equal access to justice for low-income Nevadans in the areas of: Public and subsidized housing matters - Tax matters

Government programs - Healthcare 702-386-0404

Tenant's Rights Center

Assistance with landlord/tenant matters 702-383-6095

JOIN US AT OUR QUARTERLY LUNCH AND LEARNS OR

DESSERT AND DISCUSSIONS

Cora Coleman
Senior Center
www.clarkcountynv.gov
2100 Bonnie Ln,
Las Vegas, NV 89156
(702) 455-7617



Ardiente

5799 Scotland Bridge NLV, NV, 89081 (702) 643-0226 February 27, 2024 11am-2:30pm

Aliante

7390 N Aliante Pkwy NLV, NV 89084 (702) 638-5065 March 27, 2024 11am-3pm

Register with your community

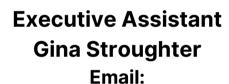
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6230 Garwood Ave LV, NV 89107 (702) 229-1600 March 14, 2024 11am-2pm

LUNCH IS ON US!!!

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YOU CAN ALSO REACH US AT CCDISTB@CLARKCOUNTYNV.GOV

or report issues to us at www.ClarkCountyNV.gov/FixIt