



December 2013



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*City Hall will be
CLOSED for the WEEK
of 12/24-31/2013
and Wednesday
1/1/2014
in observance of the Holidays.*



**You can pay your City utility bill
online go to.....
www.hughson.org
Click "GovPay" icon
Service fees do apply**



When City Hall is closed and you have a public works emergency call our emergency pager

554-4785

Enter your phone # after the beep and then make sure you press the # key.



*December
utility bills will not be due
until Monday 1/6/2014*



Come join the First Posada
Hosted by: Las Promotoras

Saturday, December 21st, 2013
@ LeBright Park
From 4-8.p.m.

Bring your family and enjoy this Community Event!



CALENDAR FOR December 2013 & January 2014

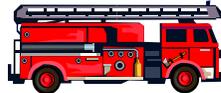
DECEMBER 2013:

- 9th—City Council Meeting 7pm
- **18th—PAST DUE Utility Bills Due**
- 17th—Planning Comm. Meeting 6pm
- 21st—Winter begins
- **24th-31st—CITY HALL CLOSED-HOLIDAY**
- **16th— PAST DUE Utility Bills Due**
- **January 6th—DEC. UTILITY BILLS DUE**

JANUARY 2014:

- **1st—CITY HALL CLOSED-HOLIDAY**
- **6th—December Utility Bills Due**
- 13th —City Council Meeting 7pm
- **15th—PAST DUE Utility Bills Due**
- 21st—Planning Comm. Meeting 6pm
- **20th—CITY HALL CLOSED—HOLIDAY**
- 27th—City Council Meeting 7pm

Happy Holidays



**HUGHSON
VOLUNTEER FIRE
DEPARTMENT**



**ASSOCIATION
WILL BE RUNNING
"OPERATION
SANTA CLAUS"**

- December - 7th
Tully, Fox, Ester Marie, Little, Collinwood, Paul, Mari, Sterling Glen Area, Walnut Haven Area, Gorman, Narcisco, Bishop, South of Whitmore, Santa Fe. 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th
- December -8th
7th Street, North of Fox, Fox Glen Area, Orchard, Mariposa, Locust, Vincent, Palma, surrounding area
- December —14th
Charles, Mulberry, Willow, White Pine, White Birch, Sugar Maple, Fox Glen area, Walnut Haven III, Rhapsody Area
- December—15th
Hughson, Elm, Locust, Pine, 1st-6th, Cox, Walker, Palmer, Cole, Everett.

The fire truck driven by the association will have Santa & his reindeer along with a few helpers visiting through the Hughson area. Be sure to watch for the elf that will handout treats to good boys and girls. (If it happens to rain on one of these nights, Santa will travel again the next clear night).



City of Hughson

7018 Pine St. / P.O. Box 9
 Hughson, CA 95326
Office Hours: 8-5 Mon-Fri

Phone: 883-4054
 Fax: 883-2638

**Visit us on the web
 @ www.hughson.org**



Check out our website at
www.hughson.org
 Go online for most of the forms you need from City Hall: Yard Sale & building permits, swimming pool requirements, employment applications, municipal codes, City Council Agenda's, etc.



Winterize Your Home: Tips

- Deal with dead tree limbs— falling limbs or trees can harm roofs, gutters, decks, cars and more.
- Weatherproof your plumbing- cover your pipes so they don't burst
 - Seal Leaks
- Inspect your chimney & clean out soot & other hazardous debris
- Make sure your carbon monoxide detectors are working properly & replace old batteries.
- Watch out for Mold




Don't forget to pay your Utility Bill by the last business day of the month to avoid a 10% penalty.



**LIBRARY EVENTS
 December 2013**

Preschool Story Time,
 Thursdays @ 11:30

Winter Wonderland Snowman Craft
 Wednesday, December 11th @ 3pm



Any questions call Heather at the Hughson Library 883-2293 or email hbailey@scfl.lib.ca.us



**United Samaritans Foundation
 Hughson Community Christian Service Center
 2013 Christmas Basket Project**

- November 4th—December 6th Applications Available at schools, churches & United Samaritan Foundation 2413 3rd St. during regular business hours.
- 12/6/13—Deadline for Applications
- 12/16-20/13—Preparation of baskets @ St. Anthony's Catholic Church, Hughes Hall
- 12/21/13—Christmas basket deliveries 9am-12

As always, VOLUNTEERS & SUPPLIES are needed to prepare, wrap presents and distribute Christmas Baskets to those in our community.

⇒ Cash donations, gift cards, school supplies, toiletries, canned goods, toys (new & unwrapped)

⇒ Wrapping supplies (ie: paper & tape)

Families are provided with food, toys & blankets. Several other families are helped with emergency food boxes throughout the year.

Please contact Cathee Vaughn or Tanya Nichols at 883-2125
 This project is made possible by the generosity of organizations and individuals such as you!




Watering Schedule:
 Now that it's Winter it's time to adjust your automatic sprinklers or even turn them off.

To avoid a violation please follow this schedule:
MON—WATERING PROHIBITED

Tues/Thurs/Sat—EVEN
Wed/Fri/Sun—ODD

**NO WATERING ANY DAY
 NOON-7PM**



Need Help Paying your TID / PG&E Bills?

Both of these utility companies have programs in place to help you with your bills. City Hall has the forms you need.

To rent the Community Center or Starn Park call 883-4054





Howard Training Center
 Senior Lunch Program @ the Senior Center 2307 4th St.
 RSVP 24 hours in advance 303-0491

- Senior Lunch Program TUES/WED/FRI
- MUSIC on Wednesday's from 10-11:45a.m.
- BINGO every Friday @ 10:45 a.m.
- Carousel Cloggers Every Tuesday 7-9pm
- Table Tennis—Ping Pong Every Wednesday 6-10pm




FREQUENTLY CALLED NUMBERS
 * CITY HALL 209-883-4054 * EMERGENCY PAGER 209-554-4785 *
 POLICE DEPT. NON-EMERGENCY DAYTIME HOURS 883-4052
 NON-EMERGENCY AFTER HOURS 552-2468 PRESS 0 FOR DISPATCH

Animal Control	209-558-7387	Cable TV (Charter)	866-731-5420	Poison Control	800-876-4766
Animal Services Auxiliary	209-524-0669	DMV	800-777-0133	Post Office	209-883-2716
Better Business Bureau	800-948-4880	Fire Department	209-883-2863	TID	209-883-8444
Community/Senior Center	209-883-4054	Library (Hughson)	209-883-2293	USF (3rd Street)	209-883-9212
Family Resource Center	209-883-2027	PG&E	800-743-5000	USF Retirement Center	209-883-3000
Schools:					
Hughson School District	883-4428	Ross Jr. High School	883-4425	START (bus service)	800-262-1516
Hughson Elementary	883-4412	Hughson High School	883-0469	Meals on Wheels	209-522-3209
Fox Road Middle School	883-2256	Hughson Christian School	883-2874	Senior Meal Program	209-303-0491
				Transport for Seniors	209-529-3784



**West Nile Hotline
 558-8425**
 Report Dead Birds
 877-968-2473or
www.westnile.ca.gov
 To Report large populations of mosquitoes
 209-634-1234