



Mountain House Community Services District Newsletter

November
2009

4th Annual MHCS D Community Fun Run

Early on Sunday morning, October 11, over 100 people participated in the 4th Annual MHCS D 5K & 10K Community Fun Run in Mountain House. As avid runners and enthusiastic walkers stretched in preparation for the event, kids of all ages participated in the Kids Fun Run, led by a swift, bright yellow chicken. Participants from as far away as Antelope and Porterville joined many Mountain House residents and MHCS D staff at the starting line. More than half of the runners were from the Mountain House and Tracy area. The race route showcased the beauty of Central Community Park and Creek Park.

The post-race activities included the announcement of winners in each age category, who received medals to commemorate their win. The MHCS D would like to thank all the participants, organizers, and volunteers who helped make this event an overall success. To view all race results, please visit <http://www.capitalroadrace.com/results09.html>

Water Discoloration

Recently, residents may have noticed a slight discoloration or hue in the treated water in the distribution system. The tint in the water is due to an increase in the iron in the Delta water, due to a fall release of the water from the lower levels of the reservoirs that contains more Iron. This change in the turbidity of water is not a health issue and does not cause harm. It is, however, an unsightly problem that we have taken appropriate steps to correct. We have increased the amount of Potassium Permanganate to reduce the iron in the water, which clears the yellowish tint from the water that iron causes. It takes a few days between the time the chemicals are added and when clearer water arrives at your faucet or bathtub. If you experience discoloration that is different than what is described, please call us at (209) 831-2300.

<http://www.ci.mountainhouse.ca.us/>

MHCS D Website Improvements

The MHCS D staff and the Public Communications Committee are continually working on finding ways to improve communication with Mountain House residents. One method of communication is the MHCS D website. In an effort to provide current and accurate information that is easily found on the website, residents will notice some additions to the current list of public documents. Applications, contracts, and Board-approved documents are examples of what is now accessible with the click of a mouse. The MHCS D staff and the Public Communications Committee welcome your input and suggestions for continued improvement.

Schedule of Events

MHCS D Board of Directors Meeting

Date: Wednesday, November 18, 2009*

Time: 7 pm

Location: MHCS D Board Room

Date Change due to Veterans Day holiday*

Christmas in Mountain House ** El Paseo **

More information soon.**

If you have a public event that you'd like to include on our list, please contact the MHCS D office

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Mon - Thurs 8:00 am - 6:00 pm
Closed on Fridays

*To view recorded Board meetings, please go to
<http://www.ci.mountainhouse.ca.us/streaming.asp>*

