

The



Umbrella

December 2016

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Igo, Ono, Trinity Alps Preserve

Holiday Edition

A chronological presentation of the special community events during December



Igo Christmas Parade



Saturday, December 3.

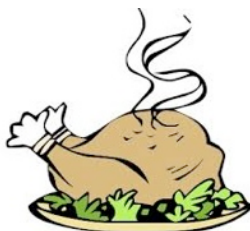
Parade Starts at 1p.m.

Come see Santa, Frosty, The Grinch, and Mickey and Minnie at the **Little Country Christmas Parade that you see twice.** Stick around after for the kids to get a gift from Santa Claus. Rain, Shine, or Snow.

Bake Sale. Food. The parade goes by 2 times!!!! (very cool)

Parade Headquarters is located at the Igo Store.

Free Community Christmas Dinner



Wednesday, December 7 at 6 p.m.

Igo Ono Elementary School



The entire community is invited to celebrate Christmas at the school. The program includes students performing holiday songs and dances. Santa will also make an appearance. There will also be a Gift-Basket raffle with all proceeds going toward school activities.

The dinner committee is seeking donations for raffle prizes and monetary donations to help cover the cost of food. If interested please call Mary at the school. 396-2841.

Women's Christmas Luncheon



**Saturday December 10. 12 noon.
Ono-Igo Community Church**

All the women in the community are invited to enjoy a festive afternoon together. This is a Potluck-style event complete with plenty of conversation (and cookies.) Please bring a favorite dish and a fun, small, wrapped gift for the Gift Exchange Game.
Call Clara for more info. 396-2420

DESSERT CONTEST AT THE ONO STORE & CAFÉ SATURDAY DECEMBER 10 AT NOON

Bring your favorite home-cooked dessert for tasting and judging. Cakes, cookies, puddings, whatever. Judging will be blind: chefs will not be identified.
Entry fee for competing chefs is \$1.00. Fee for tasting and judging is \$2.00. The prize will be the collected fees.
Sign-ups are now open at the Ono Store & Café. Check your recipes and prepare to cook!

Ono Grange Cowboy Santa



**Old Fashioned Buttermilk Pancakes
with Butter & Maple Syrup,
Hot Eggs, Grilled Sausage Patty,
Fruit Juice & Fresh Brewed Coffee**



**SUN DEC 18 9-11:AM
SANTA at NOON
Adults \$8 • Kids \$5**

**11920 PLATINA RD., ONO, CA 96047
www.OnoGrange.com•530-396-2322**

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service

Saturday, December 24 at 6 p.m.
Ono-Igo Community Church

Everybody is invited to a special Christmas Eve service complete with Christmas Carols, an encouraging Christmas Eve message, and the singing of Silent Night by candlelight. After the service there will be plenty of cookies, hot chocolate, coffee, and conversation with neighbors. We hope to see you there. For more info call Pastor Ed at 396-2277



Christmas Day Church Service

Sunday, December 25 at 11 a.m.
Ono-Igo Community Church



Sometimes it's nice to just relax during the holiday season and contemplate the things that are truly important. We're going to try a do that during this service. Come and rest with us. For more information call Pastor Ed at 396-2277.



**HAPPY
NEW
YEAR!**

“It’s Midnight Somewhere”

New Year’s Eve Party

Saturday, December 31

5 p.m.

at Ono-Igo Community Church

Not everybody likes to stay up until Midnight to “ring” in the new year. For those of us who would rather “snore” in the new year...we have the party for you. Bring some finger foods to share...or dessert...or just bring yourself and enjoy celebrating the arrival of 2017 at a decent hour. The famous ball-drop will be sometime around 6 p.m along with the singing of Auld Lang Syne.

For more info call 396-2277 or 396-2420

(insider info...there’s usually a lot of cookies and coffee at this event)

Ono Grange

396-2322

Grange Meetings are held on the second Wednesday of each month. The next meeting is **December 14** .

Junior Grange meets at 6 p.m.

General Grange Meeting starts at 7 p.m.

Cowboy Santa arrives on Sunday Dec. 18. (details above)

Neighborhood Watch

Neighborhood Watch meets **Saturday, December 10** at the Igo School. **Meetings start at 10am.**

Ono-Igo Community Church

396-2277

Sunday Service Times.--- 9:30 a.m. Casual Service

11 a.m. Traditional Service

There is NO 9:30 a.m. service on Christmas Day or New Year's Day. There WILL be an 11 a.m. service on Christmas Day and New Year's Day.

Igo Store

396-2292

Open Everyday. French Fry Friday starts at 6p.m. Breakfast every Sunday at 8 a.m.

Call the store for more info

Ono Store

396-2300

Every Friday evening at 7 pm, live Blue Grass music by The Lost Boys, a very popular local group with amazing talent. They have been drawing crowds.

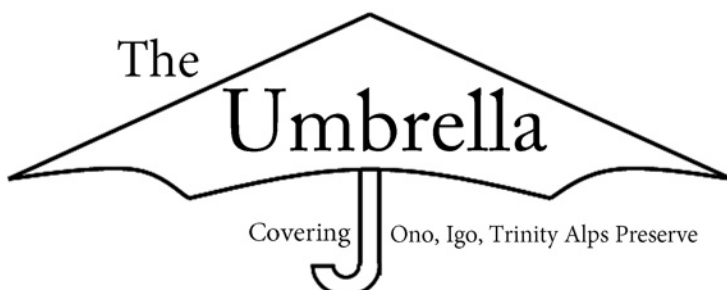
On the first and third Saturday nights at 7 pm we have Acoustic Jam. Everyone is invited.

On the second and fourth Saturday nights at 7 pm we have Karaoke with Cal Hodges as DJ. Singing, dancing, good times.

On the third Saturday each month at 3 pm we have a group birthday party for all those born during that month.

On the nights that we have entertainment, we are open 'til 11 or 12 pm.

In addition to our famous burgers, we now serve pizza.



The Umbrella is a community-run newsletter published with the intention of highlighting local events, local businesses, local groups, and local people. If you would like to contribute a story please contact Ed at 396-2277.

CHRISTMAS THROUGH THE EYES OF BELLA VISTA FARMS

December 2016

Chic Miller

It's December, Christmas is coming. Shoppers are out and about trying to choose just the right gift for everyone on their list. Decisions, decisions. Oh, my, what to do! Well, worry no more. I have a simple solution for all of your gift-giving woes.

Consider an alternative gift giving idea! How easy and rewarding it would be to give everyone on your list a card notifying them that you had made a donation in their name for a spay, neuter, or adoption at a local rescue or shelter. For a friend, relative, neighbor, or co-worker, this would be the perfect gift. Everyone wins:

- For you, no more hectic shopping at the Mall. This would be a much easier and meaningful holiday season.
- For your gift recipient, it would mean that they had helped save a pet in need.

Above all, a pet who has been spayed, neutered or has had their adoption fee paid has a much higher chance of being adopted, thus lightening the heavy load at rescues and shelters.

For those of you who are planning an office party, why not exchange gift cards for a pre-paid spay, neuter, or adoption, including a picture of the pet they have "saved". Rewards galore! Just think of the number of adoptions that this could represent this holiday season!

Below are listed local rescues and shelters who would like to be a part of your gift giving endeavor:

Another Chance Animal Welfare League (Joyce at 530-547-7387)

Annie's Pet Rescue (Susan at 530-377-6889)

Bella Vista Farms Animal Sanctuary (Chic or Bob at 530-347-0544)

Harmony Acres (Kim or Reggie at 530-262-1357)

Haven Humane (Mark Storrey at 530-241-1653)

P.E.T.S. (Providing Essentials for Tehama Shelter) (Sharon at 530-527-8702)

RAIN (Rescued Animals in Need) (Megan at 539-474-5885)

Rainey Katey (Marg Lewis at 530-396-2250)

Raining Cats & Dogs (Ranae at 530-232-6299)

SNIPPP (Spay & Neuter Intermountain Pets & Pets Placement) (Suzanne at 530-336-6006)

Tehama Animal Care Center (Christine at 530-527-3439)

Many of you are animal lovers who are unable to own or foster a pet. Here is your chance to make a difference. By calling any of the above, you will have done your part in helping decrease the over-population and possible euthanasia of helpless pets in rescues or shelters in our area. These people give 100% to saving our furry friends' lives that cannot speak for themselves.

Please don't forget these rescues throughout the year. The need for monetary donations, supplies, pet food, kitty litter, blankets, rugs, towels, igloos, pet carriers, and toys is on-going. Remember, preventing over-population is everyone's responsibility. Please help in any way that you can. Have a very safe and happy holiday season from Bella Vista Farms.

Chic Miller Bella Vista Farms Animal Sanctuary 4301 Lower Gas Point Road

Cottonwood, CA 96022 530-347-0544



Horsetown-Clear Creek Preserve Wins National Award

Horsetown-Clear Creek Preserve is a local gem near the community of Igo. It consists of 27 acres located at the southwest corner of the intersection of Clear Creek Road and Clear Creek and has been set aside for low impact, nature related recreation and education. You are welcome to walk on the hiking trails, stroll along the creek, and have a picnic at the amphitheater. In the spring and fall months hikes and interpretive events are organized for the public to enjoy at no cost, which include education about nature such as birds, wildflowers, native plants, salmon, and acorns.

Our group recently received one of seven national "Making a Difference" awards from the Bureau of Land Management for the work we do in the Lower Clear Creek Greenway. Our educational events occur on the Preserve and on BLM lands upstream and downstream where we strive to build stewardship for the environment, the fishery and the wildlife. Our amphitheater provides an outdoor classroom for field trips of all ages.

Horsetown-Clear Creek Preserve, Inc. is a 501 (c) 3 non-profit organization, managed by a volunteer board of directors and supported by tax-deductible donations from the public. Volunteers maintain trails, build benches, pick up trash and keep the toilet clean and supplied. Take your family and friends to enjoy some quality outdoor time together. You may see our spring and fall events posted at the Igo Post Office.

Learn more about HCCP on our website at www.horsetown-clearcreekpreserve.org and our Facebook page. To be added to our mailing list or to volunteer, contact us at horsetownhccp@gmail.com or PO Box 991833, Redding, Ca 96099-1833.

WEEKEND SPECIALS AT THE ONO STORE & CAFÉ

The hot specials at the Ono Store & Café have been a hit! Already we have served French Dip, Tacos, Pot Stickers, Sloppy Joes, and Spare Ribs with homemade corn bread and mashed potatoes. Upcoming specials include Quesadillas, Tortellini, Egg Rolls, Meat Loaf, Chunky Spaghetti, Homemade Soups with Mixed Green Salads and Sandwiches....and more.

Price is usually \$3.00-4.00 for snacks and \$7.00 for a hearty meal with sides. Naturally, we continue to also serve our variety of burgers, hot dogs and chicken with fries, tater tots and onion rings. Serving specials begins at Noon Saturday and Sunday. Come enjoy our home cooking!

***Merry Christmas and Happy New Year
from
The Umbrella***

