



# City of Eloy News

A Quarterly Newsletter For The Eloy Community ~ Sept 2019

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**QUADRIVALENT FLU SHOTS**

(\$40 for non covered participants) Flu vaccine which protects against four flu strains (2A & 2B). Inactivated vaccine. Recommended annually to help prevent the newest strains of influenza.

**PNEUMONIA SHOT**

(\$130 for non covered participants) Helps protect long term, depending on risk, against 23 types of bacterial pneumonia, deadly blood infections, and meningitis.

- No appointment necessary.
- Make sure shirt/dress sleeves can be rolled up to the shoulder.
- Flu shot for ages 4+.
- Please bring your insurance cards.

Provided by Healthwaves, a network provider for Blue Cross Blue Shield of Arizona and Medicare B

**FIGHT THE FLU!**

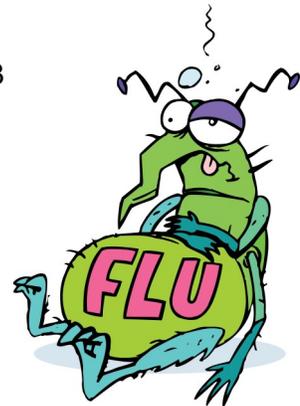
**City of Eloy**

**Monday**  
**October**  
**21st**

**12:30 PM—2:30 PM**

**Eloy City Hall**  
**595 N C St**  
**Suite 104, Eloy**

**Community Room**



**ELOY FIESTAS PATRIAS 2019**

SEPTEMBER 13th Noon to 10 PM  
SEPTEMBER 14th 9 AM to 10 PM

Main Street Park Eloy.

Parade: Saturday Sept 14th at 9 AM



**2019 Tip Over the Shelves Charity 5K Run/Walk**

Join us on October 5th, 2019 for the 5th Annual Tip Over The Shelves 5K, benefiting the Food Pantries of Eloy. All race proceeds will go to helping "stock the shelves" to help fight hunger here at home!

Race Day Registration and packet pick up will be available beginning at 6:30 AM at Main Street Park.

All participants will receive participant bibs with race timer chip, finisher medal, and T-shirt.

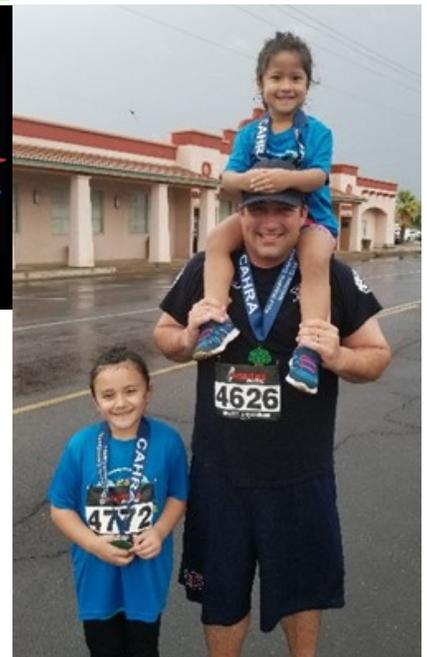
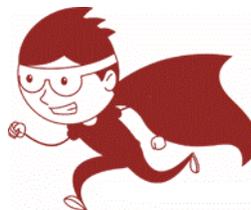
The run/walk is expected to start at 7:30 AM and end with participant awards ceremonies before 10:00 AM.

This year's 5K is Hero themed and that means your idea of a hero! Capes and/or no capes!

Any questions please contact Violet Maestas at (520)450-4666



**Themed: Heroes**  
**Against Hunger**





# INTERNATIONAL GAMES WEEK

## November 3-9, 2019

Eloy Santa Cruz Library and hundreds of libraries across the country will join the American Library Association (ALA) and Australian Library and Information Association (ALIA) in celebrating the popularity and educational, recreational, and social value of video and board games for International Games Week @ Your Library 2019.

Daily events start on November 4th and end on November 9th's daylong event from 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Events will include tabletop role playing games, video gaming and board games. The very popular Rock, Paper, Scissors tournament will be back for the 6th year in a row. Refreshments will be served at the November 9th event.

For more information call the library at 466-3814.

## HARVEST FIESTA



Enjoy a night of fun!

**Activities include:**  
Costume Contest, Games, Inflatables,  
Train Rides, Pumpkin Patch

**Date:** October 26, 2019  
**Time:** 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm  
**Location:** Main Street Park

**City of Eloy False Alarm Reduction Program**  
**The Alarm Reduction Program has been in Effect Since 02/2018**  
**Failure to Register Results in \$100 Fine**

In recent years, false alarms account for approximately 98% of all alarms to which the Eloy Police Department has had to respond. These false alarms divert law enforcement resources from crimes in progress, other emergencies, traffic enforcement and time spent patrolling the City.

In order to reduce false alarms the City of Eloy is collaborating with Public Safety Corporation who will manage the alarm program using its CryWolf software. Eloy Police Department will begin tracking the number of false alarms from any one property in the City's jurisdiction. In cases where police respond to two or more false alarms per year, the registered alarm user will face a series of graduated fines, ranging from \$25 to \$150 for each violation. Excessive repeated false alarms (six or more) will result in suspension of response, which means Eloy Police will no longer respond to the alarm location.

Eloy residents and businesses are required to register their monitored alarm system on a yearly basis and with the implementation of the new program alarm registration will now be available online. The registration requirement began Thursday, February 1, 2018. The fee for registration is \$15 per year. Failing to register an alarm will result in a \$100 fine.

Public Safety Corporation provides a website that contains information on how to prevent false alarm activations and alarm users will be able to register their alarms, manage their accounts and make payments on the website as well.

If you are interested in reading the City Ordinance pertaining to Alarms, you can find the ordinance under Article 13-22 (located under Offenses and Miscellaneous) on the following website: [http://www.sterlingcodifiers.com/codebook/index.php?book\\_id=674](http://www.sterlingcodifiers.com/codebook/index.php?book_id=674)

### Did you know?

Three main causes of false alarms are: 1) user error, 2) installation/service errors, and 3) equipment failure.

More than 80 percent of all false alarms are caused by user error

There are easy steps you and your alarm dealer can take to prevent false alarms

False alarms present a serious threat to the effectiveness of our local police, fire and EMS departments, as well as to the safety of our citizens. Please take a look at Public Safety Corp.'s website to learn more.



**If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact:**  
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**Phone: 855-664-4538**  
**Email Address: [eloy@publicsafetycorp.com](mailto:eloy@publicsafetycorp.com)**  
**Website: <https://www.crywolfservices.com/eloyaz>**



For the seventh year in a row, the City of Eloy has been awarded the Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting by the Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) for its comprehensive annual financial report (CAFR).

The Certificate of Achievement is the highest form of recognition in the area of governmental accounting and financial reporting, and its attainment represents a significant accomplishment by a government and its management.

An Award of Financial Reporting Achievement has been awarded to the Finance Department as primarily responsible for preparing the award-winning CAFR. The CAFR has been judged by an impartial panel to meet the high standards of the program, which includes demonstrating a constructive "spirit of full disclosure" to clearly communicate its financial story and motivate potential users and user groups to read the CAFR.

#### Eloy City Council Adopts an Economic Development Strategic Plan

Eloy's economic team has a new City Council adopted document that will guide its activities for the next three to five years. It will effectively set the tone for community growth for many years into the future. There are three main components to the plan. The first component involved dozens of in depth interviews with Eloy residents, businesses, education and community leaders. The second piece is a baseline of anecdotal information which was compared to the technical data collected through a number of sources. A baseline analysis was then prepared which became the basis for the plan. The third component was the plan itself, complete with specific steps that staff and stakeholders will complete over the next three to five years and beyond. A complete copy of the Economic Development Strategic Plan can be accessed through the Eloy website at: <https://eloyaz.gov/DocumentCenter/View/4104/Eloy-Economic-Development-Strategic-Plan-8-5-19>

#### Eloy Takes An Aggressive Approach To New Investment

Earlier this year, staff attended a retail trade show that has resulted in several Eloy site visits. This focused attention has laser focused our agenda to attract new businesses and investment to Eloy. One suggestion we heard loud and clear was the need for a Hotel Feasibility Analysis-an important cornerstone for our efforts to attract new hotels and related businesses. In mid-August, the Community Development Department issued a Solicitation of Qualifications (SOQ), for the sole purpose of completing that analysis. That work is expected to be completed by the 4<sup>th</sup> quarter of 2019. Several hotels have already expressed an interest in an Eloy location. The hope is that the results of this analysis will be the catalyst for them to invest in our Community.

#### General Plan Amendments for 2019

The City continues to update its General Plan to keep it functional and current. This document is the City's guide for future growth and development. For this year, the Parks, Trails and Open Space element and the Economic Prosperity element have been updated. Staff has also completed several minor revisions to the Land Use element, Circulation element and the Introduction, Amendments and Process, and Implementation chapters. In addition, the City has received a major general plan amendment application from a private landowner. This proposal is to change the light industrial designation to general industrial for an area located on the east side of Sunland Gin Road, between Frontier Street and Interstate 10. Concurrent with this general plan amendment the landowner is supporting the annexation of 45 acres of land, and has submitted a Planned Area Development designation for their zoning. For more information, please use this link: <https://eloyaz.gov/133/Eloy-General-Plan>.

## City Calendar

### September

2nd	LABOR DAY HOLIDAY (all non-emergency City services and Library closed)	
9th	Financial Literacy Class (Library)	3:30 PM
9th	City Council Meeting (City Hall)	6:00 PM
13th	Fiestas Patrias (Main St. Park)	NOON—10:00 PM
14th	Fiestas Patrias Parade (Main St. Park)	9:00 AM
14th	Fiestas Patrias (Main St. Park)	9:00 AM—10:00 PM
19th	Job Fair (Eloy City Hall)	10:00 AM—2:00 PM
23rd	Fall Reading Challenge Begins (Library)	
23rd	Perler Bead Craft (Library)	1:00 PM
23rd	City Council Meeting (City Hall)	6:00 PM
25th	Slime Making (Library)	1:00 PM
26th	Board Games (Library)	1:00 PM
27th	Family Bingo Night (Community Svcs. Ctr.)	6:00 PM
28th	Movies Under the Stars (Jones Park)	7:30 PM
30th	Coloring Therapy (Library)	1:00 PM

### October

1st	Financial Literacy Class (Library)	6:00 PM
2nd	Pumpkin Painting (Library)	3:30 PM
5th	Tip Over the Shelves 5K (Main St. Park)	7:30 AM
7th	Financial Literacy Class (Library)	3:30 PM
8th	Financial Literacy Class (Library)	6:00 PM
10th	Senior Lunch & Matinee @ Harkins (Community Svcs. Ctr.)	11:00 AM
11th	Family Night (Community Svcs. Ctr.)	6:00 PM
14th	City Council Meeting (City Hall)	6:00 PM
16th	Fall Craft (Library)	3:30 PM
19th	Movies Under the Stars (Jones Park)	7:30 PM
21st	Flu Shots (City Hall)	12:30 PM—2:30 PM
21st	Spooky Cookies (Library)	3:30 PM
22nd	Financial Literacy Class (Library)	6:00 PM
23rd	Halloween Slime Time (Community Svcs. Ctr.)	5:00 PM
26th	Harvest Fiesta (Main St. Park)	6:00 PM
28th	City Council Meeting (City Hall)	6:00 PM
31st	Game Day (Library)	3:30 PM

### November

4th	Positive Parenting Workshop (Library)	6:00 PM
6th	Board Games (Library)	3:30 PM
7th	Game Day (Library)	3:00 PM
8th	Family Night (Community Svcs. Ctr.)	6:00 PM
9th	International Game Week Event (Library)	9:00 AM
11th	VETERANS DAY HOLIDAY (all non-emergency City services and Library closed)	
12th	City Council Meeting (City Hall)	6:00 PM
12th	Coloring Therapy (Library)	3:30 PM
18th	Positive Parenting Workshop (Library)	6:00 PM
21st	Game Day (Library)	3:30 PM
25th	City Council Meeting (City Hall)	6:00 PM
28th	THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY (all non-emergency City services and Library closed)	
29th	THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY OBSERVED (all non-emergency City services and Library closed)	
30th	Recreation on Wheels (Trekell Park)	10:00 AM



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### Important City Telephone Numbers

City Hall 595 N. C Street, Suite 104 (Mayor, City Council, City Manager)	520-466-9201
City Clerk 595 N. C Street, Suite 104 (Elections, Public Meetings, Public Records)	520-466-9201
Finance Department 595 N. C Street, Suite 103 (Business Licenses)	520-464-3401
Municipal Court 801 N. Main Street	520-466-3913
City Attorney’s Office P.O. Box 15005 Casa Grande, AZ 85130	520-836-8265
Community Services 100 E. 7th Street (Park Maintenance, Cemetery and Cemetery Maintenance, Recreational Activities, Aquatics)	520-466-7351
Library 1000 N. Main Street (Wi-Fi hotspot 6 AM to 6 PM Weekdays)	520-466-3814
Community Development 595 N. C Street, Suite 102 (Planning & Zoning, Building & Safety, Code Enforcement)	520-466-2578
Police Department 630 N. Main Street (Includes Animal Control)	520-466-7324
Utilities 595 N. C Street, Suite 103 Turn-on/Turn-off/Bill Payment (Water, Sewer, Trash)	520-464-3401
Public Works 1137 W. Houser Rd. (Garbage/Trash Pickup, Streets Maintenance, Water Quality, Pressure, Leaks, Repairs & Waste Water)	520-466-3082