

March & April 2024

San Pasqual Reservation Environmental Newsletter

THE SAN PASQUAL ENVIRONMENTAL AND WATER DEPARTMENTS STRIVE DAILY TO IMPROVE AND PRESERVE THE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY OF THE SAN PASQUAL RESERVATION, THIS INCLUDES BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO SURFACE AND GROUND WATER QUALITY TESTING MANAGING SOLID WASTE, NATIVE PLANT RESTORATION, EROSION CONTROL, RENEWABLE ENERGY, ILLEGAL DUMP CLEAN UP, SITE RESTORATION AND ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION AND OUTREACH.

Office Hours

MONDAY - FRIDAY
8:00 AM - 4:30 PM

TRANSFER STATION HOURS
MONDAY - FRIDAY
7:30 AM - 2:30 PM

ALL FACILITIES CLOSED FOR LUNCH
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM
CLOSED WEEKENDS & HOLIDAYS

*MUST SIGN IN BEFORE DROP OFFS,
WASTE MUST HAVE ORIGINATED FROM
TRIBAL ASSIGNMENTS*

*ACCEPTABLE ITEMS: DEBRIS, METAL, TIRES,
APPLIANCES, ELECTRONICS,
FURNITURE, CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS,
RECYCLABLES, GREEN WASTE
NOT ACCEPTABLE: HOUSEHOLD WASTE*

FOR QUESTIONS YOU MAY CONTACT JOHN FLORES,
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Elder Pick Ups

WEDNESDAY PICK UPS SLOTS ARE
RESERVED FOR SAN PASQUAL ELDERS
AND DISABLED INDIVIDUALS.

PICK UPS MUST BE SCHEDULED IN
ADVANCE, TO ENSURE STAFF HAS
ADEQUATE TIME AND EQUIPMENT TO PICK
UP AND DISCARD OF WASTE.

TO SCHEDULE AN ELDER PICK-UP
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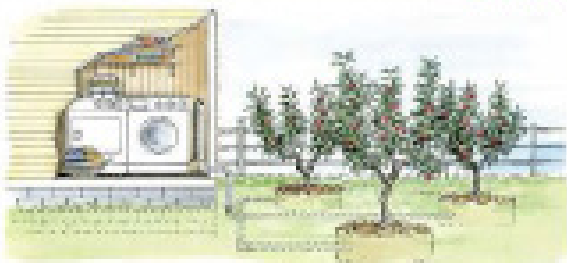
SAN PASQUAL ENVIRONMENTAL DEPARTMENT LAUNDRY TO LANDSCAPE PILOT PROGRAM



WHAT IS GREYWATER?

Greywater is gently used water from sinks, showers, and clothes washers (washing machines). Greywater is used to irrigate outdoor landscapes and provides a homeowner with a dependable, local source of water through the dry season. Irrigating with graywater can also help reduce your water bill. The Laundry to Landscape system captures graywater from the drain hose of the clothes washer and connects to a diverter valve, which allows graywater to be directed to either the landscape or the septic. The installation of the LTL system is fairly simple but can make a big impact when it comes to water conservation. Water is a scarce resource so taking steps to reduce our footprint will make a huge difference. The San Pasqual Environmental Department will be teaming up with CatchingH2O to provide classroom and hands on training to prepare for future installations.

BENEFITS OF LAUNDRY TO LANDSCAPE



- Reduce your families potable water consumption
- Provides a responsible water source to use for irrigation and landscaping
- Very little maintenance
- Accessible 3-way valve makes it easy to switch between the greywater system and the sewer/septic
- Flexible- easy to change after installation

PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY

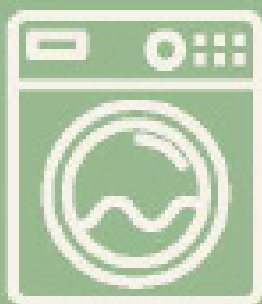
- Home needs to be within the San Pasqual reservation boundary
- Home needs to have a working washing machine
- Homeowner needs to be willing to collaborate with consultants to map out grey water irrigation from installation site
- Home owner agrees to participate in follow up and future site visits for program expansion phase

Participants must complete the eligibility survey

**SCAN CODE TO TAKE
ELIGIBILITY SURVEY**



limited installation opportunities available



If you would like more information about the program and/or pre-screening eligibility, please contact Vanessa Martinez at 760-651-5151 or at vanessam@sanpasqualtribe.org

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Upcoming EVENTS

TO RECEIVE TEXT
BLAST FROM THE
SAN PASQUAL
TRIBE TO KEEP UP
WITH THE LATEST
COMMUNITY
NEWS & EVENTS
TEXT "SPTRIBE"
TO 484848

SAVE THE DATE

SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 2024

11:00 AM - 3:00 PM

INTERTRIBAL EARTH DAY BEING A GOOD ANCESTOR

THIS IS A WASTE FREE EVENT, PLEASE BRING
YOUR OWN WATER OR DRINK CONTAINER.
WATER DISPENSERS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO
REFILL YOUR BOTTLE.



INTERTRIBAL EARTH DAY

THIS IS A ZERO WASTE TRIBAL COMMUNITY EVENT SPONSORED BY
LA JOLLA, LOS COYOTES, PAUMA, PALA, PECHANGA, RINCON,
SAN PASQUAL, AND SANTA YNEZ.
FOR INFORMATION PLEASE EMAIL ROB.ROY@LAJOLLA-NSN.GOV.

LA JOLLA CAMPGROUND
22000 HWY 76
PAUMA VALLEY, CA

THIS IS A
RAIN
OR SHINE
EVENT

KIDS RECYCLED INSTRUMENT PARADE



Tribal youth are invited to participate
in a Kids Recycled Instrument Parade at
this year's annual Intertribal Earth Day.
The event will be held at the La Jolla
Campground on Saturday, April 6, 2024
from 11am - 3pm. Instruments should be
made primarily of recycled materials.
Remember to "Jazz Up" your instrument
using markers or some other recycled
materials. Check out some ideas below!

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INTERTRIBAL
EARTH DAY



Save the date!

pechanga Earth Day!

PECHANGA
ENVIRONMENTAL
DEPARTMENT

April 13, 2024
11am to 3pm
Pechanga Park

- Interactive presentations for kids and adults
- 20+ informational booths
- Earth-friendly raffle prizes
- Earth Day 2024 Art Contest winners will be announced!
- Best of all: FREE FOOD & BEVERAGES

Congrats Earth
Day 2023 Art
Contest winner
Chloe Ibanez!



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PLEASE JOIN THE ENVIRONMENTAL DEPARTMENT ON

May 3rd, 2024

FROM 12:00PM-4:30PM IN CELEBRATING

San Pasqual EARTH DAY EVENT

INFORMATIONAL BOOTHS | YOUTH ACTIVITIES | LUNCH PROVIDED

AT THE SAN PASQUAL EDUCATION CENTER PARK,
LOCATED AT 16490 KUMEYAAY WAY, VALLEY CENTER, CA 92082

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SDG&E APPLICATIONS**

INDIAN HEALTH SANITATION
SERVICE APPLICATIONS**

SOLAR RESOURCES**

NPS INSPECTIONS

ELDER PICK UPS**
- SOLID WASTE
- GREEN WASTE

DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY,
TRIBAL ENERGY PROGRAM GRANT

EPA GRANT MANAGEMENT
- GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
- CLEAN WATER ACT 106
- CWA NON-POINT SOURCE 319

BOR GRANT MANAGEMENT

IHS PROJECT MANAGEMENT

BIA GRANT MANAGEMENT

ENVIRONMENTAL OUTREACH

EWA YOUTH GROUP

NEPA CLEARANCE

TRIBAL HISTORIC
PRESERVATION
MONITORING