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# CURBSIDE NEWS

ACES WASTE SERVICES

Keeping Amador County Clean & Green Since 1976!

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## NEED A BEAR-PROOF CART?

ACES customers are finding that our Bear-Resistant Carts are very effective in keeping wildlife out of their trash. Discouraging bears from scavenging on your property is safer for you and for the bears!

96-gallon bear-resistant carts are available now for a monthly rental fee of \$5.06/month with a \$50.00 deposit, first come, first served.

Please call the ACES office, 209-274-2237 for more information.

For more ways to deter bears, visit <http://wildlife.ca.gov/Keep-Me-Wild/Bear>.



## ACES STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM:

ACES Waste Services will be awarding three \$2000 scholarships -- one each to outstanding students at Argonaut, Amador and Independence High Schools. The ACES scholarships will be awarded every year through the high schools' scholarship programs. For information, please contact a high school counselor.

## What to do when it snows



Heavy snow in Amador County may result in interruption of service for some Upcountry customers. We will make every effort to provide service but the safety of our staff, customers, and your property must come first.

### ACES SNOW POLICY:

- We will go back to collect on missed streets as they become safe for our trucks and when personnel and equipment availability permit.
- Leave your carts out where they can be reached by ACES trucks, but out of the path of snowplows.
- If your street remains impassable for a prolonged period of time, ACES will pick up ALL of your trash on the next scheduled route day.
- If a credit is issued for a missed pick-up, the customer will be billed for any trash greater than fits level-full in their cart at the next pick-up. Call ACES at 274-2237 for more information.



TICKETS ON SALE AT [AMADORFAIRFOUNDATION.COM](http://AMADORFAIRFOUNDATION.COM) (OR USE QR CODE LINK)

**Saturday, Feb. 18, 2023**

**5:30 - 10 pm**

**A Benefit for**

**The Amador County Fairgrounds**

**EXCITING CASINO GAMES ...  
DELICIOUS SIT-DOWN DINNER...**

**BENEFIT AUCTION ...**

**A FUN VALENTINES DATE NIGHT!**





## MICHAEL GALLEGO

Michael is “the new guy” -- he started at ACES just this summer. He drives the big semi truck to Sacramento, hauling Amador County’s waste from the Buena Vista Transfer Station to the Kiefer Landfill three times a day, five days a week.

“This is the best job I’ve ever had -- I love it!” says Michael. For years he has been driving trucks on routes through the Valley and the Bay Area. “I’m out of the rat race. I’m home every night and away from the stress of Bay Area traffic, with only a 5.8 mile commute.”

Michael and his wife live in the Camanche area with their two daughters, ages 5 months and 5 years.

“ACES is very family-friendly, making sure our schedules work for our families,” says Michael.

Michael likes to work on his Jeep and take the family off-roading on the weekends. He must really like driving!

## HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

**Martin Luther King Day:** Normal collection, Office & Buena Vista Transfer Station open, Pine Grove Transfer Station closed.

**Presidents Day:** Normal collection, Buena Vista Transfer Station open, Office & Pine Grove Transfer Station closed.

### Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off:

**Jan. 7, 21; Feb. 4, 18; Mar. 4, 18.**

At the Buena Vista Transfer Station, lone, 9 am - 1 pm.  
Free, up to 15 gallons or 125 lbs per trip.

## FREE CHRISTMAS TREE RECYCLING:

Trees (all ornaments and lights removed) can be dropped off at the Westover Field airport parking lot through Jan 31. Throughout January, trees can also be dropped off at either the Buena Vista Transfer Station daily from 8:30 am - 4:30 pm, or the Pine Grove Transfer Station, Tuesday through Saturday 9:00 am - 12 pm & 1:00 - 4:00 pm. The Christmas trees are then recycled locally at the Vicini Brothers Green Waste Recycling Facility and turned into landscape mulch and nutrient rich compost.



**PLEASE!!**

**NO ASHES IN YOUR CARTS**



Ashes have started fires inside of our collection trucks -- please don't put ashes in your trash or yard waste carts.



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**April 7- May 14 PRISONER OF SECOND AVENUE In the Cobblestone**

**June 9 - July 8 BEOWULF (AND THE BARD) Amphitheatre**

**August 11 - September 9 SILENT SKY Amphitheatre**

**September 15 - October 15 BLITHE SPIRIT In the Cobblestone**

**Nov. 17 - Dec. 16 DASHING THROUGH THE SNOW In the Cobblestone**

