

PLYMOUTH COLONY MONTHLY

Message from the City Manager



As we move into the holiday season, there's much joy — but also uncertainty for some in our community, especially with the government shutdown. In true Plymouth spirit, our neighbors have stepped up.

Led by Elizabeth Chapin Pinotti, a temporary pantry with non-perishables is now open in McGee Park. Mayor Cranford has placed Nexus Angel Tree applications in City Hall — please take advantage of or support this program. We're also partnering with the Amador Sheriff's Foundation and Matt Scott Racing Toy Drive, with details to come soon.

We also invite everyone to join us for a Veterans Day Celebration on November 11th at 9 a.m. in Veterans Park as we honor those who have served our country.

Plymouth always finds a way to come together when it matters most. This generosity is the very heart of our community. Wishing everyone a wonderful month of gratitude.

Warm regards,

Cameron Begbie
City Manager, City of Plymouth



HELP PLAN FOR A SAFER, MORE FIRE-RESILIENT AMADOR COUNTY

Amador County is updating its Community Wildfire Protection Plan (CWPP)—a community-led plan to identify wildfire risks, set project priorities, and strengthen local preparedness.

Join Supervisor Brian Oneto for District 5 CWPP Meeting to learn about the planning process, see how your input will shape wildfire priorities, and share what matters most for your community.

DATE: Nov. 6 2025

TIME: 6-8P

**LOCATION: Plymouth City Hall
9426 Main St, Plymouth, CA 95669**

Co-Hosted by the Amador Fire Safe Council (AFSC), and Spatial Informatics Group (SIG).

Can't attend? Take the CWPP community survey:



**City Hall Closed November 11th for Veterans Day
and November 27th for Thanksgiving.**

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Mayor Wendy Cranford

Exciting Things Happening in the City of Plymouth!

Mayor Wendy Cranford and Interim City Manager Cameron Begbie joined KVG to share updates on all the great things happening in our city. They addressed key questions facing Plymouth and emphasized that our path forward is a community effort — built on the same history and grit that have always defined us.

Plymouth is open for business!



From our Pop-Up Plaza, available for short-term leases to helping entrepreneurs launch their ideas, to new businesses like Crush Pizza opening their doors, there's a real sense of momentum and opportunity in our City. The future is bright for Plymouth — if we all do what we do best: work together and build together.

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Tracy's Thanksgiving Food Trivia!

1. How many turkeys are prepared for Thanksgiving in America each year?
2. Which type of food was eaten at the first Thanksgiving but is hardly eaten at Thanksgiving today?
3. Statistically, what is Americans' favorite Thanksgiving side dish?
4. How many cranberries are needed to make one can of cranberry sauce?
5. What is the most popular dessert on Thanksgiving Day?

5. Apple Pie
1. 46 million 2. Seafood 3. Stuffing 4. About 200

Up Coming Events



City Council Meeting
November 13th at 6:30pm
November 27th Canceled

Special City Council Meeting
November 19th - Key to the City
"Robyn Schall"

Planning Commission Meeting
November 6th Canceled
November 20th at 6:30pm

Amador County
Fire Resilient Planning
November 6th 6:00pm - City Hall

Veterans Day Celebration on
November 11th at 9 a.m.

Veterans Day – November 11th
City Hall Closed

Interfaith Food Bank
November 17th 9:00am – 11:00am

WIC
November 24th 8:30am - 4:00pm

Thanksgiving
November 27th
City Hall Closed



It was our honor to partner with **Rotary Club of Plymouth Foothills**, Keep California Beautiful and the amazing staff and students at Plymouth Elementary! It was a wonderful day of community as we spent the morning planting flowers and landscaping! Many thanks to all who organized and volunteered for this wonderful event!





Veterans Day Did you know...?

Veterans day memorializes the eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month of 1918 when an armistice was signed and marked the beginning of the end of World War I. For this reason, “Veterans Day” use to go by the name “Armistice Day”, until President Eisenhower changed it in 1954. Raymond Weeks, a World War II Navy Veteran, is known as “The Father of Veterans Day”.

After serving, Weeks returned home to Birmingham, Alabama and committed himself to advocating and petitioning for a day to celebrate ALL veterans, not just those who served in WWI. Because of him, Birmingham held the first ever “Veterans Day” celebration in 1947.

As of 2025, there are 17.6 million veterans in the US. They make up around 6% of the American adult population, with the largest proportion of living US veterans belonging to the Gulf War Era. Approximately, 181,510 Americans enlisted in the US military as a response to the attacks of 9/11/2001- an 8% rise in enlistment compared to the previous year. Veterans are ~ 1.5 times more likely to join STEM occupations than non-veterans. Veterans often possess unique technical, problem-solving, and leadership skills and adaptability that are well-suited for careers in STEM.



THANKSGIVING PET FOOD SAFETY

Things your pets CAN eat:

Unseasoned, skinless, boneless Turkey meat (cooked Turkey bones splinter easily, so be careful when feeding turkey to your pets!)
Seedless Cranberries and Apples
100% Pumpkin Puree Plain Green Beans, Peas, and Carrots. Sweet potatoes are good in moderation.

Things your pets SHOULD NOT eat:

Sugary Sweets and Chocolate
Xylitol: An artificial sweetener, namely found in sugar-free treats and some peanut butters
Fatty Foods like Ham, Mash Potatoes, Gravy, and Stuffing
Uncooked Yeast Dough
Grapes and Raisins
Onions and Garlic



NOVEMBER

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Heritage
Election
Snow
Daylight
Feast

Pumpkin
November
Family
Turkey
Traditions

Indians
Voter
Voyage
Colonists

Thanksgiving
Veteran
Settlers
Maize

METAL & GREEN WASTE RECYCLING COMMUNITY EVENT

NOVEMBER 13TH - 16TH | 9am to 3pm
Pioneer Park lower baseball field
25100 Buckhorn Ridge Rd. Pioneer

**AMADOR COUNTY & COMMUNITY PARTNERS WILL BRING
SEVERAL 40-CUBIC YARD BINS TO COLLECT THE FOLLOWING:**

- Yard Trimmings & Green Waste (pine needles, leaves, branches, bushes, manzanita, etc.)
- Tree trunks- must not be longer than 2 ft. tall and 2 ft. in diameter (no branches attached & must be separated from other materials).
This will be strictly enforced. This material will be deposited in a 20 yd bin.
- **No bags** greens must be removed from bags before disposal into containers.
- Metal, car batteries, appliances (except items with freon).



**We will not be accepting trash or refrigerator-freezers
at this event. Only the items listed above.**

What is Yard Waste? A quick guide!



What is NOT Yard Waste?

PLASTIC BAGS
PLANT POTS
DIRT
ROCKS
FOOD WASTE
GARDENING GLOVES

**PLEASE
NO
BUSINESSES**

SPONSORED BY:

Amador County Code Enforcement, Supervisor Jeff Brown, Amador County Air District
Republic Services, Got Metal, Sierra Yard Supply & Equipment



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Holiday Home Tour

AMADOR COUNTY



December 6th

PLYMOUTH, CA | 10AM - 5PM

JOIN US FOR A FESTIVE HOLIDAY HOME TOUR
FEATURING 6 BEAUTIFULLY DECORATED HOMES.

PRESENTED BY THE ROTARY CLUB OF PLYMOUTH FOOTHILLS

Our Local



Wine Country

Plymouth's

5th Annual

Christmas Market

Saturday, December 6th
11a-4p



Local Creative Market Vendors For Your Holiday List!

Free Horse and Buggy Rides - Food Trucks and More

Santa Claus Arrives at Noon

Local Wines, Beer, Hot cider, Cocoa, Warm Mulled Wine

Free Crafts and Decorating for the Kiddos

Holiday Home Tour - Tickets Available @ Rotary Club



Located on Main Street, Plymouth

Come Join Our Community!



Amador County Angel Tree Project

The Camanche Lake & Upcountry Community Centers have been coordinating the annual Amador County Angel Tree project since 2007. Angel Tree provides holiday gifts to an average of 500 children between the ages of 0 and 17 years annually. It is the generosity of folks like you that makes the project so successful!

Angels, printed with a local child's holiday wish list, are available November through mid-December on Angel Trees at a variety of businesses throughout Amador County. During these months, you can sponsor a child by choosing an angel and purchasing a desired gift, or you can make a monetary donation and Community Center staff will purchase the gift on your behalf. In addition, if someone would like to purchase a generic gift to donate, we will do our best to match the gift with the requests of the unsponsored angels. The Community Centers also accept gifts for all ages and monetary donations for the Angel Tree Project year-round.

If you would like to host an Angel Tree at your business or agency, please contact Nexus Youth & Family Services. Thank you so much for your time and generosity. With your help, the children in our community will have a very happy holiday season!

For more information or to sponsor a child, please contact (209) 257-1980 x 105.

