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Newsletter

Fort Sage Unified School District welcomes Superintendent Derek Cooper.

Mr. Cooper comes from a family of educators with his sister and both of his parents being teachers. Mr. Cooper has worked for the past 31 years to improve small rural schools in Northern California. He is now living part time in the Doyle area to be closer to our schools and community.

Mr. Cooper and his wife have 5 grown children. Their love of children goes beyond their own family and the children in the schools he has been employed by, as he and his wife have opened their home to several kids through the foster program, giving them the chance to experience a stable home while in their care. He states he is a rancher at heart and loves hunting and fishing. He and his wife own horses and now foster puppies through their local Humane Society.

Fun fact: Mr. Cooper's father taught for 39 years. 34 of those years were teaching 7th grade history in the same classroom!

Mr. Cooper is excited to be here and welcomes community members to stop by, and get acquainted. He would like to see our community become more involved in our schools by volunteering to do whatever they can to improve our local schools.

Burn Permits are suspended until further notice.

Fort Sage Family Resource Center (FSFRC) provides much needed services to our community. They offer a food pantry the 1st and 3rd Friday of each month. A social worker from Lassen Works is available the 3rd Friday of each month. FSFRC is located at 1223 Sierra St. (The old VFW Hall.) here in Herlong. Other services include help filling out forms for LIHEAP which provides help with bills for heating and electricity.

FSFRC's phone number is 530-485-5224.

School is back in session — Please be aware of the children on their way to school and on their way home from school!

September Dates to Remember: Labor Day is Sept. 2nd



Administrative Office Hours Monday-Thursday 8:00am—3:00pm Fridays 8:00 - 12:00pm

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Reminders:

- <u>Utility</u> Payments are due in Office by the 10th of every month, not postmarked. Late fees apply if received after due date or balance not paid in full
- PSN Help # 866-917-7368 (must have valid email and account #)
- FOOD PANTRY @ FSFRC -1st & 3rd Fridays of the month from 9am-11am.

Upcoming Events & Meetings:

- Sierra Alliance Mtg–
 Wednesday, Sept 25, 2024 @
 5:30pm
- HPUD Board Meeting 9//24/24 @ 5:30pm
- Neighborhood Watch 9/18
- HPUD closed 9/2

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