

# Park Districts Report October/November

Open Space and Regional Park Commission Meeting November 29, 2018

## **SOUTH REGION HIGHLIGHTS**

- The Hawkins Amphitheater hosted 32 events for the season and increased the average attendance from 530 to 590 for each event.
- Bowers Mansion Park increased the number of tours and revenue for the season by approximately \$5000 for the season as compared to the 2017 season.
- Crystal Peak Park, Bartley Ranch, and Browns Creek trail repairs, damaged from the 2017 flooding, were completed.
- The 2 horse arenas donated to Bartley Ranch from Rancharrah were completed and are being maintained by Rancharrah staff.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- The X-mas trees for special families will be harvested on November 27 and given to the families the weekend of December 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Bartley Ranch will once again host the Come in From the Cold programs starting the first Saturday in January.

# **NORTH REGION HIGHLIGHTS**

- Over 800 people attended the Festival of Colors at Rancho San Rafael on October 6<sup>th</sup> celebrating respect and spirituality in a very colorful and fun event
- The NIAA Northern Region Cross Country meet was held at Rancho San Rafael with over 800 racers and their supporters in attendance.
- Meet the Turkeys was held at the Nevada Family Farms area in Rancho San Rafael Regional Park. It was a very successful event with many local partners and over 1500 participants taking pictures with some of our local Turkeys
- The USATF regional Cross Country Championships were held at Rancho San Rafael on November 18<sup>th</sup> and served as a practice run for the upcoming National Race in December

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- The USATF National Junior Olympic Cross Country Championships will be held at Rancho San Rafael on December the 8<sup>th</sup> with an anticipated attendance of over 7000 races and supporters.