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#### Spots Open for Tiny Tots Courses at Desert Sands & Palmdale Oasis

PALMDALE – Spots are available for the fall sessions of the City of Palmdale’s Tiny Tots, an early childhood recreation program that offers an educational curriculum for children ages 3 to 5 years.

Openings are available for classes at Desert Sands Park, located at 39117 3<sup>rd</sup> St. East, and Palmdale Oasis Park Recreation Center, 3850 East Ave. S.

“Tiny Tots provides a fun, safe and developmentally appropriate environment that will help your child build social skills and independence, while being introduced to the alphabet, numbers, colors and shapes,” said Palmdale’s Recreation Coordinator Jennifer Tallakson.

The sessions for “Twinkling Stars,” designed for ages 3 and 4, will be held on Tuesday and Thursdays from 10 am to 12 noon from Aug. 12 to Oct. 30. The session for “Blazing Comets,” designed for ages 4 and 5, and will be held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 9 am to 12 noon from Aug. 11 to Oct. 31.

Participants may register online at [www.cityofpalmdale.org](http://www.cityofpalmdale.org), or at the recreation and culture office, 38260 10<sup>th</sup> St. East in Palmdale Monday through Thursday between 7:30 am and 6 pm.

Participants in “Twinkling Stars” should be a minimum of 3 years old by Sept. 1, 2014. The fee is \$120 for Palmdale residents and \$144 for non-residents. Participants in “Blazing Comets” should be a minimum of 4 years old by Sept. 1, 2014. The fee is \$240 for Palmdale residents and \$288 for non-residents. There is a limit of 20 children per class. A birth certificate is required at the time of the first meeting or at registration.

“Children should be fully potty-trained and accustomed to parental separation,” said Tallakson.

During two classes in the session, parents are required to assist, provide a snack and a simple hands-on craft project. Sibling discount available for each session.

For more information about days, dates and registration details, please call the recreation and culture office at 661/267-5611.

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