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HOMESTEAD VALLEY COMMUNITY COUNCIL PACKING BOXES FOR MARINES TOMORROW

The Homestead Valley Community Council will be getting together tomorrow to pack boxes to support deployed Marines and sailors in Afghanistan. Reporter Mike Lipsitz says the public is invited to pitch in. Join the Homestead Valley Community Council, Marine family members and County Supervisor Neil Derry on Thursday to pack gift boxes for Marines in Afghanistan. Members of the Community Council raised funds and have procured treats and personal items to be lovingly packaged and sent off to the Marines serving in an Unmanned Aerial Reconnaissance unit from Twentynine Palms. This is the second year the Council has organized the local effort. This year the Afghanistan unit will be treated to 75 boxes of cookies donated by the Lucerne Valley Girl Scouts. Volunteers are needed to assist with packing the boxes and completing customs forms beginning at 9 a.m. at the Yucca Mesa Community Center. The Center is on Balsa Avenue just off Aberdeen between Highway 247 and Avalon.