



"SMALL TALK"

OF THE TOWN

JULY 2009

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Town of Clarkdale P.O. Box 308 Clarkdale, AZ 86324 (928) 639-2400

Congratulations Spirit of Clarkdale Award Recipients

On June 23, 2009, the Clarkdale Council approved the following individuals for "2009 Spirit of Clarkdale Awards". Presentation of the awards was at the annual Clarkdale Fourth of July Celebration. Residents are asked to make nominations all year long for the 2010 awards.

WINNERS OF THE 2009 AWARDS

- Drake Meinke - Community Volunteerism
- Linda McDonough - Community Volunteerism
- ◆ Phyllis Linder - Property Beautification
- ◆ Gloria & Pete Herrera - Neighborhood Programs, Community Volunteerism
- ◆ Danny Smith - Property Beautification
- ◆ George Skoblin - Property Beautification
- ◆ Nick, Katey & Sean Williams - Neighborhood Programs, Community Volunteerism



TO ALL
2009 4TH OF JULY
VOLUNTEERS

Thank You

An overwhelming amount of volunteer support was received to run this community event and it would not have happened without you.

Thank you to all those who stepped up to help. It was a grand event!

- **Our Residents**
- **Clarkdale-Jerome School**
- **Clarkdale Chamber of Commerce**
- **Clarkdale Fire District**
- **Clarkdale Police Department**
- **Verde Valley Ambulance**
- **The Vineyard Christian Fellowship**
- **Town of Clarkdale Staff**



Clarkdale National Night Out
August 4, 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Main Street Park

The Clarkdale Police Department will be hosting the 26th annual National Night Out on Tuesday August 4, 6:00 - 9:00 p.m. at the Main Park in downtown Clarkdale. We hope you will take this opportunity to come out—visit your neighbors, your Police Department and meet residents from your neighboring communities.

In the past, with budgeted monies from the Police Department and help from local businesses we were able to provide food, drinks and entertainment for the children. This year, due to budget constraints, the Police Department does not have any funds available for this type of celebration. We would greatly appreciate any donations from our residents and business community to help foster this event.

We are still working on National Night Out and will gladly accept suggestions as to what we can do this year to make this a memorable event for the Town. If you would like to contribute, please contact the Clarkdale PD at 639- 7700.



Clark Memorial Library Services



Did you know the following services are free if you have a library card?

- Free Internet Access
- Video/DVD Movies
- Audio Books
- Large Print Books
- Local Newspapers
- Magazines
- Interlibrary Loans
- Renewals by Phone

Library Hours

Mon. - Thurs.
8:30 -5:30
Saturday
12:30 -4:30
Closed Fridays & Sunday

NEW DVD RELEASES

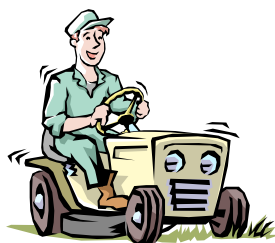
- Curious Case of Benjamin Button
- Day the Earth Stood Still
- Doubt
- Last Chance Harvey
- Marley & Me
- Pleasantville
- Quantum of Solace
- Secret Life of Bees
- Seven Pounds
- Slumdog Millionaire
- Taken
- Twilight



STORY TIME

Every Wednesday

Ages 3-5 3:00-4:00 pm
Ages 6-9 4:00-5:00 pm



SUMMER SAFETY REMINDER

The Public works Dept. would like to remind residents that when the crew is mowing and/or weed eating in the Parks they are using protective gear and sometimes are not able to see nor hear you. For your safety please keep a safe distance.

Concerns in Centerville


We are having on-going and serious issues with vandalism in the bathrooms at the Centerville Park. Without the help of caring residents and watchful eyes in the neighborhood, we may be forced to close the bathrooms for intermittent or extended periods of time. We will be distributing a flier in that neighborhood to help bring this matter to the community's attention. If there are no significant improvements in the situation, we will need to look at implementing closure options.

Board & Commission Open Terms

- Board of Adjustment
- Design Review Board
- Library Advisory Board
- Parks & Recreation
- Planning Commission



Applications are available on our Website:
www.clarkdale.az.gov/volunteer
or call Administration
(928) 639-2400 for information.



The Cottonwood Area Transit System local bus service began their three new routes on July 6, 2009. The redesigned routes now allow greater travel throughout the Cottonwood area with 7 bus stops in Clarkdale. You can also transfer from one bus route to another on the hour at Garrison Park without waiting. Please call CATS at 634-2287 or visit their website at: www.cats.az.gov for more information.

CAT Para Transit and Dial-a-Ride

CAT PARA TRANSIT will provide curb-to-curb transportation for persons with disabilities who are unable to use the CAT fixed route buses. Service will be provided to locations that are within 3/4 mile of a fixed route bus stop. Para transit service requires completion of an ADA eligibility application, is shared-ride and requires a 24-hour advance reservation.

CAT DIAL-A-RIDE will now be available only to riders who are more than a 1/2 mile from a fixed route bus stop. It will operate 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Monday - Friday and 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM on Saturday. Passengers are not required to be ADA eligible to use Dial-a-Ride.