



TOWN OF CLARKDALE - A 2012 CENTENNIAL TOWN

“SMALL TALK” OF THE TOWN



October 2012 Volume 35



6:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M.

Cottonwood Area / Región de Cottonwood	
Location / Lugar	Address / Dirección
Clarkdale Baptist Church	1051 W State Route 89A, Clarkdale
Cottonwood-Oak Creek School	
Dist.	1 Willard St.
First Southern Baptist Church	1020 S Camino Real
Immaculate Conception Catholic Church	700 N Bill Gray Rd.



CENTERVILLE BLOCK PARTY

When: Saturday, October 27, 2012,
11am to 1pm

Where: Centerville Park
599 Avenida Centerville

Join us at the Centerville Park for free hotdogs, chips and soft drinks. Gather with your neighbors, Clarkdale Police Officers and meet your new Police Chief, Randy Taylor. For information please call 649-7700. **SPONSORED BY**

CLARKDALE POLICE DEPARTMENT

GENERAL ELECTION: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2012

Beginning in 2012, Yavapai County Elections will be implementing **Vote Centers**, rather than the precinct polling places of the past. Yavapai County is proud to be at the forefront of implementing new technology and methods to make voting easier and more convenient. **Vote Centers** will be open from 6:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

What is a Vote Center? Vote centers allow registered voters of Yavapai County the opportunity to vote at ANY voting location in Yavapai County, instead of being assigned only one “home precinct” location. Vote wherever it is most convenient for you!

Where can I find one? Vote Centers will be located in easily visible and accessible areas throughout Yavapai County, primarily on main roads or at the most heavily trafficked polling places of the past. See the list below of our local Vote Centers.

Vote Center Locations are Subject to Change. Prior to an Election please check for updates at <http://www.yavapai.us/electionsvr/> or call Yavapai County Elections at (928) 771-3250

Ubicaciones de Centros de Votación son Sujetos a Cambio. Antes de una elección, por favor busque si hay cambios de Centros de Votación en <http://www.yavapai.us/electionsvr/> o llame al Departamento de Elecciones del Condado de Yavapai al número (928) 771-3250



FREE “HANDS ONLY” CPR (CCC) class by the Clarkdale Fire District in the Clarkdale Clubhouse Men’s Lounge Monday, October 29, 5:30—6:30 p.m. For information or to register please call (928) 639-4591

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR CLARKDALE FLAG CORPS



The Town of Clarkdale is recruiting volunteers to join our special Clarkdale Flag Corps. The Clarkdale Flag Corps is a group of volunteers who are responsible for posting flags along Main Street and in Centennial Plaza in Clarkdale on 9-12 designated dates per year, and on other dates as may be appropriate. Flag Corps members post the flags in the morning, and remove them before sunset.

Every year there are certain days that we hold dear as we honor a special person or event. Posting a flag on that day may be your way to display a remembrance and appreciation of that person or event.

We now have a volunteer Flag Corp Coordinator who will work together with the Flag Corps Members to ensure that at least 4 members are available on each of the 9-12 days that the flags are posted in the morning and taken down in the evening. The posting takes approximately 45 minutes for each of the morning and afternoon shifts. With a group of volunteers we may alternate the days of participation and let the volunteers choose their special day.

For information please contact Margie Hardie in the Town of Clarkdale Community Services Department, (928) 639-2441 or email Margie.Hardie@clarkdale.az.gov.



2012 HALLOWEEN IN CLARKDALE

SAFE TRICK-OR-TREATING

This year's Halloween Event will be held on Wednesday, October 31st. Clarkdale's safe trick-or-treating will be from 5pm-7pm in upper Clarkdale. The Town will close off



Main St. to traffic beginning at 10th St. up to 16th St. and First South St. and First North St. beginning at 11th St. up to 16th St. Parking is available

at Town Hall and Clarkdale-Jerome School. Remember to bring a flashlight as this will aid you when travelling through the dark areas and help with the bumps and dips in the roads and sidewalks.

With the number of trick-or-treaters increasing each year we are asking that pets be left at home. Although it is fun to dress them up and show them off it poses a safety concern as the streets become overcrowded and congested. Leaving them at home will ensure their safety as well as those in attendance. We thank you in advance for understanding and complying with this request.

COSTUME CONTEST

The annual Halloween Costume Contest will begin at 5:30 p.m. at the Clarkdale Town Park Gazebo. There is no sign-up or fee to participate. Those wishing to be in the

contest need to arrive at the gazebo by 5:30pm and wait for their appropriate age group division to be called up. The contest begins with the youngest age group first and works up in succession. There are four age group divisions: 0-4 years, 5-8 years, 9-12 years, and 13 years and older. Cash prizes will be awarded to the top three entries in each age group division: \$30 for first place, \$20 for second place, and \$10 for third place.

YOUR PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT NEEDS YOUR HELP

We are calling for volunteers to help with this special event. Last year we had over 1,800 trick-or-treaters along with their families travel throughout upper Clarkdale.

In order to be able to provide this annual safe event, we need community involvement and support. We are seeking volunteers for the following assignments: separating candy (10/29 4-5:30p); delivering candy to residents (10/31 9-10am), working road blocks (4:30 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.), and assisting with the costume contest (5:20 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.). In addition, the Town is seeking volunteers who reside outside of upper Clarkdale who would like to assist with handing out candy (5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.) in upper Clarkdale. Please contact Parks and Recreation at (928) 639-2490 to participate.

The week of October 8th, informational packets will be hand delivered to all residents residing in upper Clarkdale. These packets



will be left on the front fence or porch of your home. This informational packet will contain detailed information on the evening including road closures and candy request forms. We are also seeking to identify those upper Clarkdale residents who would like assistance at their home to hand out candy. A volunteer request form will also be included. Upper Clarkdale residents please keep an eye out for the packet.

Every year, due to the large number of trick-or-treaters, the Town works to help upper Clarkdale residents by providing additional candy to hand out to the children throughout the evening. The Town is seeking both candy and monetary donations in order to provide the large quantities of candy needed. Donations are greatly appreciated and may be dropped off at the Town Hall Administration Building located at 39 N. Ninth Street, or mailed to: TOC/Halloween, P.O. Box 308, Clarkdale, AZ 86324. For more event information on or to volunteer, please call (928)639-2490 or email: dawn.norman@clarkdale.az.gov.

CLARKDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY AND MUSEUM

wishes to thank two very special volunteers for the great success of The Living Legacy 2012 fundraising event held on Sept. 23. Ruth Wicks and Carol Cain are a team with no equal! The Clark Memorial Clubhouse Men's Lounge was the historic setting of this Sunday afternoon event held to honor several living history citizens of Clarkdale. The opportunity to hear Clarkdale stories "from the source" was a very special opportunity to hear great tales of growing up and raising families here in Clarkdale. We thank so many friends who volunteered their time, talent, energy and financial support to make this a true treasure for everyone. DVD's will be available soon at the museum gift shop or you may call the museum to order, 928-649-1198.

John and Isabel Erickson have added their landscaping touch to the museum by donating and planting several varieties of cactus in the front and on the west side grounds. They have also promised to KEEP them alive. Thank you, John and Isabel!

REMINDER*****Please set aside Dec. 15, for the Historic Building and Home Tour 2012.... from 9:00 to 4:00. Get your tickets in advance for \$15....after Dec. 1 \$20 Light refreshments will be served in the Men's Lounge.

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