



# “SMALL TALK” OF THE TOWN



## 2ND ANNUAL VERDE RIVER POKER RUN

Do you love the Verde River? Here's your chance to enjoy a beautiful day on the water with friends and an opportunity to win \$1,000 while doing it!

**Who?** All levels of paddlers over 21 yrs.

**When?** Saturday, October 3rd

**Where?** Clarkdale River Access Points

**Cost?** Early Bird Registration \$50  
Late Registration \$60

To register or for more information visit: [www.clarkdale.az.gov](http://www.clarkdale.az.gov) or contact Community Services Dept. at 639-2460



## Roundabout Clarkdale

Kat's Valley View Inn, formerly the Lights of Jerome, is a local Bed & Breakfast re-opening for business Labor Day 2015. Located at 1126 Valley View Road in Clarkdale, the Inn provides a central location for visiting all of the great attractions in the Verde Valley. Your private suite, entrance and deck ensure a relaxing stay. Wake up to chirping birds and a healthy breakfast prepared for you by Kat. Please call for reservations: 520-861-8338. Visit the website at [Kat's Valley View Inn](http://Kat's Valley View Inn)



**Shop local -** our diverse businesses help maintain Clarkdale's distinctive character.

## WE WANT TO HEAR MORE FROM YOU!

In November of 2014 the Town of Clarkdale Community Services Department presented a survey that asked community members about the types of programs, events and activities they would like the Town of Clarkdale to offer. The top answers were Adult Programs, Town Park Events and River Access Point programs/activities. We are now gathering additional details to determine what specific subjects are of interest. We value your input and ideas. Please help us bring you the programs and activities that best suit you and your family. Visit our online survey at [www.clarkdale.az.gov](http://www.clarkdale.az.gov) and go to the Community Services Survey. You may also stop by the Clark Memorial Library, 39 N. Ninth St., for a paper copy of the survey. Together, we can make our community better!



## Clarkdale *Poker Stroll*



Saturday, September 19, 2015  
on Main Street, Clarkdale: 11 AM—3 PM

*Come build a winning hand while strolling through Downtown Clarkdale*

Pick up your poker card at the **Arizona Copper Art Museum**

Get your card stamped at the following businesses:

- Clarkdale Historical Society & Museum
- Clarkdale Caboose Gift Shop
- Four Eight Wineworks
- The Clarkdale Market
- 10-12 Lounge



End at **Main Street Café & Pizzeria**

The best hand wins a fabulous Clarkdale Gift Basket!

**Must be 21 to participate**

Sponsored by the Clarkdale Downtown Business Alliance  
Call 928-301-9798 for more information

### Patriot Trash Service Information

Due to the Labor Day holiday, trash will be delayed one day and picked up on Wednesday September 8<sup>th</sup> instead. Please make sure your carts are put out Tuesday evening.

### Brush Pick Up Service

As a courtesy service to Clarkdale trash customers, Patriot Disposal will pick up tree trimmings, brush clippings and leaves every Tuesday with your regular trash service.

#### Requirements for Brush Pick up Service:

1. Call the Town of Clarkdale, Utility Billing office at 928-639-2450 to be included in the following Tuesday pick up.
2. Grass clippings and leaves must be bagged.
3. Tree clippings and trimmings must be cut to 3 foot lengths and bundled.
4. You are limited to 4 bags and 2 bundles per week.
5. Please keep in mind the weight of these items as a person will be physically lifting them.
6. Place the bags and/or bundles next to your trash cart.



Patriot is a Smart Stream Recycler and both trash and recycle may be combined into one cart to be dumped every Tuesday. Patriot Disposal will separate and remove the recyclable material after it gets to their facility. All other material will then be disposed of at the landfill.

# Volunteers

THE HEART OF OUR COMMUNITY



**The Town of Clarkdale needs you!** There are numerous volunteer opportunities available:

- Verde River Poker Run
- Halloween
- Library
- Flag Corp

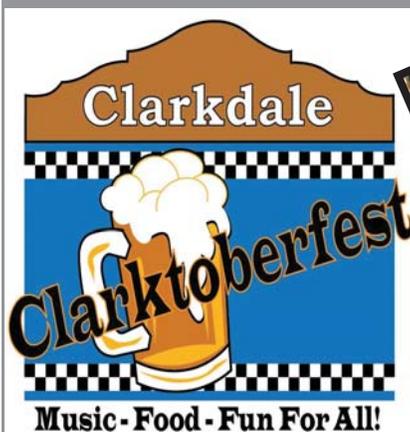
**College and High School students are also encouraged to apply!**

Contact Community Services at 928-639-2460 for more information or visit the Town of Clarkdale website, [www.clarkdale.az.gov](http://www.clarkdale.az.gov) and choose the "Volunteer" tab on the left.

## Clarkdale Historical Society and Museum

Did you know CHSM currently has 132 United Verde Copper Company ledger books? In 2011, the Town of Clarkdale officially "loaned" all these objects, photos, documents, and blueprints from 1912 to 1957 to us for preservation and security. Recently we were able to secure a small grant to hire an expert, Amy Erives, to inventory and create finding aids for these items along with an inventory of the former Heritage Conservancy files. Finding aids are tools created by professionals which provide detailed inventories of information within a collection of records. We want to make these records available to serious researchers without damaging the items themselves. This is a long range goal of CHSM which will require funding sources outside of our scope, but we are in contact with Arizona Archives Alliance and Arizona Historical Society which have sent professionals to our small museum and archives to advise us how to proceed. This is a fascinating part of preserving the past for the future.

## Second Annual Clarktoberfest October 3rd from Noon until 9 PM Main Street between Ninth and Tenth Streets



Come play in the street!

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