

SMALL TALK



TOWN OF CLARKDALE

NOVEMBER 2017



ROUNDBOUT CLARKDALE

What kind of businesses would you like to see in downtown Clarkdale?

The Planning Commission is working on the Central Business Focus Area Plan, which is a business retention, expansion, and attraction strategy. Knowing what types of businesses local residents would support is important to current owners and future investors.

Ideas being discussed include a grocery store, retail stores, a boutique hotel and a local brewery.

We would love to hear what you think. Contact Beth Escobar at 928-639-2507 or email your ideas to beth.escobar@clarkdale.az.gov

The Planning Commission will be discussing the plan at their November 21st meeting at 4:00 p.m. in the Men's Lounge of the Clarkdale Clubhouse. Everyone is invited to attend the meeting to share ideas.

Contact the Community Development Department at (928) 639-2500 with any questions or if you would like your Clarkdale business featured in a monthly



CLARK MEMORIAL LIBRARY IS BACK!

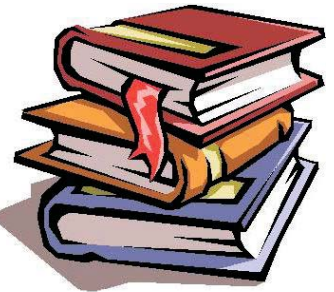
A grand three-day celebration kicks off on Thursday, October 19, at 10am with a book sale that is epic (even by CML standards) and runs through Saturday the 21st, with events for the whole community.

Join us for the Grand Re-Opening Ceremony, Thursday at 1pm. Featuring the Jerome Ukulele Orchestra, Mingus Union Honors Choir, and distinguished guest speakers including County Supervisor Randy Garrison, State Librarian Holly Henley, Clarkdale Mayor Doug Von Gausig and Vice Mayor Richard Dehnert, the ceremony will be a fitting start to CML's next 90 years!

After the ribbon-cutting, we will celebrate CML'S 90th with birthday cake and ice cream.

For more information, updates, and a schedule of Grand Re-Opening activities, visit:

Yavapailibrary.org/Clarkdale OR
Clarkmemoriallibrary.org



90
YEAR ANNIVERSARY



CLARK MEMORIAL
CLUBHOUSE

OCTOBER 19, 1927

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

TRAVELING MASTER Self-Defense Classes

Oct. 28 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Oct. 29 2:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Clark Memorial Clubhouse Auditorium

To sign up call (928) 451-6290 or visit
aztravelingmaster.com

HALLOWEEN

Tues. October 31st

TRICK-OR-TREATING

5pm-7 pm

COSTUME CONTEST

5:30 pm
in Town Park

Clarkdale Historic Society & Museum:

SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY BIG BAND DANCE

November 4th 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM

FLAGSTAFF FRIENDS OF TRADITIONAL MUSIC DANCE

November 18th

Dance Lesson starts at 6:30 PM

Dance starts at 7:00 PM

\$10 per person

Clark Memorial Clubhouse Auditorium

For more information on these and other
events visit www.clarkdale.az.gov

To find things to do in Clarkdale, visit
experienceclarkdale.com



Clarkdale Historical Society and Museum

www.clarkdalemuseum.org or 928-649-1198

CLARKDALE STEEL MILL

Does the name William Zechendorf ring a bell? Perhaps only with those who have studied Clarkdale's history since the smelter closed in 1950. Zechendorf had plans to build a \$15 million dollar plant in Clarkdale at the old smelter site in 1959. This would be the first steel producing plant in Arizona. Although located in New York, he had a genuine interest in Arizona because his father owned and operated a general store in Tucson. Technically, the project was a success and the reduction process did produce a satisfactory grade from the Clarkdale slag. However, two factors prevented the project from becoming reality: the cost of electric power in Arizona and a suitable grade of coal. A copper replica of the never-built Clarkdale Steel Mill was donated and can be seen at the museum. This recent donation came to us from George Olson of ARC Laboratories, a Phoenix company involved in the development process of extracting iron ore from copper slag and turning it into plain carbon steel.



LET THERE BE LIGHTS!

The Community Services
Department is now
accepting donations of
Christmas lights for the
decoration of Main Street,
Town Park, and the
Gazebo.

Please drop off donations
at the Town of Clarkdale
Administrative Offices.

Town of Clarkdale Offices will be CLOSED



Nov. 10th:

Observance of
Veteran's Day

Nov. 23rd & 24th:

Thanksgiving

