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Classic Country Western at the Clarkdale Park Gazebo

Be prepared for some boot scootin' boogie on Saturday, September 20th, from 6-8 p.m. Clarkdale's Concerts in the Park is proud to present Junction 87. This free concert will be performed at the Clarkdale Park Gazebo.

Junction 87 consists of Billy Ichida on Lead Guitar, Bob Lewis, Lead Singer, Bass Guitar and Rhythm Guitar, and Jim Norman, Bass Fiddle, Bass Guitar and Singer. In 2005 the band underwent a change by bringing Bob on board, and they have decided to get back to their roots and perform primarily old Country and Western standards and '50's Rock and Roll with some of the most frequently requested "Hoe-down" numbers that have become so popular today.

Junction 87 hails from Payson and has been with the Buffalo Bar and Grill in Payson for six years, continuing the "Sunday Jam Session" that began about eleven years ago at Rye Creek Bar and Restaurant. Junction 87 received second place in the 2008 best of Payson Awards in the Best Local Performance Group or Soloist category. Their new CD, "Almost Alive" is out and can be purchased from the bandstand or at Payson Music Center and Taylor Brothers Beeline Music. To find out more about Junction 87 and to listen to some of their demo music please visit their website: www.Junction87.com.

The concert is performed in the gazebo in Main Street Park located in the center of the town's historic district on Main Street, between 9th and 10th Streets. There is a 50/50 raffle which all proceeds benefit the Concerts in the Park. Alcoholic beverages are not permitted. Vendors will be on site. Vending spaces are still available to rent, contact town hall at 639-2400. If you would like additional information regarding the Concerts in the Park contact Dawn Norman, Parks and Recreation, at 639-2490.

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