

SMALL TALK

The official newsletter of the Town of Clarkdale



Construction Update

The Town of Clarkdale has recently completed several paving projects. One is along S. Broadway Road which called for overlaying the roadway pavement surface, adding a curb and gutter on both sides of the roadway and a sidewalk on the north side. A portion of this project was funded by an Arizona Department of Transportation grant in the amount of \$562,000.

Additionally, the Town has performed pavement preservation projects along three major corridors (Main Street, Clarkdale Parkway and Old Jerome Highway). The work also included re-striping all roads to allow for the addition of bike lanes where possible. The new, narrower width of 9-feet will assist in slowing down traffic to adhere to designated speed limits.

Upcoming road improvement projects will include roads in Lower Clarkdale. Preliminary cost estimates are being developed and will be presented to Council later this year. If approved (subject to available funding), the project would be scheduled to start in April of 2021.

New Historic Preservation Commission

Applications are being accepted for Clarkdale's upcoming Historic Preservation Commission. The Commission must be composed of five members, all of whom have a demonstrated interest, experience or knowledge in at least one of the following:

History, architectural history, architecture, historic interiors, historic architecture, planning, archaeology, historic archaeology, real estate, historic preservation law or other historic preservation related field.

Applications may be downloaded from the Town's website at www.clarkdale.az.gov under "Boards and Commissions" and are also available at the Administration Building, 39 N. Ninth Street, Clarkdale, AZ 86324.

Return completed applications by email to the Town Clerk at maryellen.dunn@clarkdale.az.gov
Questions? Call Town Clerk, Mary Ellen Dunn (928)639-2400



Clark Memorial Library

NOW OPEN BY APPOINTMENT

Mon-Thurs : 1:00 pm- 5:30 pm
Friday: 8:00 am-12:00 pm

Doors remain locked so call (928) 634-5423 or knock when you arrive.

Writing Memories Group With Ann Metlay
In person & Zoom Meeting:
August 10th at 1:30 pm
All experience levels welcome!

EMAIL: FRIENDS@FRIENDSOFCML.ORG TO GET YOUR ZOOM INVITATION

Storytime and fun activity videos are available on the Library District's Facebook page at www.facebook.com/YCFLD

Art in the Clark presents
"NOT FOR SALE"
August & September by 
Made in Clarkdale

REMEMBER TO #MASK UP CLARKDALE



STAY HEALTHY. | RETURN SMARTER. | RETURN STRONGER.

Message from the Mayor

Our town's number one job today is to get our schools and businesses back to work in a way that the public feels safe. Our schools must find ways that students, teachers and parents all feel confident that everything possible is being done to safeguard them from the Coronavirus. Our businesses also need trusting customers to visit their restaurants, museums, wineries and hotels. The Town Council and our staff are dedicated to working with Clarkdale-Jerome School District and all of our businesses to give assistance that helps them provide safer places to eat, learn, shop, and have fun. We know that only when we do this will customers feel comfortable and families have the confidence to return to their normal routines.

You can do your part to see that we meet this challenge head on-- literally. Wear your face mask any time you're out in public. Be considerate of everyone around you by keeping your distance and keep your hands clean! If you do your part, we at the Town will do ours, but we can't do it without you! Let's all get back to school and back to work safely.

-Doug Von Gausig

Great time for home projects

LOOKING TO GET THOSE HOME PROJECTS STARTED OR COMPLETED?

The Town of Clarkdale would love to assist you with your permit needs. Permits are not only a requirement, but an important tool for your safety. Improvements can have a significant impact financially for the homeowner if not done correctly. Please come see us at Community Development, call us at (928)639-2500 or email us at Communitydevelopment@clarkdale.az.gov

THE TOWN OF CLARKDALE ASKS YOU TO
SHOP LOCAL
EAT LOCAL
SPEND LOCAL



Watch for Census workers in the field this month! 68% of Clarkdale residents have already completed their 2020 Census. Thank you! Visit: www.Census.gov to complete yours today. Everyone counts in Clarkdale!



Clarkdale Police Department

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT 2020 IS NORMALLY HELD IN AUGUST, BUT DUE TO THE PUBLIC HEALTH THREAT POSED BY COVID-19, THE EVENT IS NOW TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2020 FROM 5:00PM TO 7:00PM IN TOWN PARK.

Clarkdale PD enjoys hosting this event for all our Clarkdale friends and neighbors, so please watch this newsletter and social media for updates!

Election News



Remember, local races are sometimes determined in the Primary, so be sure to cast your ballot on August 4th. The last day to vote early in person is July 31st, 2020. Don't forget to mail in your ballot or put it in a designated ballot box before the deadline!

YOUR LOCAL CANDIDATES:

- Mayor- **Robyn Prud'homme-Bauer & Doug Von Gausig**
- Two 4-year Council Seats- **Debbie Hunseder & Marney Babbitt-Pierce**
- One 2-year Council Seat- **Alicia O'Neill**

The Clark Memorial Clubhouse at 19 N. Ninth St. is a voting center. For more Election related news, visit the County website at: www.yavapai.us/electionsvr or Clarkdale's website at www.clarkdale.az.gov

Follow our social media pages for up-to-date news, notices, and events going on in Clarkdale:

