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IN MEMORY

Betty Hammer-Joy

Pete Woolsey

Gone But Not Forgotten

NEWS FROM TOWN HALL

By Yvonne Kimball, Town Manager

Public Works Dept. utilizes new programs to improve operation

Town staff learned that some residents have questions about how to report a Right of Way (ROW) problem, such as a fallen street sign or a new pothole. The Public Works Department would like to ask our residents to call 928-632-7362 and ask for Ed Hanks, Public Works Director. All ROW related work orders are scheduled through Ed.

It is not a good idea to stop a town employee who works in the field as they are often on a job that require full attention for safety reasons. Additionally, there are many contractors who could be hired by the Town or private property owners or the utility companies to do work along the ROWs. Sometimes it is difficult to know whether the person you report a problem to works for the Town or will relay the message. To ensure your concern being reported to the Town, the best way is to call Town Call directly.

On the other hand, many citizens recognize the two employees that work in the Public Works Department who are under Ed's supervision. They are Todd Hamilton and Troy Mofatt. Council has agreed to hire one additional employee (and purchase more heavy equipment) so that the department can handle more in-house work. In the following months, the Town is going to issue all Public Works Department employees uniform shirts, so that they can easily be recognized. As such, if you happen to speak to one of them, you would be able to identify that they are Town employees (and know who they are).

Further, the Public Works Director has been searching for ways to employ technology to improve efficiency and effectiveness of his department. The Department has located a software that would allow field employees to report ROW issues through their cell phones. This software also provides the feature of reporting a road concern online, which will roll out once the Town's new website is up and running (yes, the town is work-

ing on a new website as the old one is out of date and running out of security protection).

It is our hope that the Public Works uniform and the new operation software will enhance accountability and improve efficiency. We are all looking forward to the change. If you have any questions about these upcoming changes or anything else related to the roads, or if you want to meet Todd, Troy, or Ed, please feel to call Ed Hanks, Public Works Director, at 632-7362.

Call for Volunteer of the Year Nomination: Dewey-Humboldt Volunteer of the Year (2016) Process Begins

Every day Dewey-Humboldt volunteers generously give their time and service to



help others. Now here is your chance to give back by nominating a deserving individual in Dewey-Humboldt for his or her outstanding service through the Town's **Volunteer-of-the-Year** program.

Who is eligible? The nomination is open to all Dewey-Humboldt residents who have volunteered in 2016. Nominees need to have been volunteers for organizations that directly benefit the citizens of the Town of Dewey-Humboldt: the organization can be the Town Council; Town Boards/Commission/Committees, including the Planning and Zoning Commission, and Open Space and Trail Committee; Volunteers for the Town's Activity Center; the Town Library; the Historical Society; Humboldt Elementary School; Meals on Wheels and other agencies that have programs benefiting the citizens of the Town of Dewey-Humboldt are also eligible.

Nomination Process: The process is simple. Nominations can be written on a piece of paper and submitted to Steven Brown at the

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VOTY—Continued from page 1 | Town office by 6 p.m. Thursday, July 6, 2017. Only one nomination per paper please. Please state the nominee's name (who you are nominating), volunteer organization where the nominee volunteered in 2016, and why you believe the individual should be nominated, such as how his/her efforts volunteering in the specific organization have made a profound difference in citizens' lives. Nomination papers can also be submitted via email to stevenbrown@dhaz.gov or faxed to 928-632-7365.

Honoree Selection: The Town Manager will form a citizen committee to review the nominations after the nomination period is closed in June. The Committee then makes a recommendation to the Council. Nominees will be judged on their outstanding service to the citizens of Dewey-Humboldt.

The Honoree of the "Volunteer-of-the-Year" Award, along with all that have been nominated, will be recognized by Town Council in July or August. A public picnic will be scheduled along with a formal plaque and certificate presentation at a Council Meeting.

This is a wonderful way for the Town to express its sincere appreciation for our volunteers and also a great opportunity for volunteers to inspire others through their stories. The Council initiated the program in 2012. Here are the previous honorees throughout the years: Pat Mathews (2012); Tom Grimshaw (2013); Betty Comfort, Frank Davidson, Judy Davidson, Sandra Goodwin, and Sue Palacio (2014); Margaret Roberts and Barry Smylie (2015).

This year, once again, if you know anyone who volunteers in the community, please let the Town know how he/she is doing a great job by nominating him/her.

Keep those nomination papers coming in! Kindly contact the Community Planner, Steven Brown, if you have any questions.

FY 2018 Budget is to be adopted soon:

The Fiscal Year 2017-2018 begins



on July 1, 2017. The Fiscal Year 2017-2018 Tentative Budget is scheduled to be adopted by Council at the June 6th meeting. The hearing and the adoption of the Final FY 17-18 Budget is scheduled for the June 20th Council Meeting.

Council Meetings are held at Town Hall located at 2735 S. Highway 69, Dewey-Humboldt, at 6:30 pm. The schedule is tentative at this point.

Confirm meeting agendas via dhaz.gov a day before the meeting or call Town Hall at 632-7362.

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORNER

PERMIT REMINDER

Warm weather and summer vacation has arrived. Residents often decide to take on some projects around their properties, such as home additions, porches, sheds, driveways, etc. Please be aware that most projects will require some kind of permit. Even driveways require a permit once they enter the Public Right of Way. The purpose of the permitting requirement is to protect the safety and welfare of your property and the community.

If you are planning to do work on or around your house, please contact the Town Office with project details first. Town staff will help you determine any permitting requirements. Taking this simple step may prevent unexpected cost and headaches for all concerned parties during your improvement project.

PERMITS ISSUED:

The Town's Building Department issued the following permits in April. This information is to indicate growth in the community.

- Single Family Residences—0
- Manufactured Homes—1
- Other—11

COMMUNITY NEWS

D-H COMMUNITY ENVIRONMENTAL BOARD

Want to get involved and meet others interested in the environment and community projects? Join the **Dewey-Humboldt Community Environmental Board**, in collaboration with the University of Arizona Superfund Research Program (this is not a Town Council ad hoc committee).

Our Mission:

"Identifying and striving to address local environmental issues through science, education, and community collaboration."

Background:

The Dewey-Humboldt Community Environmental Board was originally formed in 2012 as a venue for the University of Arizona Superfund Research Program to share their ongoing research with local citizens.

Now, it is time to build and expand the board - please join us!

Meetings are held quarterly on the second Wednesday of the first month of each quarter, at 12:30 p.m. at the Dewey-Humboldt Public Library. **Our next meeting is June 14th!**

If you would like to attend this or other future meetings contact Denise at dmoreno@email.arizona.edu or 520-626-9049

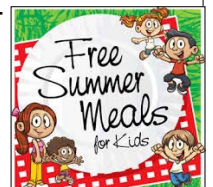
HUSD FREE SUMMER MEAL PROGRAM

This Program is funded by the US Department of Agriculture Child Nutrition Program to ensure all children, ages 18 and younger, continue to receive nutritious meals over the summer.

FREE meals for kids will be provided at **Humboldt Elementary School**, 2750 S Corral St, Humboldt, from June 5th through July 14th (except July 4th). Breakfast will be served from 8 to 9 and lunch is served from 11:30 TO 12:30. Adult meals are also available at \$2 for breakfast and \$3 for lunch.

There is NO paperwork, NO enrollment, and NO reservation required.

Babysitters, day-care centers, and summer camps are all welcome!



MEETING DATES AND EXPECTED AGENDA ITEMS

Subject to change. Check website, postings in crier boards or call Town Hall to confirm.

Town Council Chambers
2735 S. Hwy. 69, Humboldt
(unless otherwise posted)

Council Meetings 6:30pm

June 6: 1) Firewise Board report; 2) PW Qtrly Report; 3) Code Section 31.17 Board, Commission, Committee Appts.

June 20: 1) Public Safety Qtrly Report; 2) UofA Report; 3) Firewise grant partnership.

Council Work Session 6:30pm

June 13: 1) Town's Website and Facebook presentation; 2) Ms. Pomeroy's presentation on potential changes to Chapter 90 *Animals*.

P & Z Meetings 6:00pm

June 8: 1) Zoning Anomalies.

To receive Meeting Notifications and Agendas by email contact: Agenda List@dhaz.gov and put "subscribe" in the subject line.

Citizens may have an item placed on the agenda by contacting a Council Member or filling out a form available at Town Hall.

TUNA CASSEROLE

Mrs. D. R. Lowe

1 can cream of mushroom soup, 2/3 cup grated cheese, 1 cup water, 2 cans drained tuna, 1/2 cup milk, 1-1/2 cup Minute Rice, 1 small can whole tomatoes, 1/2 onion thinly sliced, 1/4 cup sliced ripe olives, crushed potato chips for topping.

Heat soup, milk and cheese until cheese is melted. Combine rice and pepper in greased 1-1/2 quart casserole. Drain tomatoes, saving 1/2 cup juice. Stir Juice and water into rice. Slice tomatoes and arrange on rice mixture. Add onion, tuna and olives. Pour soup and cheese mixture over all; then sprinkle crushed potato chips on top. Bake at 375 for 20 to 25 minutes. Serves 4.

(This recipe is from the 1966 "What's Cookin' at Pima School" -compiled by the Scottsdale, AZ, Pima Elementary School PTA.)



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JUNE 2017

The Post with a View

Noon to 7pm,

Sunday thru Saturday;

June 3: Auxiliary eBoard Meeting 2pm;

June 4: 40 & 8 1pm;

June 7: Monthly Meetings: Auxiliary 4pm/Post Meeting 5pm/Queen of Hearts 5pm;

June 8: S.A.L. Meets at 5pm;

June 10: ALR Meeting **May 18:** Veteran's Lunch 11 am;

June 14: Flag Day Ceremony 11am



and Lunch at noon;

June 15: VA Lunch for Ft.

Whipple Vets 11am;

June 20: Karaoke with Captain Stan from 4 to 7pm;

June 23 -24-25: Arizona State Convention—Phoenix.

Coming Events: Aux eBoard July 1/Fourth of July/Aux Karaoke Christmas—15th.

Mondays: 8 Ball Tournament 4:30pm;

Wednesdays: QUEEN OF HEARTS drawing 5pm;

Friday Fish Fry: 5 to 7pm – **Public Welcome!** (Cod, Catfish, Shrimp plus Chef's Special) Soup, Salad, Rolls, Dessert \$10 per person

Fish Fry Music: 2: Greenwood Hill; 9: Peggy Evans; 16: Greenwood Hill; 23: Greenwood Hill; 30: TBA

ACTIVITY CENTER

Tuesday through Friday, 10 to 2,
13000 Prescott Street, Humboldt,
(928) 632-0699

Mission: To provide adult, youth and family services to strengthen the family unit and to provide recreational, event and meeting space.

AA FOR MEN: Thursdays at 7pm.

COFFEE TIME: Tuesdays, 10am to ? Goodies, conversation, fun!

BINGO: Tuesdays, 11am to noon.

Bring a \$2 prize (can include nonperishable foods). Player with the highest number of wins each 4 weeks wins lunch for two at a local area restaurant.



COMMUNITY CUPBOARD:

The Center collects and distributes nonperishable food items locally



THRIFT STORE:

Offering a good variety of items, and accepting donations (but not electric appliances, clothing, shoes or opened toiletries).

SERVICES:

AHCCCS & DES APPLICATIONS:

Food Stamps, Medical Ins., etc.

HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE INFORMATION:

For more information call: 211 or (877) 211-8661 or visit www.211arizona.org.

LEGAL ADVOCACY: Call Amy Lansa: 775-9993, ext 4271.

MEDICARE ASSISTANCE: Call Nancy Coman: 775-9993 ext 3.

APS & UNS GAS DISCOUNTS: Handouts available.

JUNE EVENTS & HOLIDAYS

June 6: D-Day, WWII;

June 14: Flag Day;

June 19: Juneteenth Day;

June 20: Summer Solstice;

Birthstone: Pearl

Flower: Rose



AGUA FRIA FESTIVAL

Preparations are under way for the annual **Agua Fria Festival** and the **Dewey-Humboldt Historical Society** is looking for volunteers, vendors, jam & jelly contestants, and Old West Founders Parade participants! Come by the Dewey-Humboldt Museum, Thursday through Saturday from 10am to 4pm, to pick up your applications. And be sure to return them **NO LATER** than Thursday, **August 31st!**

ATTENTION KIDS!

The **Agua Fria Festival Button Contest** has started at the local schools. If you're homeschooled or you missed the chance at your school you can pick up an entry form at the Dewey-Humboldt Museum. Your form must be turned in by **July 15th**. You can submit more than one entry. Good Luck!

ATTENTION BUSINESSES!

Your business ad would look great in the Agua Fria Festival Program! Just call Charlotte Klein at (928) 277-5609 to get your ad in.

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Articles welcome from and provided by Citizens, Organizations, Committees, Staff, and Partners of the Town of Dewey-Humboldt.

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Denise Rogers, Editor

Please submit articles by the 15th on-line at: newsletter@dhaz.gov or in person at Town Hall.

PRESCOTT AND PV FARMERS MARKET

Tuesday Afternoons from 2—6pm, (through Oct 31), in the Harkins Theatre Parking Lot (NW corner), Glassford Hill Road & Park Avenue, **Prescott Valley**, and **Saturday Mornings** from 7:30 to noon, (through Oct 31), at Yavapai College Parking Lot B, 1100 E Sheldon St, **Prescott**.



LEARN ABOUT OUR TOWN:

HAVE COFFEE WITH THE TOWN MANAGER!

Monday, June 12th from 9 to 10am in the Town Manager's Office.

DHHS YARD SALE

June 1, 2, 3 and 8, 9, 10 from 8am to 2pm at the Museum, 12925 Main St.

Come find your treasures!



The **Friends of the Library** are having a **SILENT BOOK AUCTION** on **Thursdays, 1:00 – 5:00pm**. Up for auction is Michael Connelly's latest book: **"The Late Show."** . The minimum starting bid is \$10. Your bid will help support the library's diverse programs and activities. Win this book!

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