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# THE DEWEY-HUMBOLDT NEWSLETTER

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## IT'S TAX TIME!

If you owe income tax to the State of Arizona and you'd like to designate **where** some or all of it's going to be used there are **22 pages** of **qualified Arizona Organizations** and **32 pages** of **Arizona Public Schools** to choose from. With that many choices it's pretty likely that your favorite non-profit or school is included. And won't it be great to decide where some of your tax money is spent!

Go to: <https://azdor.gov/tax-credits> to find your preferred recipient and get their CTDS# and steps to donating.

Different organizations and schools have different allowable deductible donation amounts, and different ways to donate.

**For example**, if you want to donate to **Humboldt Elementary School** you can go to the school (2750 Corral St in Humboldt), choose one of the eligible activities, programs or purposes they have (they'll have a list) and give them up to \$400 (couple) or \$200 (single). You'll get a **Form 322** to file with your state tax return. Their CTDS# is: 130222131.

And it's not too late—unless you've already filed. Donations made until April 15 can be claimed on your 2024 taxes!

# DEWEY-HUMBOLDT DAYS



Saturday  
 26 APRIL 2025



Main Street  
 Dewey-Humboldt

**11:00-3:00 Free Admission**

### Learn

- How Knives are Made
- The History of D-H
- Get a Library Card
- Property Fire Defense
- 4-H Program

### Activites

- Corn Hole & Games
- Hoola Hoop
- Cookie Walk
- Young Marines Obstacle Course
- 4-H Petting Zoo
- Town BBQ @ Great Prices



Questions call  
 Jeremiah @  
 928-499-4850

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## SUPERFUND SITE / EPA ACTIVITIES UPDATE

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) continues its efforts to sample soils in local residential yards to determine whether cleanup from the Iron King Mine and Humboldt Smelter is recommended.

The area for sampling was recently expanded and EPA sent some property owners explanatory letters and consent-for-access forms. EPA encourages the owners to sign the forms and return them in the postage-paid return envelopes included with the letters. EPA will only conduct sampling upon receiving the signed forms.

EPA staff are returning to the community in April to knock on doors, answer questions about the sampling, and collect signed consents-for-access form. You may download the forms here: <https://experience.arcgis.com/experience/c37b8129bf304fa0ad034d3ebf2a4626>

U.S. EPA is planning another open house for community members to learn more about U.S. EPA's residential soil sampling and cleanup. Tentatively Scheduled in May 2025 at The Barn at Mortimer Farms.



## WHAT'S HAPPENING! DEWEY-HUMBOLDT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

**Dewey-Humboldt Historical Society:**  
Join Us!

**Reasons to Consider Joining Your Local Historical Society:** Are you fascinated by the rich farming, ranching, and mining history of our area and how these activities shaped the community we enjoy today? If so, the Dewey-Humboldt Historical Society welcomes you!

**Benefits of Membership:**

**Volunteer at Exciting Events:** Participate in fun and engaging events like the annual Agua Fria Festival and other community gatherings.

**Explore Arizona's Backcountry:** Join our Backcountry Outings and venture deep into Arizona's rugged wilderness. Discover long forgotten townsites, Native American ruins, and former mining operations.

**Learn at Monthly Meetings:** Attend our monthly meetings to delve into our local history and hear captivating presentations from guest speakers who bring the past to life.



**Contribute to Museum Preservation:** Join fellow members in maintaining and landscaping the museum property. Help set up outdoor museum exhibits in preparation for the Grand Opening. Witnessing the museum coming together is a rewarding experience.

**Perhaps in the Future:** Volunteer as a museum docent and guide visitors through our exhibits.

**Connect with Your Community:** Meet new friends and neighbors while actively preserving our history for future generations. Build a legacy that will never be forgotten.

**Annual Memberships:** Starting at \$20

per year.

**Lifetime Membership:** \$200.

**Visit our Website**  
dhhsmuseum.org  
and follow the Membership Link  
to join today!

**Become a part of our history!**

All are invited to the Monthly Meetings the 2nd Wednesday of the Month at:

Agua Fria Church  
2nd Street, Humboldt  
Time 5:30PM

## PRESCOTT NATIONAL FOREST NEWS

The **John's Tank Trail**, a good part of which is along the east side of **Lynx Lake**, is closed through June 30th to protect nesting Bald Eagles.



The rest of the easy walking trail around the Lake is open and entrance to the area is **FREE** on Wednesdays.

## HIGHLAND CENTER FAMILY FOREST PLAY

1375 S Walker Rd, Prescott  
Thursdays, April 3, 10, & 17,  
10am 'til noon.

Bring your littles to the Highlands Center for some family fun in the forest. We will meet in Forest Play on select Thursday mornings to read stories, play games, make crafts, go on hikes, and discover the wonders of nature.

Stories and activities are designed for ages 0-5 years old.

Come dressed for the elements and bring your water and lunch or snack to enjoy under the pines.

Register on line for these **FREE** events: <https://highlandscenter.org/family/>



## ST. MARY'S FOOD DISTRIBUTION:

04/17/25 from 12:00 pm to  
2:00 pm at the vacant Town lot  
on Main Street.



**Saturday May 3rd, 2025 from 10am to 1 pm!**

**5th Annual DH Firewise "Don't Get Burned" Wildfire Safety  
Event and Art Contest Award at Mortimer Farms**

\* **Artwork Awards Presentation**

\* **First Responders**

\* **Animal Disaster Services**

\* **Emergency Support Agencies**

\* **State Agencies**

\* **Federal Agencies**

\* **Sponsors**



**THANKS TO OUR SPONSORS!**



## ARE YOU THINKING ABOUT A LITTLE VACATION?

If you are thinking about the possibility of a summer vacation, or any number of day trips or long weekends over the next year, then the **America the Beautiful National Parks and Federal Recreational Lands Pass** is your ticket to more than 2,000 federal recreation sites across the country. There are 13 in Arizona alone, as well as 10 in nearby Utah, 6 in New Mexico, 7 in Colorado, and 14 in California



Each Pass is \$80 and is good for one year. It admits the pass owner and passengers in a non-commercial vehicle at per-vehicle fee areas; and pass owner + 3 adults where per-person fees are charged. Children under 16 are always admitted free.

If you are a U.S. citizen or permanent resident age 62 or older, have a permanent disability, are a current U.S. Military member, Gold Star Family member, veteran or are a student in the 4th grade, you may qualify for other passes.

You can order a pass on line at <https://shop.usparkpass.com/collections/park-passes-gift-cards> or purchase one at any participating Federal Recreation Site. The closest one to us is at Montezuma's Castle near Camp Verde. You can also get them at REI in the Frontier Village Shopping Center in Prescott.

For more information contact your local participating Federal recreation site.



### PERMITS ISSUED

Building Department  
issued permits  
February 2025:

Manufactured Home	2
Zoning	2
Grading	1
Electric	2
Right of Way	1
Other Building	5
Single Family Residence	1
Solar	1
Change in Use	1
Mechanical	2
Home Business Occupation	1
Demo	1
<b>Total:</b>	<b>20</b>

### MEETING DATES

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

Find the full agenda packets for upcoming meetings, as well as, packets and minutes for previous meetings online at [Town Meeting Documents and Videos | Dewey-Humboldt, AZ \(dhaz.gov\)](#)

#### Regular Council Meetings @ 6:30 p.m.

- April 1, 2025
- April 15, 2025

#### Planning & Zoning Meeting @ 6:00p.m.

- April 3, 2025

#### Council Study Session @ 6:30 p.m.

- April 8, 2025

#### Board of Adjustment @ 9:00 a.m.

- April 22, 2025

Meetings are held via Granicus. Comments can be given at the meeting or be submitted no later than 3:30 p.m., to [BethEvans@dhaz.gov](mailto:BethEvans@dhaz.gov), on the day of meeting. Please identify agenda item and your full name.

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

**If you would like to receive email updates and notices of Town Meetings and Events please call the Town Office at (928) 632-7362 and ask to be added to the list.**

### DEWEY-HUMBOLDT MAGISTRATE COURT

The Dewey-Humboldt Magistrate Court is open Tuesday-Thursday from 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. and closed for lunch from 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Payments may be deposited in the receptacle on the southwest corner of our parking lot, outside of Suite 15. Credit card payments can be made inside Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. If the Court Clerk is not here, you will need to know your case number and the amount due in order to make a credit card payment.

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**ATTN: NON-PROFITS & GOVT AGENCIES** PLEASE submit articles for inclusion in the D-H Newsletter to Denise at [drcoldh2o@gmail.com](mailto:drcoldh2o@gmail.com) by the 15th of the month. **THANK YOU!**



# LIBRARY NEWS

YCFLD.GOV 2735 Corral St. Humboldt, AZ 86329 Phone: 928-632-5049

**Hours:**  
**Monday—**  
**Thursday**  
**8:30 AM**  
**to 6:00 PM**

## APRIL LIBRARY PROGRAMS

**Find your next read online!**  
**Library Catalog Made Easy**

**April 8th**  
 4 PM - 6 PM

**Flock to the Library for**  
**“Shawn the Sheep”**

**Movie Night**  
**April 17th**  
 PM - 6 PM



**Bloom Big for Earth Day!**  
**Jumbo Flower Craft**

**April 22th**  
 4 PM - 6 PM



## WEEKLY EVENTS

### **Mondays:**

Friends of the Library - *Weekly book sale* 11 AM - 3 PM  
 Happy Hands Workshop - *Craft activities for all ages* 4 PM - 6 PM

### **Tuesdays:**

Tai Chi for Beginners 10 AM - 11 AM

### **Wednesdays:**

Drop In Tech 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM  
 Full S.T.E.A.M. Ahead! - *STEAM activities for kids* 1 PM - 5 PM  
 Creative Minds Club - *After-school club* 3 PM - 5 PM

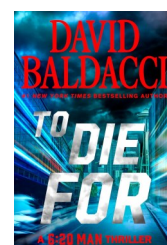
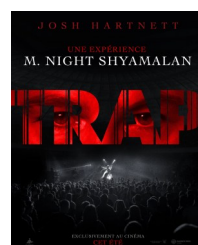
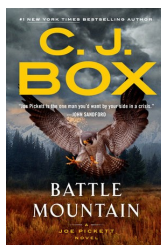
### **Thursdays:**

Intro to Qigong - *Tai Chi is a form of Qigong* 10 AM - 11 AM

### **Fridays:**

Writing Consultations - *Virtual only* 10 AM - 12:45 PM

## COMING SOON TO THE LIBRARY



### More than just books...

Did you know that your local library has several services for its patrons?

- ⇒ Free Notary Services
- ⇒ Print, Copy, & Scanning Services
- ⇒ Free Wi-Fi Hotspot Checkout
- ⇒ Free Computer Access
- ⇒ Free Online Learning Databases
- ⇒ Free Access to *Consumer Reports*
- ⇒ County Wide Event Calendar

[www.Yavapai.Events](http://www.Yavapai.Events)



**find us on facebook!!**  
 Just search “@YCFLD”

## FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

### Weekly Book Sales

Mondays 11 AM - 3 PM

### Book Club

Jan 13th, 2 PM - 3 PM

*Accepting book donations Mondays - Like-new and good condition books accepted - 3 boxes maximum.*



**LOOK INSIDE!! NEW TOPICS!!**



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