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WHATS HAPPENING! DEWEY-HUMBOLDT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Drew Desmond

Join the Dewey-Humboldt Historical Society on **Wednesday, October 8th** for a very special presentation by Drew Desmond. Drew will be presenting the topic "Local Archeology" beginning at **5:30 PM** on October 8th at the **Agua Fria Church on Second Street in Historic Humboldt**. The public is invited as we dig into the past and uncover some of our early history.



Drew is the President of the Western Heritage Center and administrator of the popular "Celebrating Historic Prescott" Facebook group which provides an image daily and three Prescott history articles per week.

His #PrescottAZHistory account on X is followed by many local institutions including businesses, reporters, politicians and even towns.

For questions or more information, contact the Historical Society via e-mail: Info@DHHSMuseum.org

Town of Dewey-Humboldt

HES FALL FEST & TRUNK OR TREAT

TRICK - OR - TREAT
 COMMUNITY FUN
 FUN HALLOWEEN
 DECORATIONS & GAMES
 ASA PARTY RENTALS
 BOUCE HOUSES

HUMBOLDT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
 FREE ADMISSION
 30th October, 2025 | 4:30-6:00 PM
 2750 Corral St. Humboldt, AZ
 Vehicle lineup begins at 3:00
 No Weapons, Drugs, Smoking or Vaping

To Reserve a Space
 Call Denise (928)925-5145
 Suzy (619)277-3902

FRIENDS OF THE D-H LIBRARY SEMI-ANNUAL BIG SALE!

Thursday, Oct 15, 9 to 5
 Friday, October 16, 9 to 5
 Saturday, October 17, 9 to noon

Like-New condition fiction + non-fiction books, CD's, DVD's, audio books, and puzzles for all ages!
 Come support your library and get some new entertainment!

YAVAPAI COUNTY WELL WOMAN HEALTHCHECK

FREE Mammogram + Pap Test. for

- ◆ Ages 40—64 or symptomatic
- ◆ With no insurance, limited insurance, or a high deductible
- ◆ With a limited income

For Eligibility + Appointments CALL Prescott Valley 928-442-5507

ARE YOU READY?

(Continued from last month's News)

A **basic emergency supply kit** could include the following FEMA recommended items:

Water (one gallon per person per day for several days, for drinking and sanitation),

Food (at least a several-day supply of non-perishable food)

Battery-powered or hand crank **radio** and a **NOAA Weather Radio** with tone alert,

Flashlight,

First aid kit,

Extra batteries,

Whistle (to signal for help),

Dust mask (to help filter contaminated air),

Plastic sheeting and duct tape (to shelter in place),

Manual can opener (for food),

Local maps,

Moist towelettes, garbage bags and plastic ties (for sanitation),

Wrench or pliers (to turn off utilities),

Cell phone with chargers and a backup battery.

More info next month and always at yavapaiready.gov

UPCOMING TOWN EVENTS

SAVE THE DATE!

October 30, 2025: Fall Festival and Trunk-or-Treat at Humboldt Elementary School, Humboldt.

Early November, 2025: Call for beneficiaries of the Angel Tree program.

November 24, 2025: Angel Tree up at the Dewey-Humboldt Town Library and available for angels to select a beneficiary.

December 20, 2025: Christmas Light Parade and cocoa, coffee, and cookies with Santa.

"Surely we have a responsibility to leave for future generations a planet that is healthy and habitable by all species."

— Sir David Attenborough



FIRE OR BURN PERMIT

Over the last century, we've gone from a society that relied upon horses and carriages to one seriously contemplating putting men and women onto Mars. Yet despite all these technological advancements, one truth has remained constant: A human being standing watch on a mountain top is still the best way to spot a forest fire. In our urban areas the same truth applies. Help keep our community safe by paying attention to your surroundings. Every fire starts with a little tiny flame and the sooner that little flame can be spotted and dealt with, the better outcome for everybody.

See Flames or Smoke – CALL 911 immediately. If you believe someone is burning a controlled, **but illegal fire (Not having Burn Permit) call PRCC 928-445-5357** or for fire that is absolutely on the **public land call The Prescott Dispatch Center at Forest Service 928-777-5700.**

Please know that whoever you report to, the first thing they will ask is the location of the potential emergency. Familiarize yourself with your area with references to known landmarks or main roads. Seconds count and so does accuracy. Let's us all spy on smoke: Be Your Own Hero, Be A Smoke Spotter! **Free Brush Pick-Up Update**

Dewey-Humboldt Firewise recently sponsored a FREE Brush Pick-Up event that ended up totaling 4 days of work. 27 property owners had brush piles picked up with a total volume of 9 tons. Removing this accumulated brush reduces fire risk by eliminating potential fuel for wildfires, which are fueled by dry, overgrown vegetation. Clearing brush creates defensible space around structures, slowing fire spread and protecting property. Removing dead and dense low-lying vegetation also prevents fires from reaching tree canopies, and promotes healthier, more fire-resistant remaining vegetation. Unfortunately, we could not accommodate everyone's needs. Some of the piles were very large and only a percentage could be removed from these huge piles, which resulted in more people being able to participate.

We have taken on a wait-list and are hoping we can offer another couple of Brush Pick-Up days in the future. Removing brush is an essential fire-prevention strategy. This process involves clearing and managing vegetation to slow a fire's spread and improve safety for emergency responders.

We thank everyone who was able to participate and helped to reduce the fuel load around our town. This helps our whole community in the event of inevitable fire exposure one of these days.

PNF LIFTS STAGE 1 FIRE RESTRICTIONS AND RECREATIONAL SHOOTING RESTRICTIONS

The Prescott National Forest has lifted **Stage 1 Fire Restrictions** and the **Emergency Recreational Shooting** order effective **Sept. 5, 2025**, at 8 a.m. This decision follows careful monitoring of fuel moisture, weather patterns, and fire activity. Forest visitors are reminded that the **FIRE SEASON IS NOT OVER**, and fire prevention remains a shared responsibility. Forest staff and fire managers ask the public to always practice fire safety, including:

- ◆ Keep campfires small.
- ◆ Always keep water and a shovel nearby and know how to use them to fully extinguish fires.
- ◆ Never leave a campfire unattended.
- ◆ Keep an eye on the weather.
- ◆ Make sure your campfire is dead out.

MY FAVORITE CORN BREAD dmr

- 1 c yellow stone-ground corn meal
- 3/4 c all-purpose flour
- 2 tsp baking powder
- 1 tsp baking soda
- 1/2 tsp salt, 1 egg white, 2 whole eggs
- 1 17-oz can cream-style corn
- 1 c buttermilk
- 2 tbsp butter, melted and cooled
- 1 c grated cheddar cheese (4 oz)
- 1/4 c seeded + chopped jalapeno peppers or 1 4-oz can jalapeno or green chili peppers, seeded + chopped

Mix all dry ingredients in a large bowl. In a medium bowl lightly beat the eggs and mix in the rest of the ingredients. Stir into dry ingredients until just combined.

Grease a 9" square or round baking pan or cast-iron skillet and heat it for several minutes in a 400 degree oven. Remove pan and pour batter into it. Return pan to oven and bake for about 25 minutes or until tester inserted in the center comes out clean.



ST. MARY'S FOOD DISTRIBUTION

10/16/25 from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm at the vacant Town lot on Main Street in Humboldt.



LOCATION: Activity Center parking
DATE: Every Tuesday
TIME: 10am – 12pm
Needed: Form of ID (DL, ID, passport, etc.) to show D-H residence.
Pre-packed bag items: 1 can beans, 1 can of soup, 2 cans of veggies, 1 can of fruit, 1 can of pasta sauce, 1 lb of pasta noodles, 1 starch (mac N cheese, mashed potatoes, etc), 1 pouch of chicken, 1 can of tuna, 1 bag of cereal or oatmeal, 1 lb of hamburger, 1 stick of butter.
May be available:
 1/2 gal of milk



PERMITS ISSUED
 Building Department
 issued permits
 Aug 2025:

Zoning	10
Grading	1
Other Building	5
Single Family Residence	1
Sign	1
Total:	18

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 \(dhaz.gov\)](http://Town Meeting Documents and Videos | Dewey-Humboldt, AZ (dhaz.gov))

Regular Council Meetings @ 6:30 p.m.

- Oct 7, 2025
- Oct 21, 2025

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

- Oct 9, 2025

Council Study Session @ 6:30 p.m.

- Oct 14, 2025

Board of Adjustment @ 9:00 a.m.

- Oct 28, 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, 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.

FOR TOWN NOTICES:

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 southeast corner of our parking lot, outside of Suite 15. Credit card payments can be made inside Monday-Thursday 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 by the 15th of the month. **THANK YOU!**



LIBRARY

Hours:	
Mon	9AM - 5PM
Tues	9AM - 5PM
Wed	9AM - 5PM
Thurs	9AM - 7PM
Fri	9AM - 5PM
Sat	9AM - 3PM

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

YARC Youth STEAM Program
 October 4th
 1PM - 2:30 PM
RESERVE YOUR SPOT!

Thursday Evenings
5 PM – 7 PM

Oct. 2nd - Colorful Conversations
 A place and space to chat, snack & color

Oct. 9th - Family Bingo Night
 Play Bingo and win prizes!

Oct. 23rd - Mason Jar Lid Pumpkin Craft
 Make a craft for the holidays!

Oct. 30th - Movie Night
 "Hotel Transylvania"

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

WEEKLY EVENTS

Mondays:
 Friends of the Library *Book Sale* 10 AM - 12 PM

Tuesdays:
 Tai Chi for Beginners 10 AM - 11 AM
 Write Here, Write Now Writers Group 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Wednesdays:
 Drop In Tech 3:30 PM - 5 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 - *Qigong is a form of Tai Chi* 10 AM - 11 AM

Fridays:
 Toddler Story & Play Time - *Ages 1-4* 11 AM - 12 PM

Saturdays:
 Friends of the Library *Book Sale* 10 AM - 12 PM


Harry Potter Week!
 October 13th - 18th
Thursday, 5 PM - 6:30 PM- Harry Potter Night
 Harry Potter Crafts and treats!
Saturday, 1:00 PM - 2 PM- Magical Creature Adoption Day
 Come over and adopt a magical Creature!

FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY

Weekly Book Sales Mondays & Saturdays 10 AM - 12 PM

Book Club Oct. 13th, 2 PM - 3 PM

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



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 Just search "@YCFLD"

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

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