Amargosa Valley Newsletter

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NOMINEE'S NEEDED FOR THREE TOWN BOARD SEATS THAT ARE UP FOR ELECTION IN NOVEMBER.

Please do your civic duty and support our town. This is a two year term of office and the October 28th Town Advisory Board meeting will be the last day to accept nominations. Please talk to your friends and neighbors or if you know someone you think would be a team player. The duties of a town board member is considerably more work than just coming to the board meeting once a month. We need people that have experience in business, finance, computer and writing skills to help develop various policies and procedures to protect the health, wealth and safety of our town.

Thinking of running but you're scared? Afraid you won't know the rules and regulations? Don't be. The town now has manuals and guidelines so anyone that becomes a new board member will have a general working knowledge of their duties. We will be glad to answer any concerns you might have. Call any board member or the town office so we can contact you.

S.N.O.R.E.

The Southern Nevada Off Road Enthusiasts are sponsoring an off road race on Saturday. October 2. They are starting in Johnny and crossing 373 at Frontier and Valley View near the sand dunes. Heading north of the dunes toward Beatty, they will turn around and pass near Lathrop Wells on their way back to Pahrump. Spectators, please be careful and make sure you are at least 1000 feet from their route. It will be clearly marked where they are traveling.

Thank you, Mingo!

Jose de la Pena, better known as Mingo, retired from the Nye County Road Department on July 1, 2010. Mingo had worked for the County since before God made dirt, which was a good thing because he moved a lot of it through the years. Mingo was the one who drove the water truck or blade to remove the ridges in our roads. He prepped, and paved, and chipped, and sealed and still drove water trucks in parades or to fires when extra water was needed. Mingo has helped with lots of community events through the years, and is one of those quiet folks who gets things done without fuss.

Mingo has a ready smile and a wave for everyone and the best weeping willow in captivity. We'll miss you on our roads, Mingo. but, we'll hopefully see you out and about more, now that you're retired. Thanks for all of your service to the community.

Questions & Answers

Anyone have a question(s) that they would like an answer to in the next newsletter? Please email them to the newsletter. The question(s) should be directly related to our town and be something you feel would benefit the town by having the answers published. Please include your name (it doesn't have to be published). The questions will be forwarded to appropriate entity qualified to answer. Keep in mind the dead line for articles is the 20th, so the questions would have to be in by the 13th to insure that there is time to get answers.

Upcoming Events

October 1- NO SCHOOL TEACHER IN SERVICE

October 5- Joyfullears activity meeting. Doors open at 5:30 starts 6 (Church of Amargosa)

October 9- 4:00 pm Fall Reverse Raffle

October 16- Bake sale and rummage sale 9am-5pm (Church of Amargosa)

October 23- Business Men's Fellowship Free Breakfast 9am - at the Gym

October 23 2010- is Ladies Auxiliary to the VFW "MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY". We are collecting food donations for the Amargosa Christian Fellowship Food Bank. If you would like to donate please drop food off at Post Office or the VFW.

October 29- NO SCHOOL-NEVADA DAY

October 30- Family movie night Free!! "It's a Great Pumpkin Charlie Brown Plus??? 5pm

October 31- Hallelujah Harvest Festival

Volleyball games in the Community Center every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Children under 15 MUST be Supervised.

Call Shannon at 775-764-0154 or Rick Hamlin.

Community Meetings

10-05 American Legion VFW 7pm

10-12 AARC CC 6pm

10-12 Library Board AVL 6 pm

10-12 AVFD Fire Hall #2 7pm

10-13 SC for New Senior Building 5:15pm

10-18 Senior Project Council SC 5:30pm

10-19 Ladies Auxiliary VFW 6pm

10-19 VFW @ Post 7pm

10-28 Town Board MTG CC 7pm

Amargosa Radio Club

President Gene Butler

Here is some great news- BINGO NIGHT come and join us for a night of fun and your chance at \$200.00 in prizes. There will be door prizes. Start time is 5pm Saturday the 13th of November 2010 at the Community Center here in the Amargosa Valley. Buy in is only \$5.00 per game. There will be eight (8) games 1-\$5.00 prize- 2-\$10.00 prizes-3 - \$25.00 prizes -2 - \$50.00 prizes. For more information call 775-372-1282 President Gene Butler or Archie Selbach 775-513-5332. Don't forget the 2nd Tuesday of each month (Oct the 12th) will be our next meeting. VOTING NIGHT

Amargosa Valley School

A Huge Thank You to Valley Electric, Walmart and Numerous Community Members who donated School Supplies to Amargosa School this year. Many students were serviced and benefited greatly from your generosity and support. Donations are welcome throughout the school year. Backpacks, glue sticks, paper and pencil, ice packs, boxes of Kleenex are welcome anytime throughout the year. Thanks, again, to all who made donations to Amargosa School. By: Dolores Perez

The year has started out fine. We are on our way to learning lots. Please remember to save **Box Tops for Education**. Just drop them off at school or send them with your child. We use the money to buy books for our Reading Is Fundamental Program. Sunny D is now running a program to save labels in order to get free books for your school. So, please send in those labels, and help our school get more books to read.

By: Diane George.

Box Tops For Education has a product list on www.boxtops4education.com

Ladies Auxiliary

Bonnie G.

Ladies Aux from Amargosa Valley is looking for addresses of active service members. We would like to send a Christmas parcel. Please let Town know the current addresses. We will be sending parcels out early November if anyone would like to donate anything to at least a dozen of our guys and girls please contact VFW or Bonnie at Post Office. Ladies Auxiliary 6826 will be having a Christmas Raffle again this year. If anyone would like to make a donation to our Raffle please contact the VFW for more information.372-5253

Hallelujah Harvest Festival

It's that time of year again Amargosa Christian Fellowship will be sponsoring the Hallelujah Harvest Festival. It will be held October 31st from 6pm -8pm at the community center. There will be games activities refreshments and live Christian music and Candy. The goal of the Hallelujah Harvest festival as always is to provide an alternative to the traditional Halloween and to keep our young people of the community safe by providing a wholesome environment.

In past years there have been hundreds of attendees both Children and Adults, we always give out several hundreds of pounds of candy. We are seeking donations of both time and candies, we always need volunteers to assist with the games and activities and there is a cake walk, so if you would like to bake cakes or cookies or whatever it will be highly appreciated.

Donations may be given to Pastor Gary 775-372-5602, Brenda Dymond 775-372-5572, or dropped off at the town office. I thank this community and all of its residence for helping keep the children safe. Did I mention CANDY. Pastor Gary

RUMMAGE SALE / BAKE SALE

Saturday, October 16th, The Joyfullears Women's Ministry is having a rummage & Bake Sale in the Church of Amargosa parking lot & kitchen. We are located on Farm Rd. 3/4 miles West of Valley View. We will be at the Church serving coffee starting at 9am if you wish to enjoy your treat & visit a while.

It is with your help through fundraisers such as this that we are able to continue blessing those in need in our Valley. This year alone we have purchased eye glasses for a lady and helped a handicapped person with their pump problems. Once again we are helping the school with school supplies and will be singing Christmas Carols and handing out goodie baskets to widows & widowers at Christmas time. On Valentine's Day we also remember the ladies that have lost their loved one.

We will be accepting donations on Friday the 15, please no broken & stained items. Won't you please come and support us. For information please call 702-575-2017 or 702-575-2014 or local # 372-1617. Hope to see you there.

The Amargosa Newsletter

The Amargosa Valley Newsletter has undergone some changes. The newsletter has an email address specifically for newsletter information. There is a deadline for articles so that all newsletters can be delivered on time. The deadline is the 20th of every month. The Newsletter is strictly for Town Information, and to keep our wonderful residents up to date on town events. If you have a meeting, event, celebration or benefit you would like to see in the newsletter please email us at newsletter@amargosavalley.com

Fall Reverse Raffle Sponsored by the Senior Center

Your \$20 Raffle Ticket also buys you a Steak Dinner with all the Fixin's lced Tea, Lemonade, Water Cash Bar provided by VFW

Old Fashioned Night in the Park Saturday Oct 9th

4:00 Games

Badminton Croquet Ladder Ball Bingo



4:30 50/50 Reverse Raffle Begins (Last Name drawn gets the Big Prize)

5:00 Steak Dinner - Reservation Required

See one of the Active Seniors
to purchase tickets
(you know who they are)

(But You'll miss your Free Dinner)

MENU FOR AMARGOSA SENIOR CENTER 775-372-5413

MONTH OF:

Oct-10

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
CLOSED					1-Oct Tuna noodle casserole Herbed vegt. Medley Sliced tomatoes LSFF Italian dressing Cracked wheat bread Apple butter 56 Oatmeal date bar	CLOSED
CLOSED	4-Oct Cheese enchiladas Salsa and sour cream Refried beans Vegetable soup Salad bar Peach crisp	5-Oct Pork & sweet potato skillet Cauliflower Salad bar Bread pudding	6-Oct Meat loaf Broccoli with cheese Mashed potatoes Gravy Salad bar Mixed fruit Birthday cake	7-Oct BBQ Chicken Baked acorn squash Cucumbers in sour cream, Biscuit Honey Ambrosia 72	8-Oct Breakfast 9am to 10:30 Biscuits and gravy scrambled eggs Hash browns Bacon Fresh orange 2% Milk and Coffee	CLOSED
CLOSED	11-Oct Hot turkey sandwich Green beans Mashed potatoes Gravy Mixed fruit Brownie	12-Oct Three bean chili Corn bread Cheese and onions Salad bar Strawberries and Ice cream	13-Oct Oven fried chicken Peas & carrots Mediterranean soup with mozzarella cheese Colorful salad Bread pudding snacks	14-Oct Baked liver & onions Mexicorn Tomatoes vinaigrette Mashed potatoes WW Bread Apple butter Sliced peaches 101	15-Oct Seasoned fish Rice Brussels sprouts Mushroom soup Salad bar Oatmeal cookie	CLOSED
CLOSED	18-Oct Spinach lasagna Cheesy garlic bread Cauliflower Hamburger soup Salad bar Strawberry cup	19-Oct Egg drop soup Chicken egg rolls Sweet-n-sour Fried rice Steamed broccoli spears Peanut cookies 118	20-Oct Spaghetti & meat balls Corn on the cob Vegetable soup Cheesy garlic bread Salad bar Mixed fruit	21-Oct Turkey enchiladas Broccoli Salsa FF Sour cream Salad bar Apple sauce	22-Oct Shake-n-bake pork chop Rice pilaf Mixed vegetables Salad bar Apricots Chocolate chip cookies	CLOSED
CLOSED	25-Oct Baked chicken tenders French baked potatoes Beets in orange sauce Carrot and raisin salad Cracked wheat bread Apple butter 116 Ambrosia	26-Oct Salisbury steak with mushroom sauce Wheat bread Broccoli Peaches	27-Oct Turkey pot pie Mixed greens salad FF Creamy Italian drsg. 7 Grain bread Peach jam Baked apple 83	28-Oct Baked ham and pineapple Scalloped potatoes Brussels sprouts with cheese sauce Salad bar Pears	29-Oct CLOSED FOR NEVADA DAY	CLOSED
			2% MILK SERVED MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE	MEALS SERVED FROM 4:00 TO 5:30 P.M.		

Amargosa Senior Center:

We would like to welcome our new Director Shirley Trummell.

We will be serving breakfast every second Friday of every month from 9:00am to 10:30am. For October 8th 2010 we will be having Biscuits and gravy, Scrambled eggs, Bacon, Hash browns, Fresh orange, 2% Milk and Coffee.

Help support our Amargosa Senior Center. All you need to do is come and join us for home cooked meals, salad bar, soup and desert. We have a wonderful fun loving group that greets new faces with open arms. Dinner is served from 4:00pm to 5:30pm Mon-Fri. And if you or a loved one are unable to come to the center for dinner due to sickness and or handicap contact Tammy @ 372-5413 for home bound meals.

Newsletter HCR 69 Box 401-W Amargosa Valley, NV 89020 If you are in need of a ride to join us call AJ Griffin 372-5614 or Jean Adams 372-1314 or Prudy Stengel at 372-5138.

Ask about our punch cards, every time you come in to eat we punch your card and after you get 10 punches you get a free meal. (Punch card is for ages 60+ only)
And to top it off we do all the clean up.

Arts & Crafts every Wednesday from 1 pm to 4pm. Anyone can participate come work on your own projects or learn to do a different craft from others. We have Ice for sale \$1.00 for 8lb. bag.

OPEN POOL

Friday night pool starts @ 5:30pm; you must be 18 or older to play.

Ladies pool is the fourth Wednesday of each month @ 5:30pm

So come and join us for some fun. We look forward to you joining us for dinner and activities.

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