# **HEADLINE NEWS**

October 2012

# Reverse Raffle and Steak Roast

The Senior Center is having their  $3^{n4}$  Annual Reverse Raffle & Steak Roast on October  $6^{th}$ . Be the last name drawn and win \$500 with other prizes along the way.

Your \$20 raffle ticket pays for your entry and a free steak dinner with salad, potato, roll, beverage and dessert. VFW will sell beer and wine.

There will be Bingo starting at 4:00 in the park. The raffle will start at 4:30 and dinner will start at 5:00. You need not be present to win but you'll miss a great dinner and fun evening.

Tickets are available from most seniors and at the Senior Center at (775-372-5413) or Pam at (775-764-1672) for reservations or more information.

# **SINCERE APOLOGIES**

One of your volunteer newsletter writers made a mistake last month with incorrect information about the Reverse Raffle and Steak Roast.

Everyone on the team does their best to give you a great newsletter and I feel terrible about the error. Please accept my apology, buy a ticket, go to the event, have fun and I hope you win!



#### by Leslie Scoll

Halloween is right around the corner and the Amargosa Library has several fun events planned. Starting the 1<sup>st</sup> of October children ages 6 to 10 can come into the library and guess how many seeds our resident pumpkin has. (It's a surprise the librarians don't even know the answer!) On October 25<sup>th</sup> Osvaldo will cut the pumpkin open and count how many seeds are inside and announce our winner, the winner will then receive a fun Halloween themed movie for their very own. Interested in some more fun? Come join us October 25<sup>th</sup> for a pumpkin carving contest, costume contest, face painting, candy and juice along with a book sale.

- The event will begin at 3:00 and all winners will be announced at 4:30
- The pumpkin contest is for two age groups; 7 to 10 and 11 to 14 (Parent supervision is necessary for children under 10)
- Due to limited space there are only 15 pumpkins available for each group so we will have registration available starting October 22<sup>nd</sup>
- Costume contest for children ages 6 to 14

Volunteers for judges are needed as well as a face painter or two if you are interested please let us know, thank you!

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# AROUND TOWN

# **MEETINGS/EVENTS**

Oct 2nd American Legion 7 pm at VFW Oct 9th Library Board 5:15pm @ library Oct 9th Amateur Radio Club 6 pm Senior Center Oct 10th Fire Department 7 pm AVFD Hall 1 Oct 15th Sr. Project Council 5:30 pm @ Senior Center Oct 16th VFW Ladies Aux 6pm @ VFW Oct 16th VFW mtg. 7 pm @ VFW Oct 16th Town Board 7pm AVCC Oct 31<sup>st</sup> Hallelujah Harvest 6-8 pm AVCC

# DON'T FORGET ABOUT .....

Wednesdays 1-4pm Arts & Crafts at the Senior Center 1-5pm Senior Center Thrift Store is Open

4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday is Ladies Billiards Night (Senior Center) Every Friday - Open billiards night 5:30 PM Senior Center



#### Amargosa Amateur Radio Club NV7AV

One of the goals of the club is to have amateur radio coverage along the highway 95 corridor from Amargosa Valley through Tonopah. This system would provide backup communications in an emergency or if other systems were down or overloaded. Thanks to the Valley residents that have helped with this project by donating radio equipment and solar panels for powering repeater radios in remote locations.

For study material please contact Gene Butler at 775-372-1282. For more information about the Amargosa Amateur Radio Club, please contact Archie at 775-513-5780.

The next Radio Club meeting will be at 6:00 PM Tuesday Oct 9<sup>th</sup> at the Senior Center.

#### ATTENTION AMARGOSA AND BEATTY RESIDENTS!

Nye Regional Medical Center in Tonopah can provide transportation to our Hospital for your medical needs. Leave the driving to us, save money on the rising cost of fuel. Nye Regional Medical Center offers many Outpatient Radiology Services including MRI, CT Scan and Ultrasound. We have a full service laboratory, Physical Therapy and Cardiopulmonary Services. We also offer free prescription delivery to our Beatty Outreach Clinic. Please feel free to call us with any questions you may have to help us better serve your medical needs. FREE RIDE 775-482-2400 or TOLL FREE 855-482-6233

#### Some notes from the Chairman:

• Some important items are still under consideration by the Town Board.

- How to address and modify Town Ordinance #1, The Fire Department Ordinance. The issue is that of prior felons being allowed to serve on the Amargosa Volunteer Fire Department. The Board is seeking more input about this issue from the residents of this valley.
- 2. How to address the present and future employees of the Town regarding their duties & responsibilities. This item is ever-important as it directly affects the Town Budget for years to come. While we have a sound budget now, it is important that we continue to build a financial carry-over which is to be used to be able to contend with issues that may arise that cannot be foreseen, and also to be used for development of possible future Town projects and infrastructure. The Board is seeking continued input from the residents on this issue as well.

As representatives of you, the residents of this Valley, the Board is always looking for and encourages ideas and input on anything and everything that is of concern to you.

ALSO: At the next Town Board Meeting on October 18, 2012, all candidates who are running for the Board on the November 6, 2012 election are encouraged to give a speech and mingle with the attendees of the meeting. AND: <u>www.avnvusa.net</u> was adopted as the official Town WebSite. Here again,

we welcome suggestions for pages and content from you, the residents, to be placed on the site.

#### Committees of the Town Board

The purpose of the committees are to get additional input from the residents on how to get ideas and suggestions to the Board.

Presently the following committees exist:

- 1. Human Resources
- 2. Planning
- 3. Tourism and Economic Development
- 4. Cemetery
- 5. Memorial Support

Some committees have Town Board Members on them and some don't. There is no requirement in the bylaws that a Board Member be on any committee with the exception that in the event of a lack of a quorum for a committee meeting, the Chairman of the Board may participate and vote on items on the committee's agenda.

Some committees are made up of dedicated people who've served for a long time, and some committees do not have enough members to perform the functions of the committee.

Any person may ask to be considered for membership of a committee, and right now we need to fill some of the committees so that they may function. The standard number of persons on each committee is five, however that is not law, and there may be more than five.

#### PLEASE UNDERSTAND THIS:

By Nevada State Law, committees of the Town Board (or even an advisory board) are subject to all the same Open Meeting Law Requirements of the Town Board.

For more information, or to be considered for membership on a committee, email the Town Office at <u>town@amargosavalley.com</u> or call the office at 775-372-5459. Drop by and say hi to Mike, our new Town Clerk, normal business hours are 8:30am to 1:30pm, except on Town Board meeting days. *We look forward to your participation!* 



# **THINGS TO DO IN AND AROUND AMARGOSA**

**Church of Amargosa** 

702-575-2017

702-575-2014

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## **FOSSIL HUNTING**

Grab the kids, pack a lunch and water and head west on Mecca Rd. Mecca takes a jog and also becomes a dirt road. Drive as far as you think your car can safely go (for 4 wheelers that's a long way) and then start walking up towards the mountains. It's still snake weather so watch for them and be careful moving rocks. Wear good hiking or tennis shoes. You will find big rocks with shell type fossils in them to small ones. I found a perfect petrified "alien baby". This is a fun type outing, get a group together to do it, the more the merrier.

#### POT LUCK DINNER

Always the Last Sunday of every month, (except Nov & Dec) Church of Amargosa invites you to join us for a Pot Luck Dinner. We start the dinner at approx 12:15. If you want to join us for church which starts at 11am.

We get a nice variety of wonderful, home cooked dishes. Please stop by for some good food and good company even if you don't have anything to bring. We are located at 1865 W Farm Rd.

1/4 mi. past Martel Market For info 702-575-2014 or 775-372-1617.



## 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 31<sup>st</sup> from 6pm-8pm at the community center. There will be games, activities, refreshments, 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 candy. We always need volunteers to assist with the games and activities. 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, or Brenda Dymond 775-372-5572. I thank this community and all of its residents for helping keep the children safe...Did I mention CANDY???



#### Cat Neutering, \$10 Domestic and Feral

Volunteers will help you to get your cats "fixed" for a minimal fee paid to Heaven Can Wait in Vegas. Each cat costs \$30 for surgery and shots, but we are fortunate to have an anonymous donor who is covering \$20 per cat. The clinic happens once per month.

If you want domestic cats fixed, we will come and get the cat from you the day before the clinic and the cat would be gone over 2 nights.

If you have a feral colony, we will come to trap any cats that we can. Those cats will go through the same time frame and be returned to your property upon return to the Valley. This allows feral cats to live out their lives without reproducing and overpopulating.

The \$10 is required by Heaven Can Wait. Any donations for gasoline to get your cat(s) in and around the Valley, and to ferry him/her to Vegas for clinic would be very welcome.

Please call 775-537-8228 Leave a message with your name, number, and cat info. We will get back to you soon.

#### Thanksgiving Dinner

Church of Amargosa will be having their 4th annual Thanksgiving Dinner on Thanksgiving day about 2pm. Everyone is welcome. There is always an abundance of food, so unless you have a family favorite dish you would like to bring, just bring your appetite. and if there are left overs, (there always are) take a plate with you.

It's always nice to spend the holidays with your neighbors & friends. For info or RSVP 702-575-2014 or 372-1617. We are located at 1865 W Farm Rd. 1/4 mi past Martel Market. Hope to see you there!



# ADVERTISING PRICING FOR NEWSLETTER

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1-3 lines for garage sales, work needed \$5

Giving something away for free? There is no charge.

Make checks payable to "Town of Amargosa"

Mail to: Amargosa Town Office 821 E. Farm Rd. Amargosa Valley, NV 89020

Send size and advertising information to newsletter @amargosavalley.com For further information call Pat Minshall 372-5401

# SUBMIT YOUR ARTICLES/EVENTS

Email: newsletter@amargosavalley.com Submissions must be received by the 21<sup>st</sup> of each month



#### MENU FOR AMARGOSA SENIOR CENTER

MONTH OF: OCTOBER 2012

PHONE # 775-372-5413



### Meals served from 4 to 5 pm



#### BREAKFAST 9-10:50 AM

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1-Oct	2-0d		3-Oct	4-00	st 5-04
Mushroom Pork Chops	Beef Patty on WW Bun	Cabbage Rolls		Chicken Cacciatore 🛛 🖷	Fish Tacos
Rice Pilaf	Lettuce, Tomato, Onion, etc.	WW Roll		Pasta 🗡	Refried Beans
Green Beans	Baked Beans	Peaches		Zuechini 🔇	Spanish Rice
Minestrone Soup	Corn Potato Chowder	Green Salad		Garlic Toast	Orange Slices
Colorful Salad	Melon	Oatmeal Date Bars		Peach Crisp	Clarn Chowder
Applesauce	Jell-O-Cake	Chicken Noodle Soup		Mixed Green Salad	Chocolate Chip Cookie
Cookie	#14				
8-Oct	9-Oct		0-Oct	11-0	12-0
Ham and Rice Casserole	Sheppard's Pie	Chicken Parmesan		Hot Turkey Sandwich	BREAKFAST
Brussels Sprouts	Sweet Peas	Spinach Noodles		Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy	Biscuits & Gravy
Green Salad	Mixed Fruit	California Blend Veggies		Steamed Carrots	Sausage
Applesauce	Birthday Cake	Toasted Bread Stick		Green Salad	Scrambled Eggs
Peanut Butter Cookie	Broccoli Salad	Orange Spinach Salad		Apple Muffin	Oatmeal
Crearry Torneto Soup		<b>0</b>		Vegetable Soup	Orange Juice
		#109		-8	Mixed Fruit
15-Oct	16-Oct		17-Oct	18-00	19-0
Oven Fried Chicken	Baked Stuffed Pork Chops	Enchilada Casserole		Meat Loaf	Baked Fish
Ranch Beans	Baked Yams	Spanish Rice		Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy	Rice Pilaf
Steamed Broccoli	Seasoned Limas & Peas	Squash		Green Bearls	Mixed Veggies
Apple Pie	Green Salad	Pears		Green Salad	Sliced Apples
Macaroni Salad	Applesauce	Flan		Peaches	Combread
	Gingerbread	Albondigas Soup		Brownies	Clam Chowder
	#42	·		Lentil Soup	
22-Oct			2 <b>4-O</b> ct		26-0
Chicken Fried Steak	BBQ Ribs	Lasagna		Chicken Alfredo w/Fettuccini	CLOSED
Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy	Scalloped Potatoes	Garlic Bread		Steamed Broccoli	NEVADA DAY
Mixed Veggies	Green Beans	Chopped Spinach Salad		Three Bean Salad	
Pears	Colorful Salad	Fresh Orange		Peaches	
Layered Salad	Pumpkin Squares	Cream of Broccoli Soup		Oatmeal Cookie	
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Chicken Wild Rice Soup		#46			
29-Oct			31-Oc	MENU SUBJECT TO	
Turkey Roast	Sweet & Sour Chicken	Liver and Onions		CHANGES	11 and and
Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy	Brown Rice	Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy	r		
Dressing	California Blend Veggies	Mexi-Com		2% MILK, COFFEE, TEA &	1610
Brussels Sprouts	Coconut Cupcakes	Apricot Halves		JUICE SERVED DAILY	
Green Salad	Peaches	Tomatoes Vinaigrette			
Baked Apples	Wonton Soup	WW Roll			
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#### **Senior Center News**

Update on the Senior Center program for disabled non-seniors: the Healthy Nevada Fund grant will now cover the costs of **five meals per week** for low-income, disabled non-seniors. Participants may come to the Senior Center for meals or, if homebound, have meals delivered.

**DON'T FORGET**, Medicare open enrollment starts on October 15 and ends December 7. If you need to make changes in your Medicare plan, this is the time to do it. Sandy Jennings, State Health Insurance Assistance representative, will be at Amargosa's Senior Center in November to help answer your questions about Medicare and related insurance. The Senior Center is open from 1 to 5:30 weekdays and serves meals from 4 to 5 p.m. except on the second and fourth Fridays each month when we have breakfast. Check the menu in this newsletter. Please call the Site Manager at 372-5413 for more information.

Local Postal Patron

ATT is spontaned by the Beatty Chamber of Commerce in conjunction with the Beatty Town Advisory Board with Special event sponsorship by: The Tombstone 5K Run & 2K Walk Beatty's V Club Beatly Days Parade Atomic Inn & VFW Po+1 12108 Antique Car Show Corvus Gold Bike Show KC's Outpost Eatery/Saloon Bed Races Beatly Mercantile **Root Beer Belching** Beatty Mercantile Holdog Eating Contest Beatty Cowboys Hot Wing Eating Contest Bealty Cowboys Kite Flying Contest Win Realty/ Ann Marchand Dutch Oven Cook-off US Ecology Tricycle Races He-Bahs BBQ Upper Park Band Saturday 11-3:30 Handy for Justice of the Peace New Special Events for 2012 on the back





NEW SPECIAL EVENT FOR 2012

Each year we look for extra special displays or presentations to add to your enjoyment. This year we have a special presentation by a Southern Nevada historian specializing in Nevada Law Enforcement History!

#### NEYAPA MISTORIAN FRANK APAMS

Two Special presentations at the Community Center: Friday & Saturday 7:30PM

Frank Adams, a 42 year veteran of law enforcement in the state of Nevada and Silver State Peace Officer historian, specializes in the History of Law Enforcement in this great state! His visual presentations can cover train and stagecoach roberies, indian battles, The Earp Family History, and much more. His presentations are sure to hold you spellbound!



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