



SPRING 2012

TOWN OF MINDEN

Chairman's Chatter

Spring is supposed to be right around the corner; for your spring cleanup, remember extra trash collection is on your third trash day of the month. Speaking of trash collection, have you noticed that the windy days are always on the trash collection days? If you have happened to find a surprise trash can in your yard since the last wind-storm, please contact the town office so we can reconnect the lost container with its rightful owner. Both parties would be grateful.

Mark your calendars for Saturday, April 28th! The Town of Minden will be hosting a FREE film day at the CVIC Hall. The times and other details will be announced in the near future. The grand finale film being shown was chosen from the winning votes collected at the CVIC Hall Centennial Dinner Dance that was held in February. If you missed the Dinner Dance, you missed a lot of fun, good food, and the great Rosebud's Dance Band.

Want to be the first in the know on all the upcoming Minden hooplah? Send us your email address and we'll get you on our Announcement List!

Don't Miss The Fun!

CVIC Hall. Reiko Hervin Family Art Benefit

CVIC Hall. CVAC Performance: Banana Slug String Band

CVIC Hall. Western NV Cattlewomen Dinner/Dance

CVIC Hall. Elks Club: Joni Morris "A Tribute to Patsy Cline" Concert

CVIC Hall. Friends of Carson Valley Youth Orchestra Concert

CVIC Hall. Cooperative Extension: Ag Innovation Forum

CVIC Hall. CVIC Centennial Celebration: Cowboy Film Fest

CVIC Hall. Carson Valley Pops Orchestra Concert

CVIC Hall. CVAC Performance: Roots of Creation

CVIC Hall. United Blood Services Blood Drive

CVIC Hall. Kiwanis Club: Stars of Tomorrow Youth Talent Show

CVIC Hall. Cooperative Extension: Ag Innovation Forum

Minden Park. GE Family Concert in the Park

Downtown Minden. Annual Street Fair / Inliners Car Show

CVIC Hall. Douglas County Library Summer Reading Kickoff

CVIC Hall. CVAA Annual Carson Valley Days Art Show

Minden Park. Carson Valley Days Parade Breakfast

CVIC Hall. Economic Vitality Trails Meeting

Minden Park. Concert in the Park

CVIC Hall. Cooperative Extension: Ag Innovation Forum

Minden Park. 4th of July Old Fashioned Hometown Picnic  July 4

CVIC Hall. The Carson Valley Pops practices are open to the public every Monday night. Feel free to pull up a chair to hear the music and support the orchestra.

Downtown Minden. The Farmers Market kicks off approximately May 22nd and will be downtown every Tuesday thereafter. Come load up on lots of yummy goodness each week!

The Town Board and staff are always looking for ways to improve services to meet the needs of our residents; all input—good or not so good—is needed. If you feel something needs to be addressed, please contact the Town staff or a Board member. We all are working for the good of the Town of Minden. Last but not least, stop by the Town Office to enjoy a cup of coffee and say hello to the staff. Enjoy what is left of winter or spring—you get to choose.

If you would like to receive email updates from the Town, please stop by or send your email address to mindenom@townofminden.com and we will keep you updated on all upcoming events. You can also visit our web site: www.townofminden.com for all kinds of useful information!

Sincerely, John Stephans

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The Town is goin' it strong with a three-movie hoe-down that will be ace-high, so kick up yer heels and git on down to the CVIC Hall for any one of the three **free** film showings, **or** keep the pot boiling, cool yer heels, and stay for the whole lock, stock and barrel! Seating is limited, so call or stop in to the Town Office now to reserve yer seat — *and* git yer raffle ticket to be entered into the drawing for a great prize at the event. Come watch all three films and be entered to win the **grand prize!** Yeehaw!

Matinee Showings include free popcorn, with non-alcoholic beverages available for purchase.

SUPPORT YOUR LOCAL SHERIFF

Doors open at 11:30 p.m.
Show time at 12:00 p.m.



THE MISFITS

Doors open at 2:30 p.m.
Show Time at 3:00 p.m.

The Feature Presentation — chosen by *you* — is accompanied by appetizers and a no-host bar, as well as exciting John Wayne trivia during the cocktail hour.

THE SHOOTIST

Doors open at 5:30 p.m.
Show Time at 7:00 p.m.

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Street Light Out?

Call the Town Office with the Light Pole Number & closest intersection and we will be happy to report the issue to

NV Energy. You can also notify NV Energy yourself at www.nvenergy.com/home/requestservice/street_light_report.cfm

Write your address on top of your can with a permanent marker—it comes in handy when the wind (and your cans!) get carried away!

Bring on the Stunning Streets!



The street sealing for this summer is scheduled for Old Town. As always, we will work very diligently to try and accommodate the businesses, residents, and CVIC Hall / Minden Park renters to ensure smooth operations for all.



PLEASE
HAVE YOUR
TRASH
CANS OUT
BY 6:00 A.M.

For those of you who have been impacted by the installation of the Lucerne Waterline, we apologize for the disturbance and want you to know that we greatly appreciate your understanding and patience. Please feel free at any time to contact the Town Office if you have any questions or concerns pertaining to the construction, and check our website for updates as the project moves along.

LUCERNE WATERLINE

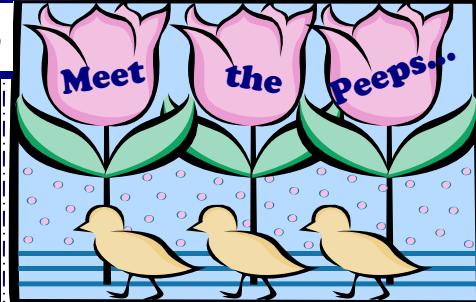
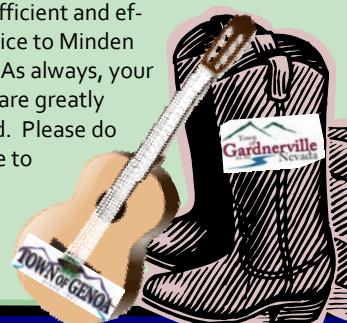
Jenifer's Journal

Hard to believe it's April 2012 already! Minden is gaining momentum starting with a new annual tradition, the Dinner Dance in February. What a fun and exciting way to set the tone for the remaining year! Keep your eyes peeled and your ears open for additional information regarding upcoming events in April, June, July and October as the year progresses (please refer to the event calendar). We hope to see the smiling faces of many Minden residents at each of the events. After all, it is the Minden community spirit that will make them a success.

Keeping community spirit in mind, the Town of Minden will be working closely with the Towns of Gardnerville and Genoa in the coming months to cross-promote events to the benefit of all. Gardnerville's Open Range Western Trail Dinner kicks off the week-long cowboy celebration on Wednesday, April 25th, followed by Genoa's Cowboy Poetry Festival which runs from April 26th-29th. Minden joins in the fun on Saturday the 28th

with our Cowboy Film Festival. Pick up your tickets for the Film Festival and receive a coupon for a discounted day pass to the Poetry Festival (while they last!) The Town has a limited number of discounted passes available, and limited seating at the Film Festival also—reserve yours today! Attendees of the Film Festival who reserve their tickets in advance will also be entered into the raffle drawing for each event they attend. Come see all three movies and be entered to win the **grand prize** as well!

As you can see, there is a lot going on in the Town of Minden but our focus remains on providing efficient and effective service to Minden Residents. As always, your comments are greatly appreciated. Please do not hesitate to let us know your thoughts.



Town Administrative Staff:

Jenifer Scott, Town Manager
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Robert Kelly, Maint. Assistant I
David Fontana, Maint. Assistant I

The Minden Town Board Meetings are held the first Wednesday of every month at 5:30 p.m. in the CVIC Hall. The public is welcome and encouraged to attend. Agendas and Minutes are posted on our website:

<http://www.townofminden.com/eventsandnews/meetingagendasminutes.html>

Street Sweeping Schedule



1st Week: Old Town / County Road

2nd Week: Mackland / Westwood / La Costa

3rd Week: Old Town / Wildrose / Deseret / Buckeye Rd & 8th St. East of HWY 395 / Minden Village*

4th Week: Ironwood Drive / Winhaven / Winhaven Patio Homes* / Monterra*

Please keep vehicles off of the street on the Friday of the week your neighborhood is scheduled for sweeping.

*Streets not accepted by the Town are swept only the first month of each quarter.

PLEASE PICK UP AFTER YOUR DOG!

There are doggie waste disposal stations along County Road as well as in Minden Park and Westwood Park. **Please be considerate and use them.**

Ruff!