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# THE DEWEY-HUMBOLDT NEWSLETTER

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*Happy Thanksgiving*

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## UPCOMING EVENT

Next month the Town will celebrate the 10th Anniversary of its incorporation. Mayor and Town Council wish to thank all former Mayors and Councils, former and current Board, Committee, Commission Members, Citizens and Staff Members for their vital contribution to the Town's wellbeing.

A simple gathering is being planned for December 2nd at 4:00 p.m., to commemorate the Town's Incorporation Anniversary.

## NEWS FROM TOWN HALL

### TOWN HALL UPDATE

*By Yvonne Kimball, Town Manager*

As many of you are aware, Town staff has been planning for the Town's 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Incorporation. The event is scheduled for December 2nd at 4:00 p.m., at Town Hall. Details will be forthcoming.

Also, at Council's direction, staff has been working on preparation for the 2012 International Building Codes adoption. Meetings regarding the building code changes will be held in the coming months. Please stay tuned.

In October, "animal code review" and "code enforcement process" in general, regarding building code and zoning code violations, have been two popular subjects with the Dewey-Humboldt community. Staff prepared an update for the "animal related code review", in this newsletter. The code enforcement process discussion pertaining to building and zoning codes will be continuing in November.

If you have any questions about these events please call Town Hall at (928) 632-7362.

### ANIMAL CODE REVIEW & COMMUNITY OUTREACH UPDATE

*By Connie Dedrick, Community Development Coordinator & Yvonne Kimball, Town Manager*

Since May 2014, Town Council, the Planning and Zoning Commission (P&Z), Staff and Dewey-Humboldt community members have been looking into complex issues related to animals in our town. There have been productive discussions along the way. To recap the task and process:

In May 2014 the Town Council discussed the need to review Town Code of Ordinance sections regarding animals, at Vice Mayor Alen's request, which states to "revise and update (the code

sections), look for missing links, missing definitions, also look into exotic animals and whether to keep them as pets, etc." During the May Council discussion, other animal related issues were brought up. Town Council then collectively directed P&Z (and staff) to conduct the broadly defined "animal code review" task. Immediately after Council's May discussion, staff began to receive input from the D-H Community. Meanwhile, P&Z reviewed and accepted the task in July. Considerable community input was heard at the July P&Z meeting. Subsequently, a community meeting, separate from P&Z and Council meetings, was held in late July to better gauge the Community's pulse on this issue. At that meeting Staff learned that the Community desires to be actively involved in the animal code review task. Thereafter, in August, Staff recommended to the Council that the steps moving forward include a series of Community Outreach meetings, Town Staff meeting with Yavapai County Sheriff's Office (who handles the town's animal control services through an agreement), and the review of other municipality animal ordinances. Staff anticipates bringing findings and recommendations to Council after the new year. Council directed Staff to proceed with the recommended action plan. Since that time, Town Staff has met with YCSO, and held two additional Community Outreach meetings on August 31 and October 8, 2014.

During the Community Outreach meetings, the community members became familiar with the Town Code sections regarding animals and were able to discuss animal control and code enforcement procedures openly with YCSO staff. The participants also exchanged views on how to strike a balance between protecting individual rights and enjoyment of animals and being considerate of the overall neighborhood peace and quiet.

If you are interested in coming to an upcoming community outreach meeting, the next meeting is scheduled for November 12, 2014 at

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*Cont. from Page 1—CODE* 5:30 p.m. and will be held at Cherry Creek Ranch located at 938 S. Foothill Dr., Dewey. At this meeting, Staff plans to have the discussion with the community members focusing on the current Town Code section in **Title XV** relating to animals. All community outreach meetings are open to the public. We do encourage interested residents to sign up with Connie Dedrick, Town Community Development Officer.



Finally, staff would like to thank the Council for assigning the “animal code” review task, which has stimulated productive discussions among the D-H community members; further staff wanted to thank the Town Residents for your active participation in the discussions. We look forward to your continued involvement as we move through the review process. For more information contact Connie Dedrick, Community Development Officer at 632-7362 or email [conniededrick@dhaz.gov](mailto:conniededrick@dhaz.gov).

**COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORNER**

**DARK SKY ORDINANCE**

As the change of the seasons occurs, sunset comes earlier. This time of year we receive calls regarding outside lighting that is left on all night and/or unshielded light. Please remember to turn off outside lights before retiring for the evening, to preserve energy and so everyone can enjoy the beautiful night skies. **Town Code of Ordinances Sections 153.150, 153.151, 153.152, and 153.153** provide for “light pollution control”. The Code Sections can be located via [dhaz.gov](http://dhaz.gov) follow the “Code of Ordinance” link.

**COMMUNITY NEWS**

The Mayor’s Winter Window Painting Contest will be held on Saturday, December 13<sup>th</sup>, from 9am-2pm for Charter & Home Schooled Children, at the Dewey Post Office, and Monday, December 15<sup>th</sup> for the Humboldt Elementary School children, on Main Street Humboldt!

**A “BOOK BOX” FOR BUTTE STREET PARK**

*Sandra Goodwin, Chair, FOL*

The number of neighbors who have found and are using the **Butte Street Park** has momentum now and most days you will find children playing on the equipment and/or teens sitting around in the gazebo.

And now the **Friends of the Library (FOL)** has announced a new, fun addition to the Park. While it is generally called a Book Box – it is actually a “Magazine Box” that invites folks to “**READ, ENJOY, RETURN OR PASS ON**” a variety of magazines. The Box idea came from around the country and pictures were taken and brought home of ones most recently found in Saratoga, Calif.



Through-out neighborhoods one could find these boxes in front of homes including the invitation to take advantage of the benches in

front of the homes that **READ, ENJOY, RETURN OR PASS ON.**

Implementation in Dewey-Humboldt was easy given our great people so willing to do whatever they can for the community.

One very talented volunteer – who did not want to be recognized – built the box from a picture brought home from Saratoga. Another volunteer sanded, sealed and applied weather protecting paint to the box and the mounting post. As they say, the rest is history and the box is very, very popular.



The FOL established two donors who constantly supply the magazines (the max inventory we can handle) and volunteers weekly restock and exchange the magazines in the box.

Come visit the park, bring your children and/or grandchildren to play on the playground and do enjoy the “Book Box” magazines. (The Park is located at Butte Street and Prescott Street).



**POST 78  
HUMBOLDT, AZ 86329  
928-632-5185  
NOVEMBER 2014**

**November 1:** Auxiliary Executive Committee Meets at 11:00; Cruisin' Susan Karaoke: 1:00pm until 6:00 p.m. celebrating November Birthdays

**November 4:** Posse meets at 5:00 p.m.; **ELECTION DAY !! Remember to VOTE!!**

**November 5:** Monthly Meetings: Auxiliary 4:00 p.m./Post Officer's Mtg. 4:30/Post Regular Meeting 5:00

**November 6:** S.A.L. meets at 4:30 p.m.

**November 10:** Marine Corps Day & American Legion Auxiliary Birthday

**November 11:** Veteran's Day Parade in Prescott

**November 15:** Riders meet at 0900

**November 20:** VA Luncheon for Fort Whipple vets 11:00 a.m. at Post 78

**November 27: THANKSGIVING DAY** – Post POTLUCK at 2:00 p.m.

**November 29:** Auxiliary Executive Meeting at 11:00

**CURRENT EVENTS:** NFL Football Breakfasts every Sunday from 0900-1100 Price: \$5.00

Donate yams, mushroom soup, stuffing mix, or a box of mashed potatoes for Christmas Box Pantry

**What's new at Post 78:** The road has been paved and the bumps are gone!!

**Coming events:** A walk-in cooler will be installed for the bar!

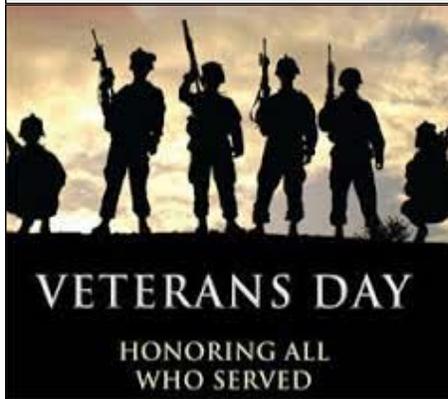
**Monday's:** Pool Tournament 4:30

p.m.

**Wednesday's:** Hamburgers at Noon \$5.00

**Friday Fish Fry:** 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. – **Public Welcome!** (Cod, Catfish, Shrimp plus Chef's Special) \$9.00 per person

**Fish Fry Music:** 7th Greenwood Hill; 14th Sidekicks; 21st Greenwood Hill; 28th Karman & Kompany.



**HISTORIC HUMBOLDT WALKING TOUR**

A Bradshaw Mountain High School class of 18 students came to Humboldt last month to take the **Walking Tour Through Historic Humboldt**. Their tour was guided by Dewey-Humboldt Historical Society members, and the students thoroughly enjoyed the adventure!

Guide pamphlets are available at the Museum, Thursday through Saturday from 10 until 4. You can venture out on your own or set up an appointment for a guided tour.

**IN MEMORY**

**John Benson Hallows**

**Kenneth Carl Hallows**

***Gone But Not Forgotten***

**NATCON NEWS**

[Nature Conservation \(NatCon\) News](#) daily reports information and issues for animals, plants, soils, and ecosystems.

General topics include animal protection and human impacts. These topics cover many familiar subjects. Human impact, for instance, includes climate change, habitat destruction, invasive species, resource harvest, and toxic pollution. Each of these subjects has many issues and concerns. Resource harvest covers cattle grazing, farming, logging, mining, and water diversion.

**Uncommon News:** The **NatCon News** includes stories missed by mainstream media. For instance, recently we covered a new report released by the Department of Defense describing U. S. military preparations for dealing with climate change. The report also describes DOD's strategy for reducing greenhouse gasses responsible for the changes.

**NO Advertising:** There is no paid advertising on the **NatCon News**. Individual stories may continue on websites with advertising.

**Nature Conservation:** The term Nature Conservation implies cataloging, protection, and maintenance of nature. Curators do this work. Nature's curators are the field biologists, climatologists, geographers, and private citizens that catalog and study the nature and condition of animals, plants, and ecosystems.

Whatever your interest, the **NatCon News** will help keep you up to date. Subscription is free and gets you a once daily email listing the latest stories.

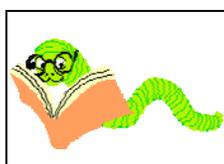
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## LIBRARY NEWS

By Jeff Franklin

It's that time of year when the days are getting cooler and the nights are getting longer. This month, we will have special events for you to enjoy including our **Huge Fall Book Sale**, an awesome **E-Reader and Table Computer Class**, a **Turkey Craft Hunt** and a **Thanksgiving Story Time** for kids

The **BIG FALL BOOK SALE**, run by the Friends of the Library, continues on **Saturday, November 1st** from **9 to 4**, **Thursday, November 6th** from



**12:30 to 7:30**, and **Friday, November 7th** and **Saturday, November 8th** from **9 to 4**. The JW Mitchell Room (lower floor—

Prescott Street entrance) will be filled with gift quality books, DVD and VHS movies, audio books, games, puzzles and other items for sale. Find great Christmas presents for your friends and family! Books for all ages and reading interests will be available. Most paperbacks are \$0.25, most trade paperbacks are \$0.50, and most hardbacks are \$1.00. If an item has a different price, it will be marked on the item. The last day of the sale, **Saturday, November 8**, will be our **\$5.00 per Bag Sale**. Place as many items as you can in a bag provided by the library and pay only \$5 for all the items!



Looking to **Purchase an E-Book Reader or Tablet?** The library will have a special computer class to help you do that, just in time for the holidays, on **Tuesday, November 18: 1:00 - 2:30pm!** Learn about the capabilities, prices, differences, and similarities of the various types of e-book and tablet devices on the market today. Signup is required for this class. To register, stop down at the library or call 928-632-5049.

Attention families and children! On **Saturday, November 22**, the library will have great late-fall activities for

kids! Starting off, we will have **Story Time**, for children in **Preschool through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade** and for their **moms and dads**, from **10:00 – 10:45 am!** Come to the library for some great Thanksgiving stories! Parents, please stay with your children.

Then, the library will have a **Turkey Scavenger Hunt - Arts & Crafts** activity, ran by Ms. Lisa, for 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> graders, from **11:00 am - Noon!** Scattered around the library will be turkeys hidden inside library books. Using a clue sheet, find the hidden turkeys. But watch out, as there are decoys hidden too! Find the right books to find the real turkeys! This is a fun way to learn how to use your library!

Sign up your kids today for both **Story Time** and **Arts & Crafts!** Refreshments will be served for both events.

**Afternoon Games**, for **ages 7 and up**, will be held on **Wednesday, November 12 and 19: 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.** Kids can come down to play board games including **Battleship**, **Connect 4**, **Chess**, **Checkers**, **Candy Land**, **Sorry!**, **Monopoly Jr.**, **Scrabble**, **Dominoes**, **Parcheesi**, **Clue**, and more! Also, we'll have the **Wii** out to play on the library's huge 90" movie screen. Come and play **Super Mario Bros.**, **Wii Sports Resort**, **Mario Karts**, **Just Dance 3**, **Mario and Sonic at the Winter Olympic Games**, **Mario Sports Mix**, and more! Also, bring your **Wii** games from home to play against other players. Fun for all! No signup is required.



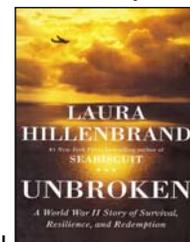
The library has a weekly activity for adults, **US Fans of UK Entertainment**, on **Saturday Afternoons**, **November 15 and 22 at 1pm.** The group's goal is to enjoy, share, and discuss British entertain-

ment. The group is viewing the brand new series 8 of **Doctor Who**, starring Peter Capaldi, the 12<sup>th</sup> Doctor, and Jenna Coleman as Clara Oswald, on our 90" movie screen. Two episodes will be screened on each date in November. New participants are always welcome. We will have refreshments on hand.



The library's **Book Discussion Group** will be meeting on **Tuesday, November 18: 9:30 – 10:30am**. This month the discussion members are reading **Unbroken: A World War II Story of Survival, Resilience, and Redemption** by Laura Hillenbrand.

This book chronicles the true story of survival and endurance of Lt. Louis Zamperini, who is captured and interrogated by the Japanese after his Army Air Forces bomber crashes in the Pacific Ocean. The group will discuss this book, talk about the issues and the people presented in the book, plus have fun causal discussion as well! We welcome new participants; so come to the library to pick up a copy, read the book, and then come for the discussion. Light refreshments will be provided for this fun and lively event.



Your Library is located at 2735 Corral St, Humboldt. Contact us at 632-5049, or visit the library's website: <http://www.yavapailibrary.org/yavapai/deweyhumboldt.asp>.

The Library hours are: **Tues, Wed, & Fri: 10am – 5pm** (closed for lunch **Noon – 12:30pm**), **Thurs: 12:30 – 7pm**, and **Sat: 10am – 2pm**.

**Please note that the library will be closed on Tuesday November 11 for Veterans' Day. Also, the library will be closed on Thursday November 27, Friday November 28, and Saturday November 29 for Thanksgiving.**

## MEETING DATES AND EXPECTED AGENDA ITEMS

(Subject to change. Check website or call Town Hall to confirm.)

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

### Council Meetings 6:30pm

**Nov 4:** 1) Main St Property donation discussion; 2) Iron King acquisition discussion; 3) P&Z Commission Applicant interview; 4) Ethics Complaints Procedure Handling; 5) P&Z Joint meeting(s) planning.

**Nov 18:** 1) 2015 Holiday Schedule; 2) GPREP Contract; 3) Abacus revised contract.

### Council Work Sessions and Special Meetings 2:00pm

**Nov 14:** 1) Code Enforcement Procedure.

### P & Z Meetings 6:00pm

**Nov 13:** 1) Meeting has been cancelled. Next P&Z meeting will be held on December 2nd.

To receive Meeting Notifications and Agendas by email contact: Agenda List@dhaz.gov and put "subscribe" in the subject line.

Citizens may have an item placed on the agenda by contacting a Council Member or filling out a form available at the counter in Town Hall.

## NOVEMBER HOLIDAYS & EVENTS

Nov 2: Daylight Savings Time ends.

Nov 4: Election Day,

**Town Hall closed on these days:**

**Nov 11:** Veteran's Day,

**Nov 27 & 28:** Thanksgiving Day

Flower: Chrysanthemum,

Birthstone: Topaz.



## ACTIVITY CENTER

Tuesday through Friday, 10 to 2  
13000 Prescott Street, Humboldt  
(928) 632-0699

**Mission:** To provide adult, youth and family services to strengthen the family unit and to provide residents with recreational, event and meeting space.

**Coffee Time:** Tuesdays, 10am to ?  
Goodies, conversation and fun!

**Bingo:** Tuesdays, 11am to noon.  
Bring a \$2 prize (can include nonperishable foods). Player with the highest number of wins each 4 weeks wins lunch for two at a local area restaurant. Congratulations, Shirley! Also, each week a Door Prize is picked for a Bingo player



**Community Cupboard:** The Center collects nonperishable food items for local distribution. Thank you all for your continued donations!

### Food Bank:

**Wednesday 9am until 11am**  
or the food is gone. For more information call 632-0699.



**Men's AA:** Every Thursday at 7pm.

**Thrift Store:** Offering a good variety of items and accepting donations (but not electric appliances, clothing, shoes nor opened toiletries.)

We also have info about Medicare Assistance, Legal Advocacy, DES, AHCCCS, food stamps, utility bill discounts, health, safety and welfare, Meals on Wheels, and rides.

**The Activity Center will be closed Thursday, November 27, and Friday, November 28 for the Thanksgiving Holiday.**



## HOLIDAY CRANBERRY MOLD

By Na Rains  
(from the DHCO Community Cookbook)

- 2 1/2 cups orange juice
- 6 oz package raspberry Jello
- 16 oz whole cranberry sauce
- Small container of cool whip or 1-



1/2 cups whipping cream  
In a sauce pan combine 1-1/4 cups orange juice, cranberry sauce, and jello. Stir over medium heat until jello dissolves. Stir in remaining orange juice. Chill until partially set, then fold in the cool whip or whipped cream. Pour into jello mold or ring. Chill 4 to 6 hours. Serves 8.

## WHO MADE THAT? Ice Cream Cone

Up until the early 20th century, eating ice cream was a formal event, always accompanied by a bowl and spoon. Then the 1904 St Louis World's Fair happened. There were many spectacular food exhibits at that Fair, but the one that made the most lasting impression was a Syrian concession vendor's booth. He curled a waffle cookie into a receptacle for ice cream. There was no plate or spoon required for this new ice cream cone. Controversy ensued as the concept spread through the booths at the Fair and various other booth operators claimed that they invented the cone. But eventually the original story stood the test of time. (From: Arizona Food Industry Journal, January 2014)





### CHRISTMAS AT THE MUSEUM CRAFT FAIR

The D-H Historical Society will be holding it's **3rd Annual Christmas at the Museum Craft Fair** on **Nov.15th** from **9am—3pm**. Many great local crafters will be bringing their wares to sell at reasonable prices for all.

We will be watching for Santa (AKA Mayor Terry Nolan) who will be arriving at Noon and will be available for a photo shoot with Chad Castigliano.

Place this on your Calendar, bring your Christmas list and be ready for a fun time.



### THE DEWEY-HUMBOLDT NEWSLETTER

Articles welcomed from and provided by Citizens, Organizations, Committees, Staff, and Partners of the Town of Dewey-Humboldt.

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Denise Rogers, Editor

Please submit articles **by the 15th** on-line at: [newsletter@dhaz.gov](mailto:newsletter@dhaz.gov) or in person at Town Hall.

#### YOU'RE INVITED TO HAVE COFFEE WITH THE TOWN MANGER

Monday, November 3rd from 9-10 am in the Town Manager's Office.



#### ANIMAL CODE REVIEW COMMUNITY MEETING NOVEMBER 12TH AT 5:30 P.M. AT CHERRY CREEK RANCH



#### HUGE BOOK SALE, D-H LIBRARY

Thursday: Nov 6: 12:30-7:30pm  
Friday: Nov 7: 9am-4pm  
Saturdays: Nov 1 & Nov 8: 9am-4pm



Gift quality books, movies, audio books, games, puzzles, and more!

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