



Clarkdale's
"SMALL TALK"
of the Town



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News From The Clarkdale Utilities Department

PATRIOT DISPOSAL AWARDED CONTRACT FOR TRASH COLLECTION

The Utilities Department recently solicited bids for Residential Trash Service for the Town of Clarkdale. Bidders were asked to submit explanations for how their services fit into the Sustainable Clarkdale philosophy in addition to proposing their pricing structure.

After careful review of all criteria, we are pleased to announce Patriot Disposal was the low bidder and Town Council has approved award of the contract. Patriot currently provides trash service so there will be no interruption in services as a result of this process. Council has approved moving forward in amending the rate structure for trash service as follows:

Trash Service	Current Fees	Recommended New Fees
One Small Container (64 gallons)	\$16.25	\$15.75
One Large Container (96 gallons)	18.75	18.25
Two Small Containers (64 gallons each)	16.25	16.75
Two Large Containers (96 gallons each)	18.75	19.25
Each Additional After 2 Containers	11.50	11.50

Recommended fees will take effect on May 14, 2013.

Patriot's single stream recycling program has proven to be an efficient, environmentally sound solution to landfill waste reduction. By co-mingling recyclables with all refuse, Patriot has been able to remove a higher percentage of recyclables from the waste stream.

Patriot will recycle all of the following materials: newsprint, magazines, aluminum, steel/tin Cans, Glass, Plastics 1-7, Cardboard and all types of paper. In addition metal items such as computer towers, brass, stainless steel, metal appliances, metal piping, automotive parts, and products containing wire such as insulated wire, coax cable and Christmas lights, will be pulled from the waste stream. Patriot will sponsor annual e-cycle events.

Patriot will continue to offer free curbside brush pickup for our trash customers on regular pickup days. Please remember to call our office by 4PM Thursday for the next week's pickup if your bags of brush will not fit into your cans. Once on the pickup list, you will be allowed up to four bags and two bundles of brush per week. You must call the Town at 928-639-2450 each week you need a brush pick up. If your trash is not picked up by Tuesday afternoon please be sure to contact the Utilities Billing Dept. at 928-639-2450 by 3:30 pm on Tuesday. This will allow us to provide you service on Wednesday, otherwise trash will be picked up the following Tuesday.



NOTE: Yavapai County Board of Supervisors 2013 Camp Verde Community Clean Up will be held at the Camp Verde Transfer Station for all Yavapai County residents at no charge. Dates are March 21, 22, 23, 28, 29 30, April 4, 5, & 6 from 8AM to 4PM. For exact location and more information please contact the Yavapai County Public Works Department at (928)771-3183.



PARKS & REC DEPARTMENT PRESENTS

2013 CONCERTS IN THE PARK SERIES FOR YOUR SUMMER ENTERTAINMENT

Thanks to the continuing community support, Clarkdale Community Services is pleased to announce the 2013 Concerts in the Park.

All concerts are **FREE** to the public and performed in the Town Park Gazebo located at 1001 Main Street.

Remember to bring your own seating. Alcohol is not permitted in our parks.

Concert Volunteers Needed

Are you looking for something fun to do this summer while giving back to your community? Then this is the perfect opportunity for you!

Community Services is seeking volunteers to help the Parks and Recreation Commissioners with selling raffle tickets at the Concerts in the Park. This is approximately a 1 ½ hour commitment (6:30pm-8pm) on a Saturday evening among good company and great music! Volunteers can sign up to help with a single concert or for several. The concert schedule is listed to the left.

If you would like more information on this volunteer opportunity or would like to sign-up, please contact Dawn Norman at 639-2490 or dawn.norman@clarkdale.az.gov.

June 1 7-9pm

LIVAS MARTINEZ

Acoustic Classic Rock

Sponsored by: **The Clarkdale Foundation**

June 15 7-9pm

SENTIMENTAL JOURNEY

Big Band

June 29 7-9pm

TROTTER'S WAKE

IRISH BAND

Irish Pub/Traditional

July 13 7-9pm

JUNCTION 87

Country Western

July 27 7-9pm

CADILLAC ANGELS

Rockabilly

August 10 7-9pm

KNUCKLEHEADS

Backwoods Boogie Woogie

August 24 7-9pm

SHRI BLUES

Rhythm & Blues

September 7 7-9pm

RIO FLAMENCO

Flamenco/Latin

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