



TOWN OF CLARKDALE - A 2012 CENTENNIAL TOWN

# “SMALL TALK”

FEBRUARY 2015



## LIBRARY BOOK SALE

The Clark Memorial Library Advisory Board and staff would like to thank the community for their generous support of the recent Annual Library Book Sale. A local donation of more than 75 boxes of books, in addition to the many donations received throughout the year, assisted in keeping the inventory refreshed as the sale continued throughout the month of December. Thank you to all who support the Clark Memorial Library.

Please remember the library can take your donations all year long. Bring your unwanted books (10 years old or newer), movies, puzzles and games to the Clark Memorial Library. For more information call 639-2480.



## Roundabout Clarkdale

Mark your calendars for these upcoming fun events:



**February 12-21** – **Clarkdale Hops** celebration coinciding with **Arizona Beer Week**. A variety of Clarkdale businesses will be offering Arizona-beer related events at their establishments and advertising them on the AZBeerWeek.com website.



**February 13-15** – **Nate's Cowboy Café** will be hosting a 'Sweet Deal' from February 13 through the 15<sup>th</sup> including a romantic dinner for two for \$49.95.  
**February 14** – Valentine's Day at **Main Street Café** will feature a special meal deal for couples.



**March 14** – **Annual Lions Club Car Show** in the Town Hall parking lot will feature a variety of classic cars. This year the event will include a poker stroll along Main Street. Visitors can get a poker card stamped at various participating business. A prize will be awarded for the best hand.



**June 20** - **Dog Days of Summer** event for dog lovers and including Chihuahua races, Greyhound races, a dog costume contest, a dog tricks contest and a dog biscuit walk.

**Shop local – with all these fun events in Clarkdale,  
there is no need to go anywhere else!**

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## CLARK MEMORIAL LIBRARY NEWS

Did you know that your local library has new movie releases WEEKLY? Yes, we shop weekly for the new movie releases and they are available for you to check out! The newest DVD and Blu-ray titles available:

- ◆ Gone Girl
- ◆ Middle of Nowhere
- ◆ Dinosaur 13
- ◆ Skeleton Twins
- ◆ The Equalizer
- ◆ The Giver
- ◆ A Walk Among Tombstones
- ◆ Boyhood
- ◆ The Guest
- ◆ The Maze Runner
- ◆ The Expendables 3
- ◆ Dolphin Tale 2
- ◆ Jimi
- ◆ Get On Up
- ◆ Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles
- ◆ This is Where I Leave You
- ◆ Guardians of the Galaxy
- ◆ When the Game Stands

[Many more movies are available!](#)

**Call us today for availability and to place a hold on your favorite movie titles, 639-2480.**

### Art in Public Places

The Art in Public Places annual kick-off features the Verde Valley Weavers and Spinners Guild at the Clark Memorial Library. A variety of handmade fiber arts including woven clothing and household items, jewelry, basketry, tapestry, handspun yarns, decorative window panels, hats and wall art is on display now through the month of February. The Verde Valley Weavers and Spinners Guild formed in 1973 and has continued active membership since that time. In addition to monthly meetings, the Guild has ongoing study groups on weaving techniques, spinning and tapestry and conducts workshops studying special techniques in weaving, basketry, and dyeing fiber and yarn. Don't miss this spectacular display! The exhibit may be viewed during regular library hours: Monday-Thursday 8:00a-5:30p and Friday 8:00a-12p.

### Clarkdale Historical Society and Museum



The Clarkdale Historical Society and Museum is busy working on a total new look! The exhibit cases have changed places and we are now featuring a permanent exhibit on our namesake....William Andrews Clark. Most visitors and even some local folks have no idea who Clark really was and the contribution he made to the American industrialization of the early 1900's. The architecture and design of our town is actually a reflection of the "City Beautiful Movement". Other exhibits feature the Yavapai Apache who helped make Clarkdale what it is today. Paul Handverger's collection of geology specimens and Rich Skovlin's interpretation of the United Verde Copper Company and copper production continue in an updated form, as well.

CHSM is also proud to announce the arrival of an intern. Her name is Amy Erives and she will be processing the Town of Clarkdale archives to create "finding aides" which will be uploaded to a major Arizona database. This is a much needed opportunity for researchers to locate primary sources for the first company town in Arizona! Her internship is being funded by a grant proved to us by the Arizona Historical Society. Welcome Amy!

**TOWN OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED FEBRUARY 16, PRESIDENT'S DAY**



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