

## Chairman's Chatter

Wow! Summer is coming to an end but beautiful Fall is approaching. Aren't we lucky to live in MINDEN!!

Halloween, Thanksgiving & Christmas will be here before you know it so make sure to mark your calendars for our upcoming "Christmas in Minden." I want to thank everyone for coming out and supporting our Town Events and for your numerous contributions to making them successful. Our 4th of July Celebration was a great success and thanks to the Carson Valley Inn & Model Dairy we were able to serve almost 1000 people!

My year as Chairman is coming to an end and I want to thank the Staff and my fellow Board Members for helping make it another successful year in Minden.

~ Roxanne



### HOLIDAY TRASH SCHEDULE!

There will be NO trash pick up on Nov 11th for Veterans Day or Nov 26th (Thanksgiving) and 27th (Family Day). If your regular trash day falls on one of these holidays, your trash will be picked up the day before the holiday. Please have your cans out by 6:00 am. NO GREEN WASTE PICKUP THE WEEK OF THANKSGIVING, CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEARS DAY.

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We live in such a giving and caring community. Anyone who has participated in the Channel 2 Share Your Christmas Drive-By Food Drive knows that our valley is exceptional.

The Town of Minden wants to help our residents be a part of this great event from the convenience of your own home! The week of December 11th, put your

food donations out by your trash can on your regularly scheduled trash day by 6:00 am and we will drive by to collect it. You can also drop your donations off to our Administrative Office. We are hoping to have a friendly competition with the Town of Gardnerville to see who can collect the most. Lets help out a great cause and have a little fun in the process! If you are interested in the list of the most wanted items call the office at (775) 782-5976.



## Christmas in Minden! December 4th & 5th

Friday Night kicks off at 5:00pm—Gazebo Lighting with Santa, Firepits and Smores. Children can bring in a can of food or donation for the Carson Valley Food Closet and get a goodie bag and a chance to light up the Gazebo with Santa. Music from The Douglas High School Jazz Band, complimentary cookies from the Carson Valley Inn, Reindeer Games and entertainment from Bill McClain.

Saturday Night— The 20th Annual Parade of Lights ends at Minden Park. Enjoy an Arts and Craft Festival in the CVIC Hall from 9 am to 8 pm.

Town of Minden Administration and Public Works Offices will be closed on October 30th (Nevada Day), November 11th (Veterans Day), November 26th and 27th (Thanksgiving Day weekend), Christmas and New Years Day. Wishing you a wonderful holiday season!

Just a friendly reminder to all regarding trash service...

(Excluding the Ranch @ Gardnerville)

- \* If your normal trash day falls on a holiday, please have your cans out the day before.
  - \* PLEASE NO TRASH OR BAGS in your Brown Can. This includes paper bags, dog refuse and household trash.
- \* Brown cans are for yard clippings, leaves and tree/bush trimmings only. This material gets mulched at Bently and if trash is dumped with it, the Town Sanitation Workers have to dig it out by hand. YIKES!
- \* Please make sure to have your cans out by 6:00am.
- \* The residential dumpster program is for 2 requests a calendar year. Any extra requests will be charged per dumping.
- \* If you have extra fall leaves that will not fit in your brown can, you can bag them up and put them out for your extra trash day (Your third trash day of the month).
- \* No Hazardous Materials—Please contact the office for a full list.

Please call the Town Office if you have any Questions or concerns.



Upcoming Events.. .

- 10/2 thru 10/4 & 10/9 thru 10/11 CVCT “A Bad Year For Tomatoes” (CVIC Hall)
- 10/17 Minden Main Street Fall Fling (Downtown Minden)
- 10/24 CV Pops Orchestra Fall Concert (CVIC Hall)
- 10/31 Safe Street Event (CVIC Hall)
- 11/5 to 11/8 CVAA Art Show (CVIC Hall)
- 11/13 CVAC Concert “Martha Redbone Roots Project” (CVIC Hall)
- 11/21 Kiwanis Turkey Bingo (CVIC Hall)
- 12/4 Gazebo Lighting (Minden Park)
- 12/4 Elks Spaghetti Feed & Bingo (CVIC Hall)
- 12/5 Parade of Lights (Downtown Minden)
- 12/5 Craft/Gift Fair (CVIC Hall)
- 12/6 Carson Valley Sinfonia Concert (CVIC Hall)
- 12/12 CV POPS Orchestra Winter Concert (CVIC Hall)
- 12/19 United Blood Services Drive (CVIC Hall)



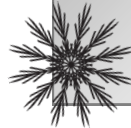
Jennifer's Journal

Greetings from the Town of Minden Administrative Offices. Big things are happening in Minden! I am pleased to announce the Minden Town Board recently confirmed the appointment of five members to a Main Street Minden Board. If you are interested in getting involved in this exciting program please do not hesitate to contact Interim Program Manager Sheila Kendrick at [mainstreetminden@gmail.com](mailto:mainstreetminden@gmail.com).

Finally I would like to take this opportunity to share with you that another long time member of Town Staff, Andy Concannon retired in August. Mr. Concannon was a supervisor responsible for the safe and efficient delivery of the Town's water to it's customers, among many other things. Several residents have expressed their appreciation for the work completed by Andy and his crew over the years. He will be greatly missed. My sincere thanks to Andy for his dedication to the town. Andy truly was one of Minden's best, we were lucky to have him.

~Jenifer

Cold Weather is on it's way! Don't forget to winterize your pipes!



Town Administrative Staff:

- Jenifer Davidson, Town Manager
- Ted Thran, Accountant
- Trish Koepnick, Admin Services Mgr
- Rachel Hamer, Secretary
- Whitney Lehr, Office Assistant

Town Public Works Staff:

- Greg Hill, Superintendent
- Dan Kistler, Maintenance Supervisor
- Shane Mortensen, Sr. Utilities Tech
- Kevin McAdoo, Utilities Tech I
- Chris Murphy, Utilities Tech I
- Mark Cirillo, Sr. Sanitation Specialist
- Tim Cottrill, Sanitation Specialist
- Alex Brown, Maintenance Specialist
- Steve McGee, Maintenance Specialist
- Jason Parke, Maintenance Specialist
- Robert Kelly, Maintenance Assistant I



Hawk in La Costa  
Photo by Mike Chan

Help us keep our parks beautiful!

Please contact the Town offices if you notice Graffiti or property damage. If you witness someone doing it, please contact the Sherriff's Office.

