

# DAGGETT COUNTY NEWSLETTER

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Photos by Gretchen Northcott

## Live Nativity at Rocky Ridge Outpost

Manila's own Live Nativity will be held again this year at **Rocky Ridge Outpost**. Join us on **December 13-14** from **6-8 PM** to feel the true meaning of Christmas. Ride on a wagon listening to sleigh bells and the story of the Nativity, while watching the Wiseman and Shepherds make their way to the stable. Admission is a can of non-perishable food which will be donated to the Manila Food Pantry. Goodies may also be purchased. **Anyone willing to be a part of the presentation can call Tameka Smith at 208-431-1600 or email at [tamekaparish@gmail.com](mailto:tamekaparish@gmail.com).**



## Halloween Parade

On October 31st at 1:00 the Manila Elementary School had a parade that started at the Manila Town Hall and ended at the school. All kinds of characters showed up for the event.





**Winner of the Flaming Gorge Market  
\$175 Shopping Spree was Charley Walters.  
Congratulations Charley!  
Pictured with Wendy Anderson**

**Winter is fast approaching!**  
 Pallets of wood pellets are still holding at \$225.00 + tax.  
 If you are in need of an electric heater, or a heater for the stock water tanks, we have some in stock. We also have the heater that goes on top of your propane tank.  
**NEW IN STOCK**  
 We have 50cc hand drip syringes. When your old one gets broke or you need some parts for your syringe, we have replacement kits.  
**REMEMBER** the Burbot Bash is coming soon. Check our gear and if you are in need of that special lure so you can catch the big one, we have a large supply in stock.  
 Now that Halloween is over and you are getting ready for Thanksgiving and Christmas, remember we have cool decorations and are receiving new items every week.  
 Lumber is handy if you need a 2 x 4 or 2 x 6 or a sheet of particle board, let us know what you need and we will special order for you or you can go online at [TrueValue.com](http://TrueValue.com) and have your items shipped free.

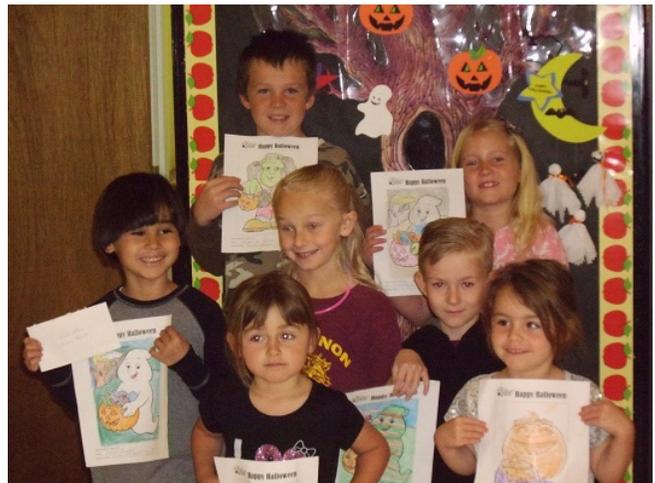
**Flaming Gorge Market for All Your Needs**  
**Flaming Gorge Market & True Value**  
 75 E Hwy 43, Manila, UT  
 435-784-3582

**Flaming Gorge Market  
Coloring Contest Winners**

**2-4 year olds**  
 1st—Ryley Cordova  
 2nd—Rayan Cordova  
 3rd—Michael Triplett  
 4th—Addy Stephens

**5-7 year olds**  
 1st—Joshua Triplett  
 2nd—Brylee Burnside  
 3rd—Shanelle Keloch

**8-11 year olds**  
 1st—Cody Muir  
 2nd—James Dee



## Commissioner's Corner

The Commission adopted a tentative budget for 2014 on October 31<sup>st</sup>. I imagine each Commissioner would agree that this was a difficult year for the budget, with losses in revenue from several Federal funds. Many counties across the nation are facing similar short falls, so it is a relief to at least have a starting point. The tentative budget can either be viewed on the website [www.daggettcounty.org](http://www.daggettcounty.org) or copies can be obtained through the Auditor/Recorder's office.

Commissioner Perry would like to thank all of the businesses that participated in caring for their flowers in the county pots. Many comments were received on how beautiful they were. The Commission is considering doing something again next year; so, if you haven't already received a call from Karen, you can expect to hear from her soon.

November 15<sup>th</sup> is the start of the Burbot Bash. We hope that the change in format (running it all the way to January 26<sup>th</sup>) will encourage visitors to come up and fish during this time. We encourage local businesses to become sponsors for the tournament. There is a large range of sponsorships, so there should be one that can fit into every budget. Contact Brian Raymond to participate ([braymond@daggettcounty.org](mailto:braymond@daggettcounty.org) or 784-3218 x134).

In conjunction with the Burbot Bash beginning Nov 15<sup>th</sup> there will be a Turkey Shoot on Saturday, the 16<sup>th</sup> of November, and everyone is invited to participate whether part of the Burbot Bash or not. It will begin at 11 am at the Shooting Range. Anyone interested in helping or anyone interested in selling hot chocolate, chili, hot dogs or burgers during the event, please contact Jerry Steglich or Brian Raymond.

Commissioners Steglich and Perry tried to make it to a meeting at the Governor's Office of Economic Development on October 29<sup>th</sup> concerning funding to run natural gas into Manila. They were stymied by the snow storm. However, Tracy Cowdell (one of the County Attorneys) was able to attend on behalf of the Commission. Legislation may be passed in the near future that will cover half of the cost of running the pipeline and there may be other options to help cover the remaining cost.

Commissioner Blanchard attended the Annual Broadband Meeting where there was discussion of upgrading rural counties access to greater broadband. He also attended the Annual Sewer Summit and met with other entities that are responsible for providing waste water treatment and disposal.

The Advisory Board for the Community Service Block Grant and Tri-County Food Pantries are seeking assistance from businesses, churches, other organizations and private individuals. They wish to obtain donated cash, food and non-food items. These donations are used to assist low income clients in the area. Nearly 85% of their clients are employed, but are considered working-class poor, while the remaining individuals are disabled or on fixed income. If you wish to donate cash, please specify if you want the gift to be used for a specific purpose. Please make the check payable to: *Uintah Basin Association of Governments* and mail to 330 East 100 South, Roosevelt, UT 84066. For a list of non-food and food items contact Commissioner Karen Perry at [kperry@daggettcounty.org](mailto:kperry@daggettcounty.org) or 784-3218 x133.

The Commission wishes everyone a safe and Happy Thanksgiving.

Jerry Steglich

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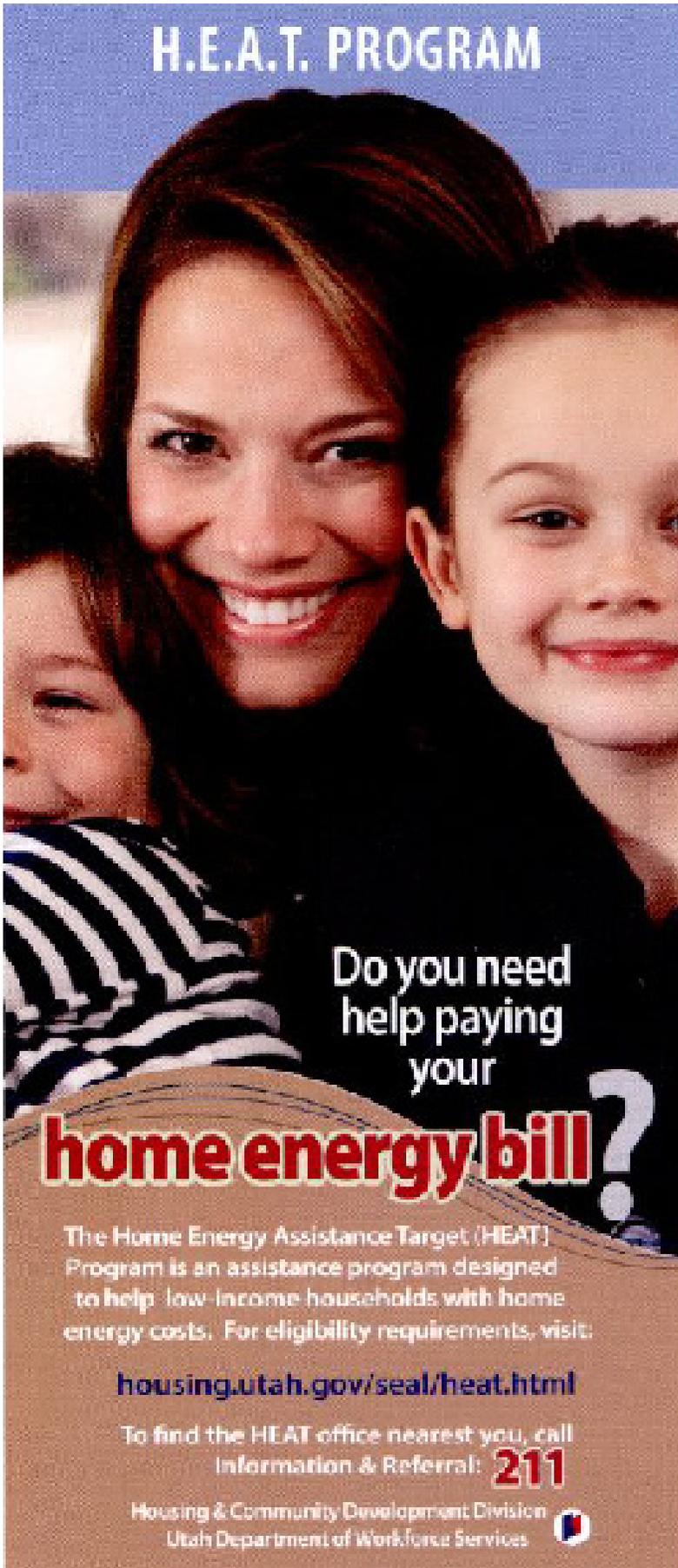
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Links: Commission Agendas & Minutes: <http://www.daggettcounty.org/minutes>



**H.E.A.T. PROGRAM**

Do you need help paying your **home energy bill?**

The Home Energy Assistance Target (HEAT) Program is an assistance program designed to help low-income households with home energy costs. For eligibility requirements, visit:

[housing.utah.gov/seal/heat.html](http://housing.utah.gov/seal/heat.html)

To find the HEAT office nearest you, call Information & Referral: **211**

Housing & Community Development Division  
Utah Department of Workforce Services 

## H.E.A.T. PROGRAM

### Necessary Documentation

- Picture Identification: Passport, (current Driver's License, State 10, U.S. Citizenship & Immigration, Permanent Resident papers.
- Social Security cards for yourself and EVERYONE living in your household.
- A copy of your most recent and active utility bills from each utility supplier (gas/propane/wood/oil, electric).
- Proof of ALL income received by all household members in the month prior to your appointment, or in the month prior to the date the application is mailed or is completed by an outreach worker.
- Proof of medical expenses you paid in the month prior to the month of your appointment.
- Proof of any child support and/or alimony you paid in the month prior to the month of your appointment.
- Proof of disability.
- Proof of a child in the home age five (5) and under (birth certificate, blessing certificate, etc.)

**You can apply for all programs listed by calling your local HEAT Office**  
**Daggett 435-781-2021**  
**Or Manila Food Pantry 784-3993**

## Obituaries

### Veda Mae Briggs Olsen

1927 ~ 2013



St. George, UT - Veda Olsen, age 86, died October 13, 2013, in her daughter's home in Springville, Utah with family present. She was born in Vernal, Utah on May 3, 1927 to Eli and Mary Nelson Briggs. She was the oldest of seven children.

Her childhood years were spent on a ranch in Manila, Utah. She was a great help to her mother doing housework, cooking, laundry, and caring for her siblings. During this time, Veda enjoyed walking the hills, swimming, riding horses, playing outdoor games, sleigh riding, ice skating, and spending time with the family.

Veda attended the McKinnon, Wyoming school through the 10th grade as that is all that was offered. She stayed with Martha and Laurel Nelson in Manila while attending the 11th grade. She would go home on the weekend to help with the chores. Her senior year was spent in Rock Springs where she stayed with Peggy Killian, a best friend that she had known from school in McKinnon. She said that was a fun time.

After moving back to Manila, Veda was invited to a party where she met Norman Olsen. He then left home for work and then into the Navy. She was working at the McKinnon store and post office for Glen and Doris Walker when Norman returned from the military. He asked her to go to a dance in McKinnon. They went to dances every weekend after that in McKinnon or Manila where the Terry Orchestra played. Veda and Norman dated for six months then decided to get married. After a dance one weekend, they drove to Elko, Nevada where they were married on Monday, March 24, 1947. Their marriage was solemnized 56 years later in the Idaho Falls Temple in July of 2003.

During their married life, they moved a lot, but eventually settled in Big Piney, Wyoming where they raised three sons and three daughters. During this time, Veda was a beautiful seamstress, and a good homemaker, keeping busy with cooking, cleaning, budgeting finances, and still managed to teach and train six children, would take time to help her neighbors, and still get in scripture reading, and preparing for her church callings.

Following retirement and after spending 12 years as snow birds in St. George, they decided in 2001 to make St. George their permanent home, so they sold their family home in Big Piney. That was a fun and special time for Veda. She enjoyed the musicals, plays, bowling, senior Olympics, and mostly loved working in the St. George Temple for 17 years. She also served a mission with her husband in the St. George Rehab Center for one year.

Veda was always active in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. She held many callings in the Church but her love was in Relief Society where she served as President several times. She was always faithful in her many callings, always had a strong testimony and was a great example to others and to her family.

Veda is survived by three brothers and one sister: Calvin (Bertha) Briggs, Gene (Nancy) Briggs, Arlene (Russell) Griffiths, Rueben (Cheryl) Briggs, five children: Michael (Caroline) Olsen, David (Wanda Ann) Olsen, Margie Olsen, Diane (Bill) Stauner, Jane (Keith) Osterman, 24 grandchildren, 41 great-grandchildren, one great-great-grandson, and many nieces and nephews. Veda was preceded in death by her husband Norman Lloyd Olsen, parents Eli and Mary Briggs, son Tracy Olsen, and two brothers Merrill and Don Briggs.

Funeral services were Wednesday, October 16, 2013 at the Kolob LDS 1st Ward Chapel. Interment was on Thursday, October 17, at 12:00 p.m. at Tonaquint Cemetery, in St. George.

### Von Nelson (Skip) Potter Age 85

August 23, 1928 — August 29, 2013



Von Nelson (Skip) Potter passed away August 29th, 2013. Skip was born August 23, 1928 to Timothy and Bertha Nelson Potter in Henry's Fork, Wyoming. He is survived by his wife, Donna and children, Gene (Jann) of Twin Bridges, Sandra Weaver of Dillon, Wayne (Ramona) of Dell, grandchildren Becky Potter, Jabe and Carly Anderson, Judy (Robin) Panattoni, Sheri (Dan) Blake, Russ and Shelley Weaver, Seth (Becky), Sarah (Joe) Egusquiza, Joe and Rachel Potter, numerous great grandchildren and brothers and sisters, Burl, Dave (Kay), Louis (Pat), Rena (Allen) Palleson, and Reva Beckwith.

Skip was preceded in death by his parents, brothers and sisters, Dee, Everett, Vern, Lafe, Eleanore, Fon and grandchildren Tana Potter and Eddy Potter.



## Manila Food Pantry Food Drive

Please help support the Manila Food Pantry Food Drive for the Months of November & December. Some families within the community are really struggling to feed themselves and their children. While the Food Pantry has been successful in helping most of the time, this time of year help is required from the community and surrounding areas to provide assistance when needed. Some of the items needed are listed below. However, anything would be GREATLY APPRECIATED — even money donations.

The Pantry is open every Thursday (unless otherwise posted) from 9 AM to 2 PM. Or you may call Eyvonne Long at 784-5020 to make further arrangements.

Apricot halves

Pears

Rice

Milk

Broth

Cream Corn (please not whole kernel)

Any kind of potatoes including sweet potatoes

House hold essentials (i.e. hand soap, Toilet paper, Kleenex, shampoo, tooth paste, toothbrushes)

Spaghetti

Peanut butter

Oriental noodle soup

Egg noodles

Diapers

Marconi (but not Mac & Cheese)

Any frozen meat (has to be USDA APPROVED)



Remember a little helps A LOT! Thank you. Eyvonne Long, Manila Food Panty, 93 North 1<sup>st</sup> West, 784-3993

### Winter RV Camping: Starting 11-01-13

**The Flaming Gorge KOA** will keep several RV Sites open for camping this winter. The office, restrooms and showers will be winterized and closed. There will be NO water in the campground. All RV Sites have 20/30/50 AMP service and sewer. Campers must fill their water tanks prior to arrival. Camping is by reservation and must be paid in advance. Please call 949-697-6151 (direct cell) or leave a message at 435-784-3184.

***Special rates available for  
Burbot Bash participants!***



Uintah Basin  
Medical Center  
UINTAH BASIN HEALTHCARE

**Across from the Daggett County Courthouse  
Manila Clinic 435-784-3575**

The Manila Clinic only has a few openings for the mammogram mobile, which will be here on Tuesday November 26th, please call the clinic ASAP for an appointment 784-3575.

UBMC has been working very hard to get the billing problems corrected, we are making headway on this.

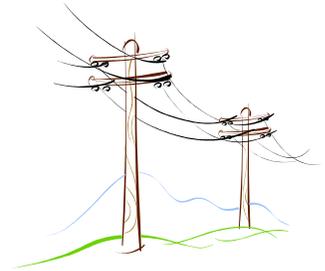
We have the flu shot vaccine available for every age, please get your flu shot. The county flu shots for employees, and family are available at the Manila Clinic. It's early, but the flu has already hit the community with full force...We are here for you, and appreciate your business

**The Manila Medical Clinic Staff**



## Do You Smell Something?

When power outages occur after severe weather such as large snow storms, using alternative sources of power can cause carbon monoxide (CO) to build up in your home and poison your family. CO is a colorless, odorless gas created by burning fuel when using portable generators, gas ranges, burning wood or by running your car.



While hundreds of people die in the U.S. each year from accidental CO poisoning, this tragedy can be prevented. If you don't have a battery-powered or battery back-up CO detector in your home, install one as soon as possible and check it every six months. You should also follow these safety tips:

Every year, nearly 500 people die in the U. S. from accidental CO poisoning. Check or change the batteries in your CO detector every six months. If you don't have a battery-powered or battery back-up CO detector, buy one soon.

CO is found in fumes produced by portable generators, stoves, lanterns, and gas ranges, or by burning charcoal and wood. CO from these sources can build up in enclosed or partially enclosed spaces. People and animals in these spaces can be poisoned and can die from breathing CO.

## How to Recognize CO Poisoning

Since you can't see or smell carbon monoxide, it is important to recognize the most common symptoms of CO poisoning. If you think you are experiencing CO poisoning, you should get fresh air and seek medical attention immediately!

The most common symptoms of CO poisoning are headache, dizziness, weakness, nausea, vomiting, chest pain, and confusion. People who are sleeping or who have been drinking alcohol can die from CO poisoning before ever having symptoms.

- Never use a gas range or oven to heat a home.
- Never leave the motor running in a vehicle parked in an enclosed or partially enclosed space, such as a garage.
- Never run a generator, pressure washer, or any gasoline-powered engine inside a basement, garage, or other enclosed structure, even if the doors or windows are open, unless the equipment is professionally installed and vented. Keep vents and flues free of debris, especially if winds are high. Flying debris can block ventilation lines.
- Never run a motor vehicle, generator, pressure washer, or any gasoline-powered engine less than 20 feet from an open window, door, or vent where exhaust can vent into an enclosed area.
- Never use a charcoal grill, hibachi, lantern, or portable camping stove inside a home, tent, or camper.
- If conditions are too hot or too cold, seek shelter with friends or at a community shelter.
- If CO poisoning is suspected, consult a health care professional right away.

CO poisoning is entirely preventable. You can protect yourself and your family by acting wisely in case of a power outage and learning the symptoms of CO poisoning. For more information, please visit [www.cdc.gov/co](http://www.cdc.gov/co).

### Town of Manila Fire Department News

Two meetings are scheduled for the month of November: Tuesdays, November 12<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 P.M. The agendas will include vehicle functionality, particularly with the additional MAC pumper. The fire department was given a MAC pumper fire truck by the Uintah County Fire District based in Vernal. The Vernal Council and Uintah Commissioners voted to give the truck to Manila Fire instead of selling it. The Manila Fire Department wishes to extend their gratitude to those entities. The truck is in good shape and should be very useful to Manila Fire in the future.

Volunteer firefighters have logged over 400 hours of training, meeting, and response time this year. Congratulations to all for your willingness to give your time for the benefit of area citizens.

Chuck Dickison, Chief

## Manila FFA pulls off another fantastic Blood Drive!

I wanted to give thanks to the FFA students that worked hard to sponsor the Blood Drive we had in October. I am once again very impressed with the work the FFA does on their projects. The turn out was wonderful. All of you are MY heroes! Thank you for your hard work!

I also want to thank everyone that showed up to give blood despite the turn of bad weather. We had so many people that the United Blood Service almost ran out of collection units brought for our drive! Thank you for giving of yourself to help others! It just amazes me the generosity of those supporting the Blood Drives.

Remember that you can view the wellness results of your donation at [www.bloodhero.com](http://www.bloodhero.com). They include hemoglobin levels, pulse, blood pressure, temperature, BMI, cholesterol and others. You can also spend points you have earned from your donations on the Hero In You Reward area at the same site.

Thank you everyone!!  
Julie Rasmussen

## Get Involved!!

### Daggett County has openings for the following Boards, Committees and Volunteer Positions:

- Board of Adjustments (5 positions)
- Dutch John Cemetery Board (2 positions)
- Economic Development Board (2 positions)
- Mosquito Abatement District Board (2 positions)
- Museum Board & Volunteers (Multiple positions)
- Planning and Zoning Board (2 positions)
- Recycling Volunteers (Multiple positions)
- Tourism Tax Advisory Board (2 position)
- County Website (1 position) \*\*

\*\*Contact Brian Raymond at 784-3218 ext. 134 or [braymond@daggettcountry.org](mailto:braymond@daggettcountry.org).

For more information or for an application go to [www.daggettcountry.org/boards](http://www.daggettcountry.org/boards) or contact the County Courthouse at (435) 784-3154, PO Box 219, Manila, UT 84046  
Applications will be accepted until filled!

## Test Your Pressure Cooker

All you need to bring is your lid!

Free to the public

The Uintah Basin Extension Service will be here

November 14th

10:00 am to 5:00 pm

Daggett County Courthouse

Call Tamara Twitchell for more information 435-784-3218 Ext 201

## Cemetery Plot for Sale

Purchased for \$550

Want \$400 OBO

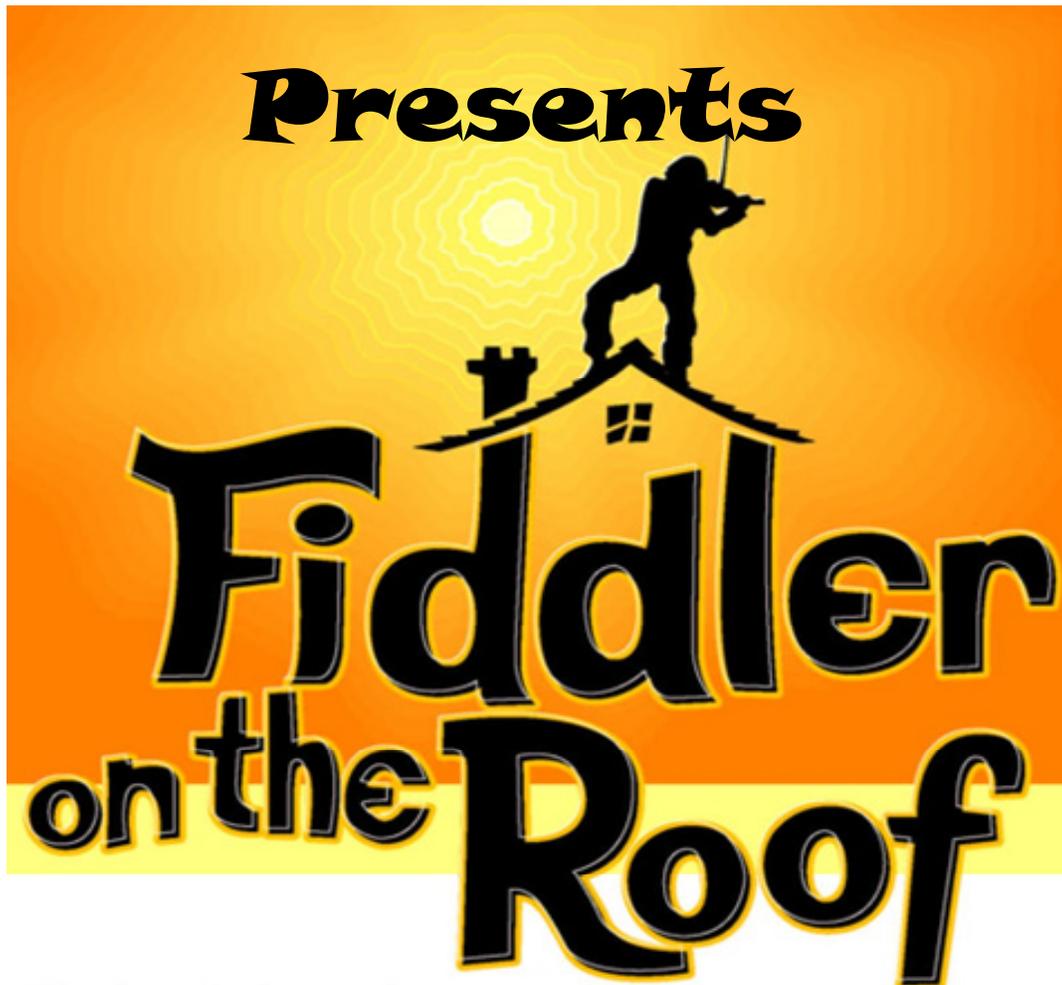
Family Plot of 8

Contact Karl Mabey

970-549-4091 or

[MabeyKnott@yahoo.com](mailto:MabeyKnott@yahoo.com)

# MANILA High School



**November 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, and 16<sup>th</sup>**

**7:00 P.M. in the Black Box Theatre**

**Tickets: \$8.00**

Tickets available November 4<sup>th</sup>, from the HS office  
or members of the cast

Presented through special arrangement with Music Theatre International (MTI)

All authorized performance materials are also supplied by MTI.

421 West 54<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY 10019 Phone 212-541-4684 Fax: 212-397-4684 [www.MTIShows.com](http://www.MTIShows.com)



## Annual Thanksgiving Turkey Shoot

Will be held at the Daggett County Shooting Range  
Saturday November 30<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 AM



Bring your own Shot gun/ammunition  
Sponsored by the LDS Church  
No Alcohol and No Smoking



There will also be a 10-22 competition  
for the youth accompanied by their parents.

**The Elders Quorum is organizing the turkey shoot and is asking for volunteers to make refreshments for the event. If you would be willing to make cookies, a cake, a pie, or brownies etc. please sign up.**

**The shoot will be held on Saturday November 24<sup>th</sup>.**

**For more information you may contact Curtis Mills at 435-778-0137.**

# WINTER SECURITY CHECKS

The Daggett County Sheriff’s Office will once again, conduct security checks of homes that are unoccupied during the winter months. Anyone interested in having their home checked periodically, will need to fill out the informational form below and return to the Daggett County Sheriff’s office. If you were on our list last year, you will still need to fill out a new request for this year. If you have any questions about this program, please call 435-784-3255.

## Winter Security Check Request / Authorization

Property Owner Name(s)

Daggett County Property Location / Address

Winter Contact Address

Winter Phone #

Cell Phone #

Other Phone #

### Comments

(Our practice is to put a notice of the security check on your property, usually on a door knob. If you do not want us to leave a notice or if you have a certain location you would like us to leave the notice, please make note.

I authorize the Daggett County Sheriff’s Office to inspect the exterior of my home during the winter months and notify me at the number above if they discover any problems.

Signature

Return to Daggett County Sheriff’s Office; P.O. Box 219, Attn: S. Potter, Manila, UT 84046.

## Important Changes about Food Stamps

# PUBLIC NOTICE

### Food Stamp Benefits Decrease Effective November 1, 2013

Food Stamp benefit amounts are decreasing. The end of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA) requires a decrease for all Food Stamp benefit amounts. This law change means you will see a decrease in your monthly Food Stamp amount. Your Food Stamp eligibility is calculated on your household's circumstances.



### Effective November 1, 2013

Benefit amounts for Food Stamps is decreasing. Please go to <http://jobs.utah.gov> on November 1 to view the changes.

**Questions? Go to [jobs.utah.gov/mycase](http://jobs.utah.gov/mycase)**



Department of Workforce Services • [jobs.utah.gov](http://jobs.utah.gov)



*Equal Opportunity Employer/Program*

Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities by calling (801) 526-9240. Individuals with speech and/or hearing impairments may call the Relay Utah by dialing 711. Spanish Relay Utah: 1-888-346-3162.

**ATTENTION: Benefits for all ALL FOOD STAMP HOUSEHOLDS will be CUT starting NOVEMBER 2013**

**Why are food stamp benefits going down?**

In November, monthly food stamp benefits will decrease across the nation. The federal law that boosted food stamp benefits during the Recession ends November 1st. This 2009 law was called the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act or "ARRA." Congress has not voted in more funding to keep the ARRA level of food stamp benefits. Utah is not able to change this law.



**When are food stamp benefits changing?**

In October, some food stamp households may see small increases in food stamps due to federal changes in the cost of living. However, in November 2013, all food stamp households in the nation will see a decrease in their benefits. This means that all 100,000 food stamp households in Utah will suffer a loss in food stamp benefits.

**How much will food stamp households lose in November?**

The amount of the food stamp cut is based on household size. This chart shows the new benefit amounts.

**MONTHLY CUT IN FOOD STAMPS BENEFIT BY HOUSEHOLD SIZE**

Household Size	Reduction in Food Stamps benefits - starting Nov 2013	Maximum Food Stamps benefit - if no countable income (max amounts as of Nov 2013)
1 person	-\$11	\$189
2 persons	-\$20	\$347
3 persons	-\$29	\$497
4 persons	-\$36	\$632
5 persons	-\$43	\$750
6 persons	-\$52	\$900

*1 or 2 person households currently receiving the min benefit of \$16 will not receive \$15 – a reduction of \$1*

**How will recipients know about the decrease in their food stamps?**

The Department of Workforce Services will begin posting this information in their employment centers and on their webpage on October 1, 2013. Food stamp customers will need to call Eligibility with any questions. They can be reached at 801-526-0950.

*Questions about this flier can directed to Gina or Marti with Utahns Against Hunger 801-328-2561.*





## Clothing Exchange



Friday, November 22nd

10 am to 8 pm

Saturday, November 23rd 10 am to 1 pm

at the Manila LDS Church

Clothes, shoes, books, toys and small household items.

Everyone Invited and Everything is Free!

Drop off your donated items each Wednesday during November from 6 to 8 pm at the LDS Church or you can call Chree at 435-778-0138 to arrange a time.

### Extension Granted for Landowners to Apply for Conservation Funding

*... Deadline is now November 15*

**SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, October 21** — Due to delays associated with the recent government shutdown, the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) in Utah has extended the deadline from October 18 to November 15 for accepting applications from private landowners and tribes for assistance through the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP), Wildlife Habitat Incentives Program (WHIP) and Agriculture Management Assistance (AMA) program. While the application process for these Farm Bill conservation programs is continuous, the implementation may change depending on conservation program provisions that end up in a new Farm Bill, yet to be passed by Congress.

In the meantime, NRCS offices across the country, including those in Utah, are resuming work with farmers and ranchers to implement conservation activities. All offices are open and are working to address the backlog of requests expediently. The agency is able to proceed with implementation of several conservation programs, including the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) and the Conservation Stewardship Program (CSP). However, authority to enroll acres in several programs, such as the Wetlands Reserve Program (WRP) and Chesapeake Bay Watershed program, expired on September 30, 2013, due to the expiration of the Farm Bill. For more information, producers are encouraged to contact their local USDA Service Center or visit [www.nrcs.usda.gov](http://www.nrcs.usda.gov). **CONTACT:** Clarence Finley, Acting Assistant State Conservationist for Programs, 801-524-4552 or Ron Francis, NRCS State Public Affairs Officer, 801-524-4557, [ron.francis@ut.usda.gov](mailto:ron.francis@ut.usda.gov)

*NRCS, an agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. USDA is an equal opportunity provider, employer and lender. To file a complaint of discrimination, write: USDA, Director, Office of Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Ave., S.W., Washington, D.C. 20250-9410 or call (800) 795-3272 (voice) or (202) 720-6382 (TDD).*

## Recycling Problems

Lately there have been problems with people dumping in the recycle bins. This is a reminder that recycle materials have to be in a box or bag that is tied or closed, preferably sorted. Boxes collapsed, not crushed. Dumping only adds to the volunteers time and efforts. Without the volunteers, the program will be abandoned.

**Only plastics with the symbol 1 or 2 can be recycled. They must have no lids and be clean.** Plastic bags or grocery bags can also be recycled. Please throw the rest away. No symbol = no recycle. No plastic furniture or equipment as they are not rated as a #1 or #2.

**#1 Plastics:** The easiest and most common plastics to recycle are made of polyethylene terephthalate (PETE) and are assigned the number 1. Examples include soda and water bottles, some medicine containers, and many other common consumer product containers. Once it has been processed by a recycling facility, PETE can become fiberfill for winter coats, sleeping bags and life jackets. It can also be used to make bean bags, rope, car bumpers, tennis ball felt, combs, cassette tapes, sails for boats, furniture and, of course, other plastic bottles.

**# 2 Plastics:** This plastic is reserved for high-density polyethylene plastics. These include heavier containers that hold laundry detergents and bleaches as well as milk, shampoo and motor oil. Plastic labeled with the number 2 is often recycled into toys, piping, plastic lumber and rope.

We still recycle **tin cans (clean and without labels)**, glass, cardboard, card stock, phone books, paper, newspaper, magazines, styrofoam, aluminum cans, and household batteries.

A special "Thanks" to express gratitude to community members who have been helpful by sorting and only putting appropriate recyclable materials in the bins. The Recycling Program has removed tons of material out of the landfill. The UBATC Driver's Training Program volunteers are greatly appreciated for hauling the recyclable material to Green River.

Volunteers are desperately needed. Only one to two hours a week or even a month would be greatly appreciated.

**Please contact for more information: Brian Raymond 784-3218 ext 134 or Tammy Twitchell at ext 201**



Unacceptable dumping in Recycle Bins

## MANILA TOWN COUNCIL OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT 10-29-2013

THE TOWN OF MANILA IS ASKING INTERESTED RESIDENTS OF MANILA TO APPLY FOR CONSIDERATION FOR THE POSITION OF MANILA TOWN COUNCIL MEMBER.

APPLICANT MUST BE A REGISTERED VOTER, A RESIDENT OF MANILA, AND AT LEAST 18 YEARS OF AGE.

THE TERM TO BE FILLED WILL END ON JANUARY 1<sup>ST</sup> OF 2016. IF THE SELECTED APPLICANT FILLING THE POSITION DESIRES TO CONTINUE THE POSITION FOR ANOTHER TERM, THEY WILL HAVE TO FILE AS A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTION.

APPLICANTS WANTING TO BE CONSIDERED FOR THE VACANT COUNCIL POSITION MUST SUBMIT A WRITTEN LETTER OF INTEREST TO MANILA ADMINISTRATION AT P.O. BOX 189 OR IN PERSON NO LATER THAN 5:00 P.M. ON NOVEMBER 8<sup>TH</sup>. THE MANILA COUNCIL WILL MAKE AN APPOINTMENT TO THE COUNCIL FROM AMONG THE APPLICANTS WHO HAVE SUBMITTED LETTERS OF INTEREST AT A SCHEDULED COUNCIL MEETING.

SINCERELY MANILA COUNCIL

# Medicare Open Enrollment Event

Darren Hotton from the State of Utah Division of Aging will be at Oldtimers Senior Center

**Nov 20**

**From 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM**



## Tell your friends!

It's time to compare plans, and make sure you have the right health and prescription drug coverage for you. Stay with your current plan if you're happy with it. Or look for a new one with better coverage, higher quality, and lower cost.

**Stop by and Darren Hotton from the State of Utah Division of Aging will help you review your 2013 Medicare plan.**

**Bring a current list of all medications and your Medicare Card!**

Contact Sunny Buock at **(435) 784-3158**

Oldtimers Senior Center  
145 E HWY 43  
Manila, UT 84046



## Daggett County Museum Day "Thank you, Diana Allen Kouris"



On Saturday, September 21, 2013 the Daggett County Museum Board celebrated the Utah State Museum Day. Mrs. Kouris provided a wonderful story of the history of Brown's Park and her life growing up there. The weather was perfect and enjoyed by the crowd in attendance.

The Museum Board also hosted a luncheon and book signing party after the event.

The Museum Board has added Diana Allen Kouris' books to the growing selection of other area history books available for sale.

These books are available at the County Courthouse during the winter months.



A list of all current Authors and Titles are as follows:

**The Romantic & Notorious History of Browns Park - Diana Kouris - \$11.00**

**Riding the Edge of an Era, Growing Up Cowboy on the Outlaw Trail - Diana Kouris - \$16.00**

**Flaming Gorge Dam-Images of America-Uintah County Regional History Center - \$18.00**

**The Outlaw Trail Journal - Published by Uintah County Library Regional History Center - \$10.00**

**The Henry's Fork Valley, Settlers of the McKinnon Area, Sweetwater County, Wyoming-Bertha Albright Briggs - \$68.00**

**Linwood Resurrected, A Town Buried Under the Flaming Gorge Lake - Carma Potter McDowell - \$10.00**

**Daggett County Centennial Cookbook - \$10.00**

**A History of Daggett County, A Modern Frontier-Michael W. Johnson - \$20.00**

# Burbot BASH

2013-2014  
at Flaming Gorge

**November 15, 2013 - January 26, 2014**



## **Tagged Fish Prizes**

1-\$25,000 Fish

2-\$10,000 Fish

1-\$5,000 Fish

Most Fish Caught Prizes

***Over \$100,000 in Prizes***

**Other prizes include:** \$200 cash and/or gift cards for all tagged fish. Entry Fee: \$70 per fisherman (Teams of 2-4)

**EARLY REGISTRATION: \$60 EACH**

Register by November 1, 2013



Permitted By:  
The Ashley National Forest

[www.BurbotBash.com](http://www.BurbotBash.com)

# NOVEMBER 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3 Time Change— Set Your Clocks Back	4	5 Commission Meeting/Public Meeting Election Day 	6 Senior Lunch - Tilapia	7	8 Senior Dinner — Beef Roast  District Court	9
10	11  Town and County Offices Closed Senior Social 5 pm Veterans Day	12	13 Senior Lunch— Lasagna Justice Court  Conservation District Meeting	14 Fiddler on the Roof Local Emergency Planning Committee Pressure Cooker Testing	15 Fiddler on the Roof Burbot Bash Kickoff	16 Fiddler on the Roof Burbot Bash Turkey Shoot
17 Burbot Bash Opening Weekend Closing Ceremony— Rodeo Grounds 11 am to 1 pm	18 Museum Board	19 Commission Meeting  Senior Pool Night — 6 pm.	20 Senior Lunch— Chili  Medicare Meeting	21	22 Clothing Exchange  Senior Dinner — Turkey	23 Clothing Exchange
24	25	26 Commission Meeting Search & Rescue	27 Senior Lunch— Shepherds Pie	28 	29	30 LDS Turkey Shoot

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The December Newsletter will be coming out right before Thanksgiving, so let me help get your ads ready to promote consumers shopping locally.

Tamara Twitchell at [news@daggettcounty.org](mailto:news@daggettcounty.org) or 435-784-3218 ext 201

**County Commission:** Meetings will be held at 9:00 am on Tuesdays.

**County Planning & Zoning:** Meetings will be held every 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month at 1:00 pm.

**Museum Board:** Meeting will be on November 18<sup>th</sup> at Noon.

**Local Emergency Planning Committee:** Meetings are the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of each month at 10:00 am in the Commission Room.

**Search & Rescue:** Meetings are held at 6:30 pm on the last Tuesday of each month at Red Canyon Lodge.

**Dutch John Advisory Committee:** Meetings are the 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of each month at 6:00 pm at the Dutch John Conference Hall.

**Chamber of Commerce:** Meeting will be on December 12th at 1:00 pm at Flaming Gorge Resort.



If you would like to place an article or advertisement in the Daggett County Newsletter please contact Tamara Twitchell at 435-784-3218 ext 201 or by email at [news@daggettcounty.org](mailto:news@daggettcounty.org). Please have information to us no later than November 22nd at 5 pm for the December Newsletter. Thank You!