Village of Claycomo

AUTUMN NEWSLETTER

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- 09/04 LABOR DAY—City Hall CLOSED
- 09/04 Road District Meeting (6:00 PM)
- 09/05 Municipal Court (5:00 PM)
- 09/06 Public Hearing (7:00 PM)
- VILLAGE WIDE GARAGE SALE 09/09
- 09/11 Board of Trustees Meeting (7:00 PM)
- 09/16 VILLAGE WIDE CLEAN UP
- 09/18 Zoning Board (7:00PM)
- 09/19 Municipal Court (5:00 PM)
- 09/23 STREAM TEAM
- 09/25 Board of Trustees Meeting (7:00 PM)
- EDC Economic Development Council (6:30 PM) 09/27
- 09/28 Claycomo Business Appreciation Night (6:00 PM)
- 09/30 Car Show
- 10/02 Road District Meeting (6:00 PM)
- Municipal Court (5:00 PM) 10/03
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- 10/17 Municipal Court (5:00 PM)
- 10/19 Neighborhood Watch Meeting (7:00 PM)
- 10/23 Board of Trustees Meeting (7:00 PM)
- 10/25 EDC - Economic Development Council (6:30 PM)

Garage Sale

- 10/26 Halloween Décor Judging
- 10/28 TRUNK-OR-TREAT (2:00 PM)
- 10/31 HALLOWEEN

VILLAGE-WIDE Village-Wide **Garage Sale**

Our village-wide autumn garage sale will be Saturday, September 9.



Village-Wide Clean Up

Village-wide Clean up day is coming up on Saturday, September 16. There will be 3 dumpsters available for your items in the City Hall Parking Lot. We will begin accepting items at 8:00 am. When the dumpsters are full, they will be closed off. DO NOT CROSS the barriers!

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POLICE DEPARTMENT

Police News

I want to thank everyone who came out and spent the evening with us at our annual Night Out Against Crime at Mildred Keeney Memorial Park on August 10th. It was a great time, even the weather cooperated with us this year! I think we had great attendance, and it was nice getting to see many of our residents there.



We have received several complaints lately about people leaving their grass clippings in the street. Just a reminder, we have an ordinance against blowing grass in the street when you mow your yard.

We just promoted several officers to new positions! Congratulate Captain Bruner, Lieutenant Kirk, Lieutenant Lorenson and Corporal Taff when you see them.

If you need an officer to respond to your house for an emergency, call 911 and request that an officer be dispatched. If you need an officer to respond on a non-emergency matter, please call the Dispatch non-emergency line at 816-781-7373.

Matt Coonce Chief of Police



Community News

CLAYCOMO MISSOURI COMMUNITY PANTRY FOOD DRIVE DONATE FOOD

WE ACCEPT DONATIONS OF NON-PERISHABLE FOOD IN JARS AND CANS. WE RECOMMEND SAUCES, SPICES, SOUPS, BEANS, PASTA, PEANUT BUTTER, FISH IN OIL. AND CANNED CHICKEN





Volunteers and Trustees met on Aug. 12 to build a food pantry in front of City Hall. If you would like to donate, leave your donations **in** the pantry. (Please do not leave donations on the ground or outside of the pantry.)

Our Village Greetings Villagers!

As we embark on this journey of togetherness and empowerment, we are thrilled to introduce you to our newly forming, soon-to-be non-profit, Claycomo Citizens Alliance. CCA is a community group dedicated to addressing the needs of our beloved Village and Village residents. We are your fellow villagers, just like you, who believe in the power of unity and community spirit. Despite the challenges we face, we firmly believe that together, we can implement positive change and make Claycomo an even better place to call home.

Our vision is that Claycomo is just not a village, but it is a close-knit family of individuals who deserve equal access to essential services and opportunities. Living near a major metro, Claycomo residents aren't eligible for some services. CCA hopes to bridge that gap. We are committed to enhancing the quality of life for all, making sure that no one is left behind.

Our first goal is to work on food insecurity. We have a pantry located in front of City Hall. Volunteers make sure the pantry is stocked and clean. Please take what you need, and leave what you can. The pantry will be fully up and running by late afternoon, August 19th. We also hope to find land for a community garden, so that we can supply our community with fresh produce.

We'd love to hear from you. If you'd like to see improvements to the pantry, need a certain item, or any other need, please contact us. <u>ClaycomoCA@gmail.com</u> We keep requests confidential. If you have a few hours a month, a week, or a day, we would love to have you as a volunteer. Please email us or contact us on our Facebook group page: Claycomo Citizens Alliance. The FB group announces community projects that villagers are encouraged to attend.

Joy to you and your family, CCA



Community News (continued)



Rent the Claycomo Community Building

If you have an upcoming event, consider renting our Community Building. More information and pricing is available on our website at claycomo.org/rent-communitybuilding. You may call 816-452-5539 (opt. 7) to see if your date is available.



SEPTEMBER 23 VOLUNTEER STREAM CLEANUP

Stream Team News

Stream Team will meet on Saturday, September 23 to clean up our local creeks, rivers and streams. Volunteers are needed. If you would like to volunteer your time, contact Melody at 816-452-5539.

There will be a Neighborhood Watch Meeting on Thursday, October 19 at 7:00 PM, at Mildred Keeney Memorial Park. Hope to see you there! Bring your ideas and suggestions, ready to share.



Community News (continued)

DIRECTORY INFORMATION

EMERGENCY—CALL 911

Police Dispatch Non-Emergency (816) 781-7373

Fire Dept. Non-Emergency (816) 452-4612

*Identify Yourself as a Claycomo Resident or Business

<u>Village of Claycomo</u> 115 E US 69 Highway Claycomo, MO 64119 (816) 452-5539 Main <u>Email: VillageClerk@Claycomo.org</u> Office Hours M-F 8AM to 5PM

Municipal Court

(816) 452-4539 Municipal Court is Closed on Fridays.

> Police Administration 115 E US 69 Highway (816) 452-4613

> Claycomo Fire Station 333 E US 69 Highway (816) 452-4612

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Holiday Trash Pickup Schedule



Labor Day Trash Pick-up 1 Day Delay

Tuesday, September 5, trash pickup will be delayed by one day, due to Labor Day. If you have any questions about your trash pickup schedule, if want to change your service, or replace/add a trash bin, please contact Republic Services at 816-254-1470.

Do you have questions about our village? **Check our website!** Visit **www.claycomo.org** to see the Village calendar, Trustee meeting minutes, how to file for a police report, the cost for renting the Community Building and so much more!





General Election day is Tuesday, November 7, 2023. Make sure you're registered to vote! Claycomo's voting station is in Claycomo Community Building (28 S. Drake Street). Make your vote count!

> CITY HALL CLOSED

CITY HALL AND CLAYCOMO MUNICIPAL COURT OFFICES CLOSED: Monday, Sept. 4 (Labor Day)

Friday, Nov. 10 (Veterans Day) Thursday & Friday, Nov. 23-24 (Thanksgiving)

Community Reminders (continued)

Need Bulk Items Picked Up??

All Claycomo Residents are eligible for TWO BULK TRASH pick-ups, per year! Just call Republic Services at (816) 254-1470 and schedule your pick-up.



CLAYCOMO BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Board of Trustees

Terry Bradich, Chairman Mark Benton, Chairman Pro-Tem Larry Barrera, Trustee Renee Hoppe, Trustee David Jett, Trustee



The Board of Trustees meetings are set the 2nd and 4th Mondays each month, and begin at 7:00PM. Meetings are held at the Claycomo Community Building located at 28 S Drake St, and are open to the public. The Board of Trustees encourages all of our residents to attend the meetings, and become involved in our community. Contact Information for all of our Trustees can be found on our web page, at www.claycomo.org.





Are you looking for a venue for an upcoming outdoor event? Rent/Reserve Mildred Keeney Memorial Park. The park is located at 55 N Poe. Rental forms are available in the lobby of City Hall. The charge is \$25, for residents and \$50, for non-residents. There is also a \$100 deposit due at the time of reservation.

Community News (continued)

PUBLIC HEARING, SEPT. 6

There will be a Public Hearing held on Wednesday, September 6, 2023. It will begin at 7:00 pm at the Claycomo Community Building (28 Drake Street). The hearing will be in regards to the possible rezoning of 422 Dickenson.



Our Village Trunk-or-Treat will be on Saturday, October 28th at Mildred Keeney Memorial Park. Events will begin at 2:00 pm. Contact Mark Benton at 816-500-0348 for more information.

Come check out local cars, trucks, and motorcycles, on Saturday, September 30 from 1:00-7:00pm, at Claycomo Community Building (28 S Drake Street). There will be food vendors for all and craft booths for the kids. Prizes and trophies will be presented to participants. If you would like to be involved, contact event organizer, Jim Crooks at 816-805-8483.



Presented by Bring it to Claycomo: Motorcycle and Car Show Society

Northgate Estates Pantry

Northgate Mobile Home Community is creating a pantry for their residents. Contact the Northgate office for further details.

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We would like to provide food, school supplies, and clothing to our residents

Bring any donations to City Hall Questions? Contact Northgate office at (816) 452-4418





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