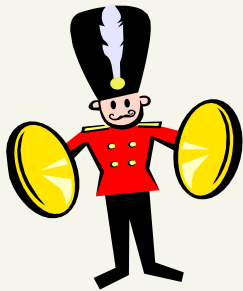




# The HUDSON CONNECTION



## SEPTEMBER 19TH



We are only a few weeks away from our Street Paving Celebration and Hudson Harvest Festival.

Begin your day at the Hudson Memorial Park with the Harvest

Festival. There will be many activities, as well as arts and crafts. Watch for the vintage war plane flyover from Platte Valley Airpark. Kids will have plenty of fun with the Jumping Castle and games just for them!

Will the Keenesburg Fire Department keep their coveted softball

trophy, or will the Hudson Fire Department snatch it from them?

The parade begins at 3:30 pm as an opening for the Town of Hudson Street Paving Celebration. The festivities will be located on Cedar Street with Beth Vigil singing the National Anthem.

The family fun celebration continues with a magic show, and make sure you bring your

dancin' shoes. The Country Cowboys will begin playing at 4:30 followed by Revelation Union and Samantha Collins.

The Country Cowboys will also be closing the festival before the 30 minute fireworks display at 10:15 p.m.

Celebrate with us by participating in the parade, remote control car and street bed racing. Parade entries are needed for the following: children with bicycles, tricycles and wagons, horses, motorcycles and tractors.

If you are interested in participating in the parade, remote control car or street bed racing, please contact Rachael Arnold at Town Hall ~ 303.536.9311.

Contact Pat Cooke at

303.732.4009 for more information on art and craft booths and volunteering.



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You are welcome to attend Chamber meetings and see what the Chamber can offer you. The meetings are the last Wednesday of each month at the Pepper Pod Restaurant.

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

# PAVING PROJECT UPDATE...



*“Juniper Street & Cook Street have been completed”*

The Town of Hudson paving project continues! Juniper Street & Cook Street have been completed, as well as Hudson Drive. Street paving and sidewalk construction continues on phase 1, phase 2 and phase 3. The Curbs and Sidewalks are completed, as well as the first lift of asphalt. Everything west of the railroad should be completed by August 10th.

Water line replacement is currently taking place on Beech Street. As the water lines are replaced the Paving crew will prepare to pave it.

We are doing our best to keep everyone informed as the phases of the project progress.

The mobile message board and informational flyers are distributed and placed in the phase area before work begins on that phase.

Due to the rain we have had over the past few weeks, some of the paving has been delayed. We know this is a difficult process, and appreciate your patience.



Hours of construction work are Monday thru Friday from 7:00 a.m. to 5 p.m., and occasionally on Saturdays. If there is construction on a Saturday, the hours will be the same as Monday through Friday.

Construction equipment is currently stored between 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> streets, west of Birch Street.

*Please continue to watch for...*

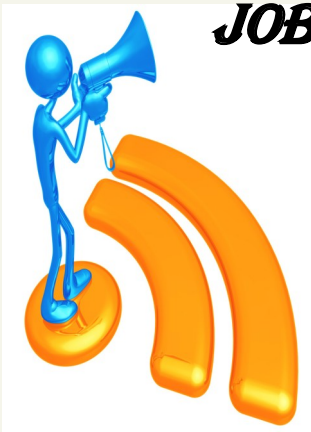
Traffic Control devices, flaggers and cone zones while driving. We need your help to make sure everyone, including the construction crews are safe during this project.

Some electric poles in Town will be relocated to accommodate paving.

Please let us know if you have special needs to consider during construction.

If you have any questions, please call Tim Hopwood, Public Works Director at 303.944.2257.

## JOB FAIR IN THE TOWN OF HUDSON



Cornell Companies will continue its job fair hiring for many available positions at the new correctional facility.

Hiring will be for Correctional Officers, Administrative Positions, Human Resource Positions, Medical Technicians and much more.

**Hudson Correctional Facility Job Fair**

**Thursday, August 6, 2009**

**8:00 am – 8:00 pm**

**First Baptist Church of Hudson**

For more information, please check the following Website:

**[www.cornellcompanies.com](http://www.cornellcompanies.com)**

## LOCAL LIBRARY NEWS

All adults that want to “Be Creative at Your Library” can join the adult reading program. The program will start August 3 and run through September 8<sup>th</sup>. All we ask is that you read five books or more to fulfill our requirements. You will be able to win a prize and enjoy an end of reading party. Entertaining programs will be announced.

While we are on the subject of reading programs, a big thank you to all the children, teens and tweens that participated in the summer reading. Also, big thanks to the parents who supported the kids and brought them to the activities. We were fortunate to have wonderful performers to entertain us and local artists shared their time and talents with over 700 summer readers.

The book club will be reading “Honor Lost: Love and Death in Modern-Day

Jordon” by Norma Khouri and discussing it on August 7th.

The September book selection will be a “banned” book of your choice and in addition to that they will be reading the “Common Read” selection for Weld



County “Three Cups of Tea” by Greg Mortenson & David Oliver Relin.

The book club meets the first Friday of the month at 6:00 p.m. and is open to anyone who would like to join.

Persons interested in obtaining a library card can get one by bringing

with them a valid Photo ID showing a current address within the HighPlains Library District boundaries (Weld County). If the address on the ID does not match the current address, a proof of address is required. Acceptable forms for proof of address include mortgage papers, phone bill, printed checks with current address, utility bill, or voter registration card. Your card can be used at any one of the HighPlains libraries and the bookmobile. Visit the district website at [www.mylibrary.us](http://www.mylibrary.us) to view the library catalog.

*“Adult Reading Program August 3<sup>rd</sup> thru September 8<sup>th</sup>”*

For any questions you may have please call 303-536-4550.

Reading is Fun!

## YOUR HUDSON AREA FIRE DEPARTMENT...



The Hudson Area Fire Department would like to remind you about the routine testing...

**Routine testing of the tornado alert system will take place on the first Monday of every month at 12 noon.**

At that time, the siren will be put through its normal operating sequence. Each scheduled test will last about a minute and a half to two minutes.

If you have an address sign on your house, please check it every once in a while to make sure it is large enough that you can read it from the middle of the street. Emergency responders need to see them easily day or night.

Hudson Fire has responded to 330 calls for the year. More details will be given at a later date regarding the application that was submitted for a FEMA Homeland Security grant for \$530,000 dollars to help with completing the proposed new station.

Hudson Area Fire Protection District would like to wish two of our members all the best. Mike Kruetzer and Larissa Owens will be getting married on Sept 12 in Hudson.

If you have any questions, please call the Hudson Area Fire Department at 303.536.0161.



# WELD COUNTY SHERIFF'S UPDATES...



Numerous complaints have been received by the Weld County Sheriff's Office about drivers not stopping at stop signs. Children are playing and riding their bicycles and construction work continues.

Please stop at all stop signs to prevent an accident or injury. *Citations will be issued without a warning.*



If you are interested in participating in a Neighborhood Watch Program, please contact Town Hall at 303.536.9311.

Please remember to roll up the windows and lock your vehicle. Please report any suspicious activity to the Weld County Sheriff's Office (911).

## Wastewater Treatment Plant Coming Along

The Town of Hudson new sewer plant is well underway. To date there has been over 1200 cubic yards of concrete poured to form the tanks that will be used for treating the wastewater. A new well has been drilled to provide water to the treatment building. Over the next few weeks there will be more concrete poured, the building will be erected, and equipment will be delivered and set in place. Completion of the plant is expected to be late this year.



## Those Pesky Mosquitoes

Other than treating possible mosquito breeding areas, such as standing water, the Town has no plan for town-wide mosquito spraying or other such measures at this time. Personal preventative measures are the most effective. Please see the following information below for the most effective and simple ways to help reduce mosquito breeding areas.

### Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

Tel: 970-221-6400

Fax: 970-221-6476

E-mail: [dybid@cdc.gov](mailto:dybid@cdc.gov)

Web site: <http://www.cdc.gov>

### National Pesticide Information Center (NPIC)

Tel: 1-800-858-7378

E-mail: [npic@ace.orst.edu](mailto:npic@ace.orst.edu)

Web site: <http://npic.orst.edu/>

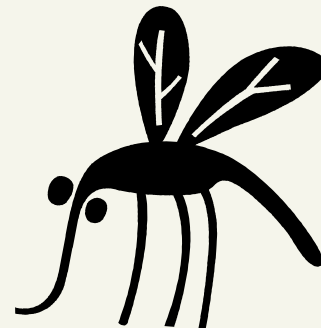
West Nile Virus Resource Guide: <http://npic.orst.edu/wnv/>

### American Mosquito Control Association (AMCA)

Joseph M. Conlon, Technical Advisor

Tel/Fax: (904) 215-3008

E-mail: [amcata@bellsouth.net](mailto:amcata@bellsouth.net)





# NOTES FROM TOWN HALL...

A friendly reminder to all, please have your trash cans out by 7 a.m. on Friday mornings, except for holidays. **Please put trash bags in your trash cans.** Recycling occurs every other Friday (please check your schedule). On recycling pick up dates, one truck will pick up trash only, and the other truck will pick up the recycling. If you have any questions, please call Gator Rubbish at 303.655.0710.

Since budget time is here, please let us know if there are things you would like the Town to accomplish in 2010. Please join us for the regular Board of Trustees meetings at Town Hall; meetings are the first and third Wednesdays of each month.

If you have any extra items for pets, such as old towels, leashes or

supplies, please donate them to Town Hall. Our friendly pets that are picked up are in need of these items while they are waiting patiently to be retrieved by their owners.



Thank you to all that participated in the fun at the Ice Cream Social for the park planning discussion.

If you were unable to attend, please stop by Town Hall to share your ideas on what you would like to see in our park. . This is *your* chance to get in on the planning.

If you were not able to drop off household hazardous items at our last clean-up, you will have another chance. Staff will be collecting *household hazardous materials only* on **Saturday, August 29th from Noon to 4 pm.** Location will be at THE TOWN'S WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT, HIGHWAY 52 & HICKORY STREET.



You will need a valid ID with a **Hudson Water Bill or Utility Bill (other forms accepted; must have name and physical address).** *You will not be allowed to dump without one.*

These items include oil, paint and other household chemicals. Please call Town Hall at 303.536.9311 with any questions.

## BUFFALO MARKET DAYS

This is the first year for the Town of Hudson to have a farmer's market. The location is at the corner of Hudson Drive and Main Street, right across from Hoffman Feed and Supply and

east of the Barn Store.

Buffalo Market Days are on the second and fourth Saturday of each month from 8 a.m. until noon with

The Buffalo Market Days will be through August, September and possibly October depending upon the weather.

If you are interested in being a vendor at the Buffalo Market Days, there is no charge. Please contact Rachael at Town Hall for more information and vendor application ~ 303.536.9311.



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THE LATEST NEWS ABOUT WHAT'S HAPPENING IN



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Cornell Job Fair at the First Baptist Church in Hudson

Saturday, August 8th

Buffalo Market Days  
8 a.m. until noon

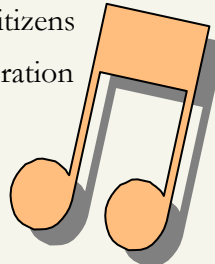
Saturday, August 29th

Household hazardous materials collection for Town of Hudson citizens

Saturday, September 19th

Street Paving Celebration & Hudson Harvest Festival

**REMEMBER...** Town Board meetings are open to the public. Agendas are posted in the Town Hall window and at the Post Office. Meetings are the 1st and 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m.



**IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT THE TOWN HALL AT 303-536-9311.**

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