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PLANNING ON SPRUCING UP THE OLD PLACE ! ?

Spring is upon us and with the warmer weather comes the urge to get outside and work on yards and homes. County residents need to remember that Building Permits are **REQUIRED** for all new construction and any remodel or addition to an existing building, including covered decks over 120 square feet. Permits are also required if you are planning on replacing an existing mobile or modular home. Building Permit Applications and Information Packets can be obtained from the County Clerk's Office during regular

business hours. You can also request a packet by calling 435-784-3154.

Just a reminder !

It is the responsibility of the property owner to check current zoning regulations !!



BUSINESS LICENCES

2003 Business License Applications were sent out in January. The applications and fees were due by March 31, 2003. Anyone planning on doing business in Daggett County (including home based businesses and guide services) is required to obtain an annual business license. Information regarding business licenses and fees can be obtained from the Daggett County Clerk's Office during regular business hours. You can also request this information by calling (435) 784-3154.



DAGGETT COUNTY WEBSITE

Last year high school student Kaylyn Reed helped Mr. Durrant put together a basic website for Daggett County. This site can be found by typing in www.dsdf.org/county into an internet web browser. Current plans are to expand the information available on

this website to include information about basic County services, County Meeting Notices & Agendas, Dutch John Privatization, Requests for Proposals, and a host of other important and valuable information.

Information on the sale of lots in Dutch John is now available at www.dsdf.org/county/sale.htm. As new lots become available they will be posted.

Check out the site regularly to keep up to date with what's happening!

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SCHEDULE OF
EVENTS

- April 7th—Commission Mtg. County Courthouse from 9 am
- April 8th—Counties Care for Kids Event at Flaming Gorge Elementary from 5-8 pm
- April 9th—Counties Care for Kids Event at Manila High School from 5:30 to 8:30 pm
- April 10th—Public Land Use Committee at Dutch John Firehouse from 9-11 am
- April 14th—Commission Workshop CCH 9 -12 pm & 1-5 pm
- April 24th—Commission Workshop CCH 9 -12 pm & 1-5 pm

APRIL 2003

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
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DAGGETT COUNTY JUSTICE COURT

Manila Precinct

April is a busy month for the Courts as annual training for both Clerks and Judges is held during this month. Each Justice Court Judge is required to have at least 30 hours of Continuing Education every year and each clerk is required to have at least 10 hours of training each year. Our court has always completed these requirements. It is important to have up dates on current legislative action and be pre-

pared to implement new laws or changes to existing laws. Judges are encouraged to be consistent with the whole state when imposing fines for violations while still being concerned with judging each incident independently and fairly.

We encourage any interested citizen to visit our Court any time or call our office at 435 784-3216 if you have any questions or concerns.

NEW COMMISSION EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

Brian Raymond has been hired as the new Executive Assistant to the Commission. Brian earned his Bachelors degree in Recreation Management with a minor in Business Management. He has worked as a Teacher at Manila High School and was the Site Facilitator for the Connections program before taking this position.

Brian and his wife Carol have three children and live just out of Manila.

Brian will be writing grants,

work on the County Website, publish the County Newsletter, help with GPSing the County Roads and assist the Commissioners with some of the many County committees.

We are pleased and excited about having Brian work for the County.

The Commissioners



DAGGETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

The Daggett County Sheriff's Office is proud to announce the arrival of a new member of the Daggett County Sheriff's Department "Precious".

"Precious" is a Belgium Malinois breed of dog. She was donated to Daggett County Sheriff's Office by K-9 Officer, Scott McMahon of Salt Lake County Sheriff's Office. Precious and Deputy Ken Rasmussen have just graduated from classes which were

also donated by Ken Etchel from West Jordan Police Department. Precious and Ken passed the certified narcotics detection dog classes with a PSP2 certification which is the highest international certification. "Way to go, we are proud of you".

Precious will be a real asset to our department. At this time she is trained in drug detection and we have high hopes in the near future of getting her

also trained in Search and Rescue.

Daggett County Sheriff's Office would like to express our thanks and appreciation to those who donated Precious and training to our department.



Precious with her new handler: Deputy Ken Rasmussen

DAGGETT COUNTY JAIL

The Daggett County Sheriff's Department has appointed a new jail commander to replace Valeen Horrocks who resigned to pursue other interests.

Rick Harrison has been asked to fill the position by Sheriff Campbell. Rick has been with the Sheriff's department for about 1 year. He previously worked for Roosevelt Po-

lice Department, Duchesne County Sheriff's Department and the Utah Highway Patrol.

Rick hopes to provide safe, secure housing for inmates while addressing any community concerns and needs. He feels the staff at the jail is top quality and will rely heavily on their expertise and leadership in managing the

affairs at the jail.

Low inmate numbers have prompted Sheriff Campbell and the jail staff to look to other sources for contract inmates.



Rick Harrison

INMATE SPOTLIGHT

A potentially tragic incident was averted recently at the Daggett County Jail by the quick thinking of inmate Greg Maglogo.

Magalogo witnessed a fellow inmate choking on a chicken bone during dinner. The choking victim could not dislodge the obstruction and was near the point of losing conscious-

ness when Magalogo quickly responded. Using the Heimlich maneuver, he dislodged the obstruction.

The choking inmate was checked medically and other than a sore throat, was in good health.

Magalogo was awarded a certificate of appreciation for his calm, quick thinking in a stressful situation.

NEW CONNECTIONS FACILITATOR

The Tri-County Connections program has hired Carol Slaugh as the new Site Facilitator for Daggett County.

The Connections After School program meets at the Old High School from 2:40 pm to 5:15 pm and the Evening program meets at the Manila High School from 6 to 7 pm on Mon/Wed night and 6-7:30 pm on Thursday Evenings.

Connections is still looking for a Teacher/Leader for the Dutch John site. Contact Carol Slaugh at 784-3174 or Bill Caldwell at (435) 781-3100 ext. 1050.



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NATIONAL COUNTY WEEK APRIL 6-12, 2003

“Counties Care for Kids” is the theme of this year’s National County Week. Counties provide a variety of services to their residents, both young and old and Daggett County is no exception. Do you know what services are available here in Daggett County? If you answer no or “I’m not sure” to this question then come out to the closest Community night during National County Week. Dutch John will have their festivities on Tuesday, April 8th at the Flaming Gorge Elementary School from 5-8 pm. Hot dogs, chips and drinks will be available and there will be a vari-

ety of booths and information for all. The highway Patrol will have their DUI goggles and the Seat Belt Machine. The Forest Service, Fish and Wildlife, Tri-County Health, Connections and others including your elected officials will be available to answer your questions. Bring the whole family and see what opportunities await you to get involved in your community.

Wednesday, April 9th the same activities will be available at Manila High School from 5:30 to 8:30 pm.

High School students have written essays about the

benefits of living in Daggett county for a chance to win some prizes.

The posters Elementary Students have created about living in Daggett County will be on display each evening and then in the Court House the next two weeks.

Open letters to Servicemen with ties to Daggett County will be available for all to sign and add words of encouragement and thanks!

There will be information and activities for all ages, so bring your family and learn how Daggett County “Cares for Kids!”



Cindy Larsen of the County Auditors Office read to the Manila Connections Students on April 2 from a book in the Daggett County Library at the Daggett County Courthouse.