

# Show Low Monthly News



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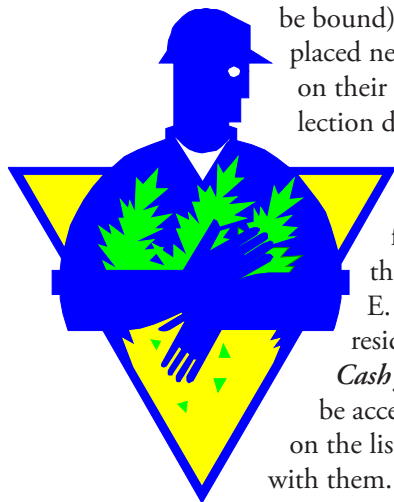
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## Clean up for fire season with Project Clean Sweep

Now's the time to clean your property and take advantage of the free programs in the ninth annual **Project Clean Sweep**. Remove dead and diseased trees, trim your tree limbs and rid your property of green waste to make it fire-safe. You might find unwanted treasures in your home that can be turned into cash. *Proof of residency within the City of Show Low is required through presenting a current utility statement or a valid driver's license listing a street address to participate in this program.* **Project Clean Sweep** includes:

- ❖ **Excess garbage collection.** Get rid of excess trash.
- ❖ **"Cash for Trash."** Earn cash for your large, unwanted items.
- ❖ **Bulky item pick up.** Sign up for this free service.
- ❖ **Abandoned vehicle program.** Sign up to have your abandoned vehicle towed from your property.
- ❖ **Dumpster drop.** Take items to Lone Pine Transfer Station.

Waste Management will provide **Free Excess Trash Collection** May 28 through June 1, a quarterly service contracted with Waste Management. Only residents billed for City water and/or sewer services are eligible for this benefit. Remember, trash bags must weigh less than 50 pounds; items cannot be longer than four feet in length (if there is more than one item, they must be bound) and all excess trash must be placed next to the residents' polycarts on their normally scheduled trash collection day.



**"Cash for Trash"** will be held June 2 (one day only) from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Public Works yard, 1281 E. Thornton. Bring proof of residency. *Only those items on the Cash for Trash list* (next page) will be accepted. Residents with items not on the list will be asked to take the items with them. Automobile tires with rims will be accepted for \$1 per tire. Automobile tires

without rims may be taken to the Lone Pine Transfer Station June 4 through 8. Batteries also will be accepted for \$1 each.

June 4 through 8, City employees will provide **Free Bulky Item Pick Up** from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. for residents who pre-arranged a scheduled collection. Any large, unwanted appliances, furniture, tires, etc. will be accepted. However, the City will not accept building materials or hazardous materials, including liquid paints, oils, pesticides, herbicides and household cleaning products. Un-

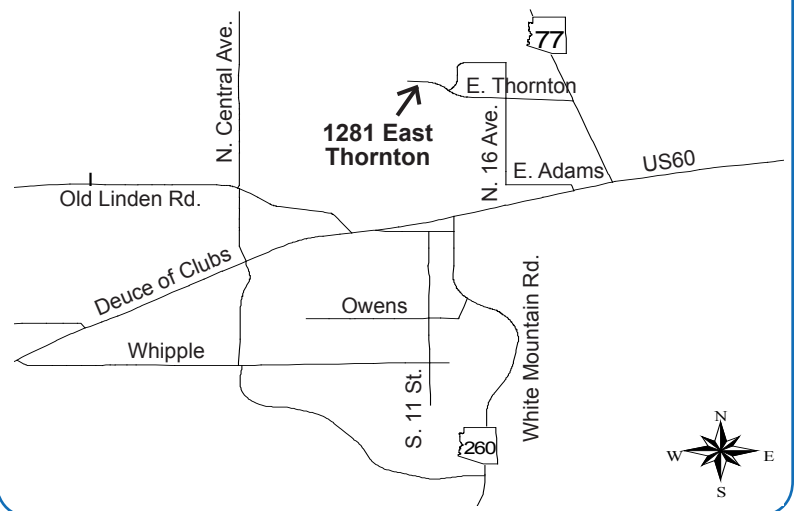
like "Cash for Trash," residents will not be paid for these items.

Schedule a free pick up by contacting Cari Bilbie at 532-4100 **no later than 4 p.m., May 29**. Otherwise, any item left for collection and disposal by Waste Management will incur a charge of \$50 per item, which will be added to the household's July 2007 utility bill. When leaving a message, include your name, physical address and a phone number where you can be reached. All bulky items scheduled for collection must be placed next to the curb in front of the residence the weekend of June 2 and 3 for collection during the week of June 4 through 8.

Get rid of your **Abandoned Vehicles**. Residents with inoperable vehicles, with or without a title, will be paid \$50 per vehicle. However, **untitled vehicles** will be assessed a charge of approxi-

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### "Cash for Trash" June 2, 2007, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.



### Improvements to cemetery road

Improvements to E. Adams Street, the road adjacent to the city cemetery, began April 23. Almost 2,000 feet of the road from N. Central Avenue to N. 6th Street will be graded and paved and curbs and sidewalks added. Two of the three entrances into the cemetery will remain open at all times, but during the project, access may be from Central or 6th, depending on which street is closed. Our cemetery staff will work with the contractor to ensure the least disturbance or disruption during funeral and burial services, suspending work as necessary. We apologize for any inconvenience to our cemetery visitors and appreciate everyone's patience. The project will be completed by July 1.

# Calendar of Events

Family Aquatic Center & Recreation: 532-4140  
Public Library: 532-4070

- 05/01** 7 p.m., Council Chambers  
**City Council Regular Meeting**
- 05/02** **Start Smart Baseball** begins
- 05/03** 5:30 p.m., Council Chambers  
**City Council Budget Study Session** (if needed)
- 05/05** 10 a.m., Senior Field  
**Pepsi Pitch, Hit and Run** (ages 7 to 14)
- 05/07** Registration begins for **Pee Wee T-Ball** and **Summer Play Days**
- 05/08** 7 p.m., Council Chambers  
**Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting**
- 05/09** 5–7 p.m., Public Library, **General Plan** public meeting
- 05/10** 10 a.m., Public Library (public welcome)  
**Show Low Library Friends** meeting
- 05/12** 2 p.m., Aquatic Center, **Penny Carnival**
- 05/15** 1st annual **Bike/Walk to Work Day**
- 05/15** 7 p.m., Council Chambers  
**City Council Regular Meeting**
- 05/17** 3:30–4:30 p.m., Public Library (favorite animal story)  
**Cool Kids Book Discussion Group** (ages 8+)
- 05/17** 5:30 p.m., Council Chambers  
**City Council Budget Study Session** (if needed)
- 05/17** 7 p.m., Public Library, **Show Low Historical Society** meeting (“The Story that Needs to be Told,” Jo Baeza; “Cowboy Poetry, Music and Paintings,” Steve Taylor)
- 05/18** **Youth Flag Football** registration begins (grades 1-6)
- 05/18-05/19** Pool closed for **Lifeguard Boot Camp** (beginning at 5 p.m. on 5/18)
- 05/21** **Summer Swim Lessons** session 1 registration begins
- 05/21** 9–11 a.m., Aquatic Center  
**Water Wee Play** (ages 5 & under with parent)
- 05/22** 7 p.m., Council Chambers  
**Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting**
- 05/23** 1:30 p.m., Public Library  
**OneBookAZ Discussion** (Going to Meet the Man)
- 05/26** 2 p.m., Aquatic Center, **Penny Carnival**
- 05/26 & 28** **Memorial Day Softball Tournament** (City fields and Woodland Lake fields)
- 05/28** **12th Annual Tri In The Pines** registration begins
- 05/29** Summer pool schedule begins

## 1st Annual Bike/Walk to Work Day

To recognize National Bike Month, the City of Show Low has designated Wednesday, May 16, as Bike/Walk To Work Day. Be enviro-friendly, leave your vehicle at home and join City employees by riding your bike or walking to work May 16. Why not ride or walk one day a week every week, reduce traffic congestion, improve your health, have fun and put a smile on your face?

Join us at Cycle Mania on Wednesday, May 9, at 6 p.m. for free instruction on how to change a flat tire and simple maintenance. Class size is limited to 25 so call 532-8812 now to reserve a space.

### Project Clean Sweep...continued from front page

mately \$50 from the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV). The charge will be applied to the owner's DMV record and DMV will notify the owner. Neither the City of Show Low nor Show Low Auto, the contractor that will tow the vehicle, has any control over the DMV fees assessed for untitled vehicles. To avoid DMV fees, residents may obtain a replacement title from DMV prior to signing up for the City's program. Contact DMV at 537-2655 regarding fees and replacement title information.

To participate in the program, complete one Abandoned Vehicle form per vehicle and return it by mail or in person to Cari Bilbie, Public Works Yard, 1281 E.Thornton, Show Low, AZ 85901 prior to 4 p.m., May 31. Forms are available at DMV or the Public Works Yard. (The only part of the form that needs to be filled out is the back of the yellow copy. Please sign the form and include your phone number so we may contact you.)

The **Dumpster Drop** program allows residents to take their unwanted items to the Lone Pine Transfer Station, located off of SR77. With proof of City of Show Low residency (use your water/sewer/garbage bill), dump your refuse for free June 4 through 8, 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., and June 9, 8 a.m. to noon. Those unable to prove Show Low residency will be charged the full dumping fee assessed by the transfer station. Items that **will not** be accepted include debris and materials from construction sites and other commercial refuse; hazardous materials including pesticides, herbicides, oils, liquid paints and household cleaning products; and automobile batteries and tires with rims.

Construction materials are strictly prohibited during any of the Project Clean Sweep programs. For more information, contact Cari Bilbie at 532-4100. This is a tremendous opportunity to make your property fire-safe defensible. Get rid of yard debris, excess trash and unused items—and earn cash by doing it. Together, we can keep Show Low clean and beautiful.

### “Cash for Trash” Schedule of Prices

Only items listed will be accepted. Proof of residency required.

#### Appliances

Dishwasher.....	\$3	Microwave.....	\$1
Refrigerator.....	\$5	Stove/range.....	\$3
Television.....	\$2	Washer/dryer.....	\$3
Water heater.....	\$2		

#### Auto Tires, with rims only (\$1 each)

#### Carpeting (maximum \$10 per customer)

6' x 9' or larger.....	\$4	Less than 6' x 9'.....	\$2
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#### Furniture

Bed.....	\$3	Bookcase.....	\$3
Chair.....	\$2	Chest of drawers.....	\$3
Couch.....	\$5	Dining table.....	\$5
Lawn furniture.....	\$2		

#### Motor Vehicles (towed free; call 532-4100 to schedule pickup)

#### Plumbing Fixtures

Bathtub.....	\$5	Sink.....	\$2
Toilet.....	\$3		

#### Miscellaneous

Bicycle.....	\$2	Camper shell.....	\$5
Dog house.....	\$2	Swing set.....	\$5