

Business After Hours

Frontier Bank at 200 S. Main will be hosting a Business after Hours from 5:00p to 6:30p on Thursday, October 20th. The bank will be providing hors d'oeuvres and cold drinks. The Business after Hours will last until the hors d'oeuvres and/or drinks last. Please come and enjoy this event.

Help Wanted

The Town of Granada is currently seeking a P.O.S.T. Certified Police Officer for a full-time position with the Granada Police Department.

This position is funded by JAG (Justice Assistance Grant) Recovery Act and will begin November 1, 2011.

We are looking for a self-motivated, honest, hard working individual. Prior experience and being fluent in Spanish is a plus, but not necessary.


Applications can be requested by e-mail at granadapd@secom.net, telephone (719) 734-5211 or (719) 734-5411 or picked up in person at the Town of Granada's Police Department or Clerk's Office at 103 South Main, Granada, Colorado.

Applications must be turned in by Monday, October 24, 2011 either by e-mail (at above address); mailed to Granada Police Department-P.O. Box 258-Granada, CO or in person at 103 South Main, Granada, Colorado.

The Town of Granada is an equal opportunity employer

The Lamar Education Association invites the public to a question and answer forum with School Board candidates Alan Medina and Monty Thompson. The forum will be at the Community Building on Wednesday October 19th at 7:00 PM.

Contact Christi Ludwig at 336-9769 with any questions.



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Week End Sports Scores

Football:

Florence-35 Lamar-7 Springfield-40 Holly-0
Granada-51 McClave-20 John Mall-20 Las Animas-0
Walsh-60 Wiley-0

Volleyball:

Springfield-3 Holly-0 Rye-3 Las Animas-0
Swink-3 Las Animas-2 Wiley-3 Walsh-0
Lamar-3 Ellicott-0

Soccer:

Alamosa-6 Lamar-1

Softball:

Florence-9 Lamar-1

Sports Schedule

Football:

10/21 - St Mary @ Lamar
10/21 - Wiley @ McClave
10/21 - Holly @ Granada
10/21 - Las Animas @ Rye

Soccer:

10/21-Vanguard @ Lamar
10/23-LCC @ UCCS Club Team

Softball:

10/21-State Tournament @ Aurora

Volleyball:

10/20 - Las Animas @ Fowler
10/20 - LCC @ OJC
10/21- Wiley @ McClave
10/21- Holly @ Granada
10/22-Cross Division Playoff @ James Irwin
10/25-LCC site for Districts

Cross Country:

10/21-Regional Meet

Area School Activities

Lamar:

10/19 - FFA Chili Supper/Creed Contest • High School Knowledge Bowl-Pueblo South
10/20 - Lamar High School Band/Choir Concert, 7pm
10/21 - High School Parent's Night
10/24-28 - FFA National Convention

Holly:

10/19 - Shanner Picture Retakes • FCW, 6pm • Holly Blood Drive, Community Center, 11:30-5pm
10/20 - 5th Grade Challenger Mission • Bookmobile at School
10/25 - Junior High/High School Picture Retakes

Granada:

10/21 - No School-Teacher Workday
10/25 - 2nd Round of Match Wits

McClave:

10/19 - Picture Retakes • Book Fair • Wyoming Tech at 2pm
10/20 - 6:30pm, Accountability Meeting • K-5th Grade Fire Prevention Day
10/21 - Outdoor Biology Lab, Willow Creek, 8-12pm • FBLA Dinner • Mini Cheerleader Performance, FTBL Game halftime • Pre K and Kinder. Pumpkin Patch Trip, 9:30am at Granada
10/25 - Book Fair Continues • Knowledge Bowl Matchwits in Pueblo

Wiley:

10/24 - Red Ribbon Week, by STUCO
10/25 - Picture Retakes

Yard Sales

Moving Sale-Everything Must GO!!

708 South Second in Lamar - Friday, October 21 - Noon to ??? - Saturday, October 22 - 7am to ??? - 4 VW Tires, Auto Parts, Crib & Mattress, Clothes for the Family, Assorted Furniture, 4-piece wood table, back door to fit 2002 and up, Ford Explorer

Shocks & Thrills, Screams and Chills:

Prowers Partners for Progress present The Haunted House, 210 West Olive in Lamar. \$5 per ticket. Proceeds will benefit the Lamar/Prowers County Volunteer Fire Department Fireworks Fund.

October 21, 22, 28, 29, 30 and 31. 7:30pm to Closing

Kiddie Hours, 6-7pm on 28, 29, & 30.

Wake Up Workout

Need an early morning workout to get you going? Then this is the perfect class for you! This is **Yoga** and **Toning** class taught by Mary Minor. Designed to relieve stress, to keep you motivated and help you stretch yourself into a New You!

Classes meet every **Tuesday** and **Thursday** at **6:00 AM** and on **Thursday Evenings** at **7:00 PM** at the Community Building. The cost of these classes is the Daily Visit Fee or you can use your punch card or annual pass.

Law Enforcement

11L-11961 Traffic Hazard 10:42:16 10/10/11 J Sherrill OHS

Case#: 11L-11961 Officer: J. Sherrill Date: 10/10/2011 - Officers observed a couch in the middle of the roadway in the 500 block of S. 14th St. The couch was removed from the roadway and later recovered by the owner.

11L-11976 Domestic Violence 16:17:38 10/10/11 OJ Pierce INA

Case#: 11L-11976 Officer: Pierce Date: Mon Oct 10 2011 - Officers were dispatched to the area of Second and Olive Street on a report of a fight between a man and woman. Officers responded and an Emergency Protection Order was issued.

11L-11981 Juvenile Problem 19:00:20 10/10/11 OJ Pierce NCR

Case#: 11L-11981 Officer: Pierce Date: Mon Oct 10 2011 - Officers took a report of possible harassment between two teen aged girls at Lamar High School. Officers forwarded the information to the School Resource Officer.

11L-12031 DUI 02:34:25 10/12/11 G Ibarra CAA

Case#: 11L-12031 Officer: G. Ibarra Date: Wed Oct 12 04:45:45 MDT 2011 - Officers observed a vehicle driving suspiciously in the 100 blk of N. 13th St. Officers arrested Bryan Rasmussen, 54 of Lamar, for DUI and other charges. Bryan is being held at PCJ on a \$10,000.00 any type bond.

11L-12032 Wanted Person 02:54:43 10/12/11 G Ibarra CAA

Case#: 11L-12032 Officer: J.C. Sherrill Date: Wed Oct 12 04:30:52 MDT 2011 - Officers responded to the 100 Blk of N. 13 St. Officers arrested Bryan Lee Rasmussen on an active warrant and transported him to the Prowers County Jail and is being held \$500.00 bond.

11L-12048 Traffic Violation 13:45:32 10/12/11 OJ Pierce CAA

Case#: 11L-12048 Officer: Pierce Date: Wed Oct 12 2011 - Officers arrested Jose Garza 29 of Lamar for Driving while License Revoked HTO. Jose was transported to Prowers County Jail where he is held on \$10,000.00 bond.

11L-12061 Disturbance 19:24:25 10/12/11 N Losa CAA

Case#: 11L-12061 Sgt. Losa Date: Wed Oct 12 20:30:01 MDT 2011 - Officers responded to the 700 block Mullen St, on a report an active disturbance. Officers later arrested Randy Crabill 47 of Lamar for assault on a firefighter. Randy is held on a \$4000.00 bond.

11L-12091 Juvenile Problem 18:41:05 10/13/11 C Miller UTL

Case#: 11L-12091 Officer: C Miller Date: Thu Oct 13 19:28:05 MDT 2011 - Officer responded to the 1600 block of South 11th St on a report of subjects hitting golf balls. Officer contacted one subject and spoke with him.

11P-3020 911 Hangup 13:38:04 10/14/11 Shawn Stone TRA

Deputy advised of a 911 hang up where the Rp said there was a fire then hung up. The fire was later found to be in Kiowa County.

11P-3037 Controlled Substance Problem 21:26:29 10/15/11 JE Weisenhorn CAA

Deputy J Weisenhorn arrested Catherine Ortiz of Lamar in the 25000 blk of Cnty Rd KK for driving under restraint, weaving, and possession of 2 oz or less of marijuana. Ortiz was held on 1000.00 bond.

11P-3043 Controlled Substance Problem 01:42:43 10/17/11 JE Weisenhorn CCI

Deputy J Weisenhorn contacted a vehicle in the 25000 blk of Cnty Rd KK for weaving. Jeremy Hendrix was issued a summons for possession of 2 oz or less of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia.

11L-12139 Juvenile Problem 08:33:55 10/15/11 J Curtis OHS

Case#: 11L-12139 Officer: J. Curtis Date: Sat Oct 15, 2011 - Officer responded to the 400 block of E. College Rd. on a report of juveniles throwing rocks at cars. Officer contacted the juvenile's parents.

11L-12160 Suspicious Person/Circumstance 00:30:29 10/16/11 K Dewey UTL

Case#: 11L-12160 Officer: Inman Date: Sun Oct 16 05:52:01 MDT 2011 - Officers responded to the 400 blk. of W. Parmenter St. for a report of a party knocking on a window and leaving. Officers were unable to locate the party.

11L-12162 Suspicious Person/Circumstance 01:49:32 10/16/11 T Cope UTL

Case#: 11L-12162 Officer: T Cope Date: Sun Oct 16 06:03:36 MDT 2011 - Officers responded to the 400 block of W. Parmenter St. on a report of someone knocking on the door. Officers checked the area and were unable to locate anyone.

11L-12161 Criminal Mischief 01:19:35 10/16/11 K Dewey

Case#: 11L-12161 Officer: K Dewey Date: Sun Oct 16, 2011 - Officer responded to the 1800 blk of S. 5th St. for a report of criminal mischief. Kali Ausmus, 20, of Lamar, was arrested and is being held at the Prowers County Jail, where she is being held on no bond.

See the full report online at: theprowersjournal.com

Citizen's Academy Offered by Lamar Police Department

Beginning this January, the Lamar Police Department will begin classes to give Lamar residents an opportunity to better understand what it takes to become a law enforcement officer. Police Chief Gary McCrea said the department has already mailed letters to 20 civic groups and the City Council, to see if any members are interested in attending classes.

"We've gotten four or five responses so far, but they've come from the general public, no one from the council has answered us at this time," Chief McCrea said. He believes he'll have no trouble getting enough people interested in attending the twelve week course. "This is an opportunity for our citizens to learn about some of the policies and procedures that are taught in academies, but we're not intending for anyone to become an officer when they're done," he added.

Candidates must meet certain requirements to be selected for the academy class. They must be at least 18 years old and live or work in the Lamar area; have no felony convictions or misdemeanor convictions within one year of their application and must submit to a background investigation. Most of the training will be classroom oriented, but Chief McCrea said there will be some physical applications. "We'll show the students how take downs are conducted, how to handcuff and search a suspect and there will be some weapon training as well," McCrea said. He added, "We will have four hours of firearms training and we'll use the Firearms Simulator located in the Sheriff's department." The Simulator is used as an interactive training session for when to shoot and especially when not to. Other courses include communications with Patrol/Dispatch, Arrest Control, Code Enforcement, Criminal Investigations, Traffic Stops, K9 Demonstration and Miranda/Search & Seizure situations. Students will also have a ride-along experience with a Lamar Police Officer, providing the student a chance to experience a patrol officer's job.

Classes will be held once a week for a maximum of 20 students. Classes will be held from 7pm to 9pm Thursday evenings and Firearms training will be a four hour course on a weekend. Contact the Lamar Police Department if you'd like to register for one of the courses, at 719-336-4341. *By Russ Baldwin*

Moonlight Madness 2011

The theme this year is Let's Paint the Town Red. Since this is Lamar's 125th Anniversary year, we want to keep the "Spirit" Alive, so the secondary theme for this year's celebration is - Historial Haunts. The official time-frame for Moonlight Madness is 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM or later. If you have any questions, please call 336-4379.