

## NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF PROWERS COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT AND TO ALL OTHER PERSONS TO WHOM IT MAY BE OF CONCERN:

NOTICE is hereby given that a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Prowers County Hospital District d/b/a Prowers Medical Center will be held at The Lamar Community College (Buchanan Events Room 121) in the Trustee Building, 2401 South Main Street, in Lamar, Prowers County, Colorado, in said District, on Saturday October 6, 2012 at the hour of 7:00 a.m. (Continental Breakfast) with the meeting to commence at 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. (noon) with a board luncheon to follow. The purpose of the meeting is for Strategic Planning.

## NOTICE OF EXECUTIVE MEETING

TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF PROWERS COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT AND TO ALL OTHER PERSONS TO WHOM IT MAY BE OF CONCERN:

NOTICE is hereby given that an executive meeting of the Board of Directors of the Prowers County Hospital District d/b/a Prowers Medical Center will be held at The Lamar Community College (Room 114) in the Trustee Building, 2401 South Main Street, in Lamar, Prowers County, Colorado, in said District, on Friday October 5, 2012 at the hour of 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. The purpose of the meeting is for matters pursuant to:

- C.R.S. 24-6-402(4)(a): (Purchase, lease or sale of any property interest);
- C.R.S. 24-6-402(4)(e): (Determining positions relative to matters that may be subject to negotiations);
- C.R.S. 24-6-402 (4)(f): (Personnel matters)

# The Prowers Journal CLASSIFIED ADS

## Yard Sales

### Lamar UMW Rummage Sale

**107 South 6th in the alley, Lamar** – Friday, October 5th from 8:00am to 6:00pm and Saturday, October 6th from 8:00am to 1:00pm. If you are interested in donating items for the sale you can drop them off at the church Monday through Thursday from noon to 6:00pm.

### Yard Sale

**102 North 4th – Lamar** – Saturday, October 6 from 8:30 am to 11:00 am – Bikes, clothes, Halloween costumes, orange/black cheerleader letter jacket, vanity, pellet stove, many items under \$1.00, Early Birds pay double.

### Shup's Family Yard Sale

**306 North 9th Street – Lamar** – Friday, Saturday & Sunday, October 5-7 from 8:00am to ?? – Variety of items.

### Backyard Sale

**506 East Oak, Lamar** – Saturday October 6th from 8:00am – 12:00pm – Clothing, antiques, office chairs, tools, misc.

### Multi-Family Yard Sale

**306 South 7th Street, Lamar** – Lots, Lots, Lots, Furniture, bikes, kitchen items, glass top electric stove, toys, clothes, antiques, refrigerator & decorative items.

### 3 Family Yard Sale

**205 North 6th Street, Lamar – In Back Yard** – Friday, October 5 and Saturday, October 6 from 8:00am to 6:00pm – Clothes (all sizes), refrigerator, TV, weed eater, too many things to mention!

### Moving Sale – ALL Must Go

**108 North Main, Lamar** - All week, all day – Boat, Harley Davidson Fatboy, baby cribs and quilts, entertainment center, pictures, wood cabinet, bookshelves, water dispenser, TVs, VHS movies for \$1.00 and CDs for \$2.00, Avon new products, men and women's clothes, carpet and vinyl.

## Tools For Sale

Delta 10" table saw (EX) \$135.00 – Ryobi 12" Planer (EX) \$165.00 – Paslode Airless finish nailer (NEW) \$175.00 – Fastenal 14" Heavy Duty Metal Chop Saw \$75.00 – Delta 8" drill press (EX) \$75.00 – 12' Drywall Lift \$200.00 – MK-100 Tile Saw with stand and asc. \$350.00 – Many more tools. Call 336-1403 or 691-5222 for more information.

## Pick up For Sale

White 2001 Chevrolet Silverado 1500-V8 – 179,319 miles, Contact the Lamar Civic Federal Credit Union at 311 S. 5th in Lamar or call 336-4387.

## Thank You

The Prowers County Sheriff Posse would like to Thank the following businesses for their support and contributions throughout The Prowers County Fair. A-1 Rentals, Colorado Equipment, Z-Best, Loaf-N-Jug Store #57, Ace Tire and Willies Golf Cart Service.

## For Sale

Roland KC 550 bass, keyboard and amp - 180 watts, 15" woofer and tweeter. \$150.00. **Call 336-4676.**  
Alesis "Sumo" bass, keyboard and amp - 300 watts, 15" woofer and tweeter. \$150.00. **Call 336-4676.**  
Yamaha Acoustic Guitar 730FG, like new with new soft case. \$150.00. **Call 336-4676.**

## Friends of the Library Fall Book Sale

The Friends of the Lamar Library have set the date for the Fall Book Sale which will be held in the Cultural Event Center. Opening day will be on Sunday, Oct. 7th from 1pm till 5pm and will be for members only. If you have not gotten your membership for 2012, they can be purchased at the Library or at the door. The sale continues on the 8th and 9th from 9am till 7pm. Final day is the 10th from 9am till 5pm. We will start set up of the sale on Thurs. the 4th of Oct. and would appreciate any book donations being brought to us at that time. Or you may leave them at the Library if you can not wait until the 4th.

## Advertise Your Yard Sale Today!

Hundreds of people will be reading this insert when you advertise your weekend yard sale, garage or moving sale. Just \$5 is a great investment to make your yardsale a success. **Deadline for entries is 12:00 Noon on Tuesday.** Call Robinson Printing at 336-9095 or stop in at 210 South Main Street, Lamar.

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## Senior Center Hours

The Lamar Community Resource and Senior Center hours of operation are: Monday – Friday from 8am to 5pm; Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6pm to 9pm and the Saturday night dance is from 7pm to 10pm. Call 719-336-4072 for information.

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**Share the Spirit Foundation (STS)** is a grassroots organization founded in 2003. Karen Voepel of Lamar, Colorado and her sister-in-law Tonya Voepel of Sherman, Illinois gave the organization a simple motto, "Helping share the burden of providing for those in need." STS prides themselves in gathering donors and volunteers in communities to help meet local needs like: new shoes, socks, and school supplies to needy children; partnering with businesses to support needy families during the holidays as well as assist with the weatherization of homes. STS has shared their vision with communities from Colorado to West Virginia, from Illinois to Louisiana and always prides themselves in staying in their local communities to assist and give where needed.



These needs plus other goods and services are met through unique fundraising events that have been held since 2003 in several locations around the nation. One such distinctive fundraising event was held in Southeastern Colorado in October of 2010 featuring Mario Rizzotti, Iron Chef America judge and Academia Barilla culinary specialist. This year will mark the second opportunity local advocates have to be a part of this dynamic, life-giving organization featuring Rizzotti. On October 12, 2012, a fundraiser will be held at Amache Studio, 8 miles west of Lamar on Roads HH and 34.5 to benefit needy children in the southeast corner of Colorado.

Go to [www.sharethespirit.info](http://www.sharethespirit.info) for more information on the organization and the upcoming fundraiser or contact Tammy Pryor at 719-940-2017 or Karen Voepel at 719-688-8000.

## NWS Recaps Hot and Dry Summer on S.E. Plains

The Colorado Water Conservation Board reports in their September 25, 2012 Drought Monitor Report, that 100% of the state is experiencing some level of drought classification with D2 and D3 conditions predominating over 80% of Colorado. Seventeen per cent of the state is experiencing exceptional drought all of which is isolated to the eastern plains where conditions have deteriorated over the last month. That area received no measurable precipitation last month, although temperatures in August were relatively cooler than in June or July.

Reservoir storage is at 68% statewide. Highest storage levels are in the Yampa/White River Basin, at 104% of average while the lowest storage in the state is in the Rio Grande River basin at 50% of average. The Colorado Water and Availability Task Force has reported that all of south central and southeast Colorado Counties have received 2012 primary secretarial disaster designations for drought and crop loss. While dry conditions have resulted in decreased yields, high commodity prices have helped to alleviate some of the impacts. To date, the state has seen a 40% increase in agricultural exports. The Force reports that failed and prevented crop planting figures have increased since early July, with irrigation abandonments now being reported as well.

The current drought monitor has expanded D4 conditions to include central portions of Las Animas County and extreme eastern Baca County. D4 conditions persist in northwestern Las Animas County, as well as portions of Otero, Crowley, Kiowa, Bent and Prowers Counties.

The Drought Information Statement from the National Weather Service indicates the latest USDA Colorado Crop report with 95% of topsoil moisture in Colorado as being short or very short, compared to 94% last week and only 69% at this same time last year. Subsoil moisture was reported with 97% short or very short, compared to 95% last week and only 62% at this same time last year. CPC and VIC soil moisture calculations continue to indicate much drier than normal conditions across most of south central and southeast Colorado. The worst conditions remain across the southeast plains where deficits of up to 120 millimeters, (up to 4 inches) are being reported.

Record high temperatures were set by reporting stations in Alamosa, Pueblo and Colorado Springs for the past summer. For the summer as a whole, Pueblo was 4.3 degrees above the seasonal average, making the past summer the second warmest on record. Pueblo had only 1.22 inches of precipitation which is 4.52 inches below the seasonal average and marks the second driest summer on record as well for the city. Pueblo also reported 14 straight days with temperatures at or above 100 degrees.

## Health Care Reform

What does it mean to you as an employer?

Want answers?



October 16th at 8:30 am at the Cultural Events Center in Lamar. The presentation will be facilitated by Brenna Barrow and Core Financial.

Noted Speaker Neil Crosby will present facts in laymen's terms for easy understanding.

Please RSVP by October 12, 2012  
to 719-336-5550 or  
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