

CITY OF ST. CLAIR NEWSLETTER

September/October 2012

3rd Annual
**St. Clair Fire Dept.
Pizza Fundraiser**

Hosted by Mitt's BP

Thursday, October 11th
5:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

during Fire Prevention Week

Additional information and an order form
are included with this Newsletter.



The St. Clair Days
Committee will be hosting
the 2nd Annual



Old Fashioned Christmas in St. Clair Arts, Crafts and Vendors Fair

tentatively scheduled for
Saturday, December 8th
at the St. Clair School

For more information, to share ideas or to participate in the
Arts, Crafts, and Vendor Fair contact: Brenda Belcourt at 507-
381-5966 or by e-mail at brendabelcourt@gmail.com or
Sheila Karels by e-mail at skkarels@hickorytech.net



**St. Clair School
National Honor Society
(NHS)
Community Service
Project**



**“Rake the Town”
Sunday, October 28th**

The St. Clair School NHS Students will be raking
lawns for St. Clair residents on Sunday, October
28th. The NHS will also be providing the leaf bags.
Sign-up sheets will be located at the St. Clair City
Hall, Mitt's BP and the St. Clair State Bank. The City
of St. Clair Public Works employees will be picking
up the leaves on Monday, October 29th.

For more information contact Amanda Sargent at
507-995-8076 or 14asargent@stclaircyclones.org

The St. Clair EDA will be hosting
the 4th Annual



Donuts with Santa and Mrs. Claus



The EDA will also be sponsoring a

St. Clair Scenes Winter Art Contest



Donuts with Santa and Mrs. Claus and the
Art Contest judging are tentatively
scheduled for
Saturday, December 8th during the
Old Fashioned Christmas in St. Clair event
at the St. Clair School.

Information about both events, as well as the Old
Fashioned Christmas in St. Clair event will be included
with the next City Newsletter. Information will also be
posted on the City website and the City Facebook page
as soon as it becomes available.



... **REMINDER** ...

Daylight Savings Time ends at 2 a.m. on Sunday, November 4th!



RAKING LEAVES

Residents are asked not to rake leaves or mow grass clippings into the street, curb or gutter. The City storm sewers are not designed to handle large quantities of leaves and grass clippings. This extra material may cause back-ups and clogs that could cause flooding.

2012 ELECTION NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Election of City Offices for the City of St. Clair will be held with the General Election on Tuesday, November 6, 2012 at which Election there shall be submitted to the voters of the City of St. Clair the following:

- for the two year Mayor term:
Doug Westphal and Chris Cousins have filed.
- for the two (2) four-year City Council terms:
Jerry Phillips and Tom Karels, Sr. have filed.

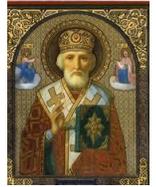


GENERAL ELECTION
Tuesday, November 6th

**St. Clair residents vote at the St. Clair City Hall
304 Main Street West, St. Clair.
Polls will be open from
7 am – 8 pm on Election Day.**

*St. Clair Immaculate Conception CCW
Winter Festival*

*"Celebrating St. Nicholas"
Saturday, December 1st*



CHRISTMAS COOKIE & HOLIDAY TREAT SALE:

10 am – 1 pm in the Church gathering area

LUNCHEON: 11 am – 1 pm in the Church basement

RAFFLE: Drawing at 12 noon in the Church basement



FALL HYDRANT and
WATER MAIN FLUSHING

SCHEDULED FOR MID-OCTOBER

To protect the City's water supply, all St. Clair hydrants and water mains are flushed twice a year. The flushing is typically scheduled in April and October. Public Works Dept. employees flush the water mains by opening each of the 59 fire hydrants in City. The sudden rush of water loosens and removes accumulated mineral deposits from the lines. Residents may temporarily notice low water pressure while the mains are being flushed.

Flushing water mains does not change the water quality, however, flushing often stirs up iron deposits in the pipes, resulting in discolored, cloudy or rusty water in the home. There is no health risk with rusty water and the water is safe to drink. Rusty water conditions can be cleared easily by turning on cold water faucets inside the home and letting them run for a few minutes until the water clears.

COMPOST SITE

The City of St. Clair does not maintain a compost facility. SMC offers composting services, a per-bag or per-load fee is charged. Finished compost and wood mulch are offered for sale. For current fees, please call SMC at 507-388-3122. The SMC Compost Site is located at 57032 ~ 231 Lane, Mankato (off of 3rd Avenue).

MATERIALS ACCEPTED: leaves, grass clippings, prunings, weeds, sod stripping, vines, limbs, branches and logs.

