



# CITY OF ST. CLAIR MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

March/April 2014



**June 16 - 22**

Medallion Hunt  
Miss St. Clair Pageant  
City Wide Garage Sales  
5-K Fun Run & 1 Mile Kids Run  
Fire Dept. Steak Fry  
Kids Day  
Parade  
Fireworks!  
and lots of family fun!

Visit the **St. Clair Days website**  
[www.stclairdays.com](http://www.stclairdays.com)

More information about St. Clair Days will be included in the next City Newsletter.



## **St. Clair Days Fundraiser**

Uptown Tavern  
Saturday, April 12<sup>th</sup>  
5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Pulled Pork Sandwiches, Beans,  
Pickles, Chips, Bars and Beverage

Adults – \$10.00 ... Kids 10 & under – \$ 5.00  
(\$1.00 taps all evening with purchase of a meal)

Tickets available at the Uptown Tavern,  
A Wild Hair and the St. Clair State Bank

**St. Clair  
Eagle Lake  
Madison Lake**

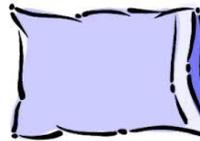


## **Firefighters Dance**

Saturday, April 5<sup>th</sup>  
8:30 p.m. to 12 midnight  
at the Eagle Lake American Legion  
Music by: *Blue Ringers*

*Come and Support your local Firefighters!!*

## **Pillow Cleaning**



St. Clair American Legion Auxiliary  
PILLOW CLEANING

Monday, April 7<sup>th</sup>  
1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.  
at the St. Clair American Legion

EARLY DROP-OFF ... Sunday, April 6<sup>th</sup>  
12:00 noon – 5:00 p.m.

Standard Pillow \$11.95  
Queen Size: \$13.95  
King Size: \$14.95

## **Upcoming Events**

St. Clair Firefighters Dance	Saturday, April 5 <sup>th</sup>
St. Clair Days Fundraiser	Saturday, April 12 <sup>th</sup>
City Wide Clean-Up Day	Saturday, June 14 <sup>th</sup>
St. Clair Days	June 16 <sup>th</sup> – June 22 <sup>nd</sup>

Visit the City website [www.stclair.govoffice2.com](http://www.stclair.govoffice2.com)  
for more information on these events.

# Golf Cart, ATV and Mini-Truck Ordinance

Effective January 1, 2014, a permit will be required to operate a Golf Cart, ATV and Mini-Truck on roadways under the jurisdiction of the City of St. Clair. Permit applications will be available at the St. Clair City Hall. Permits will be issued by the St. Clair City Clerk. Upon completing the application, eligible applicants will receive a Vehicle Permit/Sticker and an Operator Permit. When making application, the applicant may list additional vehicle operators (i.e.: spouse, children with driver's license, etc.). Each eligible operator will receive an Operator Permit.

## FEE SCHEDULE:

PERMIT FEE: One-time permit fee of \$25.00, valid until the vehicle changes ownership (includes Vehicle Permit and Operator Permit(s)).  
FEE TO REPLACE A LOST PERMIT: \$5.00  
FEE TO ADD OPERATORS (after initial application): \$5.00

The following is a summary of the Golf Cart, ATV and Mini-Truck conditions, restrictions, and requirements set forth in the Ordinance:

## 1. PERMITS

- a. VEHICLE PERMIT: The Vehicle Permit must be affixed to the rear of the vehicle. The Vehicle Permit must be visible and unobstructed. The Vehicle Permit shall be valid until the vehicle changes ownership. Permits are non-transferable. Permit fees are non-refundable.
- b. OPERATOR PERMIT: The Operator Permit must be in the possession of the operator. The Operator Permit shall be valid until the vehicle changes ownership, unless revoked under Section 77.06 of the Ordinance for any of the following reasons: material misrepresentation made in permit application, permittee no longer has a valid driver's license, insurance on vehicle is no longer in effect, evidence that permittee cannot safely operate the vehicle, or a violation or non-compliance with any other federal, state, or local rule or regulation.

## 2. VALID DRIVER'S LICENSE

The operator must have a valid driver's license.

## 3. INSURANCE COVERAGE

Insurance coverage shall be in compliance with state requirements. Applicant must provide proof of insurance when making application.

## 4. HOURS OF OPERATION –

Hours of operation shall be sunrise to sunset.

## 5. VISIBILITY (500')

When operating an ATV, mini truck, or motorized golf cart, during times when visibility is reduced or impaired due to weather conditions, smoke, fog, haze, or other conditions, there must be sufficient light to clearly see persons or vehicles on the roadway at a distance of five hundred feet (500').

## 6. PASSENGERS

- a. Passengers must be seated on a seat specifically designed for the transport of passengers and in a manner so as not to interfere with the driver while operating the ATV, mini-truck, or motorized golf cart.
- b. No more than two (2) persons shall occupy the front seat of a motorized golf cart. If the motorized golf cart is equipped with a factory built rear facing seat no more than two (2) persons shall occupy the back seat. If the motorized golf cart is not equipped with a factory built rear facing seat no persons shall be allowed to ride in or on the rear of the golf cart.
- c. Persons shall be prohibited from standing and riding on the rear bumper of any ATV, mini-truck, or motorized golf cart.

## 7. EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS

### a. MOTORIZED GOLF CARTS REQUIRED EQUIPMENT

- slow-moving vehicle emblem
- rear view mirror

### b. ATV REQUIRED EQUIPMENT

- a functioning headlight & taillight in use at all times
- rear view mirror

### c. MINI-TRUCK REQUIRED EQUIPMENT

- at least two (2) headlamps and at least two (2) tail lamps
- front and rear turn-signal lamps
- an exterior mirror mounted on the driver's side of the vehicle and EITHER:
  - an exterior mirror mounted on the passenger's side, OR
  - an interior mirror
- a windshield
- a seat belt for the driver and front passenger
- a parking brake

## 8. ROADWAY TRAVEL

Persons operating an ATV, mini truck, or motorized golf cart on designated roadways must operate the vehicle on the extreme right-hand side of the road or shoulder of the road, making left turns across the road only if it is safe to do so under prevailing conditions.