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# Town of Wellton Newsletter

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Town Hall hours are Monday—Thursday 6:30AM—5:00PM

## Alley Clean-Up

The Alley Clean-Up is scheduled to begin in January 2017. Please call the Town Hall at (928) 785-3348 to be put on the clean-up list.

## Santa Claus is coming to Town!

Our annual Christmas Tree Lighting will be on Saturday, December 10, 2016 at the West Side Park. Santa and Mrs. Claus arrive on the fire truck at 6:30PM.

## Outdoor Christmas Decorating Contest

The Outdoor Christmas Decorating Contest judging will be the night of Friday, December 16, 2016. Leave your lights on to be entered into the contest.

## Town Hall Closed for Christmas Day

The Town Hall will be closed on Monday, December 26, 2016 in observance of Christmas Day. Trash will run on Tuesday, December 27<sup>th</sup>.

## Town Hall Closed for New Year's Day

The Town Hall will be closed on Monday, January 2, 2017 in observance of New Year's. Trash will run on Tuesday, January 3<sup>rd</sup>.

## 40<sup>th</sup> Annual Pioneer Day



We are gearing up for the **40<sup>th</sup> Annual Pioneer Day**. It is scheduled to be held on Saturday, February 18, 2017.

The theme of this year's parade is:

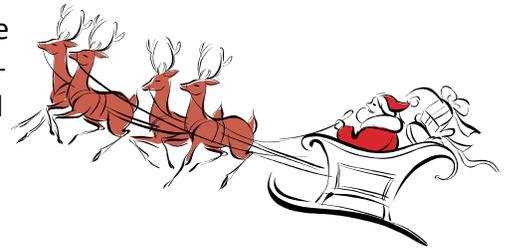
## "Pioneer Day"

We will soon have applications for both the parade and fiesta available at Town Hall. The months of December and January will be your chance to sign up for the parade, make your floats and plan to have a booth at the fiesta. The parade is schedule to begin at 10:00AM.

Fiesta Information: There are six different categories: food booths, commercial booths, games, demonstration booths, arts & craft booths and entertainment. The fee for any booth is \$40.00. If you would like to sell items on the parade route like balloons, etc., please come in, pick up an application and pay the booth fee.

## Christmas Tree Lighting

The Town of Wellton and the Wellton Parks & Recreation Commission are sponsoring the Annual Christmas Tree Lighting at West Side Park on Saturday, December 10, 2016 at 6:30PM.



When you hear the Fire Department truck sirens on Saturday, you will know that Santa and Mrs. Santa Claus have arrived in Town. The Christmas decorations and lights will be lit right after Santa and Mrs. Claus arrive at West Side Park on the big red Fire Truck.

There will be hot coffee, hot cocoa, cider, and cookies.

You will also be able to listen to the holiday musical program that is be

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### Outdoor Christmas Decorating Contest



The Wellton Parks & Recreation Commission will be sponsoring the Annual Outdoor Christmas Decorating Contest again this year.

Interested in having your house or business judged in the contest? It's as simple as leaving your lights on the night of Friday, December 16, 2016.

Awards will be given in 2 divisions—Residential and Commercial. A 1<sup>st</sup> Place and a 2<sup>nd</sup> Place will be presented in each division.

The winners of each division will be notified and their names will be published in the January 2017 edition of the Town of Wellton Newsletter. Certificates will also be presented to the winners at the Council Meeting on Tuesday, January 3, 2017. Good Luck!

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ing planned for your entertainment.

Come out and visit with Santa and Mrs. Claus at the West Side Park on Saturday, December 10, 2016 at 6:30PM.

### Community Canned Food Drive



Antelope Union High School Key Club and the Wellton Fire Department are participating in a Community Canned Food Drive for the holiday season.

Groups will be around to collect any canned food you may wish to donate on Wednesday, December 14, 2016 from 4:30PM—7:00PM.

Thank you for your support!!

### Wellton-Mohawk Pioneer Museum



The Wellton-Mohawk Pioneer Museum is open for the 2016—2017 Season.

The Museum will be open on Saturdays and Sundays, 1:00PM—3:00PM.

For more information—please call Shirley Reynolds at 406-761-6983.

**UGLY SWEATER CONTEST**

Submit a picture of yourself in your Ugly Christmas Sweater by email ([sjones@town.wellton.az.us](mailto:sjones@town.wellton.az.us)) or drop it off at Town Hall (28634 Oakland Avenue) by 5:00PM, Wednesday, December 7, 2016.

Winners will be announced at the Christmas Tree Lighting at West Side Park on Saturday, December 10, 2016.

**Mayor** Cecilia C. McCollough  
**Mayor Pro Tem** Vickie Bornt  
**Town Council** Kenneth Baughman, Brian Claar, & Lisa J. Jameson  
**Town Manager** Larry Killman