

February 11 – 41st Annual **Camellia Tea** - Clayton Historical Society, 6101 Main Street, 1pm to 4pm. Coffee, tea, and treats. A great opportunity to tour the Museum decorated in the season's bloom of camellias. For more information call 672-0240 or www.claytonhistory.org

March 4 – 17th Annual **Chili Cook Off** – **Clayton Club Saloon**, 6096 Main Street, 11am – 4pm; Judging will begin at 12 Noon. Prizes will be awarded at 1 pm. Prizes- awards for top three of 20 entries. Entry forms at Clayton Club. www.claytonclubsaloon.com or email at steve@claytonclubsaloon.com; (925) 998-0549.

March 8th -11th; 15th -18th; 22nd -24th - **Clayton Theatre Company** presents “Lend Me a Tenor” at Endeavor Hall 6008 Center Street, Clayton CA 94517 www.BrownPaperTickets.com For more information or Roxanne Pardi at 698-1886 tickets available www.claytontheatrecompany.com

March 3rd - Library 23rd Birthday Celebration and the Clayton Community Library Foundation Annual Meeting and Volunteer Recognition. Clayton Library Hoyer Hall 10 am to 11 am. For more info contact Joyce Atkinson at 672-3850.

March 11 Sunday – Daylight Savings Time Starts

March 23, 24, and 25 -- Annual Clayton Library Birthday Celebration and Creekside Arts Celebration
Friday 6pm-8:30pm; Saturday 10am- 6pm; Sunday Noon-5pm – Clayton Community Library 6125 Clayton Road; for info call Arlene Nielson (925) 864-3805 or email at akiksen@aol.com

March 30- April 8 – MDUSD Spring Break

March 31- April 8 CVCHS Spring Break

April 1st – Easter

April 1 through 31 – April on the Mountain – various hikes and nature activities within Mt. Diablo State Park and nearby regional park areas showcasing the many wonders of our local nature - waterfalls, geology, babbling creeks, wildflowers, birds butterflies, and other animals. For information call 673-2891 or 972-7222.

April 13, 14 and 15 – Spring Book Sale - The Semi Annual Library Foundation pre owned Book Sale @ Clayton Library – Hoyer Hall Community Room, 6125 Clayton Rd. Fri. 4-7 CCLF members only- memberships can be purchased at the door; general public--Sat. 10-6; Sun. Noon-4; information call 672-3672 www.claytonlibrary.org

April 21 – Spring **Clayton Cleans Up** - Rain or shine, 9 am to Noon. Meet at City Hall Courtyard, 6000 Heritage Trail, for Information - call Pamela at Clayton Pioneer at 672-0500 or email: pamela@claytonpioneer.com

April 28 – 23rd Annual **Devil Mountain Double Century Bicycle Ride**- starts and ends in San Ramon-- Pine Hollow Rd, Mt Zion to Clayton Rd, continue as it becomes Marsh Creek Rd, 7:30am- 9:30am for info contact Scott Halversen (510)-882-6727, email: syh_cpa@pacbell.net or www.quackcyclists.com

April 28th and 29th -- Annual **Art and Wine Festival Sat: 10am – 7:00 p.m.; Sun: 10am – 5pm**, Main Street downtown Clayton. Art, Crafts, Food, Music, Kiddieland. Information - Call CBCA at 672-2272; or www.claytoncbca.org

May 5 and 6 – Annual Gardens Tour 10am – 4pm Rain or Shine visit five fabulous residential gardens in the Clayton Valley area. Information - call Clayton Historical Society at (925) 672-0240 or www.claytonhistory.org

May 12 through Sept.22 – Clayton Farmers Market Saturday's 9 am- 1 pm –Downtown Clayton on Main Street- KinderCare Parking Lot across from Main/Morris Streets). For more information contact Pacific Coast Farmers Market at www.pcfma.com or call 1-800-949-3276 (no market on July 14 and September 1).

May 12 tentative – Annual Plant Sale, Clayton Valley Garden Club, Rain or shine. Endeavor Hall Parking Lot 8 am-1pm. Call Rory Richmond at (925) 864-8687 for information; email: rrichmond509@comcast.net or info at www.californiagardenclubs.com/claytonvalleygardenclub

May 12 -- Sat Night **Concerts in the Grove** kick off 6pm – 8:30pm – Grove Park Gazebo Downtown Clayton --Main Street– “Plan B”. A great local favorite rock n’ roll band known for their diverse playlist and versatile instrumentation of Creedence, Stones, Adele, Cake, Pearl Jam, Talking Heads and more. www.facebook.com/PlanBClayton for info.

May 15 – 5th Annual ALS/Lou Ferrari Memorial **Cornhole Tournament**, Clayton Club 6096 Main Street. 9am registration, Games:10am-3pm. Benefiting ALS Association-Golden West Chapter/Lou Ferrari Foundation. Info email to Ron Stokes ron.stokes@westcoastcornhole.com; 925-330-2150.

May 26 -- Sat Night Concerts in the Grove -- 6pm – 8:30 pm Grove Park Gazebo Downtown Clayton --Main Street - **“Big Band Beat”**. A legendary party band with a big heart and funkier soul, playing favorites from the 70's. Rock, pop, country, alternative, R&B or soul this band had spot on vocals and harmonies. www.bigbandbeat.com for info.

May 28 – Annual Memorial Day Program by the VFW Post 1525, 10am Downtown Clayton Flagpole, Main and Oak Streets. Information call Paul Carroll at 628-9508 or paulcarroll@sbcglobal.net.

June 5 - Tuesday – Election Day --- Polls Open 7am - 8pm

June 7 – MDUSD last school day

June 8 - CVCHS last school day

June 9 – Sat Night Concerts in the Grove -- 6pm – 8:30 pm Grove Park Gazebo Downtown Clayton --Main Street **“Take 2 Dance Band” (TK2)**, a dynamic 8-piece dance band with fabulous harmonies and transitions, playing rock, blues, and dance music of Aretha, Chaka Khan, Gwen Stefani, Beyoncé, Justin Timberlake, the best chart topping rock, pop, R&B, will get you on your feet and get your summer rockin'. www.take2partyband.com for more info.

June 13 – Wed night Classic Car Show and DJ 6pm-8pm City Parking Lot, 6099 Main Street; contact Jim Diaz for info at 673-7316; or email to: JDiaz@ci.clayton.ca.us.

June 20 – Wed night Classic Car Show and DJ 6pm-8pm City Parking Lot, 6099 Main Street; contact Jim Diaz for info at 673-7316; or email to: JDiaz@ci.clayton.ca.us.

June 23 – Sat Night Concerts in the Grove -- 6pm – 8:30 pm Grove Park Gazebo Downtown Clayton --Main Street **“The Fundamentals”** a high-energy stage show with three lead vocalists, horn players around & a four-piece rhythm section, performing their “Red Hot Rockin’ Soul” of your favorite R&B, Rock, Pop, and Soul tunes of Michael Jackson, Earth Wind and Fire, Beyoncé, Journey, Bon Jovi. www.thefundamentals.com for more info.

June 27 – Wed night Classic Car Show and DJ 6pm-8pm City Parking Lot, 6099 Main Street; contact Jim Diaz for info at 673-7316; or email to: JDiaz@ci.clayton.ca.us.

July 4 – Annual Pancake Breakfast & Parade– Downtown Clayton, Pancakes at Endeavor Hall(6008 Center Street) at 7am Clayton Valley Sunrise Rotary, \$7 adults and \$5 kids 12 and under; parade on Main Street 10 am, for info: Sandy Johnson at 693-0463 or main parade application at 6www.cityofclayton.net (no parade application needed for kiddie parade – just line up on Oak street near between Main and Center Street that morning)

July 7 – Sat. Night Concerts in the Grove – 6pm – 8:30 pm Grove Park Gazebo Downtown Clayton - Main Street **“Pride and Joy”** one of the bay areas best pop/soul bands with the sounds of Motown’s greatest hits including the best of the Temptations and The Supremes. The four lead singers, backed by a five piece band, will keep you on your feet all night long. www.pridejoy.com for more info.

July 11 - Wed night Classic Car Show and DJ 6pm-8pm City Parking Lot, 6099 Main Street; contact Jim Diaz for info at 673-7316; or email to: JDiaz@ci.clayton.ca.us.

July 14 tentative - Eighth Annual BBQ Cook-Off 11 am – 6pm; CBCA Annual Event on Main Street downtown Clayton Band at The Grove Park 6 pm – 8:30 p.m. for more info contact Rory Richmond at richmond509@comcast.net or www.claytoncbca.org

July 21 – Sat Night Concerts in the Grove - 6pm to 8:30 pm Grove Park Gazebo Downtown Clayton --Main Street – **“Southern Comfort”** is Rockin’ Southern Style...Listen up yall, git yer boots & hats on cuz this band brings out and plays the best in Southern Rock. From ZZ Top to Lynyrd Skynyrd making you feel you were “Born in the Bayou” www.facebook.com/SouthernComfortSF for more info.

July 25 – Wed night Classic Car Show and DJ 6pm-8pm City Parking Lot, 6099 Main Street; contact Jim Diaz for info at 673-7316; or email to: JDiaz@ci.clayton.ca.us.

July 26- Clayton Youth Theatre Camp presents: **“Seussical, The Musical Jr.”** at Endeavor Hall 6008 Center Street, show times at 11:30 pm & 1:30 pm. - for more information www.claytontheatercompany.com or Roxanne Pardi at 698 -1886.

August 4 – Sat Night Concerts in the Grove -- 6pm – 8:30 pm Grove Park Gazebo Downtown Clayton--Main Street – **“Diamond Dave”**. Dave is back for his 11th consecutive year, and one of Clayton’s favorites. Cover classics include Frank Sinatra, Elvis, Timberlake, Lady Gaga and many others. Showcased and singing the newest hits of our time will be his daughters, Caitland and Kelly. www.davehosley.com for more info

August 8 - Wed night **Classic Car Show and DJ 6pm-8pm** City Parking Lot, 6099 Main Street; contact Jim Diaz for info at 673-7316; or email to: JDiaz@ci.clayton.ca.us.

August 10 - Friday Night Family Movies – “movie TBD” outdoor movies and social in the parking lot next to the Clayton Community Church offices, 8pm-10pm, 6055 Main Street downtown Clayton, for information call 673-9060. www.claytoncc.com

August 18 – Sat Night **Concerts in the Grove** — 6pm – 8:30 pm Grove Park Gazebo Downtown Clayton--Main Street – **“Apple Z Band”**. A smoking hot dance rock band that delivers crowd pleasing classics from the fabulous 60s through today's Top 40. Enjoy the hits of Rolling Stones, Beatles, U2, The Police, Lady Gaga, Maroon 5, Bruno Mars and more. Their great vocals, musicianship and tight harmonies are a hit with all generations. www.applezband.com for more info.

August 14 – CVCHS first school day

August 16 – MDUSD first school day

August 22 - Wed night **Classic Car Show and DJ 6pm-8pm** City Parking Lot, 6099 Main Street; contact Jim Diaz for info at 673-7316; or email to: JDiaz@ci.clayton.ca.us.

September 1 – Thirteenth Annual **Labor Day Derby and Classic Car Show** 9 am – 3 pm, Main Street Downtown Clayton. For information call Clayton Community Church (925) 673-9060.

September 1 – Sat Night **Concerts in the Grove** — 6pm – 8:30 pm Grove Park Gazebo Downtown Clayton--Main Street – **“Steel ‘n’ Chicago”**. The band you knew as Aja Vu now plays the music of both Steely Dan and Chicago, with melodic hooks, harmonies and classic horns of the original recordings. www.stealinchicago.com for more info.

September 5 - Wed night **Classic Car Show and DJ 6pm-8pm** City Parking Lot, 6099 Main Street; contact Jim Diaz for info at 673-7316; or email to: JDiaz@ci.clayton.ca.us.

September 11 (tentative)-- **9/11 Remembrance** (17 years) Station 11 Firehouse lawn – corner of Center and Clayton Rd. memorial commemoration display on the lawn from apx. September 8-15

September 15 – Sat. Night **Concerts in the Grove** -- last concert of the summer 6pm – 8:30 pm Grove Park Gazebo Downtown Clayton -- Main Street – **“East Bay Mudd”**. Put on your dancing shoes. This 10-piece cover dance band with a four-man horn section, has an upbeat and commanding take on contemporary classics, soul, funk and R&B tunes leaves you asking for more. They are always a great band to end our concert season. www.eastbaymudd.net for more info.

September 27 Thursday — Clayton Valley Charter High School **Homecoming Parade** —tentative time 4-6pm, downtown Clayton Oak/Main/Diablo Streets, email: gregory.rosewell@claytonvalley.org for information.

Sept. 29 – **Annual Skip Ipsen Memorial Community Bocce Tournament** coordinated by CBCA and the Clayton Bocce Federation. Downtown Clayton Bocce Courts Main & Oak Streets. For information contact CBCA at 672-2272.

October 5, 6, and 7 – **Oktoberfest kids Carnival** – Main/Oak St. CC Church offices parking lot & field Friday Sept 28 5pm-10pm; Sat Sept 29th, 11am-10pm; Sunday Sept 30th, 11 am to 9 pm Information - Call CBCA at 672-2272; or www.claytonoktoberfest.com

Oct. 6th and 7th – **Oktoberfest** Sat: 11am - 8pm; Sun: 10 - 6pm; Main Street Downtown Clayton. Art, Crafts, Food and kids Carnival rides. Information - Call CBCA at 672-2272; or www.claytonoktoberfest.com

October 26, 27, 28 – **Fall Book Sale** - Semi Annual Library Foundation pre owned Book Sale @ Clayton Library-Hoyer Hall Community Room, 6125 Clayton Rd. (Fri. 4-7 CCLF members only- memberships can be purchased at the door; general public --Sat. 10-6; Sun. Noon-4) information call 672-3672. www.claytonlibrary.org

Oct. /Nov. TBA – Clayton Theatre Company presents “The 25th Annul Putnam County Spelling Bee” at Endeavor Hall 6008 Center Street, Clayton CA 94517– tickets at www.BrownPaperTickets.com For more information Roxanne Pardi at 698-1886 or www.claytontheatrecompany.com

November 4 - Sunday – Daylight Savings Time Ends

November 6 - Tuesday – Election Day --- Polls Open 7am - 8pm

November 10 - tentative – 2nd Annual Contra Costa Blue Star Moms, 5K Run/Walk at Newhall Park, race starts at 8:00 a.m. Registration is \$35 to Nov. 10, and \$40 on race day www.runsignup.com/Race/CA/Concord/Concord5000
Contra Costa Blue Star Moms provides support for members of the United States Armed Forces and its veterans.

November 11 - Veterans Day program by the Clayton Valley VFW Post 1525 and the Korean War Veterans 264 at Willow Pass Park Center 2748 E. Olivera Rd. Concord 11 am Rain or Shine. TBA guest keynote speaker w Women's First Choral and JROTC School color guard participation. Followed by the fifth annual Veterans Day invitational softball tournament. Support our returning Veterans that need help by supporting organizations that assist them to transition back to a productive civilian life such as Concord Vet Center and the Contra Costa County Veteran Service Office. Come out to the ball park and support organizations that support our returning Veterans.

November 17- 25 CVCHS Thanksgiving break

November 17-25 MDUSD Thanksgiving break

December 1 -- Annual Caroling Santa Arrival and Tree Lighting. Rain or Shine --Downtown Clayton, Grove Park to Main and Oak Streets,- Carriage Rides 4:30-7:00; Caroling 6pm; Tree Lighting 6:30 pm. From more information call CBCA at 672-2272.

December TBD – Annual Hospice Tree Lighting @ Concord John Muir Hospital Parking Lot, Almond /East Street 5:30 pm., for info contact at 925-887-5678 or at www.hospiceestbay.com

December 8 -- Annual Christmas Tea with Mrs. Claus and Santa 11 am – 2 pm, Endeavor Hall, 6008 Center Street - Call CBCA at 672-2272, or www.claytoncbca.org for more information.

December 8 (tentative) – Annual Holiday Toy Collection Clayton Valley Charter High School Lacrosse Team – new toy donations being accepted 10 am to 2pm, at the Grove Park Gazebo, downtown Clayton – for info contact Tracy Morse, CVHS Men's Lacrosse Team Rep, Tel: 925-207-0382; email: traceylmorse@gmail.com more info at www.cvlacrosse.com

December 9 (tentative) – Annual Holiday Home Tour Noon - 7pm Various homes in the Clayton Valley area, Information – call Clayton Historical Society at (925) 672-0240 or www.claytonhistory.org

December 22 - January 7 --- MDUSD winter break

December 22- January 14 --- CVCHS winter break

Other events, activities, and local organizations

Clayton Community Gym and Recreation: All year

Various activities for youth and adults including basketball and volleyball through a management partnership with the All Out Sports League (AOSL). Gym rental available for kids parties and events too. Contact the Clayton Community Gym located at Diablo View Middle School call (925) 203-5626; www.alloutsportsleague.com

Clayton Community Library various programs and activities: 6125 Clayton Road; www.claytonlibrary.org; or call 673-0659.

Clayton Museum various history exhibits 6101 Main Street (Joel Clayton Home)

-- Open Wednesdays and Sundays 2pm to 4pm; and Saturdays June 1 through August 31st from 10 am – Noon; or by appointment and during some special downtown community events. 6101 Main Street; www.Claytonhistory.org or phone 672- 0240 for more information.

Little League Season

March 14 through July 24: contact Clayton Valley Little League www.CVLL.org or Kevin Dern (415) 760-1198 or email: kdcvll@gmail.com

Soccer Season

Youth: August 1- Nov. 20:contact Mt. Diablo Soccer League, Tom Semple: email fieldscoordinator@MDSoccer.org

Adult: July – Sept.: contact Clayton Soccer Club, Rob Sears at 925-451-1110

Oakhurst Country Club (private membership golf, tennis, swim, swim team and gym club) www.oakhurstcc.com

Or call 672-9797 x205; x210; x217

Dana Hills Cabana Swim Club (memberships to the public available) contact Shauna Maffei 925-381-2021; shaunamaffei@gmail.com or www.danahillsotters.com

Dana Hills Swim Team (Otters) contact: Cathy Meyers 683-2125 or cathy@diabloValley.net; or
Lauren Velez 768-6685 velezfamily@comcast.net (pentathlon meet is mid July at Dana Hills)
www.danahillsothers.com

Clayton Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) - provides opportunities for residents a, businesses and those that work in the community training to be prepared and have a formal structure in the event of an emergency. Training on home and neighborhood safety and response in various emergency and disaster is provided as well as training on hands only CPR. Contact the Clayton Police at 925-673-7350 for more information.

Clayton Volunteers In Police Services (VIPS) - help to expand the reach of services that can be offered by the Clayton Police Department. They offer their time, attention and expertise to such programs as Neighborhood Watch, Neighborhood Patrol, Disaster Preparedness (CERT) and a variety of clerical tasks as needed. VIPS are a valuable asset to the City and the Department. To inquire about volunteer opportunities in Clayton, contact the Clayton Police Department at 925-673-7350 or www.claytonpd.com/VIPS_t.html

Mt. Diablo Trail Ride Association- is a local non-profit organization dedicated to horsemanship, with 200 acres next to Mt Diablo off Russelman Road just at Clayton's easterly boarder. The MDTR Association has equestrian facilities, club house with pool, and monthly social potlucks, complete equestrian facilities, a club house with pool, horse boarding, horse camping, rentals, a cross country jump course, clinics, events and very affordable membership fees. For more info www.cmdtra.org

Clayton Business and Community Association (CBCA) a non-sectarian, non-partisan and non-profit community organization. working together to improve the general welfare, prosperity and common good of the entire Clayton community. Members are local professionals, businesses and individuals The CBCA provides the vehicle for social networking and camaraderie through fund raising activities, meetings and social gatherings, and for working as a group for our community. The CBCA annually presents five major Clayton events, the Art and Wine Festival, Rib Cook –Off, Skip Ipsen Memorial Bocce Tournament, and the Oktoberfest, along with the annual downtown Holiday decorations, Tree lighting with Santa, and Mrs. Claus Tea. Funds raised by the CBCA go back to projects in the community and local schools. www.claytoncbca.org

Clayton American Association of University Women (AAUW) The AAUW promotes equity for women and girls, lifelong education, and positive societal change. The Clayton Branch is highly active in community programs. One notable program is the Clayton Library which was begun by the branch and supported by the members. www.claytonaauw.org

Clayton Valley Woman's Club - CVWC members are community-minded women of all ages, from the Clayton/Concord area and beyond, who have joined together to provide community service through volunteering and fundraising. We are dedicated to meeting the needs and interests of all members as we meet the needs in our community. www.claytonvalleywomansclub.org

Clayton Valley Garden Club – formed to bring together people in that area with an interest in gardening including community projects such planter boxes on Main Street and near the Clayton Library and the daffodils at the town center entry at old Marsh Creek Rd and Clayton Road and Blossoms for Barbara, created by Linda Manss Karp in loving memory of her mother Barbara Manss . This project delivers festively decorated flowering plants to our neighbors in Convalescent Care, in Hospice, in Veterans Centers, at Battered Womens Shelters, and to shut-ins receiving Meals on Wheels in the greater Clayton, Concord, and Diablo Valley area during Valentines Week. www.claytonvalleygardenclub.org

Clayton Historical Society – membership open to all that have in interest in wanting to learn more and help preserve the local history of the community. It works to research, collect, record, preserve, display, borrow, share, and interpret local history information and memorabilia, and to promote understanding of Clayton origins and development. Its volunteers operate and maintain the Clayton Historical Museum for visitors and hosts student classes an special tours . It locates, records, inventories, publicizes and marks historic sites, buildings and natural features making recommendations. The Society has developed a "twinning" bond with Joel Clayton's birth town, Bugsworth, England, and the town he founded. www.claytonhistory.org

Diablo Vista Soroptimist – a service organization that focuses on ways to improve the lives of women and girls in our local community and throughout the world. www.sidiablovista.org

Clayton Theater Group – started in 2012– to entertain, educate and elevate the community and surrounding areas with live theater. CTG is a nonprofit theatre company providing performing arts to the local and surrounding community. Spring and fall productions with actors 16 or older are provided and a summer youth theater camp for ages 6-16. Rehearsals and shows at Endeavor Hall – For information contact Roxanne Pardi at 222-9106 or email claytontheatercompany@comcast.net; <http://www.claytontheatrecompany.com> OR <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Clayton-Theatre-Company>

Clayton Valley Sunrise Rotary -- non-governmental, non-religious, non-political service organization serving humanitarian goals in the world with time and effort to help others through service in the local communities. The club is involved in many projects around the world but and has projects that are important in the local community as well. Meetings are breakfast every Thursday morning at 7:00 a.m. at the Oakhurst Country Club, 1001 Peacock Drive, Clayton, CA. www.claytonvalleyrotary.org

Clayton Valley Village – an intergenerational membership non-profit organization community of seniors and volunteers organized to help members remain active, involved and independent in their own homes, organize social and informational events; screened volunteer services; service provider directory. www.claytonvalleyvillage.org; PO Box 1274, Clayton, CA 94517; 925-626-0411; Email - village.clayton@gmail.com

School fundraisers and events contact various schools:

Mt. Diablo Elementary School Parent Faculty Club (PFC) <http://mtdiabloelementary.mdusd.org/PFC>
OR www.mdusd.k12.ca.us/mountdiabloelementary

Diablo View Middle School Parent Faculty Club (PFC) <http://diabloview.mdusd.org>

Clayton Valley Charter Higher School (CVCHS) – an independent public charter high school conversion of Clayton Valley High for more information regarding the Charter High (925) 682-7474 or www.claytonvalley.org OR <http://sites.google.com/site/claytonvalleycharterhighschool>;

Parent Faculty Club –email: pfc@claytonvalley.org website: <http://www.cvchspfc.com>
Governing Board - website: <http://www.cvchspfc.com>