

event Halloween Oct. 21

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PATCH WORK



BRAD COMAN/NEVADA APPEAL

Students in Ms. Steel's 5th grade class place pumpkins on the lawn at Seeliger Elementary Friday morning. The students were preparing for the school's 25th annual Pumpkin Patch to be held from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. today. The event will feature games, a raffle, cake walk, dunk tank, giant slide, jumping pirate ship, food, ice cream, face painting, prizes, craft fair and pumpkins to purchase. Funds raised go toward paying for field trips and other needs for the students.

BRIEFLY

Thomas the Tank Engine trains to run in Virginia City

Thomas the Tank Engine invites little engineers to team up with him for a day of family fun at Day Out with Thomas: The Friendship Tour 2017. Thomas will pull into the V&T Railroad in Virginia City on Oct. 20, 21, 22, 27, 28 and 29. The event offers 25-minute rides and Thomas & Friends activities for children of all ages.

In celebration of the theme, the rides will feature an array of friendship-inspired activities including photo opportunities, handcar rides, the coloring caboose, a tattoo caboose, and a storytelling caboose, sudor golf and imagination station. Also planned are crafts, a passport stamp activity and a meet and greet with Sir Topham Hatt, Controller of the Railway.

to 3 p.m. Tickets are \$19 plus tax for ages 2 and up at www.ticketweb.com/dowt or by calling toll-free 866-468-7630.

For information, go to VirginiaTruckee.com, www.thomasandfriends.com, or visit the 1870 Virginia & Truckee Railroad Depot at 166 F St., Virginia City.

New driver program starts Saturday at WNC

Western Nevada College and Greater Nevada Credit Union will present the next new driver education class from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturdays from Oct. 14-Nov. 18 (except Oct. 28 and Nov. 11) on the Carson City campus.

The Greater Driving in Northern Nevada Program promotes safe driving among new drivers. Students will learn the basic rules of the road and vehicle code, establishing good

savings habits, and building good credit to plan for the cost of owning a vehicle.

Students who successfully complete the program are eligible to receive gifts. Those who are or become a member of the credit union can receive a \$50 partial reimbursement for the course fee.

In addition, GNCU is sponsoring a program-related essay contest on safe driving. Three \$500 scholarships will be awarded to students who participate. Students may use the scholarship for their studies or give the award to a family member or friend attending WNC.

The Greater Driving in Northern Nevada program meets the training requirements to obtain a Nevada driver's license.

For information or enrollment, go to <http://www.campusce.net/wnc/course/course.aspx?catId=7>