



MIDWAY SWISS DAYS



1947

63rd Annual

2010

GAZEBO TOWN SQUARE EVENTS

Friday
September 3

- 8:00 **MARKET OPENS**
- 8:00 *High Market Singers*
- 8:30 *RME Cloggers*
- 8:50 *Swiss Miss Royalty*
- 9:20 *Richard Souther / Nyle Steiner*
- 10:00 *Salzburger Echo*
- 10:45 *James Oneil Miner / Darin Bradford*
- 11:30 *Kerry Christensen - Master Yodeler*
- 12:00 *Richard Souther / Nyle Steiner*
- 12:30 *Salzburger Echo*
- 1:15 *James Oneil Miner / Darin Bradford*
- 1:50 *Swiss Miss Royalty*
- 2:15 *Kerry Christensen - Master Yodeler*
- 3:00 *James Oneil Miner / Darin Bradford*
- 3:45 *Moon Light*
- 4:30 *Joshua Creek*
- 5:30 *Kerry Christensen - Master Yodeler*
- 6:15 *Patti & the River Bottom Boys*
- 8:00 **MARKET CLOSES**

Visit the Daughters of Utah Pioneers
Hawthorne Camp Museum - West entrance
of Midway Town Hall.

**** Pre-registration \$20 until Sept 2, 2010 - \$30 day of race.
Day of Race Registration from 6:00 - 6:45 am**

**KID'S RACE at 8:15 am - \$15.00 Register Online at
www.active.com**

Saturday
September 4

- 7:00 **10K RUN AND KID'S RACE ****
- 7:00 **CHUCKWAGON BREAKFAST**
- 7:30 *Jex Sisters*
- 8:00 **MARKET OPENS**
- 8:00 *High Valley Singers*
- 8:30 *Swiss Miss Royalty*
- 8:50 *James Oneil Miner / Darin Bradford*
- 9:25 *Kerry Christensen - Master Yodeler*
- 10:00 **PARADE**
- 10:30 *Citrine*
- 11:00 *Joshua Creek*
- 11:40 *Beehive Statesman*
- 12:40 *James Oneil Miner / Darin Bradford*
- 1:10 *Swiss Miss Royalty*
- 1:30 *Kerry Christensen - Master Yodeler*
- 2:10 *Moon Light*
- 2:40 *James Oneil Miner / Darin Bradford*
- 3:15 *Kerry Christensen - Master Yodeler*
- 3:45 *Citrine*
- 4:00 **BARBECUE DINNER**
- 4:15 *Moon Light*
- 4:45 *Joshua Creek*
- 5:45 *High Valley Singers*
- 6:15 *Variety Show*

"So You Can Dance" Winners
Cameron King - National Clogging Champion 2010
Christina Lowe - Miss Utah • Jon Cheney
Jex Sisters • Reagan Violinists • Metanoia

8:00 **MARKET CLOSES**

MIDWAY TOWN HALL ENTERTAINMENT

Friday

- 1:00 *Children's Swiss Chorus*
- 2:00 *Swiss Belles - Director: Britt Wilde*
- 3:00 *Swiss Miss Program*
- 6:30 **Swiss Chorus Musical**

Swiss Chorus Musical

Thursday 6:30 pm - Friday & Saturday 6:30 pm

Saturday

- 11:45 *Post Office Band*
- 1:00 *Children's Swiss Chorus*
- 2:00 *Swiss Belles*
- 3:00 *Swiss Miss Program*
- 4:00 *High Valley Singers*
- 6:30 **Swiss Chorus Musical**

Look For Parking Lot Shuttle Pick-ups On: River Road; Center St. (Charleston Rd); 535 E. Main.
Visit midwayswissdays.com for Swiss Christmas information.





Honored Citizens

Marilyn and Lowell Larsen

The Midway Boosters are pleased to announce the annual Honored Citizens for 2010. They are Marilyn and Lowell Larsen of Midway. They were honored at the Midway Sunrise Patriotic Service held Monday, July 5th, at the Midway Town Square. The program began at 7:00 am. They will also be honored at the annual Midway Swiss Days celebration on September 3rd and 4th.

Marilyn Chugg Larsen was born in Farr West, Utah, and attended school in Weber County graduating from Weber High School. She excelled at the piano from an early age and accompanied an entire production of Hansel and Gretel on the piano while in the 4th grade. She studied piano with a great teacher in Ogden City and was taught not only to play the piano but to always share your talents and serve others.

Marilyn has taught piano since she was 18 years old and has taught hundreds of students in every place she lived. She continues to teach. Marilyn also enjoys preparing her students for the Heber Valley Piano Festival each year where they always do very well. Marilyn has also played at the Homestead dining room for many years and has enjoyed meeting great people from all over the world. Marilyn has also played for the Swiss Chorus 24 of the last 25 years. She has found it to be very rewarding and loves the chorus members and thinks they are the best! Marilyn served on the Midway Boosters Board for many years and was Booster President in 1999 and 2000.

Besides music, one of her favorite interests is public service. She has served on the Midway City Council, helped in several political campaigns and is on several board of directors and involved with several charitable organizations. These include a founders of Hearts and Hands Charity here in the Heber Valley. She has served as the President of the Utah Federation of Youth. In 1989 Marilyn, along with others, organized the Critical Issues Conference which is still going at the present time. At the present she serves on the State PTA Board as Safety and Welfare Commissioner where she works closely with schools and law enforcement to protect the safety of the children. She has worked in the PTA for over 30 years and has a great respect for those who serve to protect us.

While living in St. George, Utah, Marilyn worked in the Arts in cooperation with Dixie College to bring cultural activities to that area. She has been the music director for the Crèche Exhibit since its inception over ten years ago. Church service has also been very important to Marilyn and she has served in all areas, especially music.

Marilyn and Lowell met in junior high school, became high school sweethearts and married while they were in college. They raised six sons (Gordon, CJ, Andrew, Benjamin, Nicholas and Adam) and now have 20 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren. Marilyn has organized a "Cousin Week" each year while living in Midway to bring together her grandchildren who are scattered all over the country so they will know and love each other. Many memories have been made during that week each summer.

Lowell was born in North Ogden, Utah, attended school there and graduated from Weber State University in engineering. After college Lowell moved the family to Chicago when he went to work for General Electric Company as an engineer and also worked in southern Illinois, Massachusetts and Phoenix before returning to Utah to work at Signetics and Eimco. The Larsens then moved to St. George where Lowell was Plant Manager of Kely Pack for several years. During this time Lowell took Sir Edmund Hillary on a backpacking trip into the Uintas where he was thrilled to beat Sir Ed to the top of King's Peak. After ten years in St. George Lowell took a job as General Manager of Cordon Company in Salt Lake City. After living in St. George for ten years, it was a shock to move back to the big city. That is until they found the beautiful small town of Midway! Here they have lived for the last 25 years. Lowell commuted to Salt Lake for over ten years, Ogden for two years, and Park City for five years. He has found it a real pleasure to work in Midway for the last eight years.

Lowell served on the Boosters Board for several years and was introduced to Swiss Days by working in the Swiss Taco booth and continued to do so for over 20 years. Lowell has sung in the Swiss Chorus but his main contribution to the chorus has been supporting Marilyn as she has accompanied the chorus for so many years.

Lowell has served in many ward and stake positions in the LDS Church and with six sons has spent many happy years working in the Scouting program in troop and council positions. The Midway Boosters are pleased to present the Midway Honored Citizens for 2010, Lowell and Marilyn Larsen.



Left to Right: Carli Lynne Dunn, Madison Gray, Tiona Ray Drennan, Rachael Hales, Hadley Gordon

Swiss Miss Royalty

Tiona Ray Drennan - Swiss Miss 2010 • Daughter of Todd & Cynthia Drennan, Tiona is a sweet, responsible 11-year-old who is excited to be going into sixth grade. She is a natural peacemaker in our family, loved by her older sister and adored by her three younger brothers. She loves to sing, dance, act, make jewelry, read a good book, play her violin and jump on the tramp with water. Tiona excels in school and has enjoyed being in multiple community plays, but most of all, she just likes to play with her family. Tiona is a beautiful girl both inside and out. She is thrilled to represent our wonderful community as the 2010 Swiss Miss.

Carli Lynne Dunn - Attendant • Daughter of Thomas and Carrie Dunn, Carli has a lot of spunk! She has a contagious smile and her one dimple makes up for more than two! She has enjoyed dancing since three years old, participating on many competition dance teams. She loves to sing, act, play the piano and ride horses. She is a good sister to her older brother, Corbin, and younger sister, Cambree. She is creative, has written many stories and enjoys making new friends. Her family recently moved to Midway where she performed in "A Christmas Carol". She has since loved getting to know the people and wonderful spirit of Midway!

Madison (Maddie) Gray - Attendant • Daughter of Doug and Darla Gray, Maddie is the oldest in her family and is a great example to her younger sister and two brothers. Three words to describe Maddie would be outgoing, cheerful, and energetic. She loves being with her family and friends. Maddie enjoys singing, reading, drawing, playing the piano and violin, and being outdoors. She is an honor student at Rocky Mountain Middle School. Maddie loves living in Midway and is grateful for the opportunity to serve the community and to be a part of the 2010 Swiss Miss Court.

Rachael Hales - Attendant • Daughter of Matt and Olivia Hales, Rachael is a girl with a bright imagination and a smile to match. She loves to sing, dance, play the flute, read and write stories. She enjoys spending time with her family and friends and loves to plan and prepare activities for her younger cousins and neighbors. She is always positive and loves to do things for other people. Rachael is a straight A student and serves on the student council. She loves her home of Midway and is honored to represent this wonderful town and all who live here.

Hadley Gordon - Attendant • Daughter of Darin and Lisa Gordon, Hadley was born in Orange, CA, and moved to the Midway Valley when she was two months old. She is the fourth of five children and when she was little was called "Hurricane Hadley". She loves to sing, act and would babysit any day for anyone! She is the artist of her family and would like to be an Interior Designer when she grows up. She has been to the ER five times in her young life and broken her nose twice. She is a great friend and tries to always make sure everyone is included. Hadley's favorite quote is: "Don't count the seconds; make the seconds count."