## **Goodsprings School Turns 100**

Built in 1913 with classes starting on Sept. 15, our little school began its 100 years of education. Now Goodsprings School is beginning its one hundredth continuous year for the children of Goodsprings and surrounding areas.

Celebration begins with the first day of school, Aug. 27, 2012, and culminates with the Anniversary Celebration May 4 and 5, 2013. Along with food and fun, events will include posters and information on the 100-year history of the school as well as history of Goodsprings, mining, and Nevada. Join us in this wonderful year of events.

August 27 This event was a big success. Thank you to all who participated.

**September 15** in the Goodsprings Park, 2:00 - 5:00 pm. All residents of the Goodsprings township(Goodsprings, Sandy, Jean, Primm, Sloan) are invited to a family friendly, fun-filled afternoon at the Goodsprings Community Park on Saturday, Sept. 15. Hot dogs, Games, Bake Sale/Auction(3 PM), School history displays, color guard, karate demonstration, and more. Everyone interested in history and education is invited to help us celebrate the 100th birthday of the oldest continuously operated school in Clark County. Special recognition will be given to all Goodsprings School alumni who are present for this event.

October 31 in the Goodsprings School Classroom throughout the school day. History-centered lessons with guest teachers. Not open to the public.

**November 17** in the Goodsprings Community Center beginning at 6:00 pm. The Goodsprings Historical Society's Annual Bingo Bash, a fundraiser for the school's Christmas events. Good food, great prizes, lots of fun bingo games.

**December 20: Christmas school play,** Santa Claus, and family party. This is a 100-year-old tradition.

**January 19: 12 noon to 3:00 pm,** in the Goodsprings Community Center. A homemade soup contest. Everyone welcome.

**February and March** will be special history studies and activities within the classroom.

May 4 and 5: 100TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION FOR

GOODSPRINGS SCHOOL. Open to all present and former students of Goodsprings School, all present and former residents of Goodsprings, all present and former teachers and staff, Clark County officials as well as Clark County School District personnel, all interested friends, and anyone else. Dwight Jones, Superintendent of Clark County School District, will address those present. Special recognition will be given to all former students.