# ABOUT NEVADA

Nevada is a small town (population 8,200) located at the crossroads of Hwy 54 and Interstate 49 (previously Hwy 71) in southwestern Missouri. It is the county seat of Vernon County, and the home of Cottey College, a liberal arts women's college.



The Vernon County Courthouse stands at the center of town, surrounded by the historic town square.  Just off the square you'll find the Bushwhacker Museum, with outstanding exhibits focusing on local history, especially the Civil War struggles involving Vernon County.  Numerous parks and recreation areas are also a part of our community.

More information about Nevada can be found via these local outlets:

Nevada/Vernon County Chamber of Commerce:
www.nevada-mo.com

Newspaper:
Nevada Daily Mail, published 4 days/week
131 S. Cedar
417-667-3344
www.nevadadailymail.com

Local Radio:
KNEM-KNMO
414 E. Walnut
417-667-3113
Note:  Mike Harbit, the owner of KNEM-KNMO, also serves as the broadcast announcer for the Nevada Griffons games.