

Newsletter

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March 7

City Council Meeting 6:30 p.m.

March 14

Planning Commission Meeting 6:30 p.m.

March 17



March 21

City Council Meeting 6:30 p.m.

March 30

Easter Egg Hunt City Square 9:00 a.m. SHARP

Teen Easter Egg Hunt East Park 9:00 p.m.

March 31



*Information included in this newsletter is printed in advance, therefore is subject to change without notice. *



Mayors Message – Residents will no longer be receiving recorded messages from Hyrum City unless it involves a utility problem, road closure, or an emergency in your neighborhood. We encourage those who have blocked the city's number to unblock it to receive calls in case of an emergency.

Those who like to be reminded of upcoming events can sign up for those reminders by returning a signed form, which will be included in a future utility bill or by stopping at the City Office, Library, Museum or Senior Center.

Notifications for events will be sent out <u>only to</u> <u>those who sign up to receive them</u>, which will be

through a different system than the emergency call out.

A reminder to be a good neighbor. Leash & clean up after your pets. Inexpensive pet waste disposal bags can be purchased that can be clipped to your pet's leash or collar – insuring you are prepared "just in case."

Sincerely – Mayor Stephanie Miller

Easter Egg Hunt – Mark your calendars. All children 12 years and younger are invited to Hyrum City's Annual Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, March 30th, Hyrum City Square 9:00 a.m. sharp.

Teen Easter Egg Hunt – Saturday, March 30th Hyrum City Baseball Fields/East Park (700 East Main) 9:00 p.m. Bring a flashlight! Hosted by the Hyrum City Youth Council.

Hyrum City Royalty Pageant – The 2024 Hyrum City Royalty Pageant will be held at the Hyrum City Senior Center (675 East Main Street) Saturday, April 13th. Brunch & instructions for girls interested in pageant will be at 10:30 a.m. Royalty Pageant will be at 6:30 p.m. and is open to the public. A queen & two attendants will be chosen from each of the following age groups: ages 8-10, 11-14, & 15-18.

Applications are available at the City Office or online www.hyrumcity.org and are due April 5th. We encourage all eligible to take advantage of this opportunity. For more information contact Vicky McCombs, 435-245-3570 (no text messages

Youth Tee-Ball, Baseball & Softball Registration – We are pleased to announce that registration for youth tee-ball, baseball and softball is open now – March 15th. We look forward to having a great 2024 season. To register, please visit www.hyrumcity.org.



Indoor Walking - Beat the winter blues by visiting the Elite Hall during free public walking hours every Monday - Friday from 7:00-10:00 a.m. All are welcome, but please supervise children and don't bring any food or drinks other than water.

Winter Parking Restrictions - Parking is not allowed on city streets or within ten feet of roadway pavement in any municipal right-of-way, unless such vehicle is in a driveway approach or otherwise parked behind the curb where curb exists for a period longer than fifteen minutes when loading or unloading or delivering property between the hours of <u>11:00 p.m. to 8:00 a.m.</u> This law allows for snow removal and is in effect until April 1st, even when there is no snow.

Is Your Sump Pump Connected To The City's Sewer System?? - Hyrum City prohibits sumps pumps from being connected to the City's Sewer System. Hyrum City's sewer system is experiencing high flows. With high snow totals and the ground already saturated with water the City wants to be prepared for the spring run-off. We need your help to eliminate sump pump water from being discharged into the City's sewer system to prevent sewage back-up into your home and others around you. Many homes rely on a sump pump to convey groundwater away from the building's foundation. The improper placement of the sump pump discharge could create a problem for your neighbor, a public sidewalk, or the street. Please check to see that the discharge for your sump pump follows these general guidelines and regulations. Ensure that sump pumps are not connected to sanitary sewage piping (not allowed). Even if the sump pump discharge is creating a water problem on your property it can never be connected to the sanitary sewer service. The hose or pipe from the sump pump should discharge the flow onto your own lawn. Do not discharge to a property line or to your neighbor's property. A good rule of thumb is to keep the end of the discharge pipe at least 5 feet away from the lot line, or more where possible. Avoid discharging the sump pump to the street. If you have questions or concerns about your sump pump or a neighbor draining into the City's sewer system, please contact the City Offices at 435-245-6033.

Museum News - Did you know that since 1995, the U.S. President has issued an annual proclamation designating March as "Women's History Month" to celebrate the contributions women have made to our nation and recognize women's achievements in a variety of fields? We are excited to celebrate Women's History month during our monthly Back in Time children's activity, "OH, Baby!" on March 5th -7th from 1:00-1:30 p.m. each day. We will learn about one of Hyrum's most prolific midwives, Emma Liljenquist through a fun art activity. All children are welcome to attend and sign-up is encouraged!

Then for our SUPER SATURDAY event on March 23rd, we'll learn about "Women in the Wild West." Have you heard of Claire Ferguson, the Deputy Sheriff of Salt Lake County and one of the first women in the nation to serve as a Deputy Sheriff? The museum will be open from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and we'll have fun activities to learn more about important Utah women of the 1800s, plus we're firing up the museum's 1920s printing press to make Wanted Posters you can take home! If you'd like to personalize your Wanted Poster, then sign up at https://www.signupgenius.com/go/409044FABA82FAAFB6-47841233-hyrum. We will also be opening a traveling exhibit that celebrates 100 years of filmmaking in Utah in 2024 at the event, so be sure to stop by.

We are excited to be hosting "History & Me," a sculpture gallery featuring students in the South Cache Art Club all month. Plus, our final FREE Family Movie of the season will be on Friday, March 1st. Join us to watch Wish on the big screen at the Elite Hall. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. and the movie will begin at 7:00 p.m. Wear your comfy clothes, bring your pillows, blankets, bean bags, camp chairs, etc. and your own dinner and/or treats. This is a free public event!

Finally, be sure to mark Saturday, June 8th on your calendar for the museum's ELEVENTH annual car show fundraiser, Hot Wheels in Hyrum at the Hyrum City Square. We are currently taking applications for food vendors

and looking for sponsors. Visit the museum's website or contact Courtney at ccochley@hyrumcity.com for more information. Vehicle registration is ongoing at the museum or at hyrumcitymuseum.org. The museum will be closed the entire week of March $12^{th} - 14^{th}$ for cleaning, collections, and exhibit work.

Hyrum Heritage Foundation - The USU Big Band Swing Club will be hosting a dance featuring the live music of the Cache Community Big Band at the Elite Hall on Saturday, March 23rd from 7:00 - 10:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome!

Senior Center News - The Senior Center welcomes ALL seniors Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. We are located at 675 East Main Street. Lunch is served on Wednesdays & Fridays at noon for \$3. Please call before 9:00 a.m. if you are joining us for lunch, 245-3570.

Mondays – Breakfast & Bingo, 10:30 a.m.

March 4: Board Meeting, 1:00 p.m.

March 18: Decorating & Party Prep.

Tuesdays – Bunco & Lunch, 11:00 a.m.

March 12: Tip Class, 11:00 a.m.

Wednesdays - March 6: Facedown Game.

March 13: Leprechaun Party, 12:00 p.m. Live music, yummy meal & fun.

Please RSVP by March 5th.

March 20: HAPPY BIRTHDAY – Open House 4:00-6:00 p.m.

We are celebrating the 30th birthday of the Senior Center.

All seniors are invited. Food, live music, fun & friends!

March 27: Play Group Pit.

Thursdays - March 14: Lunch Bunch @ Café Sabor, 11:00 a.m.

Fridays – BINGO, 10:45 a.m. Lunch, 12:00 p.m.

March 15: Bring a nice white elephant for BINGO.

Library News – Library Hours: Monday-Friday 10 a.m. – 7 p.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. Contact us at 435-245-6411 or hyrumlibrary@gmail.com. Library Board Meeting, March 13th 6:00 p.m. Library Meeting Room. Thank you to everyone who donated to our Food for Fines Program for the month of February. We always love to see the generosity that our community has for those in need.

Childrens Programs

Story Time (ages 0-5): Mondays at 10:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. and Wednesdays at 11:00 a.m. & 2:00 p.m. No age groups - pick a time that works best for you! Each story time will feature the same stories. Throughout the month of March, we will be reading books from the author Audrey Wood, and feature books about Rain/Sprin and books about Easter. The Easter books that will be read are: Pick a Perfect Egg by Patricia Toht and The Little Rabbit by Nicola Killen. *Please note: Due to popularity the story time door will be closed after the opening song or if the room becomes full. In an effort to keep distractions to a minimum, no one will be allowed in once the door is closed.*

Stokes Nature Story Time (ages 0-5): Friday, March 8th 11:00 a.m. Join us for a special story time with Stokes Nature Center, enjoy stories & an activity.

Magic Tree House Adventure Club: Friday, March 15th & 29th at 3:30 p.m. The book that will be discussed is Magic Tree House #7 "Sunset of the Sabertooth." Sign up is required & opens March 1st. Book copies will be available at the front desk.

Learn about Technology (Grades 4th-5th): Tuesday, March 5th, 4:00 p.m. Let's learn about technology with snap circuits and AR. Sign up is required and begins on February 27th.

Art Time (ages 5-11): Tuesday, March 19th 4:00-5:00 p.m. Join us for a fun Easter themed craft (while supplies last).

Food, Fun & Reading (ages 5-11): Tuesday, March 12th, 4:00-5:00 p.m. Learn about MyPlate, hear a story, enjoy an activity and a snack. Presented by USU Extension.

Lego's At The Library (ages 5+): Wednesday, March 6th & 20th, 4:00-5:00 p.m. in the story time room. We supply Legos – you supply the imagination! Doors will close at 4:05 p.m. and ask if you are later than that to plan to attend next time.

Teen Programs

Art Contest (ages 12-17): March 1^{st} – 31^{st} Teens can submit up to 2 art projects per person at the front desk. Projects will be displayed in the Teen Zone and winners will be picked at the beginning of April. Prizes will include art-related prizes.

Chess & Checkers Club (ages 10+): Friday, March 1st, 4:00-5:00 p.m. Please note, the club will meet in the library meeting room.

TAC (Teen Advisory Committee) Meeting: Thursday, March 14th, 3:30 p.m. Help plan for teen activities. TAC will be assigned individual projects. Would you like to join the TAC? Stop in the library and talk to Deonna.

Homework Hour: Thursday, March 7th, 4:00 p.m. Grab a snack, and spend the hour reading, working on homework, learning how to build a resume, or just hang out!

Newsies Watch Party: Friday, March 22nd, 4:30 p.m. Enjoy popcorn and watch Newsies.

Don't forget to check out the Teen Zone for this month's craft.

Adult Programs

Book Club (ages 18+): Tuesday, March 12th, 11:00 a.m. Join us for a book discussion on "West with Giraffes." You can pick up a copy of the book at the front desk – all books checked out will be due back the day of book club.

Family Programs

Family Movie & Popcorn: Monday, March 4th, 4:00 p.m. story time room. The library will be showing "Wonka." Children under 5 must be accompanied by a parent at all times.





