Newsletter March 2018

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March 1

City Council Meeting 6:30 p.m.

March 8

Planning Commission Meeting 6:30 p.m.

March 15

City Council Meeting 6:30 p.m.

March 31

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



Mayors Message – The Hyrum City Youth Council is a wonderful group of youth between 9th – 12th grades that are learning about their local government through active participation. In 2017 there were over 2,500 hours of service to our community given by 43 youth and 5 advisors. They help with our city celebrations, library, museum, senior center, schools and more. All of the money they earn from sales at the candy cabin, July 4th dunking booth and teen dance is donated to something or someone in need in the

community. I am so grateful for their service. They are great examples of good citizenship in our community.

We've been working on several projects in the city: demolition of the old city office building, building a new fire station, and the Hyrum City entrance sign on the west end of the city. We haven't determined at this time what we will do with the space where the old office building once stood. We have saved money until we finally have enough to build a new fire station, something we have needed and hoped to do for many years. The entrance sign as you come into the west entrance of Hyrum will be located west of Tim's Diesel. It will look like the sign that is at the north entrance of the city, including a statue of an elk.

Sincerely, Mayor Stephanie Miller

City Council Meeting Summary - *Oath of office was given to newly elected Mayor, Stephanie Miller, Councilmember Paul James, Councilmember Jared Clawson & Councilmember Steve Adams.

- * A public hearing was held to provide citizens with pertinent information about the Community Development Block Grant program and to allow for discussion of possible applications.
- * Council approval was given to amend the final plat of Woodcrest Townhouses for lot line adjustments to allow individual ownership of townhomes at 328 East 100 North.
- * Friend Weller reported on Hyrum City's transfer of low power FM radio license.
- * Preliminary plat approval was given with conditions for Phase 1 of the Cache Ridge Subdivision consisting of 17 residential single-family building lots at approximately 530 North 600 East.
- * Site plan approval was given for ON Automotive Repair and Retail Sales of used cars and car parts at 215 South Hammer Road.

- * City Council declined taking over snow removal and other road services in Blacksmith Fork Villas.
- * Valerie Plowman of Wellsville was approved to serve on the Hyrum Library Board.
- * Brian Carver was reappointed to serve another term on the Hyrum Planning Commission.
- * Resolution 18-02 was approved accepting a petition for annexation of certain real property. (Southeast Annexation Wilkinson's Rosehill Dairy, JN Farms, Clawson, Nielsen, Harrison, Nielsen, Petersen, and Evans 239.31 acres.)
- * Certification was approved of the Southeast Annexation Petition.
- * Phase 3 of Rolling Hills Subdivision was accepted.
- * Location of the new fire station was discussed.
- * Resolution 18-01 was approved authorizing Councilmember Craig Rasmussen to automatically succeed to the position of Mayor Pro Tempore.
- * Resolution 18-03 was approved adopting Hyrum City's Water Management and Conservation Plan.
- * Approval was given to the Utah Department of Transportation for a noise permit for a project of Highway 101 between Highway 165 and Hardware Ranch.

The information for this newsletter is required a month in advance. Therefore the January City Council Meeting has not taken place at the time this summary is composed.

Winter Parking Restrictions – Parking is not allowed on city streets or within ten feet of roadway pavement in any municipal right-of-way between the hours of 12:00 midnight and 8:00 a.m. unless such vehicle is in a driveway approach or otherwise parked behind the curb where curb exists. This law allows for snow removal and is in effect between November 1st and April 1st, even when there is no snow.

Youth Baseball & Softball Registration – Registration for youth baseball and softball opens March 1st. Sign up now if you are interested in learning more about the game, improving your skills and learning life-long values of teamwork and fun. Registration will be open until March 31st. You can sign up by visiting www.hyrumcity.com. Play Ball!!

Easter Egg Hunt – Mark your calendars. All children 12 years and younger are invited to Hyrum City's Annual Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, March 31st, Hyrum City Square 9:00 a.m. sharp.

Hyrum City 2018 Royalty – The new Hyrum City Royalty was crowned Saturday, January 27th. Our 2018 Royalty is: Ella Anderson, daughter of Keith & Holly Anderson; Olivia Tyger, daughter of Alan & Eva Tyger; Emily Myers, daughter of Joshua & Amber Myers; Abigail Edwards, daughter of Todd & Sherry Edwards; and Brindley Rowley, daughter of Jim & Kristi Rowley.



We would like to thank all the applicants who participated this year. Everyone was wonderful and would have represented our city well. Thanks to everyone who helped in any way to make this pageant successful.

Museum News - The museum is able to serve as your community resource due in large part to the volunteer service of the museum advisory board. Claude Long has been serving on the board since December 2012 and has provided crucial support during that time. We wish to recognize his contributions and thank him for his valuable service and insight as his retires from the board.

Looking for something fun to do with your scouts, activity day girls, club, or civic group? Bring them to the museum to see our amazing Utah Rocks! exhibit! The Cache Rock and Gem Club has compiled an amazing collection of fossils and minerals collected throughout Utah. It will be on exhibit through June, so don't miss your chance to see dozens of different specimens including garnets, opals, fossilized coral, ammonites, and coprolite (fossilized dinosaur droppings).

All children are invited to our Back in Time activity Limericks & Legends on March 13th, 14th, & 15th from 1:00 - 1:30 p.m. each day. Come and hear some amazing local legends and learn how to write a leprechaun limerick. Plus, you'll get a yummy green treat.

You won't want to miss this year's Elite Hall Art & Quilt Show on March 23^{rd} & 24^{th} . We are pleased to be partnering with the Chase Home Museum of Utah Folk Arts to offer live artist demonstrations, food vendors, and a free family art activity on Saturday. Visit the museum website or Facebook page for a detailed list of events. A portion of the American West Historical Quilt Collection will also be on exhibit. Artists! There is still time to enter your work. The theme is Naturally Inspiring and prospectus and entry forms are available at the museum or at www.hyrumcitymuseum.org and are due March 10^{th} . The event is free and everyone is invited.

Car registration in now open for the museum's car show fundraiser Hot Wheels and Hot Dogs on Saturday, June 2nd on the Hyrum City Square. We will be launching our annual Passport to Summer Fun children's activity, so be sure to get your passport and your first stamp. Join the hundreds of people who come each year to kick their summer off. It's a fun community event and great marketing opportunity for local businesses. Vendor booths are only \$40, so contact the museum ASAP to reserve your spot. Visit the museum or email museum@hyrumcity.com for more info.

Elite Hall Restoration Committee - The USU Big Band Swing Club will be hosting a dance featuring the live music of the Cache Community Big Band on Saturday, March 24th at the Elite Hall. The dance starts at 8:00 p.m. and the club will be offering free dance instruction (both for beginners and those who are more advanced) at 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10 Students (17 and younger) and seniors are only \$5 as well as club members (anyone can join).



The Elite Hall is open Monday through Friday from 6:00 - 10:00 a.m. for public walking. In an effort to keep the hall clean, food and drink is NOT allowed and parents need to supervise their children. Thank you!

Senior Center News - We are open Monday – Friday from 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. with lunch at noon Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Please call by 10:00 a.m. to reserve your spot for lunch. The cost is \$3. ALL seniors are welcome.

- Mondays 5 Breakfast & Bingo for a Buck, 10:30 a.m. Board Meeting, 1:00 p.m.
 - 19 Breakfast & Bingo for a Buck, 10:30 a.m.
 - 26 Thoroughly Modern Millie in Smithfield.

Tuesdays - Chair Yoga, 9:30 a.m. & Games, 12:30 p.m.

Wednesdays – Programs, 12:30 p.m.

7 Senior Outreach Program hosted by Senator Mike Lee's Office.

Leprechaun Party, 12:00 p.m. Everyone is invited – put on your green and join us for great food, and a fun fiddling program.

- 21 Life on the Farm Program.
- 28 Game Day.

<u>Thursdays</u> – Road trips and the Lunch Bunch.

- 15 Lunch Bunch @ Pizza Pie Café, 11:30 a.m.
- 29 Mystery Trip, 10:00 a.m.

Fridays – Bingo, 12:30 p.m.

23 Secret Garden at the Old Barn.

Saturdays -

17 The Drowsy Chaperone.

We are in need of old jeans, baskets and an occasional bingo caller. Please let us know if you can help us out. Thanks! Also, we have three seats left for our Tuacahn Trip in September and a few seats left for our Star Valley trip in June. Call the senior center for more details.

Library News – Library hours Monday thru Friday 10:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. and Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Our annual book sale will be March 15^{th} & 16^{th} from 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. and March 17^{th} from 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. The Book sale will be in the basement of the library.

Musical Time Monday: Toddler story time (for toddlers up to age 3) 10:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Whimsical Wednesdays: Story time (for ages 3-5) 11:30 a.m. & 1:30 p.m.

Magic Tree House Adventure Club: Friday, March 2^{nd} , 3:00 p.m. This program is open to $1^{st} - 3^{rd}$ graders. This month we will be focusing on "Sunset of the Sabertooth." If you need a copy of the book be sure to stop by the library and check one out.

Movie Monday: March 5th, 4:00 p.m. Join us for the movie "Coco" and free popcorn!

Creative Thursdays: March 15th, 4:00 p.m.

Lego Club: Monday, March 26th, 4:00 p.m.

Teen Activities: All activities start at 3:00 p.m. unless otherwise noted and are for ages 12-18.

March 9th: Maker Activity, marshmallow shooters @ the Elite Hall.

March 23rd: Teen Movie Day, Thor Ragnarok.

Ridley's Hometown Advantage Program is a great fundraiser for the library. Simply sign up to donate your points you earn each time you shop at Ridley's. Each quarter the library receives a much welcomed donation from Ridley's Family Markets. You can choose to donate any or all of your points available. Here is how to donate:

- Call Ridley's Advantage Program at 208-324-4633 ext. 10118;
- Log into your Advantage Card at <u>www.shopridleys.com</u>;
- Stop at the customer service desk at Ridley's and request a donation form; or
- Fill out a donation form at the Hyrum Library.

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The Family Place – The Family Place has started an Amazon wish list to make it even easier for people to give back. The Family Place Executive Director, Esterlee Molyneux felt that creating a quick and easy way to donate items was essential because almost everyone has a computer or a smartphone. Having a wish list on Amazon not only enables people to donate with just a few clicks or taps on your phone but it also removes the guesswork and time constraints of the normal route of going to a store to buy something. The wish list link can be found at www.thefamilyplaceutah.org. Thanks!

