City Happenings

Message from the Mayor

I have a couple of items to address this month but mostly we are forging ahead with things that I have already talked about. I am sure you know that in government things take about 5 times longer than in the private sector, but that is a good thing! An efficient government would curtail our freedoms faster and take more of our money quicker. (You can needlepoint that on a pillow if you like.)

We are currently in the process of investigating the possibility of combining our NPPD with the Smithfield PD. There are pros and cons to this plan, of course, but, in my never to be humble opinion, the pros outweigh the cons. The very best thing is the benefit to the officers. With a greater number of officers, the scheduling, opportunity for advancement, flexibility, and increased number of officers on shift at any one time, would increase morale. The increased numbers of officers on shift would be a benefit to the citizens, unless you are a criminal. Each city could stop poaching officers from each other and a larger force would be more enticing to recruits. I don’t know if you are aware of the difficulty of attracting new officers but it is HARD. And really, when you look around the country right now, do you wonder why anyone wants to be a peace officer? This is a problem faced by every agency in the country, so anything we can do to improve our odds is a good thing. We most likely would not save much money, but once more in my NTBH opinion, we should increase their compensation. Our officers go on more calls with less officers, than any other agency in Cache County and this merger would help with that. Anyway, that is my effort at predicting the future and you know how that goes since we talked about it last month!

The really important thing, if this works out, is that we come up with a really cool name. We don’t want Unified or Tri-city. So everyone get your creative juices flowing and suggest some great names on our Facebook page, or call or text the city staff or me, and let us know what you think.

Thank you all for being such wonderful citizens! It takes a lot of tolerance and patience to have a peaceful city, along with a willingness to obey the law, I see exhibited every day by the vast majority of you all. Your individual goodness is what makes Hyde Park such a delightful place to live. People always want to make a difference in the world, but the biggest difference you make is in your interactions with your close neighbors and friends. Kindness and generosity towards those closest to us is what makes the world a better place, so go give your neighbor a hug!

Youth Council

We have an amazing new Youth Council to introduce to you! These are the youth that will create great things in Hyde Park in the next nine months. We are already thinking about our Spook Alley and other service projects to serve you and the citizens of Hyde Park. Have any ideas you want to share with us? Feel free to call the city office and share them!

Lexi Balls AJ Case Brooklyn Clegg Trey Erickson Kaledon Grandy
Maddy Hamp Tavia Harding Kesney Jenkins Kyler Jenkins Esther Keller
Kaleb Kunz Kyler Kunz Sophie Lindsey Lucas Lowder Maren McKenna
Jaren Peery Mason Peery Brooklyn Riding Kai Li Tullis Logan Webber
Brooklyn Weight Caleb Wilkerson

We also have a wonderful crew of advisors! Marci Case, Janet Clegg, Monica Edelmayer, Stephanie Harding, Karin Kunz, Kandi Lindsey, Von Lindsey, Shelly McKenna, Robert McKenna, Amber Riding, Mike Tullis, Brooke Webber, Keri Weight and Stephanie Allred.

A special thanks goes to these advisors for assisting, guiding and giving their time to this fantastic organization! We couldn’t do it without our advisors.
What is Happening in the City?

Wrestling
We are teaming up with Green Canyon High School for a Jr. Wrestling program. Registration now open and includes a t-shirt and 4 tournaments. Season starts Oct 9th. Register online at northloganrec.org

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North Logan Fitness Class
Join our instructor Lou with triple threat fitness. It includes 10-12 classes a month, 3 times a week MWF 9-10am. Kids are welcome to come and run around, but babysitting is NOT provided. Located at the RSL building 220 E. 2850 N. See you there

$7 month | $1 Drop in | first time free

Share the Bounty is back!
There is a table outside the front doors of the Hyde Park City office. Anyone may leave extra produce from your garden or fruit trees. (You may leave a note if you want others to come pick their own.)
Also, please dispose of any rotten items as you see them.

Pumpkin Run:
Registration now open. The Race is set for Oct 19th. Sign up at northloganrec.org, Prizes will be awarded for best finish and costume.

Pumpkin Toss
Have you ever seen a trebuchet launch a pumpkin? Well mark your calendars for Oct 26th to see this high flying pumpkin tossing adventure. It is for sure to be a swinging good time.

Ultimate Frisbee
4th grade and up to adult
Looking for a new sport that emphasizes honesty and fair play as much as great displays of athleticism? Come try ultimate frisbee! Cache Valley Ultimate and North Logan City are proud to work together to bring an ultimate frisbee league to more people in Cache Valley! We have leagues for most everyone, from the first time player to the experienced veteran and for 4th grade and above. Families can play together in the easy going rec league and/or if you’re looking for more of a challenge you can try the competitive league. Learn to play in the middle school league for 4th to 8th graders or in the rec league for all ages. Go to northloganrec.org to sign up and for more information.

Green Canyon High School
A few items to mark on your schedule.
September 25—Green Canyon Homecoming Parade
September 27—Green Canyon Homecoming Football Game against Bear River @ 7PM

Pumpkin Walk
Have you always wanted to create a scene? Carve one of the pumpkins? Come Volunteer! We have supplies but need your creativity, energy, and ideas. We will be having a Scene creating workshop on Sept 19th at the Lions Building at Elk Ridge park. For more information contact Michelle Weaver for 435-752-1473 or michelleweaver911@q.com

Pumpkin Walk Dates
Oct 17-19th; 21-22nd

Water Shares
If you are interested in selling shares in Cache Highline water association, please contact Hyde Park City.

William Hyde
Camp DUP
Please join us at the Daughters of Utah Pioneers meeting September 9, 1:30 pm, church at 65 E Center Street, Hyde Park
Lesson Title: Sailing to Zion

Welcome New Residents
Kyle & Elizabeth Egnew
Shara & Todd Eppich
Jen & Keegan Andersen
Doug & Shellee Hoffman
Luie & Barbara Bolanos
Taylor & Crystal Oberg

As summer draws to a close, back-to-school season is in full swing. Remember to safely share the roads with school buses, pedestrians and bicyclists, and provide children with the necessary knowledge to stay safe at school.