City Happenings

Hyde Park City Celebration
Mark your calendar for July 20th & 21st

If you are interested in helping with the celebration managing an event or want information, please contact the following volunteers

Booths & Parade: Mark Hurd - 890-9956
Fun Run: Bret Randall - 752-5579 or 716-9323
Gen Info: Mark Hurd - 890-9956

Movies in the Park
Saturday
June 16th
Dusk
Wonder

Bring your families, a blanket or lawn chair and join your neighbors at Lee Park for a free movie in the park.

July 21st—The Greatest Showman
Aug 11th—Coco

MEMORIAL DAY ALL YOU CAN EAT
EARLY BIRD PANCAKE BREAKFAST

May 28th at the City Office
7:00 a.m.—10:00 a.m.
SPONSORED BY THE LIONS CLUB

Adults - $4.00
Children 12 and under—$3.50

Contact Info for Mayor & City Council

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The City Council will hold a public hearing to discuss the Hyde Park City Master Trails Plan

The public hearing will be held at the regular City Council meeting on Wed May 9th. at 7:00 p.m.
Message From Mayor Flint

I may have been a bit premature in wishing all of you a happy spring last month. But surely now I may wish you all a happy spring, after all it is May! But maybe I better stick with happy Mother’s Day. Who knows when winter may come roaring back with a vengeance, trying to have the last word. My allergies are telling me it is spring so if you see me wandering around town with red watery eyes and a red runny nose it’s just allergies and I am not crying......probably.

I am going to tackle a rumor that you may have heard flying about town. Are we going to disband the NPPD? The short answer is, I don’t know. Now for the long answer. North Logan and Hyde Park have shared a police department for a number of years and about 6 years ago we made it formal by creating a police commission, paying for a new police building, and signing a contract. We paid our share of the building, as did North Logan, without going into debt and it is completely paid off. This year North Logan is looking into the option of contracting with the Cache County Sheriff to provide law enforcement services for them. The current budget for both cities is 1.4 million, of which Hyde Park pays approximately $360,000 and North Logan pays the rest. It is based on a formula extrapolated from population and calls for service. (Are you with me still?) They have received a bid, from the Sheriff, for about $875,000. That would give them 7-8 officers and animal control services. We could also be included in that offer for another $100,000 or we have the option of joining with Smithfield and, for about the same as we pay now, we could get 2 officers and animal control. No decision has been made yet and the North Logan mayor and council are consulting with their citizens and trying to decide what to do. A vote will probably be coming in the next month. We will have to wait for them to decide what they are going to do and then we will make our choice.

Now let me tell you my some of my thoughts and feelings on the matter and my experience with the NPPD. I am a big proponent of a local police force, especially our police force. We have some great officers! There are problems with a small force, but some of the same problems are faced by large departments also. It is a tough time to be in law enforcement and there is a small pool of candidates to choose from when hiring. With a small force the opportunity for advancement is less and it can be hard to retain people. The budget is smaller and sometimes sacrifices have to be made in regard to equipment, etc. On the other hand, the officers I know, love working with a smaller population and they feel very invested in their community. The citizens know the officers and can give immediate feedback on problems. The officers know the community intimately and have a feel for problem areas. There is a level of local control and input, going both ways, that I think is very beneficial. After talking with Chief Allen from Smithfield, I think we could have a substantially similar situation as we have had if we go with their very preliminary offer. There are still many details to be worked out.

There are so many variables to this situation and, in the end, North Logan may decide to stay with the NPPD and all this debate and discussion may have been for nothing. However, I wanted you to be aware and as up to date as we are. No matter what happens we will work it out to the best for our citizens and our city, and the council and I will consider all the options and make the best decision possible. Because we are Hyde Parkers and we are smart that way!

We will be having 2 city council meetings in May, on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, and if you would like to come and express your thoughts on our two options we would love to hear them. You can also write your thoughts on our Facebook page and we promise we won't suppress any of them. Unless you use bad language and then we might.

Whew! This has been long and I hope I have been clear. If you have questions or concerns feel free to call me or any of the council members, or call and let the office know what you think. But don't use bad language! That's my mom advice for the month. Let’s carry on in true Hyde Park fashion and we will get through because we are smart like that!

Jr Council

Here's what you've been holding your breath for.... the April Good Neighbor Award winner. And ta da ~ it is the Barnes family! Andy, Katie, Morgan, Tanner and Emery were nominated for all the service they do in their neighborhood. The nomination letter stated, "They are a great family. They don’t ask if you need help, they just go take care of it." As we were trying to arrange awarding them the Good Neighbor gift basket as a surprise, we heard from others that they were such a great choice for this prestigious award. We were told that the whole family is constantly serving. So thanks to the Barnes family for making a difference in our beautiful Hyde Park!

We really need to hear from you about your Good Neighbor! Please email us at GoodNeighborAward@gmail.com
Seasonal Job

Hyde Park City is hiring for part time seasonal lawn care. Approximately 30 hours per week. Responsibilities will be mowing lawns, weeding etc. Must be 18 years of age or older. An application is available on the City website hydepark.utahlinks.com. Closing date is May 9, 2018

Are you interested in creating a community booth for the County Fair?
The display size is 8X8’ and can be anything that best represents the community
The Fair is August 8-11 with setup starting on August 4th.
Please let the City staff know if you are interested by calling 435-563-6507

Youth Council Corner
The Youth Council has been very busy this year. Here is a recap of some of the activities and services we have sponsored for our Hyde Park friends and the surrounding communities
~Cleaned and polished the amazing monument at City office
~Hyde Park City Celebration Activities and games
~End of Summer Slip n Slide
~Spook Alley Fundraiser
~collected donations of winter gear for local students
~Decorating and serving residents at Autumn Care
~Princess and Superhero Training for younger friends in Hyde Park

We have loved serving and meeting so many great people in the valley.
We are blessed to have so many great youth here in Hyde Park
Thank You for your support as we serve you!

Youth Council Applications
HYDE PARK STUDENTS!
If you are ambitious, love to serve, want to have fun, like to make a difference and help others, WE WANT YOU. We are looking for great youth in Hyde Park to join our youth council. Applications are available on the city website or at the city office. Deadline will be May 14th 5pm
If you have questions feel free to email hydeparkyouthcouncil@gmail.com

Jr. Council
The Jr Council had a lot of fun popping in on some of our public servants here in Hyde Park to thank them for all they do. We visited with Mike Grunig our public works director and wow, we found out how many things that he is in charge of that keeps our city humming along! We loved listening and laughing as Nolan Krebs, our animal control officer, told us stories about people and their animals. We dropped in on our Mayor Sharidean Flint and found out that she loves her job as mayor and is honored to do it. We surprised Judge Marx and had fun visiting with him too. He told us that if we ever landed in jail to call him first and he would tell them when to let us out. Haha! We appreciate the ladies at our city office building and all they do to help out Hyde Park and the youth councils. We enjoyed surprising Susan Balls, Donja Wright, DeAnn Turner, Melinda Lee and Amanda Shoemaker with a thank you treat. We also surprised Dar- rin Hancey, our building inspector with a visit and a treat and learned all he does for Hyde Park. Mostly we learned that it takes a lot of people doing a great job to make a great city. We are so grateful for all the service given!

The Jr Council ended the month with service at the Bishop’s Storehouse.

Jr. Council Applications
8TH & 9TH GRADERS
Applications for the Jr Council will be available starting May 1st and due May 18th at the city office. They are available online at hydepark.utahlinks.org/ under "other documents". They will also be available at the city office. All youth that will be in 8th & 9th grade in the 2018 - 2019 school year are eligible to apply.
One of the benefits for children who start sports at a young age, they are more likely to stay active as they grow older. The weather is getting warmer and its time to go out and play.

**Youth Tackle Football** - Green Cannon Youth Football Registration will open in May this is for ages 7-14. Conditioning/Practices starts in august games are in September/October.

Early Bird Cost.................................................................$175
Reg Registration (May 31-June 30).........................$200
Jersey (If Needed)..........................................................$50
Age is determined by August 31st.

**Tennis Lessons**

“Teach A kid a sport that they will play for a lifetime” We will provide the equipment during the lesson if you do not have any.

**Adult Lessons 18+ (beginner).....Cost $25**

Session dates are. June 4-13; June 18-27; and July 9-18. Every Tues/Thursday 6-7pm

**Youth Lessons Ages 6-16. Beginner-Advance**

Sessions dates are Mon-Thurs June 4-14; June 18-28; June 9-19; July 23-Aug 2nd .Cost $40 time is between 8am-12pm

**North Logan Pioneer Day**

**Vendors**—We are looking for food, craft, game and other types of vendors for our 24th of July Pioneer Day Celebration. To sign up go to northloganrec.org.

**Parade Entries**—We are looking for bands, community groups, families and businesses to participate in our 24th of July Pioneer Day Parade! If you are interested sign up at northloganrec.org

If you would like to volunteer to help with the activities contact Jesse Howe @435-760-1644

**Itty Bitty All Ball**—(Ages 3-5),

This is a great opportunity for kids to learn the basic fundamentals of several sports, Basketball, soccer, t-ball and others. 2 Sessions are offered June 5-21 and July 10-26th every Tuesday/Thursday 10:30-11:30 A.M. Cost is $25

**North Logan Fitness Class**

(Kids are welcome) $7 month | $1 Drop in | first time free

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