City Happenings

Message From Council Member Flint

What a busy and exciting month we had in January! Massive amounts of snow and rain. A new city council member. Swearing in the new mayor. All leading up to the month of love. I am feeling it, how about you?

You may have noticed that we received a little precipitation in December and January. This is where our public works guys really shine! Mike Grunig, Kolby Christiansen, Jesse Hyer, and David Hancey, all put in gargantuan amounts of time. One day they plowed from 5 a.m. to 11 p.m. Way to go guys! Add a broken 10” water line on 3rd north that took all day (on Christmas day) to repair and you have some frozen, soggy, tired and sore warriors. Thank you tough guys!

Next, we had 4 outstanding men show up to be interviewed for the open city council position. It was kind of like the city version of The Bachelor. “What are your future plans with the city?” “What is your idea of the ideal city?” The candidates were Jeff Bateman, Brad Robinson, Gary Anderson, and Larry Rupp, and any one of them would be really good as a city councilman (or winner on The Bachelor), and it was very difficult to chose. Jeff received two votes and Brad received two. The tension was thick as Mayor Christensen considered his options as a tie breaker. In the end he chose Brad Robinson, who will do an excellent job I am sure. We will learn more about him in next month’s newsletter.

Finally, we had our own inaugural ceremony, January 11, as we swore in our new mayor and city council member. Best of all, it cost absolutely nothing! And lasted about 5 minutes. Don’t you wish the federal government was as frugal and short winded? Here are some things you might find interesting about our new mayor. He was born in Brigham City but was whisked off to California shortly thereafter, where his family lived for 6 years. Fortunately he has no memories of that experience. Realizing the error of their ways, they moved back to Bear River City. He attended USU and the Chicago Institute of Technology, receiving a degree in electrical engineering. While working at Thiokol he met his sweetheart, the beautiful Linda Balls of Hyde Park. They married, and in 1963 moved from Tremonton back to Hyde Park, where they have lived ever since. They are the parents of 4 children and grandparents to 14. Mayor Christensen has worked in the public works department in the summer, served on Planning and Zoning, and been a city council member for the last 9 years, so there is probably very little he doesn’t know about Hyde Park.

Happy Valentines Month! Share the love! Sharidean Flint

Jr Council

The Jr Council was honored to award the Good Neighbor Award to Todd Worthen. Todd went above and beyond in helping a neighbor as he used his talents and skills to make a home wheelchair accessible. He used his friends in the industry to come and help also and together accomplished an amazing project. The recipient of Todd’s kindness and service is beyond grateful! We are also thankful to have a person of Todd’s caliber living in Hyde Park. We have the best people here! Congratulations Todd for being our January Good Neighbor Award winner. And thank you for your remarkable service! Do you have an amazing neighbor? Please send your nomination to GoodNeighborAward@gmail.com

The Jr Council took some treats over to our North Park Police Department to thank our officers for all their service. We were able to visit with our Police Chief Kim Hawkes and several officers. We appreciate all they do to serve and protect our community. You can see part of our visit on our Facebook page -- Hyde Park City Jr Council. Check us out!
What is Happening in the City?

Youth Council Corner

We have been busy serving Hyde Park and the citizens of Cache Valley. Come Join us for upcoming activities this spring.

Feb 18, 1:30-2:30pm  Sweethearts Dance at Pioneer Valley Lodge.
Everyone is invited. ~ Come enjoy good music and fun.

Hyde Park’s got talent coming this spring

Calling on Hyde Park residents to show us what you’re made of.
Get ready for great talent and good entertainment.

We want YOU to participate!
If interested, please email hydeparkyouthcouncil@gmail.com

Lance Corporal Michael J Allred Scholarship

The Lance Corporal Michael J. Allred Scholarship Foundation is currently accepting applications for the 2017-2018 school year at Utah State University.

Deadline for the applications is March 1, 2017.
The application forms and instructions can be found on the website www.mjallredscholarship.org.

No Parking

Remember there is to be no parking on the roadway between 1:00 a.m. and 5:00 a.m. of any day, beginning November 1st and ending March 31st. Where no curb and gutter exists, a vehicle must be parked 6 feet off of the asphalt. Any equipment or trailers must also be removed. If you have an area where the asphalt meets the lawn, put a reflector on the edge of your lawn so the snowplow drivers can see where your lawn begins.

2017 Hyde Park City Royalty Pageant

Tuesday March 14, 2017
7:00 p.m. at the Hyde Park City Building

All high school Junior age girls living in Hyde Park are eligible to participate.
Application packets are available at the City office and are due Feb 24th by 5:00 p.m. No late applications will be accepted.

We invite all community residents to come and support these lovely young ladies as a new queen and attendants are chosen. Royalty members from past years are especially invited to attend and be recognized.

Business Licenses

Business licenses expired December 31st .
10% late fee beginning Feb 1, 2017
25% late fee beginning March 1, 2017

If you are running a business in Hyde Park City, you need to obtain a business license at the City office building.

If you have any questions, call Donja at (435) 563-6507 Ext 11

Dog License Renewal

$10.00 for a spayed or neutered dog
$20.00 for an intact dog

Proof of current rabies vaccination is required
If you have more than two dogs, a kennel permit is required.
In order to qualify for a Kennel Permit, you must be living on an acre or more of land and obtain a conditional use permit.

William Hyde Camp

DUP

Please join us at the Daughters of Utah Pioneers meeting
Monday, Feb 20th, at 1:30 pm
Hyde Park Civic Center (upstairs)
2017 Recycling Calendar & Holiday Schedule

**January**
- 1/2/17: New Years Day (observed)
  - Regular Collection, Offices & Landfill Closed
- 1/16/17: Martin Luther King Jr. day
  - Regular Collection, Offices Closed, Landfill Open
- 2/20/17: Presidents Day
  - Regular Collection, Offices Closed, Landfill Open
- 3/13/17: Green Waste Drop Sites OPEN for 2017
- 3/20/17: Curbside Green Can Collection BEGINS
- 5/29/17: Memorial Day
  - No Collection, make-up 5/30, Offices & Landfill Closed
- 7/4/17: Independence Day
  - No Collection, make-up 7/5, Offices & Landfill Closed
- 7/24/17: Pioneer Day
  - No Collection, make-up 7/25, Offices & Landfill Closed
- 9/4/17: Labor Day
  - No Collection, make-up 9/5, Offices & Landfill Closed
- 11/10/17: Veterans Day (observed)
  - Regular Collection, Offices Closed, Landfill Open (landfill closed 11/11)
- 11/17/17: Curbside Green Can Collection ENDS
- 11/20/17: Green Waste Drop Sites CLOSED
- 11/23/17: Thanksgiving Day
  - No Collection, make-up 11/24, Offices & Landfill Closed
- 11/25/17: Day After Thanksgiving
  - Regular Collection, Offices & Landfill Closed
- 12/25/17: Christmas Day
  - No Collection, make-up 12/26, Landfill & Offices Closed
- 1/1/2018: New Years Day 2018
  - No Collection, make-up 1/2, Offices & Landfill Closed

**Week 1 Schedule includes the following areas:** Avon, College Ward, Hyrum* (South of Main Street and the area East of Highway 165), Logan* (South of 400 N), Mendon, Millville, Mt. Sterling, Nibley, Paradise, Petersboro* (Everything North out of Mendon including 000 N, 600 N, Avalon Hills, 6400 W between 600 N and Hwy 30), Providence* (South of Center Street and the South bench), Smithfield* (South of Center Street), Wellsville, & Young Ward.

**Week 2 Schedule includes the following areas:** Algona, Benson, Cache Junction, Clarkston, Cornish, Cove, Hyde Park, Hyrum* (North of Main Street), Lewiston, Logan* (North of 400 N, Terrace Place Rd, Country Manor & Blackhawk areas), Newton, North Logan, Petersboro* (West of 6000 W on Hwy 30, including the High Country Estates area & Autonomous Solutions), Providence* (North of Center Street, North bench, & Foxridge, Richmond, River Heights, Smithfield* (North of Center Street), & Trenton.

For More Information:
www.loganutah.org or 435-716-9755
The soccer program is for boys and girls Pre-K - 6th grade. Co-ed Pre-K for three year olds is the **only** division that will play indoors at the Rec. Center.

**Registration:** January 16- February 19 (or until full, whichever comes first)

**Games Begin:** Second week of April

**Fees:**
- $30 Pre-K
- $35 Kindergarten - 6th grade
- $10 fee for blue/red reversible

**(Blue/red reversible jersey is required. These are different jerseys than have been used in the past in Hyde Park)**

**Divisions:**
- **Co-ed Pre-K (3 yrs old)**
  - Tuesday
  - 5 games
- **Co-ed Pre-K (4-5 yrs old)**
  - Wednesday
  - 6 games
- **Co-ed U6 (Kindergarten)**
  - Saturdays/Wednesdays
  - 8 games
- **Girls U8 (1st/2nd grades)**
  - Saturdays/Wednesdays
  - 8 -10 games
- **Boys U8 (1st/2nd grades)**
  - Saturdays/Wednesdays
  - 8 -10 games
- **Girls U10 (3rd/4th grades)**
  - Saturdays/Thursdays
  - 8 -10 games
- **Boys U10 (3rd/4th grades)**
  - Saturdays/Thursdays
  - 8 -10 games
- **Girls U12 (5th/6th grades)**
  - Saturdays + one weekday
  - 8 -10 games
- **Boys U12 (5th/6th grades)**
  - Saturdays + one weekday
  - 8 -10 games

Register online @ Hydepark.utahlinks.org or in person @ 315 E 600 S in Smithfield. Contact us for more information.

The Smithfield Recreation Department may withhold 25% of any refund due or resulting from any recreation program for administration cost. No refunds will be given after the league roster has been made, or schedule completed. If space is available, registration will be accepted after the deadline. An extra $5 fee will be charged for any registration after the deadline posted for the program or league.