



Hyrum City

Newsletter

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March 27 – April 4

Spring Cleanup
East Park

April 2

City Council Meeting
6:30 p.m.

April 9

Planning Commission
6:30 p.m.

April 11

Easter Egg Hunt
Hyrum City Square
9:00 a.m. sharp

April 16

City Council Meeting
6:30 p.m.



Mayors Message – Hyrum City's pressurized irrigation system provides secondary water to over 2,300 homes and properties within the city. The main goal of the irrigation department is to utilize the existing water supply in the best way possible to conserve water, yet provide the citizens of Hyrum with an adequate supply.

Hyrum City owns water shares in Porcupine Reservoir Company, Hyrum Irrigation Company, Porcupine Highline Canal Company, Hyrum Blacksmith Fork Irrigation Company and miscellaneous other shares.

There have been a number of improvements to the system over the past few years with the addition of the reclaimed water, Little Feeder Pumping Station, Highline Connection, and the pond enlargement.

Work on the pond enlargement has been ongoing through the winter. It has nearly doubled the size of the irrigation pond and will be completed this spring. This project has been paid for with money saved and from impact fees from new developments. New development is required to bring in new water shares that are given to the city to provide adequate water for new growth.

Although we have adequate water, there may be times of drought, requiring all to cut back on usage. Also, because we share waterways with the before mentioned canal companies, there may be times when scheduling and demand could create short term shortages. We need to be good stewards and not be wasteful with the resources that we have.

Hyrum City has a real treasure in the irrigation system. Past leaders have made some great decisions in putting this large and complicated project together. To have the number of water shares that the city has acquired was a huge accomplishment.

Sincerely,
Mayor Stephanie Miller

Spring Clean-Up - Dumpsters will be available for your use at East Park (700 East Main) March 27th – April 4th. Remember please **DO NOT** discard these items in the dumpsters: tires, automotive batteries, motor oil, antifreeze, chemicals, ashes, fireworks, and paint.

Metal recycling bins will be available for any metal (aluminum, steel, etc.). Please remember that refrigerators will be accepted only if Freon is drained.

Junk cars will also be accepted during our spring cleanup. You must provide Hyrum City the title to the vehicle. If you have any questions or need assistance please call the city office at 245-6033.

Easter Egg Hunt – Mark your calendars. All children 12 years and younger are invited to Hyrum City's Annual Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 11th, Hyrum City Square 9:00 a.m. sharp.

4th of July Booth Vendors & Parade Applications – We are looking for booth vendors for our 4th of July Celebration as well as participants for our parade. Applications are available at www.hyrumcity.com.

Water & Electric Meters – Water and electric meters are read monthly. Please make sure that your meter is uncovered and free from grass, dirt, bushes, etc. This allows our meter reader access to your meter to get an accurate reading. Thanks for your help.

Hyrum City 2020 Royalty – With the New Year come new changes. Hyrum City held the Royalty Pageant and crowned the 2020 Royalty. We want to thank our 2019 Royalty for their service to the community last year. They were Anne Marie Larsen, Alli Schroder, Shanalee McBride, Kamille McBride, and Sydney Pace. Thanks girls!

We would like to thank all those who helped make the 2020 Royalty Pageant a beautiful evening for all of those involved. Congratulations to our 2020 Royalty: Katie Killpack, Brianne Staffanson, Queen Alexandria Norton, Bree Torrie, and Abi Heiniger.



Senior Center News – ALL seniors are invited to join us at the Hyrum Senior Center located at 675 East Main, Hyrum. 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.

Mondays – Pool & Quilting.

13 Breakfast & Bingo, 10:30 a.m.
Board Meeting, 1:00 p.m.

27 Breakfast & Bingo, 10:30 a.m.

Tuesdays – Yoga, 9:00 a.m., Games, 12:30 p.m.

21 Tip Class, 11:00 a.m. Please call & sign-up.

Wednesdays – Programs, 12:30 p.m. Pool & Quilting.

1 Whats in Your Bag? (bring a bag full of whatever you want), 12:00 p.m.

- 8 Singing by Colleen Gordin.
- 15 Singing by Craig Mecham.
- 22 Singing by Lezlee Monroe.
- Thursdays – 2 Trip to Malad, 9:30 a.m.
- 9 Mystery Trip, 9:30 a.m.
- Fridays – Yoga 10:00 a.m., Lunch 12:00 p.m., Bingo 12:30 p.m. Pool & Quilting.
- 3 Regular BINGO.
- 10 Easter BINGO.
- 17 White Elephant BINGO.
- 24 Personal BINGO.

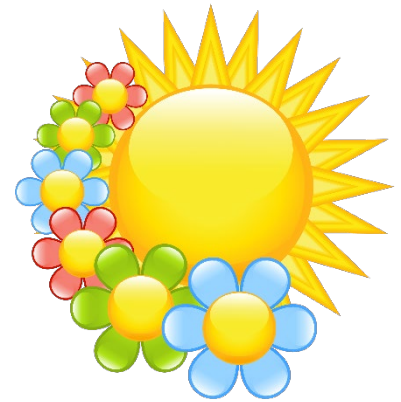
Upcoming Events: 'Pretty in Purple' Mother's Day Social, Lunch, and Program - Wednesday, May 6th 12:00 p.m. Please RSVP, 245-3570.

Library News – Hours Monday - Friday 10:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m., Saturday 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

The library will close at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 13th.

Thanks to everyone who donated food for the Food for Fines Program in February. We were able to \$771.48 worth of fines and donate 952 pounds of food to the Cache Valley Food Pantry.

- Mondays - Musical Monday's 10:30 & 11:00 a.m. for ages 0-3.
April 27th, 4:00 p.m., Lego Club.
- Tuesday - April 21st Terrific Tuesday, 4:30 p.m.
- Wednesdays - Wacky Wednesday's 11:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m. ages 3-5.
- Fridays - April 10th Magic Tree House Adventure Club
Book #25, 'Stage Fright on a Summer Night' 3:30 p.m.
- Movie Days – April 7th, Dolittle, 4:00 p.m.
April 13th, Movies all day based on books.
10:00 a.m. Peter Pan
11:20 a.m. Ramona & Beezus
1:10 p.m. Holes
3:15 p.m. The Princess Diaries
5:15 p.m. Bridge to Terabithia



- Teen Activities - Join us every Friday in the Teen Zone from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. for ages 12-17.
April 1st, Blackout Poetry, 3:00 p.m.
April 17th, Movie: Into the Spider-Verse, 3:00 p.m.
April 24th, Bubble Ball Activity, 3:00 p.m.
April 30th, Last day to turn in movie point cards.

Adult Activities - April 16th Service Book Club, 10:30 a.m. "Rice Socks" to donate to the Cache Valley Humane Society to comfort puppies & kittens. You can help by donating NEW tube socks and bags of rice.

Like us on Facebook, Instagram, and Goodreads @hyrumlibrary. Social media is where you will find up to date information on programs and so much more about the library. Also, visit www.hyrumlibrary.com and sign up for your online library account today.

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 www.shopridleys.com;
- Stop at the customer service desk at Ridley's and request a donation form; or
- Fill out a donation form at the Hyrum Library.

Museum News – Did you know that José Batista Sobrinho opened a small plant in Anápolis, Brazil in 1953, which was capable of processing five head of cattle per day? About that same time, E. A. Miller's and Sons in Hyrum earned meat inspection licensure, which allowed their beef processing business to grow tremendously. Eventually, these two small family businesses from two different continents joined and JBS is now one of the largest meat processors globally with the Hyrum plant alone processing 2,300 head each day. Be sure to visit our newly enhanced exhibit What's Your Beef? to learn more about the reasons E. A. Miller's and Sons found phenomenal success when most other agricultural production businesses in Cache Valley failed and about the effects it has had on our community.

During April the museum is excited to host two great events to commemorate Utah women being the first to vote in our country! First, all children are invited to attend our Back in Time activity First to Vote! on April 21st, 22nd, & 23rd from 1:00 - 1:30 p.m. each day. Children will take part in the museum's first election, make a fun project, and get a treat. Sign-up is preferred, please visit, email, or call the museum.

Second, we are pleased that Karina Andelin Brown, chair of the Cache Celebration for Suffrage, will give an engaging presentation about how local women worked to advance women's rights and the positive impacts women have had on our community at the museum's fourth annual Diversity Night on Saturday, April 25th. Her remarks will begin at 5:30 p.m. with food and activities to follow until 8:00 p.m.

Finally, be sure to mark your calendar for the museum's annual car show fundraiser Hot Wheels and Hot Dogs on Saturday, May 30th from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm on the Hyrum City Square. We will be kicking-off another summer of our Passport to Summer Fun activity for children, have several great vendors, delicious food, and of course the great cars, trucks, and tractors from our community and beyond! Vehicle registration is now open at the museum or at hyrumcitymuseum.org.

Elite Hall Restoration Committee - The USU Swing Club's next dance at Elite Hall will be on Saturday, May 2nd. Enjoy the live music of the Cache Community Big Band as you experience the bounce of its spring-loaded dance floor! The dance starts at 8:00 pm and free instruction is available starting at 7:00 pm. The dance costs \$10 or only \$5 for club members (anyone can join!).

The Family Place - April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month. Join The Family Place on April 8th at 12:00 p.m. in recognizing victims of child abuse and neglect as we work collectively to build resilience in our community. We will be placing a pair of children's shoes on the Cache County Courthouse steps to represent each case of substantiated child abuse or neglect that occurred last year in our community. Go to www.TheFamilyPlaceUtah.org for more information.

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.
A violation of this ordinance is punishable by a fine of \$750.00 per day.

Hyrum City's sewer plant is still operating at maximum capacity. With extremely high snow totals and the ground is 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 in order to prevent sewage back-up into your home and others around you. If you have questions or concerns about your sump pump or a neighbors draining into the City's sewer system please contact the City Offices at 435-245-6033.

