



Newsletter



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April 3

City Council Meeting
6:30 p.m.

April 10

Planning Commission Meeting
6:30 p.m.

April 17

City Council Meeting
6:30 p.m.

April 19

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



April 20

Happy Easter!

*Information included in this newsletter is printed in advance, therefore is subject to change without notice. *



Mayors Message – I was fortunate to move to Hyrum 46 years ago. Things looked a lot different than they look now. The East Park and the area around Ridley's were fields. There were no homes or businesses east of 800 East where Mountain Crest and other homes are now. I loved the mountains that surround my home. The people were so welcoming. I was fortunate to remain in this community after I was married and raise my family here. I've been blessed to meet many good people and have opportunities to serve and make a difference.

Local government exists to make life better. The purposes fall into three general categories: to provide services; to develop and preserve a sense of community; to provide local control. People's identities are tied to where they are from. One role of local officials is to make that place special. Everyone deserves to have a home town.

Creating unity isn't always easy when everyone around us is different. Many things can keep us from coming together. Maybe we feel we are right, or are proud, or angry. There may be misunderstandings. Other barriers include racial and cultural discrimination, language barriers, and fear of accepting those that are different than us. It may require a change in attitude, building on our many commonalities, and learning to appreciate the differences in others. We are better people when we grow together rather than alone.

Sincerely – Mayor Stephanie Miller

Spring Clean-Up – Dumpsters will be available for Hyrum Residents (must have proof of residence) to use at East Park (700 East Main) Thursday, May 1st & Friday, May 2nd from 7:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m. and Saturday, May 3rd from 7:00 a.m. – NOON (sharp!) Remember please DO NOT discard these items in the dumpsters: tires, televisions, automotive batteries, motor oil, antifreeze, chemicals, ashes, fireworks, and paint. Metal recycling bins will also be available for any metal (aluminum, steel, etc.).

Easter Egg Hunt – Mark your calendars! All children 12 years and younger are invited to Hyrum City's Annual Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 19th, Hyrum City Square 9:00 a.m. SHARP!

Teen Easter Egg Hunt – Saturday, April 19th Hyrum City Baseball Fields/East Park (700 East Main) 9:00 p.m. Bring a flashlight! Hosted by the Hyrum City Youth Council.

Youth Tee-Ball, Baseball & Softball Registration – Let the fun begin! Now is the time to sign-up for youth tee-ball, baseball and softball. Registration is open at www.hyrumcity.gov until April 12th. We look forward to having a great 2025 season.

Indoor Walking - The Elite Hall is open for free public walking every Monday-Friday from 7:00-10:00 a.m. All are welcome, but please supervise children and don't bring any food or drinks other than water.

Save The Date – The Hyrum City Christmas Celebration will be held Saturday, December 6th.

We are excited to announce the addition of a new display for this coming celebration. In addition to decorated Christmas trees & gingerbread houses, we are happy to add Christmas quilts. Quilts should have a Christmas, or Christmas season theme and be smaller lap quilts or display quilts to accommodate hanging and display at the Elite Hall.

The public will vote for their favorite quilts; however, Christmas quilt participants do not need to be Hyrum City residents. If you know of quilters, please share this exciting news with them. We look forward to this opportunity to display these amazing talents in our community.

It's not too early to start planning your Christmas tree or gingerbread house for this year's celebration. We will be contacting those who signed up last year to help with this year's celebration in the next couple of months. Watch for entry signup information in future newsletters and on social media platforms. Contact Craig Rasmussen at (435) 232-7265 or by email at craig.rasmussen@hyrumcity.gov with questions.

Tune In To Meetings – Did you know you can tune to 94.9 FM KVVJ and listen to Hyrum City Council Meetings at 6:30 p.m. on the 1st & 3rd Thursdays of the month, and the Planning Commission Meetings at 6:30 p.m. on the 2nd Thursday of each month? This is a great way to stay informed on topics discussed at these meetings if you are unable to attend.

Hyrum Saddle Club – The Hyrum Saddle Club is welcoming new members! Anyone interested in joining and volunteering at the Star-Spangled Rodeo, follow the Hyrum Saddle Club on Facebook and fill out the google form.

Ordinance Highlight – [17.28.073 Use Of Trailers, Campers, And RVs On Residential Lots](#)

1. This ordinance is intended to set some guidelines and conditions for the temporary use of trailers, campers, and recreation vehicles on residential lots. It is recognized that many Hyrum residents use these vehicles on a temporary basis to house family and guests. The ordinance is not intended to unduly restrict that right, but rather to ensure against their long term use as a second dwelling on a residential lot.
2. No permit is required for the first seven days of occupancy. If requested, two (2) consecutive thirty (30) day permits may be issued after an inspection conducted by the city insures that all items in Section E are being adhered to. The permits are available at the City Offices.
3. A permit for houses under construction may be given for a time period not to exceed six (6) months. This permit is only available for property owners who have a lot with a house under construction. The permit is available at the City Offices.
4. Any other permits will require approval of the Planning Commission.
5. The following conditions apply to all uses of trailers, campers, and RVs on residential lots:



1. The vehicle will be located on a lot which either has an existing residential building or on a building lot for which a building permit has been issued.
2. The vehicle may be temporarily hooked up to water, electrical, and sewer of the host residence.
3. The vehicle shall not be located on public property.
4. Only one vehicle shall be inhabited at a time.
5. Successive "guests" shall be considered a continuation of a use if less than a thirty (30) day interval passes between previous guest usage.
6. There shall be no charge for use of the vehicle. It is not to be considered a rental unit.
7. Property owners are responsible to ensure that persons staying in trailers, campers, and RVs on their property shall exercise such comportment as to not disturb the residential nature of the neighborhood. Complaints by neighbors may result in cancellation or non-renewal of a permit.

Senior News – Happy April from the Hyrum Senior Center! Spring is in full bloom, and we have a fantastic month lined up just for you. Our exercise classes continue to keep you active and energized every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 10:00 a.m. Whether you prefer the gentle flow of Chair Yoga, the invigorating pace of SilverSneakers, or the strength-building moves of Strong Bodies, there's a class to suit every interest and ability.

This April, we're excited to offer a variety of field trips that capture the spirit of the season. Join us for a birdwatching adventure, experience live music at a USU concert, and explore many more local outings designed to inspire and connect our community.



Don't forget about our delicious lunches served every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at noon. There's a \$3 suggested donation per meal, and we kindly ask that you RSVP by calling or texting 435-245-3570 by the day before. Whether you're a regular or a first-time visitor, we invite you to come check out the center and see how it's getting better all the time. If you haven't been in for a while, you really don't know what you're missing!

We're open Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. For full details on our activities and field trips, visit our activity calendar at hyrumcity.gov/seniors. Stay connected and follow us on Facebook (facebook.com/HyrumSeniorCenter) for the latest updates, photos, and reminders.

We can't wait to see you this April—come join us and experience all the fun, fitness, and adventure waiting for you at the Hyrum Senior Center!

Museum News - Did you know that the first non-Native Hyrum settlers arrived in this area on April 1, 1860? No joke! It's recorded that, "their eyes gazed on land just beginning to green as it slowly recovered from winter cold and anticipated the warm days sure to come." This month at the museum we will be highlighting two exhibits that teach about Hyrum's founders and the agriculture and industry they engaged in.

First, during our Back in Time children's activity, "Springing Waters" on April 15th, 16th & 17th from 1:00-1:30 p.m. each day, kids can make a splash with a fun art project and learn all about the importance of water to founding a city, agriculture, and industry. All children are welcome, and sign-up is appreciated! Then for our Super Saturday on April 26th, the museum will be open from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and you can learn more about the founding of Hyrum City in 1860 and think about the city's pioneer agriculture and industry through an eggs-cellent art project.

Don't forget that if you are looking for something fun to do over spring break, the museum is open Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. We will also have a fun art activity April 1st - 3rd, no foolin'!

Finally, we are very excited to host our annual car show fundraiser, Hot Wheels in Hyrum, on Saturday, June 7th at the Hyrum City Square from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Be sure to bring your friends and neighbors to a day of great vehicles, delicious food, and awesome prizes! This is a free event to attend and all are welcome!! We still have a few spots left for sponsors, so contact us by Friday, April 11th if you'd like to support the museum's children's programming. Also, we want YOU to bring your awesome car! Vehicle registration is open, so visit the museum or hyrumcitymuseum.org to register.

Library News – Library Hours: Monday-Friday 10 a.m. – 7 p.m. and Saturday 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. The library will be closing at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 7th for a staff meeting. National Library Week is April 6th – 12th "Drawn to the Library" What draws you to the library? Stop in and let us know!

Children's Programs

Story Time (ages 0-5): Mondays 10:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. and Wednesdays 11:00 a.m. & 2:00 p.m. No age groups – pick a time that works best for you. Each story time will feature the same stories. *Please note: due to popularity the story time door will be closed after the opening song or if the room becomes full. In effort to keep distractions to a minimum, no one will be allowed in once the door is closed.*

CAPSA Story Time: Wednesday, April 2nd, 11:00 a.m. Join us for an empowerment story time presented by CAPSA, about standing up for others, a craft & activity will be provided.

Magic Tree House Adventure Club: Friday, April 18th or Friday, April 25th, 3:30 p.m. Sign up is required and will open on March 31st. The book that will be discussed is Magic Tree House #16 "Hour of the Olympics." If you need a copy, just ask at the front desk.

Art Time (ages 5-11): Tuesday, April 8th, 4:00-5:00 p.m. Stop by the library during the hour and make an Easter craft (while supplies last).

Secret Codes (ages 8-11): Tuesday, April 22nd, 4:00 p.m. Learn about secret codes throughout history. Why are they used? Who uses them? How do they work? Can you solve the secret code?

Legos @ The Library (ages 5+): Wednesday, April 2nd & April 16th, 4:00-5:00 p.m. story time room. We supply the Legos, you supply the imagination. We will be closing the door at 4:05 p.m. and ask if you are later than that to plan to come next time.

Teen Programs

Chess & Checkers Club: Friday, April 4th, 4:00-5:00 p.m. Library Meeting Room.

TAC (Teen Advisory Committee) PARTY: Thursday, April 10th, 3:30 p.m. During this PARTY, the TAC Committee will celebrate all the amazing things they did during their time on the committee. Would you like to join TAC? Stop by the library and ask for Deonna.

Teen Book Club: Thursday, April 17th, 3:30-4:30 p.m. Come & discuss your favorite book – snacks will be provided.

Teen Activity: Friday, April 25th, 4:00-7:00 p.m. Activity TBD.

Don't forget to check out the Teen Zone for this month's craft.

Adult Programs

Book Club: Tuesday, April 8th, 11:00 a.m. Join us for a book discussion on "When Crickets Cry."

Write @ Night: Thursday, April 17th, 5:00 p.m. Enjoy a writing workshop and then enjoy free time for writing.

Family Programs

Family Movie & Popcorn: Monday, April 14th, 4:00 p.m. story time room. Movie: 'Dog Man.'. Children under 5 must always be accompanied by a parent.

The Family Place – Please join us on Saturday, May 3rd at The Riverwood's Conference Center to support The Family Place Utah's 20th Annual Blue-Ribbon Benefit Fundraiser as we celebrate Utah's Family Strengthening Month! This will be our biggest auction ever, with over 75 items from your favorite celebrities, athletes, movie stars and historical figures including Taylor Swift, Ariana Grande, Patrick Mahomes, Jordan Love, Matthew McConaughey, John F. Kennedy and much more! Visit www.thefamilyplaceutah.org for more information.

