



Payson City

Community Newsletter

May
2022

CITY OFFICES

439 West Utah Avenue
801-465-5200

HOURS:

Mon.-Thurs. 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m.

After Hours Emergencies:

801-465-5270

LIBRARY

66 South Main

801-465-5220

Hours:

Mon.-Thurs. 10 a.m.- 8 p.m.

Fri-Sat. 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

22 S. Main Street

801-465-2634

GLADSTAN GOLF COURSE

801-465-2549

RECREATION OFFICE

1050 South Main

(NE Corner of

Payson High School)

801-465-6031

Hours:

Mon.-Thurs, 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

PETEETNEET MUSEUM

10 South Peteetneet Blvd
(600 East)

Mon.-Fri. 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

801-465-5265

POLICE

405 West Utah Avenue

Hours:

Mon.-Thurs. 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

Fri. 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

801-465-5240

After Hours Non-Emergency:

801-794-3970

FIRE & RESCUE

801-465-5252

439 West Utah Avenue

Hours:

Mon.-Thurs. 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m.

SENIOR CITIZENS

439 West Utah Avenue

801-465-5215

JUSTICE COURT

439 West Utah Avenue

801-465-5210

Hours:

Mon-Thu 7:30 a.m.-6 p.m.

Fri 8 a.m.-11 a.m.

LANDFILL

6220 W. 10400 S.

(west on Utah Avenue)

8-5 M-F, 8-7 Sat

801-465-5295

WASTEWATER TREATMENT

Plant

1062 N. Main, 801-465-5277

www.paysonutah.org

YARD OF THE MONTH PROGRAM

Payson City is excited to announce the creation of the Yard of the Month award program. This program has been created to show appreciation and to recognize those homeowners who demonstrate an effort in maintaining their property.

The beautification committee will review all of the nominations the last week of each month and present the winner at the first City Council meeting of the following month. Nominations for Yard of the Month can be submitted to the beautification committee at

beautification@payson.org. Winners of the Yard of the Month will receive a \$100 gift card.

Even though this is a drought year, yards can be kept beautiful with proper care and watering. The Central Utah Water Conservancy District's website contains great information on conservation, landscaping, and a weekly watering guide.



Check it out at www.cuwcd.com.

SENIOR CITIZEN NEWS

For the months of May and June, our senior center will not be having lunches provided on Mondays. We will still be open as regular so bring in your own sack lunch and eat with us right at noon.

Also for the months of May and June, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday we will only be serving lunch for the first 25 people that sign up ahead of time. There will not be extra lunches so please do not show up thinking you will be able to have a lunch if somebody cancels.

This will change back to normal the first of July. Thanks for being patient and understanding.

Miss Payson Scholarship Pageant Orientation Meeting

April 20th | 7:00 pm | Peteetneet

Anyone interested in trying out should attend.

Pageant will be held Friday, June 24th at 7:00 pm at Payson High school.

Pressurized Irrigation Fees

The pressurized irrigation system was energized May 2nd. If everyone limits their watering for the next few weeks, the water coming out of the canyon should be sufficient until Strawberry Highline turns water into the canal. Please continue to follow the 3-day a week watering schedule: odd numbered addresses water Monday, Wednesday and Friday and even numbered addresses water Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Watering is not permitted between the hours of 10:00 am and 6:00 pm and no watering on Sundays to allow the system to recharge.

The City Council has approved the following increase in the pressurized irrigation fees to go into effect on April 1, 2022:

The base rate is \$19.00 per month (billed all 12 months)

The water usage rate is calculated on a 3-Tier Rate Structure:

- Tier 1 - 0 to 50,000 gallons of usage billed at \$0.60 per 1,000 gallons
- Tier 2 - 50,001 to 90,000 gallons of usage billed at \$.75 per 1,000 gallons
- Tier 3 - 90,001 gallons and up of usage billed at \$1.00 per 1,000 gallons

With the new rates, your water bill will go up during the irrigation season, but will go down during the non-irrigation months due to the lower base rate. Your yearly PI bill should be about the same if you are conservative and monitor your usage on the Sensus Customer Portal. Go to our website paysonutah.org under the water department for instructions on how to sign in to the customer portal. For information on ways to conserve water visit conservewater.utah.gov.

OPEN BURN REGULATIONS March 30 to May 30

This open burning allows residents to burn clippings, bushes, plants, and prunings from trees incident to property clean-up activities. PLEASE follow all guidelines given when applying for permit. Permits are free and can be obtained at: <http://air.utah.gov/OpenBurning/form/index.php>



National Police Week 2022 May 15th – May 21th

Please take the opportunity to let our Payson City Police Officers know how much they are appreciated in our community!



Payson Recreation Programs

1050 South Main | 801-465-6031

(Northeast Corner of Payson High School)

Register at the Recreation Office or online at
www.paysonutah.org or <https://paysonut.myrec.com/>

Payson City Library



Follow the library for virtual programs and updates on **Facebook (@paysonlibrary)** and **Instagram (@paysoncitylibrary)**

Totally Tweens (ages 9-12) will be on May 13th at 6:30pm. The theme is Origami Yoda! Join us for games, crafts, origami, snacks, and a movie.

Cantos y Cuentos será el 18 miércoles de mayo las 6:30pm. El tema es familia. (Spanish Storytime will be on Wednesday, May 18th at 6:30pm. The theme is family).

Library Night Out (Adults 18+) is on May 20th at 6:30pm. It will be a gardening class!

Book Club (ages 16+) will be on May 24th at 8pm. We will be discussing the book "The Secret Garden" by Frances Hodgson Burnett.

Books & Boys, a book club for boys ages 8+ with a parent/caregiver, will be meeting May 26th at 7pm. We will be discussing the book "A Boy Called Bat" by Elana K. Arnold.

Teen Night (ages 13-18) is on May 27th at 6:30pm. Join us for a Star Wars night with food, games, a movie, crafts, and prizes!

SUMMER READING PROGRAM: Oceans of Possibilities begins May 31st at read.paysonlibrary.org

"Beach Babies" will be on Mondays in June and July at 10:30 at the library. Join us for songs and sensory activities for babies ages 0-2.

"Stories at Songs of the Sea" will be on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays at 10:30am at Memorial Park. All ages can join us for stories, songs, and a craft all 4 weeks in June and the 2nd and 3rd weeks of July.

The **Summer Reading Program Kick-off** will be on Saturday, June 4th from 11am-4pm. Stop by anytime throughout the day for fun activities for the whole family!

Splash & Chalk the Block will be on Monday, July 11th at 6pm outside the library. All ages are welcome!

Two showings of a **Chemistry Magic Show** will be held on August 8th at 6pm and at 7:30pm. Registration will be required. More details to come.

We will also have special Oceans of Possibilities themed programs of our usual monthly programs—Cantos y Cuentos, Family Movie Night, Mother/Daughter Book Club, Books & Boys, Teen Night, and Totally Tweens.

To view all of our upcoming events and access pre-registration links, go to our event calendar at paysonlibrary.org/upcoming-events

We look forward to seeing you at the Library!

In observance of

Memorial Day

Payson City offices will be closed Monday, May 30th.

If your garbage pick up day falls on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday your garbage pickup will be delayed by one day.

Upcoming Events

Pay It Forward 5k/1mile Challenge May 14, 8:30 am

This event will be held at Memorial Park. The cost is \$1. Please register online at Paysoncityrec.com

Memorial Day Program: May 30th, 9:00 am. This will be held at the Payson Cemetery.

Payson Community Theater

The 2022 version of "A Night on Broadway: Come What May" will be June 9 - 11, 2022 at the Peteetneet Amphitheater. Ticket information is available at paysoncommunitytheater.com.

Payson's Rock Festival – Here Comes the Sun:

June 24, 2:30 pm — 9:45 pm

June 25, 9:30 am – 9:45 pm

at Memorial Park | Food Trucks & merchandise vendors (accepting vendors)

Scottish Festival: July 8-9, 9:00 am

at Memorial Park, 300 South Main. The cost varies. For more information go to paysonscottishfestival.org

Salmon Supper Tickets: Salmon Supper tickets go

on sale for Payson City residents ONLY starting May 23rd. Get your tickets before they go on sale to the general public. See our website for more information. www.paysonutah.org/events

Visit the Daughters of the Utah Pioneers Museum

The museum is located in the Payson City Center and is open Thursdays from 10 am-3 pm.

Contact Marilyn Crawford 801-658-5288 to make an appointment outside regular hours.

DID YOU KNOW?

Dumping trash in dumpsters or containers placed on private property is illegal unless the owner permits it. This includes, but not limited to, dumpsters placed next to stores, commercial businesses, construction sites, roll-offs, City property and parks, cans at homes, and other kinds of garbage receptacles on private property.

Utility Payments

Utility Bill payments are due on **May 31st** (the last business day of the month). If you haven't yet paid your past due bill, please take care of it by **May 24th** to avoid shut off and an additional service fee.

Payments made after 5:00 p.m. will be credited on the next business day.

The Mayor and City Council would like to know your comments or concerns. Please email them to comments@payson.org or include them in your utility bill.