



PAYSON CITY NEWSLETTER



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**In Observance of Presidents Day,
Payson City Offices will be closed Monday, February 20th.**

If your garbage pick up day falls on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday your garbage pickup will be delayed by one day. Thursday and Friday pickup will remain the same.

Snow Removal Guide

Payson City Street Department strives to maintain adequate snow removal for driving conditions. The following information will help residents better understand what to expect during the winter months for snow removal. The City has established the following priorities for snow removal based on street classification and usage:

- Priority 1: All Main Arterial and Collector Streets
- Priority 2: Arterial and Collector Roads Leading to or from School Zones.
- Priority 3: Secondary and Residential Streets.
- Priority 4: Cul-de-sacs, Roads with No Outlets.

State Roads within Payson City Limits Maintained by UDOT

- SR 198 (100 N & 100 W to City Boundary)
- 800 S from SR 198 to I-15
- Main Street from 100 N to I-15



Home Energy Assistance Target Program (HEAT)

The Utah Home Energy Assistance Target (HEAT) program helps low-income households targeting those who are truly vulnerable the lowest-income households, disabled elderly, and families with preschool-age children. For an appointment call 801-229-3855.

Planning Commission Positions

Beginning March 1, 2023, Payson City will be accepting applications for those interested in serving on the Planning Commission. To qualify for this volunteer position, the City Council is seeking residents of Payson City who are 18 years of age or older that have and interest in guiding the future growth of the community. There are two 4-year positions and one 3-year positions available for reappointment of current commissioners or appointment of new commissioners.

An application may be obtained from the following locations:

- The Development Services Department or the customer service desk at the Payson City Center.
- Online at: www.paysonutah.org » City Services » Planning and Zoning » Planning Commission.

All applications must be submitted to the Payson City Recorder no later than 5:00 PM on Wednesday, March 15, 2023.



**JUNE 3RD
ADVENTURE DAYS**

Payson Recreation Programs

Payson Recreation has some fun programs for everyone in your family. Registration is now open for many of our spring sports.



*COED Volleyball

SPRING COED
Soccer



Improve your skills and fitness in a fun and supportive environment

*Track & Field

YOUTH
**BASEBALL
SOFTBALL**

Visit paysoncityrec.com to sign up and secure your child's spot or visit us in the office at:
1050 S Main Street
(green door on north-east entrance of the high school)

PAYSON CITY ADAPTIVE
SOCCER
LEAGUE

REGISTER AT paysonut.myrecc.com
\$20

MAR 20 TO APR 20

Organized and run by
Miss Payson, Madi Hill, and Royalty

AGES 8-18
PLEASE BRING A PARENT/GUARDIAN
VOLUNTEERS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO ASSIST PARTICIPANTS

Utah Valley Job Fair

The Utah Valley Job Fair is FREE for job seekers and will be held in person Tuesday, March 21, 2023 from 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM at the Utah Valley Convention Center- 220 W Center St. Provo, UT. The job seeker will be able to create invaluable relationships with HR personnel and explore career opportunities with some of the biggest and best paying companies along with many others. For more information and for your chance to win prizes and giveaways, check us out at www.utahvalleyjobfair.com or on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/events/507311294087768?ref=newsfeed>

JOIN MISS PAYSON
Madi Hill
FOR A
ROYAL PARTY

Wear your fanciest princess dress and come ready for a magical day filled with princess activities.

nail painting * crown making * games & special princess appearances * light lunch will be served

All princesses must be accompanied by an adult

SAT, MARCH 4 12 PM - 2PM
AT PETEETENEET IN PAYSON

TICKETS ARE \$20/PRINCESS AND CAN BE PURCHASED AT Forge Me Not Floral in Payson, or Venmo @madi-hill7 with your princesses name and age.

Questions? Text Dixie Hill 801-995-1717

Volunteers Needed

- Volunteers do not necessarily have the time; they just have the heart.
- Volunteering benefits the community and the volunteer.
- Volunteering really does make us happier.



The Peteetneet Museum is looking for volunteers, only 3 hours a week. Do you need to be knowledgeable about the museum? NO Will you make new friendships? YES Please call and give it a try!
Days needed: Monday-Friday
Hours needed: 10am-1pm or 1pm-4pm
If Interested call: Cara at 801-465-5265

Book Club

February's Book Club will be held on Tuesday, February 28th @ 8:00 PM. The book being discussed is, "The Dark Horse," by Jack Chatelain & Scott T.E. Jackson



When's the last time you explored joining the Chamber of Commerce?

You could be receiving local support, resources, connections, exposure, credibility, and more. Network and learn at the Breakfast Club every 2nd Tuesday morning. See website for details. Reach out today for more information.

www.PaysonSantaquinArea.com or
Director@PaysonSantaquinArea.com



PAYSON FIRE & RESCUE 2023 CPR and First Aid Classes

Thursday, February 23rd
Thursday, May 11th
Thursday, August 10th
Thursday, November 9th

Classes will be held at the Payson Fire Station @ 7:00 pm

The cost is \$10.00 per person

Class is limited to 15 participants, first come first serve.

You must sign up in advance at;

Payson City Offices, 439 West Utah Avenue

Monday - Thursday 7:30 AM to 6:00 PM.

Please contact our office with any questions 801-465-5252

Community Emergency Preparedness Class

Will be held in conjunction with Be Ready Utah, at the Fire Station 45 E 100 S @7pm. The topic is: The 12 Areas of Emphasis of Be Ready!



Utah Public Notice Website

Did you know that you can sign up to receive notices/postings for city council and planning commission meetings on the Utah Public Notice Website? Postings include the agenda, packet information, audio, and minutes. To sign up, go to the Utah Public Notice Website at www.utah.gov/pmn/index/html click "Help" on the right, scroll down to "How do I subscribe to a Body" and follow the instructions. If you have any questions, contact the Payson City Recorder at 801-465-5205.

UTA FRONT RUNNER

Communities in south Utah County are planning for a more robust transit system. This includes three new FrontRunner stations: one in Springville, one in Spanish Fork, and one in Payson, with a bus line going from Payson to Santaquin.

Stay connected on the progress of the Payson Station Area Plan by visiting the project website at www.paysonstationareaplan.com.

Forebay Committee Positions

Payson City is accepting applications for those interested in serving on the Payson Forebay Committee. There are three committee positions available for reappointment of current members or appointment of new members. For more information, please visit www.paysonutah.org » Local Government » Board and Committees » Payson Forebay Committee. Applications must be submitted to the Payson City Recorder no later than 5:00 PM on February 22, 2023.



Payson Community Theater

After two successful productions in 2022, Payson Community Theater is expanding its season in 2023 by offering a comedy to offset the winter blues. The show is the 1937 Pulitzer Prize winning "You Can't Take It with You", by George Kaufman and Moss Hart. It will be presented at the Payson High School Auditorium opening on March 3, 2023 and running through March 11, 2023. Further information is available at:

paysoncommunitytheater.com

**Utility Bill Payments are due on
February 28th
(The last business day of the month).
If you haven't yet paid your past due
bill, please take care of it
by February 22nd to avoid shut off
and an additional service fee.
Payments made after 5:00pm
will be credited on the
next business day.**

MAYOR'S MESSAGE

January has come and gone. It doesn't seem possible that we are well into February. Before we know it, we will be into March.

As all of you know, we have been in a drought for many years.

This winter, however, is changing that pattern. We haven't had a winter like this for many years. People are comparing it to the winter of 1982-83.

Although we are thankful for the moisture, hopefully, we won't experience flooding as we had during the Spring of 1983.

We are hovering around 200 percent of normal and are hoping for a spring season that includes a gradual warming trend. But if it warms up too fast, we must and will be prepared.

We plan to do an extensive cleaning of Dry Creek, which handles most of the runoff from Payson Canyon. We will also clean Peteetneet Creek to handle runoff water as efficiently as possible.

As in the past, we will work closely with Strawberry Water and Utah County to keep the creek running out of Payson Canyon clear of obstruction, including the log catch pond area just North of the Payson Canyon Park (Beer Can Flats.)

We will also work with the Highline Canal, exploring the possible use of the canal system, if necessary, to temporarily reduce water flow down Dry Creek and Peteetneet Creek.

As we plan these preventive measures, we will need your help to clean Dry Creek and other potential water choke point areas in our city. We will also need your help filling sandbags to stockpile just in case they are needed.

As we monitor the runoff potential, we will keep you informed and schedule the necessary activities to be prepared well in advance.

There is no need to be alarmed. The steps I have outlined are precautionary but are necessary to preplan our response. If mother nature decides not to cooperate with our wish for a gradually warming spring, we will be ready!

I am confident our citizens of Payson will respond when we call for volunteers to help with these preventive measures.

I have seen you in action many times as a police officer and recently as Mayor of Payson City. We have a great community that I am proud of, and it is an honor to be your Mayor!

