



Payson City

February
2012

Community Newsletter

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.-7:45 p.m.

Fri-Sat. 11 a.m.-4:45 p.m.

Story Time:

Tues. & Wed.—10:30 a.m.

Chamber of Commerce

20 South Main
(801) 465-2634

www.paysoncitychamber.com

Gladstan Golf Course

(801) 465-2549

Recreation Office

1050 South Main
(Northeast 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) 851-4100

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 9 a.m.-11 a.m.

Landfill

6220 W. 10400 S.
(west on Utah Avenue)
(801) 465-5295

Hours: Mon-Sat.. 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

www.paysonutah.org

- Notices -

Immunizations: *By appointment only. Call 801-851-7025.*

HEAT Program: Individuals who qualify can get assistance with heating and electrical bills. For an appointment call 855-686-5263.

Book Club: "Till We Have Faces" by C.S. Lewis; Tuesday, February 28th at 8:00 p.m. at the Payson City Library. *Public welcome.*

Scout Troops Planning to Attend City Council Meeting please call Pam Knight at 801-465-5209 in advance of the meeting.

Paperless Billing: Go Green! Go Paperless! Sign up with Payson City to have your monthly statement emailed to you. Please call 801-465-5200, press 0 and let us help you set it up. You will need an email address! Let's do our part to help the environment!

Payson Chamber of Commerce: *Business of the Month* - Morganson Custom Frame & Sew Forth. Find more information at paysoncitychamber.com or contact: John Salimbene, 801-400-6473, johnsalimbenejr@yahoo.com, Norene Jensen, 801-636-1040, norene.invests@yahoo.com or Carolyn Bowman, 801-465-2634, paysonchamber@yahoo.com.

Landfill Punch Cards: Landfill Punch Cards are now available **at the landfill** (*not the City Offices*). In order to pick up your punch card, you must present your utility bill and driver's license to the landfill operator. Every Payson resident who pays for garbage collection is entitled to a (3) punch card. Dead animals, chemical wastes, & appliances will not be accepted. Questions? Call 465-5295.

Dog Licenses: Dog licenses may be purchased at the City Offices or from local veterinarians. *You will need proof of rabies vaccination.* Cost \$20 for male or female; \$10 for neutered/spayed.



Snow Removal: In order for the snow plows to clear the roads, no parking is allowed on city streets between 10:30 p.m. and 7:00 a.m. through March 1st.

Relay for Life: Preparations are beginning for the American Cancer Society Relay for Life that will be held July 29th & 30th. For information about how you can be involved contact Kelly Mitchell (801-735-8283, 801-465-2828, teamdevelopment@neborelayforlife.org) or Lorene Moore (801-754-3866, 801-420-0502, eventchair@neborelayforlife.org)

Communities That Care: Communities That Care is having a town hall meeting on March 22 from 7:00 p.m.—8:30 p.m. at Payson High School auditorium. Presentations from Parents Empowered and Preventions Dimensions will address underage drinking. Everyone is invited to attend. Our Take Back Event is scheduled for April 7th from 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m. at Payson Market. Plan to bring unused prescription medication for safe disposal.

Utah County Senior Companion Program: Seniors (age 55+) are needed to serve other seniors in the community. Volunteers receive a small stipend, reimbursement for mileage, a free physical annually and paid training once a month. Volunteers must be income eligible, be will to serve 15+ hours per week and have the desire to help others. Call the Senior Companion Program at 801-851-7767 for an application or visit www.utahcountyhealth.org/seniorcompanion.

Emergency Preparedness Pamphlet: Watch for the Payson City Emergency Preparedness pamphlet that will be available in March.

Mayor's Literacy Council

Volunteers are needed to serve on the Mayor's Literacy Council. If you are interested in serving the community by working toward the goal of ensuring that every child in Payson receives the gift of literacy, please call Steve Southwick at 801-822-1705 for more information about this worthwhile opportunity.





Registration begins Feb 27th for:
 Youth Baseball & Softball
 Youth Fishing Program

Payson Recreation

1050 South Main
 (Northeast Corner of Payson High School)
 801-465-6031

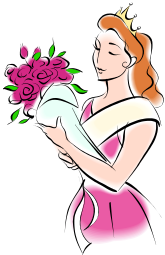
Register at the Recreation Office or online at
www.paysonutah.org or www.activityreg.com



Indoor Futsal
 Dance, Tumbling & Jazz
 Adult Coed Volleyball

Now Accepting Applications for Planning Commissioners

Payson City is now accepting applications for those interested in serving on the Planning Commission. The City Council is seeking residents of Payson City over the age of 18 who have an interest in guiding the future growth of the community. Two (2) positions are available for reappointment of an existing Commissioner or appointment of new Commissioners. Each Planning Commissioner serves a four (4) year term and Commissioners may re-apply for additional terms. An application may be obtained from the Planning and Zoning Department. All applications must be submitted to the Payson City Recorder no later than 6:00 p.m. on March 15, 2012. This is a great opportunity to get involved in the community and assist the City Council in achieving the land use goals of Payson City.



The Miss Payson Scholarship Pageant

will be held on April 21, 2012 at Payson High School. Young women ages 17-23 are encouraged to participate. Participants must be Payson residents or spend 30 hours per week either working or attending school in Payson. This is a great opportunity to earn scholarship funds and to serve your community. Applications will be accepted through March 10, 2012. Contact Renee Crouch at 801-380-7391 to obtain an application and for information regarding requirements for competing. Preparatory workshops will be held twice per month beginning mid-February.

All girls of Payson are invited to attend the Princess Academy

with Miss Payson, her royalty, and princesses on Saturday, March 10, 2012 at the Payson City Center. All girls will be crowned with a tiara and are encouraged to wear their finest gowns and slippers. Come ready to learn how to be strong inside and out! Enjoy a limo ride, mini manicure, visit with the Fairy Godmother, light refreshments and entertainment. Tickets are \$8 per person and may be purchased at Trading Talents (100 S. Main). Get tickets early as seating is limited. Princesses under 8 years of age must be accompanied by an adult. Each person attending, including adults, need to purchase a ticket.



Winter Driving Tips

Plan Ahead: Give yourself plenty of time to reach your destination. Check traffic conditions before heading out, by visiting CommuterLink and Know Where Know Why on UDOT's home page, www.udot.utah.gov.

See and Be Seen: Take the time to clear ice and snow from your vehicle's windows, lights, and signals.

Slow Down and Use Caution: When accelerating, merging, and traveling in winter conditions, slow down to avoid sliding. The faster you go, the longer it will take you to stop, so leave plenty of space between you and the vehicle in front of you. Use extra caution when driving on off-ramps, bridges, and roadways near water; these areas are the most vulnerable to black ice.

Know Your Brakes: Never slam on the brakes; doing so can cause your vehicle to slide. If you have anti-lock brakes, press the pedal down firmly and hold it. Otherwise, gently pump the pedal. Remember to brake early and slowly, and give yourself plenty of room to stop.

Give Snowplows Room to Work: When following behind a snowplow, leave at least 300 feet of space between your vehicle and the plow; be patient and don't try to pass the plow. For your safety, never drive through the cloud of snow that a plow throws.

For more winter driving tips and the latest information about construction activities on I-15 CORE, visit udot.utah.gov/i15core.

Utility Bill payments are due on **February 29th** (bills are always due the last business day of the month). If you haven't yet paid your past due bill, please take care of it by Wednesday **February 23rd** to avoid shut off and an additional service fee. Payments made by 6 pm will be credited on the current business day.

Mayor Rick Moore and the members of the City Council - JoLynn Ford, Kim Hancock, Mike Hardy, Scott Phillips, and Larry Skinner, would like to know your comments or concerns. Please use the space below to write to them and include it with your utility payment.

Name: _____ Address: _____ Phone: _____