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## Mayor's Message

It is hard to believe another summer is over. It was an eventful one. But the highlight for most of us was the July 24<sup>th</sup> Celebration. Many city employees and literally hundreds of volunteers worked long hours to make it happen, and it was one of the best events the city has ever seen. Particular thanks though, should go to the following:

- Robert Sabin, who volunteered to organize, produce and conduct the evening patriotic program.
- The musicians, narrators, choir, and technical people who performed so well that evening.
- Doctors Brian and Chris Trapnell, who again donated and produced the spectacular fireworks program.
- Mapleton's Public Safety Departments, including Police, Fire and Ambulance personnel who worked very long hours, many of them in heavy uniforms.
- Public safety personnel from surrounding towns who so cheerfully assisted, particularly during the parade.
- Many Mapleton City Employees, particularly from the Parks, Recreation, and Public Works Departments, who all went the extra mile in preparation and clean up.

We also appreciate the hundreds of volunteers from the Mapleton North Stake who provided the morning activities. Those of you who have participated over the years understand the morning events are no small feat to organize, conduct, and clean up after. We are grateful for all the hours of preparation. Planning and labor devoted to stage those events.

We appreciate all of you who took part in the various activities, particularly the parade, both participants and spectators. It was so much fun to see so many of you that turned out. If you had occasion to watch the wagons, trucks, floats, tank, and especially the kids unloading at the Elementary School, you'll agree the looks on their faces made it all worth while.

The addition of an evening program has been one of the best things the city has done in recent years, and this year's program was enjoyed by a record number of you. The park was packed with people, the show was terrific, the fireworks breathtaking. What a perfect way to end a wonderful day! I hope you're all looking forward to next year.

Now it's back to school, fall sports programs, leaves changing colors, and the wrapping up of an all too short summer.

As we settle back into the routine of a new school year and all the excitement that it brings, I'd like to ask each of you to help us with a special project, if you get the opportunity. We still have city residents serving in the military far from home. We want to recognize the sacrifice and service of each of these individuals as they return home to their families, but some of them manage to slip in under the radar and we regret losing the opportunity to publicly thank them. If you become aware of a soldier ending their tour of duty in Iraq or Afghanistan, please contact the City Offices to alert us to that event (call 489-5655 or send an email to either [mayor@mapleton.org](mailto:mayor@mapleton.org) or [rbradshaw@mapleton.org](mailto:rbradshaw@mapleton.org)). We appreciate these men and women so very much, and want to have an opportunity to express our thanks to them. We can not do that without help. We look forward to hearing from any of you that can help us properly recognize these individuals.

# City Newsletter

September 2008 Edition

## Garbage Collection Service

The City's experimental system for single street side garbage collection for homes on the east side of Main Street, between 1600 South and 1200 North, proved to be more successful than anticipated in terms of fuel and labor savings. It is estimated that the savings achieved, if extended city wide, would be enough to off-set an impending additional charge for collection resulting from the huge fuel price increases over the past year.

The City Council has agreed with the Garbage Contractor, Allied Waste, that effective September 8<sup>th</sup>, the single street side collection system should be expanded to all homes in Mapleton. The change should not alter the regular day for collection. In order to achieve a smooth transition, the contractor's employees will be leaving a notice on your garbage can each collection day to advise you of how the arrangements will apply to your street and house. In the interest of safety the existing arrangements for garbage collection will not change along busy streets such as Highway 89, Maple Street, Main Street, 1600 North and 1600 South.

Should you have any concerns please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Eric Bergin, Allied Waste Operations Manager, at (801) 785-5934. The revised collection arrangements will begin the first part of September 2008. The City Council appreciates your cooperation in making this cost saving project work efficiently.

## City Calendar

Sept 1		City Offices Closed – Labor Day
Sept 3	7:00pm	City Council Meeting
Sept 8	9:00am	Trails Sub-Committee Meeting
Sept 11	11:30am	Senior Citizen Potluck Luncheon
Sept 11	6:30pm	Planning Commission Meeting
Sept 17	7:00pm	City Council Meeting
Sept 18	6:00pm	Transportation Committee Meeting
Sept 25	6:30pm	Planning Commission Meeting

Museum Tours are available by appointment. If interested please call 489-6714 or 491-6676.

Calendared City Meetings are held at the Community Center Building, 125 West Community Center Way (400 North). City Council Meetings are held the first and third Wednesday of each month. For more information about City Meetings call 489-5655. **Agendas, Minutes, and Public Notices for all Meetings are available on the City's website at [www.mapleton.org](http://www.mapleton.org).**

## Recreation

On-line registration for most programs is available at [mapleton.org/parksandrecreation.html](http://mapleton.org/parksandrecreation.html). For questions concerning our recreation programs please call our office at (801) 806-9114, located in the Mapleton Community Center at 125 West 400 North, Mapleton. Recreation Office hours: Monday-Thursday, 9am - 1pm. On-line registration for most programs is available on our website at [mapleton.org/parksandrecreation.html](http://mapleton.org/parksandrecreation.html).

### VIP Adaptive Soccer 2008 - It's a Kick!

(For any special needs children, Kindergarten thru High School) Join us for our 4<sup>th</sup> year of adaptive soccer. Games are played on smaller fields with buddies and everybody has a great time! Games will begin in September. The cost is \$15, which includes a soccer uniform (shirt & socks). For more information or to register, contact Keri Beardall at 489-4904 or send registration forms to 1822 South 300 East, Springville, UT 84663 or register online at or at the Mapleton Recreation Office.

### Creative Dance, Ages 5 - 9 yrs.

Ballet technique will be taught in a more creative setting allowing participants to develop their own creativity in dance. This class will be at the Mapleton Community Center on Wednesdays (Ages 5-7 yrs: 3:45 - 4:45 pm and ages 7-9 yrs: 4:45 - 5:45 pm), beginning September 17 through the spring, with a recital in the spring. Instructor, Lisa Rivera is currently a BYU dance instructor, and has performed with BYU dance companies nationally and internationally. Each class is limited to 12 students. Fee: \$25 per month (September will be \$20).

### What's for Dinner?

Learn how to cook more interesting dinners! This will be a tailored-for-you, hands-on cooking class, and you get to eat what you cook! At the first class you will learn better basic cooking techniques and discuss what you would like to cook. Chef Sharon Warner is a certified chef who went to cooking school in New York City and worked as a chef. She currently caters parties and special events. This 6-week class will meet at the Mapleton Community Center (125 W 400 N) on Tuesdays (Sept. 16 - Oct. 21), 6:00 - 8:00 pm. This is a great deal at \$75, which includes cost of ingredients. Just bring your favorite knife! Class size is limited to 8 students.

### Mapleton Children's Choir

Come and Sing! The Mapleton Children's Choir is now enrolling! Children learn why music is an art, and have fun discovering that they are in fact the instrument that makes music beautiful. Spots will be filled on a first come first serve basis. Choir Director, Heidi Bezzant studied music at Brigham Young University, and has directed the Timpanogos Children's Choir in London. She also enjoys playing the violin and maintains a select private studio in her home as well as works professionally as a recording artist and performer. The Choir will meet September through May and will prepare for a Christmas and a spring concert. Register on-line or at the Recreation Office. For more information, please call Heidi at 318-0884. Young singers, ages 4-7 - Thursday's 4-4:30 p.m. Fee: \$25 per month. Mapleton Children's Choir, ages 7-12 - Thursdays 4:30-5:30 p.m. Fee \$40 (Sibling discount rate \$25) per month.

### Gymnastics & Tumbling, Ages 18 mos. - 6 yrs.

Beginning gymnastic classes will be taught by Deana Hotchkiss. Deana has been teaching gymnastics and tumbling classes for 20 years. Classes will be held at the Mapleton Community Center (125 W 400 N). 10 classes will be offered-September 16<sup>th</sup> or 17<sup>th</sup> thru November 18<sup>th</sup> or 19<sup>th</sup>. This is a great introduction to gymnastics or just a great opportunity to stretch, tumble, learn balance, and have fun! Classes are limited-so hurry in to register. Register on-line or at the Recreation Office. Fee is \$40.00

#### **TUESDAY**

- Parent & Tot Gymnastics & Tumbling Class (18 months - 3 years old) 9:00 - 9:45 AM (Parents are required to come play with their child!)
- Little Guys & Gals Gymnastics & Tumbling Class (Ages 3 - 6) 9:45 - 10:30 AM **OR** 10:30 - 11:15 AM

#### **WEDNESDAY**

- Little Guys & Gals Gymnastics & Tumbling Class (Ages 3 - 6) 9:45 - 10:30 AM **OR** 10:30 - 11:15 AM
- Parent & Tot Gymnastics & Tumbling Class (18 months - 3 years old) 11:15 AM - 12:00 PM (Parents are required to come play with their child!)
- **\*\*NEW\*\*** Kindergarten Gymnastics & Tumbling Class 12:00 - 12:45 PM

### Art Class, Grades 1<sup>st</sup> thru 6<sup>th</sup>

The Art Express rides again! Begin learning basic drawing fundamentals and experiment with different mediums. We will work on a variety of projects. Classes are limited to 36 students, and will be held October - December. Times and days of the week to be determined later. Classes will be taught by Cynthia Stonehocker. Register on-line or at the Recreation Office. Fee is \$50.00.

## Recreation Continued

### Girl's Volleyball Registration - 2008, Grades 7<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>

Registration will be held Thursday, September 11<sup>th</sup>, 5:00 pm to 6:00 pm at the Mapleton Jr. High School Gym (located at 362 E 1200 N, Mapleton). Late registration will be accepted on-line or at the Recreation Office. **League play will begin in October on Tuesdays and/or Thursdays.** Fee is \$35.00 per participant.

Sign up as a team. Minimum of 6 players. Each team must have an adult coach. If you do not have a team, you may register individually and will be placed on a team. Coach Linda Lewis is the coordinator of the Girls Volleyball Program.

### Junior Wrestling, pre-K - 9<sup>th</sup> Grade

Wrestling is a fantastic sport that demands the best from the heart, mind and body. Registration will be held at the Springville High School Cafeteria on Tuesday, October 7<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, October 9<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 - 9:00 pm each night. Participant must be present for weigh-in. The registration fee for children ages 4 thru 5<sup>th</sup> grade is \$50. 6<sup>th</sup> thru 9<sup>th</sup> grades fee is \$75. Watch for more information distributed through your school! Contact Craig LaMont at 489-8767, 380-8828, or at [craig@telosrtc.com](mailto:craig@telosrtc.com) <<mailto:craig@telosrtc.com>> for more information

### Girl's Basketball Registration - 2008, Grades 1<sup>st</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>

Registration will be held on Wednesday, September 24<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 - 7:00 pm at the Mapleton Community Center. **Games will be played November thru December.** Late registration will be accepted on-line or at the Recreation Office.

#### **Girls' Leagues & Registration Fees:**

Registration fee includes league play, a reversible jersey, membership in YBA (Youth Basketball Association), and an opportunity to participate in the Division Shoot-out.

1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade (Instructional/Skills)	\$30.00
3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> grade	\$35.00
5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> grades	\$35.00
7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> grades	\$35.00

A \$10 late registration fee will be added after September 30<sup>th</sup>.

### Boy's Basketball Registration - 2008, Grades 1<sup>st</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>

Boys Basketball registration will be held on Tuesday, November 18<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 - 8:00 pm at the Mapleton Community Center. **Games will begin in January 2009.** Late registration will be accepted on-line or at the Recreation Office.

#### **Boys' Leagues & Registration Fees:**

Registration fee includes league play, a reversible jersey, membership in YBA (Youth Basketball Association), and an opportunity to participate in the Division Shoot-out.

1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade (Instructional/Skills)	\$30.00
3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> grade	\$35.00
5 <sup>th</sup> & 6 <sup>th</sup> grades	\$35.00
7 <sup>th</sup> & 8 <sup>th</sup> grades	\$35.00

A \$10 late registration fee will be added after December 3<sup>rd</sup>.



### Turbo Kick Box (TKB)

This class provides the flavor of a kickboxing workout with the safety factor that relates to the general public. It is a floor routine without bag work. The class will be taught by Valerie Littleton, a certified TKB instructor who has been teaching fitness classes for over 20 years. The classes will be Wed. and Fri., 6:00 am at the Community Center (125 W 400 N). Register on-line, at the Recreation Office, or at class. Fee is \$20.00 per month. (May be combined with Yoga for a multiple-class discount. Please call 806-9114 for details.)

### Yoga

Enjoy the benefits of yoga: increased strength, flexibility and muscle tone; mental focus; endurance; and reduced stress. Modified Ashtanga Yoga combined with Power Yoga classes will be taught by Valerie Littleton or Adabelle Carson, Yoga Alliance certified instructors. The classes will be Mon. and Wed., 8:30 pm OR Tue., and Thur., 6:00 am at the Community Center (125 W 400 N). Register on-line, at the Recreation Office, or at class. Fee is \$20.00 per month. (May be combined with Turbo Kick Box for a multiple-class discount. Please call 806-9114 for details.)

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# Ambulance

## House Numbers

Mapleton Ambulance would like to remind all home owners to make sure their house address is clearly visible – day and night. It is extremely frustrating to everyone involved when Police, Fire and Ambulance cannot find the correct address. Please help us serve you better by making sure your address is large enough to read from the street and illuminated at dark. If possible, please turn on your porch light at night to help emergency personnel find your home. In Mapleton, our Police Officers respond to medical emergencies. Because they are usually already out and about they may arrive first to your home. We appreciate the support from our Police Department

## Recycling in Mapleton

### Curbside Recycling

- Merrell Recycling, (801) 491-2257.
- \$5 per month for paper pick up.
  - (All paper collected is donated to local schools or fire department.)
- \$5 per month for plastics and metals pick up.
- \$10 per month for full service of paper, plastics, and metals.

### Paper, Cardboard, etc.

There are paper recycling bins located at:

- Mapleton Elementary, in the west parking lot.
- Hobble Creek Elementary, in the northeast corner by the school.
- Mapleton Junior High, in the north parking lot.
- Fire Department, out front.

Paper that is recyclable:

Newspaper, junk mail, office paper, school papers, magazines, product packaging, cereal boxes, cardboard, etc.

All paper must be clean and dry.

Note: Schools and volunteer fire department are paid for the recyclables. Let's support our schools and community.

### Aluminum and Other Metals

Western Metals (801) 373-4224, 685 S. Freedom Blvd, Provo

MCR Recycling (801) 225-0001, 550 N. Geneva Road, Orem

### Plastic Grocery Bags

Wal-Mart (801) 489-6293, 660 S 1750 W, Springville

### Yard Waste

South Utah Valley Solid Waste District (801) 489-3027



# Senior Citizens

While it is way too early to be getting winter blahs, it's not too early to be planning some uplifting fall day trips. Springville Senior Center has three trips planned between August and October. A mystery trip was held at the end of August. On Saturday, September 27<sup>th</sup> a "Leaf trip" to Strawberry is being offered. The trip costs \$15.00 which includes lunch. On Saturday October 18<sup>th</sup> a trip to Gardner Village is scheduled. This trip includes dinner and a play. The cost is \$41.00. Now is the time to renew membership at the Springville community. The cost for the year is \$10.00.

## Painting

In the spirit of thinking ahead, the painting class now has a name. Henceforth it will be called "Maple Mountain Art Guild". The painting class will continue on Monday afternoons through September (Tuesday afternoon if Monday is a holiday) from 12.30 pm – 3.30 pm. If you have ideas or skills which could be incorporated into the art guild, please call Lori Beckstrand at 489 9414.

## Computer

The computer room is available for use **by seniors** any time the exercise room is open. However a password is needed to use the computers. Sallie Korman is usually in the computer room on Monday, Wednesday and Friday between 9.00 am and 11.00 am to assist you with this. Her hours may change slightly through September, but any changes will be posted on the exercise room door.

Group classes are being planned for fall and winter. If you have suggestions for a class topic, contact Sallie at 489 8593 or Diana at 489 0106.

## Exercise Room

We would like to say a big thank you to Bill Fawson who has given hours of his time and expertise to build furniture items for the exercise room, which make life easier for everyone who uses the room – for example the coat rack, the suggestion box and volunteer rack. Thank you, Bill.

There may be some changes to the hours of the exercise room through September as we seek out new volunteers and accommodate the needs of current volunteers. Such changes will be posted on the exercise room door or window. **Children** are not allowed in the exercise room. If you could be a volunteer in the exercise room, contact Peggy Burt at 489 4363

## Pot Luck Social

The pot luck social will be on Thursday, September 11<sup>th</sup>. Before the lunch there will be a clinic (10.30 – 11.30 am) by a local pharmacist on common medications and the dangers of poly pharmacy.

## Tai Chi

Drs John and Janet Garret will continue the Tai Chi classes each Wednesday from 8.30 am – 9.30 am throughout September.

We appreciate all the volunteers who give so generously of their time, and without whom the senior program would not function.

## Public Works

The Public Works has a direct phone line available at **801-489-6253** to better serve the needs of our residents. The administrative assistant will be able to contact public works in case of emergencies during the day or take a message to be contacted about a need or concern. Our hours are **7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.** Monday through Friday.

Mapleton Public Works is dispatched for after hour emergencies (water leaking in the street or between the water meter and the street, a sewer problem when connected to the city sewer system, damaged stop sign, severe street flooding during or after a heavy rain of snow melt, sudden settlement or hole in the asphalt roadway), through Utah County dispatch. **Please call 801-851-4100 after 4:00 p.m. until 7:00 a.m. on week days and any time on weekends.** Please state to dispatch name, address, phone number and what type of emergency, as this is relayed to the person on call. **Call 911 for any police, fire or ambulance emergency.** The public works has at least one person on call for after hour emergencies during week days and at least two people anytime on weekends to cover the needs of the residents. They will assess the problem and if necessary, repair the problem immediately.

### Water Conservation Information

There are several good online sources for water conservation ideas, landscaping, weekly lawn watering guides, rebates, water wise plants, free water check of your sprinkling systems. They are [www.conservewater.utah.gov](http://www.conservewater.utah.gov), [www.slowtheflow.org](http://www.slowtheflow.org), and [www.watereducation.utah.gov](http://www.watereducation.utah.gov). These can help with most any need or give information of what you can do to get the most out of how you use water.

## Contact Numbers

Mayor:	489-5655	Library:	806-9127
City Council:	489-5655	Public Works:	489-6253
City Administration:	489-5655	Emergency:	911
Community Development:	489-6138	Dispatch Police,	
Building Inspection:	722-4839	Fire, Ambulance:	851-4100
Court:	489-7445	Non-emergency:	491-8048
Recreation:	806-9114	Newsletter:	806-9109
Recreation Hotline:	367-5069	Senior Citizens:	489-0106

The Mapleton City Newsletter can be viewed at our website at [www.mapleton.org](http://www.mapleton.org).

## Mapleton Chorale

Mapleton Chorale is preparing to launch its 14<sup>th</sup> successful season on Thursday, September 4<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm in the Mapleton Community Center. The group has openings for male singers who are willing to exchange their time and commitment for a powerful and rewarding musical experience.

“Last year, with our successful Temple Square Performances solo concert, the Chorale achieved a new level of excellence,” said Mapleton Chorale President Suzie Judd. “This year we want to build on that success, and we’re looking for talented and dedicated new singers who can help us do that.”

If you are interested in singing with the Mapleton Chorale for its Fall/Winter 2008 season, please contact Suzie Judd at (801) 489-0180, or visit the Chorale website at [www.mapletonchorale.org](http://www.mapletonchorale.org) for more information and to download an application.

## Public Safety

### House Numbering

Please make sure your house address “numbers” are clearly visible from the road. This will make it easier to locate your home by emergency personnel in case of an emergency.

### Water Jugs

Mapleton City still has plenty of water storage jugs for sale. The price is \$6.50 each. Contact the Mapleton City Police Department at (801) 491-8048 with any questions.

## Shade Tree Committee By Orpha Dee Johnson

### Citizens to the Rescue

Want to do a good turn for our town? Volunteer to adopt a young tree needing attention. The hot weather takes it toll on newly planted trees. They need more than sprinkling. Deep soaking gives a better chance for survival. Sadie Young, one of our Shade Tree Committee Members, along with her husband, has rescued a fragile crab apple tree. She saw a need for help, and they have taken water in jugs to revive a dying sapling. She states it is a fun family project. Consider adopting a newly planted shade tree – watch it grow and consider it your own. If you wish to adopt, call Orpha Dee at (801) 489-5725.

