

October 2014 Newsletter

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Mayor's Message

How to Find a Water Leak in Your House

As each of you are aware water lines running to your home are "metered" for accountability and billing purposes. A water leak can be very costly, even a very small leak. There are a few things you can do to check for water leaks within your home, such as:

- Check the Pressure Relief Valve on your hot water tank;
- Check the toilet for leaks by removing the top of the tank and listening very closely;
- Check the shower heads for leaks; and
- Check all the hose-bibs (hose-bibs are the pipes that you hook your hoses to) for leaks.

For additional information regarding water leaks feel free to visit the United States Environmental Protection Agency's website at www.epa.gov/watersense/fixleak. If you are not able to find the water leak, you may want to consider contacting a professional plumber.

Mapleton Lateral Canal Trail

As many of you know, the City is planning to construct a pedestrian trail that will connect with the Hobble Creek Trail in Springville in the north and eventually to the Spanish Fork trail system to the south. The City has held several open houses to introduce the trail to the public and to receive public comment. The City has posted a Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) link on the City's website to provide answers to many of the questions that have been asked. If you have any interest in the trail, we encourage you to visit our website at www.mapleton.org. If you have additional questions, please contact Sean Conroy, Community Development Director, at 801-806-9101 or sconroy@mapleton.org.

Public Works

Debris

The City regularly sweeps the streets and cleans the storm drains and sumps around town. With the fall weather approaching and the heavy rain storms we have had, we need residents help in keeping leaves and yard debris out of the streets and gutters. Please do not blow leaves or yard debris out into the streets from off your property. This will minimize the chance of the storm drains becoming clogged and causing localized flooding and property damage.

Pressurized Irrigation

Weather permitting, the pressurized irrigation system will remain on through October 15th.

Questions on streets, water, sewer, or pressurized irrigation should be directed to the Public Works/Engineering Department at 801-489-6253.



Public Safety

Barking Dogs

Recently we have had a few calls on barking dogs. It is against Mapleton City's Ordinance 6.08.130 to let your dog bark continually, which could result in a misdemeanor citation. Let's be considerate of our neighbors and take care of our barking dogs before the police get called.

Springville/Mapleton Emergency Notification System

Mapleton City, in conjunction with Springville City, has a new emergency notification system. Everbridge can notify our citizens of emergencies and upcoming events. If you receive a notification and do not reply you will be called or texted again. If you only have a cell phone and want to opt into the system please visit the link below:

<https://member.everbridge.net/index/1772417038942978>

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact Chief Dean Pettersson with the Mapleton Police Department at 801-491-8048.

Winter Parking

With winter just around the corner it is time to remove all boats, trailers, and vehicles parked on the side of the roadway. During the months of November, December, January, February and March it is illegal to leave your vehicle parked on the side of the road between the hours of 11pm and 6am. In addition, during any months you cannot leave your vehicle parked on the side of the road for more than 48 hours without moving it. The City's street sweeper will be coming through the neighborhoods to clean out the gutter before winter and the snow plow trucks will need to have the vehicles off the street so they can plow the roads effectively and not damage any vehicles.

Utah County Health Department

Immunization Clinic – October 15th 11am-2pm

There will be an Immunization Clinic on Wednesday, October 15th from 11am to 2pm at the Mapleton City Offices.

Recommended Adult Vaccines

Shingles, Influenza (flu),
Pneumonia, Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis, Hepatitis A,
Hepatitis B, Meningitis, HPV, Measles, Mumps, Rubella,
and Chicken Pox.

Bring your insurance card and immunization record to the clinic.

Accepted Insurances:

Medicaid, Medicare, Altius, DMBA, Molina, Aetna, PEHP,
Cigna, Chip, Select Health, Educators Mutual, Humana, Choice
Care, Blue Cross Blue Shield, and United Healthcare.

Recreation

For more information, or to register for sports or programs available in our community, visit

www.mapleton.org/parksandrecreation.html

A GREAT BIG THANK YOU to our Soccer and Flag Football coaches and commissioners. We couldn't do it without you!

Happening Now

- Girls Basketball and Volleyball (Online Registration)
- Basketball registration ends Oct. 5th without a late fee
- Volleyball registration ends Oct. 7th
- NEW Country Dance class (Online Registration)

Champions Wrestling Registration

Winter Session - Online Registration September 27, 2014 – October 11, 2014. Register at www.championswrestling.com.

- If you were born in 2010 or earlier you are eligible to Wrestle.
- We are now offering a Girls Division for the first time.

Spring wrestling session registration opens December 21st.

Girls Volleyball

Coaches Preview / Skills Session Thursday, October 9th.

Girls Basketball

Coaches preview Monday, October 13th.

Coming Soon

- NEW Jazzercise class beginning October 13th.
- Boys Basketball Registration – Grades 1st – 12th will start November 1st.

Yoga

Visit our website for information on our ongoing yoga classes; Vinyasa Flow Yoga- Mixed Levels / Harmony Restorative Yoga- All Levels / Senior Yoga- All Levels.

Referee

If you'd like to be a referee please send an e-mail to parksandrec@mapleton.org; include your age, any playing or previous refereeing experience, and a contact number.

Library/Literacy Center

The Mapleton Family Literacy center is looking for volunteers to tutor. This is a great opportunity to serve our children in the community. Anyone 14 years or older can help. A love for reading and a couple hours a week is all you need. Our center is open Monday-Thursday from 3:30pm to 6pm with supervisors on site to support. Call Judy at 801-882-4400 or 801-489-4833.

Through the support of donations and book drives by many of you in the community we are able to maintain a quality tutoring and parent resources center. We are accepting mildly used books on an ongoing basis. You can make a donation at Library. If your school or organization would like to do a book or game drive please contact the Library. We appreciate your support.

Daughters of the Utah Pioneers are selling a wonderfully informative book called "Early Homes in Mapleton". There is a copy at the Library to look at. To purchase one, please contact Sue Wiscombe at 801-360-7109 or email gsue7@gmail.com. The cost is \$20 and quantities are limited.

Contact Numbers

Mayor:	806-9106	Library:	489-4833
City Council:	806-9106	Public Works:	489-6253
City Administration:	806-9104	Emergency:	911
Community Development:	489-6138	Dispatch Police:	489-9421
Building Inspection:	489-6138	Fire & Ambulance:	489-9421
Court:	489-7445	Non-emergency:	489-9668
Recreation:	806-9114	Newsletter:	806-9109
Recreation Hotline:	367-5069	Senior Citizens:	806-9128
City Recorder	806-9106	Utilities:	489-5655

Senior Citizens

Elections

On Thursday, September 4, elections were held for Mapleton Seniors. Mary Denna was elected to be Chair and Laurelie Umphanour was elected as Co-Chair.

Blood Pressure Clinic

Thursday, October 9, at 10:30am.

Luncheon

Thursday, October 9, 11:30 a.m. The menu will be stew, rolls and vegetable tray will be provided. Please bring salad, dessert, donation or whatever you would like. A presentation will be given by Wayne Wilding will continue his presentation on the Constitution.

Gym Hours

The gym hours will be the same, except starting on October 11th the Gym will be open on Saturdays from 10:00am until 12:00pm.

Monday - Thursday 8am to 11am and 3pm to 5:30pm

Friday 8:30am to 11am and 3pm to 5pm

All Mapleton residents age 50 and over are welcome at the Gym. If you have questions, please, call our Gym Manager, Peggy Burt 801-310-8429 or her assistant, Pam Elkington 801-491-4086.

Senior Yoga

Yoga will be Tuesdays & Thursdays at 10am.

Senior Art Painting Group

12:30pm - 3:30pm on Mondays. Mapleton City provides the easels. Please bring your own supplies. Do your own thing, but help will be available if you need it.

Chuck-a-Rama

Chuck-a-Rama tickets are still available at \$1.00 each. When you go there your ticket will be punched and when it is filled up you get a free meal.

Springville Museum of Art

For information on upcoming events please visit the Springville Museum of Art's website at www.smofa.org.



October 2014 City Calendar

Oct 7	7:00pm	City Council Meeting
Oct 15	11am-2pm	Immunization Clinic
Oct 21	7:00pm	City Council Meeting
Oct 23	6:30pm	Planning Commission Meeting

Regularly scheduled City Meetings are held at the Community Center Building, 125 West Community Center Way (400 North).