

March 2018 Newsletter

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Flood Maps

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in cooperation with the State of Utah Division of Emergency Management has prepared preliminary Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs) for review and comment. A FIRM is an official community map on which FEMA delineates both special flood management hazard areas and risk premium zones for the applicable community. These maps are used to help mitigate the effects of potential flooding in the area. The FIRM is also used to determine eligibility for the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) which provides protection for property owners from potential losses due to flooding.

A Public Open House will be held on March 21, 2018 at the Springville Civic Center from 6:00pm – 8:00pm where the revisions to the FIRM will be presented and public comment solicited. Digital copies of the FIRM are available online at the below website:

www.fema.gov/preliminaryfloodhazarddata/.

More information about the NFIP program can be found at the below website:

www.fema.gov/national-flood-insurance-program.

Library/Literacy Center

Happy spring! We are excited to announce our annual Easter Party at the library. It will be held on March 21st at 5pm. Come join us for an Easter egg hunt, prizes and fun activities. Please call or sign up at the library by March 16th if you plan to attend.

We love our story time kids. Come join them every Tuesday at 10:30am.

We are continuing to receive new items in our library. Come check out a new book.

Utility Bill

AutoPay

Not enrolled in AutoPay? Take the next step, and go AutoPay. You'll save even more time and enjoy greater:

- **Convenience:**
 - Your utility bill is paid automatically, securely, and on time.
- **Peace of mind:**
 - Never worry about finding the bill or forgetting to pay. Always pays on time.

Setup is fast, easy, and free. Do it now by calling 833-896-9595.

Recreation

For more information, or to register for sports or programs available in our community, visit www.mapleton.org/parksandrecreation.html.

Don't forget to follow us on our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/mapletoncityparksandrecreation/>.

Happening Now

- Register now for Polynesian Dance Classes. Classes start Tuesday, March 27th – May 12th with a performance on May 19th.
- Women's Volleyball
 - Registration opens Feb 1st – March 20th. League begins March 21st.
- T-ball, Baseball & Softball
 - Registration opens Feb 14th – March 14th.
 - After March 14th a \$10 late fee will be added.
- LACROSSE registration begins March 14th.

Mapleton Track and Field Day

This is a FREE event for all 3rd-6th graders at Mapleton, Hobble Creek, Maple Ridge and Sierra Bonita Elementary schools. Registration sheets will be coming home this month with your students. **CHECK THEIR BACKPACKS!** This registration sheet **MUST** be turned into your child's teacher for them to participate.

Summer Programs

Watch for upcoming Summer Programs. Registration will begin soon.

Save the Date

- Friday, April 27th: Arbor Day – Mapleton City Park
- Saturday, July 21st: Pioneer Day Celebration – Welcome *THE SALAMANDERS* to the party.
- Friday, September 21st – Moonlight Half Marathon.
- Saturday, Oct 13th: Scarecrow Festival and GIANT pumpkin growing contest.
- Monday, December 3rd – Tree Lighting Festival – Santa, s'mores & more.

Ongoing Classes

- Yoga and Senior Yoga, Jazzercise and a Raw Foods Class on the 2nd Saturday of the Month.

Fundraising Opportunity

If your team or group is interested in doing a fundraising dinner at a concert in the park this summer please contact Sharee Killpack at 801-636-0396 or via email at shareekillpack@gmail.com. We hope to have a fundraising dinner provided for each concert on Monday evenings at 7pm, provided by local Mapleton groups and their school or sports or other groups. Unfortunately, we cannot allow individual fundraisers.



Senior Citizens

Blood Pressure/Blood Sugar Clinic

Thursday, March 8th at 10:30am.

Senior Luncheon

Thursday, March 8th at 11:30am at the City Building. The menu will be Mexican Casserole with chips, salsa and guacamole. Seniors who wish to contribute can bring a salad, a side or dessert to share. Variety adds to the enjoyment and fun. A \$3 donation is welcomed from those who cannot bring a side dish to share. Mapleton Police will be doing a presentation on gun safety and how to protect your home.

Senior Gym

Monday - Thursday 8am to 11am and 3pm to 5:30pm. Friday - 8:30am to 11am and 3 to 5pm. All Mapleton city residents age 50 and up are welcome at the gym. If you have questions contact gym manager, Peggy Burt at 385-685-8331.

Senior Yoga

Yoga class Tuesdays & Thursdays at 9:30am.

Zumba Class

Fridays at 10am in Mapleton City's Multipurpose room.

Senior Art Painting Group

Monday 12:30pm to 3:30pm. Mapleton City provides the easels. Please bring your own supplies.

Chuck-a-Rama

Meal tickets are available at \$1.00 each. When you dine at Chuck-a-Rama your ticket is punched and, when filled, you get a free meal. In addition, card holders get a 15% discount on each meal. Pick up your tickets either at the city front office or from committee Finance Clerk, Bob Lape.

Senior Yard & Bake Sale

Our annual senior yard and bake sale will be on Saturday, March 24th from 8am-1:30pm at the Mapleton City Building. Donations of baked goods, clothes and household items will be accepted all day on Friday, March 23rd in the Multipurpose Room on the west side of the building. Proceeds to benefit Humanitarian Projects. Last year the money raised was donated to the local elementary schools in Mapleton.

Senior Citizen Facebook Page

There is a Mapleton Senior Citizens Group Facebook page that has the Gym hours, reminders about the Senior Luncheon and activities and pictures. Check it out at the below link and join the group:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/293056947854161/>

Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day

Utah County residents with household hazardous waste items such as old gasoline, paint, fluorescent light bulbs, batteries and unused medications will be offered safe disposal of these items at a Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day on Saturday, April 14th, 2018 from 9am to 3pm. The collection will take place in the west parking lot of the Provo Towne Centre Mall in Provo. For details, including a list of what will or will not be collected, please call 801-225-8538 (north county) or 801-489-3027 (south county), or visit our website below:

<http://www.utahcountyonline.org/dept/Health/HHW/>

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	Main Line/Utilities:	489-5655

Public Works

What is storm water runoff, and why should we care?

Melting snow and rain are considered storm water runoff; it runs off roads, parking lots, driveways, roofs, and yards. As it flows across these surfaces, storm water picks up contaminants such as oils, salts, sediments, fertilizers, pesticides and household chemicals. Contaminated storm water flows into storm drains, ditches, and gutters, and eventually into streams, wetlands and lakes. Contaminants in storm water runoff impair water quality in streams and wetlands, and they can lead to fish kills, loss of wildlife habitat, and public health risks. Uncontrolled storm water runoff is one of the largest remaining sources of water quality impairment in the United States.

As our community grows, more land is covered with hard surfaces. This means more water reaches streams more quickly and is potentially more contaminated. Let's work together to lessen the degree of contamination and help protect local water resources.

You can also help us ease the flooding potential by keeping storm drain inlets near your property clean of debris or by reporting them to the Public Works Department at 801-489-6253.

Mapleton City EMS/Ambulance

Recently a study in West Valley revealed that only 20 percent of the people in the area 'jump in' to help with a life-saving skill. Here in Mapleton, we would like to provide training at little to no cost to our citizens so that they will feel more comfortable in jumping in when there is an emergency. Our next class will be taught on March 24, 2018 starting at 9AM. Three levels of CPR can be taught during the class, Hands-only, Heartsaver, and Basic Life Support. Please consider taking a CPR course so that you will feel prepared and able to help in a future emergency. If you are interested, please contact the city offices at 801-489-5655 to sign up. More information can be found on our website at www.mapleton.org.



History of Mapleton Books

The Mapleton Historical Committee has books for sale at the City Offices in the Community Development Department foyer.

Mapleton Historical Society

The Mapleton Historical Society is looking for members. Duties would include helping to preserve historical artifacts and documents, along with general upkeep of the museum. Interested individuals can contact Mary Fojtek at 801-589-0929.

March 2018 City Calendar

Mar 7	7:00pm	City Council Meeting
Mar 21	7:00pm	City Council Meeting
Mar 22	6:30pm	Planning Commission Meeting

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