

# January 2017 Newsletter

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## Mayor's Message

### Winter Storm

I would like to personally thank our Public Works and Parks and Recreation employees who plowed snow during our last major storm. They started pushing snow around 2:30am Christmas morning and worked well into Christmas Day. I appreciate all they do for our community.

### Commercial Design Standards Project

In the November newsletter we invited the public to participate in a visual preference survey related to future commercial development along Highway 89. The purpose of the survey was to receive input regarding preferred architectural design characteristics such as building styles, heights, materials, and other site details. The survey was open until the end of November and was taken by a few hundred people that provided valuable input. City staff is now taking that information and developing some draft design standards that would apply to new commercial development. On Tuesday, January 31<sup>st</sup>, the City will hold a public Open House from 5pm-7pm at City Hall to present these standards to the public. We would love to have you attend and provide additional input. For more information, contact Sean Conroy, Community Development Director, at 801-806-9101 or [sconroy@mapleton.org](mailto:sconroy@mapleton.org), or visit our website at [www.mapleton.org](http://www.mapleton.org).

### Recycling Opportunity

A private recycling company has provided six large recycle bins to the City without charge to be used by the public. There are two bins located in the south parking lot of City Hall, two bins at the old City Hall at 35 East Maple Street, and two bins at the north end of the Ira Allen parking lot located at 800 West 1600 South. These bins are for paper and cardboard ONLY. We encourage you to take advantage of this free opportunity to recycle.

## Mapleton Youth City Council

### Applications are being accepted for 2017

The Mapleton Youth Council applications are now available. If you are interested and would like to apply to be a member of the Mapleton Youth City Council (MYCC), you can find an application at the Mapleton City Building, online at [www.mapleton.org](http://www.mapleton.org), Maple Mountain High School, and at the Mapleton Jr. High School offices. To be eligible you must be a Mapleton resident, and currently be in the 9th, 10th, or 11th grades. The application must be returned to the Mapleton City Building on or before January 19, 2017 by 5pm. Absolutely NO LATE applications will be considered. Plan on serving, learning, and having a lot of fun! If you have any questions you can contact Lori Jenkins at 801-491-3454.

## Public Works

### Know Your Snow Responsibilities

- Snow and ice removed from sidewalks and driveways MAY NOT be pushed into the road or right-of-ways.
- If at all possible, avoid parking on the street during or following a snow storm. Keeping the street clear of vehicles will make it easier and more effective to plow snow on your street.
- Owners and or occupants are responsible for keeping their sidewalks clear of snow & ice.
- Landlords and tenants should establish in the rental agreement who will be responsible for snow & ice removal.
- Mapleton City puts its best plow forward when it comes to snow removal. While it takes time to get around the entire City, and each snow storm presents different challenges, our crew is dedicated to providing the best level of service.
- You may contact Public Works with any questions you have at 801-489-6253.

## Public Safety

### Street Parking Ordinance Reminder

#### **10.05.070: STREET PARKING IN WINTER MONTHS:**

*A person may not park a vehicle or trailer on any street between the hours of eleven o'clock (11:00) P.M. of any day and six o'clock (6:00) A.M. of the following day during the period beginning November 15 of one year, and continuing until March 15 of the following year. In addition to any citation which may be issued for violation of this section, any vehicle or trailer parked or left standing in violation of this section may be impounded as provided in this section.*



## Recreation

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

[www.mapleton.org/parksandrecreation.html](http://www.mapleton.org/parksandrecreation.html)

Facebook - [www.facebook.com/mapletoncityparksandrecreation](http://www.facebook.com/mapletoncityparksandrecreation)

Instagram – [mapletonparksandrecreation](https://www.instagram.com/mapletonparksandrecreation)

Open Monday 9am-2pm & Tues-Thurs. 9am-5pm

125 West 400 North, Mapleton, UT 84664

Office (801) 806-9114

### Tree Lighting Winners

CONGRATULATIONS to our contest winners from Mapleton's Tree Lighting! Winners received a \$50 amazon gift card.

#### *Gingerbread Contest Winners*

Merrell Family

Miranda, Jocelyn, Ava, Gabriel

#### *Snapshot Contest winner*

Hayden Cooper

Thank you to everyone who attended and a special thanks to those who bid on or donated wreaths to benefit Mapleton's Sub for Santa.

### Winter Wonderland Ball

Save the date for our *Winter Wonderland Ball* on Saturday, January 21, 2017 from 8pm-11pm at the Community Center (125 West 400 North). Anyone who is 14 years of age or older is invited to come and enjoy a night of dancing, fun & refreshments.



### VIP Adaptive Basketball – 2017

For any special needs children, Kindergarten thru high school. Games will begin in January. The cost is \$15.00, which includes a jersey. Register online.

### Boys and Girls Basketball

Basketball games will start the 2<sup>nd</sup> week in January for all leagues except instructional leagues. Schedules will be out the week of January 2, 2017.

### Upcoming Classes - 2017

Winter / Spring class information will be posted on the website soon!

## 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

## Mapleton Literacy Center

### Storytime

Just a reminder that our Library Story Time is on Tuesday mornings at 10:30am. Come and join the fun!

### Tutors Needed

The Mapleton Family Literacy Center is in need of a few new tutors. This is a great opportunity to help children in our community and it only requires 2 hours per week of your time. If you are interested please contact Kallie Jackson at 801-489-4833, 801-368-4973 or [kjackson@mapleton.org](mailto:kjackson@mapleton.org).

## Senior Citizens

### Blood Pressure/ Blood Sugar Clinic

Thursday, January 12, 2017 at 10:30am.

### Senior Luncheon

Thursday, January 12, 2017 at 11:30am. The menu will be a Homemade Soups and Rolls. Please bring a homemade soup if you can. It adds to the variety and fun. A \$2 donation is fine for those who can't bring a soup. A presentation will be given at the luncheon.

### Gym Hours

*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 [801-404-4687](tel:801-404-4687) or Gym Assistant, Pam Elkington [801-471-7417](tel:801-471-7417). Besides a wonderful array of exercise equipment, our gym contains a ping pong table, 2 pool tables, and there is always a jigsaw puzzle going. Come and enjoy the fun and visit with your fellow seniors.

### 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. Bring a friend!

### 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. Seniors get a 15% discount on their meals. Get tickets at the City Building or from Bob Lape.

## January 2017 City Calendar

Jan 2	<i>City Offices Closed – New Year's</i>	
Jan 11	7:00pm	City Council Meeting
Jan 12	6:30pm	Planning Commission Meeting
Jan 16	<i>City Offices Closed – Martin Luther King Jr.</i>	
Jan 26	6:30pm	Planning Commission Meeting
Jan 31	5pm-7pm	Commercial Design Open House

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