

October 2018 Newsletter

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Utah County Vaccine Clinic

Monday, October 8, 2018 from 1pm-4pm

The Utah County Health Department will be at the Mapleton City Offices giving flu shots, and other vaccines, on Monday, October 8th from 1pm-4pm. You will not pay anything for the shot and your insurance will ONLY be billed for the cost of the vaccine and supplies. Make sure to bring your insurance card.

Public Safety

- As new construction continues to grow, so does the opportunity for crimes of opportunity. Please contact the Police Department at 801-489-9421 when you see anything or anyone that appears suspicious or out of place. We are working 24/7 and any tips to help us stay proactive and keep the crime rate low is welcome.
- We often locate dogs running at large and take them to the South Utah Valley Animal Shelter after a short time if an owner is not located.
- We recently had a surplus auction where we sold many found bicycles and tools that are turned into the Police Department and no owners were located. October is the time to begin to prepare for winter parking, which begins on November 15th.

Fire Department

Halloween

We would like to remind everyone that we will be passing out candy at the fire station the night of Halloween. Please stop by and say hello. HAPPY HALLOWEEN from the Mapleton Fire Department.

Utah County Open Burn

The Utah County Open burn is taking place now through October 30th. Remember you must apply for a burn permit prior to burning. You can do this by following the link on our website at www.mapleton.org.

Thank You

We want to also thank everyone for their continued support donations given to not only the Mapleton Fire Department, but all the other firefighters battling both the Bald Mountain and Pole Creek Fires, THANK YOU!

Community Fall Cleanup

Saturday, October 27th from 9am-12pm

Meet at the West Pavilion of Mapleton City Park to check in for community projects! Bring your leaf rakes and other yard tools! Community Lunch will be served in the park at 12pm. Mapleton Emergency Management is joining us to practice our city wide emergency response. All kinds of service opportunities! Sign up at www.justserve.org. All community members are welcome. This is a *Mapleton Hands to Hearts* sponsored event. For questions contact Michelle Estes at 801-885-8223.



Public Works

Tips for Clean Water

1. Keep sidewalks, curbs, and gutters around your property clean by sweeping up debris and disposing of it in the trash prior to hosing with plain water.
2. Control soil erosion on your property by planting ground cover or mulching exposed areas. Cover piles of soil, sand or gravel to protect them from rain, wind and runoff. Sweep or scoop up cement washout or concrete dust instead of hosing into driveways, streets, gutters or storm drains.
3. Sweep up grass clippings, fallen leaves, fruits and shrub trimming and keep them out of the storm drain system. Do not blow or hose yard waste onto the street or into storm drains. Use fallen leaves as mulch or for composting.

Why Does It Matter?

Polluted water that enters your storm drain (the grate in the street curb that collects water runoff) does not get treated, and instead flows directly into local water bodies where it can harm aquatic life and habitats, contaminate drinking water supplies and recreational waterways, and lessen aesthetic value. To report illegal dumping call 801-489-6253.

Water Efficiency

The Utah Division of Water Resources is engaged in a study to determine water efficiency potential by region. The result of this study will be new regional and statewide water efficiency goals. Our community input is an important part of this process. Please fill out the following survey to help us gain the regional context needed.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/localgoals>

Library & Literacy Center

Halloween Bash – October 29th from 5:30pm-7pm

Happy Halloween! Our super fun, creepy-cool HALLOWEEN BASH will be held on October 29th from 5:30pm-7pm. Reading calendars are available in the library. The more you read, the more tickets you will earn for the party!!! Please sign up by October 19th – NO EXCEPTIONS.

Story Time

Story time meets every Tuesday morning at 10:30am in the basement of the library. Plan to come and have fun with some new friends.

Volunteer Tutors Needed

The Mapleton Family Literacy Center needs volunteer tutors. Please contact Kallie Jackson at 801-489-4833, kjackson@mapleton.org, or stop by the library for more information.

Senior Citizens

Blood Pressure/Sugar Clinic and Senior Luncheon

Thursday, October 11th at 10:30am will be the Blood Pressure/Sugar Clinic. The Senior luncheon will take place that day at 11:30am at the City Building. The menu will be spaghetti and breadsticks. Seniors who wish to contribute can bring a salad, side or a 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. Matt Stewart, from Timpanogos Financial Advisors, will talk about the key changes of the new Tax Act. There are changes and deductions that you need to be informed about to make the most of your tax decisions.

Senior Gym

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

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

Senior Health & Wellness Fair

Thursday, October 11, 2018 from 9am-1pm

Mountainland is offering a FREE Senior Health & Wellness Fair for all seniors in Utah County on Thursday, October 11th from 9am-1pm at the Provo Rec Center (320 W. 500 N. Provo).

Free health screenings, adult immunizations, shred truck, door prizes and more. Light breakfast and lunch will be served. For more information call 801-229-3804 or visit our website below:

www.mountainland.org/health.



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

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/>

Follow us on Instagram - @mapletonparksandrec

Happening Now

- Volleyball Registration 3rd -9th grade - Register online BEFORE October 10th. Please see website for more information.

Coming Soon

- Boys & Girls Basketball Grades 1st-12th registration opens Oct. 15th - after November 5th a late fee will be added.
- Mapleton City Wrestling Registration happening online.

Community Events

- Monday, October 8th: Community Pumpkin Night. Bring your family and join us for at the Pumpkin Patch at 620 West Maple Street (behind the Mapleton Cemetery) - 2 pumpkins per family - additional pumpkins will be \$5 each.
- Saturday, October 13th: Scarecrow Spectacular – Scarecrows, food & fun. Decorate and enter your scarecrow to win prizes or advertise your business. Come vote for your favorite scarecrow starting at 3pm. Don't forget about the GIANT pumpkin growing contest and come guess the GREAT PUMPKIN's weight!
- Saturday, October 27th: Community Day of Service.
- Monday, December 3rd: Tree Lighting & Wreath Festival – Start planning your wreaths now to donate for Mapleton's Sub for Santa. Enjoy Santa, s'mores & more!

Referees Needed

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.

Mapleton Chorale

The Mapleton Chorale, an auditioned choir of 70 voices based in Mapleton, is pleased to announce that it is returning home to the Community Center for its Thursday evening rehearsal location. The choir is directed by Patrick Tatman, who has decided to open the rehearsals for residents and friends to quietly observe. Rehearsals are Thursday evenings from 7:30pm-9:30pm and can be accessed through the west doors of the Community Center. Residents are welcome to come and enjoy uplifting, high quality music in a wonderful setting. The Chorale is celebrating its 25th Anniversary Season and is recognized as one of the premier choral ensembles in the state.

Mapleton History

Mapleton Historical Books

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

October 2018 City Calendar

Oct 3	7:00pm	City Council Meeting
Oct 11	6:30pm	Planning Commission Meeting
Oct 13	3:00pm	Scarecrow Spectacular
Oct 17	7:00pm	City Council Meeting
Oct 25	6:30pm	Planning Commission Meeting
Oct 29	5:30pm	Library Halloween Bash

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