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# North Logan City NEWS

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**JULY 2010**

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North Logan, UT 84341  
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## **MAYOR'S MESSAGE:**

Recently asked questions and answers that might be of interest to all regarding North Logan City

**Q:** The new roundabout at 200 East and 1800 North has a big rock in the middle of it. Why? Shouldn't the rock be removed to allow drivers to see across the roundabout better?

**A:** It does seem a little counterintuitive to have the rock in the middle of the roundabout. I questioned this myself when I first saw it. There is an actual purpose for it. Highway safety standards suggest that individuals approaching a roundabout need to have their attention directed to the left. It is a common design for larger roundabouts to not allow drivers to see through but rather encourage drivers to slow down and yield to traffic coming from the left. There are some great examples of this design in the Utah County area and have proven to work very well and enhance safety.

**Q:** What is the current status of the decision about where 200 East is going to go once we get north of 2200 North?

**A:** The environmental assessment process for the federal funding of the 200 East Corridor between Logan's 1400 N and Hyde Park lane had to be re-evaluated because of some changes in land use and because the original environmental study essentially expired. A new environmental engineering firm is working on the project now and will be receiving more public input before the final decisions will be made.

**Q:** Will our property taxes go up this year?

**A:** NO! The recently passed North Logan City budget calls for no change in the property tax rate for the portion of your property taxes that go to North Logan – both the general purpose portion of it as well as the dedicated library tax. The certified rate that is computed for us by the County is intended to keep the revenue coming into the city at the same level next year as what we got this past year. If a particular property's assessed value changes then the rate would also change. If your assessed value stays the same, your taxes should be the same. Remember that North Logan only gets a portion of the property taxes you pay and we're trying to keep that as low as possible.

**Q:** What's the best way to keep informed about what's going on in the city?

**A:** First, I would suggest you read the newsletter each month. There is a lot of information here. Also the city website ([www.northlogancity.org](http://www.northlogancity.org)) has even more information. If you have ideas on things you want to see in the newsletter or on the website, please make your suggestions to the city staff. We will try to provide whatever information we can in an easily accessible way.

Please feel free to contact me or the city staff if you have any questions about what is going on in the city.

Lloyd Berentzen, Mayor

## **LIBRARY NEWS! LIBRARY NEWS! LIBRARY NEWS! LIBRARY NEWS! LIBRARY NEWS!**

**Holidays Observed:** The Library will be closed July 5<sup>th</sup> (Monday) and July 23<sup>rd</sup> (Friday).

**Library Book Club:** Join us at the Library on June 8th at 9 am to discuss the book "A Lantern in Her Hand" by Bess Streeter Aldrich. Next month's book is "Outcasts United" by Warren St. John.

### **Summer Reading Program:**

#### **Make a Splash @ Your Library and Make Waves @ Your Library**

If you missed the kick-off, you can stop in at the library any time to sign up. Everyone, aged 0-18, is invited to participate! Children under 12 years old just need to read (or be read to) for 4 hours to earn a prize; Teens 13 years and older need to read 8 hours to earn a prize. You can even keep reading for additional hours for additional prizes. You have the possibility of earning a total of six prizes this year. This year we have some really special prizes from local businesses!!

### **Activities for Preschool Age:**

Story Times: Toddler Time (2 years and under) are Tuesdays at 10:10 and Story Time (3-5 year olds) are at 11:00.

### **Activities for children - ages 6-12:**

July 7 @ 2:30 pm "Splish Splash Water Games"  
July 21 @ 2:30 pm "Animals H2O"  
Aug 25 @ 2:30 pm "Eric Herman" musician

### **Activities for Teens - ages 13-18:**

July 14 @ 2:30 pm "Beach Party"

### **Activities for all Ages:**

July 28<sup>th</sup> @ Noon - Closing Social "Hot Diggity Dog" (please bring chips or cookies to share).

The State Library has funded much of the materials for this program through an annual Community Library Enhancement Funds grant, and generous community sponsors are donating fabulous prizes for the prize room!

### **Movie Tuesday's:**

Come watch a "G" rated movie every Tuesday @ 2 pm from July 6<sup>th</sup> until August 17<sup>th</sup>. All ages welcome, but children 8 years old or younger must be accompanied by an adult.

## **FRIENDS OF NORTH LOGAN LIBRARY**

June was a busy month for the Friends organization. We want to thank all who helped with the Library Summer Reading kick-off, the Spring Book Sale and Art on the Lawn. Each of these activities was well attended and great fun. Also we acknowledge the **Thorne Foundation** for their contribution to the Library. We appreciate their support; the Library would not be the same without their generosity!

Remember the 24<sup>th</sup> of July Breakfast at Elk Ridge Park. Bring your whole family for a home-cooked meal that is best in town. All proceeds benefit the Library!!

## **BIG THANK YOU'S FROM THE PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT**

- Thank you **RILEY REEDER** for your Eagle Scout project - the making of concrete bases for picnic tables & future benches at Elk Ridge Park. Your work was professional grade and greatly appreciated!
- Thank you **MASON HILL** for your Eagle Scout project - planting trees at Meadow View Park. You did great work and the trees will provide wonderful shade in the years to come!
- Thank you **WAL-MART** for installing two segments of the Boy Scout Centennial Trail. The trail is coming right along thanks to your hard working employees!
- A VERY BIG THANK YOU to **Boy Scout Troops 81 & 10** for their work at placing the flags at the City Cemetery. The sight was spectacular for those visiting over the Memorial Day weekend.

Anyone, group or a bunch of friends that would like do some service work for the City of North Logan, please contact Alan Luce at 435-752-1310 ext 16 or check out our web site at [www.northlogancity.org](http://www.northlogancity.org)

## **MESSAGE FROM THE CENSUS**

Effective June 1, 2010, if you still have your form or have yet to have a Census Taker visit, you can call the OGDEN LOCAL CENSUS OFFICE at (801) 917-3710 to arrange for a visit from a representative of the US Census Bureau.

## **COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

### **JULY**

#### **Observance of**

**5 - INDEPENDENCE DAY - CITY OFFICE CLOSED**

7 - City Council - 6:30 p.m.

8 - Planning Commission - 7:00 p.m.

12 - Senior Citizens Luncheon - 12:00 p.m.

13 - Friends of the Library - 6:30 p.m.

20 - Library Board - 3:30 p.m.

21 - City Council - 6:30 p.m.

22 - Planning Commission - 7:00 p.m.

**23 - PIONEER DAY - CITY OFFICE CLOSED**

**24 - BREAKFAST & PARADE - SEE PAGE 4**

26 - Parks & Recreation - 3:30 p.m. City Office Conf Rm

City Council & Planning Commission meet at the North Logan Library at 475 East 2500 North.

To see the complete calendar of events visit our web site at: <http://www.northlogancity.org>



#### New Home Businesses

Customized Lawn Care;

Lone Wolf Video Productions

Mr. Lock Sales & Service

Oils For Your Life-Crimson Rose

Teton Botanicals

#### New Standard Businesses

Make & Take Pizza

MM Auto Sales



#### Permit Type

#### 2010 to date

#### 2009 to date

Single Family Residence

13

4

Multi-Family (Apt)

0

0

New Commercial (Retail)

3

0

Office

4

0

Remodel (Existing Comm)

0

0

Industrial

1

2

## **TENNIS LESSONS**

The North Logan Parks & Recreation will be conducting tennis lessons for youth ages 8 – 14 at the new tennis court at Elk Ridge Park during the following times. Registration begins July 1st. To reserve a spot in one of the sessions please register on line at: [www.ci.north-logan.ut.us/parks\\_recreation](http://www.ci.north-logan.ut.us/parks_recreation). There is a limit of 4 participants per session and each session is \$35.00.

Session # 1: Beginner                      Mon – Thurs 10:30 am – 11:30 am      July 19, 20, 21, 22

Session # 2: Intermediate                  Mon – Thurs 11:30 am – 12:30 pm      July 19, 20, 21, 22

Session # 3: Beginner                      Mon – Thurs 10:30 am – 11:30 am      July 26, 27, 28, 29

Session # 4: Intermediate                  Mon – Thurs 11:30 am – 12:30 pm      July 26, 27, 28, 29



## **SAND VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT**

The North Logan Parks & Recreation Department will be hosting a sand volleyball tournament July 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> at the new sand volleyball pits at Elk Ridge Park. There will be 3 divisions. The divisions are: Women's, Men's & Co-Ed. Participants need to be at least 16 years of age. Register on line at: [www.ci.north-logan.ut.us/parks\\_recreation](http://www.ci.north-logan.ut.us/parks_recreation). The cost is only \$25.00/team. The registration deadline is July 9<sup>th</sup>.

## **What's Happening in City Council?**

The City Council meetings for the month of July will be on the 7<sup>th</sup> and the 21<sup>st</sup> starting at 6:30 pm. During the July 7<sup>th</sup> meeting the council will hear a presentation from the city's Community Development Director and the Planning Commission about developing a formed-based development code for North Logan City. This is a different way of looking at zoning throughout the city and may be the approach the city takes in future zoning regulations.

The only other business currently scheduled to be on the councils agendas during the month of July is to consider the final development plan for the subdivision of a five acre parcel at 1255 East 2700 North dividing the parcel into five lots. The specific date that will be considered has yet to be determined.

Look for the official council agendas as they are posted at the city offices and the library. The Herald Journal is given a copy of the official agenda as well and they normally print it in the newspaper a day or two before the meeting.

## **SENIOR CITIZENS LUNCHEON**



The North Logan Senior Citizens will hold their monthly luncheon at 12:00 noon on Monday, **JULY 12TH** at the Golden Corral at 2044 North Main in North Logan. The cost is **\$4.00** per person and all senior citizens are invited to attend. Please **RSVP** to Savannah Baker-753-0287, Lila Eddington-753-0203, Eva Fay Anderson-753-0340, Eileen Stocking-752-1217 or Alva Johnson-753-3070 by **5:00 p.m. on Friday, JULY 9TH.**

**Daughter of Utah Pioneers** - If you have Utah Pioneer ancestors who arrived in Utah between the year 1847 - May 10, 1869 (by which time the railroad was completed), you may qualify to become a Daughter of Utah Pioneers! Other eligibility for any DESCENDANTS OF PIONEERS WHO WERE BORN BETWEEN JULY 1847 - MAY 19, 1869, include being a:

- Descendant of LDS members seeking religious freedom
- Descendant of a Non-member of the LDS faith
- Descendant of those who died after leaving Nauvoo and en-route to Utah Territory/State of Deseret
- Descendant of those born in Utah Territory/State of Deseret between July 1847 & May 10, 1869
- Descendant of a member of the Mormon Battalion
- Descendant of a member of Johnston's Army
- Descendant of trappers and hunters
- Descendant of passengers of the ship *BROOKLYN*, who settled in San Diego, San Bernardino OR Traveled from California to other parts of the Utah Territory/State of Deseret
- Descendant of those who came through Utah Territory/State of Deseret while freighting goods to the West between years of July 1847 & May 10, 1869
- Descendant of those seeking work or other interest who passed through Utah Territory/State of Deseret while traveling further west between the years of July 1847 & May 10, 1869

In North Logan, The **RALPH SMITH CAMP** women, meet the 3rd Thursday of each month, at 1:30 p.m. at the 1900 N 1550 E, Church House. If you would like more information please contact: Nancy Ashcroft at 435-753-0178 or Alone S. Perks at 435-753-5589.

## Come help North Logan celebrate Pioneer Day on Saturday, July 24<sup>th</sup>

### Flag Ceremony & Breakfast at Elk Ridge Park—1070 East 2500 North

6:45 a.m. Flag Ceremony

7:00-9:00 a.m. Breakfast. This is a fundraiser for the library. The fee this year is a donation. Pay what you can. Come enjoy French toast, buttermilk pancakes, biscuits & gravy, hash browns, sausage, eggs, grits, juice, coffee & milk! Chairman: Joe Hawkes 435-753-5864



### Parade at 10:00 a.m.

Line-up is at 9:30 a.m. Parade begins at 1600 E & 1900 N ending at Mt. View Park at 1100 E & 2100 N  
Chairman: GayLynn Daniels 435-755-7147

### Entertainment & Activities at Mt. View Park—1100 E. 2100 N.

11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. (Games, Food, Entertainment)

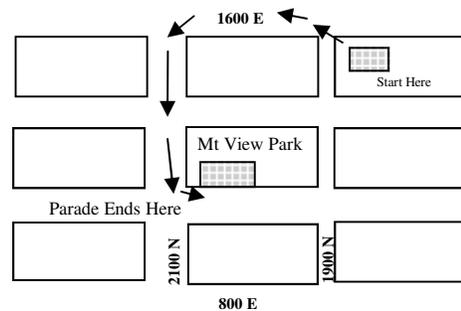
Come enjoy great food with fun activities for all ages.

This year's entertainment features:

Grand Marshall Presentation

The Imperial Glee Club

Local Talent



### Fireworks at Elk Ridge Park—1070 E. 2500 N.

Top off the day with fireworks at Elk Ridge Park at dark.

**If you are interested in participating in our parade or celebration, contact GayLynn @ 435-755-7147.**



The theme for our 2010 Pumpkin Walk is

*"The Magic of Animation"*

Can you volunteer this year to help make it a success!

We need handymen or women to help set up scenes and take them down.

We have several Eagle Projects; service projects for families or youth groups.

If you are growing pumpkins or any other vegetable that is "out of the ordinary", please donate it for our scenery and decoration. Please call the Pumpkin Walk

Coordinator - Michelle Weaver@ 435-752-1473.

PS: To the people who are growing the "largest pumpkin" for display, try a sun lamp to help it grow!

