

MAYOR'S MESSAGE

*be a lion.
i will still be water.*

-Nayyirah Waheed

March is said to come in like a lion and out like a lamb. Looking at the atmosphere of the world around us, it feels like there are many lions among us. We see contention in how factions organize around a single issue, in the contentious communication online and in person, and in making quick evaluations of others that are binary rather than nuanced.

We in North Logan can't change the nation's discourse, but we can affect the temperature of our own community. I've seen community members with concerns come into city council with goodwill in their hearts, seeking to understand the other side and with a genuine intent to make the city of North Logan a better place. Sometimes we get bombarded with footage of negative examples on social media, but there are many more examples of people who are working together for the greater good.

I challenge you to channel your inner month of March and make the transformation from lion to lamb in your interactions with others. Identify a conflict you can deescalate or opt out of altogether. In his book *Peace Like a River*, Leif Enger says "Sometimes heroism is nothing more than patience, curiosity, and a refusal to panic." In our world of lions, be the hero that offers those virtues that keep North Logan a place of peace.

-Mayor Lyndsay Peterson

GOVERNMENT MEETINGS (Agendas: pmn.utah.gov)

The City Council Meetings this month will take place on Wednesdays, March 9th and 23rd, at 6:30 p.m. The City Council will be considering the Smiling H Subdivision (2500N 600E), along with an update to the subdivision Post-Division Approval code. There will be a discussion regarding a proposed Veterinary Hospital (400E 2000N). The City Council will also discuss FY2023 budget proposals from the Parks, Cemetery, and Recreation departments.

The Planning Commission Meetings will take place on Thursdays, March 10th and 24th, at 6:30 p.m. The Planning Commission will be discussing the Smiling H Subdivision (2500N 600E), along with the Horse Pasture Subdivision Development Plan (1800E 2900N). There will also be an update regarding the City's draft Active Transportation Plan.

If you would like to receive the agendas regularly via email, please send an email requesting so to marie@northlogancity.org to be added to the list.

NORTH LOGAN - BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT**Gracy's Cafe**

Hungry? It's time to come and drop by the newly-opened Gracy's Café, located at 2281 N. Main Street in North Logan! With Breakfast, Lunch, and Dinner available, there is something for everyone at every time of the day!



GARBAGE PICK UP Cans need to be out by 6 a.m.

North Logan City - Thursdays

Green Canyon Area - Wednesdays (East of 1600 E & South of 1900 N)

BLUE RECYCLE PICK UP Cans need to be out by 6 a.m.

City Areas - 3rd, 17th and 31st

Green Canyon - 2nd, 16th and 30th

NORTH PARK POLICE

We have received multiple complaints from our crossing guards and citizens about disrespectful, rude, obscene and unsafe actions by drivers who are unhappy with the way our crossing guards are conducting business. This is a reminder to all who may feel or act in this way. Our crossing guards are performing their duties to cross all children safely as they go to and from school. The way in which they do this is taught under the guidelines of state statute. If you do not feel you have time to wait while the crossing guard is stopping traffic to cross the kids, please find an alternative route to your destination or allow yourself more time so you are not in a rush.

We are very thankful for our crossing guards, who often do not get the recognition they deserve. Please join me in thanking them for all they do for our kids.

If you would like to join our crossing guard team, or be on the list as an alternate, please contact the North Park Police Department at 435-753-7600 or visit northparkpolice.org (look in the forms section then in the drop box you will find crossing guard application).

-Ulysses Black, Chief of Police

NORTH LOGAN CITY YOUTH COUNCIL

In February, the North Logan Youth Council wrote notes of appreciation to the first responders in North Logan and tied blankets to donate to them, for those in emergency situations. The youth wanted to do something to directly bless people who were going through hardship and could use some extra love and care. We appreciate all that our first responders do for our community!

- Parker Brough, Secretary

SENIOR LUNCHEON

The March Senior luncheon takes place on Monday, March 7th, at 11:00 a.m. Please RSVP to Karen at 435-752-2027 by 5:00 p.m., Friday, March 4th. The luncheon takes place at Chuck-O-Rama, 138 S. Main, Logan. The cost is \$5 per person and is only for **CURRENT** North Logan residents.

The April Senior Luncheon will take place on **Monday, April 4th at 11:00 a.m.** Please RSVP to Karen at 435-752-2027 by 5:00 p.m., Friday, April 1st.

FRIENDS OF THE N. LOGAN LIBRARY - ANNUAL MTG.

The Friends of the North Logan Library would like to invite anyone to join us for our annual board meeting, March 21st at 6:30 p.m., at the library. The Friends board has the privilege of supporting the library by managing donation money. We work together as a board on how these donations are best used to support programs, materials and other needs of the library; and ultimately, the North Logan residents. If you are able to come and donate your time in serving the library and various programs they put on, please join us! We meet the third Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m. Hope to see some new faces there. If you have any questions, please feel free to email me at liwilcock@yahoo.com

-Lisa Wilcock, President, Friends of the North Logan Library

CITY CONTACTS

City Offices: 435-752-1310. 2076 N 1200 E. Mon-Fri 8am-5pm

North Park Police: 435-753-7600. 575 E 2500 N

Fire Dept-Station 120: 435-716-9527. 2005 N 1200 E

North Logan Library: 435-755-7169. 475 E 2500 N

Recreation Dept: 435-760-1644. 2850 N 220 E

Animal Control: 435-753-7555

North Park Court: 435-563-6923. 113 E Center, Hyde Park

Holiday hours visit www.northlogancity.org (Upcoming Events)

PARKS & RECREATION

Triple Threat Fitness: Join Lou's Triple Threat Aerobic classes! It includes 10-12 classes a month, with a variety of exercises, including HIIT, Tabata, Yoga, Pilates, HIGH Fitness and more. Classes are offered Mon., Wed. & Fri. from 9:15 a.m.-10:15 a.m. Kids are welcome to come and run around, but babysitting is **NOT** provided. Located at the indoor RSL soccer facility on 220 E 2850 N (behind Eccles Ice Center). It is \$9 per month, \$1 drop in fee. First time is free. Come and try it out!

Go online to northloganrec.org and choose fitness to check out the schedule for March.

Miss North Logan City & Honeybees

North Logan City will be accepting applications for Miss North Logan City & Honeybees. Applications are online at northloganrec.org or go to the city offices to pick one up. Applications are due April 1st and can be turned in at the city offices or emailed to jesse@northlogancity.org. Pageant will be on Saturday, April 23rd. Miss North Logan City must currently be a sophomore or a junior in high school. Honeybees must be a 3rd, 4th, or 5th grader, and **both need to be a resident of North Logan City.**



Youth Track - Ages 7-15: North Logan Recreation in conjunction with Green Canyon High School is offering Youth Track for ages 7-15. Season runs April 11th to the end of May. It will be mostly Mondays, some Wednesdays, and there will be a couple of meets on Saturdays. Practice will be 4 p.m. - 6 p.m., on the track at the Green Canyon High School football stadium. Cost is \$35 which includes a t-shirt. Sign up at northloganrec.org

Health and Wellness Fair: Join us on Friday, March 25th from 6:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m. for free health services, activities, and information for the entire family. This event will be held at the RSL facility in North Logan.

If you would like to have a booth, go to northloganrec.org to sign up. If you have questions, call or text Lindee Hilton at 435-851-9559.

Green Canyon Trails for Cross-Country

Skiing & Snowshoeing: North Logan has partnered with the non-profit organization Nordic United and with the US Forest Service to groom the canyon road for cross-country skiing and snowshoeing. For grooming schedule and information about this effort, go to www.nordicunited.org. Also, please make note of the rules for taking pets with you. Please be respectful of nature.

Easter Egg Hunt: The North Logan Easter Egg hunt is set for Saturday, **April 9th** and starts at 11 a.m. **SHARP**, at the south end of Elk Ridge Park by the grass and turf fields. This is for ages 0 to 8 years old.

There will also be a special Easter hunt for those with disabilities. This hunt will begin at 10 a.m. and is for **all ages**, and will be on the south end of Elk Ridge Park by the Pavilion.

PARKS & RECREATION - Cont'd

BASEBALL/SOFTBALL

Registration: Feb. 8th - Apr. 11th
Register On-line at northloganrec.org

Learn 2 Play (Ages 3 - 4)

- Cost \$32.
- Learn how to play baseball with fun skill-stations to teach the game of baseball. This will be twice a week starting in May.
- Must be of age by June 1st.
- Includes Hat, Jersey, and Ball.
- Coaches are needed.

T-Ball (Ages 5 - 6 -- Co-Ed)

- Cost \$32.
- This will be a 20-minute practice followed by a 30-minute game. Come join this fun league.
- 2 times a week starting in May. Games will be on Mondays and Wednesdays.
- Must be of age August 31st.
- Includes Hat, Jersey, and Ball.

Baseball (Ages 7 - 14)

- Cost \$32 - \$72.
- Minors, Majors, and Pony League.
- Games are twice a week. No Saturdays, with a Cache Valley-wide tournament at the end of the season.
- Season Starts May 17th.
- Girls are welcome to play in this league.
- Must be of age by August 31st.
- Includes Jersey, and Hat. You must provide grey pants.

Fast Pitch Softball (Ages 7 - 14)

- Cost \$32 - \$42.
- Must be of age by August 31st.
- Includes Jersey and Visor.
- Games are twice a week and start May 24th. No Saturdays, with a Cache Valley-wide tournament at the end of the season.

Advertise Your Business - Recreation

Sponsorship Programs: Attention business owners: We are now offering a sponsorship package and giving you more advertising options for your money. Your business name can be displayed in various places, including: on the back of a soccer jersey (spring and fall), on the back of a baseball jersey, on the back of our race shirts, advertised on a banner at Elk Ridge Park, at Cache Recreation Complex, on our baseball fence, your company name on our schedules, and so much more. Our outdoor sports season is going to start soon, so go to northloganrec.org and click on the sponsorship link for more information, or you can contact Jesse Howe at 435-760-1644 or jesse@northlogancity.org

Looking Ahead:

- 100 Miler Club Kickoff party Saturday, April 23rd @ 10 a.m. at Elk Ridge Park at the north end. Come join us to start the season off right with a mile run or walk.
- Pioneer Day will be on Monday, July 25th.

NORTH LOGAN LIBRARY

Spring is coming soon! Don't forget to visit the library for new gardening ideas. This spring you will even be able to pick up seeds at the library!

Library Events:

- Spanish Story Time: Coming soon!
- Story Time: Every Tuesday at 10:10 am & 11:00 am. All ages are welcome!
- Coding Club: Every Tuesday at 4:30 pm, Ages 8-11.
- Lego Club: Every 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month at 4:00 pm. Ages 5 and older. A new challenge each week.
- Makerspace Club: Every 2nd & 4th Monday of the month at 4:30 pm.
- Kids Crafts: Every 2nd Wednesday from 4:30 -5:15 pm. Ages 5-9. We will be making story books to celebrate literacy month during March.
- DIY Corner: Celebrate literacy month with us by picking up a scavenger hunt reading map for the month of March! Turn in your completed map by March 31st for a special prize. Ages 5-11. Anytime during library hours.
- Adult Craft Night: Every 3rd Wednesday of the month from 6:30-8:30 pm. Ages 18 and older. We will be teaching a class on the basics of Embroidery. You will get to make a small creation!
- Fiber Crafts: Every 1st Monday of the month at 1:30 pm. Ages 12 and older. Bring your own project to work on while mingling with friends!
- Adult Book Groups: We have two book groups which read different books. The first is every 4th Tuesday of the month at 7:00 pm. The second is every 2nd Thursday of the month at 9:00 am. Ages 18 and older.
- Adult Activity: Appetizer Taster Night with Love to Cook! This will be on March 25th from 6:30-8:30 pm. Bring your friends and enjoy some yummy food while you meet Will, the owner of Love to Cook! Ages 18 and older only.
- Teen Activity: Every 4th Thursday of the month at 7:00 pm. Ages 12-17.
- Please sign-up for the activities by going to northloganlibrary.org/events.

STREETS - WINTER PARKING

Please remember that **Winter Parking Restrictions are in place**, and there is **NO parking allowed on city roadways from 1:00 a.m. to 5:00 a.m.** during the winter months. Officers will be issuing citations to those violating the overnight parking ordinance.

SEWER RATES

North Logan City sewer rates are based on a six-month average winter WATER usage (November – April). This is done to ensure that the average water usage does not include culinary water used outdoors in the summer. Your Winter Average is recalculated each year in June, so using less water during winter months by turning off your sprinkler system and watching for leaks, can help you save money on your utility bill all year.

Please note that you can also find our newsletter online at: <http://northlogancity.org/>