NEWSLETTER



November 2023

MAYOR'S MESSAGE

It's hard to believe we are about to wrap up 2023. I hope you've had a great year. As the year closes, we have the great American right to participate in government by the people. I've always liked this quote by Thomas Jefferson: "We do not have government by the majority. We have government by the majority who participate."

Our North Logan Community is one of a kind. As I vacate my seat on the City Council, I want to thank all those who make North Logan awesome. I moved here in 1992 by marriage and grew to love it here. I've had the opportunity since then to serve and work for North Logan as a volunteer firefighter, water meter reader, public works employee, fire marshal, cemetery committee member, Planning Commission member and City Council member. It's been a great ride and I've met many great people.

I want to conclude with an encouragement and plea to vote this month in our city elections. It disturbs me when we have 20% or less voting participation. That means 20% dictate the leadership for the 100%. I would be happy to see our voting participation approach 50% or even greater. Please research the candidates and issues, ask questions, and make your selection.

Ballots will be mailed the first week of November and will be due November 21st. Good luck to all the candidates and thank you for participating.

-Councilman Craig Humphreys

GOVERNMENT MEETINGS (Agendas: pmn.utah.gov)

The City Council meetings this month will take place on Wednesdays, November 1st and 15th at 6:30 p.m. In November, the City Council will consider updates to the Master Fee Schedule related to encroachment fees, along with a concept plan for single lot subdivision at approximately 1285E 1500N. This City Council may also discuss city entrance signage, fiber networks, and a potential special permit for Rocky Mountain Power.

The Planning Commission meetings in November will take place on Thursdays, November 2nd & 16th at 6:30 p.m. at the North Logan Library. The Planning Commission tentatively plans to hold public meetings and work session discussions on the following topics: ◆Review of the Preliminary Plat and Development Plan for the Nash Subdivision (~1285E 1500N); ◆Amendments to the Subdivision Ordinance required to comply with SB 174; ◆Amendment to the North Cache Business Park Subdivision located at 2500 North and 500 West; ◆Amendments to the regulations for on-site waste-water systems (septic) for new dwellings not serviced by sewer.

COMPLAINTS, CONCERNS, FEEDBACK?

If you go to the city's website at <u>northlogancity.org</u> and click on the "*I want to*" tab, you will be given an option to "*Report a Problem.*" There are quick-forms for work orders for the following departments: General Comment, Facilities, Parks, Streets, and Utilities. These forms are a great opportunity to report a concern/work order for the City staff to fix!

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 - 9th and 24th

Green Canyon - 8th and 22nd

NORTH PARK POLICE

Recently, there have been several vehicle thefts and reports of items being taken from cars. In almost every report, our officers have found that car doors were left unlocked and the keys to the vehicle were inside the car. Criminals capitalize, and look for crimes of opportunity when doors and windows are left unlocked, purses are left in shopping carts while customers browse, and expensive equipment is left unattended. Protect your loved ones by locking your vehicle and home doors, making sure the exterior lights of your home are working, and closing garage doors at night. Stay alert and use good judgement by taking the time to notice your surroundings.

In addition, the Police Department has taken several reports of public property being vandalized at our parks. If you or a family member notices something out of place or that doesn't feel right, please call Dispatch at 435-753-7555 as soon as you can. We are asking for the community's help as we try to curb this problem. Our officers can respond quickly, and it gives the police a better chance of identifying potential suspects. Our combined efforts as citizens and officers working together can help make our city safer.

If you have any questions or need help, please contact the North Park Police Department at 435-753-7600 or visit our website at www.northparkpolice.org.

-Kent W. Goodrich, Chief of Police

2023 MUNICIPAL GENERAL ELECTION

CITY COUNCIL CANDIDATES (3 seats, 4-Year Term each):

- ♦ BUZZY MULLAHKHEL
 - **♦ MARK HANCEY**
- ◆ JENNY R. WHITELEY
- **♦ KENNETH REESE**
- ♦ BRAD CROOKSTON
- ◆ ROGER T. ANDERSON

2023 GENERAL ELECTION: Tuesday, November 21, 2023

Elections will primarily be VOTE-BY-MAIL, Administered by Cache County Clerk's Office.

<u>Local Drop Boxes located at</u>: North Logan Library (475 E N 2500 N), and, North Logan City Office Lobby (1276 N 1200 E)

Ballots can also be dropped off in any Cache County Ballot Drop Box. For more locations see:

https://www.cachecounty.org/elections/ballotdropofflocations.html

- GENERAL ELECTION Early Voting: Tue-Fri, November 14-17, 10:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m. Location: Cache County Administration Office, Multipurpose Room #109, 179 North Main, Logan, Utah.
- GENERAL ELECTION Day Voting: Tue, 11/21, 7:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m. Location: Cache County Event Center (Fairgrounds), Rooms #2 & #3, 490 S 500 W, Logan, Utah.

For up-to-date election info, please see www.CacheCounty.org/Elections

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. 220 E 2850 N

Animal Control: 435-753-7555

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

Holiday hours visit www.northlogancity.org (Home Page Calendar)

PARKS & RECREATION

Triple Threat Fitness M/W/F: 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 Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Cost is \$9 per month.

Kids are welcome to come and run around but babysitting is NOT provided. Located at the indoor Hansen Family Sports Complex (HSC) at 220 E 2850 N (behind Eccles Ice Center). Come and try it out!

To register and see the schedule go to: northloganrec.org

For the following programs noted with

** Please go online for more details and to register at northloganrec.org or scan this QR Code to be taken directly to the their website!



100 Miler Club: Congratulations to all who completed the 100 miles. Your shirts are at the city office. Please come get them if you have not already.

Congratulations to our winners! Scott Ramsey wins for most total miles overall. The winner of most miles in a day goes to Jennifer Lundberg. We will have your prizes ready when you pick up your shirts!!!

Questions? Contact Jesse Howe at jesse@northlogancity.org.

Wolfpack Recreation Basketball**:

Wolfpack basketball is offered to grades Pre-K thru 8th grade. Registration is open and will close at the beginning of November. If needed, jerseys are an extra \$5.

Learn 2 Play (3-4 yrs old).....\$35 Kindergarten-2nd Grade\$40 3rd-8th Grade.....\$45

Season runs from the beginning of January through the beginning of March; eight games plus a fun shot event. All games are played on Saturdays for Kindergarten to 8th grade. Learn 2 Play will be on Thursdays.

GCHS Junior Wrestling:** Junior Wresting is for 3rd-8th graders. The season starts on Monday, November 27th. Practices are on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Cost is \$80. If you need a shirt, it is an extra \$5.

NORTH LOGAN PUMPKIN WALK

THANK YOU to everyone who came to the North Logan Pumpkin Walk, Pumpkin Run & Pumpkin



Toss!! And a special thank you to everyone who volunteered and helped out!

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We can't wait to see you at the next Pumpkin Days -October 2024!!



PARKS & RECREATION - Cont'd

Silent Santa**: This Christmas season, we will be having our fifth Silent Santa event on Saturday, December 9th. This will be an opportunity for all children with disabilities to come and get some extra time with Santa Claus. This will be a one-family-ata-time scheduled visit. No waiting in line, and no rush

to visit Santa Claus! Sign-ups are online. This is a free event!

Holiday Lighting Contest**: What is your level of Christmas spirit? Show it on the outside by decorating your house in lights and decorations! Or nominate someone worthy of 1st, 2nd or 3rd place.



Go to northloganrec.org to make your nominations.

On Wednesday, December 13th, North Logan judges will be going around town to see who gets 1st, 2nd and 3rd place.

Rules:

- All lighting displays need to be completed by the resident and not by a professional lighting company to be considered in the contest.
- You must be a North Logan resident.

Letters to Santa**: Santa wants to hear what the children of North Logan wish for this Christmas! Santa will make sure to get a letter back to each child, so be sure to include their mailing address on their letter to Letters 5 Santa! There will be mail Santa boxes for their letters at the North Logan Library, HSC,

and the City Office. Letters need to be in by December 11th!

Holiday Break Activities:

- Sports Sampler Come do a different sport per day. This will be for ages 5-13 years old.
- New Years at Noon This will give an opportunity for kids to celebrate New Years and still make it to bed on time.

Please go to northloganrec.org for more information.

Green Canyon Grooming:

 Watch future newsletters for details regarding grooming of Green Canyon for Cross Country Skiing. This program is a joint effort between Nordic United, the US Forest Service, and North Logan City.

NORTH LOGA

NLC CITIZEN SPOTLIGHT Allen and Kay Kartchner

Allen and Kay Kartchner have been living in North Logan since 1967. They raised their seven children here and have many fond



memories of North Logan over the years. "It was a friendly, happy, really comfortable place," Kay said. She said the neighborhood where they live had plenty of kids for her children to grow up with. The Kartchners said many of their children live close by, so that makes it a really great place to live.

The Kartchners have seen North Logan grow from a farming community to a suburban area. "A lot of people have moved in, and that's great," Allen said.

Allen served on the City Council from 1988 to 1997, and again from 2010 to 2011. "During that period of time there were huge changes and lots of difficult decisions that had to be made. It was pretty significant to be part of that."

Kay and Allen agreed that the Pumpkin Walk is their favorite event in North Logan. "We've had the opportunity to see it start and grow into quite an event," Allen said. They've seen it grow from a small show to an event that thousands enjoy. "The imagination that people have is great," Allen added.

SENIOR LUNCHEON

The **November** Senior luncheon will be on Mon., Nov. 6th at 11:00 a.m. The luncheon takes place at Chuck-A-Rama, 138 S. Main Street, Logan. The cost is \$5 per person and is only for CURRENT North Logan residents who are 60 years old or older. NO NEED TO RSVP! But PLEASE NOTE, that the hours to receive the North Logan Resident discount are between 11:00 a.m. through 2:00 p.m. If you go outside of those hours, you will be required to pay full-price.

Also, **DON'T FORGET** to bring your North Logan Library card to get the reduced rate!

The **December** Senior Luncheon will take place on Monday, Dec. 4th at 11:00 a.m.

Please also check the North Logan Recreation website for info regarding senior citizen programs at: northloganrec.org

DUP - RALPH SMITH CAMP

Daughters of Utah Pioneers meet monthly. Text Nancy at (435) 232-5599 for more info on time and location.



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

NORTH LOGAN LIBRARY

November Library Events

www.northloganlibrary.org/events

<u>PLEASE NOTE:</u> The library will be <u>closed</u> from November 23-25. We are so very thankful for our patrons! Happy Thanksgiving!

Jane Austen Fundraising Events: We are now selling fundraising tickets for our Fri., Feb. 23rd Tea Party (11 a.m.-3 p.m.) along with our Dinner & Ball (6-10 p.m.). Both events will be held this year at the Riverwoods Conference Center in Logan. We will have the following historical romance authors attending: Josi S. Kilpack, Esther Hatch, Jennifer Moore, and Martha Keyes. There will be dancing, a silent auction, an author panel, a delicious meal at both events, photos, and book signings with your favorite authors. Further details and tickets are here: northloganrec.org/janeaustindinnerandteaparty

NEW! 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten Reading Program: We are excited to announce a FREE reading program, for children that are ages birth to 5 years old, to encourage reading with your child at a young age, and to foster the love of reading! This is an ongoing program. You can sign-up your child any time before they enter Kindergarten. The child can earn prizes along the way, and will receive their own little booklet to keep track of their reading. The money for the booklets was kindly donated by the 'Friends of the North Logan City Library.' We are so thankful for this contribution!

Operation Christmas Child: We are happy to join with Operation Christmas Child to bring Christmas to children around the world! How to get started? 1. Come to the library to pick up a shoe box. 2. Pick what age and gender you would like to create the box for (all items need to fit in the box). 3. Take it home and fill it with new toys, school supplies, and personal care items (Please no toothpaste, candy, toy guns or knives in the boxes). 4. Pay \$10 for shipping the box. 5. Return the box to the library for delivery. We will then deliver all the boxes to the Emmanuel Baptist Church in Hyrum. They will then take them to Ogden to ship them off to countries around the world. Our goal this year is to make 150 boxes. Thank you for your generous donations and for bringing joy to a child! All boxes are due back to the library by November 10th at 7:00 p.m.

Story Time is every Tuesday and Friday at 10:10 a.m. for Toddlers, and 11:00 a.m. for all ages. CAPSA will be coming every second Friday to do special story times.

NEW! Yoga Story Time: Our yoga story time will be on Monday, November 6th and November 20th. We are partnering with USU Extension to bring this wonderful program to the library. It will be at 10:10 a.m. for Toddler Time and then again at 11:00 a.m. for preschoolers. We are extremely thankful to our 'Friends of the North Logan City Library' for donating the yoga mats for this new program.

NEW! Adult Bingo Night is every first Tuesday from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. Come for a fun night and win prizes! Bring your friends!

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NORTH LOGAN LIBRARY - Cont'd

Adult Morning Book Club is every second Thursday at 9:00 a.m. A one-time sign-up is recommended so we can send you reminder emails along with our book list. Sign-up here: https://forms.gle/wNsDY4VgLZWQV6889

NEW! Adult Hobby Series: Come join us on November 28th from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Yesenia Corona will be teaching us how to make a Mexican drink and about the Day of the Dead that is celebrated in Mexico. Sign-up is required for this program. Bring your friends for a fun night out!

NEW! Adult Game Night is typically every fourth Friday of the month from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. For the month of November, it will be moved to November 17th (the third Friday) due to the library being closed. Jen and Nik Loveland will teach fun new games monthly. Bring your friends along with some prepackaged snacks or treats to share with everyone. You are welcome to bring any games you would like to share with the group.

NEW! Create Better Health: Food Series Class!: We are excited to partner with USU extension to offer free classes on how to eat well, prepare delicious food and be active, on a budget. This is a series of classes that you attend once a month. All classes are from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. The dates and topics for the classes are as follows: November 13th - Create a Soup; December 4th - Create a Casserole; January 8th - Create Amazing Vegetables; February 12th - Create a Pizza!

Adult Fiber Crafts will be held every first and third Tuesday from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m. at the library. This club is for adults who are wanting to stitch and share stories with one another. Bring any project you are working on, whether it be cross-stitching, crocheting, knitting, or learning a new skill. It is a great way to make new friends and visit with old ones!

<u>Stem Club</u> is every first Thursday of the month from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. We will have a building challenge with marshmallows, spaghetti, and toothpicks. This club is for ages 8 to 11. Sign-up is required for this program.

<u>Kids' Craft</u> is every second Wednesday of the month from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. We will be learning how to make a Leaf Suncatcher. All of the supplies are included. Space and supplies are limited. Sign-up is required for this program.

Lego Club is every second Thursday from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. Ages 5 and older are welcome to attend. Come create and build with us! We will no longer be displaying the Lego in the library due to the program numbers growing in size. We will now be taking photos at the program and posting them on social media to share with the community.

NEW! Cultural Club is every third Tuesday of the month from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. This program is for ages 8-11. Sign-up is required. On November 21st we will be learning about Thailand. We will be trying some candy from their country and making a craft.

Library Events Continued 7



NORTH LOGAN LIBRARY - Cont'd

Volunteers Needed: We are looking for adult volunteers to share their culture with ages 8 to 11 at our Culture Club that meets once a month. It will be held every third Tuesday from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. If you would like to volunteer your time, please sign-up here: https://forms.gle/tLK8JASppVrKpYNVA

<u>Teen Activity:</u> We will be doing an escape room at the library on November 16th from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. This is for ages 12-17. Bring your friends!

<u>PLEASE NOTE:</u> If your child is under the age of 8, an adult will need to <u>stay to supervise</u> the child at the individual programs. Thank you for your support!

You can sign up for any of our events by going to the following link:

www.northloganlibrary.org/events

NLC - BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT

Discover exceptional hair care at Luna and Sol Salon! They prioritize your individual needs, ensuring that each visit leaves you feeling refreshed and confident.



Their team of dedicated professionals is committed to providing top-notch services, from precision cuts to custom colors, each tailored to enhance your personal style. Upholding values of teamwork, customer care, and respect, they foster an environment where guests can unwind and enjoy a rejuvenating salon experience. Choose Luna and Sol Salon for a remarkable and meticulously crafted hair service on your next visit. You can call them at (435) 534-1515, and they are located at 137 E 1600 N Unit #3, Logan, UT 84341.

NEW BUSINESSES IN NORTH LOGAN

Please welcome these new businesses to North Logan City!:

- ◆ Cason James Wortley DO Pediatric Medical Practice (2245 N 400 E, Suite 202)
- ◆ Normal LLC Creator of 3D Renderings / Animations (Home Based Business)
- ◆ Red's Salon Nail Salon (2051 N 200 E)

ARE YOU GETTING OUR INFO?

North Logan has a mass communication system for emergency situations. This system is also used for construction updates and recreation announcements. If you are not receiving these notifications, please contact our office at: 435-752-1310 x10, or email us at: receptionist@northlogancity.org

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

STREETS

For November, we want to remind the residents that the <u>Winter Street Overnight</u> <u>Parking Ordinance</u> goes into effect November 1st, and runs through March 31st. People parking on North Logan streets need to be mindful of the date and time restrictions for overnight parking, as police will be writing tickets. This ordinance is in place to ensure the safety of our snow plow drivers and residents, as well as the property of residents, particularly during snow storms. We appreciate your cooperation as you adhere to the ordinance as follows:

11-604 Winter Street Maintenance-Overnight Parking Prohibited

No person shall park a vehicle on any roadway or city-owned parking lot without it being attended by someone able to immediately remove the same between the hours of midnight (12:00) a.m. and six o'clock (6:00) a.m. of any day, beginning November 1st and ending March 31st, except health care professionals and/or emergency support personnel during emergency calls.

Also in November, our Streets Department will be continuing to work hard to get several city streets crack-sealed. The oil used to do this sets up after just a few minutes. However, in that short time before, it is important for traffic not to drive through this material. If that happens, the oil will stick to tires, etc. as well as be pulled off of the road. Our crews will be closing travel lanes and setting up traffic cones around the areas that they are working. Thank you for your continuing support as we improve the city streets.

STORMWATER

With us being heavily into the fall season, here are a few reminders about fallen leaves:

- 1. Please keep leaves from your property on your property as much as possible.
- 2. City workers will run our street sweeper as much as possible to keep up with leaves. However, it is a large city with only one truck. We cannot be everywhere at once. Keeping the gutter clean in front of your house, and especially storm drains clear, greatly helps city crews.
- 3. We have received a lot of rain this year, and more could be coming. Keeping the gutters and drains clear helps ensure the stormwater drains properly. Your assistance is greatly appreciated.

November also means a chance for snow. Remember to keep piled snow out of the gutter and off of the street. Also, avoid using too much ice melt, which is a source of water pollutants when used in excess. Thanks for your help in keeping our city and water clean.

CONSTRUCTION UPDATES

For updates on the City Offices and other city construction projects, please go to the link below for our city website for more info:

http://northlogancity.org/construction-projects/

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WATER

Protecting your home's backflow assembly helps North Logan keep our drinking water protected. A broken backflow assembly could allow backflows to happen, which could contaminate our water system. Now that cold weather has arrived, be sure to have your culinary irrigation lines blown out. This will help keep your backflow assembly from freezing and breaking. We also recommend insulating your backflow

LEAD REDUCTION PROGRAM

The Environmental Protection Agency requires an inventory of the material type for all of the public and privately owned service lines in Utah. North Logan City needs your help in identifying your home's material type. The pipe material can be found at the water service line entering your home in your water heater room. Fill out the QR code survey below and tell us what type of pipe is coming into your home. We need everyone's participation! More information can be found on the survey. If you would like to fill out a physical version

of the survey, copies can be picked up at the City Office. Please return physical surveys back to the City Office, or email water@northlogancity.org



LANDSCAPE CONVERSION PROGRAM REIMBURSEMENT

Tired of mowing your lawn? Ready to simplify your yard into a lower-maintenance and more water-efficient landscape? GOOD NEWS! The Utah Division of Water

Resources has recently approved North Logan City residents to participate in their landscape conversion incentive programs! This means that you could receive a reimbursement for a portion of expenses incurred to convert your yard (or a portion of your yard) into a water-wise landscape. Simply head to http://utahwatersavers.com, enter "North Logan City" as your water provider, set up an account, submit plans for your landscape conversion, and become approved to receive a refund for your landscaping!

QPR - SUICIDE PREVENTION CLASS

The Bear River Health Department will be providing a QPR (Question, Persuade and Refer) Suicide Prevention Class on Thursday, November 30th, from 7-8 p.m. at the North Logan Library Conference Room. This class teaches anyone how to recognize the warning signs of suicide, and how to offer hope and get help to save a life.



WATER METER LIDS

Please make sure that the North Logan City water meter lids on your property remain clear of obstructions such as overgrown grass, vegetation, bark or other



landscaping, vehicles, lawn decorations, etc. These meter lids have sensitive antennas that can be broken or blocked by such items, and can interfere with the signal that gives the City the read from the meter. We also need access for emergencies, as well as maintenance. Any damages done to the meters or antennas will be replaced at the homeowners' expense.

NORTH LOGAN YOUTH COUNCIL

Happy Fall from the North Logan Youth Council! We have been a part of some terrific community events the last couple of months! A big thanks to the youth council members who helped with the Meet the Candidates Night. They did a wonderful job conducting the night, asking questions and mediating responses. We love being a part of the Pumpkin Walk each year. This year we came together to create a fun scene from the children's book "Big Pumpkin" by Erica Silverman. It went along with our theme of serving and that everyone has a great part to play. We were also able to help with the city's Halloween Carnival. We appreciate everyone who makes these events happen! We're excited to announce our leadership group this year: Talmage Amado, Rachel May, Carly Nash, Kyla Cox, and Grace Albrecht will be leading our council!

FROM THE MAYOR

How can I be more informed about what's going on in North Logan City? A few ideas:

- Request to get the monthly North Logan City newsletter via email by emailing <u>mary@northlogancity.org</u>;
- 2. Email mary@northlogancity.org to ask to be on the city's text alert list;
- Follow <u>North Logan City</u> on Facebook, or <u>@northlogancity</u> on Instagram;
- 4. Follow me <u>@lyndsaylpeterson</u> and <u>@emily.oncouncil</u> on Instagram, or <u>Mayor Lyndsay Peterson</u> and <u>Emily</u> <u>Schmidt for North Logan City Council</u> on Facebook.
- Sign up for the city's mass communication service (email, text and voice notifications) by contacting the city offices. FYI, multiple people at each residence can receive notifications.

We answer questions and do deep dives on issues affecting our residents.

GARBAGE

If you have any questions or need further information regarding garbage services, please go to our website at: northlogancity.org

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