

# The Nibley City News

Nibley, Utah—August 2014

## **Thoughts From Our Mayor**

Dear Nibley Citizens,

Thanks again to everyone who helped out with Heritage Days—I'm sorry I missed Thursday and Friday activities and the parade on Saturday (I went to Scout Camp for my son's last year), but the committee did an awesome job by all accounts. Thank you!

If you're looking for another activity to keep you busy this summer, don't forget to play the new Nibley City Disc Golf course—stop by City Hall for a map and directions or go to *www.nibleycity.com*.

*Updates*: Nibley City has hired the engineer to evaluate how to make the intersection at 3200 South safer and better. If you are contacted for input, please share what you think. If you are not contacted but you have something to say, please e-mail me at *shaun@nibleycity.com*. The more input we can get from citizens the better.

Work has started on the embankment for the bridge on 2600 South. The Utah Department of Transportation (UDOT) has committed to help with the signaled light and financing of the intersection.

The sewer is constipated. The City Manager and I went down to a meeting in Salt Lake with the board that was going to finance most of the project to build a new sewer treatment plant in Logan (\$70,000,000). Logan presented sunshine and kittens, and we, along with the other Mayors in attendance, respectfully disagreed with that assessment. The Board told Logan to get their act together and come back with a solid agreement with everyone on board. We haven't heard anything since then, so we are working on our own solution set. We are going to make this work, and we will not let Logan tax us without allowing us representation.

Thanks for who you are and all you do. I'm proud to be your Mayor.

Shaun

## **Nibley City's Annual**

## **SCARECROW FESTIVAL**

This year's Nibley Scarecrow Festival will be held **Friday**, **September 5** through **Monday**, **September 8** at the Morgan Farm. This is a free, family–fun activity. This year's theme is "Marvelous Comics".

Those interested in creating a scarecrow scene can send an e-mail to *nibleysistercity@gmail.com* or contact Bryan Hansen at 245–2168 to get more information and a list of suggested Comic Book/Comic Strip Characters. There will also be an optional Scarecrow Making Night on Thursday, August 28 at the Elwood Morgan Elk Horn Park for those who want help making their scarecrows or need some supplies. Come participate in what is becoming a favorite Cache Valley event.



#### **Zumba in the Park**

Come sweat your worries away in the new Zumba class at the Nibley Park Amphitheatre. Instructors Isela Phelps and Stacey Jackson will be leading an evening class every Monday and Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. until August 20. Zumba is an aerobic fitness program featuring movements inspired by various styles of Latin American dance and is often referred to as "exercise in disguise!" Experience a full workout while dancing and exercising to musical beats. Participants will experience fantastic workout results while dancing in a controlled, instructed group-setting.

Interested participants can register by paying \$2 per individual class to be paid at the time of the class.

Please e-mail any general inquiries to Brok Nelson at *brok@ nibleycity.com*.



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## **August In the Park**

### Movie in the Park

School may have started but there is still an opportunity to enjoy the late summer evenings by joining neighbors, family, and friends on **Saturday**, **August 23** for the Movie in the Park. We will be enjoying "Monsters University." The movie will start at dusk (about

8:30 p.m.) and will be shown at the Old City Park at 350 west 3200 south.

Take a trip back in time to when star Monsters, Inc. employees Mike Wazowski (voice of Billy Crystal) and James P. "Sulley" Sullivan (voice of John Goodman) were just two promising young students at Monsters University in this frightfully fun Disney/Pixar prequel. Long before they were lurking in closets for a living, Mike and Sulley were just two Scaring majors at Monsters University, dreaming of the day they would make children shriek in terror. When their heated competition to be the most fearsome in their class gets out of hand, however, Mike and Sulley find themselves ejected from the prestigious Scare Program, and they are forced to seek the aid of their oddball friends in order to get their education back on track.



### Concert in the Park

Bring your entire family out for a cool evening, a night of beautiful Cache Valley scenery, and music. Following an opening

local act at 7:30, The National Parks will take the stage at 8:00 p.m. at the old city park on Wednesday, July 30 in Nibley. The National Parks are an up and coming Indie Folk band formed in Provo, Utah and made up of Brady Parks (Denver, CO) on guitar, kick drum, and vocals, Sydney MacFarlane (Kaysville, UT) contributing vocals, keyboard, tambourine and glockenspiel, and Bae Sorenson (Salt Lake City, UT) adding violin and vocal harmonies. Their debut album, "Young" has risen as high as #13 on the iTunes singer/songwriter chart. More information and samples can be heard at <a href="http://www.whoarethenationalparks.com">http://www.whoarethenationalparks.com</a>. Bring your blankets and enjoy this free public concert.



Bountiful Baskets is a not-for-profit food co-op for families that want to have more fresh produce for less money. This co-operative is all volunteer with no contracts and so the co-op pays rock bottom prices for their produce. The co-op offers a conventional basket for \$15 which is generally 1/2 fruit and 1/2 vegetables and there is an organic option for \$25—you must bring your own basket or container. Participants make their contributions on the website (*www.bountifulbaskets. org*) when the website opens on Mondays. The produce is then delivered for pick up at a specified location on the following Saturday. Nibley's pickup location is 300 West 3200 South; in the yellow brick historic City Hall on the south side of 3200 and next to the park.



## **Tree Board & Wildlife Association News**

## Nibley City Tree Board

The Nibley City Tree Board will hold their next meeting on September 3 at 5:00 p.m. at City Hall. They will be discussing ways to help Nibley's Parks Department put more trees in all of Nibley's City Parks. They are looking for more members to participate on the Tree Board and the public is always welcome to attend.

### Blacksmith Fork Wildlife Association

If you plant it, they will come-How do you get songbirds and pollinators to come to your yard? 8 Nibley homeowners, who have certified their property with the National Wildlife Federation, will open their yards for residents to visit on Saturday, July 26, from 9:00 a.m. to Noon. This is a free tour sponsored by our volunteer Cache Valley Wildlife Association. Participants who register to certify their property that day will also receive a free tree for their property. If there are extra trees, they will be given away at a free drawing. Join them to see a variety of ways to provide food, water and shelter for our colorful, and helpful, wildlife neighbors. Your participation will also help us make Nibley the first city certified as a wildlife community in Utah. Maps and registration will be at Nibley City Hall on that Saturday morning only, from 9:00-11:30 a.m.

The next BFWA meeting will be on held **Tuesday**, **September 9** at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall. For questions on any of the above information contact **Ron Hellstern** at 245-9186.

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## **Hyrum Senior Center**

The Hyrum Senior Center is starting an advisory committee made up of two people from each city South of Logan, from River Heights to Avon. Volunteering for this committee would require a meeting every other month, coming up with ideas to make the senior center better, and help at big socials. They need men and women. Please call them at 245–3570 if you are interested in helping out for a two-year term.

The Senior Center has the following activities scheduled in August:

Monday-Mat yoga at 9:30 a.m. Quilting and pool.

- August 4 Board meeting at 1:30 p.m. The public is invited.
- August 11 Pedometer challenge trip to Bear Lake for free shakes

Tuesdays-Mat yoga at 9:30 a.m. Games at 12:30 p.m.

• August 19 Sign up for free manicures done by Harmony Homehealth at 11:00 a.m.

Wednesday–Free bread after 10:00 a.m. Programs Start at 12:30 p.m.

- August 6 Summer Social with the swinging 50's and 60's music of Lillium. This activity costs \$4.00 and begins at 12:00 p.m. with prizes for costumes but they are optional
- August 13 Singing by the Cache barbershop quartet.
- August 20 Bagpipes and family singing with Donny Anderson.
- August 27 Singing by Lorie Pulotu.

Thursday-Road trip day

 August 7 Overnight Bear Lake Trip and "Bandito" at Pickleville Playhouse.

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• August 14 Red Hat at Joanie's cabin.

August 21 A trip to Cub
 River and dinner
 at Deer Cliff Inn.

Fridays-Bingo at 12:30 p.m. Bingo is all donation. They ask that everyone bring a wrapped white elephant on the second Friday of each month.

The Hyrum Senior Center is having a Witches Bootique October 3–4 and are looking for vendors, preferably with Halloween items. Please call the center for more information and ask for Vicky.

## **Reminders from Nibley City Staff**

**Utility Fees** 

Starting this month, Nibley City's Storm Water Fee will be going up from \$6.00 to \$6.25 to help keep up with the cost of handling storm water here in the city. Also, the 911 Communications Fee will be going up from \$2.00 to \$3.00 to help pay for the maintenance and replacement of emergency communications equipment. If you have any questions, please contact Stephen Nelson the City Utility Manager at *Stephen@nibleycity.com* or by calling the City Offices.

Besides barbecues, hikes, and no school, summer is also a time for weeds and other not so fun yard problems. As a reminder, Nibley City code 4-2 states that weeds over 12" are a nuisance and must be cut. Please keep those pesky weeds under control.

There are vending machines with Coca-Cola products located at all of our city parks. Pennies will not work in the machines. If the machine "eats your money," please call **1-800-659-4395** and someone will assist you. They will come and fix the machine and you will get a refund from Coca-Cola directly.

#### **Online Facility Reservations**

You are now able to reserve and pay for the community center or our four park pavilions online. By going to *http://nibley.sportsites.com/* or using the link at nibleycity.com->Departments-> Parks & Recreation you will be able to see when these facilities are available and make reservations all online. For items such as to pick up a key and to pay for a cleaning deposits, you will still need to come into the office the business day before your event. If you have any questions please call Stephen at the city office, 435-752-0431, or send an email to stephen@nibleycity.com.

Trees, shrubs, and flower gardens adorn our community along sidewalks and roadways. While they provide beauty and shade, untrimmed trees and shrubs can inhibit pedestrian use of sidewalks and cause walkers to sometimes leave the sidewalk to avoid the vegetation. Please trim trees and bushes so they do not impede the normal flow of pedestrians.

—Nibley City Staff

## **School Starts This Month**

Believe it or not, Nibley's children go back to school this month. School begins at Nibley and Heritage Elementary schools on **Thursday**, **August 21**. Thomas Edison Charter school goes back in session on **Tuesday**, **August 19**. Be watching for more information on Back-to-School nights and start getting your kids ready to have a successful and safe school year.

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## **Hyrum Library**

Summer reading has been a blast. Thanks to all the patrons who have participated; the library had it's biggest month ever with 39,311 checkouts in June. The UnPlugged program was a huge success and the library looks forward to being a part of it again next year.



Mark your calendar for the events being offered at the Hyrum Library in August:

- *Downloadable Monday*—Held each Monday at 11:00 a.m.; these classes will now focus on a different device at each class. Contact the library when they will hold a class for your device.
- *Make n' Take Craft Day*—each Tuesday from 1:00–5:00 p.m.
- *Story Times*—Thursdays at 12:30 p.m.
- *Eric Herman Concert*—July 28 at 7:00 p.m. Come enjoy a night of fun music and entertainment by one of the library's favorite children's performers.

Looking ahead, the library will begin two free computer classes in September. The first is "Online Research for Work or School". The second class is "Finding Your Lost Family: Introduction to Family Research Databases". Both of these classes are being offered by the new owners of Pintech Computers. Regular story times will begin again in September for all children 3-5 years old. Sign-ups are always on the first day of each month and finally, Chess club will also be starting soon. You may call the library at 245-6411 for more information on any of these upcoming classes.

With a new budget year, the library always has lots of new books, DVDs, and audio books. Come check out what's new at the library.

## **Recruitment Announcement**

Nibley-Millville First Responders are currently recruiting new members who would be willing to serve their communities by providing volunteer pre-hospital emergency medical care. Applicants must hold a current EMT certification from the Utah Bureau of Emergency Medical Services or be willing to attend and successfully complete an EMT course. Financial tuition assistance may be available for interested applicants. For more information, please contact Chris Searle at squad140@gmail.com.

## **The Recreation Report**

## Co-Ed Softball Tournament

Nibley City is hosting its first annual softball tournament August 15–16 at Nibley Park. Games will begin Friday evening, and continue through Saturday. This is a CO-ED, 2-pitch formatted event. All teams are guaranteed at least 3 games. This is sure to be a family friendly, fun-filled tournament. Register a team and participate in a great recreation experience.

Interested participants can register online at *http:// Nibley.sportsites.com* with a cost of \$200 per team. More information can be found at *www.nibleycity.com*, or by visiting the Nibley City offices.

Please email any registration questions, or general inquiries to Brok Nelson at *brok@nibleycity.com*.

Congratulations to our 2014 Nibley Rookie Champions. The Mets were coached by Chris Dockstader and Assistant Coach Brandon Duce and the championship play-

ers included Benjamin Thomas, Corbett Sorensen, Casen Dockstader, Brady Cook, Brady Duce, Calvin Weeks, Tate Forsberg, Kaden Bernhardt, Cache Weeks, and Carson Larkin.



## CENTER FOR THE ARTS



BRAND NEW ORCHESTRA PROGRAM FOR ADULTS IN CACHE VALLEY

#### **New Horizons Orchestra Open House**

- Date/Time

Wednesday September 3, 2014, 12:00 – 2:00 pm - Location

Cache Valley Center for the Arts, Bullen Center 43 South Main, Logan



ache Valley New Horizons Orchestra will provide adults (ages 40 and older) with the opportunity to learn a string instrument. It will also serve as a re-entry point for those who have not played their instrument in many years. In addition to providing an affordable and quality music education for its members, the Cache Valley NHO will act as a teacher training program for USU music education students.

Come meet the orchestra directors, pick up a required music list, find out the best instrument rental and purchase options, and see the beautiful CVCA facilities.

#### Class Info

- Trimester Start: September 15, 2014
- Trimester End: December 10, 2014
- Rehearsal Times: Monday and Wednesday, 12:00 PM 2:00PM
- Cost: \$130

#### Contact

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