



The Nibley City News

Nibley, Utah—September 2017

Thoughts From Mayor Dustin



by Mayor Dustin

Dear Nibley,

This is going to be a short one. I'm watching an old surfing movie from the 60's called Endless Summer; I've spent the last two weeks chained to my desk working on a proposal for my day job, and between that, the movie, and the sun outside, it's time for me to enjoy some summer in Cache Valley.

It's been a beautiful year, and I hope you've all had some time to be a part of it.

Thanks for your patience with all the construction this summer. The highway has been noisy and dirty, but by the time you see this it should be mostly done. The street crews have done a great job with sealing more of our streets and keeping us caught up on maintenance.

I have a big favor to ask all of you. School is starting up again. Please be careful of all the kids out there. We have the new high school and three elementary schools. I'm particularly concerned about 2600 South, 3200 South, and 800 West. Just be careful out there.

Last but not least, we have an election coming up. We had a primary this week and I was disappointed to see the turnout at 9%; not 9% of Nibley, 9% of registered voters. As a seasoned politician, I guess I could look at that and hope that it means that we are doing such a good job you're not worried. I could also look at it and assume that it means that we are doing so poorly that it doesn't matter what you do. But as an American, I'm pretty bummed to see that. I've read the studies that say that one vote doesn't matter and maybe from a math standpoint it doesn't, but as a matter of principle it really does. Voting means that you have a stake in the game, but this isn't a game, it's your neighborhood, your city, and all the stuff that hits close to home. I don't want you to vote so you can vote for me or my friends or the stuff I like to do—I don't care who or what you vote for. You should vote because in this representative republic of ours, unless you are running for office, that's how you get your say and your say matters.

I like canoes. When most people learn to paddle a canoe, they paddle for a while then they realize that they are just going in circles. So they switch sides and at first it seems like you've fixed your problem but you just start going in a circle in the opposite direction. With a little time and some good instruction, you learn that it's not the big deep strokes that keep you on course, it's the little push you give the paddle at the end of each stroke. Once you get that figured out, you get to where you want to go. That's what your vote is, that little flick at the end of every stroke. It doesn't seem like much but that little flick is what sets the course and keeps you on track. The more votes we get, the easier it is to stay on course.

Thanks for who you are and all you do, and I hope to see you at the polls in November. It matters.

Mayor Dustin

NYC

Nibley Youth Council

All Nibley residents in grades 10–12 are eligible to join the Nibley City Youth Council for the upcoming year. Application are now available online at www.nibleycity.com, at Nibley City Hall, and in the main office at Ridge-line High School. Applications should be turned in to Nibley City Hall no later than **Friday, September 8 by 5:00 p.m.** All applicants will be required to attend a mandatory interview on **Thursday, September 14, at 8:30 p.m.** at Nibley City Hall and are asked to be on time and dress casually.

Nibley City's Youth Council is a vital part of Nibley City's community success. The NYC provides opportunities to have fun while serving our community with other Nibley young people.

Please contact Trudy Knight at 232-6120 with any questions you might have concerning NYC.



Nibley City's Offices will be closed **Monday, September 4** to observe Labor Day.



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To contact Mayor Shaun Dustin
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Public Office Hours—Tuesdays
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

If you have comments, or information that could be included in the newsletter, please contact cheryl@nibleycity.com.

Head Up, Phone Down When Headed Back to School

From Rick Williams, Nibley Emergency Manger



Summertime offers a nice reprieve from the constant shuffling of papers, carpools and heavy backpacks of the school year. Now that Fall has rolled around again, parents and kids have a lot to juggle. As your children march out the door for school every day, we need to ensure that they get home safely.

A Little History

In 1995, children ages 5 to 9 were more at risk than any other age group under 19 for being struck by a vehicle while walking. The good news is, the death rate for kids of all ages in this category declined more than 50% in the last 20 years. But there is much more work to be done. According to a study by www.SafeKids.org, 61 children are hit by cars every day in the United States, most often during the hours before and after school, and peaking in September. However, there has been a noticeable demographic shift. It is now much more likely a teenager will be hit by a car than his or her younger counterpart. According to a recent study, 47% of pedestrians who died after being hit by a motor vehicle were aged 15–19. During that same time, 16,000 pedestrians ages 19 and younger were injured. That's 44 per day.

They Send How Many Texts?

We must all be focused on efforts to eliminate distracted walking—specifically walking while texting. According to a study by The Nielsen Company, kids ages 13–17

send more than 3,400 texts a month. That's seven messages every hour they are awake. Before your children head out, remind them of these year-round safety tips:

- Never walk while texting or talking on the phone.
- If texting, move out of the way of others and stop on the sidewalk.
- Never cross the street while using an electronic device
- Do not walk with headphones on.
- Be aware of the surroundings.
- Always walk on the sidewalk if one is available; if a child must walk on the street, he or she should face oncoming traffic.
- Look left, right, then left again before crossing the street.
- Cross only at crosswalks.

Not Only Kids Are Distracted

Drivers have a lot to pay attention to in school zones and there is never an occasion that justifies using a phone while driving. One call or text can change everything.

The most common form of travel to school for students age 5 to 14 is the family car. That translates into a lot of cars in school zones at the same time. Eliminating all distractions is key to keeping children safe.

As the new school year begins, please join Nibley City in doing everything possible to prevent senseless injuries and deaths.



Beginnings Memorial Painting

Hopefully you've gotten the chance to come to Nibley City Hall and see the Cache Valley Beginnings Memorial Painting that hangs in the City Council chamber. The painting was commissioned by the Daughters of the Utah Pioneers and the Cache Valley Beginnings Committee and painted by Larry Winborg. The painting is a mural depicting the earliest settlements of Nibley and Cache Valley through various historical scenes.

You can now order a print of this beautiful painting:

Size in Inches	Mounted Canvas	Heavy Paper
24 x 6	\$107	\$77
30 x 20	\$168	\$120
36 x 24	\$242	\$172
42 x 30	\$378	\$252

Payment is due when the print is ordered and can be paid for with cash, check, or credit card (3% fee will



be added). You'll be notified within 2 weeks when your print is ready to be picked up at the Nibley City offices. Proceeds will go towards the cost of the painting. Order forms can be found at Nibley City Hall.

Please feel welcome to stop in and see the painting. We are excited to show it off.

Nibley City Primary Election Results

Candidate	Votes	Percentage
• Kathryn Beus	139	29.57%
• Ryan Olsen	53	11.28%
• Allen V. Cook	56	11.91%
• Garrett Mansell	111	23.62%
• Norman L. Larsen	111	23.62%

254 ballots were counted and 470 total votes were cast.

The Nibley City General Election will be on **Tuesday, November 7**. Results of the General Election will determine Nibley City's Mayor and individuals for two Nibley City Council seats. Trudy Elise Knight and Shaun Dustin are Nibley's candidates for Mayor.



Meet the Candidates for the General Election on **Friday, October 13 at 7:00 p.m.** at Nibley City Hall. Come prepared with questions for the candidates. You can also submit questions in advance to cheryl@nibleycity.com. Your questions will be kept anonymous. Nibley City Youth Council is sponsoring the event and cookies will be served.

Reminders from Nibley City Staff

Solicitors

Nibley City code (3-4) requires all solicitors or peddlers to obtain a license from Nibley City. Nibley City requires a background check of any individual seeking a license. Solicitors are required to show their license at the request of any citizen. If a solicitor is caught without a license, they can be cited by law enforcement. If you are dealing with an overly-pushy solicitor, whether they have obtained a license or not, it is your right to get law enforcement involved. Officers appreciate the name and a good description of the individual when being called to assist. However, if you are concerned about a solicitor approaching your doorstep, the best course of action may be to simply not open the door.

Keeping Nibley Beautiful

Fall is on its way and our beautiful Nibley trees will start dropping their leaves soon. Please dispose of your yard debris properly. You can pay to have a greenwaste garbage can picked up from your home regularly by calling the Logan Environmental Department at 716-9755; or Nibley City provides greenwaste bins so you can properly dispose of yard debris. These bins are located at 3390 South 1200 West.

Never dump leaves and other yard debris in a canal or other open waterway. Not only is this against Nibley City ordinance, it can cause a waterway to back up and may cause flooding.

—Nibley City Staff

Recreation Roundup

Adult Pick-up Soccer:

Adults 18 and older can enjoy a fun drop-in/pick-up soccer experience under the lights for just \$1/night at Anhder Park starting **Thursday, September 7**. Pick-up games are every Thursday until it snows **starting at 8:30** and going until 10 p.m. Players can come and go at any time as they enjoy a fun and friendly game while getting a great workout.



Nibley Fit

With school back in session our Nibley Fit Schedule has adjusted to fit your healthy routine:

Monday	HIIT	9:30 a.m.
Tuesday	Yoga	6:00 a.m.
Wednesday	HIGH	6:00 a.m.
Thursday	Zumba	9:30 a.m.
Friday	Yoga	9:30 a.m.

Nibley Scarecrow Fun Run



On **October 7** join the fun at the Nibley City Scarecrow Family Fun Run at Heritage Park at **8:30 a.m.** Bring the whole family, since there is something for everyone at this event including FREE runs: 100 Yard Dash (4 and under), 1/4 mile (8 and under), 1/2 mile (12 and under), and the Extra Mile Walk/Run (2 miles for any age).

The 10K Main Event is an experience like no other where at a point or two along the route you will run through scarecrows that may jump out and chase you. This will improve your finish time of course with a boost of adrenaline. Creative categories with fun prizes will be posted at www.facebook.com/nibley. 10K runners receive a Tech T-shirt, professional timing from Runner Card's signature finish line results, a well-marked course, and fabulous prizes for top finishers. Register for the 10K now until **September 17** for just \$20. The price goes to \$25 until October 6, and will be \$30 on race day from 7:00–7:25 a.m. during registration and check in. Online registration is now open and you can find more event information at www.nibleycity.com.

Put It On Your Schedule—Halloween BOONanza

Nibley City's Boonanza will be **Thursday, October 26** from **6:00–8:00 p.m.** at a local Elementary School (TBA).

The Nibley City Council meets the first and third Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at Nibley City Hall. The Nibley City Planning & Zoning Commission meets the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at 5:30 p.m. All meetings are open to the public.

Agendas, minutes, and ordinances are posted on the Nibley City website: www.nibleycity.com and www.pmn.utah.gov

Serving in Our Community

Morgan Farm

The end of summer is a busy time at Morgan Farm. Lane Jensen from Tremonton delivered hay to them at a very good price. Thanks Lane. Fortunately, the Nibley 5th ward High Priests, Elders, and Young Men turned out twice to receive and stack the hay. Without all of these selfless volunteers, the farm couldn't keep things going. Thanks to everyone who helped again this year.



The Cache county fair started off with a bang and Nibley's Morgan Farm was well represented. Heather and Rachel Nelson showed two pygmy goats from the farm with Heather taking first place in the Doe Class and Reserve Grand Champion in the Overall Doe class. Rachel took second place in the Intermediate Doe class.



On Friday Heather showed again, winning First place in the 1-3 year old filly Halter class, and Overall Grand Champion filly/mare with her 2 year old, Cinder. She also placed Third in the Snaffle Bit Class. Adison Eversull took second in the 4 year and up mare Halter class with one of the farm horses named Lena. On Saturday, Heather competed in 3 events and placed Third in Halter and Ranch Stock Western Pleasure Jr. Horse.



Tree Board & Wildlife Association

Autumn is a great time to plant trees and there are usually lots of sales going on. Invest a few dollars in trees today and reap the benefits for decades. Trees can:

- Provide food for people and wildlife.
- Increase property values.
- Provide serenity and solitude.
- Reduce stress levels.
- Provide shade and wind protection.
- Clean pollutants from the air.
- Purify water above and below ground.
- Provide natural compost for lawns and gardens.
- Convert CO2 and other gases to oxygen.
- Reduce sediment flow into rivers.
- Reduce noise levels.

The Senior Center

The Hyrum Senior Center is accepting vendors for the annual Fall Craft Fair being held **October 6-7** and are still in need of denim pants and baskets. The Senior Center is open to ALL seniors. Lunch is at noon. Please call 245-3570 by 10:00 a.m. if you are joining them for lunch.

September's Schedule

Mondays– Quilting and pool

- **Sep. 4** CLOSED
- **Sep. 11** Breakfast & Bingo for a Buck at 10:30 a.m. Board meeting at 1:00 p.m.
- **Sep. 25** Breakfast & Bingo for a Buck at 10:30 a.m.

Tuesdays– Yoga at 9:30 a.m. Games at 12:30 p.m.

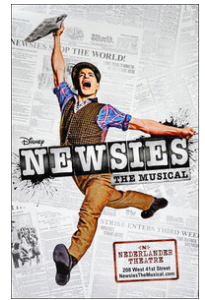
- **Sep. 12** Awesome Tip Class at 11:00 a.m.

Wednesdays–Programs start at 12:30 p.m.

- **Sep. 6** Tuacahn Trip
- **Sep. 13** Seniors Got Talent hosted by Mary from CNS
- **Sep. 20** Family Feud game day
- **Sep. 27** Transitions by Dr. Firth Singing with Teresa Jones

Thursdays–No lunch is served

- **Sep. 14** Sweet Peas Club at 10:30 a.m.
- **Sep. 21** A trip to Deer Cliff Inn
- **Sep. 28** Craft Fair workday
- **Fridays**– Lunch and Bingo at 12:30 p.m.
- **Sep. 15** *Annie* at the Heritage Theater



The Hyrum Museum

The Hyrum City Museum is pleased to partner with the Cache Valley Historical Society to bring their annual *Historic Homes Tour* on **Saturday, September 9** from **10:00 am to 4:00 p.m.** The Hyrum Museum, historic Main Street cabins, and Elite Hall will be bonus features on the tour. The museum will be sponsoring a children's coloring contest with prizes during the event. For more information, visit www.cachevalleyhistory.com.

Elite Hall Restoration Committee

The 2nd annual Fall Harvest Festival will be on **Saturday, September 9** from **5:30–7:00 p.m.** at the Elite Hall. Bring your family and friends and enjoy a delicious chili/soup dinner in a bread bowl with drink for only \$5. If you don't know what to do with all that zucchini, donate it. Garden produce, fruit, baked goods, and canned food items are being accepted. Come and see what delicious treats have been donated to take home with you. Visit www.elitehall.org or the Hyrum Museum for more information.