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City of Stayton's Monthly Newsletter

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Street Sweeper Schedule

As a reminder the City's Street Sweeper will be sweeping daily until the end of December. Sweeping will be West of 1st Ave. Monday & Tuesday, and East of First Ave. Thursday and Friday.

Leaves and other debris should never be blown or placed in the road. Remove garbage cans from road and remove non-operating vehicles, sports equipment, and other objects that may block the sweeper from sweeping your neighborhood's curb.



Letter to the City: Giving Thanks



November is the month of gratitude, so I thought it the perfect time to share some of the things I am thankful for. And honestly, there is not enough space in this newsletter to cover it all, so I will touch on the highlights.

First, I am beyond grateful for the amazing staff here at the City. The staff are dedicated and hardworking and work tirelessly, often unseen, to help make sure the City runs. Their efforts keeping our clean water flowing, our

wastewater where it is supposed to be, our parks mowed, our library a safe and welcoming space for all, our pool a fun place for recreation, our codes enforced, our development compliant with regulations, our bills paid, our money safely and meticulously accounted for and our streets and community safe.

I am also very thankful for our many volunteers who give their time to support the community. This begins with our City Council, made up of hard-working volunteers who dedicate hours each week to the community. They connect with community members, provide guidance for city improvements, and work to ensure the community receives the support it needs. Our other community volunteers include members of the Library Board, Arts Commission, Parks Board, Planning Commission, and Budget Committee who dedicate hours reviewing information, providing feedback and guidance to City staff, and bettering the community of Stayton grow and develop new opportunities. This is in addition to all those in the community who volunteer through clubs, churches, schools, etc. and contribute to making this an amazing place to live.

Finally, my appreciation would not be complete if I didn't acknowledge all our amazing community partners who also work to make this a vibrant place to live. Partners like Revitalize Downtown Stayton, the Stayton Sublimity Chamber of Commerce, Santiam Hospital, Stayton Fire District, the Santiam Water Control District, the Brown House, the Santiam Teen Center, the North Santiam School District, Santiam Youth Sports, Regis-St. Mary's and many more!

I hope as you enter the holiday season with your family and friends, you can focus on the people and things that you cherish and minimize getting caught up in the stress that often comes with the season.

Best wishes and happy holidays,

Julia Hajduk

19th Annual Covered Bridge Community Dinner — Nov. 27

Visit the Covered Bridged Café on Wednesday, November 27 for their annual Community Dinner.

The Covered Bridge Café will open their dining room at 3:30 p.m. Enjoy a warm Thanksgiving dinner with those close to you and connect with your community. Deliveries and curbside pickups will begin at 2:30 p.m. To-go orders will be limited and are first come first serve.



Donations and volunteers are needed, please call (503) 767-3945 for more information.







Coffee with a Cop — November 18



On **November 18 at 7:30 a.m.**, start the day with Coffee with a Cop at McDonald's (1988 Shaff RD SE). Join our officers and staff for coffee and conversation.

We would love to hear about any issues you may be having in your neighborhood, what safety concerns you may have in the community, or just chat and allow you to get to know our staff and agency. We look forward to seeing you!

Stayton Leaf Clean-up — November 16 & Dec. 14

This **November 16** and **December 14**, Stayton City Shop (1820 N First Ave.) will be accepting leaf and yard debris drop-off. Drop-offs are free, we do ask that you provide a canned food for the Stayton Food Bank.

We are seeking volunteers to help Stayton seniors and Stayton residents in who need assistance with their yards debris. If you need assistance or would like to volunteer, call our Community Engagement Coordinator at (503) 769-3425 (Opt.7).

Annual Pool Maintenance — Nov. 17—Dec. 3



The Stayton Family Memorial Pool will be closed from November 17th to December 1st for their annual cleaning and maintenance check-up. This time allows us to complete repairs that are unable to be completed while the pool is open. It also ensures that the facility is running smoothly and that the community can enjoy some quality swim time for the rest of the year.

The pool will reopen to the public on December 2nd. All memberships will be 50% off for the month of November.

To learn more about pool rates and hours, contact Stayton Family Memorial Pool at (503) 767-7665.

City of Stayton Calendar - November 2024

Wed Sun Mon Tue Fri Sat November 4-11 City offices will be lit green for Operation Greenlight in support of our veterans. Learn how you can participate and by visiting www.naco.org/program/operation-green-light-veterans Nov. 29-Dec. 6, Stayton will have special events to celebrate the holidays. Check online for the full schedule at www.staytonoregon.gov/events/holidayfestival 3 8 City Council Parks & Recreation 7:00 p.m. Board 6:00 p.m. 10 12 13 14 15 Veteran's Day Stayton Leaf Clean-Up Offices Closed 17 18 19 22 23 20 21 Library Board Public Arts City Council 7:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. Commission 6:00 p.m. 24 27 28 Planning Commission **Holiday Fest** First Responder Tree Decorating 7:00 p.m. Downtown 5:00 p.m. 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Thanksgiving Office Closed

*To learn more about City Council, Boards, and Commissions, visit our City website or watch live on our YouTube page.

Stayton Public Library

Library's November Schedule

Fun for all at the Stayton Public Library! You can check the Library's calendar online at calendar.staytonlibrary.org

For more information, please call (503) 769-3313 or send an email to <u>info@staytonlibrary.org</u>.

Family Storytime

Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m.

Come explore the world of early literacy through songs and rhythms, stories and rhymes. All ages welcome.

Toddler Time: Stay & Play

Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m.

Explore the world of early learning and literacy together with your infant or toddler, through different activities and stations for play. Older siblings welcome.

Build-It! LEGOS

Tues-Fri., November 5-8, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Release your inner Builder! What can YOU build with LEGOs?

DIY Craftshop: No-Sew Pumpkins

Thursday, November 14, 5:30 p.m.

Join us to make some fabric pumpkins. No sewing involved! Supplies will be provided.

Reader's Café

Tues.-Fri., November 19-22

Stop in to "taste" a selection of themed titles in children's literature and build up your personal library with a free book to keep! This program is designed for readers of all ages.

It's a Story-Palooza!

Tuesday, November 26, 10:30 a.m.

Instead of our regular storytime, join us for a celebration of stories and storytelling with activities for all ages.