Monthly Newsletter



September 2023

Our 2023 Wheat and Beet Days celebration was a success! Thank you to all who came and participated with us and all those who helped make it happen!

School is back in session. Please be cautious and watch out for kids. Remember to travel 20 mph or less in the school zones, stop for crossing guards and obey all the traffic laws to help keep you and our kids safe.

Construction crews will be working on the West Factory Street Project for the next few months. Please be careful driving through the area and if you can avoid it, please do so.

Along with the construction, Lakeshore Learning has announced that they are coming to Garland. This will also increase traffic and construction on West Factory as they start the groundwork for their building.

Service opportunities

Saturday, September 9 from 8 - 10 am at the Garland City Park, we will be teaming up with JustServe.org and repainting the bleachers at the ball diamond. We are looking for volunteers to come help. All you need to do is show up!



September 11 & 12 from 3-6 pm at the Tremonton Food Pantry - 180 S Tremont St.

Items Needed:

Applesauce Ketchup Hygiene Items Jam/Jelly Dog Food Fresh Produce Cooking Oil Non-Perishable Frozen Meat

Park and Recreation

Spring Soccer will be starting the week of September 13, 2023. Be watching for information from your children's coaches.

Now Hiring!

Garland City is currently hiring for a part-time school crossing guard working 1.5 hours a day.

Calendar items

The city offices will be closed on September 4th for Labor Day.

Library

The library will be closed on September 4th.

Note- activities marked with a * require sign-up in advance at the Library.

Toddler Storytime - Monday at 10:00 am

September 11 - Food, Fun, & Reading September 18 - Food, Fun, & Reading September 26 - Fall

Storytime - Thursday at 4:00 pm

September 7 - Grandparents

September 14 - National Coloring Day

September 21 - Elephants

September 28 - Fall

Children's Activities (Ages 7-12) at 5:30 pm

September 12 - *Fairy Gardens

September 26 - Halloween Countdown

Astronomy Talk September 18 at 6:00 pm (all ages)

*Movie in the Park September 22 (weather permitting)

Matilda

Take-home crafts - New crafts are available each month. (while supplies last)

See the Library for book clubs and more information.

Emergency Preparedness

September is National Preparedness Month. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) along with 3,000 global, national, regional, and local governments, as well as private and public health institutions, supports emergency preparedness efforts and encourages Americans to take action before, during, and after an emergency.

For the month of September, focus on: **Pet Preparedness**

Make your pets and livestock part of your emergency plans. It is important to include your pets or livestock in any emergency plans you make for your household. They are dependent on you for their safety and well-being.

Here are some steps you can take to make an emergency plan for your animals:

- Create a pet emergency plan
- Have a pet emergency kit
- Have an emergency plan for your livestock

PET EMERGENCY PLAN:

- Know a safe place to take your pets. Know which hotels and motels along your evacuation route will accept pets in an emergency. Call ahead for reservations if you know you may need to evacuate. Ask if no-pet policies could be waived in an emergency.
- Most American Red Cross shelters cannot accept pets because of health and safety concerns and other considerations. Service animals that assist people with disabilities are allowed in Red Cross shelters.
- Know which friends, relatives, boarding facilities, animal shelters or veterinarians can care for your animals in an emergency.
 Prepare a list with phone numbers.
- Although your animals may be more comfortable together, be prepared to house your pets separately.
- Include your pets in evacuation drills so that they become used to entering and traveling in their carriers calmly.
- Make sure that your pet's vaccinations are current and that all dogs and cats are wearing collars with securely fastened, up-to-date identification. Many pet shelters

- require proof of current vaccinations to reduce the spread of disease.
- Consider having your pet "microchipped" by your veterinarian.

PET EMERGENCY KIT:

Place the following items in a sturdy, easy-to-carry container:

- Sturdy leashes, harnesses and/or carriers to transport pets safely and ensure that they can't escape.
- Food, drinking water, bowls, cat litter/pan and a manual can opener if your pet eats canned food.
- Medications and copies of medical records stored in a waterproof container.
- A first aid kit.
- Current photos of you with your pet(s) in case they get lost. Since many pets look alike, this will help to eliminate mistaken identity and confusion.
- Information on feeding schedules, medical conditions, behavior problems, and the name and number of your veterinarian in case you have to foster or board your pets.
- Pet beds and toys, if easily transportable.

Paperless Statements

Sign up for emailed statements and save \$1.00 per month on your utility bill. To sign up, please email the city office at mandi@garlandutah.org or call the city office at 435-257-3118 ext. 1002. You will need to give your account name and the email address you want your statement to be sent to. (Leave a message if no one answers).

