# Monthly Newsletter



# December 2023

Thank you to all of our veterans who came out and participated in our Veterans Day celebration last month.

Also, thank you to all who voted for our city council members. The results are listed below and terms will begin January 3, 2024.

#### <u>4-Year Term</u>

Josh Munns Sharla Nelson Tena Allen

<u>2-Year Term</u> Donnie Howell

#### **Public Works**

No on-street parking during winter so city workers can safely remove snow. Please remove empty garbage cans from the street as soon as possible.

Also, if you live near a fire hydrant, please help keep it clear of snow and debris to avoid any problems in case of a fire.

Water Meter Guidelines - Anyone needing help with water leaks or meter concerns should contact the city office and request public works assistance. Residents are not authorized to adjust meters, including turning on or off the water. Individuals that cause damage to meters will be charged for any repairs.

# **Parks and Recreation**

Congratulations to the Bear River Little League Football Jr Pee Wee-Black for winning the Mini Bowl Championship and to the Mighty Mite-Black and Pee Wee teams for making it to the Mini Bowl Championship games!

Please watch for spring soccer registration to begin the last part of January 2024.

# Calendar items

There will be no city council meeting on December 6. The only city council meeting this month will be on December 20th.

The city offices and library will be closed on December 25 and January 1.

# Library

Note-activities marked with an \* require sign-up in advance at the library.

Toddler Storytime - Monday at 10:30 am December 4 - Christmas Trees December 11 - Reindeer December 18 - Santa Claus Storytime - Thursday at 4:00 pm

December 7 - Nutrition with special guest December 14 - 12 days of Christmas December 21 - Christmas December 28 - New Year

Children's Activities (Ages 7-12) at 5:30 pm December 12 - Lego Christmas Ornaments December 29 - \*New Year's Eve Party

See the Library for book clubs and more information.

#### **Emergency Preparedness**

Thank you to all who joined us this past year in our Preparedness Bingo efforts. This is our last call for November/December.

**Last Call-Out:** Shelter/Clothing/Fire, \$100 cash - pennies, nickels, dimes and quarters

#### Shelter/Clothing/Fire

You can only last three to four hours in extreme conditions without adequate shelter. Maintaining your body temperature in hot or cold temperatures is vital for survival. This can be hard to do if you are out of your normal environment or the power to your home is out.

Knowledge of how to maintain your optimal body temperature can help you "Be Ready" to save your life or the life of someone you care about.

# DO THIS

- Learn the science of sheltering and layering so you can create lifesaving shelters in any situation, then practice.
- Gather sheltering supplies like blankets, tents, sleeping bags, mylar, cold weather clothing, and clear plastic sheeting. Include sheltering items as needed in your disaster supply kit.
- Learn how to keep your home warm or cool as needed if the power goes out.
- Learn how to safely build, start, and put out a fire using a variety of different starting and extinguishing methods, then practice.

# \$100 CASH - pennies, nickels, dimes, and quarters

An emergency fund is a savings account containing money to be used only in the event of an emergency. During any incident, whether natural or man-made, it has been shown that the cost of items you need are sometimes determined by the amount of cash you have on hand.

Include in your budget a percentage of each check until you have at least a \$1,000 emergency fund. Keep the cash in small bills and coins and store it with your important documents in the safe.

Collect pennies, nickels, dimes, and quarters this month.

If you have suggestions or information, you would like to have added to our newsletter or, if you have other questions or concerns, please reach out to us and let us know!

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