

West Point City

ENHANCING QUALITY OF LIFE

JUNE 2016

MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Welcome to West Point

Smith's Marketplace is nearly complete and the grand opening is scheduled for Wednesday June 8th. As an elected official I am very pleased with how this project has turned out and I am so happy to have a store the caliber of Smith's Marketplace in West Point. Whether you shop at Smith's or not, everyone agrees that the outside of the store looks great. From the very first day I heard that they were interested in coming to West Point until now, everyone representing Smith's has been great to work with and very professional as we worked to put this deal together. When we first started the project I thought for sure I would have more people who were disappointed that we getting our first big commercial project, but I have been pleasantly surprised that most of the people I have talked to are very excited to have such a nice, high quality store right in our back yard. I would like to thank Kyle Laws our City Manager for all his hard work in putting this project together. I had no idea of all the work that went on behind the scenes to get this project off and running and our city staff did an excellent job. Please join us for the grand opening celebration. And on behalf of the West Point City Council, "Welcome to West Point, Smith's!" Inside Smith's Marketplace we will also like to welcome America First Credit Union, Fred Meyer Jeweler and Starbucks as they

too will be great additions to our community.

About 10 years ago Gary Wright purchased the property where Smith's is located from the LDS church. About the same time, West Point became the city right in the middle of two big Walmart's, in Clinton and Syracuse. You may or may not know that at one point, Home Depot had signed a Letter of Intent to purchase the property and build a new store but they backed out once Lowe's announced their Clinton location. For a long time I was very concerned and worried that we would not be able to lure any big box commercial to West Point. Looking back now, I am grateful for Gary Wright and his patience to sit on the property and wait for a project that would benefit the city and man-oh-man did his patience pay off.

Summer is here and I hope everyone has a safe and fun summer spending time with those close to you. This year we are expecting our Independence Day Celebration to be the best ever and would like to invite you and your family, wherever they live, to come celebrate with us. Be sure to view the calendar of events enclosed with your bill this month. And don't miss out on the Miss West Point Pageant, June 11th, which will be the first activity leading up to our Independence Day Celebration, on Monday July 4th. As always,

we will have some great young ladies with some amazing talents and I am so impressed each year with the quality of service projects that they do in and around West Point. I would like to personally thank all of the great volunteers for all the work they do for all the activities associated with our Independence Day Celebration. If you attend year after year you will quickly recognize that a lot of the same individuals have been helping out for many years and they do a great job. If anyone would like to volunteer please call City Hall at 801-776-0970, we would love to have you.

If you have any questions or comments please don't hesitate to call me and I will look into any question or issue that you might have. Also feel free to attend our City Council meetings on the first and third Tuesdays of each month and our meetings start at 7:00 pm. Also don't forget to "Like" our Facebook page and follow us on Twitter for news and updates around West Point.

Erik Craythorne

Miss West Point Scholarship Pageant
Saturday, June 11th, 7pm
@ Syracuse High School
\$3.00
"BE CLASSIC"


West Point Officials

- Erik Craythorne, Mayor
- Gary Petersen, Mayor Pro-Tem
- Jerry Chatterton, Councilman
- Andy Dawson, Councilman
- Kent Henderson, Councilman
- Jeff Turner, Councilman
- Kyle Laws, City Manager

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3200 W 300 N
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City Council Meetings:

1st & 3rd Tuesdays

6:00pm Administrative Session

7:00pm General Session

Planning Commission Meetings:

2nd & 4th Thursdays

6:00pm Administrative Session

7:00pm General Session

Meetings subject to cancellation

COMMUNITY AFFAIRS & EVENTS

If you would like more information about the activities listed on this page please contact Jolene Kap @ 801-614-5347 or email jkap@www.westpointcity.org



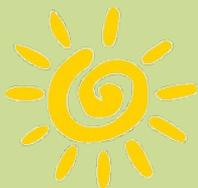
YOUTH COUNCIL

Last month a few members of the West Point Youth Council attended a Leadership Conference. They spent Friday night enjoying team building activities and then enjoyed Saturday morning by attending an incredible conference by John Bytheway, Meg Johnson, and Hank Smith.

The theme surrounding the conference was, "When Life Gets Hard."

Each speaker did an amazing job and lifted everyone's spirits. One of the things that stuck with the Youth was something Meg Johnson said: "You will find that you are your strongest when you reach down to lift someone else up."

West Point Youth Council is all about service so this was a great reminder of why we do the things we do.



Senior Lunch

Each month West Point City holds a lunch for Seniors 55 and older.

The cost is \$2.00 per person and both residents and non-residents are welcome! This month's lunch will be held Monday, June 20th.

This month's menu is: Hoagie sandwiches, chips and ice cream. YOU MUST RSVP TO RESERVE A SPOT please call by June 17th 801-776-0970 .

CITY CALENDAR

June 2016

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7 City Council 7:00PM	8	9 Planning Commission 7:00PM	10	11 Miss West Point Pageant 7pm Syracuse High School
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19 Father's Day	20 Senior Lunch 11:30AM	21 City Council 7:00PM	22	23 Planning Commission 7:00PM	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

COMMUNITY INFORMATION & EVENTS

Be sure to view the City website for up-to-date information and follow us on Facebook and Twitter.

Medicare 101 classes for those turning 65 or preparing to retire:

Davis County Health Department's Senior Services offers a 1 hour free class to inform persons about Medicare options, enrollment and benefits. Please join us for the following class: Wednesday June 15th Syracuse Community Center - 1912 West 1900 South, Syracuse, 84075.

All classes start at 6:30 p.m.

For more information contact Marie Jorgensen @ 801-525-5086

Weber Basin Water Upcoming Conservation Programs/Events

June 4: Spring Garden Fair (8am-2pm)

June 15: Creating a Cactus Garden (6-7:30pm)

Seasonal Discovery Tours take place at 10am and 7pm every third Thursday.

For a complete list of classes or to register go to weberbasin.com/conservation

Davis County 4th Annual Flag Retirement and Military Tribute

Conducted by American Legion Post 27 Farmington

August 18, 8:30pm, Outdoor Arena, Davis county Fairgrounds



*U.S. Flag Code: Worn and torn American flags should be properly disposed of by fire.

*Those who have flags unfit to display may drop them off at their local Fire Department.

*In a solemn and spectacular ceremony, hundreds of flags no longer worthy to be flown will be retired.

Davis County Is Voting By Mail



Make sure you are registered.

Ballots begin to arrive 21 days before each election.

2016 Elections

Tuesday, June 28th

Tuesday, November 8th

Learn More

www.DavisVotes.com

Or give us a call:

801-451-3217

Convenient – Secure – Confidential

"Princess for a Day"

Attention all girls ages 4-10!!

You are invited to join the fun and be a princess for a Day...

Wednesday, June 8th 10am -noon

West Point Fire Station,

enter in the south side door of the station

Cost is \$10.00 register at City Hall by June 3rd.

Space is limited so please register early.

Girls will be learning a short dance that will be performed on stage during the Miss West Point

Pageant on Saturday, June 11th.

Questions about this event please contact

City Hall 801-776-0970



CODE ENFORCEMENT CORNER

Garage Sales

Spring time is a popular time to clean out basements, garages, sheds and closets to get rid of unwanted or no longer needed clothing, furniture, appliances and other household articles. One popular method to accomplish this task is to hold a garage sale. Here are a few reminders to help you complete your garage sales in a safe and appropriate manner:

WPCC 17.50.20H states, "Garage, basement, yard, or other similar sales shall be permitted not more than twice a year, and each sale shall not last more than two consecutive days."

You are also reminded that if you are using directional signs to direct customers to your home, the signs need to be removed after the sale is over.

Please help us keep West Point City a beautiful and safe place by doing your garage sale within the code requirement of the City.

Please call Bruce Dopp, West Point City Code Enforcement Officer at 801 776-0970 or use the City Web site at www.westpointcity.org with any questions.

Children Gardening

Sponsored by NW Rotary



Come and join our free classes for your little gardeners! Community

Garden is located

470 N 2150 W. West Point

*June 14th-Big Seeds for Little Hands

*July 12th-Garden Crafts

*August 9th-Insects: The Good the Bad and the Ugly

*September 13th-Pollinators

*October 11th-Kiddie Korn Maze

All classes held from 4:00-5:00pm

Parental Involvement

COMMUNITY INFORMATION & EVENTS

West Point Military Memorial

WILL YOUR NAME BE PRESENT?

Construction of the base for the Memorial is progressing and the foundation for the Donor Wall will be pored this week. There is still room on that wall for additional names if you have not yet added yours or that of a family member you wish to be recognized as a supporter of this very worthwhile project. Or, if you would rather just be a contributor, the committee certainly would be grateful for that support as well. You may still contribute with your utility bill payment or you may contact one of the committee members listed below to purchase a block to go on the Donor Wall.

Thanks to all of you who have backed our efforts to-date. While only current or previous West Point military members will be listed on the various military branch granite slabs, there are no restrictions as to who may be named on the Donor Wall. Will your name, or names of those you may wish to honor, be on the wall?

For questions, donation information, or to submit names please contact any of the following members:

Howard Stoddard, Chair 801-825-7221/801-695-2637
Marv Drake, Co-Chair 801-825-5321
Cindy Bringhurst 801-825-9886
Patricia Galloway 801-725-1247
Karen Stratton 801-773-2776
Royce Ross 801-825-1426



West Point City would like to thank all those who participated this year in the "Take Pride Day" Community Service Event. We had a great turn out and were able to complete all the work on the ball diamonds.

We also want to give a big Thanks to Flints Nursery for all the flowers that were donated for the City Planters at the Gateway, City Hall and the Cemetery.

THANK YOU!

"PARTY AT THE POINT"

Don't forget to mark your calendars for this year's "Party at the Point" Monday, July 4th!

Be sure to check out the enclosed flyer for this years Celebration Activities. From the parade to fireworks, there will be fun from morning to night.

We are currently still looking for volunteers and vendors. If you are interested in being a part of this year's celebration please contact Jolene @ 801-776-0970.

All applications will be available online and at City Hall June 1st.



RECREATION

Recreation sign-ups can be done online at www.westpointcity.org or stop by City Hall to fill out a registration form.

Contact Kelly Ross @ 801-776-0970 for more information on recreation activities and sign ups.

Football-

Registration begins June 20th and run until July 18th. The cost is \$130.00

Basketball Camp-

Registration will begin May 2nd and run until June 9th. The cost is \$20.00

1st- 6th Girls Camp dates: June 14th-17th

1st-6th Boys Camp dates: June 21st-24th.

Camps will be held at then basketball courts at the Loy Blake Park from 9-10am.

If the weather is bad camps will be held at West Point Jr High from 1-2pm.

Fall Soccer-

Registration will begin June 20th and run until July 26th. Grades Pre-K thru 6th.

Cost is 40.00