

# West Point City

ENHANCING QUALITY OF LIFE

SEPTEMBER 2014



## Mayor's Message



Big News!!!

### New Commercial Development

I am excited to announce Smith's Marketplace will be building a store at 300 North and 2000 West. Construction is scheduled to start next year and the store will open sometime in 2016. The property located on the southwest corner of that intersection was purchased by Gary Wright from the LDS Church about 6 or 7 years ago. As I have mentioned in past newsletters it is important for a city like West Point to have a commercial tax base and I could not be more pleased with having Smith's

Marketplace be the anchor to that development. The sales tax generated from this project will be a vital revenue stream as our city grows and to maintain the level of service the city provides to all our residents.

What is a Smith's Marketplace?

Most of us are familiar with the Smith's grocery stores but some might not know a lot about the Marketplace. In fact, I believe the closest Smith's Marketplace is in Bountiful. The size of the store will be similar to a Super Walmart. Not only will you be able to get groceries they also have clothing, home office supplies, small home appliances etc. This Smith's Marketplace will also have a fuel station.

Are there other pad sites for other retailers?

With the Marketplace being the anchor to this development other pad sites will be developed closer to 300 North and 2000 West. As of right now we do not know what other businesses will come but the pad sites will allow for small retail, bank/credit union and with any luck a place to eat. Stay tuned for more information on this exciting project. I anticipate during that the first quarter of 2015 the planning commission and city council will be working on pad site approvals and see our first architectural rendering of this project.

### Back to School

School is back in session and as a reminder take a little extra time and be aware of the school kids walking to and from school. Also, please let your kids know that drivers can have a hard time seeing them when looking into the sun as they are crossing the streets. Please be extra careful around West Point Elementary as they are dealing with less than ideal drop off and pick up conditions. I am currently trying to work with the Principal, Community Council and Davis School District to come up with a better system that will help with not only the kids being dropped off but also the lack of parking.

### Twitter

As many of you know Clinton City had a water issue last month and many residents were worried if our water was safe. At the time of that event our city staff tweeted a message on Twitter letting everyone know that our water was safe. I know some of you aren't into social media like Twitter but in situations like that it can be a great way to get information out quickly. At the time I am writing this we have a grand total of 51 followers for those non Twitter users 51 is not very many at all especially for a city of almost 10,000. Follow us @westpointcityut!! We do updates now and the more followers we get the more we will use it to inform residents.

## 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

City Hall 801-776-0970  
3200 W 300 N

## COMMUNITY CALANDAR

City Council Meetings:  
1st & 3rd Tuesdays  
6:00pm Administrative Session  
7:00pm General Session

Planning Commission Meetings:  
2nd & 4th Thursday  
6:00pm Administrative Session  
7:00pm General Session

*Meeting subject to cancellation*

September 1 Labor Day  
City Hall Closed

September 15 Senior Lunch

October 2 Cemetery Cleaning

## CITY CONTACTS

Dial direct to the following departments:



Assistant City Manager/City Engineer-  
Boyd 801-614-5353  
Building Inspector-Brent 801-614-5354  
Business License-Michelle 801-614-5348  
Cemetery/City Recorder-  
Misty 801-614-5349  
Code Enforcement-Mike 801-614-5355  
Community Events-Jolene 801-614-5347  
Public Works-Paul 801-614-5368  
Recreation-Kelly 801-614-5357  
Treasurer-Julie 801-614-5352  
Utility Billing-Casey 801-614-5346

City Hall 801-776-0970  
After Hours Service 801-628-6181  
Garbage Service 801-627-2680  
Animal Control 801-444-2200  
Secondary Water 801-774-6373  
Davis County Sheriff 801-451-4150  
North Davis Fire Dept. 801-525-2850



You can now follow us on Twitter!

**\*ATTENTION ALL SECODANARY WATER USERS\***  
**Just a reminder that *all* irrigation deliveries will be shut off**  
**October 1<sup>st</sup> instead of October 15<sup>th</sup>.**

## JUST FOR SENIORS

This month Senior lunch will be Monday, September 15th @ 11:30am.

The cost is \$2.00 a person. Resident and non-resident 55 and older are welcome.

This month menu will be: Sloppy joes, fruit cup, lettuce salad and brownie sundaes.

Please call by September 12th to RSVP.

801-776-0970

## SPORTS CENTER



### Volleyball Registration

August 25th–September 19th  
\$40.00 to register

### Basketball Registration

will be from  
October 6 – November 7

The cost is.....

\$40.00 for 1st-6th grade

\$60.00 for 7th-12th grade

Register online at

[www.westpointcity.org](http://www.westpointcity.org)

or stop by City Hall to fill out a registration form.



## YOUTH COUNCIL CORNER

This month's theme is "WISDOM"

"We are what our thoughts have made up; so take care about what you think.

Thoughts live; they travel far"

Last month the Youth Council were able to host the Summer Games where they did some fun games with the Clinton Youth Council. They also helped to serve food for the Senior Dinner.

If you are interested in serving on the Youth Council for the 2014-2015 year, you can pick up an application at City Hall or access the form online under the Community Affairs page.

Be sure to mark your calendars for this year's West Point Halloween Carnival!!!



October 18th @ 7-8:30 pm  
Look for more information in next month's newsletter.

## Complete Cemetery Cleaning

A complete cemetery cleaning will be held

Thursday, October 2nd,  
weather permitting.



Please remove all items from the cemetery, any items left during the cleaning will be discarded.

For questions, please call Misty @ 801-776-0970

## West Point Fire Prevention Night

381 N 3150 W

October 7th from 6-8pm



This year's Safety focus is "Working Smoke Alarms Save Lives" and we will have free Fire Truck Rides, Life Flight Helicopter, Extrication demos, Davis County Sheriff's K-9's, and the United States Coast Guards Boat prop. There will be many vendors with free stuff and don't forget the Fire Prevention Teams of Sparky, Smokey, Smokestack and that funny GUS GUS.

## West Point Military Memorial

The West Point Military Memorial Monument is designed to honor the men and women for their sacrifice to secure and maintain our freedoms. Please donate to help us reach our goal to erect this memorial.

Donations can be made by contacting City Hall or pay with your utility bill.

Please visit the City website to view the proposed design.

## Consider signing up for a CERT class (Community Emergency Response Team)!

Clearfield City will be holding its next CERT class beginning September 10, 2014 from 6:30-9:30 pm each Wednesday night and will end Oct 29 at the CLEARFIELD CITY Community Arts Center, 140 E Center St; Clearfield.

The only cost is for the pack and supplies that you keep - \$40

Please contact the Emergency Services Division of Clearfield Police Department at 801-525-2833 or 801-525-2800 for more information!

Following a major disaster, first responders who provide fire and medical services will not be able to meet the demand for these services. People will have to rely on each other for help in order to meet their immediate lifesaving and life sustaining needs.



## AARP Driver Safety Class

Saturday, October 4th

10:00am-2:00pm

Please call 801-776-0970 to sign up.

## FARMERS MARKET

The Syracuse City Farmers Market is every Wednesday night 5pm to dusk

until October 1<sup>st</sup> at Centennial Park (1891 W. 1700 S. Syracuse).

There is fresh produce, live music, crafts, and delicious food at the market.



## Water Conservation Activities

Saturday, Sept 13th 10:00-11:30 am, Free Class "Perennials You Want for Your Yard"

Wednesday, Sept 17th 6:00-7:30 pm, Free Class "Planting, Transplanting, and Dividing Plants"

Saturday, Sept 20th 9:00 am -1:00 pm Garden Fall Festival

(For a full class schedule and other water conservation information go to

[www.weberbasin.com/conservation](http://www.weberbasin.com/conservation).

Classes are located at Weber Basin Water Conservancy District's Learning Garden located at 2837 E. Highway 193 in Layton)

## Free Senior Community Workshops/Classes offered by the Davis County Health Dept.

\*Coupons 101– Sept. 4th 5:00

\*Living well with Chronic Conditions– Sept. 9th 2:30

\*Living Well with Diabetes– Sept. 10th 2:30

\*Medicare 101–Sept. 16th or Oct. 22nd 6:30-7:30

Visit the Health Dept. website for more information on locations and class contact info.

[http://www.daviscountyutah.gov/health/family\\_health/senior\\_services/senior\\_scoop/default.cfm](http://www.daviscountyutah.gov/health/family_health/senior_services/senior_scoop/default.cfm)