



Elk Ridge Bugle

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November 2011

Message from Mayor

Ed Christensen

Dear friends

I wanted you all to know that while much is getting done around our city there is much more to do. The improvements in our cities facilities will create a more organized base which will allow a more efficient response to our needs. Rapidly approaching us on November 8th you will elect a new Mayor and I have to say whom ever is elected the city wins. I want every citizen in this city to know that running for elected office can be stressful and the desire to win grows within each candidate as the elections get closer because each candidate wants to contribute what they can to help in keeping Elk Ridge the great place to live that it is .

I feel that it is a wonderful thing that 3 individuals have the same desire to serve the city as Mayor with the very best of intentions. I have known Erin Clawson for nearly 6 years and I have known of Hal Shelley for nearly 5 years. These are good and talented people who I feel also want to move this city forward in a positive manner. This is why I say that the city will be

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City News

Elections

The elections for Mayor and City Council will be held on Tuesday, November 8th. Voting can be done from 7:00am to 8:00 pm at the City Office. The candidates are:

Mayor: Erin Clawson
 Hal Shelley
 Ed Christensen – write in candidate

Council: Nelson Abbott
 Lucretia Thayne
 Paul Squires
 Brian Burke
 Jamie Towse

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REMINDER:

The winter parking ordinance states there will be no street parking allowed from November 1st to March 1st for proper snow removal.

Meetings

City Council: November 15 6pm.
 Planning Commission: Cancelled

Office Closed

The City Office will be closed to observe the following holidays. Veterans Day Nov. 11th , Thanksgiving Nov. 24th and 25th.

Fundraiser

During the last ten months of being bedridden, Melissa Anderson of Elk Ridge was given a medical diagnosis of several debilitating physical ailments. The treatments prescribed include three chelation treatments each week and progress was the happy side of “hope.”

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Sheriff's Corner

From 09/15/11 to 10/15/11 Utah County Sheriff Deputies responded to 38 calls for service in the City of Elk Ridge. These calls included:

2 Abandoned 911	2 Missing/Found Person 1 Civil Problem	2 Burglary 3 Thefts
4 Medical	1 Extra Patrol	1 Threatening
2 Citizen Contacts	1 Traffic Offense	1 Criminal Mischief
9 Animal Problems	2 Alarms	2 Agency Assist
1 Civil Problem	2 Juvenile Problems	1 Skateboarding
6 Suspicious	1 Found Property	1 Motorist Assist
2 Citizen Contacts	1 Parking Problem	

Please continue to report all crimes and suspicious activity. For Emergencies please call 911. For all other incidents please contact Utah Valley Dispatch at 801-851-4100.



Utah County Health Department Immunization & Flu Clinic

801-851-7025

American Fork

120 N. 1220 E. #10
Mondays 3-6pm
Apt **ONLY**

Provo

131 S. Univ. Ave
M,T,F: 8-4:30 pm
W: 7-8 pm
Th: 9-4:30 pm
Walk in Clinic

Payson

City Center
439 W. Utah Ave
5-7 pm
Apt. **ONLY**

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However, because of financial restraints, treatments, tests and doctor visits have had to be reduced or cancelled all together. She will not be defeated. She still clings to "HOPE". She and her husband Dan are former owners of Results Fitness in Payson. She serves as a counselor in the Payson East Stake Relief Society Presidency and as a coordinator for LDS Family Services. She still gives her devoted service in spite of unending, hard and painful times. She will not give in to discouragement. Presidency meetings are held at the foot of her bed and she serves through phone calls and e-mails. A fund-raiser for Melissa will be held on November 7th at the Elk Ridge Arena at 6 p.m., including food, entertainment, auction, and bake sale. If you miss this event, cash donations can be made at the Elk Ridge City Building. Other forms of payment accepted anytime at any America First Credit Union.

Fire Department

Seth Waite

In order to have a Fire Safe Holiday we would like to remind you to be careful not to overload electric circuits by using too many cords and extension cords in the same outlet. Use precautions to keep Christmas trees from becoming too dry. Water often and test the branches for dry brittle conditions.

Youth Council

Laura Loree

We will be recruiting for the Youth Council, watch for more information to follow.



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well taken care of no matter the outcome of the election. We also have 5 people running for the 3 seats which be vacated in the City Council. Brian Burke, Nelson Abbott, Jamie Towse, Lucretia Thayne and Paul Squires. I wish each of them the best and hope those elected will bring their very best to the council. I believe it is time for all of us to put our city near the top of our priority list and one way you can do that is by coming in on November 8th and casting your vote for those you feel will best represent you and this city.

I want to thank those who will be leaving office for their service and sacrifice to this city. Julie Haskell has served for 4 years and has done many great things overseeing our Public Safety needs and many other things. Sean Royslance has also served for 4 years and has strived his very best to make Elk Ridge a better place for us all. James Mayfield was appointed I believe this past April and has done a great job in trying to get our park equipment back in order since it was vandalized. (Parts are in and will be installed soon) James also assists those scouts wanting to do their Eagle scout project in the city. To each of you Thank you! Your service and sacrifice are much appreciated.

The council has been debating the idea of a code enforcement committee for a few months now trying to get it right and very soon councilwoman Erin Clawson and I will begin forming that committee. Thank you to those citizens who put in their names for consideration for this committee you will be contacted soon. Those interested may still call the office and submit your name.

Please remember the winter rules for parking on the streets. As of November 1st you must not park on the roads in order for our city snow plows to properly and safely clear the roads.

Thank you all for all you do for our city. I hope that every citizen has a wonderful Thanksgiving this year and remembers all that we do have to be thankful for. Please be kind to your neighbor, go the extra mile to do a good deed to those around you. Stay close to your family and your Heavenly Father and you will be blessed.

Sincerely,

Ed Christensen
Mayor

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Elections

In order to register to vote you must go to the Utah County Clerks office, located at 100 East Center Street in Provo room 310, (801-851-8128), or you can register online at: <http://www.utahcountyonline.org/Dept/ClerkAud/Elections/VoterRegistration.html>

We cannot register you at the City Office.

Family Fall Festival

November 7, 2011
6:00 - 9:00 p.m.



Elk Ridge Arena
1150 W. Rim Rock Canyon Dr.

FUNDRAISER

Grab your family, grab your friends, and join us for a fun-filled evening benefiting our dear friend

Melissa Anderson

who has been bedridden for the past ten months. Please open your hearts and your wallets to help in her fight to regain her health and pay mounting medical expenses.

Bake Sale
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Silent & Live Auctions
with a chance to bid on tickets to the
National Finals Rodeo in Las Vegas!

Food
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• Hay Rides • Live Local Entertainment • Horse Rides •



To donate items for the auctions, contact Judy at 423-4052
For bake sale contributions, contact Maxyne at 801-372-4925.

Cash donations accepted now at the Elk Ridge City Building.
Other forms of payment accepted any time at any
America First Credit Union in Melissa Anderson's name.

