Wendell Recreation District

The Wendell Recreation District would like to thank the following softball and baseball coaches for their commitment to the youth of our community. Without volunteer coaches willing to share their time and talents we would not be able to have successful programs. Adam Vanderham, Katrina Prince, Josh Prince, Stephanie Bates, Sierra Gold, Bethany Mattix, Dana Clickenger, Wendy Smith, Misty Paluck, Richard Geer, Cody Howerton, Quin Young, Randy Andrus, Carli Andrus, Michael Mattix, Larry Green, Jason Houser, Chris McRoberts, Dale Bunn, Brian Jacobson, Phil Wert, and Marty Hurd.

Thanks for all you do.

Randy Andrus, Youth Sports Program Manager

Future registrations will be for 3rd and 4th grade Flag Football, along with 5th and 6th grade Tackle Football in August. Soccer registrations will be in September.

For more info call Randy or Beth Andrus at 536-6409 after 6 PM.

Wendell City Mayor & Councilmembers

Mayor Lori Swainston
Council President Don Bunn
Councilman Jason Houser
Councilman Herb Altred
Councilwoman BJ Marshall

Wendell 2015 Consumer Confidence Report

Is my water safe? We are pleased to present this year’s Annual Water Quality Report as required by the Safe Drinking Water Act. This report is designed to provide details about where your water comes from, what it contains, and how it compares to standards set by regulatory agencies.

This report is available at Wendell City Hall and also on our city website at www.wendell.id.gov.

If you have questions please call City Hall at 536-5161

Thank you to all who so generously donated to the City’s Independence Day Celebration on July 2nd. The movie Transylvania 2 was shown, & the entertainment was by Magic Valley Jubilee. Free hamburgers, hotdogs, and popcorn were also a part of the event. Thanks to all the citizens and businesses who donated and helped to make this a successful annual celebration!

Christmas came early to the Wendell Senior Center this year!
Not only did a generous citizen donate this set of reindeer, Santa, and sleigh, but the Seniors also received a grant for $200,000 to help pay for the building. The building was appraised at $390,000 and they paid $210,000.
Weeds, Weeds, & more Weeds!

Please take a critical look at your property and see if you fall in the category of neglecting to keep your yard free of weeds. Many homes in town are looking pretty shaggy from the overgrown weeds in our yards and especially in the alleys. It is the homeowners responsibility to keep their section of the alley clean. Your section of the alley means from the middle of the alley to your yard property lines it is your responsibility, not the city's. The city does grade the alley & does some spraying but weed control is the responsibility of the homeowner or tenant. Red tags are going out to property owners who do not take care of their responsibility. Tickets follow after the red tag if clean up is not done.

PLEASE HELP KEEP OUR CITY CLEAN

Citations may have to be written for violations of ordinances and state statutes while playing POKEMON GO. More and more complaints regarding trespassing, curfew violations, violating park hours, disturbing the peace, and etc. are being made. Please have fun and get some exercise while doing so. Please don't stop, just be considerate of others and don't violate any laws while playing the game. Thank you for your cooperation, and "go catch them all".

New Middle School Principal is Jennifer Cook. She comes to Wendell from the Salmon School District. Please be sure to welcome her. Luke Kelsey is the new High School Principal at the Bear Lake School Dist. in Montpelier.

Donald Bunn is working on achieving his Eagle Scout rank. For his Eagle Scout project, he is organizing a Bicycle Rodeo to be held on August 27th from 10:00am -12:00pm at the LDS Church parking lot, 605 N Idaho Street, Wendell. 100 Bicycle Safety helmets (donated by Safe Kids) will be available for free. Come enjoy and help your children learn about bicycle rules and safety. Children need to bring their own bicycles to the rodeo. A few bikes will be available for use during the rodeo if you do not have one to bring with you. For more info call 536-6164. Donald is the son of Dale and Laura Bunn.

Just a reminder to all citizens, FENCE PERMITS are required before you put a fence up in your yard! City ordinance does not allow fences to be built out of pallets. Fences are also not allowed on city right-of-ways. Make sure you know where your property lines are before building a fence. Property pins should be on the corners of your property, are sometimes hard to find, but try using a metal detector. The city does not mark your property lines, so a professional may need to be called in by you to help you find your property lines. Always call in a dig line before you start digging post holes. Dig Line is free and can save a lot of headaches on where not to dig. Idaho Dig Line # is 811 or 1-800-342-1585. A fence permit is $30.00. Call City Hall if you have questions 536-5161.

IF your power goes out please call Idaho Power at 1-800-488-6151
This is a 24 hr number to report emergencies and power outages.

Have you noticed the great art work at City Hall? If you have art you would like to display please contact Judy Crist. She is graciously helping us keep the display going. Call City Hall at 536-5161 for more information on how to contact Judy.