

ATHOL CITY NEWSLETTER ~ November 1, 2021





Athol, A New Direction







Tuesday, November 2nd 2021
—— Sam to Spm ——

CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

@ 6:00 PM 1st & 3rd Tues. CITY HALL – 30355 N. 3rd 208-683-2101

Clerk/Treasurer Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00-4:30pm Fridays 8:30am-12:30 pm

Future Council Meeting Dates:

November 2, 2021 (Closed Thurs. Nov 11th) November 16, 2021 (Closed 25th & 26th) December 7, 2021 December 21, 2021 (Closed Dec. 24th - Jan.2nd)

City website:

www.cityofathol.us

Mayor:

William "Bill" Hill

City Clerk/Treasurer:

Lori Yarbrough

Deputy City Clerk:

Tanya Ziegler

Public Works/Water Operator:

Anthony Brandt

Athol Elementary -----

Nov. 5th Closed - NO School Day (Teacher Professional Workday)

Nov. $8^{th} - 11^{th}$ Book Fair

Nov. 10th & 11th Evening Conferences (4-7pm)

Nov. 18th AE PTU Meeting 6pm

Student Picture Retakes

Nov. 22nd - 26th Thanksgiving Holiday Break

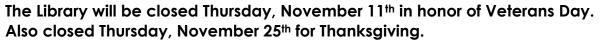


Fun Stuff at the Athol Library in November!

Open during our regular business hours. 208-683-2979

HOURS: Monday – Wednesday 1pm- 6pm; Thursdays 10am-6pm;

Fridays: 1pm-5pm; Saturday 12 Noon – 4pm; Closed on Sundays.



KIDS & TEENS

Preschool Storytime – Tuesdays 10 am, no program Nov. 23rd

Imagination Explorers – Tuesdays 3:30 pm, no program Nov. 23rd

LibraTory – Thursday, Nov. 4th, 10:30 am (Athol Community Center)

Creepers and Crawlers – Monday, Nov. 15th, 10:00 am Early learners (2-6) are

invited to learn about nature. Dress for the weather as part of the program will be outside.

Homeschool Teens - Thursday, Nov. 4th, 11:30 am (Athol Community Center)

Teen Hang Out at the Library – Thursday, Nov. 18th, 4:00 pm Teens (6th-12th grade) are invited to "Are You Smarter Than a Librarian?"

NatureBrary at Farragut - Fridays, 10:00 am (no program Nov. 26th) Location: Farragut Visitor's Center

VIRTUAL PROGRAMS

Flower Arranging – Jill shares her experience on making flower bouquets. Video found on the Library Facebook page and YouTube channel.

Knitting 101 – Debbie shares her award winning-experience on knitting. This first episode is about varns – types, sizes, and uses. This video is found on Community Library Facebook page and our YouTube channel. * Call the Athol Library if you need help accessing these virtual programs.

ADULT PROGRAMS

Plans are in the works for an Embroidery 101 class & a Mandala rock painting class. Call for details. We will have Lavender Diffuser Jars to give out as Grab n Go kits.

<u>Visit Our Website</u> – www.communitylibrary.net

Come and join us for the annual Athol Christmas Market presented by the Athol Farmers Market.



Your favorite Farms and Artisans from the regular season bringing you beautiful handmade one-of-a-kind items and baked goods. There will be festive live music provided by a talented local string quartet as well as other local artists filling the hall with holiday cheer.

A hot cocoa bar will be available for your sipping pleasure as you shop local for your friends and loved ones.

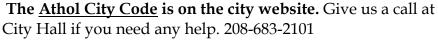






From City Hall

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<u>Water Improvements</u> – Unfortunately the Raising of the Water Tower on 6th and Menser has been delayed. It will not happen until sometime next spring. We will keep you posted.

<u>City Hall Closed</u> - Will be closed for Veterans Day November 11th; Thanksgiving Day November 25th and the Friday after Thanksgiving 26th.

<u>Winter Weather</u> – Winter is fast approaching and along with that comes snow plowing. Just a reminder to keep the rights of way clear. Items left in the right-of-way are there at your own risk. Cars, trucks, boats, trailers, misc. items, all need to be removed for plowing. Thank you.

<u>Food and Clothing Donations</u> – Donations are always appreciated, and we love to offer the location to house such needed programs for the greater community. But please remember, to not leave or drop off your donations outside the building doors. All food donations should be brought into the hallway in the back of the building and left on the shelves. Clothing should be brought into the clothing donation room, as this is an unmanned room and it's only volunteers who come into sort and hang the items.

New Businesses Underway - You may have already seen the Sweet Lou's Restaurant being constructed

in the Crossings; it is planned for opening sometime this Spring. Also, the new Dollar General, located next to the Crossroads Café on N. Old Hwy 95; they are just getting started and are hoping for a late Spring opening.



Save the Date Cocoa & Cookies with Santa Saturday, December 4th 1:00pm - 3:00pm at the Athol Community Center

Hosted by the

LADIES AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY





Sunday-

Monday -

Fit n Fall Class (Mon, Wed, Fri) 9:30am-10:30am, Gym Grandmothers Club (3rd Monday each month) 10am-1pm Real Life Ministries Youth Group (every Mon) 6pm

Tuesday -

Food Bank (every Tues) 9am-12 noon & 1pm-3pm (Contact Charlotte Hooper)

Sit-ercise (Tues & Thurs) 10am

City Council Meeting (1st & 3rd Tues each month) 6pm Eager Beavers 4-H (2nd Tues each month) 6:30pm-7:30pm GEM State Gleaners (4th Tues each month) 6pm

NOTE: This is not a full listing of the activities and classes this month

Wednesday -

Fit n Fall Class (Mon, Wed, Fri) 9:30am-10:30am, Gym Remington Water District (3rd Wed each month) 6:30pm

Thursday -

Lady A's (every Thurs) 9am-10am Sit-ercise (Tues & Thurs) 10am Athol Radio Group (2nd Thurs each month) 6pm Athol Chamber of Commerce (3rd Thurs each mo.) 7pm

Friday –

Fit n Fall Class (Mon, Wed, Fri) 9:30am-10:30am, Gym

Saturday -

Big Book Recovery AA's (every Sat) 5pm-6pm



Upcoming: City Council Meetings in November 2021 are on the 2nd and the 16th at 6:00pm. Water bills are due upon receipt and <u>considered late if not received by Monday, the 15th.</u>

WATER BILL ↓

