

# Adams American

February 2022

## COUNCIL NEWS

At the January 10, meeting of the City Council, new officers were chosen. Councilor Jeff Rost will serve as Mayor Pro Tem. The office of Mayor is still open along with Council position #4. There is a complete job description for Mayor and Councilor on the city's website

The Committees are as follows-

Administrative Committee Chair- Jeff Rost with members Graham Alderson and John Thompson.

Park Committee Chair- Kristin Schmidtgall with Graham Alderson and John Thompson.

Street Committee Chair- John Thompson with Kristin Schmidtgall and Graham Alderson.

Water Committee Chair- Jeff Rost with Graham Alderson and John Thompson.

Emergency Manager- Kristin Schmidtgall.

Library Liaison- Graham Alderson.

Planning Liaison- Graham Alderson.

Employee Supervisor- Jeff Rost/Graham Alderson.

A special thanks goes out to Councilor John Thompson and Victor Thompson for their hours of work to keep the streets clear after last month's snowstorm. Councilor Thompson was able to get Richard Stoupa up and running on the road grader his first day on the job as well. It is the job of Public Works to keep all roads open as best they can for law enforcement and emergency response as well as the citizens of Adams.

## LIBRARY NEWS

Exciting news for Umatilla County! United Way of the Blue Mountains has provided funding to bring Dolly Parton's Imagination Library to all of Umatilla County! Kids birth-5 can receive a developmentally appropriate book in the mail every month at no cost to families. Check out the link on our Facebook, website, or stop by the library to get signed up!

Storytime for preschool age kids is now on Fridays at 10:00am. Bring your little ones down for an interactive story time. This program is free and kids will get a small snack. This is a great place for kids to socialize and to get resources to help with preschool readiness. They can also get a story time stamp card for a free book.

The weather is getting warmer and the days are getting longer! We are looking forward to some exciting things in the next few months. We are hoping to have Adams Day this year and with that will come book sale and yard sales! Keep an eye out for more information. Outdoor programming in the park this year will be even more fun with our new playground structure that will be installed early in March.

Check out our Facebook to helpful links for things in our area. Little league sign ups are out, the link to the DPIL is there and events for upcoming library programs will be posted online as well.

Finally, if you have been looking for a way to get involved, meet your neighbors, and stay up to date on community events check out the newly formed Adams Friends Association! The next meeting will be held at the library on February 13, 2022 at 3:00pm.

# FEBRUARY 2022

| Sun                                       | Mon   | Tue  | Wed  | Thu   | Fri                        | Sat |
|---|---|--|--|---|----------------------------|-----|
|   |   | 1  |  <p>Wednesday February 2, 2022<br/> <b>WORLD READ ALOUD DAY</b><br/> <small>Presented by LITWORLD.ORG</small></p> | 3<br>Planning<br>6:30pm                                 | 4<br>Storytime<br>10:00am  | 5   |
| 6   | 7<br>Library Board<br>6:00pm  | 8  | 9  | 10  | 11<br>Storytime<br>10:00am | 12  |
| 13<br>Adams Friends Association<br>3:00pm | 14<br>City Council<br>6:30pm<br> | 15   | 16   | 17<br>Homeschool<br>Co-op interest<br>meeting<br>4:00pm | 18<br>Storytime<br>10:00am | 19  |
| 20  | 21  | 22<br>Book Club<br>4pm-6pm<br><i>Me Before You</i> | 23   | 24  | 25<br>Storytime<br>10:00am | 26  |
| 27  | 28  |  |  |   |                            |     |