



City Commission

Mayor

George Mandas

Commissioners

Michael Kitzmiller

Bryce Lutz

David Butler

Stephanie McCoy

MEETING DATES/TIMES

Commission

7:00 pm

1st & 3rd Thursdays
each month

Planning & Zoning

7:00 pm

2nd & 4th Tuesdays
each month when needed

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Light Up Summerset Contest Results

1st Place: 7915 Steamboat Rd.

2nd Place: 10645 Bellingham Dr.

3rd Place: 9870 Green point Ct.

Thank you to everyone that participated this year. Please remember to sign up next year!





ELECTIONS

The City Of Summerset would like to remind everyone that now is the time to get signatures, should you wish to run for office. These are three year terms.

There is one commission seat due for this year's election. The seat is for the Public Safety Commissioner. The Public Safety Commissioner supervises the enforcement of all police regulations of the municipality as well as provides general supervision of the police officers and employees. They also have charge of all apparatus and personal property used by the department. This seat is currently filled by Commissioner Lutz.

If you are interested in this position, please feel free to contact our Finance Office to learn about the election process. Another option would be to reach out to our current Public Safety Commissioner to find out more about the position.

Circulation of nominating petitions began on January 25, 2019 and ends on February 22, 2019. Petitions may be filed with the Finance Office located at Summerset City Hall, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Mountain Standard Time.

As we enter the New Year we hope your holidays were filled with great family memories and lots of joy. With the beginning of 2019 we are going to start the year with new and exciting ways to better serve the great citizens of Summerset.



First, in an effort to better accommodate the needs of citizens and patrons, we have decided to change our business hours. As of January 2, 2019 our office hours are changing to 8 am to 4 pm. We will monitor and ask customers for input as we move forward to see if these are the best hours and we are always open to suggestions.

Second, we are debuting our brand new, redesigned website that will continue to be updated and filled with new content daily. This has been a long time coming and we are excited for this new site to better get information out to everyone.

Finally, to follow along with getting more and more timely information out to everyone we are introducing the 'official' City of Summerset Facebook, Twitter and Instagram pages. Please look for updates and links on our website as we continue to venture in to the world of social media.

Thank you and we look forward to serving you through the New Year!

Lonnie Harmon
City Administrator



SUMMERSET COMMUNITY GARDEN FUTURE

Have you ever wanted to grow your own vegetables, herbs, or flowers; but don't have the space to do it on your own? Here's your chance!

If you are interested or have questions, contact Deanna at 605-390-6965



If you are interested in participating or helping organize a community garden, please contact Deanna at 605-390-6965

Benefits of Community Gardens:

- Provide access to food production for those without suitable land
- Increased fruit and vegetable consumption
- Physical Activity
- Mental health can improve in nature and lower stress
- Community engagement—get to know your neighbors!
- Improving land use/empty lots
- Educational

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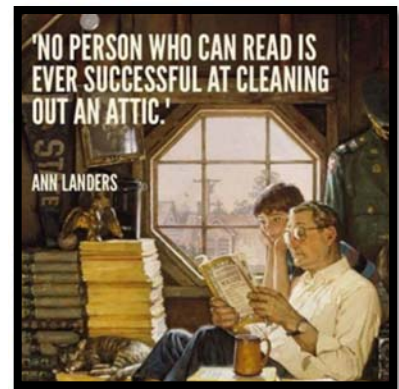
111 Second Street, Piedmont
605-718-3663
piedmont.library@hotmail.com
www.piedmontlibrary.net
Hours: Tues 9-7, W-F 9-5, Sat 9-1

The Library Winter Book Sale is Coming!

Join us January 29th-February 2nd during regular library hours for our annual winter book sale! Highlights include a silent auction, DVDs and Audiobooks, books in all genres, and an education section for teachers and homeschool families!

How Can You Help?

A sign-up sheet for book sale volunteers is now available at the Library!



**Middle School Book Club Meets
Every 2nd and 4th Friday @ 3 PM!**

**Join us on the 11th for our first
movie night featuring the film Harry
Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone**

Genealogy
Group
2nd Monday



The Library's
Genealogy Group
Meets @ 10 AM
Every 2nd Monday
of the Month!

**The Library
is Now
Accepting
Applications
for our 2019
Local Artist
Displays!**

Watch for Our New Be- ginners' Computer Class Spring Series

Are computers a mystery to you? Do you wish you knew more about how to use technology in everyday life? Then these classes are for you!

Starting in February, join Library and local experts as we explore the wonderful world of computers from a beginner's point of view. This four part series will introduce beginning computer topics sure to increase ease of use and confidence in beginning computer users!

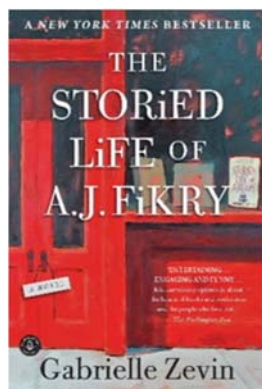


Yoga Classes

Our next
Monthly Yoga
Class will be on
January 12th @
10 AM!
Follow the Li-
brary on Face-
book for more
information on
location and for
program up-
dates!

Check Out Our Book of the Month Blog...

On the Website or Facebook Page for Staff Recommendations!



The Bluestockings Book Club Title is...

The Storied Life of A. J. Fikry
By Gabrielle Zevin

A. J. Fikry's life is not at all what he expected it to be. He lives alone, his bookstore is experiencing the worst sales in its history, and now his prized possession, a rare collection of Poe poems, has been stolen. But when a mysterious package appears at the bookstore, its unexpected arrival gives Fikry the chance to make his life over--and see everything anew.

Chief's Corner:



Well, it's that time of year again... snow will be starting to fall any day. To ensure everyone is up to date on the Snow Removal Ordinance, I thought I would include a few of the main points of the ordinance that residents should be aware of. Thank you for your continued cooperation. If you or anyone that you know needs assistance with your snow removal there are various volunteers amongst the community who have offered to help with snow removal. Contact the City Finance Office for more information at 718-9858.

18.01.04 NO PARKING ON SNOW ROUTES. No person may park or allow to remain parked any vehicle or trailer on any street designated as Emergency Snow Route or Secondary Snow Route during snowfall or prior to the time said street is cleared of snow by the City. Vehicles or trailers parked on snow routes in violation of this section may be ticketed and/or towed at the owner's expense. Violations of this chapter shall be subject to the fine established by City Resolution.

18.01.05 DEPOSITING DEBRIS IN PUBLIC RIGHT OF WAY. It is unlawful for any person to shovel or deposit snow or ice, leaves, material or other substances of any kind and description from private property onto any public street, alley or public right-of-way. Such conduct or action is declared to be a nuisance.

18.02.01: PUBLIC NUISANCE Snow and ice permitted to gather and remain upon the sidewalks of this City is dangerous to the safety of its citizens and others using said sidewalks and is hereby declared a public nuisance. **18.02.02: REMOVAL BY OWNER** The owner or occupant of any building or any lot, parcel or plot of ground fronting or abutting on any sidewalk in the snow removal are hereinafter described, shall clear said sidewalk of snow or ice to the full width of the sidewalk within 24 hours after the same shall have fallen or formed. The Public Works Department of the City may waive this requirement in the event of an extended snowstorm.

Sincerely,

Don Allen

Police Chief



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Benny Page (Part-time)
Jeff Twite (Part-time)
Tracey Wiest (Volunteer)
Marc Boddicker (Volunteer)
Lonnie Harmon (Volunteer)

Wastewater Treatment Plant
Jon Ambrose

Public Works:

The Astoria drainage street project has been completed and is already showing signs of significantly better drainage from the streets above. Thank you everyone for your patience during the project!

Kieffer Collection Reminders:

-Please have your 96 gallon Kieffer garbage & recycle totes out near the curb by 7:00am on collection day.

-Please make sure all items are secured within your container to ensure loose items do not end up as litter.

-If you have large items that do not fit in your can, please make sure to notify the City Finance Office so they can arrange collection for your additional items. (Items left outside of your container will not be picked-up)

-Recyclable items will not be accepted if they are in plastic bags.
If you have any questions please feel free to contact the City Finance Office at 718-9858

Office Closures:

The City office will be closed:
January 1st for New Years Day
January 21 for Martin Luther King Day

January Recycle Day:
January 10th

