

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

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TOWN OF OAKESDALE NEWSLETTER

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OFD ANNUAL PANCAKE FEED

The Oakesdale Fire Department will not be hosting their annual pancake feed this year. Due to the COVID pandemic and the restrictions put in place by our Governor, we are not able to have a social gathering to serve tasty pancakes. We hope everyone stays healthy and safe. We look forward to your support next year.

COMMODITIES/FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Commodities are distributed normally the fourth Thursday each month from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at CP&P Versatile Offices located at 103 E Steptoe. The date is subject to change during the holidays. Signs are posted one week prior to distribution amongst store front windows. **For more information, please contact Dee Eck at 307-529-3644 OR 509-828-0001**

DOG TAGS

Dog tags are required each year for all dogs within our city limit effective January 01, 2021. Fees for spayed or neutered dogs are \$7.50 each and \$10.00 for non-spayed or non-neutered dogs. All dogs must have rabies vaccination per WA State RCW codes. Dog tags must be purchased by January 31, 2021 to avoid a \$5.00 late fee per dog per month. **Dog tag fees can not be included in your utility bill payment.** Payments can be made by cash, check or money orders. You must have proof of rabies vaccination to license your dog(s) from your vet.

TOWN COUNCIL MEETINGS

The Town Council Meetings for this month are on Monday, January 4th and **Tuesday**, January 19th due to the Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday.

STREET LIGHTS

Please contact Oakesdale City Hall if you notice a street light out by your residence or in your neighborhood. We will get the Avista pole number and turn the outage in to Avista for them to repair the light.

CITY HALL HOLIDAY CLOSURES

City Hall will be closed on December 31st & January 1st for the New Year's Holiday. City Hall will also be closed on Friday, January 15th and Monday, January 18th for the Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday.

LIBRARY NEWS

Thank you to all who participated in our online and other programs during 2020 and who support the library with your patronage. You are the best! Join us in January for "Flurry at the Library". Drop off a handmade snowflake to help decorate our walls. Use your own designs or pick-up instructions and patterns at the library. **Storytime Packets** are available weekly; developed for little learners ages 2-5. **Finally:** We are celebrating our new Wednesday hours all month long. Drop in any Wednesday between 11 AM - 4 PM and be entered into a drawing for a movie night themed gift basket. Contact Shelly at 509-285-4310 for more info.

FRIENDLY REMINDER

This is a friendly reminder to not dispose of baby wipes or sanitary products down the toilet. These products cause havoc on our equipment at the lagoons. We realize some baby wipes or sanitary wipes say they are biodegradable and flushable, but in fact they are not dissolving or breaking up when they reach the lagoons and are wrapping around the grinders. **NO DIAPERS OF ANY KIND EITHER!!!** Thank you!

TOWN COUNCIL:

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