

Important December Dates

- Dec 2: Harrisburg Light Parade 7:00pm
- Dec 12: City Council Meeting, 6:30pm
- Dec 13: Municipal Court, 2pm
- Dec 19: Planning Commission, 7pm
- Dec 25-26: City Hall Closed for Christmas Holiday
- Jan 1: City Offices Closed for New Year's Holiday



City Administrator's Message

The month of December is always fun in the City. Thanksgiving has come and gone with a flurry of activity and friends and family getting together. We provided information about the Harrisburg Light Parade in last month's utility bill because we figure that the timing of this month's bill likely won't have it arriving before then. If this does arrive on time, then here is your last reminder that the Light Parade is on Saturday, Dec 2, starting at 7:00pm, with Santa & Mrs. Claus at the Picnic Pavilion, ready to hand out candy and apples from Detering Orchards, plus free hot cider, cocoa, and cookies for everyone! We hope that you make it to the Library Holiday Bazaar between 10 & 6pm! Be sure to check out the wonderful Christmas lights around town that our PW Crew puts up every year. The City's holiday display is going up on 3rd St., and Riverfront Park will soon reflect the lights of the Gazebo and park!

Please Shop Local! Visit all of our wonderful Harrisburg businesses! Gift cards never go out of style, and having great restaurants goes great with your super-packed and busy to-do list. Farmers Helper provides great meat for those special meals, Hurds Hardware has you covered in the tool department, you can get affordable and beautiful art at the Gallery, and Toys for Pets are Buy 1 Get 1 at Grocery Deals with a coupon! Grab a coffee or tea at either of our great businesses, and get that to-do list done! Then, to slow down just a little, visit the Ladies Book Corner at Milestone Ministries, located at 195 S. 3rd St. (The former Petra shop). Women's & Children's books available for purchase; reading room, bookstore & cards & gifts!

Harrisburg Transportation System Plan Update: Public Meeting #1

Please join us December 13 to learn about the Harrisburg Transportation System Plan (TSP) Update and share your vision for traveling in and around Harrisburg.

The TSP Update is a 20-year plan that will guide transportation improvements in the city. The plan was last updated in 1999, and Harrisburg's population and boundaries have grown since. An updated TSP will better meet the needs of Harrisburg residents, businesses, and visitors and plan for a safer transportation system.

Join us for our first public meeting on Wednesday, December 13 at 6 pm to learn about what we've heard so far, review the proposed plan goals, and share about your experiences traveling in Harrisburg today. Visit the [project website](#) to learn more!

What: Harrisburg TSP Update Public Meeting
 When: Wednesday, December 13, 2023
 Time: 6:00pm @ the Harrisburg Municipal Center @ 354 Smith

The City would like to thank our Utility Billing Supervisor/Building Permit Clerk/Code Enforcement Clerk, Carol Canham for all of her hard work with the City over the last 2 1/2 years. We're happy for her as she spreads her wings and takes on more responsibilities at another City, but we will definitely miss her sense of humor, and that can-do attitude that we so appreciate! Watch the City's website the first week of December, as we will be posting her position, and will be looking for a new person to take her place. Best of luck to you Carol...you will be missed!

— Michele Eldridge

NO DUMPING



DRAINS TO RIVER

It benefits us all to keep waterways healthy. Please do not dump chemicals, solvents, or oils down drains. Do not allow garbage to get into gutters, stormwater culverts, or the river. Please notify local law enforcement if you see someone dumping!

Harrisburg Public Library News

Drop by your Library to see what's New!

Come visit us and our vendors during our Holiday Bazaar and Book Sale Dec 2nd from 10am-6pm in the Municipal Center.

Game Night: Thu Dec 7 (FOR TEENS) and Thu Dec 21 (FOR ADULTS) 6:30pm—7:30pm in the Municipal Center. We have plenty of games for every age.

Crafting Club: Every Thursday @ 5pm at the Harrisburg Municipal Center. Open to everyone for any craft!

Lego Club: Every Friday from 3pm—4pm — held in the Library. All ages welcome!

Baby Story Time: Every Wed at 11am. Designed for ages 0-3yrs.

Story Time for Children: Every Friday from 10am to 11am in the Harrisburg Municipal Center.

Karaoke Club: Every Saturday at 1pm. Come sing with us!

Digital Library Consortium: A Harrisburg Library Card gets you entrance to the Library2go system. You can download your favorite e-books, and audio books through the Libby App! Call 541-995-6949 for more information.

LIBRARY OPEN DURING REGULAR HOURS IN DECEMBER



Code Enforcement Reminder of the Month

Harrisburg does not have a leaf removal program. Please help keep our streets and ditches clear to PREVENT FLOODING. Leaves and yard debris can be used as mulch in your yard, or disposed of in your weekly Republic Services pick-up.

Meals for Wheels needs your help!

The Oregon Cascades West Council of Governments provides the Meals on Wheels program in our area. The program provides Harrisburg and Brownsville clients with nutritious meals on Tuesdays and Thursdays. But they need volunteers! In as little as 2-3 hours a week, you can make a positive impact to those in your community. Email: volunteers@ocwcog.org, or call 541-812-6015 to help, or visit www.ocwcog.org/connect.

Residential Utility Rates (Fiscal Year 2023-24)

The utility bill is a combination of water, sewer and storm drain charges. Please contact City Hall for more information. Rates below are for July 2023-June 2024.

Water Base Rate: \$22.16	Sewer: Minimum Charge: \$22.03
Per Unit: \$1.81 (per EEU*)	Sewer User Fee: \$7.99 (per EEU*)
Storm Drain: \$3.74	*An EEU is equal to 748 gals of metered water

Xpress Bill Pay—Utility Billing

Xpress Bill Pay is our online payment provider. You can pay your utility bill by e-check, Visa, Mastercard, Discover or Debit at no extra cost to you. Visit www.ci.harrisburg.or.us/utilitybilling for additional information.

To better serve you, please return any contact changes to City Hall

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone: _____
 Email: _____
 Account Number: _____

2023 Harrisburg Light Parade A Candyland Christmas

Saturday, December 2nd @ 7pm

Presented by: Tri-County Chamber of Commerce, EPUD, Pacific Power, and Blachly Lane Electric Co-op.



Contact the Tri-County Chamber at 541.998.6154 or info@tri-countychamber.com to register.



Saturday, December 2nd

Following the Harrisburg Parade

After-Parade Holiday Gathering

FREE visit with Santa & Mrs. Claus

FREE treats for the everyone!

Picnic Pavilion Building

490 Smith St.



HARRISBURG HOLIDAY BAZAAR 2023

SAT. DEC. 2ND, 10 AM-6 PM
AT HARRISBURG MUNICIPAL
CENTER
354 SMITH ST HARRISBURG
OR 97446

CALL NOW TO RESERVE YOUR
TABLE TODAY!
VENDOR BOOTH COSTS: \$20 PER TABLE

CONTACT INFORMATION FOR EVENT:
LIBRARIAN MANDY PELKEY
PHONE: 541-995-6949
EMAIL: APELKEY@CI.HARRISBURG.OR.US

Shop Local Harrisburg!



Please keep our local economy strong; make it a priority to buy from a local business before the big box stores this holiday season!



Clara Russell
Insurance
Auto-Home-Business-Life
190 Smith St., Harrisburg,
OR 97446, Call/Text 541-
995-5141



Emmanuel Carpet Cleaning
541-556-1390

emmanuelcarpetcleaning@gmail.com
*A Harrisburg Home Occupation Business!



SCAN ME



GROCERY DEALS

541-995-5135

Pet Toys

**Buy 1
Get 1
Free!**

Offer Expires
01.31.24

Must have coupon!



Free Initial
Consultations for
New Customers!
541-954-3284 or
contact
tandi@schatzbook
keeping.com

Schatz Bookkeeping & Accounting



MEXICAN KITCHEN
M - F 7:30 am - 6 pm
Sat. 10 am - 5 pm

103 S. 3rd Street
(Inside American Market!)



Kniferiver.com
541-918-5100



204 Moore Street
M - F 7 am - 5 pm
Sat. 8 - 2 pm



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Harrisburg, OR

Espresso • Coffee • Cold Drinks
• Pastries • Waffles •
Paninis • & More!

260 N. 3rd Street



-maintenance-
-polishing-
-detailing-

195 S. 3rd St.
541-730-6676

American Market – 103 S. 3rd St. (Hwy 99E) (541) 995-8203 & Nuestro Sabor (inside American Market) (541) 995-5315; Country Counseling – 230 N. 3rd St. #105 (541)-998-5660; Harrisburg (Curtis) Pharmacy – 230 N. 3rd St, Suite 106; EZ Stop Market – 190 N. 3rd St.; Farmers Helper - 390 LaSalle St., 541-995-8449; Harrisburg Liquor Store – 230 N. 3rd St., Suite 102, (541)995-5218; Citizens Bank – 230 N. 3rd St. (541) 995-4699; Jumping for Joy Preschool – 710 Smith St, (541) 914-7573; Pacific Hometown Insurance – 155 N. 3rd St. (541)995-6397; Ogden Auto Care – 195 S. 3rd St., (541) 730-6676; Grid Iron Bar & Grill – 262 Smith St., (541) 995-5051; The Voo – 162A S. 2nd St. (541) 520-2537; Village Beauty Salon- 180 Macy St., (541)995-6639; 99 Grill - 290 N. 3rd St. (541) 995-3766; Casa Torero - 230 N. 3rd St., Suite 104, (541) 995-4700; Java Joy Coffee - 375 S. 3rd St., (541) 844-8934; Jelden Built LLC - 206 S. 3rd St., (541) 995-6515; Shear Country - 282 Smith St., (541) 995-7745; That Place in the Country – 170 S. 3rd St. (541)338-0990; Arrow Services – 195 Smith St., 541-521-7721; Bennett Ceilings LLC – 285 Moore St. (541) 521-2666; Center Spot (Spot Hoggs)-125 Smith St (541)995-3702; Dari-Mart – 325 S. 3rd St. (541) 995-8375; Exodus Recovery Services – 230 N. 3rd St. (541) 998-5660; Elite Repair & Remodel LLC- 642 Hwy 99E, (874)995-4767; Grocery Deals – 295 N. 3rd St. (541) 953-9937; Hurds Hardware – 204 Moore St. (541)995-6317; J&S Art Company (Harrisburg Gallery)- 294 Smith St. (541-543-5920) Key Bank – 310 S. 3rd St., (541)995-6063; Legacy Metalworks – 795 S. 2nd St. (541) 632-4260; Lola's Coffee – 260 N. 3rd St. (541)974-1246 – Magnum Service (Harrisburg Station) – 309 N. 3rd St. (541)995-8229; Magnuson Dental – 205 Macy St., (541) 995-5244; Milestone Ministries (Bookstore) – 195 S. 3rd St. (541) 556-1942; N & S Oregon – 230 Sommerville Ave, (541) 995-2262; New Golden Chopstix – 203 Smith St., (707) 321-6507; Allstate/Clara Nielsen Insurance – 190 Smith St. (541) 995-5141; Subway – 306 Smith St. (541) 995-9191

FOR GENERAL INFORMATION – CALL JAMI KNOX AT THE CITY - 541-995-6655