

The City Newsletter

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Welcome to the
CITY OF JEROME

Summer Reading at the Library

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City Council

Council meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month at 5:30PM at Council Chambers, located at 100 East Ave A, Jerome.

Council Meetings:

- June 6th
- June 20th
- July 5th
- July 18th

For a copy of the most recent agenda, visit our website or e-mail


sfraser@ci.jerome.id.us.

Summer Reading is here! We are ready to combat the Summer Slide so that children will have less learning loss when they return to school in the fall.

We have a plan to encourage children to read over the summer. Children are asked to read at least 15-minutes a day from June 1st through August 1st. Children track their reading time each week and receive prizes. Also they will get a sticker for each 15-minute interval which are used to fill up their reading log. Those who fill their entire reading log will be entered into the grand prize drawing.

In addition to providing reading incentives, the library plans six (6) weeks of fun and games. This year's theme, *Build a Better World*, has given us some great ideas about how we can incorporate hands on building activities with literacy. Come join the fun on Fridays at 10:00 a.m. starting June 2nd.

Visit the library's website at jerome.lili.org to register online or visit the library.



JEROME PUBLIC LIBRARY

SPANISH SUMMER READING HOUR
Thursdays from 10:00~ 11:00 am Beginning June 1st

We invite all children grades kindergarten through 3rd grade to leave their English at the door and join us for an hour of crafts, games, stories and songs in a Spanish-only setting.

Children's Summer Reading Program Fridays at 10am

June 2nd - Live Guest: Jerome Recreation District

June 9th — Transform Guest: Idaho Power

June 16th — Five Senses Guest: St. Luke's

June 23rd — Discover Guest: Idaho Fish & Game

June 30th — Build Guest: Home Depot

July 7th — Community Guests: Fire Department, make your own puppet with Honey Bunch Puppets, balloon animals with Rebecca Sandison, and a bounce house!

May 19th was a big day for our homeschoolers. Not only did they have fun with our papermaking project, they also brought in their Science Fair projects. The 18 children who participated in the Science Fair did an amazing job. Our library patrons enjoyed looking over the displays.



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JEROME
FREEDOM FEST
2017

July 1, 2017 - North Park
2 pm - 8 pm

Saturday, July 1, 2017

NORTH PARK

300 EAST MAIN, JEROME

**FOOD & BEVERAGES,
VENDORS, MUSIC AND
MORE!**

**Fireworks Display at dusk at
Jerome High School**

Vendors and Sponsors, please contact (208)757-7770

CSI Jerome Center Community Education

CABS (Child and Babysitting Safety) Babysitter Training

Learn the important information you need to turn babysitting into a summer or afterschool job. This training covers the fundamentals of caring for children of different age groups, safety, injury prevention, and keeping your charges entertained and engaged. Special attention is given to "babysitting as a business," including leadership, preparation techniques, and communicating with parents. The class fee includes course book, 2-year certification card, and first aid kit.

Wednesday	June 7
1:00 – 5:00 p.m.	Jerome Center
Fee: \$42	Limit: 10 students
	Instructor: Aaron & Christina Keyes

EV3 Lego Robotics

Design, build, and program a LEGO EV3 robot that will crush the competition in a fun, end-of-camp contest. LEGO Robotics camp is open to all boys and girls interested in applying science, technology, engineering, and math while learning real-world problem solving skills and gracious professionalism from the valley's own award-winning 5026 Tesla Coils FTC Robotics Team.

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday	June 14 - 16
1:00 – 4:00 p.m.	Jerome Center
Ages 9-15	Instructor: Trachelle Fullmer
Fee: \$50	Limit: 10 students

*Note: Usual fees are \$100, Funding for discounted rate from Idaho STEM Action Center.

Bubble Art for Kids

Welcome to the wonderful world of bubble art! You will enjoy the magic of colored bubbles, learn to make your own bubble soap, and then get the chance to create a beautiful bubble painting. You will also learn to make your own bubble wand from sticks.

Saturday	June 17
1:00 – 3:00 p.m.	Jerome Center
Ages 7-14	Instructor: Stacie Rambo
Fee: \$10 = \$5 supply fee paid to instructor	

Book Folded Art

Have you seen the newest craft in town? Come learn to do Folded Book Art - it is fun and easy! Custom-made folded book sculptures made from carefully folding the pages of recycled books to create different designs. From hearts to letters, words, symbols and objects, anything is possible! In this class, you will learn how to fold a word or picture into a book to give as a gift or to display in your office or home. The instructor will supply the book and pattern for this class.

Tuesday	July 11
6:30 – 8:00 p.m.	Jerome Center
Fee: \$20 + \$10 supply fee paid to instructor	Instructor: Tina Standlee

Registration Information at: <http://communityed.csi.edu> or (208) 324-5101.

Jerome Senior Center Events

JEROME SENIOR CENTER 520 N. LINCOLN AVE., JEROME, 83338 208-324-5642

jeromeseniorcenter.com jeromeseniorcenter@aol.com visit us on facebook

Open Monday-Friday 8am - 4pm

June 2017						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2 Fiddlers @ Lunch Pinochle 1pm Bingo Doors Open @ 5pm Games @ 6pm	3
4 Dance & Potluck 2-5pm \$5.00 Music by: Music Melody Masters	5 Ricki Lee 11:30 Bridge 12:30 Bunco 12:45	6 Blood Pressure 11:30 Pinochle 1pm Foot Clinic 1pm	7 Country Boys Band Women's Pool 1pm Stitch in Time 1pm Pinochle 6:30 pm Square Dancing	8 Pinochle 1pm Hand & Foot 1pm Women's Pool 7pm Freewill Baptist Lunch	9 Pinochle 1pm Bingo Doors Open @ 5pm Games @ 6pm	10
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Notes: Fitness Classes Mon-Tues-Wed-Fri 10:30 am Mon & Thurs 5:20 pm Yoga Thurs 10:30am

Chamber Golf Scramble

The Jerome Chamber of Commerce Golf Scramble will be held at the Jerome County Club on Saturday, July 15th. If your business is interested in being a hole sponsor or you would like to reserve a team, please contact Director@VisitJeromeldaho.com.

The Caddy Shack Restaurant will provide a BBQ Buffet after the Golf Scramble. The cost is included in the Golf registration for golfers only. Additional meal tickets may be purchased.



School District News

Registration for 2017-2018 School Year

- Jefferson and Horizon Elementary:
 - Phone in Registration August 8-10th
- Summit Elementary and Jerome Middle School:
 - In Person Registration August 14th 9:00 am-7:00 pm and August 15th 9:00 am-4:00 pm
- Jerome High School:
 - Returning JHS students and those coming from JMS-August 9th 8:00 am-11:00 am, 1:00 pm-3:00 pm and 5:00 pm-7:00 pm
 - New to the District-August 8th or August 15th -8:30 am- 2:30 pm by appointment
 - Call 324-8137 ext. 4012 to make an appointment May 25th- June 6th
 - To register for a sport go to the Register My Athlete page <http://athletics.jeromeschools.org/forms/>

Jerome Middle School

Tag Gold Medalist:

Identity theft is a global problem, affecting about 44 million people a year. The students in the Jerome School District's Gifted and Talented program have been researching ways to reduce the economic and social impacts of this crime in preparation for the State Future Problem Solving Competition. On Friday, April 28th the Junior Division (grades 4-6) took 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. The Middle Division (grades 7-8) took 3rd place. The students on the winning team, Kaleb Parsons, Lilly Shewmaker, Quincy Urrutia, and Brooklyn Ramirez, have been invited to the international competition at the University of LaCross Wisconsin where they will be creating solutions for biosecurity issues. In other words, they will be researching and creating solutions that could help us stop diseases from crossing international borders.

Horizon Elementary

Accelerated Reader Challenge:

YAHOO!! Our students met and surpassed their reading points goal of 15,000! Grades 1 -3 students have read thousands of books and tested successfully on them to earn these points since the end of January. We celebrated their accomplishment on Monday, May 22nd with a special "Rainbow Fish" activity school wide with Mrs. Fisher and Mrs. Harbaugh.

iStation Pilot:

Both Horizon and Jefferson were chosen to be a pilot school for the new IRI. We look forward to learning more about iStation next year and the assessments within this program



We did a mini pilot last year with some of our BLT (Building Leadership Team) teachers' classrooms. We found that the students really enjoyed working with this intervention program, which was very kid-friendly and engaging. You can read more about this at the following link: http://magicvalley.com/news/local/education/magic-valley-schools-to-try-new-reading-test/article_52969281-267f-545f-a45d-4a70bd1b32a4.html.

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Jefferson Elementary

Dual Language Celebration:

There was a HUGE turnout for our Dual Language Celebration on May 5th. Families brought potluck food to share, and after dinner, the students performed for their families and celebrated Cinco de Mayo with a piñata. Mrs. Munk, Mrs. Tuttle, and Miss Camacho did a great job organizing the festivities and preparing their students. This year has been very successful for the DLI Program and we are looking forward to the planning and growth to come. During Kindergarten Registration, we had 60 applicants for the Kindergarten Dual Immersion Program. Our lottery was completed. We have two full kindergarten sessions with 6 families on our waiting list. We were able to accommodate the handful of applications for we received for next year's 1st grade class.



District Wide

Jerome School District in conjunction with Jiffy Lube/Burton Group would like to recognize the outstanding work done by teachers in our district. Darren Olsen and Gaylyn Hall were recognized in January for the Jerome School District Excellence in Teaching Award. Congratulations to these two outstanding educators.

For more information on the great things happening in Jerome School District please find us on Facebook (www.facebook.com/jeromeschooldistrict261) and Twitter (#JSD261).

If you would like to make a donation to the Jerome School District please contact the school, Kim Lickley at (208) 324-2392 or send an email to kim.lickley@jeromeschools.org.

Chickens: What You Should Know

Some people enjoy keeping chickens as pets, for eggs and to educate their children. A special use permit is required in order to keep chickens in the city limits. This process is in place to allow additional uses and ensure that it is a good fit for surrounding areas. Special Use Permits require a public hearing and they are reviewed by the Planning & Zoning Commission.



The following criteria must also be met:

1. No household or parcel of property shall keep more than six (6) chickens, poultry or fowl.
2. Roosters are prohibited.
3. The chickens, poultry or fowl shall be contained to the site or the site shall be fenced.
4. Any chicken coop or accessory structure associated with the chickens, poultry or fowl shall be placed in accordance with the accessory structure setback requirements.
5. Chickens, poultry or fowl shall not be kept in the front yard.

Contrary to popular belief, chickens do not need a rooster to lay eggs. There are no roosters to be found at all the mega-farms, where most eggs come from. The purpose of the rooster is to fertilize the eggs. An egg won't hatch into a baby chick unless the rooster mates with the hen. However, this is not the goal of most chicken owners.

If you have questions about the chicken regulations, special use permits or the process please contact the Planning Department at 324-8189.



**Jerome
Recreation
District**

Swimming & Movie Night

- July 15th
- 7:30 p.m.

Golf Lessons Summer 2017

- June 20-22
- Register by June 18
- Youth Ages 6 yrs. -11 yrs.
8:15 a.m. – 9:15 a.m. OR
9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.
- Youth Ages 12 yrs. – 17 yrs.
10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.
- Adults
5:30 p.m. – 6:45 p.m. OR
7:00 p.m. – 8:15 p.m.

Fall Registrations

- Flag Football – Soccer - Volleyball
- Registration July 1 – September 1
- Games/Camps to begin September 19

Water Aerobics

- July 5-29
- July 3-31
- August 1-17

New Summer Classes

- Yoga – Tues/Thurs @ 5:30 p.m.
- Boot Camp – Mon/Wed @ 7:00 a.m.

Tennis Camp

- June 12-16
- Ages 8 & up

Check out the website for class schedules and the latest JRD information:

www.jeromerecreationdistrict.com

Jerome Recreation District

2032 South Lincoln, Jerome, ID 83338
(208)324-3389

Library Events

- ◆ Make It - Tuesdays after school until 5:00 p.m. for grades 6th-12th
- ◆ Jr. Make It - Thursdays after school until 4:30 p.m. for grades 1st-5th
- ◆ Don Ritchey Sing-Along - Thursdays from 4:00–4:30 p.m. for toddlers thru Kindergartners
- ◆ Storytime - Fridays at 10 a.m. and again at 1 p.m.
- ◆ Minecraft afternoons - play Minecraft on the library server every day after school. No library card needed.
- ◆ Classic Book Club – meets the 1st Wednesday of the month at 7:00 p.m.
- ◆ Contemporary Book Club – meets the 1st Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m.



For more information, please call 324-5427 or visit the library.



JUNE EMPLOYMENT ANNIVERSARIES

David McBride	Fire Fighter Engineer	13 years
Katy Nuffer	Animal Shelter Attendant	2 years

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