



The Echo

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City council members observe social distancing guidelines during the April 16 meeting.

A Friendly Reminder

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Public Works Director Justin Northern mows a fresh crop of spring grass in George Park.

Coming Up	
City Budget Committee Meeting	May 14, 4 pm, Echo City Hall
City Budget Hearing with Council Meeting to follow	May 21, 4 pm, Echo City Hall
Chester's Food Pantry	May 27, 3:00 PM, VFW Hall



The food pantry has a new home! You'll find it in the VFW Hall at 210 Bridge Street.

Update on Local businesses:

H & P Café: open for take-out. Hours of operation may change, so please call or drop by.

Butter Creek Coffee House: has moved to the Old Mason Lodge on Dupont. Opening date not set yet

Sno Road and Echo Ridge Wineries – are open for limited hours – check their websites for more information

Desert Springs Bottling Co. – Open for business



Friday Night Lights

If you've driven by Echo High School on a Friday night lately, you've surely noticed the scoreboard and football field lights ablaze. The Echo Cougars have joined schools across the nation in honoring this year's senior class by turning on the lights each Friday at 20:20 (8:20 p.m.). The lights then burn one minute for each day that students have been out of school since the closure due to the COVID-19 pandemic.



#Be the light

Echo's Elected Officials

Jeannie Hampton	Mayor
Jerry Gaunt	Council Pres.
Janie Enright	Councilperson
Robert Harris	Councilperson
Chad Ray	Councilperson
Tammie Williams	Councilperson
Dick Yoder	Councilperson

Remember that Echo City Hall has your free residential yard trimming permits. Come on down & pick one up from Peggy.

A Note from Your Library: How to Check Out a Book

Give us a call at 541-376-8411 and ask for the library. We can grab any book or movie you would like. Then we can check it out and have it ready when you come to pick it up. Anna Lemmon, the librarian, is in the library from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. If you don't know what you want to read, she can pick something out for you. Check out *Echo Public Library* on Facebook to see what's new. If you go to *Sagelib.org*, you can search the whole library system and have books sent here. All you need is your library card number and password (last 4 digits of your phone number). If you go to *library2go.overdrive.com*, you can check out eBooks and audio books. Just remember our home library is "Leo Listens." Be safe, and remember you can go anywhere in a book.

COVID-19 UPDATE:

The City of Echo Administration continues to monitor the ongoing crisis and we are currently complying with the executive order issued by Governor Brown.

As the City Administrator I have a responsibility to follow the guidelines set forth, but I also have the latitude to make adjustments and changes to those guidelines as the situation warrant's it. To that end, I am working closely with other City leaders to determine the best course of action and begin to open up some public facilities, hopefully in the coming days or weeks. The City staff will keep areas cleaned and continuously sanitized to reduce any risk of spreading COVID-19 or any other virus. I want to remind folks to respect others and keep your distances for awhile longer. Also, if you don't feel comfortable entering Echo City Hall or Library, then don't. We will continue to provide curbside service into the summer months.

Thank You,

David Slaght

City Administrator-Recorder