

# NSL INSIDER

February 2024



Photo by Sheri DeVore 2022 Photo Contest

## UPCOMING EVENTS & PUBLIC MEETINGS

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| <b>2.20: City Council</b>              | <b>3.4: Essay Submissions Due</b>  | <b>3.19: City Council</b>           |
| <b>2.27: Planning Commission</b>       | <b>3.6: City Council</b>           | <b>3.26: Planning Commission</b>    |
| <b>2.27: Parks &amp; Arts Mtg</b>      | <b>3.7: NSL Reads Author Night</b> | <b>3.26: YCC Mobile Food Pantry</b> |
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| <b>3.3: Soccer Registration Closes</b> | <b>3.13: Senior Lunch</b>          |                                     |

## 2024 CITY EVENTS SCHEDULE

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| DATE      | EVENT                   | DATE       | EVENT                           |
|-----------|-------------------------|------------|---------------------------------|
| March 7   | NSL Reads               | July 8-25  | Summer Rec Session 2            |
| March 30  | Easter Egg Dash         | August 8   | NSLPD Night Out & Health Fair   |
| 4/13-5/18 | Spring Rec Soccer       | Sept 2     | Splash Pad Last Day             |
| April 15  | Food Trucks Start       | 9/7-10/12  | Fall Rec Soccer                 |
| April 27  | Arbor Day Tree Planting | Sept 7     | 9/11 Day of Service             |
| May 4     | Kite Festival           | 8/25-9/13  | Photo Contest                   |
| May 11    | Golden Spoke Bike Ride  | Sept 14    | Get to the River Event          |
| May 17-19 | Spring Clean-up         | Sept 14    | Family Golf Scramble            |
| May 25    | Splash Pad Opens        | Sept 20-22 | Fall Clean-up                   |
| June 3-20 | Summer Rec Session 1    | Sept 22    | Oktoberfest (@ EW)              |
| June 3    | Unity Event: Pride      | Sept 23    | Unity Event: Latino Hrtg.       |
| June 10   | Unity Event: Juneteenth | Sept 23    | Food Trucks Vendors Final Night |
| June 29   | Liberty Fest at Legacy  | Oct 26     | Halloween Spooktacular          |
| July 2    | Eaglewood Auto Fest     | Dec 2      | Winter Lights Fest              |
| July 3    | Liberty Fest Fireworks  | Dec 14     | Santa Breakfast @EW             |

- 2ND WEDNESDAY OF EVERY MONTH: SENIOR LUNCH BUNCH AT CITY HALL
- 4TH TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH: YCC MOBILE FOOD PANTRY

\*Event dates, times and locations are subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances.



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## POLICE COMMENDATION



Three North Salt Lake police officers were honored recently during a city council meeting. Sergeant Tyler Winslow and Officers Austin Lewis and Hilary Chacon received the Police Star award for unselfishly placing themselves at great risk to help someone in deep distress.

On September 29, 2023, these three officers responded to a call from a suicidal individual who had climbed to the top of an unstable cliff ledge and was considering jumping. Once the officers located the individual, they hiked out onto the dangerous area themselves to talk and encourage this person back to safety. They continued to visit with this person and after agreeing to move to a safer location, these officers, with no backup safety equipment, linked themselves hand-to-hand, and Sergeant Winslow was lowered down to the person and was able to grasp their hand and pull them to safer ground.

Thankfully this led to a successful outcome, but it could have turned out very differently for all involved. No judgment was made on the circumstances that led to the person in distress, only the need to help them at this crucial time.

It is noteworthy that these three officers did not choose, nor were they specifically chosen for the call or the circumstances in which they found themselves. However, when confronted with this situation, they acted with courage, commitment and competence, a reflection on all officers of the North Salt Lake Police Department.

The Police Star is the third highest recognition awarded (only behind the Medal of Valor and Police Medal), for distinctive and courageous acts involving personal hazard and protecting or saving a human life.

We congratulate these officers for making a difference every day, one call at a time.

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## NSL READS ESSAY CONTEST & AUTHOR NIGHT

Introducing the **NORTH SALT LAKE PARKS AND arts**

**2024 ESSAY CONTEST THEME:**

IF YOU COULD GO ANYWHERE IN VR,  
WHERE WOULD YOU GO?

**VIRTUALLY ME**  
A non-fiction story about virtual reality  
CHAD MORRIS and SHELLY BROWN  
Illustrated by Chad Morris and Shelly Brown

- SUBMISSIONS DUE 3.4.24
- NSL READS AUTHOR EVENT 3.7.24

Introducing the 2024 Essay Contest Theme: **"If you could go anywhere in VR (Virtual Reality), where would you go?"**

Virtual reality lets you travel anywhere—new or old, into space or around the globe! Here's your chance to tell us where your adventure would take you. We've got Barnes & Noble gift cards up for grabs, and there isn't much time -submissions are due March 4th - so start brainstorming!

Then, join us for a fun NSL Reads Author Event on March 7, 2024 with Utah authors, Shelly Brown and Chad Morris!

SEE [NSLCITY.ORG](http://NSLCITY.ORG) FOR ESSAY CONTEST INFO

## LIVESTREAM PUBLIC MEETINGS

**Did you know?**

You can view all City Council and Planning Commission meetings live on our YouTube channel?

Join our **YouTube community**

@nslutah4909

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC4L6t0F8vVPixDL5cVYBwQ>

The City of North Salt Lake is pleased to announce the launch of its official YouTube channel, dedicated to live-streaming city council and planning commission public meetings. This initiative aims to enhance transparency and civic engagement by providing citizens with easy access to the decision-making processes within the local government.

To subscribe to the Official City of North Salt Lake YouTube channel and receive notifications when new videos are available, use the link below or search for @nslutah4909

For information regarding public meetings, please contact Wendy Page, City Recorder at [801-335-8709](tel:801-335-8709) [Wendyp@nslcity.org](mailto:Wendyp@nslcity.org)

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## FREE LANDSCAPE CLASSES

**March Classes**

- 2 BEST PRUNING PRACTICES; FRUITS & ORNAMENTALS  
March 2, Saturday at 9AM
- 7 TREE SELECTIONS AND VARIETIES TO USE  
March 7, Thursday at 6:30PM
- 14 CHOOSING THE RIGHT CONTRACTOR  
March 14, Thursday at 6:30PM
- 21 HOW TO GROW HEALTHY ATTRACTIVE LAWNS  
March 21, Thursday at 6:30PM
- 28 PERENNIALS FOR SPRING COLOR  
March 28, Thursday at 6:30PM

REGISTER

[weberbasin.gov](http://weberbasin.gov)

WEBER BASIN WATER LEARNING GARDEN

Did you know the Weber Basin Water Learning Garden offers free classes? Register now for helpful instruction on subjects such as pruning, tree selection, choosing the right contractor, how to grow healthy lawn, and perennials for spring color!

Note: Weber Basin also has a free (non-fluoridated) water fill station at their treatment plant located at 2837 E Highway 193 in Layton.

REGISTRATION: [WWW.WEBERBASIN.GOV](http://WWW.WEBERBASIN.GOV)

## FOOD PANTRY IN NORTH SALT LAKE



Did you know North Salt Lake has its own food pantry that provides essential groceries and other items to those in need? The Center of Hope Food Pantry and Thrift Store is located at 74 South Orchard Drive, NSL, and their hours of operation are:

- Monday 4-6 pm
- Wednesday 3-6 pm
- Saturday 10-1 pm

Come volunteer or donate to help make a difference.  
Ph: [801-706-3101](tel:801-706-3101)

**MORE INFO:**  
[www.ladiesofcharitynorthernutah.org](http://www.ladiesofcharitynorthernutah.org)

## LOOKING FOR NEW VENDOR FAIR COORDINATOR



We're excited to continue our Monday Night Food Trucks and Vendor Fair at Legacy Park! Several years ago, Pamela Kay (a NSL resident) started the Vendor Fair several years ago and has worked tirelessly as the coordinator to make it successful! Although she is retiring from this role, the City is committed to continuing these community events and we are looking for a new volunteer who is interested and excited to keep the NSL Vendor Fair ball rolling!

The City will be easing some of the burden by switching to an on-line registration (and payment) form and also streamlining some of the paperwork directly through the city offices. So, reach out and let us know if you're interested! We'd love to hear from you via email:  
[info@nslcity.org](mailto:info@nslcity.org).

## GENERAL PLAN UPDATE



What Is A General Plan? A general plan is a detailed document that describes what a city expects to become and how best to accomplish its objectives. It considers how the community will be structured, how it will grow, operate and how it will serve its citizens over the next 20 to 30 years.

General plans need to be updated every 10-12 years, and the City's last update was done in 2013 with input from planners, consultants and most importantly, our residents. We hope you will once again get involved in the process; watch for more information coming soon. We value your input and recommendations about the future of our City.

## SPRING SOCCER LEAGUE AGES 3-10



**REGISTER NOW**

**NSL RECREATION  
2024 SPRING  
SOCCER LEAGUES**

TEAMS FOR  
KIDS  
AGES 3-10



<https://secure.recl.com/UT/north-salt-lake-ut/catalog>

NSL RECREATION



Registration is going on now for our kids recreation soccer program. Teams are filling fast, so hurry and sign up before **registration closes March 3rd**. Teams are for kids ages 3-10.

NOTE: NSL Recreation Soccer League is a 100% volunteer organization. All parents are expected to volunteer in one or more areas. Volunteer opt-out fee is \$30

- The season is April 13 - May 18
- Games are Saturday mornings at Hatch Park
- Registration fee is \$75 (Feb 18-Mar 3).
- Uniform fee is \$30, but waived if player has 2023 fall uniform.

**MORE INFO & REGISTRATION LINK AT  
WWW.NSLCITY.ORG**

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## HATCH PARK FACELIFT



**COMING SOON:  
HATCH PARK  
IMPROVEMENT  
PLANS**

Get ready to experience the NSL Town Center transformation!



Get ready to experience the next phase of the Town Center transformation as we announce plans to redesign and rebuild Hatch Park! This beloved park was the original heart of the city, and we are excited to design and create improvements that will once again rejuvenate our town center and create a gathering space where families, friends and neighbors will want to spend time.

One of the first tasks of the project was hiring G. Brown Design to perform the design work and final plans for the project, followed by the selection of Hogan & Associates Construction, Inc. as Construction Manager/General Contractor for the renovation. Watch for project updates on the "Current Projects" page of our website.

