



# PENDLETON

*Working every day to be the premier city in Eastern Oregon*

July 2021

## HOUSING KEY TO A HEALTHY LOCAL ECONOMY

Pendleton, Ore. — Latest workforce commuting data from the State of Oregon show that currently 4,427 workers are commuting into Pendleton everyday and with 10 homes currently listed for sale in the City of Pendleton, it would be difficult for any of them find a home to buy and eliminate the need to commute. In fact we know that over the years many are commuting in from outside Pendleton because they couldn't find a place to live.

Another indicator of a housing shortage is the number of inquiries into renting. One home owner reported that when his 3 bedroom home came open for rent, he had 40 inquiries over the weekend. "I was asking \$1,500/month and could not believe the number of calls I received." Conversations with landlords in the community will reveal they have very little difficulty finding people wanting to rent their home or apartments.

For years the City has heard from local employers that there is a shortage of workforce and have repeatedly said that a lack of housing in the number one culprit. The City estimates there are at least 250 open jobs between the City and its neighbor, CTUIR to the east. Without adequate workforce, businesses could close.

As home values in Pendleton grow, there is hope that more homes will be built. The City Council has had as one of its goals to increase housing to solve this problem. While we will see several new rentals starting construction this summer and are seeing increased activity with local builders to meet the demand for single family homes, there is still a significant demand for additional housing in Pendleton.

*Submitted by Robb Corbett at the request of Mayor Turner.*



## COUNCIL MEETINGS

### July 20

City Council 7 pm  
PDC Meeting 6 pm

### August 6

City Council 7 pm

### August 17

City Council 7 pm  
PDC Meeting 6 pm

All meetings in the Council Chambers  
**FOR A FULL LIST OF MEETINGS VISIT**

<http://www.pendleton.or.us/>

## CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS

John Turner	Mayor	541-922-8605
Jake Cambier	At Large	541-969-2252
Steve Campbell	At Large	541-379-0130
Kevin Martin	Ward I	541-969-6744
Carole Innes	Ward I	541-276-0644
McKennon McDonald	Ward 2	541-969-3345
Sally Brandsen	Ward 2	503-351-6624
Dale Primmer	Ward 3	541-240-1117
Linda Neuman	Ward 3	541-969-1188

## CITY OF PENDLETON

Administration	541-966-0201
Airport	541-276-7754
Attorney	541-966-0206
Convention Center	541-276-6569
Community Dev.	541-966-0203
Facilities	541-966-0201
Finance	541-966-0207
Fire	541-276-1442
Library	541-966-0380
Municipal Court	541-966-0209
Parks/Rec/Cemetery	541-276-8100
Police	541-276-4411
Public Works	541-276-3078



## STREET UPDATE:

It would be hard to find a year in which the City spent more money on road repairs than this summer.

In March the City awarded the 2021 Slurry Seal contract which will seal 60 city blocks with an asphalt slurry seal which will better preserve these roads from deterioration. Total investment in slurry seal will exceed \$200,000. At that same meeting, the City awarded the 2021 Street Crack Seal project for \$164,000.



**The roads scheduled for repairs include all or portions of:**

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| NW Johns Lane           | NW Ingram Lane          |
| NW 3 <sup>rd</sup> St.  | NW Skyline Lane         |
| SE 17 <sup>th</sup> St. | SE 14 <sup>th</sup> St. |
| SE 9 <sup>th</sup> St.  | SE Byers Ave            |
| SE 7 <sup>th</sup> St.  | SE 8 <sup>th</sup> St.  |
| SE 4 <sup>th</sup> St.  | SE 1 <sup>st</sup> St.  |
| SW Main Pl.             | SW Kirk Pl.             |
| SW 1 <sup>st</sup> St.  | SW 3 <sup>rd</sup> St.  |
| SW 7 <sup>th</sup> St.  | SW 10 <sup>th</sup> St. |
| SW 11 <sup>th</sup> St. | SW Hailey Ln.           |
| SW Goodwin Ave.         | SW Goodwin Ln.          |
| SW Frazier Pl.          |                         |

**The City also awarded the 2021 Street Overlay and Street Reconstruction project for over \$2.2M in street repair work. The list of roads scheduled for repairs include all or portions of:**

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|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| NW 10 <sup>th</sup> St. | SW 2 <sup>nd</sup> St.  |
| SW Isaac Ave.           | SW Southgate Pl.        |
| SW Ladow Ave.           | SE Hailey Ave.          |
| McKennon Station Rd.    | NE 35 <sup>th</sup> St. |
| SE 7 <sup>th</sup> St.  | SE 6 <sup>th</sup> St.  |
| SW 7 <sup>th</sup> St.  | SW 8 <sup>th</sup> St.  |
| SW 4 <sup>th</sup> St.  |                         |

**The Paving Management Budget Options Report may be found [HERE](#).**



Looking for information on a **ROUND UP BUSINESS LICENSE?** If you do not currently have a business which is up & running and you are only wanting to be in business for **ROUND-UP**, here is the link for **[ROUND-UP BUSINESS LICENSE](#)**





The Mayor and Council set goals every biennium. Their current goals for 2021-22 are

- Increase Availability of Housing for all levels of income
- Develop sustainable infrastructure funding for the construction, operation, and maintenance of public buildings, roads, and utilities
- Increase Economic Development activities
- Improve communication between the Community and the City Council/ Mayor's Office/City of Pendleton

## ARTS COMMISSION

### A PROJECT OF THE PENDLETON VFW AND THE PENDLETON ARTS COMMISSION.

You may purchase a brick through donation to support this incredible tribute to our military men and women, past and present.

They supported us. Now we can support them. Beacon of the Sentinels, a magnificent sculpture by Colorado artist Michael Clapper, will be installed this year in Pendleton to honor our military men and women, past and present.

Contribute to this historic monument and have a name-yours or another's- engraved in a brick permanently located at the memorial site.



For more details and donation information at [Pendletontribute.com](http://Pendletontribute.com).

## DESIGNATED BURN/ NO BURN DAYS

Open burning within the City of Pendleton shall be automatically prohibited on the following days:

- From June 15th through September 30th each year.
- Day on which the City Fire Marshall or the Fire Marshall's designee has prohibited burning based on general fire safety conditions.
- Days when current or predicted local wind conditions involve high wind speeds that would potentially pose an unreasonable fire safety threat.
- Air Stagnation Days designated by the National Weather Service.
- The following holidays and special event days:
  - (a) New Year's Day
  - (b) Memorial Day weekend (Saturday through Monday)
  - (c) Fourth of July
  - (d) Labor Day weekend (Saturday through Monday)
  - (e) Pendleton Round-Up, from Saturday following Labor Day and continuing for the succeeding 9 days.
  - (f) Thanksgiving Day
  - (g) Christmas Day



OUT OF THIS WORLD!

# HOTROD-A-RAMA™

THE RESURRECTION

JULY 30 - AUGUST 2 • PENDLETON, OREGON



# KEEP IT LOCAL!

*Play. Shop. Dine.*

Tour the World-Famous Pendleton Round-Up in a Wagon  
 Have a Drink in the Shamrock Card Room  
 Listen to Live Music  
 See a Wild West Show  
 Ride a Horse

# GET WILD in PENDLETON!

**PLUS** So Much MORE to Discover!  
 BOUTIQUE SHOPPING  
 AWARD WINNING RESTAURANTS  
 RIVERWALK | MUSEUMS & ART | ANTIQUING

# PENDLETON

... CLOSER THAN YOU THINK!

[www.travelpendleton.com](http://www.travelpendleton.com)



### FROM ALL THE CORNERS OF THE EARTH:

An Introduction to Genealogy with Virginia Roberts.

Join us as local genealogy expert Virginia Roberts discusses getting started in research, where to go to access materials and resources needed to master genealogy. The library will provide free forms to get you started!

Join us on Tuesday, July 20th at 6PM  
Pendleton Public Library  
502 SW Dorion Avenue



# SUMMER ADVENTURE CAMP

At Community Park  
June 21th - August 20th  
Monday- Friday  
9am - 3pm

[pendletonparksandrec.com/parksrec](http://pendletonparksandrec.com/parksrec)

**Now offering camp Monday-Friday!**

**Get ready for a summer jam-packed with adventure, special guests, and activities!**

**\$50**  
Per Week  
Aquatic Center & Lunch Included



# UAS RANGE WORKSHOPS

PRESENTED BY PENDLETON PARKS AND RECREATION AND THE PENDLETON UAS RANGE

LOCATED AT THE EASTERN OREGON REGIONAL AIRPORT  
4529 NW A AVE. PENDLETON, OR; UAS RANGE HANGER

**WEEKLY CLASSES - \$40 PER WEEK**

FOUR WEEKS OF FUN AT THE UAS RANGE, UNDER THE HISTORIC WWII HANGER, MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS HAVE THE CHANCE TO GET HANDS ON EXPERIENCE WITH DRONES, ELECTRONICS, ROBOTICS, AND PROGRAMMING!

**WORKSHOP SCHEDULE**

JULY 19- 23	FUN WITH ELECTRONICS
JULY 26 - 30	FUN WITH ROBOTICS
AUGUST 2 - 6	FUN WITH DRONES
AUGUST 9 - 13	FUN WITH PROGRAMMING


**SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE**

FOR EASY REGISTRATION GO TO:  
**T.LY/SGYS** SHORTENED URL

**PENDLETON PARKS AND RECREATION**  
541-276-8100 865 TUTUILLA RD.  
PENDLETONPARKSANDREC.COM/PARKSREC




# WATER POLO



**PENDLETON AQUATIC CENTER**

Participants will learn the fundamentals of water polo and will practice different water polo skills in group and individual activities. This program will focus on the basics of water polo including: treading water, passing, ball control, and shooting. Offense and defensive strategies will be introduced through modified game play.

Prerequisites: • Participants must be able to swim safely across the pool and back multiple times and comfortable not touching the bottom of the pool.

**WEDNESDAY'S 6 PM - 7:30 PM STARTING AUGUST 4TH, 2021**

**INCLUDED WITH YOUR SEASON PASS OR DROP-IN FEE**

**AGES 6TH - 12TH GRADE**

**NO REGISTRATION NEEDED**

FREE AND FUN FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY

# MOVIES IN THE PARK

AT COMMUNITY PARK



**MOVIES START AT DUSK**

**JULY 16TH - JUMANJI THE NEXT LEVEL**

**JULY 23TH - JURASSIC PARK (1993)**

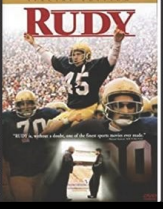
**JULY 30TH - LAND BEFORE TIME**

**AUGUST 6TH - SONIC THE HEDGEHOG**

**AUGUST 13TH - WONDER WOMAN 1984**

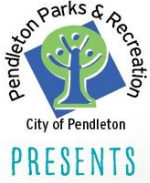
**AUGUST 20TH - RUDY**

**CHECK OUT THE CONCESSIONS STAND FOR POPCORN AND SNACKS**



**You bring a blanket, your lawn chair & your family or friends for a movie in the park at dusk!**

**AND WE'LL BRING THE CONCESSIONS!**



# WEDNESDAYS IN THE PARK

ALL AGES  
6-8PM

ROY  
RALEY  
PARK

FOOD VENDORS  
BEER / WINE  
GARDEN

7.7 **The Identities**  
(Punk Fusion Rock)

7.14 **Eilen Jewell**  
(Singer-Songwriter)

7.21 **Grateful**  
(Grateful Dead Tribute)

7.28 **Hillfolk Noir**  
(Junkerdash)

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## Make it a date!

Grab your lawn chair & your friends on Wednesday evenings for Music, Friends and Food in the park