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ARBOR DAY
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EARTH DAY
CITY OF UDALL
EASTER EGGS

FLOWERS
NATIONAL GARDEN MONTH
DIAMOND BIRTHSTONE
APRIL FOOLS
MAINTENANCE
EASTER BUNNY

The City of Udall's maintenance department is offering its stump grinding service again this year, providing a convenient and affordable way for residents to remove unsightly tree stumps. The service is priced at \$25.00 per stump for those 30 inches wide or smaller, and \$40.00 per stump for larger ones exceeding 30 inches. To qualify, all stumps must be no taller than 8 inches. Registration and prepayment are required by April 17th to be added to the grinding list. Excitingly, this year the service area has been expanded to include properties within a 3-mile radius of the city limits. Residents interested in taking advantage of this service can register by visiting or calling City Hall. 620-782-3512.



CITYWIDE GARAGE SALES MAY 1 - 3!



Get ready to declutter and discover treasures! The annual Udall City Wide Garage Sales are happening May 1st through 3rd. If you're looking to clear out some space and make a little extra cash, now's the time to sign up. Contact City Hall by phone or email courtclerk@cityofudall.com to secure your spot on the official Udall Garage Sale map. Don't delay, the deadline for sign-ups is April 25th! Maps will be distributed throughout town, helping shoppers find your sale and giving your unwanted items a new home.

Udall Historical Society 70th Anniversary of the Udall Tornado Memorial Event

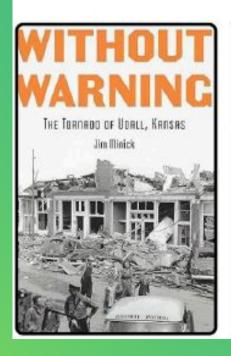
Come Join the Udall Historical Society to Remember Those Lost in the 1955 Tornado

Saturday, May 24, 2025

4:00 P.M. Udall Museum Opens -

5:00 P.M. the Memorial Event will Commence -

Location: Udall Community Building - 102 E 1st St Udall KS 67146 - <u>Refreshments will be provided</u>

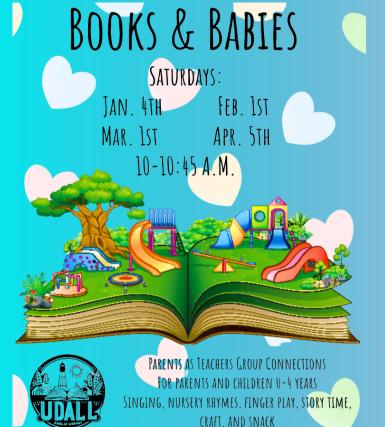


We are grateful to welcome Jim Minick, the author of "Without Warning: The Tornado of Udall, Kansas" to the Memorial.

Throughout the writing of his book, he was able to spend many hours with not only survivors, but friends and family members of those who perished in the tornado to get real-life accounts of what occurred the night of May 25, 1955

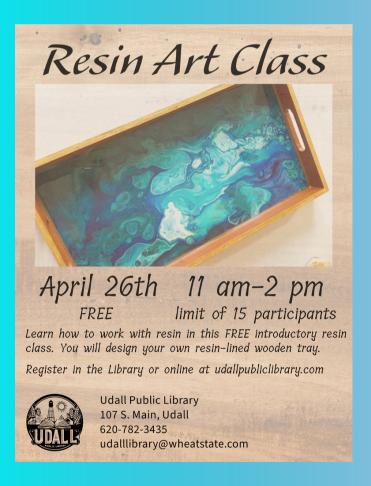
- 2023 Martin Kansas History Book Award
- 2024 Society of Midland Authors Award Honoree for History
 - 2024 Kansas Notable Book

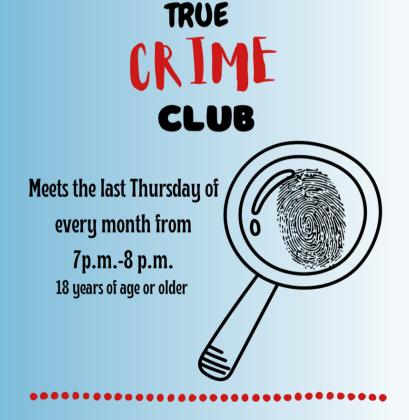
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Udall Public Library
107 S. Main St., Udall
620-782-3435
udalllibrary@wheatstate.com





Udall Public Library

LIBRARY EVENTS

Udall 4H MARCH MINUTES

The Udall 4H met at the Udall community building March 2, 2025. Anthony Jelinek called the meeting to order, Emmet Wilson led the pledge of Allegiance, and Owen Jelinek led the 4H pledge. Before the meeting could get into full swing, Mrs. Laura Jelinek asked the numerous new parents to come to the back with her to answer any questions they may have. Ella Jelinek read last month's minutes, and the roll question was "Would you rather bowl or swim?" There were 4 Cloverbuds, 44 members, 2 guests, and 22 adults present. Breana Maxwell announced that the club had 17 out of the 20 Club Seal requirements already this year. Jake Jelinek gave the treasurer's report: a beginning balance of \$3411.42, and an ending balance of \$4397.15. Amelia Erb gave the reporter's report and Landry Robinson spoke to the club about the rules for voting. The community leaders urged the members to work on their record books, as well as to vote on the new 4H t-shirt design. 5 minutes with a leader was held, and a committee was formed with Lee Preston and Hadley Lackey as leaders to serve snacks at the Udall Tornado 70th Anniversary Saturday May 24th, 2025, from 4:30 to 7 PM. The meeting was turned over to Breana Maxwell, who then turned it over to Addison Robinson for Education, Hadley Lackey presented on herd health, Landry Lackey on different cattle brushes, and Lee Preston on making baby blankets and burp rags. Taylor Ahlerich and Rhett Murphy led March birthdays, and recreation was led by Luke Ahlerich, and the members played get to know you dice for all the new members. Anthony Jelinek took the meeting again, the next meeting was set for April 6, 2025, at the Udall Community Building. Refreshments were provided by the **Preston** and Middleton families. Adjournment was made by Kyle Carruthers and 2nd led by Hailey Wilson.

Support your local 4-H youth by signing up to be a 4-H Booster!

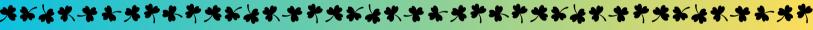
We are always looking for community service projects to help our community out!!

If there are any questions please call our local 4-H Community leader

316-204-4759



4-H Meetings are the first Sunday of each month!



Bruce Veterinary Services

101 S. Main St. Udall, KS

Get ready, pet parents! Our annual pet clinic is coming to CITY HALL (not the City Shop) on April 26th, running from 8 am to 5 pm. This year, we're excited to partner with Bruce Veterinary Mobile Services, offering even more services at affordable rates. Don't forget to register your adorable companions by April 29th! Pet tags are \$5.10 for spayed/neutered pets and \$10.20 for non-neutered pets, with a \$10.20 late fee applying to unregistered pets after April 29th. For those wanting to update their pet's rabies vaccination to a 3-year shot, please remember to bring proof of last year's vaccination. If your furry friend requires any procedures beyond routine vaccinations, please email spayday16@gmail.com as soon as possible to arrange for that. To keep you fueled throughout the day, we've also invited Mama Cheryl's food truck, offering delicious treats for everyone. We'll be here all day and can't wait to see your beloved four-legged companions!



Dog Spay \$125
Dog Neuter \$85
Cat Spay/Neuter \$75
ental \$150(\$10/tooth extracted, Cone \$15
Add' Pain Medication \$20
Bloodwork \$110/\$150
Rabies 1 Yr \$25
Rabies 3 Yr \$52
Distemper/Parvo \$25
Bordetella \$25

Leptospirosis \$25

Feline Distemper \$25

Microchip \$45

Heartworm Test \$25

4DX Heartworm/Anaplas/Erhlicia/Lyme

\$52

FeLV/FIV Test \$42

Flea & Tick Prevention \$15

Deworming \$10

Nail Trim \$10

Ear Cleaning \$10

MEETING MINUTES FEBRUARY 12, 2025

The Udall City Council met for the City Council Meeting on Wednesday February 12th, 2025, at 6:30pm at the Udall City Hall Council Room. Matt McAllister, Mayor, called the meeting to order. Council members present were Dan Rutschman, Randy Hoffman, Jim Caywood, Craig Hopkins, and David Franz. Quorum established. Also, present were Jennifer Mays, Erik King, Dennis White and Jack Wellman.

Meeting brought to order by McAllister at 6:30pm.

Pledge of Allegiance

Invocation - Jack Wellman

Modification to Agenda - None.

MOTION by **Franz** to approve the agenda as presented. **SECONDED** by **Hopkins, McAllister** called for a vote. All Ayes.

MOTIN Carried.

Business from the floor - None

CONSENT AGENDA – Discussion of how Expenditures are more than Revenues in the 2024 Annual Treasurers Cash Report. **Franz** requested a detailed revenue and expenditure by fund every month. It was explained by the City Clerk that this has been ongoing for all fiscal years that have been audited, the city clerk will provide this going forward.

MOTION by **Hoffman** to approve the Consent Agenda and Approve and Publish 2024 Treasurers Cash Report. SECONDED by **Caywood. McAllister** called for a vote. All Ayes. **MOTION** Carried.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Vacant Buildings – 213 N Clark Repairs – The council requested the maintenance logs from the old water leak at 213 N. Clark. Discussion of other vacant properties. Property located at 206 N. Clark legal description has been emailed to Randy Hoffman from Cowley County. He forwarded it to the city clerk. Police Chief and City Clerk begin proceedings for the following properties: 1. 206 N. Clark, 2. 203 S. East Street, 3. 0 K-15.

NEW BUSINESS

- 1. Stewart Addition Discussion of interested parties.
- 2. City Uniform Codes Vote Ordinance 701 publication date 02.15.2025 and PO 2025-3 International Code Books.

MOTION to approve Ordinance 701 by **Caywood**. SECONDED by **Franz**. **McAllister** called for a vote. All Ayes **MOTION** Carried

MOTION by **Franz** to approve PO 2025-3 with the following modifications: Order 1 copy of the loose-leaf options for all International Code Books. **SECONDED** by **Hopkins. McAllister** called for a vote. All Ayes. **MOTION** Carried.

Ordinance 694 Emergency Water Supply Plan Annual Review – Has been revised with contact information updates. Vote **MOTION** by **Caywood** to approve Ordinance 694 Emergency Water Supply Plan with revisions. **SECONDED** by **Hoffman**.

McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. MOTION Carried.

Utility Relocation phase, using Smith and Oakes? - Discussion

April Vaccination Clinic - Discussion

COUNCIL MEMBERS REPORTS:

Rutschman - None

Hoffman – When are the teams' meetings of the council meetings going live? McAllister needs someone to call in to make sure it works. It should be going live by June 2025. Tornado Siren discussion.

Caywood- None

Hopkins - None

Franz - None

Mayor - None

STAFF REPORTS:

Police Dept- Court Clerk Conference - Vote

- 1. MOTION by Caywood to approve \$ \$133.00+mileage+food for Shayla Boyer to attend the Annual Court Clerks Conference in Manhattan KS on 03.28.2025. SECONDED by Hopkins. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. MOTION Carried.
- 2. Discussion of English Trash Service and Evergreen Waste Management get quotes from both companies.
- 3. **Discussion of city cell phone.** Verizon has not been able to fix the problem with the cell phones in over a month. We have only been able to get new cell phones for Tavis Hart and Kendra Boyer. Can we switch to AT&T. It will require the payoff of approximately \$1700 at Verizon before we can switch. The monthly amount is about the same as Verizon. The council requested this to be brought up at the March Council Meeting.

Maintenance – Discussion of purchasing the new lawn mower this spring. Is leasing it an option with the ability to trade it in for a newer model at set intervals?

Office - None

ADJOURN - 7:54pm - **MOTION** by **Caywood** to adjourn. **SECONDED** by Hopkins. McAllister called for a vote. All Ayes. **MOTION** Carried.



Easter Egg Hunt

WHEN: Saturday April 19th

TIME: 10:30 a.m.

WHERE: Udall City Park

Hunts for multiple age groups:

0-3

4-6

7-9

10+

The Nazarene Church
Clothes Closet
214 S. Church St.



Open the second Saturday of each month! Clothing is free to the public!! Donations can be left on the porch in plastic bags. (no boxes or loose clothing please)

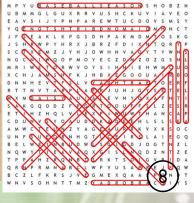






ANNUAL FITNESS CENTER MEMBERSHIP'S

are Due April 1, 2025



LOCAL BUSINESSES

Action Jackson Automotive & Tires Jack & Teresa Kistler actionjackson@wheatstate.com



Connie Butler Homes Team

Queesa Masters 620-218-8529 queesa93@gmail.com

620-782-3341



The Donut Stop 121 E 1st St.



care_team@wheatstate.com **Eastern Star**

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