

CITY OF SHELBY

MAY 2021 NEWSLETTER

Dear Shelby Residents.

As we get closer to summer, the City begins to ramp up for infrastructure projects as well as repairs and upgrades that support and improve our public works and community services for all residents. Plans are being finalized to complete the curb/gutter along the north side of Roosevelt Highway before MDT begins their resurfacing project along that stretch of highway. There will be lane closures during this time, so please be extra cautious in this area and choose alternative routes if possible.

Work will also begin soon in Krysko Skate Park to install a sprinkler system, sod and concrete walkway. The park has been an incredible gift to our community and we are truly excited to host a Grand Opening, Saturday, July 10th during the All-School Reunion. We hope to have Larry Krystkowiak and Jeff Ament here to celebrate the park's official opening.

We are so thankful to all the students and staff of Shelby Schools as well as the numerous groups, organizations, businesses and individuals who gave of their time and energy to help Shelby shine as part of our annual Arbor Day cleanup. You are truly stewards of our community in continuing to make Shelby a great place to live, work and raise our families.

As always, please contact City Hall or City Shop with questions or concerns you may have. City Hall can be reached at 434-5222 and the City Shop is 434-5564. Happy summer!

COLORES

MAROON and GOLD NEVER GROW OLD! Plans are in full swing for the 2021 All-School Reunion which will take place July 9-11th. The event will kick off with a Golf Scramble and Corn Hole Tournament Friday afternoon at Marias Valley Golf Course. Friday Night Homecoming will be at Shelby City Park with music and refreshments. Saturday morning at 10:00am will be an

Alumni Car Show on Main Street until 3:00pm. Shelby High School tours will begin at 1:00pm and the Grand Opening celebration at Krysko Skate Park will be at 3:00pm. The festivities will carry into the evening with a Main Street - street dance beginning at 7:00pm. Sunday morning from 10:00 to 12:00 will be a light send-off breakfast.

It's sure to be a great weekend in Shelby and we hope you invite your family, friends and old neighbors to **COME HOME** to Shelby this summer!

Special points of interest:

- Building Permits
- Business Recreation
 Pass Program
- Rec Pass Fund
- Walk n' Wheel
- Shelby Bloom
- Thank You
- Trees
- Summer Activities
- Pool & Civic Center Schedule



LANDFILL & GARBAGE RATE INCREASE

The costs of disposing and picking up garbage are ever increasing and we find we must make rate increases. In June 2021, our residential landfill fees will increase \$3 per month and an identical percentage increase to our commercial and rural customers will take affect. The following year, June 2022 we



will then raise our garbage rates \$3 for residential with an identical percentage increase to our commercial customers. No one likes to raise fees for any services but it is prudent that we do so. As always we appreciate your thoughts and input.



The City of Shelby weed ordinance requires that all vegetation on property be kept below six inches. If vegetation is in excess of this you are in violation of the ordinance. The ordinance is on the City of Shelby website (www.shelbymt.com). Unsightly weeds and vegetation are a

continued problem in our community and the City Council wishes to eliminate the annual problem. Trees, hedges and bushes at intersections must be no higher than 2 1/2 feet within 30 feet of the street corner. The City of Shelby weed ordinance provides for crews to mow weeds on your property if you fail to comply with the weed ordinance without any notice.

BUILDING OR MOVING SOMETHING?



The City of Shelby wishes to remind everyone that a building/zoning permit is required for construction work done within the Shelby city limits. A permit is required for work done to commercial buildings as well as single-family dwellings. Work such as a deck, front steps with a landing, or any addition to your home (a roof change, structural changes, and any new building over 200 square feet in area) require a permit. Exempt items to single-family dwellings are: reroofing, residing and a remodel without a structural change. Permits are also required for the placement of mobile homes, fences and conventional frame buildings of all uses onto private lots within the city. Moving a mobile home into a state licensed mobile home court is exempt. However, it does require a Toole County moving permit. The Building Inspector's office is located at the City Shop (66 City Shop Road, 434-5564).

CITY OF SHELBY BUSINESS RECREATION PASS PROGRAM ~ NEW RATE STRUCTURE

The rising cost of health insurance has many companies investing in wellness programs for their employees. These programs can and do have a positive impact on health insurance premiums. Here in Shelby and Toole County we are very fortunate area businesses have the opportunity to offer health and wellness opportunities through the City of Shelby Business Recreation Program.



The Shelby City Council has approved a rate schedule adjusted to the number of employees each business employs. Businesses that have 10 or less employees can purchase the recreation pass for \$50.00/month; 11-49 employees - \$75.00/month; 50-99 employees - \$100.00/month; and 100 and over employees - \$150.00/month.

This entitles your employees and their immediate families to purchase monthly passes at **half price.** Families would only pay \$30.00/month for a pool and civic center pass and individuals would receive a reduced rate of \$27.50 to use both facilities.

The City of Shelby encourages area businesses to consider participating in the Recreation Pass Program. Government, offices, retail businesses and churches have taken advantage of this

opportunity and we hope others will too. The Civic Center is a wonderful facility that offers great amenities including fitness rooms; weight room; racquetball; basketball; kid's room; and fitness classes. The Shelby Swimming Pool is fun for the entire family all summer long!

This is a wonderful way to make a commitment to your employees in providing great recreation and wellness opportunities as well as have a positive impact on your insurance premiums. Please call Shelby City Hall at 434-5222 to sign up and receive details on the program.

RECREATION PASS FUND



Each year the City of Shelby tries to maintain a Recreation Pass Fund for the children of Shelby. The fund provides financial assistance to those kids who cannot afford swimming pool passes. If you would like to contribute to this fund please contact Shelby City Hall at 434-5222 or send your donation to the City of Shelby Recreation Pass Fund - 112 1st St. South. Let's make sure every child has the opportunity to enjoy a summer of fun & exercise at our Shelby Swimming Pool.

It'S TIME FOR WALK N' WHEEL WEDNESDAY & FIT FRIDAYS IN SHELBY!

After a year's absence, Walk n' Wheel Wednesdays and Fit Fridays are returning to Shelby Elementary School! With school board approval, the Shelby School District #14 Safe Routes to School Program will begin the walking/biking program Wednesday, May 5th in conjunction with National Bike to School Day. The Shelby SRTS Task Force has been working for over 15 years to create a fun, educational program encouraging our young people to walk and/or bike to school.

Adults will be stationed at two locations ...the former Shelby Middle School and intersection of Oilfield and Sheridan Avenues leaving the Middle School at 7:35 am and intersection at 7:45 am. Students biking MUST wear a helmet. Shelby City Hall does

have a few helmet to give away if kids are in need. Students who participate are entered into drawings at the end of the school year for prizes included Shelby Coyote apparel and Shelby Swimming Pool passes and every student receives a gift thanks to the Toole County DUI Task Force.

The Shelby/ School District #14 Task Force encourages parents to join their children while saving a little fuel. The Task Force is looking for more parent/grandparents/guardians to walk. What better way to spend a few additional minutes with your children enjoying the fresh air and getting a little exercise along the way.















The City of Shelby is very grateful to the Shelby Merchants and Shelby Area Chamber of Commerce in their efforts to fund raise each year for the beautiful flowers that fill our baskets that line Main Street and Central business district. The flowers provide an inviting welcome to all who visit our community.

The City is also very thankful to all those who give tirelessly to our community in picking up garbage; cleaning tree lines and public areas; and planting and maintaining our green spaces. We encourage and welcome anyone who might like to help in weeding the concrete planters that line Roosevelt Highway and Oilfield Avenue in anticipation of planting. We are also looking for volunteers to plant and care for several concrete planters along these roadways which need a "green thumb"! The City provides water to the planters throughout the summer, but volunteers to plant and weed the planters would be greatly appreciated. If you would like to share a little of your time, please email Lorette Carter at shbcdc@3rivers.net or call her at Shelby City Hall – 434-5222.



As a Tree City USA for 21 years, the City of Shelby is very grateful for all those who continually volunteer their time; donate to our forestry program with the gift of trees; and ultimately serve as good stewards of the community. Together we are making progress in caring for our tree population and improving tree species while also keeping our community clean and cared for.

Special thanks to all the students and staff of Shelby Public Schools, local organizations, area businesses, church groups, families and individuals who participated in the 2021 Arbor Day celebration and Shelby Clean Up Week. Community efforts like these cannot happen without the support of all these wonderful people. YOU ARE ALL GREAT EXAMPLES OF COMMUNITY SPIRIT AND PRIDE! That's what community is all about! THANK YOU!





Trees contribute so much to a community. They clean our air, protect our drinking water, provide shade and shelter and create a healthy community. The cost to replace trees just in Shelby's public spaces would cost over 3 million dollars! Each year the city applies for Arbor Day and Urban Forestry Development funds to purchase and plant more trees within our public spaces. This investment is diversifying our tree population, beautifying our parks and public areas and enhancing our community. The city hopes homeowners will follow municipal codes in investing in their trees.

Title 9 -Chapter 7 of the City's municipal codes addresses **TREES** which includes trees, shrubs, bushes and other woody vegetation. Of utmost importance is their care & maintenance. Here are some important sections to reference when planting and pruning trees.

9-7-4: Spacing:

- B. Curbs & Sidewalks: The distance trees may be planted from curbs or curb lines and sidewalks will be in accordance with the three (3) species size classes listed in section 9-7-3, and no trees may be planted closer than two feet (2') for small trees and three feet (3') for medium or large trees to any curb or sidewalk.
- C. Street Corners: No street tree shall be planted within thirty-five feet (35') of any street corner, measured from the point of nearest intersecting curbs or curb lines.
- D. Fireplug: No street tree shall be planted within ten feet (10') of any fireplug.
- E. Utilities: No street trees other than those specifies accepted as small trees by the city council may be planted under, or within ten feet (10') of any overhead utility wire. (Ord. 749, 8-21-2000)

9-7-8: Pruning and Corner Clearance:

- A. Pruning Required: Every owner of any tree overhanging any street or right of way within the city shall prune the branches so that such branches shall not severely obstruct the light from any street lamp or obstruct the view of any street intersection and so that there shall be a clear space of thirteen feet (13') above the street surface or eight feet (8') above the sidewalk surface.
- B. Removal Required: Such owners shall remove all dead, diseased or dangerous trees, or broken or decayed limbs which constitute a menace to the safety of the public.
- C. City's Right to Prune: The city shall have the right to prune any tree or shrub on private property when it interferes with the proper spread of light along the street from a streetlight, or interferes with visibility of any traffic control device or sign or sight triangle intersections.

9-7-9: Dead or Diseased Trees:

- A. City's Right to Cause Removal: The city shall have the right to cause the removal of any dead or diseased trees on private property within the city, when such trees constitute a hazard to life and property, or harbor insects or disease, which constitute a potential threat to other trees within the city.
- B. Notice to Owner: The city council will notify, in writing, the owners of such trees. Removal shall be done by said owners at their own expense within sixty (6o) days after the date of service of notice.
- C. Failure to Comply: In the event of failure of owners to comply with such provisions, the city shall have the authority to remove such trees and charge the cost of removal on the owner's property tax notice. (Ord. 749, 8-21-2000)

For the complete version, please visit the city website at www.shelbymt.com and click on the Resources tab and Codes & Ordinances section.



WHAT'S THERE TO DO THIS SUMMER? LOTS!!!

With summer almost here, the City hopes you and your family will have a great summer taking part in all there in to do in and around Shelby. The following is a list of kid's activities we are aware of:

Activity	Location	Dates	Age Group	Cost	Contact		
		JUNE	,				
Shelby School District	Locations will be	June – September	School age		District Office 424-8910		
Summer Food Program	determined at a later date.				Ext. 1		
Shelby Civic Center	669 Park Avenue	Open daily	All ages	Yes	Civic Center 434-5114		
Civic Center Summer Movie Series	669 Park Avenue	1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month – June, July & August	All ages	Yes	Civic Center 434-5114		
Civic Center Roller Skating	669 Park Avenue	Tuesdays & Thursdays 1:00 to 3:00pm	All ages	Yes	Civic Center 434-5114		
Shelby Swimming Pool/ Splash Park	121 12 th Avenue No.	June 7 th – August	All ages	Yes	Shelby Pool 434-5311		
Shelby Swim Team	Shelby Pool 121 12 th Ave. No.	June – August 7 th	5-18 years	Yes	Shelby Water Otter Swim Team Facebook page		
Shelby Basketball Camp	Shelby Schools	June 7-9th	1st-4th grade 10:00-11:30am 5th - 8th 2:00 - 4:00pm	Yes	T. Reynolds 424-8910 Ext. 2		
Toole County Library Summer Program- Tales & Tails	229 2nd Ave. So.	June 4th – June 30th Weekly scavenger hunts June 28th – Arts & Crafts July 5th – Annamae class	K-5th grade	No	Toole County Library 424-8345		
Toole County Library Story Hour	229 2 nd Ave. So.	Thursdays at 10:00 in June	Pre-school	No	Toole County Library 424- 8345		
Shelby Volleyball Camp	Shelby High School	June 14-16 th	3rd -8th grade	Yes	L. Fisher 262-3413		
Shelby Wrestling Camp	Shelby Elementary School	TBD	K-12 th grade	Yes	T. White 424-8910 Ext. 3		
Open mat wrestling	Shelby Elementary Gym	TBD	5-12th grade	No	T. White 424-8910 Ext. 3		
Shelby Kite Festival	Shelby Airport	June 12 th	All ages	No	Kiwanis Club 424-2358		
MT Range Days	Dillon, MT	June 14-16 th	7-12th grade	No	T. White 424-8910 Ext. 3		
Shelby High Volleyball Camp	Shelby High	June 28-July 1	9-12 th grades	Yes	L. Fisher 262-3413		
·		JULY					
Shelby All-School Reunion		July 9-11th	All ages	No	L. Carter City of Shelby 434-5222		
Shelby Market & Music	Shelby City Park	July 15- September 23 Thursdays 4:00 to 6:00pm	All ages		K. Woodring Toole Co. Extension Office 424-8350		
Marias Fair	Marias Fairgrounds	July 21-25	All ages	Yes	Marias Fair Manager 434-2692		
Shelby Barbacoa (BBQ Cookoff)	Marias Fairgrounds	July 23	All ages		T. White 424-8910 Ext. 3		
First Baptist Vacation Bible School	First Baptist Church	July 26-30th	K-8 th grade	No	Church Office 434-5383		
St. Luke's Vacation Bible School	St. Luke's Church	July 26-30th	K-8 th grade	No	Church Office 424-8500		
Coyote Football Camp	Shelby Schools	July 26-28 th	K-12/Boys & Girls	Yes	M. White 424-8910 Ext. 3		
AUGUST							
Shelby Street Fair	Main Street	TBD	Family Fun	No	Chamber 434-7184		

No dates have been confirmed, but be looking for announcement of swim lessons at Shelby Swimming Pool and possibly, a junior golf program at Marias Valley Golf Course. Please don't forget the Shelby Carousel and Shelby Safari for lots of family fun!

CIVIC CENTER • SWIM POOL SUMMER SCHEDULE

MONTHLY PASS PRICE *prices are prorated by the day so check for daily cost.

	Child (3-8)	Student (9-17)	Adult (18 & over)	Family	
Civic Center or Pool	\$30.00	\$35.00	\$40.00	\$45.00	
Civic Center & Pool	\$45.00	\$50.00	\$55.00	\$60.00	
Walking Pass	\$30.00 per year				
Lap/Water Aerobics Pass	\$20.00 per month				

Civic Center

669 Park Ave • 434-5114

Monthly Passes Available or \$4 per Use Fee

Weight Room • Gym • Teen Center • Cardio Rooms • Racquetball Courts

Swim Pool

121 12th Ave N • 434-5311 • Call to schedule a party & for info on swim lessons!

HOURS	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
AM 7:30-10:30		CLOSED (CLEANING)	CLOSED SWIM TEAM	CLOSED SWIM TEAM	CLOSED SWIM TEAM	CLOSED Swim Team	
10:30-12:00		CLOSED	SWIM LESSONS	SWIM LESSONS	SWIM LESSONS	SWIM LESSONS	
PM 12:00-1:00	Open Swim	CLOSED Swim Team	CLOSED SWIM TEAM	CLOSED SWIM TEAM	CLOSED SWIM TEAM	CLOSED Swim Team	Open Swim
1:00-5:00	OPEN SWIM	OPEN SWIM	OPEN SWIM	OPEN SWIM	OPEN SWIM	OPEN SWIM	OPEN SWIM
5:00-6:00	CLOSED	Lap Swimming/ Aerobics	Lap Swimming/ Aerobics	Lap Swimming/ Aerobics	Lap Swimming/ Aerobics	Open Swim	CLOSED
6:00-8:00	CLOSED	OPEN SWIM	OPEN SWIM	OPEN SWIM	OPEN SWIM	OPEN SWIM	CLOSED





OPEN DAILY • 8 AM - 8 PM



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