



City of Rathdrum

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Spring 2016

Mayor's Message...



Welcome Spring! Everything is blooming and the days are becoming warmer and warmer. This winter was particularly hard on our trees and shrubs. We encourage all of our citizens to take advantage of the City's upcoming Spring Cleanup by hauling your trash and yard waste to the free dumpsters that will be located at the city shop on Boekel Rd. As we look around we are reminded of the beautiful place we live and all that we have to be thankful for. We love our wonderful City and hope you join us in helping keep it clean and beautiful.

Spring Clean-Up !

City Of Rathdrum
MAY 2016

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
<div data-bbox="272 1045 1024 1213" data-label="Text" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; transform: rotate(-2deg);"> <p>Haul your trash to the Public Works yard at 7310 W Boekel Road May 9th – 15th 8:00 am to 5:00 pm</p> </div>						<div data-bbox="1166 947 1305 1079" data-label="Text"> <p>Volunteers NEEDED! May 14th Trash pick-up Meet: Public Works Yard 7310 W Boekel @ 8:00</p> </div>	
						<div data-bbox="786 1255 1370 1316" data-label="Text" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"> <p><i>Disabled and Elderly Residents – Organize your trash and yard waste for pick-up on Friday the 13th call 687-2700 ext: 124</i></p> </div>	

FREE -Dumpsters @ 7310 W Boekel Rd
May 9th – 15th 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

Wood products, leaves & branches
Old furniture & appliances
Old cars – call to arrange pick up (687-2700 #124)

NO - Commercial trash or debris
NO - Dirt
NO - Hazardous materials or batteries
NO - Tires, TV's, Computers/Monitors
NO - Paint

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 7	Cemetery Clean-Up Day @ Pinegrove Cemetery	10am-Noon
May 9-15	City Spring Clean Up Days (Dumpsters available at Public Works Shop)	8am-5pm
May 14	First Farmers Market @ City Park	9am-2pm
May 21	1st Annual Mayor's Cup Golf Tournament	10am
May 27	Splash Pad @ Majestic Park	10am- 8pm
May 30	Memorial Day Remembrance @ Pinegrove Cemetery	Noon
July 15-17	Rathdrum Days	9am-5pm

IT'S SPRING TIME!



To protect your drinking water from potential contamination such as weed killers, fertilizers, and animal waste that can “flow back” into our drinking water, it is important to have an approved backflow protection assembly/device on your irrigation system. It is equally important to make certain that this backflow assembly is tested **annually** by a **licensed backflow tester**; in fact, it is required by Idaho State Law and City Ordinance. All tests need to be submitted to Rathdrum Public Works to verify your system is working properly.

A list of certified testers is on file at Public Works and on our webpage www.rathdrum.org– Public Works

HAVE YOUR SYSTEM TESTED WHEN ACTIVATED!!

ADOPT - A - STREET PROGRAM GET INVOLVED

Improve the environment and support litter control. Gain recognition for community service.



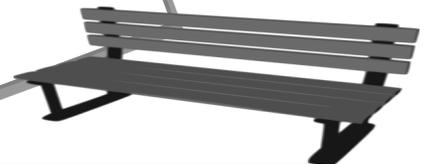
Contribute to neighborhood beautification. Help make a difference in our wonderful community.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:
Rathdrum Public Works Department
Mari Davey - 687-2700 ext. 124
mari@rathdrum.org

GEM COMMUNITY BENCH

**YOU, YOUR FAMILY
OR YOUR BUSINESS
CAN SPONSOR A
BENCH TODAY!!**

Benches will be placed throughout the City of Rathdrum to service various community aspects:
*Recreation *Exercise *Shopping *Spectating
Cost of bench sponsorship \$300.00



Parks & Recreation Activities

Summer Baseball ages 5- 8
Mother's Day theme Art Class
Idaho Free Fishing Day Derby
Rathdrum Days 3 v. 3 Basketball Tournament
Father's Day theme Art Class
Movie Night in the Park Free family event!
Taste of Rathdrum Free family event!
Hot Dog Eating contest, BBQ Competition, Food Vendors & the Kelly Hughes Band
Youth Soccer, Volleyball and Flag Football Registration

Registration - May 2—20
Register Now - May 7 9 – 10:30 AM
June 11 - City Park, Hwy. 53, 9 AM - 1PM
July 16 - Register starting June 1st – Space is limited.
Register Now - June 18 9 – 10:30 AM
July 30 - at Stub Myers Park at Dusk
August 13 at Majestic Park, Noon - Dark
August 1 -19

For more information on upcoming events contact Mickael Stevens, Recreation Supervisor mickael@rathdrum.org (208) 687-2399 or Like our Facebook page [facebook.com/rathdrumpr](https://www.facebook.com/rathdrumpr)

Summer is quickly approaching which means that children will be outside riding bikes, walking and playing sports. We would like to remind motorists to slow down on city streets and be aware of your surrounding and the possibility that children could be nearby.

We would also like to remind citizens that recreational vehicles are prohibited from being parked on city streets for longer than 48 hours. If you use your boat or recreational vehicle over the weekend, please park it on your property and not on city streets. Having oversized vehicles on city streets can become a safety hazard for motorists and pedestrians.

