City Council meeting Wednesday, November 20, 2019 at 7:00 pm - 119 W. Second St, Sprague, WA 99032

Sprague Chamber of Commerce meeting Thursday, November 21, 2019 at 7:00 pm – 213 S. C St, Sprague, WA 99032

City Hall will be closed in observance of Veteran's Day on Monday, November 11<sup>th</sup> and for the Thanksgiving holiday, Thursday, November 28<sup>th</sup> – Friday, November 29<sup>th</sup>



<u>Don't Forget to Vote!</u> November 5<sup>th</sup> is the General Election. For more information visit www.co.lincoln.wa.us/auditor/elections/



<u>VERY IMPORTANT to insulate your meters!</u> Use enough insulation to cover the meter and make sure that the insulation contacts the sides of the pit

The Lagoon will be open **November 2<sup>nd</sup>** and November 3<sup>rd</sup> 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

<u>Sprague Chamber</u> Hall is available for rent for events, meetings or family gatherings. For reservations: please call Shari Stowell at 509-850-5565.

Sprague Chamber Community Calendars are ready for pick up at the City Hall. There are still extra calendars available for only \$8.

Sprague Chamber is still accepting dues for membership; \$10 per family or \$25 for businesses. Please mail your dues to Sprague Chamber, PO Box 17, Sprague, WA 99032

**Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup> to Sunday, November 3<sup>rd</sup>** the Chamber will be having a West Bound Rest Area Fundraiser. Workers and goodies are needed and appreciated. Please contact Joy Wilken at 509-257-2319.

**Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup>** is TURKEY/HAM B-I-N-G-O at the Community Hall. Tickets are 40 cents per card per game. Concessions will be served. Family Fun. We are also looking for volunteers for Bingo. Must be over 28 years old due to gambling laws. Shifts for callers and ticket takers needed 2:00 pm -3:45 pm; 2:45 pm – 4:30 pm; 4:30 pm-5ish; and help with closing. Please contact Joy Wilken at 509-257-2319.

In response to a petition prepared by some of the citizens of Sprague, Avista came and listened to the concerns regarding bills and rates; and are going to take action to demonstrate their valuable support for the community they serve. Please come to the *Avista Energy Fair in Sprague*.

*Wednesday, November 20th* Avista will host a free energy fair at the Sprague Community Center 213 South C Street between 3:00 PM and 6:00 PM.

The energy fair will include demonstrations of how to utilize energy-saving materials to help keep homes warm this winter. In addition, Avista employees will be available to share information about bill assistance, weatherization, and payment options. Community organizations will also be present to answer questions and provide helpful information about programs and services they provide.

Free admission to the event includes all demonstrations, free samples of energy-efficiency items, complimentary food and beverages (while supplies last).

Representatives from Avista's Business Partner Program will also be available to talk with small business owners about energy efficiency.

Avista will make every effort to provide reasonable accommodations requested for individuals with disabilities. If accommodations are needed, please contact Lisa Lee at Avista in advance of the event: (509) 495-8024 or email AvistaOutreach@avistacorp.com.

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# Sprague Food Bank Watch for Flyers

Sprague High School teachers & students raised over 400 items donations for the foodbank! A special thanks to Loi Lutes and others for making this happen!

**Senior Meals** are back and is growing! Thank you for the meals and for coming to enjoy the wonderful meals and gatherings.

Wednesdays at 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm at the Community Hall - 213 S. C St.

Please contact Diane Gomes, Jill Sheffels, or Shari Stowell with meal suggestions or questions. Following the meal relax, play cards, visit, or join Jill and Dorothy for movement therapy.

Christmas Bazaar – Community Hall – 213 S. C. St. 11:00 am to 6:00 pm Saturday, November 30<sup>th</sup>. There are vendor spaces available, please contact us for an application.

Come celebrate and do some shopping. Warm up with a Baked Potato/Chili Bar for only \$7 a meal for adults, kid meals free.

There will be a Kids Gift Corner where kids and teens can buy gifts and wrap them for their friends and family for only \$1.00 an item.

Volunteer to bring in some holiday cheer! There is a right fit just for you!

Contact: Lisa at 509-257-2662 or 509-934-6802

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Hosted by Sprague Horízons Community Friends of the Library & Sprague Food Bank in partnership with Sprague Chamber to honor our community!

**Cold weather warning for pets:** Indoor accommodations are recommended during cold weather. If pets must be outside, please set up an area protected from wind, rain, and snow. Insulate with straw or blankets to help keep in body heat. Pets lose most of their body heat from the pads of their paws.

## Local Church Notices

Mary Queen of Heaven – 200 W. Alder St

Mass 12:30 pm on Sundays – Confessions upon request of by appointment by calling 509-723-1459

#### Sprague Community Church

Pastor Bob Bridge

204 W. 4<sup>th</sup> St – PO Box 345

Worship Service Sundays at 9:30 am – Sunday School at 11:15 am – Wednesday Night Service at 6:45 pm

### <u>St. John's Lutheran Church</u>

Pastor Bob Kenyon

218 W 3<sup>rd</sup> St

John 6:27: Jesus says: "Do not work for food that spoils, but for food that endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you. For on Him God the Father has placed His seal of approval."

Worship with us each Sunday @ 9:00 a.m.

**November 14th** will be having an "Applesauce" making party. Come join us for a good friendship gathering while you work. A soup lunch will be served. This will begin @ 9:00 a.m.!

**November 26** will be a Thanksgiving gathering at the church @ 6:00 p.m. Come join us with an attitude of gratitude. The soup will be on for supper!

#### Feed Sprague

Jill Sheffels – 509-979-2168 Watch for flyers for the next food distribution.

Thank you, Alice and Francis Callen, Dorothy Giddings, Michelle and Rachel Barrus for your time and help assembling 50 bags of produce for the kids!