



# City of Buckley Community Newsletter



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## Buckley City Council

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Lyn Rose

Seat 6

Marvin Sundstrom

Seat 7

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MAYOR

Patricia Johnson

## Utility Notice

### ATTENTION UTILITY CUSTOMERS:

Effective immediately, until further notice, the fee for online utility payments has been waived. I repeat, there is NO FEE for online utility payments.



**BUCKLEY YOUTH ACTIVITY CENTER**  
**DAILY DROP-IN**  
**TUESDAY—FRIDAY 10:30—5:00 PM**  
**GRADES 6—12**

SPACE LIMITED DUE TO CURRENT COVID CAPACITY RESTRICTIONS  
PLEASE NOTE: LUNCH IS CURRENTLY NOT PROVIDED AT THIS LOCATION. YOU ARE MORE THAN WELCOME TO BRING YOUR OWN OR GRAB A FREE LUNCH FROM GMS WE'RE EXCITED TO SEE YOU!

Contact Jenney or Rachael with questions  
360-829-6534  
[BYAC@cityofbuckley.com](mailto:BYAC@cityofbuckley.com) or [rstaehler@cityofbuckley.com](mailto:rstaehler@cityofbuckley.com)

### Purchase a Commemorative Brick online!

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

The Buckley Youth Activities Board, in partnership with the City of Buckley, is excited to provide this opportunity for individuals, families, or businesses to purchase a commemorative brick with customized engraving to be placed alongside the new Basketball Court by the Youth Activity Center.



Questions? Contact us at  
[reading@thecodewiz.com](mailto:reading@thecodewiz.com) | 781-205-9865

### VIRTUAL CODING CLASSES !

Whether school is online or in-person, your child would love to be a part of our fun coding classes!

#### Programs

- Minecraft World Builder
- Code Your Own Roblox Game
- Python / Java Programming
- Game Design

#### Time Slots: Tuesdays / Thursdays

- 3:30pm - 4:30pm PST
- 5pm - 6pm PST

Max 1:4 (Coach:Student) ratio  
Project based learning  
Expert Staff

\*\* Our weekly classes will be 1-hour long

**Pricing**  
\$140\* for 6-week sessions  
\*use code **BUCKLEY34**

**Dates**  
March 2nd - April 8th



City of Buckley

# March 2021



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	<b>1</b> Planning Commission 7pm	<b>2</b> 7pm City Council Study Session		<b>3</b> 9:00 - 12:00 Food Bank	<b>4</b> Yard Waste	<b>5</b> 9:00 - 12:00 Food Bank
<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> 7pm City Council		<b>10</b> 9:00 - 12:00 Food Bank	<b>11</b> Recycling	<b>12</b> 9:00-12:00 Food Bank
<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> Planning Commission 7pm	<b>16</b>		<b>17</b> 9:00 - 12:00 Food Bank	<b>18</b> Yard Waste	<b>19</b> 9:00 - 12:00 Food Bank
<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> 7pm City Council		<b>24</b> 9:00 - 12:00 Food Bank	<b>25</b> Recycling	<b>26</b> 9:00 - 12:00 Food Bank
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>				<b>31</b> 9:00 - 12:00 Food Bank

Location of Events

= Youth Center  
 (251 River Ave S.)  
 = Senior Center  
 (811 Main St.)  
 = Buckley Hall  
 (127 River Ave N.)

= Buckley Library (123  
 River Ave S.)  
 = Clothing Bank  
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City's Main Line  
 City of Buckley (360) 829-1921

Extensions

Mayor 7803  
 City Administrator 7802  
 Finance Director 7804  
 City Clerk 7801  
 Deputy City Clerk 7805  
 Community Services Dir. 7814  
 City Planner 7812  
 Building Official 7811  
 Utility Billing 7888  
 Parks 7887

Other City Buildings

Youth Center (360) 829-6534  
 Senior Center (360) 829-0190  
 Fire Department (360) 829-1441  
 City Shop (360) 829-1631  
 Police Dept. N/E (253) 922-6633

Other Important Numbers

Chamber of Commerce (360) 829-0975  
 Food Bank 253) 266-7309  
 Library (360) 829-0300  
 Post Office (360) 829-0781  
 WR School District (360) 829-0600  
 WR Comm. Activities (360) 829-3366  
 Clothing Bank (360) 829-6605

# Buckley Senior Center Menu March 2021

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
1 Spaghetti Vegetables Garlic Bread Fruit	2 Chicken Salad Sandwich Tomato Soup Dessert	3 Vegetarian Shepherd's Pie Salad Dessert	4 French Toast Scrambled Eggs Sausage Patty Fruit	5 Cream of Mushroom Soup Half Sandwich Dessert
8 Swiss Cheeseburger French Fries Fruit	9 Hawaiian Meatballs Rice Orange Spiced Carrots Dessert	10 Pork Tenderloin Vegetables Fruit Dessert	11 Eggplant Parmesan Tossed Salad Roll Dessert	12 Amandine Fish Vegetables Roll Fruit
15 Pork Soft Taco Rice Vegetables Fruit	16 Hot Dog Mac & Cheese Pickle Dessert	17 <b>St. Patrick's Day</b> Irish Stew Roll Dessert	18 Sloppy Joe Tater Tots Dessert	19 Chef Salad Breadstick Fruit
22 Cheese Omelet Sausage Fruit	23 Ham Salad Sandwich Chips Pickle Dessert	24 Macaroni & Cheese Vegetables Roll Fruit	25 Chicken Pot Pie Cranberry Sauce Dessert	26 Sweet & Sour Pork Rice Vegetables Cookie
29 Beef & Pepper Steak Vegetables Dessert	30 Chicken Wrap French Fries Coleslaw Dessert	31 Lemon Pepper Baked Cod Potatoes Dessert	<u>Menu is subject to change due to availability!</u> <u>Please call one week in advance. (360)829-0190</u>	

**JOIN US FOR  
SOME  
EASTER FUN!**

**SIGN UP by**

**Friday, March 19th**

Call Rochelle (360)829-0190

Start here at 1:30pm! Pull up on Main Street and pick up a map, score card, and your first card for your poker hand. After you have everything you'll be off to the next center to pick up another card. Once you've visited all the centers turn in your score card at your last stop. The winners will be notified by phone.



**While you're here...**

**Pick up a Treat to Go**

**Enter to Win a Gift Basket**

**Enter the 50/50 Raffle (\$1/ticket or \$5/6 tickets)**

**Grand Prize-Best Poker Hand \$125**

**Runner Up Prize \$50**

**Participating Centers: Buckley, Bonney Lake,**

**Wesley at Tehaleh, and Orting**

**Special thanks to Dale Shoemaker!**



## *City of Buckley*

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### **NOTICE UTILITY RATE CHANGES FOR 2021**

After review and adoption of the City's 2021 Budget the City Council has made the following changes to utility rates for 2021.

#### Water:

To adequately fund operations and capital replacement adjustments for basic service will increase by 5.0% for all meter sizes.

Water rates and charges

A. 1. For the base (minimum) service, including water usage from zero to 200 cubic feet per month according to meter size and location within the corporate limits of the city:

Meter Size	2020	2021
Meter Size	Within City	Within City
Up to 3/4"	\$25.64	<b>\$26.92</b>
1"	\$32.51	<b>\$34.14</b>
1-1/2"	\$46.73	<b>\$49.07</b>
2"	\$70.21	<b>\$73.72</b>
3"	\$104.25	<b>\$109.46</b>
4"	\$169.11	<b>\$177.57</b>
6"	\$326.22	<b>\$342.53</b>
8"	\$799.25	<b>\$839.21</b>
10"	\$1,958.50	<b>\$2,056.43</b>
12"	\$4,797.63	<b>\$5,037.51</b>

2. Users outside the city limits shall pay the monthly charges set forth in subsections A(1) and B(1) of this section plus a surcharge of 20 percent of the total charge.

B. 1. For usage above 200 cubic feet, the following rates are imposed for each 100 cubic feet of usage according to location within or without the corporate limits of the city:

The consumption charge per 100 cubic feet (CCF), or any part thereof used, shall be as follows:

Effective Beginning

1/1/2021

**Winter**

Single-family & Multifamily residential	2 - 7 CCF	2.09
	7.01 - 15 CCF	2.50
	Over 15 CCF	2.99
Commercial/Industrial		2.19
Schools		2.07

Winter rates will be reflected on bills covering October 1st through May 31st

**Summer**

Single-family & Multifamily residential	2 - 7 CCF	2.09
	7.01 - 15 CCF	2.77
	Over 15 CCF	3.62
Commercial/Industrial		2.19
Schools		2.19

**Agricultural Rate**

Potable/Treated	1.64
Non-Potable/Untreated	1.10

Summer rates will be reflected on bills covering June 1st through September 30th

**Sewer:**

No Rate Change:

**Stormwater Utility:**

No Rate Change:

**Solid Waste (Garbage):**

Due to increases in contractual services and County tipping fees rates for all garbage service categories will increase by 2.7% as follows:

**Garbage Rates (per month)**

Cans-	2020	2021
10 Gallon Cart	\$20.76	\$21.32
20 Gallon Cart	\$26.36	\$27.07
35 Gallon Cart	\$31.44	\$32.29
65 Gallon Cart	\$55.01	\$56.50

95 Gallon Cart	\$86.45	\$88.79
Extra garbage tag	\$7.70	\$7.91
Additional Recycling Cart (65 or 95 gal)	\$13.40	\$13.76
<b>Commercial Container Service-</b>		
1 yard once a week	\$132.99	\$136.58
1 yard twice a week	\$290.54	\$298.38
1-1/2 yards once a week	\$178.51	\$183.33
1-1/2 yards twice a week	\$367.25	\$377.17
2 yards once a week	\$232.68	\$238.96
2 yards twice a week	\$480.15	\$493.11
2 yard three times a week	\$713.00	\$732.25
4 yards once a week	\$471.23	\$483.96
4 yards twice a week	\$962.57	\$988.56
4 yard three times a week	\$1,429.37	\$1,467.96
6 yards once a week	\$653.26	\$670.89
6 yards twice a week	\$1,343.83	\$1,380.12
6 yard three times a week	\$2,034.06	\$2,088.98
4 yard compactor (customer owned)	\$1,869.94	\$1,920.43
1 yard extra pickup on regular route	\$37.32	\$38.33
1-1/2 yards extra pickup on regular route	\$48.23	\$49.53
2 yards extra pickup on regular route	\$63.11	\$64.81
4 yards extra pickup on regular route	\$121.80	\$125.09
6 yards extra pickup on regular route	\$179.80	\$184.66
<b>Special Services-</b>		
Special pickup (minimum one hour)	\$121.20	\$123.02
Plus tipping fee of \$169.89 per ton		+ Tipping Fee (Left)
Bulk pickup (minimum one yard)	\$35.31	\$35.84
Connect/reconnect fee on customer - Owned compactors	\$22.23	\$22.57
Yard Waste - One 90-gallon toter	\$10.73	\$10.89
Re-delivery fee toter	\$32.16	\$32.64
Return Trip	\$32.16	\$32.64
<b>Multi-Family Recycling -</b>		
90-gallon cart	\$13.54	\$13.74
2 yd once a week	\$60.02	\$60.92