

## College Place in Review

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## **Quick Fact:**

City Water Usage

**May 2016** 37,948,000

May 2015 45,000,000

**YTD 2016** 90,976,000

**Total 2015** 449,354,000

## Your City Representatives

### Mayor

Harvey Crowder

## **Council Members**

Jerry Bobbitt
Michael Cleveland
Marge Nyhagen
Loren Peterson
Melodie Selby
Heather Schermann
Larry Dickerson

## **City Administrator**

Patrick Reay

## **City Administrator Farewell**

As I am officially signed off from my duties as the College Place City Administrator, I would like to reflect on the past twelve years and thank those that have been supportive to our success. First, thank you to the elected officials that I have worked for and with, especially the three mayors: Ed Ammon, Rick Newby and Julie Scott. Without leadership, direction and support from the elected officials and the efforts of a dedicated professional city staff, the numerous accomplishments could not have been achieved. It is these accomplishments, acquaintances, friendships and staff colleagues that I will miss the most. As I embark on my new role with the Port of Walla Walla, I look forward to continuing to work on issues and matters that will benefit the College Place community. Your community is in good hands with the professional staff that will continue to provide great service to this wonderful community.

Respectfully, Patrick H. Reay

## **CHIEF FOR A DAY**

Chief for a day is a partnership with our local police and fire departments, along with Crime Watch, recognizing and celebrating the lives of children who have lifelong disabilities and chronic illnesses. These children have chosen to focus on their dreams rather than their disabilities. They are children who have made the choice to do the best they can, despite their challenges.

This year the program has chosen 9 children to match 9 Chiefs from all over the Walla Walla Valley to be a chief for a day. Each child selected will have a special uniform made to fit them, and look just like their chief. They will be sworn in by a real

judge, have their picture taken with all the other Chiefs for a day and, of course, with their own Chief and his special car or fire engine. They will spend some time learning what it is their chief does and go to lunch with him and their family. They will be at National Night out in Pioneer Park on August 2<sup>nd</sup>. They will ride with their Chief in his car into the park and participate in all the fun activities. The little Chief's are also afforded the opportunity to ride in the Fair parade as a passenger in one of the Department's vehicles.

The College Place Police Department's Chief for a Day is Shanya Lewis. Shanya is a fifth grader at Davis Elementary and it's clear City Hall 625 S. College Ave College Place, WA 99324

## **Municipal Building Hours:**

Monday through Thursday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.



### **NEW Phone Numbers:**

Utilities/Finance—394-8509
HR/Administration—394-8508
Accounts Payable—394-8510
Building—394-8522
Fire Department—394-8600
Fire Chief—394-8605
Public Works—394-8526
Planning—394-8524
City Engineer—394-8525

City Shop—394-8653 Police —394-8550 Dispatch—527-1960

why she was chosen; the application stated that a teacher was overheard saying, "I want a friend like Shan-ya." She helps other students get their coats when it's time for recess; She is sad when a student or teacher is absent, missing them. She seems to know when a student is sad or hurting. She shows this positive attitude everywhere she goes. Shanya also loves track and has been very successful at the Special Olympics. She has made it all the way to the State level! Congratulations to Shanya for being chosen as College Place PD's 2016 Chief for a Day!

## Got surveillance cameras? Help solve a crime!

The College Place Police Department is looking for residences and businesses in College Place that have surveillance cameras. Surveillance cameras are an excellent tool for solving burglaries, car prowls, malicious mischief and other crimes. College Place has had a spike in vehicle prowls, burglaries and your surveillance could assist in solving these and future crimes. We are asking for any business or residence with cameras to contact our department. If we have a crime in your area we will be asking you to review your recordings. Our department will not disclose to others outside of law enforcement that you have surveillance cameras. You can contact Detective Maidment with this information at 525-7778 or his email at rmaidment@ci.college-place.wa.us.

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