

Tetonia Treasures

A Message from Mayor Schindler

Dear Tetonia friends,

It's April! We are entering what I am sure will be a beautiful Spring in Tetonia!

Let's admit it -- the COVID-19 crisis has been hard on everyone. It is not over but we are seeing some light and hope at the end of this year-long tunnel. Let's continue to be vigilant and safe. Let's continue to use common sense. Let's continue to educate ourselves about this crisis. Let's continue to be smart.

The pandemic has been hard for a number of reasons. COVID-19 has been a tough illness for many. Sadly, we have lost some of our loved ones. Others have become very sick. It has been difficult to deal with many of the restrictions and protections that have been implemented. People of all ages have suffered physically, mentally, emotionally and socially.

During this global crisis, let's remember to be kind and compassionate. Let's reach out to those who are scared and struggling. Let's help our neighbors who may need help. Let's recognize that others may be handling the pandemic differently than we are -- and that's OK. Let's not shame and criticize each other; let's show each other respect. Let's continue to be good neighbors. Tetonia is known for our friendliness and sense of community. Let's continue to come together and work together as we always have in Tetonia.

Let us know if you have any questions about COVID-19 or about the vaccines. On April 5, the vaccines in Idaho will be available to everyone 16 years old and older. If you choose to get the vaccine and need help signing up -- we can help!

With Spring coming -- we will be focusing on Spring clean-up! We will be having several Spring initiatives to help with the clean-up. We will be providing details on these clean-up projects soon!

Check out our Facebook page and our Instagram page. If you would like an invite -- let us know! We have some exciting information posted on these sites!

I hope you noticed our Window Easter Egg Hunt that is happening between April 2 and April 7. It's a fun activity for our young people in Teton Valley! Thank you to Jacque for making this a reality! Also, thank you to those of you who helped provide prizes for this activity!

The City Council, staff and I would love your input on several items. Please send us your thoughts and ideas on these (and other!) important issues! You can call us or send us an email at "mayor83452@cityoftetonia.com" and/or at "clerk@cityoftetonia.com".

- **What would you like Tetonia to do on the 4th of July?**
- **What activities would you like to see in Tetonia this Spring and Summer?**
- **What can we do to make Tetonia BETTER?**
- **What are we doing that you would like us to CONTINUE to do in Tetonia?**
- **What can we do to help beautify Tetonia?**

Let's keep Tetonia wonderful!

Warmly yours,

Mayor Brent W. Schindler