Local Board Meetings

- *Library April 5 at 5pm
- *Historical Society April 7 at 5PM
- *EV School Board April 11 at 8pm
- *City Council April 12 at 7pm
- *Fire Department April 19 at 7pm

2011 Election year

There will be three (3) positions on the City Council to be voted on. Council members' position to expire are: Richard Claytor, Justin Corle and Sharon Ferguson.

The 2011 Candidates for these positions are:

- Richard Claytor
- Justin Corle
- Sharon Ferguson
- Jolie Gerding
- Jennifer Walker

The General Election
Day will be April 5th –
voting booth's will be
located at the Longton
Senior Center.



Longton City Scene – April 2011

Easter Egg Hunt at Claytor's yard – Easter Sunday at 2PM



2011 City Wide Garage Sales April 15 & 16 - Friday & Saturday

City Hall will be printing out a list of people having garage sales – this list will be available at Kirk's Mini-Mart, Longton Grocery and Rick & Debbie's Café. If you would like to have your sale listed, contact City Hall by April 13.

Longton's City Wide Clean-up April 21 through May 2

A construction dumpster will be available in front of Brighton Hall, 511 Kansas Ave. This dumpster is to be used only by Longton citizens, no out-of-town dumping allowed.

No dumping of tires, wet paint, refrigerates or any hazardous materials. Please, be considerate of others and make sure you dispose of your trash in the dumpster, not on the street.

Elk Valley Community Appreciation Day April 28th – Thursday

On this day, students and citizens will work side by side on needed projects throughout Longton, Elk Falls and Elk City.

A lot of cleaning, painting and planting flowers are done on that day, plus a lot of laughing and joking around.

The school will provide lunch and snacks for all workers.

If you would like to volunteer your services for the day, contact Sharon Ferguson at 642-3021 ext.1.

NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY

Ah, spring is in the air, it's windy and getting warmer, but it's always a good time to read. This month will be a special month, as we have weeded out the older books and many are available for "adoption" at the library. Stop in and check them out, help some older books find new homes! Also if you know of anywhere that will take book donations (nursing homes, hospitals, etc.) please let us know.

We are getting closer and closer to becoming automated, it is a very exciting time in the library, so make sure you come in often to see the new changes. On May 6th, the entire library will be revamped and reorganized including updating and organization of the card catalog. We will also be purchasing quite a few books in the next few months, if there are certain types of books or authors that you'd like to see in the library, let us know!

We are still looking for a PART-TIME worker, hours are flexible. Must be 55 or older and not currently employed. Please apply at the library.

We will also have an opening for a board member in April. If you are interested in helping to make a difference, please inquire at the library.

We are looking for ideas for projects to do with our kids after school and over the summer. We will have arts and crafts and movie days, as well as story times and puppet shows. Please email us or call with any suggestions.

(<u>longtonbooks@yahoo.com</u>) Is anyone interested in possibly forming a community theater group (all ages) to put on plays for the community? I certainly am, please let me know if you are too.

Watch for news in the next few months about our Summer Reading Program. Our hours are Tuesday – Friday from 2:00 – 5:00 PM, unless otherwise posted.