



MAYOR'S CORNER

RIVERDALE PARK OPEN HOUSE

During recent months, an ad hoc committee has been meeting regularly with JUB Engineers, a consulting team, hired by the city to design a new park for Riverdale City. The park property is located south of Sam's Club, east of Johnny's Dairy to the river. The ad hoc committee is made up of residents, city staff members and members from the Planning Commission and the City Council.

The design work for this new park is nearing completion. The following information is provided by Mike Eggett, Riverdale City Community Development Director. "As a result, the city and JUB will be participating in and holding an open house to present and discuss the park concept design with residents of the community and other interested individuals. This Riverdale Park Open House is scheduled for Thursday, February 18, 2016 starting at 6:30 p.m. and will be held in the Riverdale Community Center multi-purpose room in the northwest end of the building. The Community Center is located at 4360 S. Parker Drive, next to the fire station. There will be a brief formal presentation of the park design concepts that will occur at 7:00 p.m. and last about a half an hour. The Open House will run until around 8:00 p.m. that night for anyone who might like to see the final proposal or share any comments or questions. This will be an opportunity for members of the public to come and express their thoughts, opinions, and concerns so that the feedback can then be used to finalize the concept designs for the park property. Please feel free to share the word with anyone you know who would like to attend or may have an interest in seeing the final product."

As mayor, I would like to cordially invite you to attend this open house and see the "proposed design" for this new park. This will be your chance to express your views on the design of the park and also to thank those who have worked on the ad hoc committee in your behalf.

Those who have served on the committee are Annette Hall, David Gailey, Don Hunt, Brent Ellis, Jeannette Hall, Jennifer Moss, Liz Peterson, Nicole Gross, Steve Hilton, Shawn Douglas, Rich Taylor, Mike Eggett and Rodger Worthen. We sincerely appreciate their efforts. A special thanks to JUB Engineers for coming up with a park design that has fulfilled the ideas and recommendations of the park committee.

Improvements to the bank of the Weber River, along the park, are also included in the plan for the park. In addition, the city, with the help of JUB Engineers has submitted through the State of Utah and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for a resiliency grant that will hopefully provide funding for additional river bank restoration throughout the city.

NEW RIVERDALE RESTAURANT

For your information, Sweeto Burrito restaurant has been issued a building permit to renovate the facility that Bajio's occupied, near the At Home Superstore. Sweeto Burrito is from out of state and is fairly new in Utah. They currently have locations in Logan, Provo, Sandy, and Orem. I have a relative that visits the Orem store on business and I understand that location is doing very well!

Norm Searle, Mayor

PARK OPEN HOUSE

Thursday, February 18th at 6:30 p.m.
Formal presentation at 7:00 p.m.

To be held at the Community Center,
4360 S. Parker Drive.

Comments will be taken on the proposed
plan for a new park to be located on
River Park Drive.

All residents are invited and encouraged
to attend.



(left to right) Mayor Norm Searle, Braden Mitchell, Brent Ellis, Gary Griffiths, Alan Arnold, Cody Hansen

CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS TAKE OFFICE

Riverdale City welcomed one new and two returning City Council members in January. Taking the Oath of Office were newly elected Braden Mitchell, Alan Arnold, and Cody Hansen.

The Riverdale City Council meets on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 6:00 p.m. The agenda packets are available on the city website, www.riverdalecity.com, on the Friday previous to a scheduled meeting. The public is invited and encouraged to attend City Council meetings.

RECREATION NEWS

LIVE FIT RIVERDALE MEETING

Planning is underway for Live Fit Riverdale to return for the spring of 2016. **We are in need of volunteers!** There will be a Live Fit Riverdale meeting on February 17th at 6:00 p.m. at the Community Center. If you would like to help out, please contact Rich Taylor at 801-621-6084 or come to the meeting.



INTRAMURALS

Our next activity is Dodgeball. This is always one of our popular programs. It is for ages 8 to 18. The cost for residents is \$5.00. Sign-ups begin February 8th online or at the Community Center. For information call 801-621-6084.



Kid's Korner: Those who enroll in Intramurals can also register for Kid's Korner on Mondays and Tuesdays. The cost is \$5 and the activity is Legos.

BASEBALL & SOFTBALL REGISTRATIONS

Baseball and softball registrations begin March 1st for the following leagues:

Coach Pitch: Boys & girls K-2nd grade, \$25 for residents.

Girls Softball: 3rd to 9th grades, \$25 for residents.

Boys Baseball: 3rd to 9th grades, \$35 for residents.



Registrations can be made online at www.riverdalecity.com or at the Community Center. If you have any questions please call 801-621-6084.

Volunteer Coaches are needed! If you would be willing to coach a team, please volunteer when you register your child. A background check is required.

START SMART BASEBALL

Our Start Smart Baseball Program for kids 5 and 6 years old starts on March 22nd, with sign-ups taking place from February 22nd to March 28th. This is a great opportunity for kids to learn game skills. Cost will be \$25.00 for residents. The six week program is held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6:00 and 7:00 p.m. A parent or adult must attend with the child. You can register online or at the Community Center. Call 801-621-6084 for more information.



COMMUNITY CENTER USER FEE SCHEDULE

The Community Center user fee includes the use of the exercise room, the gym, open play ping pong, and scheduled Pickleball. The fee schedule is as follows:

	Residents	Non-residents
Day Pass:	\$1	\$2
Monthly Pass:	\$10 for individual \$20 for a family	\$20 for individual \$40 for a family
Yearly Pass:	\$100 for an individual \$200 for a family	\$200 for an individual \$400 for a family

Seniors are admitted free of charge. As a reminder, the Riverdale Senior Center also offers an exercise room that is free of charge for all seniors.

NEW EXERCISE EQUIPMENT

The Community Center has added the Octane Fitness xR6000 seated elliptical to our exercise equipment. The exercise room is open 6:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Monday thru Saturday. See the article above for the user fee schedule.



OPEN COURT BASKETBALL

The Community Center has made a change to the afternoon and evening open court basketball time. When the courts are available, the east side of the gym will now be available for team play, while the west side will be reserved for individual players. Full court games will not be allowed during this time. To view a weekly schedule of open court availability, visit the recreation page on the city website.

TAKE PRIDE IN RIVERDALE HELP NEEDED

Riverdale City is preparing for our 2nd annual Take Pride in Riverdale event this spring. We are looking for volunteers to help plan and organize this year's event. If you are interested in helping Riverdale look its best, please contact Councilor Braden Mitchell by email at Bmitch5150@msn.com or by phone at 801-627-2321.



VALENTINE'S DAY ACTIVITY

The Riverdale Youth City Council will be holding a Valentine's Day activity on Friday, February 12th from 3:30-4:30 p.m. at the Community Center. For the event, kids are invited to come and decorate valentines and enjoy treats.



CITY HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

The Riverdale City Offices, Court, and Senior Center will be closed on Monday, February 15th for President's Day. The Community Center will not close.



There will be no change in our garbage or recycle pickup day. Please put out your containers as normal for Wednesday pick up.

DOG LICENSE RENEWAL

If you have not yet licensed your dog for 2016, please do so at the Civic Center, 4600 S. Weber River Drive. A registration form can be printed from the city website, www.riverdalecity.com. Registrations taking place after February 29th will be charged a \$10 late fee.



ONLY RAIN IN THE STORM DRAIN

Stormwater is water from rain or melted snow. It runs off our properties and travels into roads, drains, and gutters (collectively called stormwater conveyances). Eventually stormwater reaches our rivers, lakes, streams, and oceans or it percolates through the ground and becomes groundwater. Stormwater is not treated before it reaches these water bodies, so it carries with it anything that it has picked up along its travels. For this reason, it is important to allow "Only Rain in the Storm Drain".



DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITY REPORT

Open for Business

WASATCH UPHOLSTERY Wasatch Upholstery has opened at 1393 West 1575 South.

Equip Auto Equip Auto custom upholstery is open at 1393 West 5175 South.

Ongoing Developments

SWEETO BURRITO Sweeto Burrito is planning to open a new restaurant located at 1140 W. Riverdale Road Suite G.

iQue REPAIR iQue Repair is preparing to open a store at 985 W. Riverdale Road Suite 3.

metro PCS Metro PCS wireless services will open a store at 1074 W. Riverdale Road.

RA Reeve & Associates, Inc. professional services & Associates, Inc. will open a new office building located at 5160 South 1500 West.

NEW CITY HVAC New City HVAC is planning to open in phase one of the Riverdale Business Park located at 1451 West 5175 South.

Podium Sports Performance Triathlon Training Center will open at 1393 W. 5175 S., Suite 201.

Riverdale Business Park Riverdale Business Park phase three construction has started at 5175 South 1500 West.

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Below are community events taking place at Weber State University:

- WSU Storytelling Festival: February 22nd-24th. Visit weber.edu/storytelling for details.
- Lunafest: Fundraiser film festival held at 7:00 p.m., Friday, March 4th. Visit www.lunafest.org/ogden0304 for details.

SENIOR NEWS

RIVERDALE SENIOR CENTER

4433 South 900 West 801-621-6086

Open 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday.
Stop by the Senior Center for a daily schedule or go to www.riverdalecity.com.



FREE TAX HELP OFFERED FOR SENIORS

The AARP is once again offering free tax help for seniors at the Senior Center. Appointments are available on Thursdays only, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. beginning in February and going until April 7th. Early sign up is encouraged as appointment times are limited. To participate, seniors must sign up in advance at the Senior Center.



SENIOR CENTER TO BE CLOSED FOR HOLIDAY

The Senior Center will be closed for the President's Day holiday on Monday, February 15, 2016.



MONTHLY SCHEDULE AVAILABLE

The monthly schedule for the Senior Center activities and events is posted on the Senior Center page of the Riverdale City website, www.riverdalecity.com. Here you will find what classes are taught and when. The full lunch menu is also posted on the website.



LUNCH MENU

Lunch is served at noon weekdays for seniors 55 and older for \$2.50.

February

- 5 - Sloppy Joe's
- 8 - Roast Beef w/ Gravy
- 9 - Orange Chicken
- 10 - Pizza Pockets
- 11 - Chicken Broccoli Alfredo
- 12 - Tater Tot Casserole
- 15 - Closed for President's Day
- 16 - Angel Chicken w/ Rice
- 17 - Enchiladas
- 18 - Chicken Parmesan
- 19 - Meatloaf
- 22 - French Dip
- 23 - Country Fried Steak
- 24 - Turkey Roast
- 25 - Spaghetti
- 26 - Homemade Chili
- 29 - Stroganoff

March

- 1 - Pot Pie
- 2 - Salisbury Steak
- 3 - Alfredo
- 4 - Fried Chicken
- 7 - Cod
- 8 - Roast Beef
- 9 - Sweet n' Sour Chicken

SENIOR CENTER NEWS BRIEFS

- **Our honorary Senior of the Month** is Wendy Turner, our Senior Center Cook. Stop by the Center dining room to learn more about her.
- **Bunka Class:** The Bunka (Japanese embroidery) class has been moved from Wednesdays to Thursdays at 12:30 p.m.
- **Donations:** The Center is in need of yarn donations.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **February 11th** - Foot clinic at 9:30 a.m. The cost is \$10.
- **February 11th** - Entertainment by Kevin Kula during lunch.
- **February 15th** - Closed for President's Day.
- **February 16th** - Blood pressure check by Harmony at 10:45 a.m.
- **February 17th** - Entertainment by Miles Coe during lunch.
- **February 19th** - Ensure pickup.
- **March 2nd** - Blood pressure check at 11:00 a.m. by CNS.
- **March 10th** - Foot Clinic at 9:30 a.m. The cost is \$10.

RIVERDALE CITY DIRECTORY

Mayor / City Council

Mayor Searle 801-392-2122
 Councilor Arnold 801-627-4343
 Councilor Ellis 801-394-8936
 Councilor Griffiths 801-393-0183
 Councilor Hansen 801-390-3715
 Councilor Mitchell 801-627-2321

Civic Center

4600 South Weber River Drive
 801-394-5541

City Administrator

Rodger Worthen 801-436-1233

Department of Business Administration

4600 S. Weber River Drive 801-394-5541

Community Center

4360 S. Parker Drive 801-621-6084

Senior Center

4433 S. 900 W. 801-621-6086

Justice Court

4600 S. Weber River Drive 801-394-9314

Department of Community Development

4600 S. Weber River Drive 801-394-5541 x1215

Department of Public Works / Utilities

4600 S. Weber River Drive 801-394-5541 x1201
 After Hours Dispatch 801-629-8221

Police Department

4580 South Weber River Drive
 911 Emergencies
 801-394-6616 Business Line
 801-629-8221 Weber Dispatch
 801-394-6616 Animal Control

Fire Department

4334 South Parker Drive
 911 Emergencies
 801-394-7481 Business Line
 801-629-8221 Weber Dispatch

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CITY CALENDAR

February / March 2016

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
February	7	8	9 Planning Commission* 6:30 p.m.	10 Garbage Day Red Recycle Day	11	12 Valentine's Day Activity at the Community Center, 3:30 p.m.	13 Scrapbooking Day at the Community Center
	14 Valentine's Day	15 President's Day City Office, Court, and Senior Center Closed	16 City Council / RDA Meeting* 6:00 p.m.	17 Garbage Day Blue Recycle Day Live Fit Meeting 6:00 p.m. at the Community Center	18 Park Open House at the Community Center, 6:30 p.m.	19	20 Strategic Planning 8:00 a.m. at the Senior Center
	21	22	23 Planning Commission* 6:30 p.m.	24 Garbage Day Red Recycle Day	25	26	27
	28	29 Last Day to Register Dogs Without a Late Fee	March 1 City Council Meeting* 6:00 p.m.	2 Garbage Day Blue Recycle Day	3	4	5
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*Agendas for the meetings are posted in the Civic Center foyer prior to the meetings and on our website, www.riverdalecity.com.