

## TAKE THE BITE OUT OF MOSQUITOES

Summertime is here and so are the mosquitoes. In addition to the usual annoyance there is a lot of concern this year about the West Nile Virus. To learn more about the virus go to our website: [www.riverdalecity.com](http://www.riverdalecity.com) and follow the link.



Weber County Mosquito Abatement does all that it can to reduce the number of mosquitoes in our area. You can also help take the bite out of mosquitoes by doing the following:

- Apply insect repellent containing DEET when outdoors.
- Wear long-sleeved shirts and long pants outdoors.
- Place mosquito netting over infant carriers.
- Consider staying indoors at dawn, dusk, and early evening.
- Install or repair window / door screens to keep mosquitoes out.
- To avoid helping mosquitoes breed in your environment, drain standing water. Routinely empty water from flower pots, pet bowls, clogged rain gutters, swimming pool covers, discarded tires, buckets, barrels, cans, and other items that collect water in which mosquitoes can lay eggs.

### Utility Bill Reminder



Riverdale City offers Equal Payment and Automatic Payment options for utility bills. For more information please call 394-5541

ext. 1201 or check the website at: [www.riverdalecity.com](http://www.riverdalecity.com)

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### MAYOR'S CORNER

## CHANGE IN CITY ADMINISTRATION

**"It's been a Great Ride"**



In our May 18<sup>th</sup> City Council meeting, Mr. John Geilmann made this statement while officially saying goodbye. It truly has been a great ride, one that like all fun rides you hate to see end.

John came to the city as an attorney during my 1<sup>st</sup> term on the City Council. He has been very helpful to all the elected officials to help them get oriented, learn the ropes and make sure we were being fair to all while watching the expenses. He is very well

versed in law pertaining to municipal government. When Mayor Jones found that he also had the proper certification as a City Administrator it was proposed to and accepted by the City Council to save the city money by combining the two positions. He has stepped up to the plate in both roles and has done everything that has been asked of him.

### Thank you and Best Wishes

He has told me privately on several occasions that he really missed being just an attorney. As John leaves, I want to take this opportunity in this newsletter to thank him for a job well done. I also want to wish him the very best in his new position as South Jordan's City Attorney, doing what he really loves. Best of everything John! Thanks!

### Welcome aboard to Larry Hansen



Since the business of your city government cannot go untended, I have proposed the name of Larry Hansen as our new City Administrator. The Council unanimously confirmed that appointment May 18<sup>th</sup> and it became effective as of 5 p.m. Friday, May 21<sup>st</sup>.

Mr. Hansen has served as our Business Administrator and has been extremely effective in managing the financial affairs of the city. It will take a period of time to make the transition but I believe it

will be fairly smooth and transparent to most of you. I highly recommend him to the citizens and want thank Larry for being willing to step up to this responsibility.

### Mayor Bruce Burrows

## RDA HOUSING PROGRAM

Is your home in need of repairs? The RDA Housing Program may be able to help. The program provides low-interest and no-interest loans of up to \$20,000 to property owners who meet certain income guidelines. Loan proceeds must be used to make property improvements.



If you own property on 4400 South, 700 West (south of 4350 S., west side), or 1250 West (5100 S. to 5175 S.) you may qualify for additional loan incentives. A loan information packet may be obtained at the Civic Center or on the city website, [www.riverdalecity.com](http://www.riverdalecity.com). For questions call 394-5541.

# RIVERDALE SENIOR CENTER

4360 S. Parker Drive, Riverdale, Utah 84405  
(801) 621-6084

Open 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday  
(Closed on Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays)

## SENIORS DAILY SCHEDULE

<b>MONDAY</b>	9:00.....Beginning Computer Class 10:00.....Line Dancing 1:00.....Quilting Class
<b>TUESDAY</b>	8:00.....Easy Stretching Class 9:00.....Knitting Class & Knitting Loom 10:00.....Scrapbooking 10:30.....Pinochle 11:00.....1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday: Blood Pressure Check 12:00.....Lunch (Birthday Song 1 <sup>st</sup> Tuesday) 12:45.....Bingo and games 1:00.....2nd Tuesday: Free Foot Clinic
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	9:00.....Ceramics and Porcelain Class 12:00.....Lunch 12:30.....Mahjong, Chess, Dominos • Wendover Day: 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of every month
<b>THURSDAY</b>	8:00.....Chinese Dancing 9:00.....Rug Making 11:00.....Pinochle 12:00.....Lunch 12:30.....Games
<b>FRIDAY</b>	9:00.....Crocheting Class, Craft Class 10:00.....Brunch 10:30.....Movie
<b>DAILY</b>	• Refreshments daily 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. • Exercise equipment available daily for your use. • Card games, Library, TV, and Quilting available.

## SENIORS NEWS BRIEFS

- ✓ Ear Wax Removal "Video Oscope" June 9<sup>th</sup> at 12:20 p.m., billed to Medicare.
- ✓ Manti Pageant One-Day Tour on June 17<sup>th</sup> \$24 each. Sign up at the Senior Center.
- ✓ Donated hand made items are needed for the July 4<sup>th</sup> Senior Booth.
- ✓ June 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> AARP Drivers training course @ 9:00 a.m. cost \$10.00 (Save on your car insurance)



## LUNCH MENU

Lunch is served at noon on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday for seniors age 55 and older. Suggested donation is \$2.00.

## JUNE

- ✓ 1 - Fried Chicken
- ✓ 2 - Nacho Beef Bake
- ✓ 3 - Chicken Stir Fry
- ✓ 8 - Pizza
- ✓ 9 - Roast Beef
- ✓ 10 - Turkey
- ✓ 15 - Salisbury Steak
- ✓ 16 - Sweet N' Sour Chicken
- ✓ 17 - Meatloaf
- ✓ 22 - Turkey Steak
- ✓ 23 - Beef & Broccoli Alfredo
- ✓ 24 - Battered Cod
- ✓ 29 - Tenderloin Chicken Breast
- ✓ 30 - Spaghetti & Meatballs

**Breakfast is served every Friday at 10:00 a.m. with a movie to follow at 10:30 a.m.**

**Stop by the Senior Center for a complete menu.**

## SPECIAL EVENTS

- June 10 - Entertainment @ 12:30
  - June 15 - Lawn & Garden @ 2-5 p.m.
  - June 16 - Make craft #6 @12:30
  - June 24 - Entertainment @ 12:30
- Contact the center for more information**

## GREENWAY NEWS

by Nancy Brough

Question: What is a greenway?

Answer: The term is part of two words: greenbelt and parkway. The concept is to protect natural, green, linear corridors that will improve environmental quality and provide for outdoor recreation.

The key concept is for communities to preserve and connect the most valuable remnants of nature near their homes and workplaces. Benefits are multiple, but three quite remarkable attributes are realized.

**Edge effect:** What you see when passing through an area, especially on a trail. A long, thin greenway can provide a great deal more apparent open space per acre than traditional parks.



**Linkage:** What greenways can do is to multiply the utility of existing parks ecologically, recreationally and aesthetically by linking them together. Linking various areas of the community to them creates a network of connections.

**Species interchange:** The wide movement of wildlife and plants along a natural corridor is essential for species survival.

Few cities have a major river running through it. Public access and the trail have added a wonderful amenity to Riverdale. Help keep it clean. Obey the rules. Report anything wrong to the city. Most of all, enjoy!



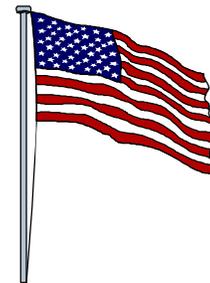
Riverdale City Band Concert - June 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm at the new upper pavilion in Riverdale Park. Bring your blankets/chairs and enjoy the music.

**FREE LAWN & GARDEN DIAGNOSTIC CLINICS** are held at the Community Center from 2-5 p.m. every first and third Tuesday of the month through September. Plan to stop by!



# OLD GLORY DAYS

2004



## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### JUNE 26 - JULY 3

Sports Tournaments

- **Golf Tournament** - Friday, July 2<sup>nd</sup> will be our annual Golf Tournament held at Schneiters Riverside Golf Course. This will be a four person scramble. The fee is \$30.00 for 18 holes. Reserve your tee time by calling Schneiters Golf at 399-4636.
- **Co-ed Volleyball Tournament** - Games begin on June 26<sup>th</sup> at the Community Center. Call 621-4192 to register. No cost.
- **Basketball Tournament** - Hoop it up from June 28<sup>th</sup> - July 3<sup>rd</sup> at the Community Center. Call 621-6084 for more information.

### FRIDAY, JULY 2

- **Baby Contest**  
If you have little ones bring them on down to the Community Center for our annual Baby Contest. There will be two age groups and judging times - 6 to 13 months, 6:30 p.m., & 14 to 24 months, 7:30 p.m. Participation is free of charge. Open to Riverdale residents only.
- **Porkers vs. Pumpers Softball Game**  
It's your chance to see our Police take on the Firefighters in a fun game of softball. The game takes place at the ball diamond next to the Community Center starting at 6:30 p.m.

### SATURDAY, JULY 3

- **Sunrise service**  
Start the day off right by attending our annual Sunrise Service and Flag Raising Ceremony at the Riverdale Park near the flag pole at 7:00 a.m. Our speaker will be Len Allen.
- **Lions Club Breakfast**  
The most important meal of the day! Beginning at 7:30 a.m. the Lions Club will hold their annual fundraiser breakfast at the Riverdale Park bowery. Come enjoy eggs, sausage, pancakes, and juice. The cost is \$4.00 for adults and \$2.00 for children under 12. All proceeds go to charity.
- **5K Run/Walk**  
Get your exercise in early by joining the 5K Run/Walk. Meet at the Red Church parking lot, 1050 West 4400 South. Registration begins at 6:45 a.m. with the Walk starting at 7:30 a.m. and the Run starting at 7:45 a.m. No cost.
- **Old Glory Days Parade**  
Everyone loves a parade! So plan on attending the Old Glory Days Parade at 9:30 a.m. The parade route will run west along 4400 South starting at 700 West and ending at Parker Drive.

- **Riverdale Park Festivities**  
(4300 South Parker Drive)

Carnival

Running from 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. the booths will be open offering games, food, and fun for all ages. Bring the family and enjoy the day.

Kids Games

Children's games for ages 3-11 will be held in the park. They will take place from 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. There will be prizes and fun for all!

Entertainment & Karaoke

Entertainment has been lined up beginning at 11:00 a.m. and going throughout the afternoon. So stop by to take a look and listen. You can also try out the karaoke machine available for use.

Prize Drawing

At 12:00 p.m. prizes will be given out. You must be present to win. Limit 1 prize per individual.

Fireworks Extravaganza

The perfect way to end a day of celebration! The city will set the night sky on fire with our annual fireworks display. Beginning at dusk our Fire Department will start the show. Come early for a good spot!

*A Special "THANKS" goes to all of those who have worked hard to plan and participate in this years Old Glory Days events!*



RECREATION NEWS

### VOLLEYBALL INTRAMURALS

Come join us for our summer activity - Volleyball. Play starts on June 8<sup>th</sup> and will be held on Tues. & Thurs. There will be four sessions:

- Age 8/9 - 9:30 a.m.
- Age 10/12 - 10:30 a.m.
- Age 13/18 - 11:30 a.m.
- **Women 18 and over 12:30 p.m.**

Cost is \$5.00. For more information call 621-6084. Come join the fun!



### SUMMER FUN DAYS

There is still time to have your 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> graders join our Summer Fun Days Program. The program begins June 7<sup>th</sup>. The cost is \$15.00. Space is limited. Register at the Community Center or call 621-6084.



Riverdale City is looking to fill several part-time positions at the Community Center. Apply at the Community Center, 621-6084

A part-time custodian is also needed at the Civic Center. Ten hours per week. Apply at the Civic Center, 394-5541

## CITY CALENDAR

### June 2004

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31 Memorial Day	1 Lawn & Garden Clinic  City Council Meeting	2	3  Garbage Day	4	5
6	7	8  Planning Commission Meeting	9  Garbage Day	10	11	12
13	14  Flag Day	15 Lawn & Garden Clinic  City Council / RDA Meeting	16  Garbage Day	17 Riverdale City Band Concert, 7 pm, Riverdale Park	18	19
20  Father's Day	21	22  Planning Commission Meeting	23  Garbage Day	24	25	26
27	28	29	30  Garbage Day	July 1	2	3  Old Glory Day's Celebration

City Council meetings begin at 6:00 p.m. and Planning Commission meetings begin at 6:30 p.m. Agendas for the meetings are posted in the Civic Center foyer prior to the meetings and at our website, [www.riverdalecity.com](http://www.riverdalecity.com).

## RIVERDALE CITY DIRECTORY

### Mayor City Council

Mayor Burrows 621-7979  
Councilor Brough 393-1008  
Councilor Gibby 621-8639  
Councilor Hadden 392-0724  
Councilor Haws 393-2598  
Councilor Jenkins 394-7993

### Civic Center

4600 South Weber River Drive  
394-5541

### City Administrator

Larry Hansen 436-1233

### Department of Business Administration

4600 S. Weber River Drive 394-5541

### Community Center

4360 S. Parker Drive 621-6084

### Justice Court

4600 S. Weber River Drive 394-9314

### Department of Community Development

4600 S. Weber River Drive 394-5541 x1240

### Department of Public Works / Utilities

4600 S. Weber River Drive 394-5541 x1201  
After hours dispatch 629-8268

### Department of Public Safety

#### Police Station

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

#### Fire Station

4334 South Parker Drive  
911 (Emergencies)  
394-7481 (Business Line)  
629-8314 (Weber Dispatch)

**Riverdale City Offices**  
**4600 S. Weber River Dr.**  
**Riverdale, UT 84405**

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