



MAYOR'S CORNER

VETERANS DAY PROGRAM

I would like to extend to you a personal invitation to attend our Veterans Day Program on Friday, November 11th. This will be held at the Veterans Memorial located in front of the Riverdale Civic Center, 4600 S Weber River Drive, at 10:00 a.m. Some seating will be available, but I would suggest you bring a lawn chair or folding type chair. The program will include a Flag Ceremony and singing of the National Anthem by cadets from Riverdale's own Utah Military Academy. Our guest speaker will be Colonel David Dunklee, Vice Wing Commander of the 75th Air Base Wing at Hill Air Force Base. A musical tribute will be sung by long-time residents, Ron Reimschuessel, Brian Sears, Bill Stephens, and Joseph Thompson. They will be accompanied by Julie Beenfield. The printed program is designed and printed each year by U.S. Air Force Master Sergeant (Ret) David Leahy, a Riverdale resident who was instrumental in the design and construction of our Veterans Memorial. Refreshments will be furnished and served by Sam's Club of Riverdale. This is always a very meaningful program as we pause to remember those who have served in our military and have preserved the many freedoms of this great nation. Please accept my invitation to attend!



PRESERVING RIVERDALE'S HISTORY

Driving through Riverdale, there are a lot of changes currently being made to our business district with many more changes on the horizon. Also, many changes have taken place, throughout our community, since this area was first founded in 1850. Other changes will continue to take place in our city in the future, including a new park. The new park property has been purchased and paid for and a design has been completed. Options to fund the park construction are being explored at the present time. The Weber School District has made it known that they expect to build a new elementary school to replace the existing school on 4400 South. This is expected to take place sometime around 2021-2022. The school could be built near the present location or in an entirely new location.

As these changes take place, it is important that we preserve the city's history. Some of Riverdale's history is located on the city website www.riverdalecity.com. You can go to the website, click on "information" and then on "history." There is much more which could be added to the "history section" to help fill in the gap between when Riverdale was first settled and where we are today. We are always looking for content for the history section of the website. If you have any past pictures of Riverdale City, or if you know of any personal accounts of the city's history, we would like to look at including them on the website. You may email any pictures as attachments or accounts to cstone@riverdalecity.com. You may also bring in any items to the Civic Center, 4600 South Weber River Drive. We will convert pictures into digital files and return the originals to you. If you have any questions you may call 801-394-5541 ext. 1237. You are invited to take an active part in preserving our history.

RIBBON CUTTING FOR THE 4400 SOUTH ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION WALKWAY

When you receive this newsletter, we expect that most of the work will have been completed for our new pedestrian and bicycle trail under I-84 up to and over I-15. We are planning to have a ribbon cutting ceremony at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday morning, November 19th in celebration. The celebration is planned to be held on the grassy area just south of the Parker Drive Roundabout. We hope to have the Riverdale City Band at our celebration. It is possible, that if there are unexpected construction delays, due to weather, the ribbon cutting could be delayed.

Norm Searle, Mayor

VETERANS DAY CEREMONY

Riverdale City will hold a special ceremony on Veterans Day, Friday, November 11th at 10:00 a.m. The ceremony will take place at the Riverdale Veterans Memorial located in front of the Riverdale Civic Center, 4600 South Weber River Drive.



The ceremony will honor those who have served our country through military service. Everyone is invited to attend.

TIME TO WINTERIZE

Our Riverdale Public Works Department would like to remind residents to winterize your lawn sprinkler systems before the freezing temperatures settle in. This can be done by draining or blowing out with an air compressor any water that remains in the sprinkler lines. Sprinkler lines are typically not buried deep enough to prevent freezing. Each spring we have residents surprised by large water bills due to unknown leaks in their lawn sprinkler system caused by broken lines that froze during the winter.



If you have a swamp cooler, please remember to winterize it as well. Turn off and drain the water line running to the swamp cooler at the valve. This will prevent freezing and leaking due to a broken water line.

Avoid the cost of excess water usage and the repair of your sprinkler system or swamp cooler by properly winterizing your systems.

NEW UTILITY PAYMENT APP AVAILABLE

Riverdale City's online utility payment partner, Xpress Bill Pay, has introduced a new iOS mobile app. The free app is available for the iPhone, iPad or iPod touch from the Apple App Store, and requires iOS 8.0 or later. They are currently working on Android and Windows Apps and hope to offer them soon.



The new app will offer many of the features found with their current website, including:

- Pay your bills in real-time
- Pay with a credit card, checking account, etc.
- Sign-up for paperless billing
- Never miss a bill again with Auto Pay
- Update your payment information
- View your billing and payment history
- Receive up-to-the-minute account alerts

All of these features are also available to all utility customers from their website. To access the Xpress Bill Pay website visit www.xpressbillpay.com or follow the online payment link on the city website at www.riverdalecity.com.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

All city buildings will be open for the Veterans Day holiday on November 11th.



All city buildings will be closed for the Thanksgiving holiday on November 24th & 25th, with the exception of the Community Center which will be open on the 25th.

There will be no change in our garbage and recycling pickup schedule for these holidays. Please put out your containers as normal for Wednesday pick up.

DOG LICENSES AVAILABLE

The 2017 dog licenses have arrived and are now available. Licenses can be renewed at the Civic Center, 4600 S. Weber River Drive. To print a dog license form please visit www.riverdalecity.com.



PLEASE CLEAN STREET GUTTERS

As you clean up the Fall leaves please clean the leaves out of the street gutters in front of your home. Leaves left in the street gutters will cause two problems:



First, leaves can be washed down the street gutter and accumulate in the storm drain system. This can cause the storm drains to become clogged leading to potential flooding during a heavy rain.

Second, when street sweeping, accumulated leaves in the street gutters will greatly reduce the ability of the sweeper to properly clean the street and can also cause the machine to become clogged.

Emergency Preparedness

START EARLY TO BE PREPARED FOR WINTER

Below are tips to help you prepare for the coming winter months:



Things to do and items to have available in your home:

- Get your furnace checked by a certified heating contractor.
- Clean your chimney if you burn wood or coal.
- Have a flashlight and portable radio with extra batteries on hand.
- Have an emergency heating source and heating fuel.
- Keep a fire extinguisher in your home.
- Store extra food, water, medicine, and baby items.
- Ensure smoke and carbon monoxide detectors work and have new batteries.
- Keep first-aid supplies on hand.

RECREATION NEWS

BOYS BASKETBALL REGISTRATIONS

Boys basketball registrations are now taking place for the following:

- Boys 3rd-6th grades: November 1st - December 10th.
- Boys 7th-9th grades: November 1st - December 10th.



The cost is \$25 for Riverdale residents. Cost does not include a jersey, which is required (\$10). If you already have a jersey from a previous year, a new jersey is not required. Each grade division can register online at www.riverdalecity.com or at the Community Center, 4360 S. Parker Drive. For more information please call the Community Center at 801-621-6084.

High school boys basketball (10th-12th grades) registrations are currently taking place and will go until December 10th. This age group will register as a team with the cost being \$250 per team. All players must have current student identification from their high school. Registration for the high school league must be completed at the Community Center. Parents must sign for students under the age of 18.

- **Volunteer coaches are needed!** Parents, PLEASE volunteer to coach when you register your youth. A background check is required for all coaches.

INTRAMURALS

Our next Intramurals activity is Broomball. Sign ups will begin on November 14th and games start on November 21st. We are excited to use some of our new equipment. It is open to youth ages 8 to 13. You can register online or at the Community Center. The cost for the six week activity is \$5.00 for residents. For more information please call 801-621-6084.





DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITY REPORT

Ongoing Developments

Riverdale Town Square

The Riverdale Town Square, a new large scale retail development, is currently under construction at 850 W. Riverdale Road.



Hobby Lobby will occupy a new retail space as part of the new Riverdale Town Square development at 850 W. Riverdale Road. Construction is currently taking place.



The Habit Burger Grill is planning to open a restaurant in the new Riverdale Town Square development at 850 W. Riverdale Road.



Maverik continues to construct their new convenience store on the corner of 900 West and Riverdale Road.



Cutrubus Wasatch Front Kia has relocated their dealership to across the street at 770 West Riverdale Road.

H&P Investments

H & P Investments continues construction on an office / warehouse building located at 770 West River Park Drive.

Riverdale Assisted Living Center

Riverdale Assisted Living Center has been proposed to be located at 1580 Ritter Drive and is now in the review process.

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.



HOLIDAY MEAL SCHEDULE

The Thanksgiving lunch will be held on Friday, November 18th at noon. Please come and join us for turkey with all the trimmings! The cost is only \$2.50. To make your reservation please sign up at the Senior Center or call 801-621-6086.



Our annual Christmas dinner and program will be held on December 16th at 6:00 p.m. To sign up please call 801-621-6086.

CRAFT AND CHRISTMAS DÉCOR SALE

Craft items are now for sale at the Senior Center. There are a variety of home-made items to buy for yourself or as a gift. There is also a variety of used Christmas items for sale through late December in the lounge. Stop by and take a look! Proceeds go to the Senior Center programs.



SENIOR CENTER TO CLOSE FOR HOLIDAY

The Riverdale Senior Center will be closed on Thanksgiving, Thursday, November 24th, and the day after Thanksgiving, on Friday, November 25th.

LUNCH MENU

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

November

- 7 - Lasagna
- 8 - Homemade Chili
- 9 - Orange Chicken
- 10 - Salmon
- 11 - Turkey Pot Roast
- 14 - Salisbury Steak
- 15 - Pizza
- 16 - Fried Chicken
- 17 - Baked Ham
- 18 - Turkey
- 21 - Rosemary Pork Loin
- 22 - Chicken Pillows
- 23 - Stroganoff
- 24 - Closed for Thanksgiving
- 25 - Closed
- 28 - Country Fried Steak
- 29 - Angel Chicken
- 30 - Roast Beef

December

- 1 - Pork Loin
- 2 - Baked Potato Bar
- 5 - Teriyaki Chicken
- 6 - Broccoli Cheese Soup
- 7 - Spaghetti
- 8 - Shepherd's Pie

SENIOR CENTER NEWS BRIEFS

- **Volunteers Needed:** If interested please contact Shawn at 801-621-6086.
- **Yoga Class:** Come join us on Fridays at 9:00 a.m. for Yoga class.
- **Wood Carving Class:** Come whittle away the hours in our wood carving class held on Tuesdays at 9:00 a.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **November 9th** - Presentation by Providence Funeral Service at 11:45 a.m.
- **November 10th** - Foot clinic at 9:30 a.m. The cost is \$10.
- **November 10th** - Entertainment by Tom George during lunch.
- **November 18th** - Thanksgiving lunch with entertainment by Miles Coe.
- **November 18th** - Ensure pickup.
- **November 24th & 25th** - Closed for the Thanksgiving holiday.
- **December 7th** - Blood pressure and glucose checks at 11:00 a.m. by CNS.
- **December 8th** - Foot clinic at 9:30 a.m. The cost is \$10.

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 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
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 801-629-8221 Weber Dispatch

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CITY CALENDAR

November / December 2016

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
November	6 Daylight Savings Time Ends	7	8 General Election	9 Garbage Day Blue Recycle Day	10	11 Veteran's Day Ceremony 10 a.m. All City Buildings Open	12 Community Center Scrapbooking Day
	13	14	15 City Council / RDA Meeting* 6:00 p.m.	16 Garbage Day Red Recycle Day	17	18 Senior Center Thanksgiving Lunch	19 4400 South Active Transportation Walkway Ribbon Cutting at 10 a.m.
	20	21	22 Planning Commission* 6:30 p.m.	23 Garbage Day Blue Recycle Day	24 Thanksgiving All City Buildings Closed, except the Community Center is open Friday	25	26
	27	28	29	30 Garbage Day Red Recycle Day	December 1	2	3
	4	5	6 City Council Meeting* 6:00 p.m.	7 Garbage Day Blue Recycle Day	8	9	10 Community Center Scrapbooking Day

*Agendas for the meetings are posted in the Civic Center foyer prior to the meetings and on our website, www.riverdalecity.com.