

**HELP WANTED
Senior Center Cook**

Have you ever wanted a part-time job where you could work with incredible people and be an integral part of a team that makes the difference? Then the Senior Center Cook is the part-time job for you. Check the Spanish Fork City website's employment page for more details.

Rabies Clinic

Date: Saturday, October 14, 2006
Time: 10:00 am to 1:00 pm
Place: South Utah Valley Animal Shelter, 582 W 3000 North, Services provided at the clinic:
 Rabies Shots: \$8.00
 Micro-Chips: \$25.00
 Animal Licenses: \$10.00 per year for Spayed or Neutered animals; \$25.00 per year for non-altered animals

Farmer's Market

The Farmer's Market runs each Saturday, through **October 28**, from about 8 am to 1pm. It is available to local produce growers to sell home-grown produce and food items only. Food items must be prepared according Utah Department of Agriculture and Food standards.

City Calendar

- October 3—6:00 pm**
City Council Meeting
- October 4—7:00 pm**
Planning Commission Meeting
- October 6**
In the Dark in Spanish Fark Begins
- October 7**
Harvest Moon Hurrah
- October 17—6:00 pm**
City Council Meeting
- October 28—1:00 to 4:00 pm**
Trick-or-Treat on Main Street
- October 29**
Daylight Savings Time Ends
Complete calendar available on the web



October 2006

In The Dark In Spanish Fark—Spanish Fork City Fairgrounds

Fancy a visit to a cannibal's kitchen?

Or would you enjoy hearing a story about the lizard aliens inhabiting underground caverns beneath Utah County Mountains?

Perhaps a chat with a fairy-tale princess is more appropriate to your taste.

Speaking of taste, there's a wide selection of autumn cuisine to tempt your palate.

It's all found at the first annual "In the Dark in Spanish Fark"

The event opens **Friday, October 6th** and continues Friday, Saturday and Monday evenings, all month as well as **Halloween night, Tuesday October 31.**

"Spanish Fork City wants to offer area families a fun opportunity to share a Halloween outing," said Mayor Joe Thomas. "We've

assembled a great volunteer crew of theatre and film designers to make something more than the usual spook alley. "In the Dark in Spanish Fark" will appeal to all ages. And those who come will help a worthy cause. Proceeds from the festival go to the Spanish Fork Senior Center (which serves all of Utah County) and local school groups" he added.

For visitors undeterred by gore, there'll be plenty of thrills and frights waiting along the "Old Spanish Trail (of blood)" spook alley complete with a reptilian set of jaws not for the faint of heart.

Younger and more delicate constituents can have fun with familiar fairy tale characters inhabiting In the Dark in Spanish Fark's Wonderland.

No autumn festival is complete



without a hayride, and the "Fact or Fantasy? Tour" offers stops at Halloween theme locations with storytellers providing tales between stops too bizarre not to be believed.

Event prices range between \$5 and \$8 with combination and family pricing discounts available.

More information on "In the Dark in Spanish Fark" is available on the City's website.

DEAR MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL



From Left to Right, Back Row:
Chris Wadsworth, Mayor Joe Thomas, Matt Barber, Wayne Andersen
Front Row: Seth Sorensen, Steve Leifson

Name: _____ Address: _____ Phone #: _____

Please complete the form and return it with your utility bill. You can also send comments to the City via the internet at www.spanishfork.org. Thank you for your comments.

Small Cable Rate Increase, Effective November 1, 2006

With the recent additions of the Mountain Channel (mtn.) CSTV, and OLN, Spanish Fork Community Network (SFCN) has incurred additional costs to purchase those channels. SFCN's costs of adding those channels, per subscriber, is \$1.83.

The City Council approved a straight rate increase of \$1.83, to the customer to pay for the additional channels. There is no increase in overhead or other SFCN costs associated with this rate adjustment, this simply covers the costs of adding these channels. This serves as notice to you, the customer, that the following rate increases will take affect **November 1, 2006**.

New Television Rates

Expanded Basic will go from \$34 per month to \$35.83 per month. Still over \$8 per month less than the competition's regular price.

Digital Basic will go from \$40 per month to \$41.83 per month. About \$20 per month less

than our competition's regular price.

Full Digital Package will go from \$71 per month to \$72.83 per month. Over \$30 per month less than our competition's regular price.

SFCN is committed to bringing the lowest price and highest quality Cable and Internet services to your home. Even with these price increases, SFCN's prices are far lower than our competitor's regular prices, and we firmly believe our customer service and quality is unmatched in the industry. We will continue to provide unparalleled service and price to the community for years to come.

In addition to low-cost, high-quality cable television, SFCN also provides High Speed Internet. Subscribers to SFCN cable television can receive blazing fast Internet for only \$28 per month; far less than the regular prices you will receive from our competitors. Without subscribing to cable, high speed internet from SFCN is only \$35 per month.

Halloween Scarecrow Festival!

The Spanish Fork/Salem Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring its 2nd Annual 2006 Halloween Scarecrow Festival. Enter scarecrows that will be displayed in the City Flower Beds along Main Street in Spanish Fork for the month of October. This fun festival will dress up the town, and get it ready for the Harvest and Halloween season! Last year was a great start with 11 scarecrows, but we expect big things this year! There will be cash prizes in several categories for the entered Scarecrows. Categories will be:

1. Children: Open to all individuals age 18 or younger.
2. Adult: Open to anyone over the age of 18.
3. Business and Non-Profit Organizations: Open to for-profit businesses and non-profit organizations in or out of Spanish Fork/Salem Cities.
4. People's Choice: All scarecrows entered will be eligible for awards in this category.

The entry fee is \$10.00 per scarecrow entry. Entries will be due by **October 5th** at 5:00 pm, so be planning on what your entry will be. Prizes and Cash Awards will be handed out at the Harvest Moon Hurrah on **October 7th** at approximately 6:00 pm at City Park, located at Center and Main Streets. More detailed rules are available at the Chamber of Commerce Office in Spanish Fork, Central Bank, on the Spanish Fork City website, and at Confetti Antiques & Books. You can also download the entry form on Spanish Fork City's website. The Scarecrow Festival will be held in conjunction with the Harvest Moon Hurrah sponsored by the SF Arts Council, and the Downtown Halloween Carnival on Main Street.

Voting Information

On **October 24**, early voting will begin in Utah County at the **Utah County Administration Building, room LL900**. The polls will be open at 8:00 a.m. and continue until 5:00 p.m. every day, except Saturday and Sunday, thru November 3, 2006. All persons registered and qualified to vote in their respective precinct will be eligible to vote.

Satellite Registration:

October 20 and **October 23**, 8:00 a.m. until 8:00 p.m.

Election Date:

November 7, 2006

2nd Annual Harvest Moon Hurrah!

A celebration of the harvest and the arts that just keeps getting better. **October 7**, 3:00-11:00pm at the Library Park. Free food, entertainment and fun for everyone! Read all about it in the *Clear-sight* newsletter included with this mailing or get all the details online at www.spanishfork.org

American Leadership Academy Thanksgiving Concert

American Leadership Academy Combined Choirs present a Thanksgiving Concert. An evening of song to celebrate the upcoming Thanksgiving festivities. Please join us in the school auditorium on **November 2**, for two performances at 5:30pm and 7:15pm. Tickets will be available from October 1st at the Hagen House, 15 E 300 N, Spanish Fork or at the door. Individual price \$2, Family price \$8. School address is 898 W 1100 S, Spanish Fork. Any questions please call 362-6631.

Library Programs

The library's Read-to-Me Program, "Peeps, Purrs, Squeaks & Grrs" will begin on **October 2**. This program is for children who cannot read by themselves. A parent or caregiver reads to the child and prizes will be given. Ending date is **November 30**. This is a great opportunity to work with your children promoting early literacy skills. For more information, or to attend a 1-time, 1-hour, parent workshop call Susan Griggs. 798-5010

Senior Volunteers Wanted

Have you had the thrill of a child saying, "Thanks!" because YOU helped him learn how to read? Dozens of school children need to practice reading. You can give one, two or more hours a week at a school near you and it will tremendously help someone who needs it. Call Norman Smith(798.1609) or your local school. Everyone thanks you.

Transportation and Community Planning Open House

Wednesday, October 25, 2006 4:30 to 7:00 pm
Orem Senior Friendship Center, 93 N 400 East,

You are invited to come out and learn about air quality, road improvements, new community development, transit plans, and how it affects you. Representatives from Mountainland, UDOT, UTA and communities in Utah County will be available to answer questions on transportation plans and community development.