



# GOOD THINGS ALL AROUND

## SMOKE DETECTOR CHECK



Every home should have a smoke detector in each sleeping room and in the common areas of the home. Smoke detectors should also be checked and tested regularly to ensure they are in good working order.

Testing these devices is easy. Push and hold the test button on the detector until you hear the detector activate. This should take only a few seconds and will shut off a few seconds after you release the button.

The Spring and Fall are always a good time to do these tests and to check the batteries. It is recommended that batteries be changed twice a year in order to make sure that they are always fresh. If you have a carbon monoxide detector, you can test them the same way.

Statistics show that these devices save lives only if they are maintained and are in working order.

## IRRIGATION WATER TO TURN ON THIS MONTH

The pressurized irrigation water will be turned on by April 15 or sooner, depending on the weather. An exact date when the water will be available cannot be given because it takes several weeks to pressurize the system. However, water will be available first in the lower elevations of town and to all residents no later than April 15.

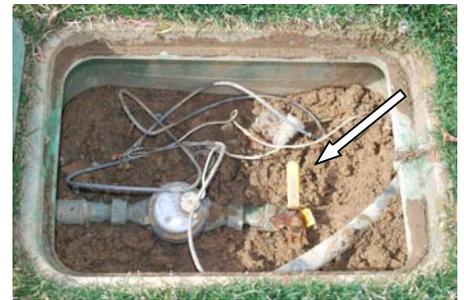
Before the water system is turned on, check now to be sure that your irrigation system is turned off, both at your system clock and at the water meter. This will help prevent unnecessary flooding which sadly seems to occur each year at unsuspecting homes across town. Don't let this happen at your home.

To make sure your PI water is turned off at the valve, locate your PI valve box (typically in your front yard in a

green box) carefully open the lid, checking for spiders that may have nested in your box, then locate the handle for your water line.

If the handle is in line with the pipe, carefully turn it 90 degrees so that it crosses the pipe (perpendicular to the pipe). When the valve is in this position, the water is off.

To turn the water on, simply turn the valve to be in-line with the pipe.



### DEAR MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

From Left to Right, Back Row: Steve Leifson, Mayor Wayne Andersen, Richard Davis, Keir Scoubes; Front Row: Brandon Gordon, Rod Dart.

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Please complete the form and return it with your utility bill. You can also send comments to the City from the City's website. Thank you for your comments.

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- April 2 & 3— Recycling Pick-up
- April 3—City Council Meeting  
6 pm. Live on Ch. 17.
- April 4 —Planning Commission  
Mtg, 6:30 pm. Live on Ch. 17.
- April 6—Combined Community  
Easter Concert
- April 7—Easter Egg Hunt.  
9 am, sharp. Hosted by the  
Chamber of Commerce
- April 7—Household Hazardous  
Waste Collection Day
- April 16 & 17 Recycling Pick-up
- April 17— City Council Meeting  
6 pm. Live on Ch. 17
- April 30 & May 1—Recycle  
Pickup

**SPANISH TRAILS MOUNTAIN MAN RENDEZVOUS**

The Spanish Trails Mountain Man Rendezvous is Thursday May 31 thru Sunday June 3, at the Fairgrounds.

Good for all ages, this experience is a hands-on re-enactment with Mountain Man trader tent store with unique hand-made items such as jewelry, wood-carvings, moccasins, blankets, clothing, and toys.

There will also be Dutch-Oven Cook-offs, Black Powder Rifle Shooting, Kid's Games and a Saturday Night Mountain Man Dance! Admission is a \$1 donation per person unless you show up in Mountain Man attire! Hours of operation are 8 am to 7 pm daily except for Sunday when the traders are tearing down. For more information, contact [kathyundertwostars@yahoo.com](mailto:kathyundertwostars@yahoo.com) or [kellyunder@gmail.com](mailto:kellyunder@gmail.com).



**PRINCESS PARTY!**

The Community Theater is hosting a Princess Party for all princesses in the community on Saturday April 28, from 1- 3:00 pm.

All princesses can participate in fun activities, including: dancing, singing, face painting and much more.



**Who:** Ages 3 and up. Adults & seniors are encouraged to dress up, too!

**Where:** Maple Mountain High School, north entrance

**Cost:** \$5.00 per princess in advance, \$6.00 at the door.

Sign up at the Parks & Recreation office or online at [reconline.spanishfork.org](http://reconline.spanishfork.org).

For more information, please call Jennifer Mustoe: 801-602-2720. Volunteers Welcome!

**ACTIVITIES PLANNED TO CELEBRATE NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK**

National Library Week is April 8 thru 14. To celebrate, the library will have a special story time on Thursday, April 12 at 10:30 am, for children of all ages. This super, silly, and fun half hour will be full of the storyteller's favorite picks!

Then at 11:00, "Read for Fines" begins. Come as an individual or as family to read off overdue fines. Get comfy in the program room, or at any spot in the library, read and \$1 in overdue fines will melt away from your account for every 15 minutes you read, with a limit of \$5.00 per family account.

The Library will also have a table set up with

"Make-n-Take" crafts. These activities will conclude at 5:00 pm, just in time for the 6:00 movie, "Pokemon Black & White". Regular story times will not be held this week due to spring break.

Mark your calendars for Children's Book Week, celebrated May 6 thru 12. All children, 5 years and older, are invited to get their very own library card, with their parent. The Saturday program will include balloons, crafts and a magic show. Tickets for the show will be available April 16.

Regular story times will not be held in May as the library prepares for Summer fun.

**ARBOR DAY WORK AT THE CEMETERY**



Bring a shovel to the City Cemetery for the Arbor Day Planting on Friday, April 27 at 10 am.

The City will begin replacing the trees destroyed by the heavy snow storm over a year ago. It will be great to have the "Entrance Sentinels" back in place in time for Memorial Day.

**MORNING GOLF SPECIALS AT SPANISH OAKS**

Golf Spanish Oaks weekday mornings (Monday thru Friday) before 9:00 am and get 9 holes with a golf cart for only \$10 and get 18 holes with a golf cart for only \$20. Not valid on holidays.

**THE GREAT UTAH SHAKE OUT**

Spanish Fork encourages all residents to participate in the Great Utah Shakeout, April 17 at 10:15 am. Drop, Cover and Hold. For more information, go to [www.shakeout.org/utah](http://www.shakeout.org/utah).

**HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DAY**

The Solid Waste District is sponsoring a hazardous waste collection day on April 7. Residents can take items to the Provo Towne Center West Parking log, beginning at 9 am, until 3 pm.

Check out the news section of the City website for a listing of acceptable and non-acceptable items.

**APRIL RECREATION CALENDAR**

Register for youth programs online at [reconline.spanishfork.org](http://reconline.spanishfork.org).

3 Early registration ends for Adult Summer Softball (M & W)

5 Registration ends for T-Ball, Machine-Pitch, & Coach Pitch

5 Early registration ends for Spring Soccer (M & W, 6 on 6)

7 Easter Egg Hunt at the Sports Park West Complex. 9 am sharp.

12-14 Pizza Factory Invitational Baseball Tournament. (8/9U to 14U)

23 Early registration ends for Summer Track Club, Ages 7-14.

26 Early registration ends for Fast-Pitch Clinic

27 Early registration end for Lacrosse, Grades 3-9.

28 Girls fast-pitch clinic at the Sports Park Main Complex. 8 am to 3:30 pm.

See [www.spanishfork.org](http://www.spanishfork.org) for a complete listing of activities.

