

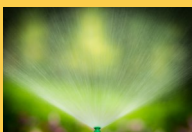


Riverton City News

October 2016



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Thank You & Farewell

It is always very difficult to say goodbye to wonderful, productive staff. September was especially challenging to me as two valuable employees, Jeff Hawker and Steve Elms, left employment with Riverton City.

Jeff Hawker started with Riverton City on November 13, 2006, as our Economic Development Director. Jeff was previously employed by West Valley City before joining Riverton City. As a previous Board Chairman of the Utah Transit Authority (UTA), Jeff brought new and very unique skills specific to transportation and economic development. As UTA Chair and later as technical staff for West Valley City, Jeff played a significant role in the completion of the main North-South Trax line as well as the Mid-Jordan Trax extensions. After he worked for us for a few years, it became apparent we needed an Assistant City Manager. Jeff was chosen to assume this role and still functioned as Economic Development Director. In this dual roles as Assistant City Manager and Economic Development Director, his responsibilities were expanded to not only help find new businesses to come to Riverton, but he also supervised the Planning Department, the Building Inspection Department, Justice Court, and Ordinance Enforcement. More recently, Jeff was the staff member that worked with CenterCal to complete the complex approval process and will always be recognized as a major contributor on the team that brought the CenterCal development to Riverton.

After Jeff's departure, the position of Assistant Manager will not be filled. Lance Blackwood, our City Manager, will direct City staff without an Assistant City Manager. This is only possible because of the capabilities of the Riverton City department heads in assuming additional responsibilities.

Steve Elms was hired on October 3, 2011, as City Treasurer. Steve was previously employed by Draper City and was very knowledgeable in operating the new accounting system for management of the financial aspects of the Riverton City Justice Court. Like Jeff, Steve later assumed the additional duties of supervising the Utility Billing and the Business Licensing Departments. Utah State Law requires the position of City Treasurer so Steve will be replaced.

We will miss Jeff and Steve and the outstanding work they have done for Riverton City. Steve and Jeff, thank you for making Riverton City a better place to work. You have been very dedicated, loyal employees who have introduced many innovations that have made the City run more efficiently and serve the public better. We wish both of you well as life gives you more opportunities and challenges in the future.

Sincerely,

Mayor Bill



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Halloween Safety Tips



- Use face paint rather than masks or costumes, which can cover your child's eyes. Dress your child in light-colored or reflective-type clothing so they are more visible.
- Younger children should always be chaperoned with a trusted adult. With older juveniles, discuss and plan their route beforehand.
- Use a buddy system. If your child is headed out with a group, make sure he or she has a buddy system in place. It's easy for a child to get left behind or mixed in with other groups.
- Know who your child is trick or treating with. Exchange phone numbers with your child's friends and their parents. In the event of an emergency, you can notify them.
- Give your child a flashlight to light his or her way.
- Make sure your child knows to look both ways before crossing the street. Don't hide or cross the street between parked cars. Cross at street corners and use crosswalks when available.
- Accept treats at the door and never go into a stranger's house.
- Inspect all treats before eating and don't eat any unpackaged candy.

October is Clean-up Month

October is "Clean-up Month" and a great time to get your homes and yards cleaned and ready before winter. To help you get going, the City is offering coupons to residents for a discount on one load of disposal at the Trans-Jordan Landfill. Coupons for the month of October will be available for pick up at the Utility Billing and Reception windows at City Hall at the end of September.

Please RECYCLE whenever possible.

WATER NEWS: Winterization for Secondary Irrigation

Water has now been turned off by the canal companies and City water employees have drained water from the main lines. Please leave your secondary ball valves open for 30 days. Homeowners using a hose bib attachment need to remove the hoses. If you have above ground PVC piping that is attached to the ball valve, make sure the pipe is drained before storage.

If you have the "swing with the RPZ valve," disconnect the swing from the supply line you are using, leave the secondary valve open and the culinary stop-n-waste valve turned off. The RPZ should be removed from the piping with the stand pipes covered. It is recommended that the RPZ valves be turned at a 45-degree angle and stored in an area to protect from freezing. Residents are responsible for draining their own sprinkler system. The Water Department's responsibility stops at the secondary stop-n-waste, and the culinary water meter.

Get Ready for Holiday Heritage!

Does your *family tree* have a tree decorating tradition? We are looking for residents who would like to share their heritage by decorating trees to be displayed at the Old Dome Meeting Hall. **Prizes** will be given by voting patrons.



For more information, contact Bradley Dance: (385) 237-3421

The Riverton Arts Council's TaDa Children's Theater Presents:



**Oct. 14, 15*, 17, 18,
20, 21, 22*, 24 @ 7pm**
*Additional 2pm matinee

Purchase tickets online at:

www.RivertonArtsCouncil.org

Tickets: \$7-\$9

Sandra N. Lloyd Community Center
12830 S. Redwood Rd. Riverton UT, 84065



Concussion Awareness Poster Contest

Have your artwork used in a public service campaign and be a part of an important community education program!
SUBMISSIONS DUE OCTOBER 28.

Contest open to all students, K-12. Original submissions in the categories of *Head Injury Prevention* and *Symptoms of Concussion* will be accepted in any artwork medium on background sized between 8 1/2" X 11" and 11" X 17". Final judging completed by November 11.

Visit www.rivertoncity.com for applications.



Riverton City Parks & Recreation

12830 S. Redwood Road (801) 208-3101 parksandrec@rivertoncity.com Office Hours: Mon—Fri 8:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.

Online registration is now available for most recreation programs with no additional fee.
To register, and for more information on these and other events, please visit our website: www.rivertoncity.com



Halloween Bash & Scareodeo

Food, Fun & Search for the Great Pumpkin!

Monday & Tuesday, October 24 & 25

6:00—8:00 p.m.

8:00 p.m. Search for Great Pumpkin Begins
Riverton City Park, 1452 W. 12600 S.

All the same fun plus our newest **Scareodeo**... a mini spook alley through the rodeo arena. Stories will be read by Mayor Bill Applegarth followed by the search for the Great Pumpkin with lots of pumpkin seeds filled with toys and candy. All activities will be outside so dress warmly and don't forget to bring your flashlight!

Visit www.rivertoncity.com for more information



Holiday Heroes 5K & 1-Mile Run

Join Unified Police and Riverton City for this annual charitable event to help local families in need during the holidays.

Saturday, Nov. 12, 2016

Riverton City Park

1452 W. 12600 S.

9:00 a.m. start time

Check in/day-of reg. 8:00—8:45 a.m.

Early registration is available now through October 31 for \$10; then it goes up to \$15. Every participant receives a Holiday Heroes Christmas Ornament!

Additional donations to help local families can be made on the day of race. Donation items, include: non-perishable food, new unwrapped clothing and holiday gifts, additional monetary donations.

REGISTER: www.runnercard.com

Riverton City Veteran's Day Program

Be a part of honoring those who have served and who currently serve our great country as members of the armed forces with an outstanding performance by the Riverton Jazz Band.

Friday, November 11

6:30 p.m.

Sandra N. Lloyd Community Ctr

12830 S. Redwood Rd.

Free Event



Santa's Arrival & Holly Days in the Park

Mark your calendars...

Monday, November 28

6:30—8:30 p.m.

Riverton City Park



COMMUNITY CLASSES

All Community Classes are held at the Sandra N. Lloyd Community Center, 12830 S. Redwood Road, unless otherwise noted.
Please pre-register for all classes at the Parks and Recreation office at least one week before class begins.
Walk-ins are welcome in Yoga classes. Space is limited in most classes so please register early.

Gentle Movement for Health

Gentle movements and strengthening exercises at a comfortable pace for all body types.

Ages: 16 & up **Cost:** \$7 per class or \$42 for 7 classes
(Payments received by instructor during class)

Day: Mondays (except holidays) **Time:** 6:30 – 7:30 p.m.

Hunter Education

Cost: \$2 + \$10 Hunter Ed. Voucher that must be purchased wherever you can buy a hunting license before the first night of class.

All ages **Time:** 6:00 – 9:00 p.m.

Location: Sandra N. Lloyd Community Center, Room S109

Dates: Nov. 2, 4, 9, 11, 16 & 18

Wilton Cake Decorating

Learn how to decorate cakes like a pro!

Exclusive Wilton method now being taught in our City! Decoration de pasteles metodo Wilton clases en Espanol disponibles. Taught by Daisy Little.

Dates (Mondays): Session 2: Oct. 24—Nov. 14

Time: 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. **Location:** room S101

Ages: 16 & older **Cost:** \$30 per session



Self-Defense Karate & Safety Awareness

Gain self-discipline and self-confidence while learning to defend against bullies and strangers. Family fun and recreation for ages 5 and up. Students advance in Rank.

For more information call A.S.A.P. **(801) 597-5707**

Evil Scientist Academy

Spooky Science Fall Break Camp

A break in school means extra fun for kids with these terrifyingly fun experiments and activities! Black lights, dry ice, slime, and fake blood!

Cost: \$59

Ages: 5-12 years-old

Dates: Oct. 20-21

Time: 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m.

Electromagnetic Mayhem

Amazing class that teaches students about magnetism and electricity. Enjoy hands-on experiments and receive a take-home activity!

Cost: \$89

Ages: 5-12 years-old

Dates: Mondays, Nov. 7, 14, 21

Time: 4:30—5:30 p.m.

LEGAL NOTICE:

For your convenience, the following websites are available to review Riverton City's Public Meeting and Legal Notices:
www.rivertoncity.com, www.utah.gov/pmn/index and www.utahlegals.com/index

If you need additional information, contact the Riverton City Recorder's Office at (801) 208-3126 or (801) 280-3128.

Report A Problem Online

To report a problem online, visit the City's website at www.rivertoncity.com and follow the "Report A Problem" link at the top of the page.

Thank you for your feedback! It helps us better communicate and manage requests effectively.

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