



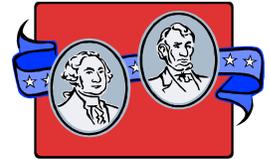
Salem City Newsletter



City Office 30 West 100 South Salem, Utah 84653 801-423-2770 www.salemcity.org February 2014

Salem City will be closed on Monday, February 17, 2014
for President's Day.

Garbage will be picked up on Tuesday, February 18th as usual.



New Community Alert Tool

Often a resident will say something like, "I wish I would have known...", or "Why didn't you inform us ...". When those comments are made, the City takes note and tries to improve.

Because of these comments the City has deployed many tools over the years to overcome the communication gap, for example, this city newsletter, our City website www.salemcity.org, and we are even on Facebook, Salemcityutah. Adding to that toolbox, Salem City has partnered with a local company that will allow the City to quickly communicate with its residents by telephone, email or text message.

The Community Alert tool can be used to alert residents when the water will be shut off for repairs or when a street will be closed for paving. It will be used to communicate issues on a utility account or to inform about major events happening. The reasons to use the tool are limitless and the information will be specific to you and your family and area.

The Community Alert will also be extremely useful in the event of an emergency. Community Alert can call every home and even multiple numbers per home in about 5 minutes. This quick communication will be invaluable as the City sends out accurate and timely information after an emergency.

A communication tool is only as good as the information in it. The City gets its contact information from the utility billing database. Please check the phone numbers on your utility bill to make sure they are correct. If not, please call the Salem City Office, 801-423-2770, to update your information (phone numbers and email addresses). You can also email the information to salemcity@salemcity.org. Salem City first used this tool in December to notify residents that garbage would still be picked up as usual on December 24th, but we were not able to get the message to everyone because of outdated information. Please help us keep you informed.

Water Wise

With Spring approaching in the next couple of months, we need to start thinking now of ways to help conserve water, especially outdoor water usage. We have not received the amount of snow in the mountains this year or last year to fill the states reservoirs. The State of Utah is very concerned with water this year, along with Salem City. Please take time now to evaluate your own home and yard for ways you can help be water wise. Then begin implementing your ideas, and be ready when spring and summer are here. If everyone was able to conserve 10% of water from last year, we could save a lot of water. Salem City has ideas and links on the city web page on ways to be water wise.



Licensing & Low Cost Rabies Clinic

Saturday, February 15, 2014, 10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon

Salem City Fire Station, 30 West 100 South



A local veterinarian will provide rabies shots for \$12 and other vaccinations will be offered for an additional cost

License fees—\$15 for altered animals (spayed or neutered)

\$35 for unaltered animals

SALEM YOUTH COUNCIL

The Salem Youth Council would like to thank all those who supported us through the holidays. We were able to help 2 families receive a Christmas. That is due to the overwhelming generosity of our great city. Thursday, February 13th will be our Senior Valentines Dinner at 5:30, at the Salem Community Center. Please sign up in the city offices. We look forward to serving our seniors. We would also like to introduce our new SYC mayor, Adam Boden. We are excited to work with him and have him lead us in another wonderful year of service. Thank you to McKenna Nelson. We appreciate all your dedication and hard work.



Marte & Marcie McKee

UTA

Each day, thousands of people turn to UTA's social media channels to find information about UTA service alerts, news and events. They are active on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram. If you need to know destinations, schedules or service delays, check them out. TWITTER: www.twitter.com/rideuta; FACEBOOK: www.facebook.com/rideuta; INSTAGRAM: www.instagram.com/rideuta.

**LIBRARY HOURS:**

Monday—Thursday 10:00 a.m.—7:00 p.m.
 Friday 10:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.
 Saturday 10:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

**Story Time is Mondays at 11:00 a.m. and
 Tuesdays at 2:00 p.m.**

LIBRARY
801-423-2622



Take Your Child to the Library Day Saturday February 1st from 10:00-12:00.

Events begin at 10:00 with a special storytime with some furry visitors from Wild Wonders. We'll have crafts, activities, and treats throughout the rest of the morning. Come in and sign-up for a free library card and borrow some books, DVDs, ebooks, and more.

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Our Sweethearts for February are Lynn and Maurine Stewart. They were married on September 27, 1950, some 63+ years ago. Lynn was born in Milburn, Utah, and Maurine was born in Fountain Green, Utah. Her family moved to Moroni when she was five. Lynn is 85 years old and Maurine is 82 1/2. Lynn is the eighth child of ten in his family. His father passed away when he was 12 so he would spend summers in Wyoming and Montana working on his uncle's farms. He attended one year of high school in Wyoming. Maurine is one of three girls in her family. They met at a dance in Moroni; although Lynn was from North Sanpete and Maurine from Moroni High, which were rival schools. Lynn had planned on serving a mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, but this was during the time of the Korean War. He was inducted into the Army, so they were married in September and in December of that year he entered the Army.

After serving 18 months in the Army he was able to return home. They settled in Spanish Fork. Lynn went to work at Geneva Steel starting out at \$3.90 per hour. They lived in Spanish Fork for 35 years and raised their family of 7 children there except for their youngest son, Matthew. Their fourth daughter, Ann, was born 2 months early so they had a few struggles then. Linda lives in Michigan; Susan in Salt Lake City; Sandra in Haskellville; Ann in West Jordan; Steve in Georgia; Mary in Salt Lake City; and Matthew in Elk Ridge. They have 26 grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren with one more on the way. They have lived in Salem for 22 years.

When Lynn retired from Geneva he went to work for the U.S. Forest Service, Spanish Fork Office. He worked on the water systems in the camp grounds from Nephi to Provo, and the Vernon Reservoir. He worked there until he was 75. At the same time Maurine worked part time in the office.

Lynn was finally able to serve his mission when he and Maurine were called to serve in Nauvoo and Carthage, Illinois from 1998-1999. When they returned home they felt like they wanted to serve another mission, so in 2001 they were called as missionaries to serve at the Bishop's Store House. They served there for six years. They have enjoyed being active in the LDS Church. Lynn has served in a bishopric and Maurine has held numerous positions in the Church. They currently serve at the Provo Temple.

Lynn attended BYU for a while before going to work for Geneva. Maurine attended Snow College for one year. Both her grandfather and mother were school teachers. She did readings in school starting when she was 5-years-old. She loves to read, and quilt. She has made a quilt for each of her children and grandchildren. She has belonged to the Daughters of the Utah Pioneers [DUP], Spanish Fork Camp for 10 years. Lynn has done genealogy extraction work and has worked on records from Ellis Island. He likes to read, garden and do puzzles. They are proud of and love each of their grandchildren.

Lynn doesn't like spicy food, but loves meat and potatoes [as he was raised on them]. Maurine likes meat, potatoes and eggs. She has some allergies to food, but she loves seafood, especially halibut. They love to dance, and after the children were raised they would go to the Eldridge Center in Provo every Tuesday night and dance. They love to support their grandchildren in baseball, basketball, football, and dance.

They love the quiet peaceful surroundings in Salem, their ward and stake, and that Salem now has a grocery store.

Some facts of interest: Lynn's great, great grandfather marched with the Mormon Battalion and helped settle Fairview, Utah. He also lived with Hyrum Smith and was considered an adoptive son. Maurine's great grandfather, Ole H. Berg, was the founder of Berg Mortuary.

Lynn and Maurine, may you have many more years as Sweethearts.

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Salem City

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P.O. Box 901
Salem, Utah 84653

City Office Hours:

Mon—Thur 7:30 a.m.—5:30 p.m.
Friday 7:30 a.m.—12:00 noon

City Office	801-423-2770
Recreation	801-423-1035
Library	801-423-2622
Police (daytime)	801-423-2312
(after hours)	801-794-3970
Police, Fire & Medical Emergencies	911

City Council

Feb 5th 7:00 p.m.
Feb 19th 7:00 p.m.

Planning and Zoning
Feb 12th 7:00 p.m.

Girls Winter Dance Class - Salem Recreation will offer a dance class for girls **K-2nd** Grade. 8 one hour classes held Wednesday & Thursday Evenings from 5:30 - 6:30 pm at Foothills Elementary in the gym. Please enter through the South West Gym door. Classes will begin Wednesday, February 4th **Cost for this class is \$30.00** Early registration. deadline is January 28th. \$5 late fee/ \$5 Nonresident will apply.

This is a great place for little ones to find their love for dance.
INSTRUCTOR: Carly Buys

Spring Soccer - We are now accepting registrations for Spring Soccer. Recreational youth spring soccer will begin in mid April and go for 5 weeks, ending in May. Most age groups will be 6 on 6 soccer, (some 7 on 7) and will play 2 games per week. Pre-K Tuesday & Thursday evenings Kindergarten - 8th grade Wednesday & Friday evenings. **Early registration ends March 19th**, \$5.00 late fee/\$5.00 non-resident fee will apply. **Leagues:** Pre K 4 & 5 year olds - \$25.00, Kindergarten—2nd Grade - \$25.00, 3rd—8th Grade - \$30.00. All players will need a game jersey (Jerseys may be re-used season to season, and are available to purchase for \$10 at the Rec. Office.) Sign up online or at the Salem Recreation Office.

Salem Adult Coed SOFTBALL - WEDNESDAY NIGHTS—2 DIVISIONS + POST SEASON TOURNAMENT, \$365.00 per team Plus \$5.00 non-resident fee (\$25 non-resident cap) **EARLY REGISTRATION** on or before **April 7th** **LEAGUE PLAY BEGINS** Wednesday, April 16th. **MANDATORY ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING** April 10th @ 8PM Loafer View Park score tower (2 extra practice games for teams with a team Rep. present!) **Space will be available for 18 teams so Register NOW!** Teams will play 12 games over 8 weeks with some double headers. 16 player maximum per team, \$10 charge for each additional player. All players must be on team roster to be eligible to play. No more of these death blister bats. Bring your USSSA certified bat and come play softball. Register online or at the Salem Recreation Office, 60 North 100 East 801-423-1035.

New ** Men's Softball Spring 40+League - Tuesday Nights—12 games + post season tournament \$365.00 per team. Plus \$5.00 non-resident fee (\$25 non-resident cap) early registration on or before **April 7th**. **LEAGUE PLAY BEGINS** Tuesday, April 15th. **MANDATORY ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING** April 10th@ 8:30PM Loafer View Park score tower (2 extra practice games for teams with a team Rep. present!) **Space will be available for 10 teams so register NOW!** Teams will play 12 games over 8 weeks with some double headers. 16 player maximum per team, \$10 charge for each additional player. All players must be on team roster to be eligible to play. Bring your USSSA certified bat and come play softball. One up homerun rule. Register Online at salemcity.org or at the Salem Recreation Office.

Urban Fishing

The Youth Fishing Program is open to youth in 1st to 6th grades. This program is a joint venture between Salem Recreation and the Division of Wildlife Resource. The program focuses on educating youth about fishing and aquatic resources. The first class will be held at the Veterans Memorial Ballpark (downtown). All other classes will be held at Salem Pond. First session will be April 2nd. Registration for this program will be \$15.00 if paid before the early deadline. Each participant should provide their own pole. This is a 6 week program. All participants will receive a Salem Fishing Club t-shirt.

Registration for Youth Fishing Program: Before March 19th at the Salem Recreation office. An adult instructor will work with and supervise participants. The first 30 minutes will be spent learning fishing techniques and habitat needs. The remaining time will be spent FISHING!

WE ARE LOOKING FOR ADULTS THAT WOULD LIKE TO HELP INSTRUCT AND TEACH KIDS HOW TO FISH. PLEASE CALL IF YOU WOULD ENJOY HELPING 423-1035. There will be an instructors meeting March 19th @ 7:30 p.m. for all instructors. The meeting will be held at the Recreation Office. (All hours for this program may be used toward your Dedicated Hunter Hours.)

Catchers Camp with Casey Cloward - February 22nd. Camp will be held from 9:00 to 10:30 in the morning. **Fee for the Camp is \$15.00, there is NO NON-RESIDENT FEE for Camps.** Registration available online at salemcity.org, or at the Recreation Office.