



"A LITTLE BIT OF COUNTRY"

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CITY NEWSLETTER

Mayor

Jeff Acerson

City Center Offices

100 North State St./Upper Level
785-5043

Community Development

100 North State St./Lower Level
785-7687

Public Works

946 West Center Street
796-7954

Justice Court

100 North State Street
Upper Level
785-1971

Police Department

90 North State Street
Emergency - 911
Non-emergency Dispatch
229-7070
Police Department Offices
769-8600

Fire/EMS

90 North State Street
Emergency - 911
Non-emergency Dispatch
229-7070
Other Fire Services
229-7327

Aquatics Center

60 West 60 North
610-4160

Community/Senior Center

25 North Main
769-8637/769-8625

City Website

www.lindoncity.org

www.facebook.com/lindoncity



SPRING IS BUDGET SEASON

Spring is here and what does that mean in the Finance Department at Lindon City? It means Budget Season!

Lindon City's fiscal year is July 1st to June 30th. The City Council adopts a budget each year before June 22nd which goes into effect on July 1st. The budget is an important document which serves as the City's financial plan and provides the guidance necessary to implement the goals and plans of the Mayor and City Council.



The Budget Process

An annual Budget Kick-Off Meeting was held in February at which the Mayor, City Council and Department Heads met to discuss and brainstorm City issues. This influences the City's budget by addressing new projects and goals that stem from concerns raised by staff, Council Members and residents. These items may be immediately addressed or may need many years of planning, such as public safety (Police, Fire & EMS) facilities.

Public Meetings



Department Heads submitted their budget requests last month and the City Administrator and I will meet with them to address any necessary changes. I will present budget drafts to the City Council and the public as listed to the left. These meetings and work sessions help guide the development of the City Budget through input by Department Heads and direction and prioritization from the Mayor and City Council.

The public is encouraged to participate in the budget process by attending and commenting in these public hearings.

Please check out the City's [current budget](#) document for the 2016-2017 Fiscal year.

Kristen Colson
Lindon City Finance Director

City Wide Cleanup

April 8th – April 15th

Dumpsters will be available at the following locations:

- City Center Arena – 200 N. Main
- Public Works Bldg. – 946 W. Center
- Hollow Park – 400 N. 300 E.
- Equestrian Staging Area – 140 N. 1200 E.
- Pheasant Brook Park – 290 N. 800 W.



Meet our new Chief of Police! After careful consideration Joshua Adams, a Lieutenant with Orem Police Department, has been selected by Lindon City and has accepted the position as Lindon's new Police Chief. It was a very competitive selection process with many highly qualified applicants.

Chief Adams was raised in Pleasant Grove and Orem and is a graduate from Utah Valley University with a B.S. in Emergency Services Administration. He's been involved in various aspects of law enforcement for 17 years and currently oversees the Detective Division and investigations at Orem Police Department. Chief Adams has also taught for several years as an Adjunct Faculty at UVU Law Enforcement Academy. He comes highly recommended by his leaders and peers.

Chief Adams will officially begin work with Lindon City on Monday, April 24th. We believe his leadership and skills will be a great addition to our outstanding Police Department. We're grateful for his desire to serve and protect the citizens and businesses of Lindon City!

ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT!

Mark your calendars and hop on over to the annual Lindon City Easter Egg Hunt to be held on Saturday, April 15th at 9:00 a.m sharp at Pheasant Brook Park located at 400 North 800 West. There will be one grand prize winner for each age group! Other mini prizes will be hidden in eggs! (2 and under, ages 3-5, ages 6-8, and 9-12). The fun is over fast, so don't be late! Hope to see you all there! [Click here to view flyer.](#)



KIDS CRAFT CLUB

Send your kids to our Kids Craft Club this spring. Different crafts will be made and taken home each week. All supplies are included.

Classes will be held for kids **Grades K-3rd** on **Tuesdays** from **4:45-5:30** pm at the Lindon Community Center in Room 6. Space is limited to 10 participants. Registration deadline for each session is the first day of class.

April 11-25 (\$15) May 2-23 (\$20)

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

2017 LITTLE MISS LINDON ROYALTY



Congratulations to the newly crowned 2017 Little Miss Lindon Royalty!

Queen: Laynie Allred & Attendants - Drew Clark, Bailey Tucker, Cortlyn Bunker and Winnter Nichols

You girls will do a great job representing Lindon City! Also a **BIG** thank you to all of the contestants, parents and the Little Miss Lindon Directors for their participation, hard work and enthusiasm! We hope you made some great memories!

BRAINY BRICK BUILDING

Come build with Lego bricks! Different themes will be implemented each week. There are no specific guidelines for this class, just pure imagination. We'll have a building challenge (car, bridge, tower, maze, sports etc.), a building game, and some free build time each class. Bricks are provided by the Lindon Community Center. Limited space so sign up ASAP!



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Summer Sessions will be offered. More details to come in May!

Challenger Sports British Soccer Camp



British Soccer Camps provide players of all ages with the rare opportunity to receive high-level soccer coaching from a team of international experts. Each day includes individual foot skills, technical drills, tactical practices, small-sided games, coached scrimmages, and a daily tournament.

Dates: June 12-16 @ Pioneer Park (150 S 500 E)
Online Registration Only: www.challengersports.com

Mini Soccer	Ages 3-4	8:00-8:45 am	\$95
Half Day	Ages 5-14	9:00-12:00 pm	\$156
Golden Goal	Ages 5-14	1:00-3:00 pm	\$57

*Golden Goal is an add-on session specifically for those registered for the Half Day program that runs Mon-Thurs. The campers will be supervised by the British Soccer coaching staff. Please send camper with a lunch.



T-BALL, COACH PITCH AND MACHINE PITCH

Signups start on the 1st of April and will end on May 5th. Games will start the week of June 4th, all games will be held at Pheasant Brook. T-Ball & Machine pitch

will be held on Tuesdays & Thursdays. Coach pitch will play Wednesdays & Fridays. Each team will play 2 games per week.

Register in person at the Lindon Community Center, or online at the link below!

Registration Deadline: May 5th

League	Ages	Fee
T-Ball	4-5	\$40
Coach Pitch	6-7	\$40
Machine Pitch	8-9	\$40

FRIEND REQUEST POLICY

We are eliminating the friend request chain. Too many people have been requesting 2-4 friends. Participants are allowed to request ONE friend to play with on the same team. Friends MUST request each other and sign up BEFORE the league deadline for the best possible chance to be placed on the same team. Friend requests are NOT GUARANTEED, but we do make our best effort to fulfill them. If the person you requested did not request your child, chances are they will not be placed on the same team. If you want to request more than one friend, please sign up as a TEAM. You do not have to fill the full roster, but you will have the responsibility of providing a

coach. Check out our team registration paragraph for more information.

TEAM REGISTRATION INFORMATION

To avoid confusion, coaches who want to create a team are required to fill out a team roster form at the Lindon Community Center. A digital copy is also available by e-mailing the league coordinator at jboone@lindoncity.org. This form will help us insure the placement of the correct players on your team. Max per team varies for each sport. Max numbers CANNOT be exceeded. Players who are listed on your team roster will be placed on your team ONLY if they register BEFORE the program deadline. Those who are listed on your roster, but miss the deadline will NOT be guaranteed a spot on your team. Must have a mixture of grades on your team, unless your grade is the younger one in the league. (In the 1st and 2nd grade league you may have a full roster of 1st graders, but not 2nd graders, etc.)

For questions about this league, please get in contact with the league coordinator: Jacob Boone jboone@lindoncity.org (801) 769-8633 [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

LINDON SENIOR CENTER NEWS



Weekly Activities & Classes for April

- ✚ Monday – Grocery Shopping: 11:00 am
- ✚ Monday & Wednesday – Family History Class: 12:30 to 1:30 pm
- ✚ Tuesday – Pickle Ball: 10:00 am
- ✚ Wednesday – TOPS: 10:30 am
- ✚ Every 3rd Wednesday – Bunco: 12:30
- ✚ Thursday, 2nd and 4th of the month – Card Making with Bernie at 12:30 pm
- ✚ Friday – Bingo 12:30 pm
- ✚ April 16th Easter

A Reminder that we have a bus!



For more information see the senior newsletter or contact the Senior Center Front Desk at 801-769-8625

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Come eat lunch with us at the Senior Center!

Please call or let the front desk know if you will be attending lunch by 1:00 pm the day before (801-769-8625). This ensures that there will be enough for everyone! A \$3.00 donation is greatly appreciated!

What: Living Well with Chronic Conditions

When: Thursdays- March 16th through April 20th; from 10 am to 12:30 pm

Where: Kids on the Move Building (adjacent to Orem Community Hospital) 475 Hospital Drive, Orem, UT 84057

Why: FREE 6 (six) session evidence-based workshop designed for those dealing with a chronic or limiting health condition. Participants learn self-management techniques and skills needed in the day to day management of any type of ongoing health condition. The program has also been proven to be effective for caregivers. [Click here](#) to register or contact Carrie Bennett at carrieb@utahcounty.gov or call 801-581-7035.



What: Utah County Health Department is preparing to conduct its 2nd Community Health Assessment (CHA). As part of that process, health department staff will be out in the community going to homes and asking questions related to health. The health department has been working with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to determine the number and location of homes will ensure a representative sample of Utah County.

When: Saturday, April 22, 2017

Why: Conducting the in-person surveys is essential to the community health assessment process. Information gained from the assessment guides public health efforts and decisions. The assessment seeks to get feedback directly from the community about their health needs.

In addition to the in-person survey, community members wishing to participate in the assessment will have the opportunity to complete an online version of the survey. Assessments are typically completed every 3-5 years and are required of local health districts in Utah.

Where: Randomly selected neighborhoods, throughout Utah County.

Contact: Assessment questions; Allyson Holmes at 801-851-7514 or AllysonH@utahcounty.gov Media/promotion questions: Aislynn Tolman-Hill 385-204-46274 or AislynnT@utahcounty.gov [Click here](#) to view flyer.



Pet of the Week

The North Utah Valley Animal Shelter has many fantastic animals waiting for loving homes. One such is this cute heeler mix named Sasha. Sasha is a medium size red/white female and is 6-10 years old. Price: \$157.00. Sasha is a sweet, friendly and loving heeler mix. She loves people and being outside. Sasha is currently available for adoption. For more information on Sasha, or any of our other outstanding pets, contact us at (801) 785-3442 or [Click here](#) to visit our website. We are located at 193 N 2000 W in Lindon, UT.

LINDON MONTHLY RECYCLING FACTS



Did you know that the earth has its very own holiday? Earth Day is April 22nd and was established in order to raise awareness about our responsibility to care for our planet. Check out these awesome facts about recycling and encourage your family and friends to participate in our local recycling program in honor of Earth Day! Call the city today to sign up!

- On average only 30% of our waste is recycled even though 70% of what we throw out is recyclable.
- Recycling one aluminum can saves enough energy to listen to a full album on your iPod.
- Recycling 100 cans could light your bedroom for two whole weeks.
- The average household throws away 13,000 separate pieces of paper each year. Most is packaging and junk mail.

If you are interested in ordering a recycling can please contact the Lindon City Utilities Clerk at 801-785-5043 or email at slaidler@lindoncity.org.



Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day

Utah County residents with household hazardous waste items such as old gasoline, paint, fluorescent light bulbs, and unused medications will be offered to dispose of these items

safely at a Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day Saturday, April 8th from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The collection will take place in the west parking lot of the Provo Towne Centre Mall. [Click here](#) for details, including a list of what will or will not be collected or call 801-225-8538 (North County) or 801-489-3027 (South County). [Click here](#) to view flyer.

**NOTICE: SECONDARY
WATER SYSTEM****ANNUAL UPDATE & WATERING RESTRICTIONS**

April 2017

Dear Resident,

Spring is here and summer just around the corner! Depending on weather conditions and water availability from the canal system, Lindon City anticipates turning on the secondary water system in mid-to-late April. During that time frame, crews will be charging the secondary system and checking for leaks. Some areas of the city will be turned on sooner than others as they progress through the system.

Wise water use is recommended to avoid water shortages and additional watering restrictions. The Utah State University Extension Office has published information indicating that watering for longer periods with less frequency between watering will help your lawn become more healthy and green. Watering on a 3-day schedule is generally adequate for well-established lawns.

To help conserve water, please remember to turn off your automatic timers for your sprinkling systems when it is raining. In addition, please adjust your sprinkler heads to keep the water off the sidewalks and driveways. Water going down the gutter is wasted. Please help us use our water wisely by calling the Public Works offices (801-796-7954) if you happen to see a broken sprinkler head or a wayward sprinkling system.

Please remember the city's policy is ***no outdoor watering between the hours of 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.*** This policy is in compliance with State watering guidelines, and encourages continued use of wise water practices. Studies have shown that 50% of the water used during day-time hours is lost to evaporation. Watering on an every 3rd day schedule is generally adequate for well-established lawns. The city's ordinances contain watering restrictions for drought conditions, inappropriate watering, and/or wasting water. These restrictions will be enforced. The city will make every effort to contact residents by phone and/or a door hanger when a problem exists. Voluntary cooperation will be solicited. However, if problems continue, the secondary water could be shut off at the city's valve.

Warning: *The secondary water system is un-treated water from canals, ditches, and springs. Do not drink from a secondary water connection. Do not connect the secondary water system to the culinary water in any way. Cross-connections have the potential to contaminate your home drinking water and the city's culinary water system!*

Thank you for your help and cooperation this watering season. If you have any questions about the secondary water system, please call the Public Works office at 801-796-7954.

Lindon City