

JULY 2016

"A LITTLE BIT OF COUNTRY" 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

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

Fire/EMS

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

Come Join

HEALTHY LINDON'S LAZY TRI CHALLENGE!

Now through August 6th. You will complete a full triathlon which is a 2.4 mile swimming, 112 mile biking, 26.2 mile running/walking. [Click here](#) to register and to print off your tracking sheet. Any questions contact Valarie Diehl at 801-785-3540 or webefit@byu.edu

REMEMBER...

Remember, has been said by some, to be the most important word in our language. To be able to retain in our memory, keep in mind, and to remain aware of particular events help us become better people.

"Remember who you are!" is a common challenge given to teenagers by parents as they go out for an evening of activities with their friends. This exhortation is given with the hope that youth will remember right and wrong principles that will help them make choices that reflect the beliefs and values of their family.

Most of us consider ourselves to be patriotic. The fourth of July celebrations gives us the opportunity to remember important events and principles of our great country.

"We hold these truths to be self-evident", (States the Declaration of Independence), "that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their creator with certain unalienable rights, that among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness, that to secure these rights governments are instituted among men."

It is our right and duty to provide for and secure the rights and freedoms of our citizens. "We must value principle above popularity and work for political principles which are wise and just. (Ezra Taft Benson)

We should remember the founding fathers of our country, who were led by God, to establish a land of freedom and liberty.

We should remember those men and women who have fought and sacrificed so much to preserve and protect this great country.

We should remember our police, EMS, and fire fighters who risk personal injury and lives provide the safety we desire.

My challenge for each of us is to, "Remember who WE are". A people and a country who values the principles of life, liberty, property, and the pursuit of happiness, and "we mutually pledge to each other our lives, our fortunes, and our sacred honor" to maintain such.



Van Broderick, Councilmember



Over the years Lindon Days has grown into a major event attracting many visitors from neighboring cities. What began as a gathering among neighbors has become a traditional celebration for everyone to enjoy! Lindon Days events includes continuous entertainment and events including a Flag Raising Ceremony, Mayor’s Breakfast, an exhilarating 5K Race through the streets of our town, a Saturday morning Parade down Center Street, our awesome Car Show (one of the largest in the State), and many fun events in our own beautiful horse arena. And last but not least, our much-anticipated Concert in the Park culminating with a huge fireworks show! We even have our very own Lindon Days Royalty to reign over the festivities! The Parade Theme this year is "Red, White & Blue". America's flag of freedom waves brightly over Lindon City as we celebrate a great country, great freedom and great people! Please join us in our celebration by participating in the Grand Parade.

Parade Application

Please know there are opportunities for everyone, young and old, to participate and contribute to the success of Lindon Days each year! It is a big undertaking to prepare for this event and our success depends on the volunteering hands from all of our neighbors. If you would like to volunteer for this long standing city tradition please contact Hannah Silvey, Lindon Days Coordinator, at (801)769-8625 or by email hsilvey@lindoncity.org. See the list of events below and watch for your Lindon Days Booklet coming in the mail soon!



Car Show	Monday, August 1 st	4:00-9:00 p.m.	City Park, 200 N. State Street
Night Out Against Crime & Ice Cream Social	Tuesday, August 2 nd	7:30 p.m.	Pioneer Park, 150 S. 500 E.
Harris Pioneer Home Tours	Tuesday, August 2 nd	7:30 p.m.	Pioneer Park, 150 S. 500 E.
Movie in the Park- Kung Fu Panda 3	Tuesday, August 2 nd	Dusk	Pioneer Park, 150 S. 500 E.
Huck Finn Fishing	Wednesday, August 3 rd	6:30 p.m.	Creekside Park, 600 W. 100 S.
Cardboard Boat Regatta	Thursday, August 4 th	8:00 a.m.	Aquatics Center, 60 N. 60 W.
Lindon Days Open Horse Show #1	Thursday, August 4 th	10:00 a.m.	Horse Arena, 200 N. Main Street
Free Swim Day	Thursday, August 4 th	12:30-6:00 p.m.	Aquatics Center, 60 N. 60 W.
Lazy River Duck Race	Thursday, August 4 th	3:00 p.m.	Aquatics Center, 60 N. 60 W.
Dime Dive	Thursday, August 4 th	3:30 p.m.	Aquatics Center, 60 N. 60 W.
Lindon Days Open Horse Show #2	Thursday, August 4 th	4:00 p.m.	Horse Arena, 200 N. Main Street
Flag Retirement Ceremony	Thursday, August 4 th	6:00 p.m.	City Park, 200 N. State Street
Video Game Tournament	Friday, August 5 th	9:00 a.m.	Community Center, 25 N. Main St.

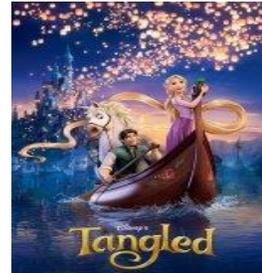
Lindon Days Jr. Rodeo	Friday, August 5 th	5:00 p.m.	Horse Arena, 200 N. Main Street
Mayor's Candy Scramble	Friday, August 5 th	6:00 p.m.	Horse Arena, 200 N. Main Street
Family Fun Run 5K or Mile	Saturday, August 6 th	7:00 a.m.	Community Center, 25 N. Main
Flag Raising Ceremony	Saturday, August 6 th	7:15 a.m.	Community Center, 25 N. Main St.
Mayor's Breakfast	Saturday, August 6 th	7:30-9:30 a.m.	Community Center, 25 N. Main St.
Grand Parade	Saturday, August 6 th	10:00 a.m.	Center Street, 900 E. to Main Street
Free Family Fair & Food Truck Round Up	Saturday, August 6 th	3:00-7:00 p.m.	Pheasant Brook Park, 800 W. 400 N.
Pre Show, Scales & Tails	Saturday, August 6 th	7:00 p.m.	Pheasant Brook Park, 800 W. 400 N.
Concert: The Salamanders	Saturday, August 6 th	8:30 p.m.	Pheasant Brook Park, 800 W. 400 N.
Grand Firework Show	Saturday, August 6 th	10:00 p.m.	Pheasant Brook Park, 800 W. 400 N.

2016 Movies in the Park

AmBank and Lindon Parks & Recreation are excited to bring you the 2016 season of Movies in the Park. All movie showings are **FREE** and will begin at dusk. Come have a great time with your family, friends and our great community!



Huge shout out to AmBank for sponsoring this community event! We hope to see you all there!



July 15th: Tangled: City Center Park (200 N. State St.)
August 2nd: Kung Fu Panda 3: Pioneer Park (150 S. 500 E.)

Summer Programs

Lindon City has some great programs being offered this summer at the Community Center! We have a little bit of everything for everyone and we're excited to get all these programs underway! [2016 Summer Programs Flyer](#)
[Click here](#) for online registration or sign up in person at the Community Center (25 N Main St., Lindon) M-F 9am-6pm.

Call For Flags to Retire!



We would like to encourage all to bring in your old flags in as they replace them with new flags. The Community Center is collecting these flags to respectfully retire at this year's Lindon Days Celebration to be in held in August. Thanks in advance!

NEWLY APPOINTED CITY COUNCIL MEMBER



In a City Council meeting held on June 7, 2016, the Mayor and City Council interviewed four individuals who submitted applications to be considered for appointment to fill the vacant City Council seat left open when Councilmember Randi Powell resigned.

After completion of the interviews, Dustin Sweeten was selected and appointed by motion of the Council to fill the vacancy for the remainder of the term ending in January 2018 and was sworn into office at the City Council meeting held on July 5th. Congratulations Councilmember Sweeten, you will serve the City well as a member of the City Council!

LINDON MONTHLY RECYCLE FACTS



July: Styrofoam has a recycle symbol on it. Why can't I recycle it?

Have you ever wondered why Styrofoam is on the "Do Not Recycle" list when it comes to commingled recycling? There is a lot of Styrofoam out there after all, and it even has a recycle symbol on the bottom! It takes specialized machinery to heat Styrofoam enough to break it down into a reusable form. It would have to be shipped several states away in order to process it. This is believed to do more harm to the environment than good. Make sure to throw away Styrofoam material and use alternative material when possible!

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

Public Works Pointers

As a reminder, when fertilizing your lawns, please sweep the excess off the sidewalks and back on to the lawn. Fertilizer and pesticides go down our storm drains and harm the fish and aquatic life. It's easy to over fertilize, so please follow manufacturer's instructions. And please don't dump any landscaping material into the street as it clogs up the storm drains.

Also remember in order to conserve our limited water resources, we do require outdoor watering to take place between the hours of 6 pm and 10 am. Thank you for observing these watering hours, and remember to turn off your sprinklers if it's raining! Also, in order to prevent flooding, please make sure that our storm drains are kept free from debris.

Thank you for your help and cooperation this watering season. If you have any questions please contact the Public Works offices at 801-796-7954.

FIREWORKS DISCHARGE RESTRICTIONS

Because of a result of extreme fire danger along our mountain interface and our west wetland area, Lindon City has a permanent fireworks and open fire restriction in place. These areas include all land west of Interstate 15 within the Lindon City limits, including the Lindon Marina. This also includes all "Undeveloped Land" within the City Limits as well as all City Parks. Restriction warning signs will be posted near the border of restricted areas. Please help us all to be safe and to protect our beautiful natural environment and watershed. Please reference the maps below for exact boundaries. Fireworks are not allowed in all Lindon City Parks (signs will be posted)!



[2016 Lindon City-wide fireworks restriction map](#)

[2016 Lindon City foothills fireworks restriction map](#)



Meet the new Senior Center Coordinator!

My name is Cyndi Hall and I am so glad I to be here in Lindon city! I am thrilled to get to know all of you and I look forward to the experiences that we will get to have together. I hope to have monthly activities and some classes that will be enjoyable. My children are the highlight of my life. I have 6 children ranging in age from 7-17. We have been through a lot and grow closer all the time. My hobbies include running, biking, swimming, hiking and baking. I love to be out doors and experience nature. I feel passionate about community and I believe that we are all integral parts of one another's lives. We all have value and something to offer. I look forward to my future here with Lindon City and the wonderful people I will meet! See you at the Senior Center!



✦ Come and celebrate Pioneer Day by joining us on a trip to Pioneer Village in Provo.

When: July 20th at 10:00 am

Where: Meet at the Community Center (will be back in time for lunch).

✦ Keep watching for new and upcoming events at the Senior Center! We'll keep you posted!

✦ [July Senior Lunch Menu](#)

✦ [July Senior Newsletter](#)



Attached is information where citizens can safely dispose of their unwanted or unused medications.

Click on the flyer below with the drop off box locations in Utah County. Please take the time to safely dispose of your medications: Prevent Abuse, Poisoning and Pollution. Thank you! [Informational Flyer](#)