



"A LITTLE BIT OF COUNTRY"

MAY 2017

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



2017 Municipal Election

Qualified residents of Lindon may become a candidate for office by filing in person a "Declaration of Candidacy" in the office of the City Recorder located at 100 North State Street, Lindon, Utah, Monday through Friday from 8 – 5 p.m. Candidate filing period begins **Thursday, June 1, 2017** and ends **Wednesday, June 7, 2017**. [Click here](#) for more election information and open offices



Spring and the General Plan

Spring is a wonderful opportunity to witness and participate in the new growth that Mother Nature offers us. When cultivated and nourished, grasses, flowers, shrubs, plants and trees provide a wonderful mix of biodiversity that keeps our landscapes healthy and thriving. However, a good gardener realizes that without proper conditions, plants will not thrive and may be overcome by invasive weeds leaving an area unbalanced and unable to recover when bad weather, pests or disease come knocking. In certain ways a city can be compared to a landscape—different uses of land being like different plant species.

There are many differing land uses such as residential, commercial, industrial, office, retail, services, and parks and open space that can contribute to a healthy and diversified economy, strong tax base and high quality of life. Just as a gardener cultivates the best conditions for plants to thrive, cities have to plan for how different land uses interact and where certain uses should be encouraged or discouraged. Land uses have differing requirements and impacts such as traffic and noise impacts, utility needs, transportation access, acreage requirements, and so on. By planning for future growth, cities can create conditions that allow it to thrive and be resilient simultaneously.

Lindon City uses a document called the *General Plan* to guide current and future uses of land within the City limits. The State of Utah mandates that all municipalities "prepare and adopt a comprehensive, long-range general plan for the present and future needs of the municipality and growth and development of all or any part of the land within the municipality." Ultimately, the General Plan informs policy and legislative decisions that are reflected in the City Code and administered by City employees.

Lindon's General Plan consists of six main sections: Land Use, Moderate Income Housing, Public Facilities, Parks and Trails, Environmental Planning, and Streets and Transportation. Every five years or so the Plan is reviewed and reevaluated to determine if the City is still heading in the direction envisioned by the document and what, if any, changes need to be made. The last comprehensive update was accomplished in 2011 and the document is due for a review this year, 2017.

The Planning Commission and City Council are responsible for recommending and adopting the General Plan, respectively, and they would like to *hear from you* regarding the current and future state of Lindon City. A survey will be available shortly that will ask questions about the different sections outlined in the current General Plan. Public input will also be gathered throughout the year at various locations and times. Please watch the city website, Facebook and the city group email for your opportunity to take this important survey.

Input from residents and businesses are essential to ensure a comprehensive plan reflects the ideals and desires of the people affected by its outcome. With your help Lindon City can continue to be a beautiful landscape consisting of a healthy and diverse economy, strong tax base, and high quality of life.

Thank you for #LovingLindon!

Hugh Van Wagenen
Planning and Development Director

LINDON COMMUNITY CENTER

COMMUNITY
NEWS

2017 Movies in the Park

AmBank and Lindon Parks & Recreation are excited to bring you the 2017 season of Movies in the Park. All movie showings except "dive-in" movies 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!



AmBank
AMERICAN BANK OF COMMERCE

May 27th: The Emperor's New Groove: Lindon Aquatics Center (60 W 60 N)-Must pay pool admission
June 2nd: Trolls: Pheasant Brook Park (400 N 800 W)
June 23rd: The Secret Life of Pets: Pioneer Park (150 S 500 E)
July 14th: Moana: City Center Park (200 N State St.)
August 8th: The Lego Batman Movie: Pioneer Park (150 S 500 E)

Youth Summer Programs

Come join in on all the summer fun at the Lindon Community Center! We have lots of fun activities to keep your kids active and busy! Check out the list of fun things happening this season! [Click here](#) for detailed information. [Click here](#) to register online for all programs.

- ❖ *Musical Theater*
- ❖ *Real Salt Lake Soccer Camp*
- ❖ *Brainy Brick Building*
- ❖ *Kids Craft Club*
- ❖ *Explosive Exercise*
- ❖ *Gymnastics*
- ❖ *Huck Finn Swim Club*
- ❖ *Woodworking*
- ❖ *Science Fantastic*
- ❖ *Origami*
- ❖ *Tie Dye*
- ❖ *Board Game Party*
- ❖ *Kids in the Kitchen*
- ❖ *Ukulele Basics*
- ❖ *Book Club*
- ❖ *British Soccer Camp*

2017 MONUMENT TO FREEDOM



All are invited to attend as the community of Lindon will hold our annual Memorial Day Ceremony honoring all Lindon veterans for their military service. Each year, the Lindon City Police Department, with the full support of the Mayor and City Council, spearheads this event to honor those who have done so much to preserve our freedoms. This effort culminates each Memorial Day with a spectacular, one hour program including a special message from an honored veteran, patriotic music by a Lindon Youth Choir, the reading of the role of honor, a 21-gun salute followed by the playing of Taps and the solemn placing of a traditional wreath upon the monument by an honored guest.

Memorial Day
May 29, 2017, 9:00 A.M.
LINDON CITY CEMETERY
550 North 200 East

If you have any questions contact Chief Josh Adams at 801-769-8600 or by email to jadams@lindoncity.org.

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AQUATICS CENTER

Aquatics Center Holiday hours:
Saturday, May 27th - 11:00 to 6:00 p.m.
Monday, (Memorial Day) May 29th - 11:00 to 6:00 pm. Swim Lessons and Swim Team
Registration is now open. [Click here](#) to register.
May 12th & 13th Drop in Swim Team Tryouts – 10 am-2 pm

Click on the link below for more Aquatics Center Information. Hope to see you at the pool!

Lindonpool.org

LINDON SENIOR CENTER NEWS



Weekly Activities & Classes for May

- ✚ 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 Thursday – Bunco: 12:30
- ✚ 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month – Card Making with Bernie at 12:30 pm
- ✚ Friday – Bingo 12:30 pm
- ✚ May 14th Mothers Day
- ✚ May 29th Memorial Day

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!



Community Senior Garden!

Many hands make light work. We are excited to start a Community Senior Garden. If you have anything that you would like to donate please contact the Senior Coordinator, Cyndi at 801-769-8627. Needed items: seeds, small plants, small gardening tools, donations for soil and a willingness to spend some time in the soil!

Senior Computer Lab



Every Family has a story, let us help you find yours! Come and visit the Senior Center Computer Family History Lab!
 When: Mondays & Wednesdays
 Where: Computer Lab
 Time: 1:00 pm

Senior Monthly Outing!

For our Monthly Senior Outing we will be seeing the movie “The Quiet Man” starring John Wayne and Maureen O’Hara (1952) on May 23rd at 10:00 am. We will meet at the Senior Center and take the bus to the Scera Theater in Orem. Please join us!



LINDON MONTHLY RECYCLE FACTS

May: Keep Your Spring Cleaning Green!

When you’re cleaning out your closets this spring don’t forget that Lindon City offers a cheap and convenient way to recycle. All those old books, kids’ school projects, etc. can easily be recycled. Sign up for commingled curbside recycling today! Your recycle container will be emptied by Republic Services every other Friday. Call the city today to sign up. Recycling containers are a cheap alternative to second and third garbage containers. [Click here](#) for recycling schedule. 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.



The Lindon Marina is excited to announce their **Introduction to Water Sports Youth Camp!**



This week-long youth camp is open to all kids ages 10-18. The cost of registration is \$175 per participant. The camp will include instruction for a variety of water sports including: Sailing, paddle board, kayak, and canoe. Each participant will receive a camp T-Shirt, personalized mentoring (including sailing lessons), water safety instruction and

training, as well as free time on the water with a wide range of sport equipment. Participants will also have the chance to compete in team races as well as individual time trials. [Click here](#) for more information on dates and availability or call us at (801) 980-1104. Hope to see you there!

Public Works Pointers

Lindon has not restricted outdoor watering to certain days of the week however, 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. Also a reminder that the street sweepers need a 12 ft. clearance under trees near roadways.

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

FREE CONCERT!

The Lindon Chamber Music Society is sponsoring a **FREE** Concert this Friday, May 5, 2017 at 7:00 pm at the Wadley Farms Castle located at 35 E 400 N in Lindon.



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Lindon Chamber Music Society

PRESENTS

LISA LYNN & ARYEH FRANKFURTER
- in Concert -

An enchanting evening of Celtic harps, rare instruments & wondrous stories.

at The Castle at Wadley Farms

May 5th, 2017 - 7:00 PM
FREE ADMISSION

WWW.LINDONCHAMBERMUSICSOCIETY.ORG

The Lindon Chamber Music Society is partially funded by the Lindon City Parc Tax.

P A R C
Parks, Arts, Recreation & Culture



Lindon City is pleased to recognize **HANNAH SILVEY**, Recreation Coordinator, for her outstanding employee efforts with our Employee Recognition Award for this quarter. Congratulations and thanks for always doing a great job for the city and going the extra mile Hannah!



The State Department of Environmental Quality issued the dates when open burning is possible this year. They have also reminded us of the regulations which require completion and approval of an [on-line open burn permit application](#) for anyone wanting to open-burn for any reason. Open burning is considered daily by the DEQ and is allowed only if the "Clearing Index" is high enough to allow it. Completed and approved permits must be on-site with the responsible person at the location of the open burn. Open Burn Season-Permits may be issued between March 30 and May 30 and between September 15 and October 30. This rule allows open burning of clippings, bushes, plants, and prunings from trees incident to property and residential clean-up activities. No trash, rubbish, tires, or oil are included in the material to be burned, used to start fires, or used to keep fires burning. [Click here](#) for more information.

Pet of the Week



The North Utah Valley Animal Shelter has many fantastic animals waiting for loving homes. One such is this cute Blue Heeler named Blitz. Blitz is a medium size Blue Heeler Male and is 1-3 years old. Price: \$132.00.

Blitz is a friendly dog that is very energetic and playful. He does need some training, but is a very sweet and loving dog and is currently available for adoption. For more information on Blitz, 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.