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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



2020 Drill Down for Safety

Our team at Lindon Police Department want to express our heartfelt gratitude for the care and appreciation shown to us by the community. While we have always felt valued, never has it been more apparent to us than in the times we are all living in. We have been overwhelmed by the cards, treats, and so forth that have poured through our doors.

The pandemic has challenged our abilities to work safely and effectively. We have adjusted many of our protocols and appreciate the patience shown to us. We are pleased that, thus far, no officers or staff have been diagnosed with Covid-19, due in large part to the changes we enacted. Again, thank you for supporting us!

The community-wide drill this year will take place on September 14th at 6pm, but in a virtual fashion due to social distancing. However, we do believe this will prove valuable as we have never tested our means to electronically account for our community. We look forward to and appreciate as always, your participation as a top-tier community for readiness. Let's look out for one another! [Click here](#) for the Drill Down for Safety Website and preparedness information.

Lindon City will also continue to lead in the effort of personal preparedness, and as a city we are dedicated to promoting safety and emergency preparedness efforts among its residents. Our efforts as a community are getting attention as each year more and more surrounding cities come to observe us and have us help them to develop their own preparedness programs.

In Lindon, theft continues to be the number one crime committed. Our detectives have worked hard to recover many valuable articles and return them to their owners. Please, always be sure to secure your vehicles, and make sure your homes and garages are closed and locked at night and when you are away.



Josh Adams, Chief of Police



The General Election is November 3rd. [Click here](#) to check your voter registration, vote by mail and other info. Make sure to mail your ballots in early or drop them at a drop box location and don't forget to vote!!

LINDON DAYS THANK YOU!

The annual Lindon Days celebration for 2020 was a great success despite some of the modifications made due to Covid-19! A **HUGE** thank you to the Lindon Days Sponsors, Elected Officials, City Staff and great Lindon residents who stepped up to make the Lindon Days Celebration such a successful and fun tradition! Lindon Days would not be possible without you!

United States Census 2020

It's the last month to complete the 2020 Census! Currently 82.4% of Lindon households have already taken the Census survey, but we need everyone to participate. **DON'T BE LEFT OUT!** Click on the link below to take part! It only comes around once every 10 years and it's fast and easy to complete. Your participation is crucial for Lindon City and the State of Utah to gain funding for all sort of projects and programs.

- It's quick and easy. The 2020 Census questionnaire will take about 10 minutes to complete.
- It's safe, secure, and confidential. Your information and privacy are protected.
- Your response helps to direct billions of dollars in federal funds to local communities for schools, roads, and other public services.
- Results from the 2020 Census will be used to determine the number of seats each state has in Congress and your political representation at all levels of government.

[Click here](#) to take the 2020 Census!



LINDON CITY DRILL

Emergency Drill

It's that time of year again, when we get together as a community and

practice our emergency response skills. **THE ANNUAL LINDON CITY DRILL will happen Monday, September 14, 2020 at 6PM!** We will test citywide emergency communications by text/phone only. We will not gather in groups or in person. There will be no in-person Block Captain training meeting, no city preparedness fair, and no meetings at the city center this year. Block

Captains should contact the residents on their block to explain the drill and facilitate the exchange of cell phone numbers. Residents should find out who their block captain is!

2020 Lindon City Drill Objectives

- Establish two-way text communications from city officials to every resident of Lindon City through a system of pre-designated Area, Neighborhood, and Block Captains.
- Collate participation results & track resident responses to a question about 72-hour emergency kits.
- Send a thank you text with drill results to every resident of Lindon City on the night of the drill.
- Note gaps, problems, successes, and ways to improve after our first-ever mass text drill.

Concept

- We will find out whether the city could get an emergency message to every household through the Block Captain system efficiently and rapidly. This cell-phone texting method would only be used in circumstances when people need critical knowledge or instructions in a hurry. It could be used citywide or only in one area of the city (East, Central, or West) depending on the emergency and what information needed to be relayed. It must be practiced first to be effective.
- In the past, we have exercised under the assumption of a total infrastructure collapse and zero ability to communicate except in person. No technology.
- While inherently valuable in the most serious disasters like a major earthquake, it has limited applicability in smaller yet vital responses such as 1) rapid evacuations, 2) messages that must reach everyone, like boil orders, or 3) situations where exiting a home/business to communicate in person or gather as a group could be deemed dangerous, like the need to shelter-in-place due to criminal activity (active shooter/other), a wild animal, a hazardous materials spill, or a pandemic.
- This year's text-oriented drill should help us work on that notable gap in emergency communications with our Block Captains. The drill has been simplified. Instead of meeting together at your Block Captain's house, this year we encourage you to go about your business as usual, at home or wherever you may be, but keep your cell phone on and ready. At some point on the evening of September 14, you should receive a text from your Block Captain. Simply reply! You will receive a second text later that night with participation results.

More information at www.LindonCityDrill.com or contact Lindon City Emergency Coordinator Kelly Johnson at kjohnson@lindoncity.org



Utah County Health
Department
Immunization Clinic

Lindon City Center,
100 North State Street
Wednesday, September 23rd 2:30 pm – 5:00 pm
Open to the Public

[Immunization Form \(English\)](#)

[Immunization Form \(Spanish\)](#)

October Events

SPOOKTACULAR HALLOWEEN KICKOFF!

Kick off the month of Halloween with Lindon Parks & Recreation! Join us for a free pumpkin giveaway, Spooky Movie in the Park (Scooby-Doo Return to Zombie Island, 80 mins), free hot chocolate and Scooby Snacks. Make sure to bring your own chairs, blankets and bundle up for this free community event. We hope to see you there!

Date: Friday, October 2nd
Time: 6:30 PM
Location: City Center Park (200 N State)



VIRTUAL PUMPKIN PAINTING CONTEST

Take a picture of your painted pumpkin and send it in to jjensen@lindoncity.org by October 13. Include your name and age group (8 & under, 9-15, 16+).

Photos of painted pumpkins will then be posted on Lindon City's Facebook page for voting. Voting dates will be October 14-21. Voting will end at 12:00 PM on the 21st. The picture with the most likes from each age group will win an Amazon gift card!

VIRTUAL PUMPKIN CARVING CONTEST



Take a picture of your carved pumpkin and send it in to jjensen@lindoncity.org by October 21. Include your name and age group (8 & under, 9-15, 16+).

Photos of painted pumpkins will then be posted on Lindon City's Facebook page for voting. Voting dates will be October 22-29. Voting will end at 12:00 PM on

the 29th. The picture with the most likes from each age group will win an Amazon gift card!

HALLOWS' EVE FLASHLIGHT CANDY SEARCH



Join Lindon Parks and Recreation at Fryer Park for our free Hallows' Eve Flashlight Candy Search. Line the trail at Fryer park with your

flashlights. Once the signal is given, participants can search the field for candy with their flashlights. Make sure to bring your own flashlights as they will not be provided. We hope to see you there!

Date: Friday, October 30th
Time: 7:30 PM
Location: Fryer Park (600 N Main)
Ages: 13 & under

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

We have some fun after school programs being offered at the Lindon Community Center this fall. For online registration, head to

www.lindonrecreation.org/recreation.

COVID-19: Masks are encouraged for classes, but not required as class sizes are reduced.



KINDER LEARN & PLAY

This class is where little learners come for big fun! Each day will consist of 20 minutes of gym play, 20 minutes of circle time and 20 minutes of hands - on learning activities. This session's theme will

be "Awesome Animals." Children three years old or younger are required to have their parents in attendance. Join us for a joyful learning experience! Parents are **REQUIRED** to stay for the duration of class and participate with their child if they are between the ages of 2 and 3 years-old.

ALL ABOUT AUTUMN

DATES: Fridays, Oct 23-Nov 13
AGE: 2-5
FEE: \$24 (4 classes)
TIME: 1:15-2:15 PM
LOCATION: Lindon Community Center (25 N Main)

ARTIST MAKERSPACE

This class is for young artists who like to break the mold. Every day, we will be focusing on a new artistic



medium, such as painting, drawing, sculpture, mixed media, textiles and mosaics. After a brief introduction to the medium, your child will have the opportunity to experiment with the materials and create an original work of art. Join us for a creative experience to remember!

SESSION 2: Fridays, Oct 23-Nov 13

AGE: 8-12

FEE: \$28 (4 classes)

TIME: 3:00-4:00 PM

LOCATION: Lindon Community Center (25 N Main)

SNAPOLOGY (LEGOS) ROBO PETS



Children will begin to explore the world of robotics as they build simple animal models that teach the fundamentals of robotic design.

Whether learning about sensors while building a fish or alligator or

discovering ways that gears and wheels and axles create movement while building robotic dogs or frog, your child is sure to have a great time!

DATES: Tuesdays, Sept 8-Oct 13 (No class 9/22)

AGES: 4-6

FEE: \$85

TIME: 3:30-5:00 PM

LOCATION: Lindon Community Center (25 N Main)

MACHINES AND CONTRAPTIONS

Does your little learner love to tinker and create new things, or are they the kind of learner who likes to break



things apart to see what's inside? If so, they're going to love Snapology's

Foundational Engineering: Machines and Contraptions program! This program gives your student the tools they need to understand

mechanical movement and the importance of simple machines. They will see these moving parts up-close as they follow instructions to build various machines and contraptions, then use the models to develop new design ideas, test out physics concepts, and even play games with their partners and classmates. Whether they are the creative-constructive type or prefer the inquisitive-deconstructive way of learning, this program is sure to spark their engineering interests!

DATES: Tuesdays, Sept 8-Oct 20 (No class 9/22)

GRADES: Kindergarten-3rd Grade

FEE: \$75

TIME: 5:15-6:15 PM

LOCATION: Lindon Community Center (25 N Main)

S.T.E.A.M



This class is where S.T.E.A.M comes to life. Each day we will focus on a new aspect: Science, technology, engineering, art, and math. Through hands-on projects, your

child will cultivate critical thinking and learn how to apply creativity to scientific endeavors. Join us to build skills they can take to school and beyond!

DATES: Mondays, Sept 14-Oct 12

AGES: 8-12

FEE: \$40

TIME: 3:00-4:00 PM

LOCATION: Lindon Community Center (25 N Main)

BABYSITTER WORKSHOP



Believe it or not, your child is growing up!

Babysitting is a great way for young people to learn valuable skills and make their own money.

This class is designed to help new and/or younger

babysitter's feel more capable and confident. We will cover the basics of safety and first aid, learn child guidance techniques, discuss how to maturely interact with parents and make their child's experience great. Participants will walk away with a babysitting bag full of fun activities, as well as a folder of handouts from our class discussions. Classes will be held at the Lindon Community Center (25 N Main St.).!

DATES: Monday, Oct 26-Nov 16

AGE: 8-13

FEE: \$28 (4 classes)

TIME: 3:00-4:00 PM

LOCATION: Lindon Community Center (25 N Main)

LINDON SENIOR CENTER NEWS



We are working hard on a plan to be able to safely come back inside the senior center. Your health and well-being are at the forefront of our minds and the decisions we are making. We will all

have to wear masks, make reservations, complete health questionnaires and be diligent with our hand washing and social distancing when the time comes when we can all be together again! Thank you for your patience! Also, there will be no lunch pickup on Labor Day, September 7th.



[Senior Center September Menu](#)

[Senior September Newsletter](#)



Bunco is Back!

When: Monday September 14th
Time: 10:30 am
Where: Lindon Senior Center (25 N. Main) under the shade trees. Please RSVP to the Senior Center

by Friday, September 11th. Masks will be required and chairs and tables will be set up. Hope to see you there!



Back to School Safety Reminder!

The Lindon City Police Department is excited for the new school year and would like to remind residents to keep in mind the crosswalks and school zones in the city as they go about their day to day activities. Remember to slow down and keep in mind the fluctuating schedules, and as always, if parents have any questions, they can be directed to the school district.



The Timpanogos Storytelling Festival is one of the nation's premier storytelling events! Attendees from around the world come to hear stories from

unforgettable performers in an enchanted setting—the Ashton Gardens at Thanksgiving Point. Please sign up by coming in or calling 801-769-8625. [Click here](#) for more information!



Pet of the Month

The North Utah Valley Animal Shelter has many fantastic animals waiting for loving homes. One such is this large Sutcata Tortoise. Reginald has been up for adoption since 8/24/2020. He is a very big

tortoise who is calm and just likes to hang out. He will need lots of room to roam around and eat hay/leafy greens. He prefers being left alone and to hang out in his own space. We are unsure how old Reginald is and we are unsure about Reginald's gender as well. His adoption price is \$50.00. For more information on Reginald, 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.

Public Works Pointers

Fall is on its way, which is the perfect time for a reminder about the importance of keeping our storm drains clean and clear. We all hope for some rain, but we don't want any associated flooding. Please help us to keep our storm drains cleared by cleaning up any leaves in the gutters. Clean storm drains mean less likelihood of flooding. Thanks for all your cooperation!



COVID-19 and WIPES

We often don't realize the harm we are doing when we flush wipes down the toilet. As the city crews inspect and clean the City's sewer collection system, they have seen a dramatic increase in the amount cleaning wipes being flushed down the toilet. These products are being marketed as flushable wipes and

they do flush down the toilet, **but they do not break down as toilet paper does!!**

These wipes eventually clump together at some point in the system creating blockages and plugging pumps. These blockages have to be removed manually costing the City time and money. Help us keep your drains and the City's sewer collection pipes clean.

Please **DO NOT** put the following items down the drain:

- Baby wipes, Flushable wipes, Cleaning Wipes (Any Wipes)
- Tampons and tampon applicator, Sanitary napkins, Condoms
- Cotton swabs, Dental floss, Disposable diapers, Cigarette butts
- Flushable cat litter, Human and pet hair, Rags
- Prescriptions and medications (the police department has a drop off bin)

HISTORICAL COMMISSION PICKS THREE "YARDS OF THE MONTH"



The Lindon City Historical Commission, headed by Lyle Lamoreaux, has chosen three homes to be highlighted monthly because of their work and efforts to make their yards and gardens beautiful. Three homes will be chosen for the next several months as weather permits (September highlighted in this issue). These homes are from three neighborhoods, The Foothill Neighborhood, the Central Neighborhood and the West Neighborhood. By dividing the city into three neighborhoods we are able to highlight and honor more people each year. If you know of a neighbor or resident you feel has a home you would like to see nominated please email llamoreaux@lindoncity.org

The following three households were chosen for the month of September:

The Foothill Neighborhood:
Robinson Home
87 S 1150 E

The Central Neighborhood:
Kim and Joann Martin
281 W 500 N

The West Neighborhood:
Doug and Diane Wangemann
240 S 240 W



Congratulations to all for your great efforts in helping to beautify our wonderful community!



Neighborhood



Beautification

Lindon Monthly Recycling Facts

September: Recycling Do's and Do Not's! What goes in that can?

Recycling can be confusing. Keep this list of what "can" and "cannot" be recycled in your commingled container handy. For additional information don't forget to visit the city website!

- **Do Recycle:**
 - Corrugated cardboard
 - Paperboard: food boxes, paper towel rolls, etc.
 - Paper: magazines, junk mail, office paper, phonebooks, newspaper, paper grocery bags, etc.
 - Aluminum and steel food containers
 - Plastics: milk and juice jugs, shampoo bottles, detergent bottles, etc.
- **Please do not use your Commingled Bin for these Items:**
 - Glass
 - Styrofoam
 - Food waste
 - Green waste

HELPFUL RECYCLING TIPS

- Food containers do not need to be washed thoroughly or even rinsed out. As long as food containers are scraped and clean they can be placed in your recycling bin.
- Plastic grocery bags are recyclable but are best left out of your recycling container. These light plastic bags are difficult to run through the sorting machinery at the recycling facility. Most major grocery stores (such as Smith's and Wal-Mart) provide a drop off site for used grocery bags. Please recycle your grocery bags this way.
- The garbage and recycling trucks look the same—are my materials actually being recycled? Absolutely! On occasion, a driver may service a garbage route, empty his truck, and then service recycling containers. The same truck can service both types of cans (garbage and recycling) in the same day. The loads are never mixed, however, if you do see a driver dump a garbage can and a recycling container back to back, this is likely due to contamination in the recycle container. Please remember to follow the guidelines above.
- To make sure you have enough room for recyclables in your cart, remember to break down all larger items such as boxes and even milk jugs. Taking the extra time to break down your boxes will give you added space in your container.



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.

