

# MARCH

2017

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## **CITY OFFICE HOURS:**

Monday - Thursday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Friday 7:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

\*Closed Sat. and Sun.\*

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## **CLOSURES:**

The City Offices will remain open during regular business hours for the whole month of March! Come by anytime with questions, comments, or concerns.

March

ALL SPRING & SUMMER RECREATION SIGN-UPS START
 \*BASEBALL\* T-BALL\* SPRING SOCCER\* SOFTBALL\*
 See page 3 for more registration information

March

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• The Race Begins! Walk or Run to Price, UT (FAC Event)
All miles must be done at the FAC, call for more details

Mid-March • Indoor Flag Football Training & Conditioning Sessions
Held Saturday mornings, call Curtis Brown at 801-791-4331 for more details if interested.

April

• Youth City Council Easter Egg Hunt Begins at 5:00 pm at Cherry Farms Park (2100 E 7994 S)

April

 Senior Lunch at 1:00 pm at the FAC Please RSVP to the FAC at 801-746-4445

April

**Spring Cleanup!**Held at the Posse Grounds from 9:00 am - 2:30 pm
See page 2 for more details of items that are not allowed

## **Mayor's Corner**

Thank you to all the residents who applied for the council vacancy. Wayne Winsor was chosen to fill the remainder of the council term, which is until January of 2018. All 6 applicants were interviewed during a special City Council meeting last month. The top 2 candidates were then voted on by the Council. Wayne Winsor was appointed and sworn into office.

This month, Staff and Council are actively involved in the budget process for the fiscal year 2017 - 2018. Remember that March 12, 2017 is spring daylight savings time, please turn your clocks forward an hour.

National Poison Prevention Week is March 19th - 25th

## Spring Cleanup

## Saturday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> from 9:00 am to 2:30 pm at the Posse Grounds.

This cleanup is for residential use ONLY; no commercial or contractor waste allowed! Yard trimmings & green waste only, please!

#### **OTHER UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS:**

- Construction material
- Concrete, dirt, sod, rocks, manure
- Liquid waste of any kind
- Pesticides, chemicals
- Medical or hazardous waste
- Items longer than 10 feet
- Tires

## **CODE ENFORCEMENT**

March Madness is here!! Yes, for those of us that are College Basketball fans it's a great time of year for championship hoops; and for those of us that are into the madness of getting our yards all cleaned up for spring, it's hard work. Please, don't miss the Spring Clean Up that the City offers. The City would also like you to remove all nuisances off your property such as: large wood piles, any fire hazards, tall weeds and any vehicle or trailer that is not registered and not in operation.

The Code Enforcement Officer will make contact with you and order a vehicle to be removed if it is visible from the road or if a nuisance complaint is made. Vehicles cannot be parked in a field, in a grassy side lot, or parked on a grassy area of a back yard for any extended amount of time. Please take care of this of your own free will so that everyone can enjoy a beautiful South Weber City.

Also, a major problem last year was having landscaping and construction companies dumping rocks, stones, sand, and dirt over the sidewalks and roadways. It is not allowed in anyway. Furthermore, no dumpsters or portable moving boxes are allowed to be on the roadways. Please see City Code "7.01.030 Obstruction in Streets," for further clarification.



## All Aboard!!!



The "Canyon Meadows Railway" will be back in service, running two trains the third Saturday of each month, beginning March 18 from 11AM until 4PM, (weather permitting). Don't be late! Rides are free, but donations are greatly appreciated. See the new website at <a href="https://www.swmrrc.org">www.swmrrc.org</a>.

# Water Conservation – Especially in Good Years!

We have been blessed with a good snowpack this year. As you well know, this varies from year to year. Davis and Weber Canal Companies (DWCC) relies on large water storage reservoirs to fill and carry over storage each year to get through the drier years. DWCC had a bumper year in 2011, and has had to manage water deliveries and use through the dry years since then.

With that said, this year DWCC continues to encourage water conservation and wise use of this limited, natural resource. Utah is the second driest state in the nation and we need to be good stewards of the precipitation we receive. Please turn off your sprinklers when it rains and strive to only water your yard based on its 'need'. The State website (http://www.conservewater.utah.gov/) states "the typical Utah household will use twice as much water outside as necessary."

DWCC requires meters on all new secondary water services and has begun to retrofit existing services with meters. DWCC is sending water use reports to those with meters in an effort to better educate the end user and better manage our limited water resources. DWCC also encourages all users to reference the State website for their weekly watering guide. Early in the season, DWCC will post that it is not necessary to start watering, and then progressively adjust that to once or twice a week.

Thank you in advance for your water conservation efforts this water season. Remember to ensure your system is secure and ready for service by April 1st prior to DWCC pressurizing the system.

## **BUSINESS LICENSES:**

Please be aware that a 100% penalty has now been assessed to the license fee for all 2017 business license renewals which have not been paid. If the renewal requirements haven't taken place by April 1st, the license will be deemed as inactive.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Elyse Greiner at egreiner@southwebercity.com or at 801- 479-3177 ext. 205.

## National Poison Prevention Week March 19-25, 2017



The purpose of this week is to help reduce poisonings by increasing the awareness of the problem to the public. According to their website, <a href="http://www.aapcc.org/prevention/nppw/">http://www.aapcc.org/prevention/nppw/</a>, "Poison is the #1 cause of injury-related death in the U.S. The third week in March each year is designated as National Poison Prevention Week, a week dedicated to raising awareness about the burden of poisoning in the U.S. and highlighting specific ways to prevent it. Be prepared for poisoning emergencies by programming the Poison Help line in your phone today!"

## **SWC FIRE DEPARTMENT**

What a welcoming spring that we are having and hopefully the water from the mountains will come down slowly for the next few months. We'd like to invite everyone to find our Facebook page and give us a "like," so you can stay up to date on our safety messages and events. So, please go ahead and push that LIKE button when you search South Weber Fire Department.

One of the greatest safety messages from the fire service is the "Change the Clock, Change the Battery Program," which fits the month of March perfectly. We're asking you to do something a little different this year: Have a little family fun while practicing fire safety. So, gather the kids, get your new batteries, and change the old batteries in all of your smoke and Carbon Monoxide detectors. Then, start talking about an escape plan to get out of your house in an emergency. Remember to always have two ways out of every location. After talking about it, have everyone go to their rooms and have mom or dad activate the detectors to start the drill. Practice makes perfect, so please make this drill a thing that you do together frequently.

After you conduct your drill you may find different questions or concerns about the escape plan for your home – we are here to help answer your questions! Every house poses different difficulties, so don't be afraid to message us on Facebook so that our trained professionals can give you the advice you need.

Thank you everyone and remember: Safety is no accident!

# Fall & Winter Hours

Monday - Thursday:

5:00 am - 8:30 am, 3:30 pm - 10:00 pm Friday:

5:00 am - 8:30 am, 1:30 pm - 10:00 pm Saturday:

7:00 am - 10:00 pm

\*Closed during regular school hours



## THE FAMILY ACTIVITY CENTER

1181 East Lester Drive, South Weber City, UT 84405 801-476-4445

#### **REGISTRATION INFORMATION:**

Baseball/Softball (March 1 – April 22): Games start in May.

Ages (by grade you just finished): 3rd-4<sup>th</sup> grade, 5-6<sup>th</sup> grade, 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> grade for both baseball and softball leagues. These leagues will be combined with surrounding cities, therefore dates and fields will be announced at a later date. Cost is \$44 (includes jersey).



**Spring Soccer Registration (March 1 – April 8):** Games start April 18<sup>th</sup>. Ages: Pre K, Kindergarten, 1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> grade, and 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> grade. Cost is \$40 (includes jersey) or \$30 if no jersey is needed.



**Co-ed T-ball, Coach & Machine Pitch Baseball (March 1-April 22):** Games start May 23<sup>rd</sup>. Ages: 3.5 – 5 yrs. (coed), 4-6 yrs. (coach pitch), 6-8 yrs. (machine pitch). Cost is \$33 (includes jersey).



SWC Recreation Department has a new Facebook Page!
Please LIKE us for updates on new Recreation Programs &
happenings in the City!



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