

SPANISH FORK SPOTLIGHT

The Official Newsletter of Spanish Fork City

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Keep up with Spanish Fork City news when it happens! Follow our social media channels to learn the latest. You can find us at @spanishforkcity on Facebook and Instagram. Don't forget to subscribe to Spanish Fork 17 on YouTube.

FIRE STATION 61 OPEN HOUSE

Bring the family to Fire Station 61 (370 N Main St) on Tuesday, April 22 from 6 to 8 p.m. for an evening of food, fun, and hands-on learning. Enjoy fire truck tours, safety games, live demos, and the chance to meet our local firefighters.

You'll also get a first look at what's ahead for the station—including plans for a future rebuild or replacement to better serve our growing community.

Hot dogs and family activities provided. All are welcome!

Join us on April 22 to learn about future plans for Station 61



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CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS
Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday

K9 MAVERICK

It is with heavy hearts we regret to announce the unexpected passing of K9 Maverick. Maverick has served the citizens of Spanish Fork and Utah County for the past eight years.

Our thoughts are with his handler David Spencer, fellow officers, and everyone who had the privilege of knowing him. Thank you for your service, Maverick.



EXECUTIVE OF THE YEAR

Our very own Dale Robinson was recognized as Executive of the Year at the Utah Recreation and Parks Association conference in St. George. Dale has not only served as the Spanish Fork Parks & Recreation Director for over 27 years, he has also given much time and talent to the Utah Recreation and Parks Association by serving as President of the Central Recreation and Parks Association, President Elect, President and Past President of the Utah Recreation and Parks Association. He has also facilitated many conference sessions teaching many how to improve their communities.

Thank you and well deserved recognition for your many contributions to the field of Parks and Recreation.



PRIDE & PROGRESS PUZZLER

Each month, residents can reply to a Spanish Fork trivia question or puzzle. One lucky winner will score a city-branded shirt, pair of socks, or tumbler!

April's Puzzle:

HOW MANY MILES OF SIDEWALK ARE IN SFC?

Submit your answer through this QR code by April 15:



jotform.com/spanishforkcity/puzzler

March's Puzzler: How many parks are there in Spanish Fork?

Congrats, Shauna! She was randomly selected among respondents with the correct answer of **29!**

COMMUNITY BULLETIN

Easter Egg Hunt

Spanish Fork Salem Area Chamber of Commerce Annual Easter Egg Hunt on April 19 at 9 am at Sports Park East Complex

Food Truck Friday

Starting April 4, trucks will be at City Park (49 S. Main Street) every Friday night from 5 to 8 pm For a list of food trucks, visit ftl-trucks.com

Main Steet Website Update

You can review the latest information at udotinput.utah.gov/spanishforkmain



RECREATION CALENDAR

April 10

Spring Pickleball Ladder League registration ends

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T-Ball & Coach Pitch registration ends

April 14

Spring Pickleball Ladder League begins

April 24

Pickle Jam Mayhem Tournament entry deadline

April 29-May 1

Baseball/Softball Carnival practice games

April 30

Youth Arts Festival registration opens for Residents. Non-residents opens May 1

May 3

Pickle Jam Mayhem Tournament

May 5

Summer Tennis Lessons & CUTA League registration opens

May 6

Baseball & Softball begins

Register at reconline.spanishfork.org



LIBRARY CORNER

All Ages & Special Events

Crafter's Corner, April 8 at 6 pm

Family Art Night, April 17 at 6:30 pm

Earth Day at the Garden, April 26 from noon to 2 pm

Children & Tweens

April Reader's Theater, begins April 12 and final performance on April 29, ages 7-12, registration required.

Spring Dance Party, April 25, 10 & 11 am for all ages

*Spring Weekly Programs end April 26, Summer Programs begin June 2

Teens

Early Out Hangout, every Monday at 3 pm

Dungeons and Dragons, every Saturday at 1 pm beginning April 12

Teen Clash, April 28 at 4 pm: Super Smash Bros Tournament!

Adults

NEW Spanish Language Classes for Non-native speakers, every Tuesday at 6:30 pm & every Saturday at 11 am

Last of Us Hype Party, April 12, 5-7 pm, registration required

Local Author Panel, April 29 at 6 pm

See full program calendar at spanishfork.gov/library



SAVE THE DATE

FOR MORE INFO, VISIT spanishfork.gov



GRAND PARADE ENTRY FORM

APPLY NOW!

Visit SFFiestaDays.com to secure your spot, as spaces are filling up quickly!



RECYCLE PICKUP

APRIL 7-10 & 21-24

Don't miss this month's recycle pickup – set your bins out the night before!



SPANISH FORK CHORALE

APRIL 13 @ 7 PM

An inspiring combined performance with Payson Civic Chorale. To be held at 1911 E 1850 S in Spanish Fork.



SPRING PICKLEBALL COURTS CLOSED

APRIL 14, 21, & 28

The pickleball courts will be used for programming from 4:45 PM - 10 P.M.



HISTORICAL LECTURE SERIES

APRIL 21 @ 7 PM

Join us in the Heritage Room at Library Hall for a lecture about Welsh roots and traditions in the community.



SPANISH FORK TRACK & FIELD MEETS

APRIL 22, 24 & 29

April 22: 3rd Grade
April 24: 4th Grade
April 29: 5th Grade



SHREK THE MUSICAL

APRIL 24-26

Auditions will be held at Diamond Fork Middle School. Register for a spot at spanishfork.gov/sfct

STATE OF THE CITY

Mayor Mike Mendenhall delivered his annual State of the City address at our City Council Meeting on April 1.

Among other topics, Mayor Mendenhall touched on development, traffic, the coming Rec Center, and more.

View his comments by going to <https://www.youtube.com/@spanishfork17> or by using the QR code below.



PRESSURIZED IRRIGATION

We've started filling the pressurized irrigation system for the season. Please check that your irrigation valve is turned off to avoid flooding as the system pressurizes.

The system won't be ready for use until April 15, so please hold off on watering until then. Thanks for your help!

