

# SPANISH FORK SPOTLIGHT

The Official Newsletter of Spanish Fork City

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Utility bill questions? Library fees?  
Suddenly forgot when your pickleball  
tournament is? Text the City at  
801-804-4500 (8am-5pm).

We're happy to help.

## POOPER SCOOPER

When visiting parks, trails, and public spaces, please keep pups on a leash so everyone can enjoy the walk without unexpected "ruff" encounters.

And while we're on the subject of responsible pet-iquette, please scoop the poop. Leaving it behind is a faux-paw that really stinks for everyone else.

A quick cleanup keeps our parks beautiful and Spanish Fork looking paws-itively its best.

Please help keep our parks and trails beautiful by cleaning up after your pets.



EMAIL THE CITY COUNCIL  
council@spanishfork.gov



CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS  
Every 1st and 3rd Tuesday

## AN ODE TO THE SENIOR CENTER

With the construction of the new fire station, we said goodbye to the former Senior Center building. But what we didn't say goodbye to is what made it special. While the walls have changed, the spirit continues in the new FitCity Center.

Looking ahead, there's even more to be excited about. Expanded programming, new excursions, and more opportunities to gather and connect are on the horizon. Because at the end of the day, it's never been about the building, it's about the people inside it.



## DON'T KEEP IT LIT

Have you noticed the lack of snow? So have we. And it is freaking us out for what's to come fire-wise in the coming months. Spanish Fork sits in the sweet spot where neighborhoods meet wildland vegetation. The National Park Service calls this the Wildland-Urban Interface, but we call it...a "lit" place to live. Get it?

Luckily, a little yard work can prevent sparks from spreading their wings. Trim dry brush, mow grass, remove dead plants, store firewood 15 feet away from structures, and keep your property tidy. The goal is simple: keep the roasting limited to marshmallows.



## EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT



LeAnn has been an integral part of our Senior Center, now our 60+ programs, for the past three years. She says the best part of her job is the people she serves.

As head cook, she's known for creating some of the best meals in town, while also making wishes come true for our 60+ community through our Golden Wish Program.

We thank LeAnn, for all of her wonderful service. We're grateful for our staff members and participants in our Fit60+ programs for the vital role they play in our community.

# COMMUNITY BULLETIN

## Get prepared. Give back.

Learn how to be ready for the unexpected at our Emergency Preparedness Class, then roll up your sleeve at our upcoming Power Red Blood Drive.



### Emergency Preparedness Class

Register for our monthly class via the QR code!

[spanishfork.gov/emergency](http://spanishfork.gov/emergency)

### Power Red Blood Drive

Use code: SpanishForkCity to participate.



[redcrossblood.org/give](http://redcrossblood.org/give)



## RECREATION CALENDAR

Program	Registration Closes	Program Begins
Youth Pickleball Ladder League	4/9	4/13
T-Ball/Coach Pitch	4/9	4/27
Pickle Jam Mayhem Pickleball	4/23	5/2
Fast Pitch Clinic Registration	4/23	4/25
Pheonix & Colt League Baseball	5/7	5/14

### Don't miss it...

#### Prince of Egypt Auditions

Be a part of Spanish Fork Community Theater's annual play! Seeking actors ages 12 and up. Learn more and sign up via the QR Code.



[spanishfork.gov/sfct](http://spanishfork.gov/sfct)

## LIBRARY CORNER

### Program Update

April 24 is the last day of regular programs. Summer programs will begin on June 1.

### All Ages:

April 11 at 11 am: Autism Awareness Day. Sensory storytime, movie, games, and police/fire/EMS.

April 18 at 10 am–12 pm: Earth Day at the Garden. Classes, crafts, and plant swap.

### Children:

April 12 at 6:30 pm: Genre Night: Fantasy Festival. Games, crafts, prizes (ages 6–12).

April 13: Bilingual Kinder Kids Registration opens. 4-week class.

### Teens

Saturdays at 1 pm: Dungeons & Dragons. No experience needed.

April 16 at 4–6 pm: Prosthetic Hand DIY. Build a cardboard prosthetic, enjoy food, prizes, and a guest speaker

### Adults

April 17 at 9 am: Mommy Meet-Up. Childcare support group.

### Volunteers Needed!

We recently received a grant to add 3D printers to the library and we need volunteers to teach others! If interested, apply using this QR code



[forms.gle/7YsoAdIVqxXbRDAN6](https://forms.gle/7YsoAdIVqxXbRDAN6)

# SAVE THE DATE

FOR MORE INFO, VISIT [spanishfork.gov](http://spanishfork.gov)



## FOOD TRUCK FRIDAYS

FRIDAYS

Enjoy a variety of delicious eats from local food trucks every Friday night at City Park!



## PRESSURIZED IRRIGATION

APRIL 15

PI returns to a valve near you!



## ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TRACK MEETS

APRIL 21, 23, 28

3<sup>rd</sup> grade: April 21  
4<sup>th</sup> grade: April 23  
5<sup>th</sup> grade: April 28



## SPRING CLEAN UP BEGINS

MAY 2

You can print your vouchers from the city website.



## SURF & TURF GUN CLUB DATE

MAY 8

Sign up by reaching out to Jenny at 801-804-4660.



## CITY PLANTING DAY

MAY 16

Join in a time honored tradition of beautifying Main Street! Details to come.



## FIT CITY FAIR

MAY 16

Come join us at the Sports Park for a day of games and educational booths!

## SPRING CLEANUP

Spring Cleanup is back, and your garage knows what it did.

No more excuses. No more “just in case.” Load up those trailers, use your three (3) vouchers, and restore order.

Read more about what you can drop off and get your vouchers via the QR code below. Happy cleaning!

Use your vouchers starting May 2!



[spanishfork.gov/cleanup](http://spanishfork.gov/cleanup)

## FIESTA DAYS THEME

The Fiesta Days celebration continues! Our theme for 2026 represents the fulfillment that we receive from living in a place truly at the heart of it all. From our proud heritage, to our promising future, we look forward to being with you through it all. Mark your calendars for July 20-24 to join in the celebration.

