

SPANISH FORK SPOTLIGHT

The Official Newsletter of Spanish Fork City

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Planning to celebrate with fireworks? Rules may vary by city and location, and conditions can change quickly.

Check the latest Spanish Fork fireworks map and restrictions at spanishfork.gov/fireworks.

AT THE HEART OF IT ALL

Fiesta Days is back, officially running July 20–24, with celebrations taking place throughout the month. This year's theme, "At the Heart of It All," celebrates the people, traditions, and hometown spirit that make Spanish Fork such a special place to call home.

Whether you're attending the rodeo, cheering at the parade, enjoying live entertainment, or gathering with friends and family for fireworks, Fiesta Days offers countless opportunities to celebrate together. Be sure to check page 4 for a complete schedule of events so you don't miss any of the excitement!



The Grand Parade begins at 9 am on July 24 at the 900 East and Center Street



EMAIL THE CITY COUNCIL
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CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS
Only on July 7 this month

FANTASY FAIRE AT THE LIBRARY

Middle-earth is taking over the library! Join the Teen Fantasy Faire on July 10 (ages 13-18) or the Adult Fantasy Faire on July 11 (ages 18+). Enjoy a Hobbit Feast, fantasy crafts, weapon challenges, Gollum's riddles, raffle prizes, and

a live armored combat demonstration by the Knights of Gondor. Whether you're a Hobbit, Elf, Dwarf, or Human, adventure awaits! Register on the library's Calendar Events Page.



CONTINUOUS FLOW NOTIFICATION

New this month, we will begin notifying customers when their water meter detects continuous water flow. Continuous flow can be an early sign of a leak, such as a running toilet, dripping faucet, irrigation issue, water softener malfunction, or another source of water loss that may otherwise go unnoticed.

These notifications are designed to help residents identify potential problems sooner, conserve water, and avoid higher utility bills. If you receive a continuous flow alert, we encourage you to inspect your property for leaks and address any issues promptly. Even small leaks can waste thousands of gallons of water over time, making early detection one of the easiest ways to save both water and money.



EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT



Bryan Ridge has been serving as an IT Technician with Spanish Fork City since 2018. He is currently pursuing his Master's degree in Cybersecurity at UVU and enjoys spending his free time outdoors, especially canyoneering and rock climbing.

Bryan plays an essential role in keeping the city's technology running smoothly. From troubleshooting broken printers to addressing cybersecurity concerns, he handles a wide range of important IT needs. We are grateful for Bryan's dedication and the valuable work he does for Spanish Fork City!

COMMUNITY BULLETIN

Farmers Market Begins August 1

Stop by the City Office Building (40 S Main St) each Saturday from 8 am-1 pm to shop fresh produce, tasty treats, homemade goods, and more, all while supporting local growers and makers.

Public Safety Night Out

Join us on August 10 for our annual Public Safety Night Out where you can interact with our Police, Fire & EMS first responders, explore inside fire trucks, police cars, and ambulances, and enjoy free food and other giveaways and activities!



RECREATION CALENDAR

Program	Registration Closes	Program Begins
Big Slam Softball Tournament	7/16	7/30, 8/2
Speedy Spaniard 10K & Mile Run	7/21	7/24
Girls Accelerated Softball	8/3	8/11
Youth Flag Football	8/4	8/31
Youth Soccer	8/4	9/2

Don't miss it...

Sounds of Summer

Join us for Sounds of Summer on Friday nights, featuring food trucks, live music, or movies at City Park! Bring the whole family for a fun-filled evening. Check out spanishfork.gov/summer for more.

Register for rec programs:
reconline.spanishfork.org



See full program calendar at
spanishfork.gov/library



LIBRARY CORNER

Children & Tweens

Storytime at Adventure Heights Park

Jul 28 & 30 at 10 & 11:15 am

Teens & Adults

Fantasy Faire

Teen Fantasy Faire • Jul 10 5:30-8:30 pm

Adult Fantasy Faire • Jul 11 5:30-8:30 pm

All Ages

Harry Potter's Birthday Party

Jul 31 4:00 pm

Celebrate Harry Potter's birthday with a magical family party!

Opera at the Library

Mon Jul 27 7 pm

Enjoy the beautiful Donizetti's "The Daughter of the Regiment" performed by Utah Valley Operafest

End of Summer Reading Party

Sat Aug 1 6-7:30 pm

Celebrate our DINO-mite summer at the End of Summer Party with crafts, dinosaur bingo, Clint's Reptile Room, and more! There's still time to join the Summer Reading Program and get those pages turning before the party. Register at spanishfork.beanstack.org

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FIESTA DAYS CALENDAR

"At the Heart of it All"

WED
8

7 pm: Cornhole Tournament

THURS
9

7 pm: Kickball Challenge

FRI
10

Pickleball Tournament (times vary)
9 am/4 pm: Disc Golf Tournament

SAT
11

Softball Tournament (times vary)
Pickleball Tournament (times vary)
Disc Golf Tournament (times vary)

MON
13

7:30 pm: Flag Retirement

TUES
14

3 pm: Baby Contest

THURS
16

7 pm: "Prince of Egypt"

FRI
17

8:30 am/2 pm: Golf Tournament
7pm: "Prince of Egypt"

SAT
18

9:30 am: Children's Activities
2 pm: "Prince of Egypt"
6 pm: SFPyro

SUN
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7:30 pm: Sunday Night in the Park

MON
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Sidewalk Sales (times vary)
7 pm: Fiesta Days Rodeo
7 pm: "Prince of Egypt"

TUES
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Sidewalk Sales (times vary)
7 pm: Fiesta Days Rodeo

WED
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Sidewalk Sales (times vary)
4 pm: Carnival
4 pm: Craft Fair
4 pm: Food in the Park
7 pm: Fiesta Days Rodeo
7:30 pm: Spanish Fork's Got Talent

THURS
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Sidewalk Sales (times vary)
4 pm: Carnival
4 pm: Craft Fair
4 pm: Food in the Park
7 pm: Fiesta Days Rodeo
7 pm: "Prince of Egypt"
7:30 pm: Entertainment in the Park

FRI, JULY 24!
6:30 am: Speedy Spaniard River Trail 10K
7:30 am: Speedy Spaniard Kids Mile Run
9 am: Grand Parade
9 am: Outdoor Quilt Show
Sidewalk Sales (times vary)
ATA Shoot (times vary)
10 am: Carnival
10 am: Craft Fair
10 am: Food in the Park
2 pm: "Prince of Egypt"
2 pm: Adopt-A-Duck Race
7 pm: Fiesta Days Rodeo
8 pm: Fireworks Spectacular Concert
10 pm: Fireworks Spectacular

SAT
25

ATA Shoot (times vary)
Sidewalk Sales (times vary)
8 am: Car Show
10 am: Craft Fair
10 am: Food in the Park
10 am: Carnival
2 pm: "Prince of Egypt"
7:30 pm: Miss & Mr Extraordinaire
8:30 pm: Street Dance

SUN
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ATA Shoot (times vary)

***See full event details at sfFiestaDays.com**

AT THE HEART OF IT ALL



FIESTA DAYS 2026