SPANISH FORK CITY

Fiesta Days Flyer

Be looking for the Fiesta Days brochure which will be coming separately in the mail soon.

Rodeo Tickets

Rodeo Tickets available July 5, at Western Unlimited, located at 160 N Main Street. Beat the rush and the longer lines-buy your tickets early.

Utility Reminder

Save a stamp and your timeuse the utility drop box. You can't miss it, it is the pink box in the City Center parking lot. Also, due to the Fiesta Days Carnival, it may be difficult to access the parking lot and the pink drop box on July 20th. You may wish to drop off your utility payment before that day.

Storytelling Medieval Fair

Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Come one, come all to the Storytelling Medieval Fair at the City Park on Wednesday, August 10 at 6:30 pm. Storytellers, a costume contest, knights and sword fighting will highlight the evening's events.

Request HUB

Have you tried the HUB yet? This innovative online request system can take your requests 24 hours a day. City staff will be notified of your request as soon as it is entered, and you can track your request's progress to completion. Try it out at www.spanishfork.org.

¿Habla Español?

www.spanishfork.org



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Wonderful Celebration

A heartfelt thanks goes to the members of the Icelandic Association of Utah for organizing a wonderful Celebration. Anyone that participated in any event this weekend could see how much effort was put into this weekend of heritage and culture.

To cap it all off, our community was put onto the world map when Olafur Grimmson, the President of the Republic of Iceland, and Gordon B. Hinckley, President of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, spoke at the dedication of the newly refurbished Icelandic Memorial.

If you were there, you sat through an awesome display of weather. But the rain, wind, thunder, lightning and even intense sun could not dampen the spirits of those in attendance. We were all there to take part in something that was 150 years in the making and a little 'Fire and Ice' wasn't going to keep us from enjoying the moment.

Now that the hurry and the excitement of the weekend has past, our hearts and heads are filled with wonderful memories, and the tremendous work done on the Memorial will stand as a Photo courtesy of Martin Conover, Spanish Fork Press. reminder to all that pass by.

As stated in a recent City Council meeting, the funds for the Memorial and the work done there was such a daunting task when conceived, but through the vision and hard work of many, we now have the Memorial that proudly declares that this City was settled by dedi-



cated, hard-working pioneers 150 years ago. We can proudly say that this City is still inhabited today by dedicated and hard-working citizens. Thank you to the great individuals that made this week happen. Your efforts have enhanced the lives of so many.

DEAR MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL



Back Row: Councilmembers Chris C. Wadsworth, Seth V. Sorensen, Everett Kelepolo, and Matt D. Barber

Front Row: Mayor Dale R. Barney and Councilmember Paul M. Christensen

Name

Address:

Phone Number:

Please complete the form and return with your utility bill. You can also send comments to the City via the internet at **www.spanishfork.org**. Thank you for your comments.

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Did You Know...?

Spanish Oaks Golf Course

The Spanish Oaks Golf Course has 18 holes on 100 acres of land and it is approximately 6,500 yards in length.

The 3 ponds on the course (you know, the ones where all your drives go) are used for irrigation, as well as to enhance the beauty and difficulty of the course.

There are 30 sand traps at various points along the course, all of which are raked twice a week, or as needed.

As you golf, you will encounter 5 different lengths of grass along the course: tee boxes, greens fairways, roughs and the "collars". The greens are cut daily the other areas are cut at least twice a week.

You can buy anything golf related in the Proshop, from clubs and golf balls to shoes and rain gear.

Tee times are available every 10 minutes starting at 6:00 am until 7:30 pm.

Resident pay \$10 for nine holes on Monday thru Thursday and only \$11 on Friday thru Sunday.

You can call in for a tee time for the week on Mondays. Special accommodations can be made for large groups. Call 798-5092 today to get out on the course!

Monthly Trivia Question (based on last month's newsletter)

What is the average daily attendance at the City Water Park?

Hint: Last month's newsletter can be found on the City's website under the 'News and Events' tab.

Send your answer, along with your name, address, and phone number to <u>dyk@spanishfork.org</u> or to the City offices by the 7th of the month. A correct answer will be randomly selected to receive \$10 off thenext month's utility bill. Good Luck!

Last Month's Winner-Terena A.

Golf Course Specials

Jr. Golfers

Mondays 3pm-5pm

Play with your friends or bring your parents and play for ONLY \$5 per person for 9 holes. Carts are not included and tee times are required

Tuesday 3pm—5pm

Tuesday is Ladies Day at the Spanish Oaks Golf Course! Bring your friends and play 9 holes for only \$5. Carts are not included and tee times are required.

Lady Golfers

Online Community Calendar

Did you know that the City has an online calendar where anyone can post a community event? This calendar is easy to use, very accessible and highly visible. If you haven't noticed it, it may be because this awesome resource is under utilized. Any community event, such as the Fiesta Days or the recent Icelandic Days, or any other type of free, community event, can be placed on the calendar. The City's hope is that this calendar will be widely used to inform the public of all the many things that are happening around town, on a daily basis. Plus, because this is a dynamic calendar, it will be more up to date than a printed calendar.

To add an event, go the City's webpage and click on the 'View Calendar' link and you will be directed to the current month's calendar. You will then see the 'Add Event' link which will take you to an event form. Complete the information requested in the form and then click 'Submit'. If your event is a community event, it will appear on the calendar in a few hours and will soon appear on the city's homepage as well.

Take advantage of this great community resource and help keep the community involved in the many events happening around Spanish Fork.

Name That Campsite...

Spanish Fork is currently developing a campsite behind the irrigation reservoir and gun club. Instead of naming each individual campsite with the usual number name–1, 2, 3 and 4–, we would like to get names that are a little more original and unique to our area. To accomplish this, we are asking for name ideas from the community. Gather the children around and come up with names that best describe the area in which the campsite is located, our great town, or our heritage. Then, submit those names along with your name, address and phone number to dyk@spanishfork.org. Please put "Campground Names" in the subject line of the email. Entries need to be submitted to the City no later than July 31.

Winning entries will be used as actual names for the campsites and will be recognized at a future City Council meeting. Best of luck, and be creative.

Community Action Services—Energy Bill Assistance Program

The HEAT program, a part of Community Action Services, assists low-income households in making utility payments. HEAT is currently accepting applications for acceptance into the program. The demonstration project time frame is **November 1**, 2004 through **October 31**, 2005. Applicants can apply one time during this period. The demonstration project is for residents of Utah, Wasatch and Summit Counties only.

The program is designed to help eligible low-income households with their winter heating bills. The demonstration project is to determine if there is a need to help more people with their summer cooling bills. First time applicants must attend an energy education class. Qualified individuals who wish to apply must call 373-8200 from now until the end of October for an appointment. Low-income households and those with disabilities are especially encouraged to apply. Homebound individuals may request an outreach worker come to their home to assist in the application process. Applicants must provide the following at the appointment: identification, Social Security cards for those 18 or older in the household, copies of the most current utility bills, proof of income for all family members for the month prior to application and proof of medical bills paid during the prior month, proof of age for a child five years of age and younger, proof of disability that is a minimum of six months and roof of age for anyone 60 and over.