

SPANISHFORK

Spanish Fork, UT 40 South Main Street (801) 804-4500

March 2022

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Mar 1-3 Recycle pick-up

Mar 1 City Council Meeting 6 p.m. Broadcast live on Spanish Fork 17 and YouTube

Mar 2 Planning Commission Meeting 6 p.m.

Mar 14-17 Recycle pick-up

Mar 22 City Council Meeting 6 p.m. Broadcast live on Spanish Fork 17 and YouTube

Mar 28-31 Recycle pick-up

Apr 5 City Council Meeting 6 p.m. Broadcast live on Spanish Fork 17 and YouTube

Apr 6 Planning Commission Meeting 6 p.m.

RECREATION CALENDAR

Mar 10 Baseball/Softball registration deadline (grades 3-8)

Mar 15 Spring Instructional Pickleball registration deadline

Mar 22 Adult Summer Softball early registration ends (men & women)

Mar 29 Spring Pickleball Ladder League early registration ends

Mar 31 T-ball & Coach-pitch early registration ends. (Ages 5-2nd grade)

Apr 1 Women's Spring Soccer (6 on 6) early registration ends.

Apr 5 Spring Pickleball Ladder league registration deadline

SPANISH FORK PRODUCTIONS

Mar 4-5 Spanish Fork Community Theater presents "Broadway Lights"

Mar 23-26 Spanish Fork Youtheatre presents "Narnia"

Tickets for both events available at: <u>SFCityTix.com</u>.

Follow us on Facebook: @spanishforkartscouncil



YOUTH ARTS FESTIVAL

The Youth Arts Festival is a two-week art camp for youth and children with classes specifically for ages 18 months

to 18 years. Classes run Monday through Friday, June 6 - June 17, 2022. Online registration will start on May 4. Visit www.spanishfork.org/yaf for more info.



If you are interested in teaching a class, please contact us at 801-804-4600.

MUTTON BUSTIN' SIGN-UP

Mutton Bustin' sign-ups will be online at sffiestadays.com starting on **March 1**.

Participants must be between the ages of 5 and 7 and must weigh less than 60 lbs. Spots are limited and are filled on a first-come, first-served basis.



The registration fee is \$15, which includes a promo code valid towards the participant's ticket to the Fiesta Days Rodeo. Please do not purchase your tickets until you receive your discount code via email.

Participants can only perform once during the rodeo do not sign up for more than one night/performance. For more information please call (801) 804-4633.

FREE LANDSCAPING COURSES

The Central Utah Water Conservancy District offers in-

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credible free classes all throughout March. These classes include: (1) Edibles in the Landscape (2) Localscapes University (3)Attracting Native Bees and more!

See <u>cuwcd.com/classes.html</u> for the full schedule and to register.

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Bring many copies of your resumé, dress professionally and be prepared to talk to hiring representatives.

UtahValleyJobFair.com



THE END OF THE CABLE MODEM ERA



Since July 2016, SFCN has been working hard to bring fiber internet access to the residents of Spanish Fork. Last summer we announced that this mission was accomplished and fiber internet was now available to all residents except for a couple of locations that posed unusual hurdles to reach.

Today, more than 76% of our internet customers have made the switch from the old cable modem network to the new speeds offered by a blazing-fast fiber optic network. What's even better, is that there is no installation charge to make the switch. On top of that, prices for the new, faster PLUS and PREMIUM fiber internet tiers are the same as today's cable modem PLUS and PREMIUM tiers. That's right, no install fee and no change to your monthly bill. What could be easier?

If you haven't already upgraded to fiber, please give us a call or text at 801-798-2877 to schedule your install before the old cable modem network is retired. More information can be found at <u>www.sfcn.org</u>.

Help us help you have a better online experience.

LIBRARY CORNER

General Activities

We have Eye Spy activities each month in the library where kids can earn a prize or treat. We continue to add new books to our collection. We encourage you to come in and check some out today!

<u>Auto Renewals:</u> Items due will automatically renew on the day they're due if the item doesn't have a pending hold **AND** if the max renewals for the item hasn't been met. Learn more about auto renewals at the following website: <u>spanishfork.org/library</u>.

Children (Ages 0-7)

Toddler Time : Mondays and Tuesdays @ 10 a.m. S.T.E.A.M Class: Tuesdays @ 4 p.m. Ages 6-8 Preschool Pals: Tuesdays 11 a.m. and Wednesdays @ 4p.m.. Music and Movement: Thursdays @ 10 and 11 a.m. Reading Program: For ages 3-7, Read and do 10 of 12 activities for a prize. Pick up a record at the beginning of each month.

1,000 Books Before Kindergarten Participating in this great program will help your children gain important early literacy skills, and put them on a path for reading and learning success! Sign up on our website or at the library.

Tweens (Ages 8-12)

Tween Genre Challenge: Ages 8-11. Read two books before the end of the month for a completion prize and entry into the monthly prize drawing. Receive an extra entry for attending the Tween Book Club.

Tween Book Club: Second Thursday of every month @ 5 pm.

Teens (Ages 13-18)

Genre Challenge: Read two books from the genre of your choice and you will earn a prize and you could win a \$25 Amazon gift card!

Table Top: March 12 & 26 from 2-4 p.m. & March 31 from 6-8 p.m.

Teen Library Loot: March 17 from 6-7:30. Registration required!

St. Patrick's Day: Check out a lucky book any time on March 17 for a chance to win a prize! **National Tolkien Reading Day:** March 25 from 4-5:30 p.m.

<u>Adults</u>

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Book Club: Meets the first Tues., of the month @ 6:30 p.m.
Crochet Circle: Second Tues., & fourth Wed., @ 6:30 p.m.
Baby Basics: Meets every Tues., starting Mar 1 @ 6:30 p.m.
Wasatch Chess Club: Meets every Wed at 6 p.m.
Board Game Gurus: Meets the first Sat., of each month @ 2 p.m.

Keys to Financial Independence: Mon., Mar 14 @ 6:30 p.m. Berries & Indoor Gardening: Sat., Mar 19 @ 2 p.m. Using Essential Oils for Allergies: Tues., Mar 22 @ 7 p.m. Medicare Basics: Mon., Mar 21 @ 6:30 p.m.

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SPANISH FORK CHORALE



We are well into our Spring Semester! We have new faces and new music and are preparing for our annual Easter (April 10) and Spring (April 29) concerts. There's still time to join us if you

want a fun night out once a week with music and friends, old and new. We practice on Tuesdays from 7-9 p.m. in the Spanish Fork High School Choir Room.

Visit the Chorale page at <u>www.spanishfork.org/arts</u> for more information.



FREE SMOKE ALARMS AVAILABLE!

On April 9, 2022, the American Red Cross will be installing free smoke alarms in Spanish Fork homes that don't currently have any.

If you don't have smoke alarms and are interested, please call 801-323-7022.



PIONEER DAY 2022

Because July 24 (Pioneer Day) lands on a Sunday, Pioneer Day will be observed on Monday, July 25. This means the Speedy Spaniard, Grand Parade, and Fireworks will take place on Monday, July 25.





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FENCE AND SHED PERMITS



Spring is near—and for many of us, that means installing new fencing or sheds. Did you know in a permit is required for all fences over 3 feet high, and for every shed? It's true!

Here's the good part though—there is no fee for these permits (unless the shed is over 200 square feet), and it can all be done online! Just visit us at <u>spanishfork.org/buildingpermits</u> to learn more, or apply.

You can also call the Building Department (801-804-4540) for assistance, Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

A more convenient way to contact Spanish Fork City

Text us.

These numbers are now textable during business hours:

801-804-4500 General/Utilities

801-804-4480 Library

801-804-4600 Parks & Rec

801-804-4550 Public Works

801-798-2877 SFCN

801-801-4580 Community Devel.

Now you can be a part of something bigger. Much Bigger.

You can lease kWh blocks from the community solar farm located in Spanish Fork! This is a great alternative and an affordable way to utilize renewable power without installing solar panels on your roof, all while getting the benefits of solar power.

To find out more, please go to:

renewchoice.com/shared_solar

Participation is an added cost to your utility bill, however, there is potential to reduce your peak energy consumption based on blocks purchased. Please go to the website to get more information and to register.



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SPANISH FORK FIESTA DAYS RODEO July 20-25

Miss « Mr Extraordinaire Pageant

Spanish Fork High School March 21, 2022 at 6 pm







Please help Miss Spanish Fork Paizley Healey collect shoes for the Miss Utah shoe drive, Soles4Souls. The contestant who collects the most shoes will be awarded a humanitarian trip to Africa.

Donate gently worn shoes of any style. Please tie or band pair's together. ~~~~~ **Donation Locations** Parks & Recreation office at 775 N Main St Spanish Fork City office at 40 S Main St Contact Paizley Healey for more information at 801-734-0652

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RAP GRANT APPLICATION OPEN

The application for grant funds through the Recreation, Arts & Parks (RAP) Tax Program is open. Applicants must have their application submitted by March 31.



Apply today at spanishfork.org/rap.

SMOKE DETECTOR BATTERIES



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Daylight saving time is a great time to replace the batteries in and test your smoke detectors. You should have one in each bedroom, outside each bedroom, and on every level of the home.

You should test the smoke alarms each month, and replace alarms every ten years.

GUTTER CLEAN UP

Please keep the gutters in front of your home clean and try to clear out under driveways that bridge over the gutter. A clean gutter looks nicer, and reduces flooding in rain storms, pollution in our streams, and storm drain maintenance costs.

