



The Garden Spot

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March Calendar

MAR. 1	2ND PENALTY FOR DELINQUENT BUSINESS LICENSES
MAR. 11	DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS
MAR. 13	CITY COUNCIL MTG. 6:00 PM
MAR. 14	PLANNING COMMISSION MTG. 6:00 PM
MAR. 17	ST. PATRICK'S DAY
MAR. 20	1ST DAY OF SPRING
MAR. 20	HISTORIC PRESERVATION MTG. 6:00 PM
MAR. 20	UTILITY BILL DUE
MAR. 22	BASEBALL/SOFTBALL REGISTRATION ENDS
MAR. 27	CITY COUNCIL MTG. 6:00 PM
MAR. 28	PLANNING COMMISSION MTG. 6:00 PM
MAR. 28	MAJOR LEAGUE TRY-OUTS 5:30 PM
MAR. 29	MINOR LEAGUE PERFORMANCE CLINIC 5:30PM

Just a reminder: City Council and Planning Commission meetings are held at the City Office Building.



Court is open every Monday from 4:00-6:00 pm (Excluding Holidays)



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GOT INTERNET?

To view the Providence City newsletter online, visit our website at: www.providencecity.com



www.providenceuthistory.com



Message from the Mayor

It looks like we will end up with a very mild winter; which has made it possible to complete the culvert portion of the Center Street project. During this spring, we will totally rebuild Center Street from 300 East to 400 East, which will include the installation of curb, gutter, and sidewalk. We want to thank you for your patience and support.

March is on top of us, which will get us into spring and all of the City's activities. We could sure use a lot of help from volunteers in our community. If you have the time and would like to get involved with the City, we have several departments and committees that need help. Please call 435-752-9441 and any one of our staff can help you.

We met with the County Council and they unanimously agreed to pay for a roundabout to be placed at the intersection of 100 North and Gateway Drive. We are excited as this will improve the traffic flow through the intersection.

We anticipate the traffic light to be installed at the intersection of 300 South and SR165 early in the spring; this will make this intersection safe for travel.

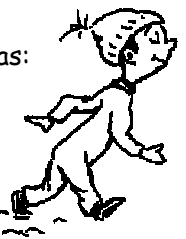
Thanks for all your support,
Mayor Ronald S. Liechty

Youth Council Leadership Training Camp

Providence City Youth Council Presents... LEADERSHIP CAMP!

"Oh the Places You'll Go" -- Dr. Seuss

Learn and Practice Basic Leadership Skills such as:
Communication, Social Skills, and Team Work



Date: Saturday, March 24, 2012
Age: Fourth through Seventh Graders
Time: 9:00 am to 1:00 pm
Place: Providence Elementary—91 East Center, Providence
Cost: \$20.00—Includes lunch and a T-Shirt.

- ▶ Featured Speakers: Utah State University's Football Staff & Players
- ▶ Guest: Utah State University's Big Blue
- ▶ Youth Leadership Activities
- ▶ Service Project
- ▶ Proceeds benefitting Primary Children's Hospital

Pick up form at the Providence City office or print from website at www.providencecity.com

MESSAGE FROM YOUR CITY COUNCIL:

Council reports for January 24 and Feb 14, 2012.

- ▶ The council listened to input concerning future road improvements on 400 East, Canyon road and a proposed roundabout at 400 East and Canyon road. These matters were continued to next meeting to gather more information.
- ▶ Survey results concerning efforts to raise funds to acquire the Old Rock Church for the community were discussed. This is currently under the direction of a non-profit Corporation and they will make their decision as to future efforts in this project.
- ▶ Councilmen presented some goals that they feel the City needs to work on in the next few years. A workshop will be scheduled soon to discuss and prioritize the Goals.
- ▶ A water conversation document was passed to comply with State statute.
- ▶ Discussion on 400 East areas was finalized from last meeting. This area has been impacted by the growth of housing over the past few years. Fees were collected from the development to mitigate the increased traffic flows that have been generated. These dollars must be spent in the area of 400 East, Canyon road or the roundabout at 400 East and Canyon road. The Council decided unanimously to eliminate the roundabout. Councilman Calderwood and Call will discuss with staff alternatives for the two streets and bring back to the Council recommendations and cost estimates to widen 400 East from 1000 South to Canyon road and/ or make improvements on Canyon road to provide more walking area and wider asphalt to move traffic more safely. We expect this study within the month.
- ▶ The request to vacate 1250 South from Hidden Lane west towards Hillsborough Drive was denied.
- ▶ We extended the time to allow the finalization of the Engineers report for The Gateway project to April 6, 2012.

The Council appreciates the citizen's input and encourages you to attend our meetings and/ or talk to any of the Council members to express your concerns and ask questions. We are your representatives.

Councilman, Dale Astle

Come and join us as we **CELEBRATE PROVIDENCE** **Mark your Calendars...June 2, 2012 we will be holding our** **Annual Celebrate Providence Events.**

The whole family is invited! We will once again have fun events like our Annual Motorcycle Parade and Show, Kids Bike Parade, Fun Run, Inflatables, Baseball Games, Music, and we will end the evening with a Movie in the Park!

Providence Kindergarten Registration

WHEN: March 13 from 12:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. & March 14 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

WHERE: Providence Elementary Office, 91 East Center Street, Providence, Utah

PHONE: 435-752-6010

PLEASE BRING:

- ↳ Birth Certificate
- ↳ Immunization Record
- ↳ Suggested \$20 donation to cover cost of snacks, milk, cups, etc.

**STUDENTS MUST BE FIVE (5)
YEARS OF AGE ON OR BEFORE
SEPTEMBER 1ST.**



At the time of registration, kindergarten students will be given a brief (approx. 10 minutes) assessment of skills by a school staff member. This will give the parent time to complete the registration packet. If you have questions, please call the school office.

Message from Dog Licensing Department

Cache Meadow Veterinary Clinic offers \$16 rabies vaccinations, Monday through Friday from 11:00 am—2:00 pm. No appointment is necessary. They are located at 38 East 2600 North.

River Heights

Kindergarten Registration

WHEN

March 13 from 12:00 to 7:00 pm
March 14 from 8:00am to 3:00 pm

WHERE

River Heights Elementary Office,
780 E. 600 South,
River Heights, Utah

PHONE

435-753-4948

PLEASE BRING

- ↳ Birth Certificate
- ↳ Immunization Record

**If you have questions, please
call the school office.**



Providence Macey's Little Theater! Free Cooking & Community Classes

(Weekday classes are offered for adult's & kids ages 10 yrs & up)

Thursday, March 8th—Health: 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Friday, March 16th—Spring Veggies!: 12:00-1:00 p.m.

Saturday, March 17th—Dian Thomas: Lose Weight and Become Healthier: Book Signing 10:00 a.m.—Noon,
Presentation 1:00-2:00 p.m.

Tuesday, March 20th—Gluten-Free: 7:00-9:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 22nd—Couponing: 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, March 27th—Easter Ham: 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Thursday, March 29th—Retro Recipes!: 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Check us out at: www.maceys.com



Seating is limited, so
reserve a seat today at
the Service Desk or call
753-3301

ADVERTISE YOUR BUSINESS:

Take advantage of some great advertising while sponsoring Providence City Parks and Recreation. Advertise your business with a banner along the baseball fence at Zollinger Park. Banners are displayed from April 1 through October 31.

For more information, call 752-9441 ext. 22 or email Sheri at sward@providence.utah.gov

BUSINESS LICENSES: DELINQUENT!!!

Business license fees have now doubled AGAIN for anyone renewing during the month of March. If your license is not renewed by April a new application will be required. Please come in and renew your business license today!



A PRIVATE CITIZEN GROUP AND THE OLD ROCK CHURCH INVITES YOU TO PROVIDENCE FOUNDERS' DAY H.A.M.S. FESTIVAL (HERITAGE, ARTS, MUSIC & STORYTELLING) APRIL 20-20, 2012

- ▶ This event will celebrate through the arts, the history and heritage of Providence in particular, and Cache Valley in general, by encouraging artists—both visual and performing artists—to create and perform (or display) works that embody the stories of early settlers of the area.
- ▶ The 1 1/2-day event will include a Friday children's 15-minute pageant and then an interactive family concert, "The Heart of a Pioneer".
- ▶ Saturday a "Sans Plein Air" (indoor) painting competition will take place, pioneer games for the whole family, and a historic homes tour, folk and heritage music and storytelling. At 5:pm a pioneer dance. Prizes for the painting competition include a \$1,000 first prize and a \$500 purchase award.
- ▶ This event will be held at the Old Rock Church.

PROVIDENCE CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- ↳ **BASEBALL MAJOR TRYOUTS:** Major League tryouts will be held on Wed., March 28th at 5:30 pm at Zollinger Park Fields. All Major League players must attend this tryout. *(In case of inclement weather, we will let you know of an alternate facility)*
- ↳ **BASEBALL MINOR LEAGUE PERFORMANCE CLINIC:** We will be holding a Performance Clinic for ALL Minor League players on Thurs., March 29th at 5:30 pm at Zollinger Park Fields. All Minor League players must attend this clinic. *(In case of inclement weather, we will let you know of an alternate facility)*
- ↳ **WINTER PARKING:** There is only another month and a half left for winter parking. Please make sure you notify any visitors you may have about our ordinance. **NO PARKING ON THE STREETS BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 12:00 AM AND 6:00 AM.** A citation may be issued if you do. Thank you.

Lunch at the Inn

Sponsored by A Private Citizens Group and the Old Rock Church

What: Senior Citizen Lunch

Where: Old Rock Church, 10 South Main, Providence

When: Monday, March 20, 2012

Time: 12:00—1:30 p.m.

Cost: 2 Lunches for \$5 (or \$2.50 for 1)

Entertainment will be provided!

Come re-connect with friends and enjoy the entertainment!

Baseball & Softball Registration:

Registration for baseball and softball will be held February 13—March 22, 2012 at the City Office Mon-Thurs between the hours of 7:30 am—5:30 pm.

Reminder...we are CLOSED on FRIDAYS!

Boys and girls ages 5-14 are invited to participate. Fees vary by age. *(please see enclosed flyer).*

Call 752-9441 ext. 22 for more information.



There will be NO LATE REGISTRATIONS taken after March 22nd so we can meet uniform ordering deadlines.

Please help spread the word to all your baseball/softball friends.

SUMMER JOBS AVAILABLE

We are now hiring for summer recreation positions. If you are interested, please apply at the City Office Building, 15 South Main, Providence or print an application from our website at www.providencecity.com.

**APPLICATION WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL
MARCH 15, 2012.**

Positions available:

**Baseball Scorekeepers, Baseball & Softball Umpires,
Fun in the Sun Directors, Tennis Coaches.**

For more information, please contact Sheri at 752-9441.

You must be 14 years of age or older to apply!

Planning Commission Actions:

January 25, 2012—

- ◆ A Public Hearing was held to discuss a code amendment to Providence City Code Title 10, Chapter 1, Section 6, Notice Requirements to make consistent with State Code.
- ◆ The Planning Commission considered a recommendation to the City Council a request to amend Providence City Code Title 10, Chapter 1, Section 6, Notice Requirements to make consistent with State Code.
- ◆ Jay Baker from the Cache County Planning Office discussed amending Providence City Code Title 10, Chapter 15 Sign Regulations.
- ◆ The Planning Commission discussed main building uses on a lot in an approved residential subdivision.

February 8, 2012—

- ◆ A Public Hearing was held to discuss a request from Morris Poole to rezone the property located at approximately 440 West 100 North from the current Agricultural to Commercial General (6.78 acres) and Single Family Residential (3.17 acres).
- ◆ Planning Commission considered for recommendation to the City Council a request to amend Providence City Code Title 10, Chapter 1, Section 6, Notice Requirements to make consistent with State Code.
- ◆ Jay Baker from the Cache County Planning Office discussed amending Providence City Code Title 10, Chapter 15 Sign Regulations.
- ◆ The Planning Commission discussed amending the ordinances with regard to lot configuration.

MESSAGE FROM THE LIBRARY

What's New in our Library:

Adult Fiction:

- ✓ Deadline—Fern Michaels
- ✓ Down the Darkest Road—Tami Hoag
- ✓ D.C. Dead—Stuart Woods
- ✓ Every Now and Then—Karen Kingsbury
- ✓ Extremely Loud and... - Jonathan Foer
- ✓ Far Flutterby—Karen Kingsbury
- ✓ Gideon's Corpse—Douglas Preston
- ✓ Hunter—John Lescroart
- ✓ Locked On—Tom Clancy
- ✓ Love in a Nutshell—Janet Evanovich
- ✓ Private #1 Suspect—James Patterson
- ✓ Sarah's Quilt—Nancy Turner
- ✓ Shadows in Flight—Orson Scott Card
- ✓ Taken—Robert Crais

LDS Fiction:

- ✓ Funeral Potatoes—Joni Hilton
- ✓ Invaluable—Holly Wood
- ✓ Olivia—Julie Wright
- ✓ Royal Secrets—Traci Hunter Abramson
- ✓ Uncut Diamonds—Karen Gowen
- ✓ Venom—K.C. Grant

Audio Books:

- ✓ Funeral Potatoes—Joni Hilton
- ✓ Royal Secrets—Traci Hunter Abramson
- ✓ Venom—K.C. Grant

Calendar of Interest:

- March 2: Read Across America Day in Honor of Dr. Seuss' Birthday
- March 4: Teen Tech Week
- March 5: Newspaper in Education Week
- March 7: Purim Begins at Sunset
- March 11: Daylight Savings Time Begins
- March 17: St. Patrick's Day
- March 18: Nat'l Poison Prevention Week
- March 20: Spring Begins
- March 31: Cesar Chavez Day

Young Adult Fiction:

- ✓ Abe Lincoln at Last—Mary Pope Osborne
- ✓ Albrek's Tomb #3—M.L. Forman
- ✓ Bloodrose #3 Nightshade—Andrea Cremer
- ✓ Wolfsbne #2 Nightshade—Andrea Cremer

Story Time

Preschool Story Time is held Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday mornings at 10:30 am.

Library Hours

Mon-Fri: 10am-12pm & 3pm-7pm Sat: 10am-2pm

<http://www.cachecounty.org/library>

CELEBRATE MARCH!

- MUSIC IN OUR SCHOOLS MONTH
- NATIONAL CRAFT MONTH
- NATIONAL WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH
- YOUTH ART MONTH

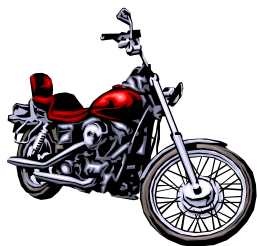
Need help finding appropriate books and videos for the family?

Check out these websites for clean book reviews:

- ▶ www.goodreads.com
- ▶ www.ratedreads.com
- ▶ www.squeakycleanreads.com

Check out these websites for clean movie reviews:

- ▶ www.kidsinmind.com
- ▶ www.commonsemmedia.org
- ▶ www.screenit.com



3rd Annual Motorcycle Show

JOIN US FOR THE 3RD ANNUAL MOTORCYCLE SHOW HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH CELEBRATE PROVIDENCE CELEBRATION ON SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 2012.

We will start off with a Parade through the streets of Providence.

AWARDS WILL BE GIVEN BY SPONSORS!

DON'T FORGET TO STOP BY AND VOTE FOR YOUR FAVORITE BIKE AND WE WILL AWARD A 'PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD'.

To register your Motorcycle for the show or to be a sponsor, please contact the City Office, 752-9441 ext. 22 or stop by at 15 South Main, Providence (forms also available on our website at www.providencecity.com)

SPONSOR A BIKE FOR \$40 BY MAY 14TH
REGISTRATION PER BIKE IS \$10—BEFORE MAY 31
\$15 LATE REGISTRATION FEE

5K CANCER FIGHTERS RUN

Cancer Fighters 5K in River Heights, Saturday, April 14, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. Cancer Fighters 5K sponsored by Logan City Firefighters and Runners North will donate ALL proceeds to the Pink Fire truck and local families battling cancer in Cache Valley. Businesses have donated t-shirts, prizes, and food to help promote this fundraiser. Cost is \$20 until Thursday, April 12th and \$25 thereafter. The race will begin at the Riverwoods Convention Center and wind into River Heights at the half way mark runners/walkers will turn around and head back to the convention center. A bounce house will be available for children, a silent auction, and music will be on site. If you have questions, please contact Runners North at 755-5706.



Message from the Public Works Department:

We would like to thank those of you who have observed the winter parking hours and remind you that winter parking hours are still in effect until April 15th. We would also like to thank those of you that have kept your sidewalks clear of snow. The City and those that walk during the winter months appreciate the efforts.

We are anticipating the green-waste bins to be delivered Monday, March 19th. Please do not place any green-waste on the ground before the bins are in place.