



The Lake View

A Monthly Insight Into Our Syracuse City Community

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MAYOR'S MESSAGE

The first month of this year I asked myself if I was prepared. We live during a time that requires that we be physically, emotionally, fiscally and spiritually prepared. There is an uneasiness in the world as we begin this year that makes me feel that we as a city and as individuals need to be more prepared for whatever may happen. We now have a functioning preparedness committee and I hope that we can get ideas from our citizens that will help everyone in their preparedness.

There is no better time than now to analyze our circumstances and answer these questions: Where am I in my preparedness? What should Syracuse City do to help you be better prepared and to help the city as a whole be better prepared?

Your ideas and topics to discuss are welcome, please contact me at tpalmer@syracuseut.com

~ Mayor Terry Palmer



POLICE DEPARTMENT

Prescription Drug Disposal

Syracuse Police Department provides a drug disposal bin in the lobby of the Department for residents to properly dispose of any unused prescription medications. Over the past year, Syracuse Police Department collected 535 pounds of prescription medications, which were destroyed at the Davis County Burn Plant. In addition to the drug disposal bin, Syracuse Police Department partners with the DEA twice a year, for the nationwide drug "take-back" event.

Syracuse Police Department would like to remind the public that syringes, creams, liquids, vitamins, over the counter medication, and loose pills are **NOT** accepted in the drug bin. All prescription medication brought in must be secured in proper prescription container or secured in a Ziploc baggie. Syringes are to be placed in the sharps container located above the drug disposal bin. If you would like additional information about the safe use, safe storage, and safe disposal of prescription pain medication, it can be found at www.useonlyasdirected.org

If you have any questions regarding the drug take back program, please contact Syracuse Police Department at 801-825-4400.



FIRE DEPARTMENT

Wireless Emergency Alerts

Have you ever noticed a unique sound and vibration coming from your cell phone? You may have received a Wireless Emergency Alert (WEA) - a Nationwide Emergency Alert System activated locally or regionally, notifying you of a pending emergency in your area. These messages provide information about extreme weather warnings, local emergencies, AMBER Alerts™, and Presidential Alerts during a national emergency.

WEA's look like a text message and show the type and time of the alert, any action you should take, and the agency issuing the alert. If you receive a WEA, follow any directions advised by the message and seek additional information from local media or authorities.

Residents of Davis County are encouraged to register with CodeRed public notification system for land-line or mobile voice and mobile text alerts in the event of critical emergency situations or community incidents. You must register your land-line or cellular phone number to be included in the alerts. The registration site is at www.public.coderedweb.com. This technology can help keep us safe and informed. We encourage all Syracuse residents to participate.



COMMUNITY NEWS

Antelope Island State Park - Programs & Events

Guided Ranch Tours - February 6, 20 & 27 @ 2pm
I Love Nature Valentine's Hike - February 13 @ 10am
For more information call (801) 649-5742

www.stateparks.utah.gov/parks/antelope-island/park-programs-and-events/

Syracuse Chamber of Commerce - Chamber meetings are held the third Tuesday of the month at the Glen Eagle Golf Course Clubhouse at 12:00 PM. For more info and volunteer opportunities visit www.syracuseutahchamber.com



FIX-IT REQUESTS

We appreciate our citizens helping the City be aware of issues that need to be addressed throughout the city such as road repairs, street light/sign repair, park maintenance, water problems (culinary & secondary), garbage can pickup, code ordinance enforcement and even employee feedback. The City website is a great tool for providing us with notifications. The **Fix-it Request** link can be found on our home page at the top left hand side under Popular Pages.



PUBLIC WORKS

Public works is dedicated to contributing to a safe environment for the community by providing fast and courteous service. Public works handles all matters regarding water, storm water, sewer, land drain, streets, street signs, street lamps, as well as pot-hole and sidewalk repairs. For any concerns related to these matters, the first contact made must be to our public works department. Although social media is a great tool for mass communication, the most effective response related to a public works concern will come from a phone call or an online fix-it request from our website. Both of these methods are available 24 hours a day. For public works related emergency situations that occur after hours, phone calls can be made to the emergency hotline for emergency situations at 801-643-5775.

Streets Department

No parking in road: 'In order to allow the Public Works Dept. to remove snow from the roads in a timely manner, it is unlawful to park any vehicle within the public right of way of any street within Syracuse City limits. Please assist us this winter by making sure your vehicles are not parked on the street during and after a snowstorm. Offenders may be cited.' (Ord. 11-20-010)

No snow pushed in road: 'It is unlawful for any person to push or throw snow into the street or sidewalks. As you clear your driveway and walkways this winter, please throw the snow into your yard and not into the road.' (Ord. 4-05-160)

Keeping sidewalks clear of snow: Please help keep ourselves and others safe by keeping the sidewalks clear.

Environmental Department

We would like to thank those who participated in our storm water survey. It helps us with the direction we need to take with educating and outreaching with many citizens and residents for Davis County. We plan to continue to educate and share more information on storm water through different programs. Let's all do our part to continue to keep our storm water and environment clean. Remember "We all live downstream".

Davis County Library Community Outreach

We are so excited to extend an invitation to Davis County residents to take a second look at the Davis County Library. The Library offers books, movies, books on CD, music CDs, conference rooms, study rooms, auditoriums, computers, children's story times, and much more. We have free Apps you can download to cell phones and tablets to read eBooks, listen to eAudio books, learn a language or access your library account.

Overdrive offers a wide variety of eBooks, eAudio books, magazines, and even movies.

Oneclickdigital offers eBooks and eAudio books.

Mango Languages offers Arabic (Levantine), Chinese (Cantonese), Chinese (Mandarin), Dutch, French, German, Greek, Italian, Japanese, Portuguese, Russian, and Spanish.

Bookmyne App is your library account. Patrons can place holds, renew items, view checkouts and holds.

For more info visit <http://www.daviscountyutah.gov/library/library/media/apps>

Park Watch Program, contact Kresta Robinson, Parks & Recreation Director at kr Robinson@syracuseut.com

***Neighborhood Watch Program contact Syracuse Police Department 801-825-4400**

BUSINESS LICENSING

Business License renewals were past due as of December 31, 2015. Late Fee Charges will be assessed at 50% of the annual fee starting **February 1st**. If you did not receive your renewal letter or have misplaced it, please call Debbie Rainford at 801-614-9627 to make a payment. For more information regarding business licensing requirements or to verify if a business has a current business license please call the Business Licensing Department.

5.05.020 Business License Required

'Unless otherwise provided, it shall be unlawful for any person to engage in any business within the City without first having obtained a business license pursuant to this title or to continue doing business after a previously issued business license has expired without renewing said license and paying any applicable fees and penalties. A separate license shall be required for each type of business defined herein and for each place of business. Each day of noncompliance shall constitute a separate violation.'

Snow Removal Ordinance

4.05.060 Street and Sidewalk Cleanliness

(A) It shall be the duty of the owner or occupant of private property fronting upon a public sidewalk to remove all weeds and noxious vegetation from such property and in front thereof to the curb line of the street and to keep the sidewalks in front of such property free from dirt, litter, snow, ice or obstructions. In the case of snow and ice removal:

- (i) Snow and ice must be removed from the sidewalk within 24 hours from the end of each snow storm;
- (ii) The city shall provide verbal or written notice to the property owner or a responsible person at the address. Notice may also be provided by posting on the front door or a fence if attempts at providing verbal or written notice are unsuccessful; and
- (iii) Notwithstanding any other provision in this code related to notice and abatement procedures, within 48 hours after that notice is provided or posted, the City shall be authorized to abate the violation, and assess the actual costs of snow removal to the property owner, as well as an administrative fee listed in the consolidated fee schedule. The City shall follow all other procedures in the code related to collecting the costs of abatement.



PARKS/RECREATION

All class registrations are scheduled at the Community Center or online www.syracuser recreation.com
Call 801-614-9660 with questions

Spring Soccer

Registration will be January 4-28. This program is for Pre-Kindergarten (going into Kindergarten fall of 2016) thru 6th Grade. All leagues are Co-Ed. Cost is \$46 (Residents). Registration fee includes a jersey, shorts, and socks. Online registration is available through www.syracuser recreation.com

Baseball/Softball

Registration will run February 1- March 31, 2016. This program is for pre-kindergarteners (must be 5 before August 31, 2016) thru 9th grade. The cost/league is as follows: T Ball and Coach Pitch (\$36). Machine Pitch and 3rd/4th girls (\$41); Minor boys, Major boys, and 5th/6th grade girls (\$46); Pony Boys and Jr. High Girls (\$51). Non-Resident fee is an additional \$15. Registration fee includes a jersey and a hat.

Annual Easter Egg Hunt

The annual Syracuse Easter Egg Hunt will be held at Founder's Park on Saturday, March 26, at 10am SHARP! Children 11 years of age and younger are welcome to participate. The Easter Bunny will be available for picture-taking with the children. Accommodations for special needs children will be available. Volunteers are needed to help stuff eggs. If you are interested, please call the Syracuse Community Center at 801-614-9660 opt. 1

Zumba with Angie!

Come see what Zumba can do for you. Tues 9:00 am & Thurs 9:00 am (**ZT) also Saturdays 10:30 am (**Zumba Tone is Cardio and Toning All in One!) Cost...\$36 for 12 Class Punch Pass or \$5/class First Class is FREE - What Are You Waiting For? More info at angiec.zumba.com

Zumba Love Party

Saturday, February 6, 10:30 am - noon
Love your heart with 90 minutes of Zumba Fun!
Wear some Red in honor of "Go Red"
use your punch pass or \$5 z-day pass

Step Aerobics 8:45am-9:30am Mon, Weds, & Fri.

Sculpt and Tone 9:35am-10:30am Mon, Weds, Fri. Equipment provided, please bring your own mat. Follow us on Facebook 'Syracuse Fitness Classes'

AARP FREE Tax Preparation for Senior Citizens

Appointments run every **TUESDAY** beginning **February 9th - April 5th** from **10:30 am - 1:00 pm** at the Syracuse Community Center. Appointments are mandatory, to schedule call **801-614-9660 #1**



SYRACUSE ARTS COUNCIL

The Symphony Orchestra will present its next concert February 10th at 7pm in the Syracuse High School Auditorium. Admission is free. If you haven't seen a performance yet, you have missed some great entertainment. Be sure to invite that special someone to join you for an hour of love songs to get you in the mood for Valentines!

The Theater Committee is looking for production team volunteers for this year's The Little Mermaid. For a complete listing, accompanying responsibilities, and how to join, please visit www.syracuseutaharts.org

MUSEUM



We are starting to plan a future feature exhibit on the Hidden Treasures of Syracuse and are pretty sure many families who live here have wonderful antiques and treasures in their homes or attics. If any Syracuse resident has a unique or special family heirloom or treasured possession and would be willing to loan it to the museum for display, so that we can all enjoy it and marvel over it, please call us at the museum and let us know. The timing of this exhibit will depend on what is offered to us. If you have a story or history to go with it, all the better. Stop by or call 801-825-3633 during our hours: T, W, Th, 2-5pm and we'll be glad to speak with you. We think this will be an exciting exhibit and will spark interest in seeing your family item on display in a museum!

The campaign is still underway to raise funds to save and relocate the former Modern Cash Market building to the museum property sometime this spring. So far the response has been generous and encouraging! Since Syracuse's history is also yours and the town museum is your museum, anyone who is able to help us with this enormous endeavor is invited to send a donation of any amount to the 'Syracuse Museum and Cultural Center' 1891 W 1700 S, Syracuse, UT 84075. The museum is a 501c3 organization, so any gifts are tax deductible and you will get a receipt. Any questions, stop by or call 801-825-3633 during our hours: T, W, Th, 2-5pm and we'll be glad to speak with you. We can also answer any questions about becoming a volunteer. **Time is not on our side, please help us save part of Syracuse's history.**

SENIOR CITIZENS



To Learn more about activities for Senior Citizens, please stop by the Syracuse Community Center for a Senior Citizens Newsletter, call **801-614-9660 #1** to RSVP, for more information or visit www.syracuser recreation.com

STORY TELLING

Wednesday, February 3rd @ 1 p.m. **FREE**

MONTHLY MOVIE

Thursday, February 11th @ 1 p.m. **FREE ~ Please RSVP**

BUS TRIP

Friday, February 12th (Leaves at 6:15 p.m.)

BYU Living Legends

\$12 (Reservation required)

THINK TUESDAY

Tuesday, February 16th @ 10 a.m. **FREE ~ Please RSVP**

LUNCH & BINGO

Friday, February 26th @ 12 Noon

Suggested donation of **\$3.00/person**

Must RSVP by Tuesday, February 23, 2016

ROUND DANCING

Mondays **12 noon to 1:30 p.m. FREE**

Call for more details

SENIOR YOGA

Tuesdays & Thursdays 8 a.m.

Available for anyone aged 50+/\$1.00 or 60+/\$0.50

PLEASE NOTE: If you still wish to receive the Senior Citizens Newsletter via e-mail, please e-mail your **NAME** and **E-MAIL** info to paulaj@syracuseut.com

February

Calendar of EVENTS

2016



Public Meetings

City Council:

2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 6pm-9pm at City Hall

Planning Commission:

1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 6pm-9pm at City Hall

Justice Court

Wednesdays, 9am at City Hall

Parks Advisory Committee:

3rd Thursdays, 6:30 pm at City Hall in large conference room

Syracuse Arts Council:

1st Wednesdays, 8pm, at City Hall in large conference room

Meeting agendas & minutes available on the City's website:
www.Syracuseut.com
 801-825-1477

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 Planning Commission	3 Court Syracuse Arts Council Senior Story	4	5	6
7	8	9 City Council	10 Court	11 Senior Movie	12 Senior Bus Trip	13
14	15 City Offices Closed Presidents Day	16 Planning Commission Senior Games	17 Court	18 Parks Advisory Committee	19	20
21	22	23 City Council	24 Court	25	26 Senior Lunch & Bingo	27
28	29					

Thank You to all those who attended the Town Hall Meetings, we appreciate your feedback and support!

City Contact Information

Mayor & Council

Mayor Terry Palmer

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Councilmember Dave Maughan

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 Email: dmaughan@syracuseut.com

Volunteer

Are you looking for a way to volunteer or help our community become a better place in which to live? Below is a list of City contacts who offer volunteer opportunities.

Syracuse City Museum

Phone: 801-825-3633
 Hours: Tues, Wed, & Thurs 2pm - 5pm

Syracuse City Arts Council

Email: volunteer@syracuseutaharts.org

Syracuse Youth Council

Phone: 801-643-8996

Syracuse Lions Club

Phone: 801-773-8581

Syracuse Lady Lions Service & Social Club

Phone: 801-825-1752

Syracuse Eagle Scout Projects

Phone: TBD



Follow us on [Facebook](#) or go to our website at www.syracuseut.com

Services

City Hall is open Mon through Fri, 8am-5pm, closed on holidays. Community Center hours Mon through Thurs, 6am-9pm, Fri, 6am-8pm, & Sat, 8am- 4pm.

Syracuse City Hall

Phone: 801-825-1477
 Address: 1979 West 1900 South

Syracuse Police Station

Phone: 801-825-4400
 Address: 1751 South 2000 West

Syracuse Fire Station

Phone: 801-614-9614
 Address: 1869 South 3000 West

Syracuse Community Center

Phone: 801-614-9660
 Address: 1912 West 1900 South

Syracuse Public Works Facility

Phone: 801-825-7235
 Address: 3061 South 2400 West

For more information about new businesses and directory visit the 'Doing Business' page at www.syracuseut.com