This month’s newsletter is a prime example of why it is great to live in Spanish Fork. From the Youth Theatre production and the upcoming pageant to library activities and sporting events; every month is packed full of activities for residents of all shapes and sizes.

As cities grow, there is a tendency for them to lose their identities, their uniqueness. Fortunately, this has not been the case with Spanish Fork City. The community has a rich tradition of pride and progress which overwhelms new residents and keeps current residents involved in City events.

As Spanish Fork continues to grow, residents can be proud of the community in which they live. Be eager to support all the fun events that take place throughout the year and, at the same time, be grateful for all the hard work and effort that goes into each and every event that takes place.

Aside from all the events available to the community, as residents, some of the greatest treasures are the many businesses that call Spanish Fork home. Residents are fortunate to have choice in where to shop, where to buy services, and choice in places to gather and socialize. Plus, the Chamber of Commerce in this community outshines all of those from other communities. It is vibrant, active and community-oriented!

Take the opportunity to get involved and enjoy the good life around you. Express appreciation to the numerous coaches, directors, coordinators, instructors, umpires, referees, and volunteers. Because all of you are willing to be you, fun is all around and the good life has us surrounded.

The Youth Theatre presents the fun-packed musical Annie Jr. Most parts in the play have been double cast, so everyone should be able to see their favorite little girls perform.

Performances will be Thursday and Friday (February 10 and 11), at 6:00 pm and 8:00 pm and Saturday, February 12, at 2:00 pm and 4:00 pm.

All performances will be in the Spanish Fork High School auditorium. Tickets are $3.00 per person and will be available at the door. More information can be found at www.sfyoutheatre.blogspot.com.

DEAR MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

From Left to Right, Back Row: Rod Dart, Keir Scoubes, Jens Nielson, Richard Davis
Front Row: Mayor Wayne Andersen, Steve Leifson

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Email: ______________________ Address: ______________________

Please complete the form and return it with your utility bill. You can also send comments to the City from the City’s website. Thank you for your comments.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

February 1—City Council Meeting; 6:00 pm. Live on Ch.17
February 2—Planning Commission; 6:00 pm. Live on Ch. 17
February 7 & 8—Monday & Tuesday Recycling Pickup
February 15—City Council Meeting; 6:00 pm. Live on Ch.17
February 21—City Offices closed in observance of Presidents Day. Garbage pickup is NOT delayed
February 21 & 22—Monday & Tuesday Recycling Pickup
February 26—Miss Spanish Fork Scholarship Pageant. 7:00 pm (SFHS)

Complete City calendar at www.spanishfork.org
FEBRUARY IS LIBRARY LOVER’S MONTH!

Show your love for your library by visiting and checking out materials or attending a program.

If you have any items that you have forgotten about, February is the perfect month to return them to the library; the library will waive all incoming fines during the first three weeks of the month, through February 19.

COMMUNITY THEATER CALLS FOR AUDITIONS FOR SUMMER MUSICAL

Hairspray is coming to Spanish Fork Community Theater! Mark your calendars and pull out your dancing shoes for the auditions which will be held at Diamond Fork Junior High School. Audition dates will be Thursday and Friday, March 17 & 18 from 6pm – 8:30 pm and Saturday, March 19 from 10am to 1pm. Call backs will be on Saturday, March 26.

DATE FOR MISS SPANISH FORK IS SET

The Miss Spanish Fork Scholarship Pageant will be held at 7:00 pm on February 26 at Spanish Fork High School. Tickets are $8 and can be purchased at the City Offices starting on February 7, or at the door the night of the pageant. Come and cheer on local girls as they compete for the crown.

SPANISH OAKS GOLF COURSE HIRES NEW PRO

Spanish Fork City is pleased to announce the hiring of Ryan Rhees as the new Head Golf Professional and Manager of the Spanish Oaks Golf Course.

Before coming to Spanish Oaks, Ryan worked for over 8 years at the beautiful Eaglewood Golf Course in North Salt Lake City. At Eaglewood, Ryan successfully managed the golf course operations helping to make it one of the State’s premier golf courses.

While Ryan has accomplished much running a golf course, he is no slouch swinging a club either. Ryan played golf for BYU and played with several notable teammates. He has also played on the South American and European tours. Even after hanging up the professional-playing golf shoes and settling into course management, Ryan still managed to win a few local tournaments here and there. Maybe he can help your game too! You’ll have to come and visit him on the course this Spring.

Speaking about Ryan, Dale Robinson, Parks and Recreation Director, said, “We are thrilled to have Ryan at Spanish Oaks! He is a seasoned veteran in this industry and has tremendous experience in all facets of the game. Our patrons are going to really enjoy Ryan.”

BASEBALL & SOFTBALL UMPIRES WANTED

The Parks & Recreation Department is looking for Umpires for the 2011 Youth Baseball & Softball season. There will be 2 mandatory training meetings in April.

If you are interested, check out the City website, call or come in to the Parks & Recreation office sign up.

The Parks & Recreation Department is only looking for responsible individuals who have a desire to umpire and who have a good work ethic.

FEBRUARY RECREATION DEADLINES

Register online for youth sports at www.reconline.spanishfork.org

10 Youth Spring Soccer early registration ends. (Grades K-9)

10 Adult Nebo Volleyball Tournament registration deadline.

17 Adult Co-ed Volleyball early registration ends.

18 Women’s Basketball early registration ends.

21-24 Women’s Nebo Invitational Volleyball Tournament in Spanish Fork.

22 Spring Youth Soccer regular registration ends. (Grades K-9)

23 Women’s Basketball organizational meeting, 6:00 p.m. in Parks & Recreation meeting room. (West downstairs entrance)

Feb. 28 - March 4 Adult Nebo Basketball Tournament.

See www.spanishfork.org/dept/parkrec/sports/programs.php for a complete listing of activities.

Spanish Fork Parks & Recreation is located at 775 North Main Street.

Office Hours: Monday through Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm.

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