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

Mark your calendars for this event, June 3 & 4. To kick things off--catch the Covered Wagon Train as it arrives in town on Main Street Thursday evening, June 2. The Wagon Train will begin at North Park and will cruise all the way down Main Street to the Fairgrounds.

This is a ticketed event with family-friendly prices. Tickets can be purchased for just the day-time activities or for both the activities and the evening show. Discounts apply if you buy your tickets early. Complete ticket and event information is available at www.spanishfork.org and tickets go on sale the first week of April.

Good News All Around

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WILD WEST DAYS SET FOR JUNE IN SPANISH FORK

June 3-4, 2011

What could be more fun than the rootin’tootin’ wild wild west! Well pardner, that’s exactly what’s comin’ to lil’old Spanish Fork the first weekend of June. Bring the whole family to the fairgrounds for a special time of fun and spectacle.

You’ll enjoy fiddling music, cowboy poetry, Swifty Swine piglet races, sheep-herding dogs, Pony Express riders, Cowboys and Indians (in a rendezvous setting), western animal exhibits, covered wagon rides and even a Chuckwagon dinner.

In addition to the day-time attractions, both evenings will be capped off with the Great American Wild West Show featuring wagon races, trick riders, Hollywood personalities, daring cowboys and cowgirls and a stage coach. This is a one-of-a-kind experience featuring all that is beloved of western folklore in high gear: gun-fighters, horses, wagons, blue-grass, and hoop dancing!!

SFCN PHONE SERVICE

Have you heard the good news? SFCN now offers residential phone service along with cable TV and internet.

Residents can sign up for phone service for only $14.99 a month (plus tax). Caller ID, call waiting, call forwarding, and many more features are included.

Call 801.804.4444 to sign up for this service. You can keep your current home number or get a new one. The process is easy. Sign up today and begin saving money on residential phone service.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

April 4 & 5—Monday & Tuesday Recycling Pickup
April 5—City Council Meeting; 6:00 pm. Live on Ch.17
April 6—Planning Commission; 6:00 pm. Live on Ch. 17
April 6—Kindergarten Registration for Nebo School District
April 9—Household Hazardous Waste Collection; see website calendar for details.
April 18 & 19—Monday & Tuesday Recycling Pickup
April 19—City Council Meeting; 6:00 pm. Live on Ch.17
April 21—Arbor Day Celebrations
April 23—Easter Egg Hunt, 9 am Sports Park Fields. Sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

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.
IRRIGATION WATER TO TURN ON THIS MONTH

The pressurized irrigation water will be turned on by April 15 or sooner, depending on the weather.

Before the water system is turned on, be sure that your irrigation system is turned off, both at the clock and at the meter. This will help prevent unnecessary flooding which sadly seems to happen each year at unsuspecting homes across town. Don’t let this happen at your home.

To make sure your PI water is turned off at the valve, locate your PI valve box (typically in your front yard in a green box) carefully open the lid, checking for spiders that may have nested in your box, then locate the handle for your water line.

If the handle is in line with the pipe, carefully turn it 90 degrees so that it crosses the pipe (perpendicular to the pipe). When the valve is in this position, the water is off.

SUMMER STREET MAINTENANCE PLAN AVAILABLE

An updated 2011 Street Maintenance Map and a description of the services provided by the Streets Division is available on the City Website. Follow the Departments link to Public Works and then to Streets. While on this site, you can also report maintenance issues or make requests that will be reviewed by the Streets staff.

AMBULANCE AWARDS GIVEN TO VOLUNTEER MEMBERS

The Spanish Fork Ambulance Association recently held its annual banquet and honored several members for their service in 2010. These members work hard and are dedicated to serving the citizens of Spanish Fork. Highlights of the evening included the EMT of the Year award and recognition of new volunteers. Don Thomas was given an award for serving on the ambulance for over 35 years. Don is one of the original members of the ambulance association.

The City greatly appreciates all its volunteers for the countless hours they give to the City. For full details and a list of all the award recipients, see the Current News section of the city website.

EARLY-BIRD GOLF SPECIALS CONTINUED

Book your tee time before 9 am, Monday thru Friday, and play 9 holes of golf with a cart for only $10; or 18 holes of golf with a cart for only $20. That’s a savings of nearly 50% off the regular price. Get a round of golf in before your day begins. To take advantage of this offer, book your tee time with the Pro Shop at 801.804.4653.

SFCN TO MOVE FOX MOVIE CHANNEL

SFCN will finally complete the move of the Fox Movie Channel from channel 80 to channel 279. It will no longer be available on the Expanded basic tier but will available on the Digital Basic tier. Watch for the change on May 1.

ARBOR DAY CELEBRATION SET

Spanish Fork Arbor Day 2011 will be observed twice this year. Students from both East Meadows and Riverview Elementary Schools will be participating in the Arbor Day programs before planting trees at two locations. The public is invited to attend. The dates are set for Earth Day, Friday, April 22 and Utah Arbor Day, Friday, April 29, 2011. Look for locations and times on spanishfork.org.