COMMUNITY CALENDAR

January 1 City Offices Closed

January 2 City Council meeting at 6:00 p.m. Broadcast live on Spanish Fork 17 and YouTube

January 2 & 3 Recycle pick up and garbage pickup delayed one day

January 3 Planning Commission meeting at 6:00 p.m.

January 15 City Offices Closed

January 15 & 16 Recycle pick up

January 16 City Council meeting at 6:00 p.m. Broadcast live on Spanish Fork 17 and YouTube

January 29 & 30 Recycle pick up

RECREATION CALENDAR

January 2 Begin accepting Water Park and Pavilion Reservations for 2018

January 11 Winter session Little Hoopers early registration ends

January 23 Pickleball early registration ends (ages 12 to adults)

January 25 Adult Co-ed volleyball early registration ends

January 30 Pickleball registration ends (ages 12 to adult)

Register now for youth sports: reconnline.spanishfork.org

WISE WINTER WEATHER TIPS

As winter approaches, Spanish Fork City would like to give you a few winter tips that will hopefully help you more fully enjoy the upcoming cold months.

Frozen Water Pipes
If we have another inversion similar to last year, the temperatures may stay below freezing for several weeks. These cold temperatures can freeze any water left in sprinkler pipes, so be sure to completely drain your pipes now. Low temperatures can also freeze some indoor water pipes if hoses are left attached to the house or walls are poorly insulated. One way to prevent this is to keep the thermostat set to the same temperature both during the day and at night. By temporarily suspending the use of lower nighttime temperatures, you may incur a higher heating bill, but you can prevent a much more costly repair job if pipes freeze and burst.

Snowplows and Sidewalks
When snowflakes flurry, city crews are dispatched almost immediately to begin plowing City streets. Plows will begin with the highest priority areas, which include arterial streets, school bus routes, collector roads and hillside areas. Please remember to keep the sidewalks on your property clean from snow or ice.

Potholes
Potholes can form when the asphalt freezes and cracks. Potholes can develop quickly and without warning. With 30 miles of streets, city crews do not always know about all the potholes. If you see a pothole, please report it to the city at spanishfork.org/support or call (801) 804-4500.

CHRISTMAS TREE PICKUP

Spanish Fork City crews will begin picking up Christmas Trees on Wednesday December 27 and will continue to pick up trees through Monday, January 15. Trees must be placed at the curbside with all of the lights, decorations, and stands removed. Do not place the tree in any type of bag. To ensure pickup please complete the tree pickup form at spanishfork.org/ChristmasTrees or call (801) 804-4500.
WEATHERIZATION PROGRAM

Want to lower your utility bills and make your home more energy-efficient?

The Housing Authority of Utah County has a weatherization program that can make your home more energy efficient. For more information, please call (801) 344-5184.

Weatherization helps low-income individuals and families reduce energy costs and increase comfort and safety in their homes. The Housing Authority of Utah County can help clients with energy education, indoor air quality, combustion safety, and energy efficiency.

This program is free for low-income households that qualify for assistance. To find out if you qualify visit: hous- inguc.org/weatherization-assistance/weatherization/

MISS SPANISH FORK COMPETITION

The first meeting for this year’s Miss Spanish Fork competition will be held January 27, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. at the City Office. Additional dates for workshops, mock interviews, and rehearsals will be presented at the meeting.

This meeting be an informative overview of rules and regulations to compete. Girls must be between ages 17-24 and live or their parents must live in the Spanish Fork boundaries. This year’s pageant will be held March 10, 2018 at Maple Mountain High School. For more information please call Director Natasha Lockhart @ 801-372-4695 or natashalockhart@comcast.net.

WINTER ART CLASSES

The Spanish Fork Arts Council would like to announce that winter 2018 classes will begin January 27, 2018. Online registration for Winter classes starts January 4, 2018 at recoline.spanishfork.org. Classes will be held Saturday mornings at Spanish Fork High School for six weeks. Check out spanishfork.org/arts for class descriptions and instructor bios.

Prices:
1 hour classes = $30
1.5 hour classes = $45
2 hour classes = $55
(Some classes have an additional fee for materials)

LOOK AT THE LIBRARY

Winter Programs Begin Tuesday January 2, 2018

Winter Blues Workshop Tuesday January 9, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
Join Jessie Gedeborg, a mother, teacher, and long-time depression survivor for a two-week course to help your loved ones beat the blues caused by depression. For ages 13 and up.

Winter Blues Workshop Tuesday January 16, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Financial Literacy Series: Social Security Wednesday January 10, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.

Financial Literacy Series: Living Will and Trust Wednesday January 17, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.

Financial Literacy Series: Individual Income Tax Wednesday January 24, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.

Financial Literacy Series: Life Insurance Wednesday January 31, 2018 at 6:30 p.m.

SNOWSTORM PARKING

City ordinances require residents to not park anything along the streets once snow starts accumulating and during snowplow operations for up to 48 hours after a snow storm. This will help make sure our streets are plowed quickly, thoroughly, and safely. We also expect fewer incidents of damaging parked vehicles and trailers by plowing operations. For more information, visit: spanishfork.org/winterParking/

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