



Bountiful City

Newsletter

November 2017

Mayor's Corner: Gratitude!

As 2017 comes to a close, I can't help but feel grateful for the opportunity I've had to meet and greet so many of Bountiful's outstanding residents this year. We've had so many exceptional events that have taken place in our community, and I continue to be amazed at the incredible level of volunteerism, participation and generosity of all of you when these events happen.

Just to give you an idea of some numbers, we estimated a total of 60,000 people — more than the population of Bountiful—attended all of our major events (Chalk Art, Car Show, Handcart Days, Concerts in the Park, Tour of Utah and Summerfest) and that number does not include those who supported our ongoing events such as the food trucks, the farmer's market and other Main Street and City

events. That's a lot of people who have had a lot of great experiences in our City this year!

I am also grateful to tell you that, in spite of delays due to contractor issues, the new Creekside Park is finally nearing completion! This amazing park is a tribute to the vision of the City leaders who made the decision to purchase the property. To preserve this beautiful green space in the middle of our City so it can be used as a gathering space for generations to come is something we all can be grateful for, and I am especially grateful to see it realized! Look forward to a grand opening next spring—watch Bountiful's website and social media for more information as it becomes available.

Many of you have also taken time out of your busy schedules to offer feedback either by taking



our surveys online, coming to the Public Hearings at our meetings or visiting City Hall for our Open Houses regarding Bountiful's downtown and Plaza. I am grateful that you are engaged and willing to share your opinions and ideas! The Bountiful City Staff and Council are working hard on compiling and reviewing the input to make the best decisions possible.

Finally, I am grateful to be able to wish you all a wonderful and safe holiday season and all the best in 2018 on behalf of the Bountiful City Council and Staff. Thank you for making Bountiful such a great place to live!

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- ♦ *Bar J Wranglers back at **WOODS CROSS** High School this year!*
- ♦ *Bountiful Business Owners: Remember to renew your business license!*
- ♦ *Tax help available at City Hall for those who qualify*
- ♦ *BDAC Holiday Art Show and Sale*

City Council & Committee Chairmanship

The Mayor and City Council welcome your input and suggestions. Contact them at 790 South 100 East * Bountiful, UT 84010 * 801.298.6140

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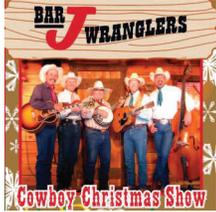


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Bar J Wranglers Coming to Woods Cross High!

The Bountiful Community Service Council and Bountiful City will again host their annual Christmas Concert featuring the Bar J Wranglers. Both reserved seating and general admission will be available.

This annual show has become a highly anticipated Christmas event with the famous cowboys from Jackson Hole, Wyoming. The Bar J Wranglers invite you, your family and friends to an enjoyable Cowboy Christmas Show. This is a great way to kick off the Christmas season.



CONCERT INFORMATION

Bar J Wranglers Christmas Concert
Date: Friday, December 1st
Time: 7:00 p.m.
Location: **WOODS CROSS HIGH SCHOOL** Auditorium, 600 West 2200 South, Woods Cross.

Ticket Prices: Reserved Seats - \$25
General Admission - \$20
Tickets can be purchased at the following locations:

- **General and Reserved Seating** at Bountiful City Hall, 790 S. 100 East, Bountiful or online at www.bountifulutah.gov (link on the home page).

- **General Admission only** at The American Cowboy, 1450 West 400 North, Bountiful and Dick's Markets, 2280 Orchard Drive, Bountiful and 84 West Parrish Lane, Centerville.

Donations to the Bountiful Food Pantry will be accepted in the lobby during the concert.

For questions, more information and/or ticket information, please contact Bountiful Utilities at 801.298.6100, Richard Watson, Bountiful Community Service Council, at 801.540.3146 or visit www.bountifulutah.gov or www.facebook.com/Bountiful-Citys-Music-In-The-Park

How Do I Prepare for Disasters?

There seems to be a lot of disasters happening in the world right now. How can you prepare for them? One way is with Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) training. CERT teaches you medical skills such as how to save a life, open an airway, stop severe bleeding, treat shock, splint fractures and properly clean and bandage wounds. You learn and practice how to put fires out and easily lift heavy objects with simple tools. You also learn how to recognize and protect yourself from terrorist attacks and hazardous material incidents.

Although CERT training is designed to teach you how to help yourself, your family and others around you in a disaster, the training is useful in other emergencies as well. Bountiful has not experienced a large disaster, but many residents who have taken the CERT classes have saved lives and helped injured people with the skills they have learned.

CERT training is open to anyone, and minors must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Many families have signed up for the class together and have



enjoyed learning and practicing as a family. This training is valuable for anyone, but it is especially important that all Block Captains take the training.

The class meets one evening per week for 8 weeks with a final mock disaster on a Saturday morning. The cost is \$40, which pays for your CERT gear [backpack, vest, helmet, goggles, dust mask, flashlight, (see **Prepare** on page 3)]

Storm Drain and Flood Hazard Information

STORM WATER

What is allowed to enter storm drains? Only rain water and sprinkler water are allowed to enter storm drains. Water used to clean your garage or car that is oily or soapy should NOT be allowed to enter the storm drain. When soap, chemicals, oils, and other materials enter our storm drains, it becomes pollution that can affect our recreational water and bird, fish, and other animal habitats. Contact our Engineering Department for alternate ways to dispose of this kind of water.



If you see a spill or illegal dumping, it should be reported to the Environmental Health Services Division of the Davis County Health Department at 801.525.5100 or to Bountiful City Engineering at 801.298.6125.

FLOOD HAZARD

The United States Congress has mandated that all federally insured lenders require flood insurance on properties that are located in "Special Flood Hazard Areas." It has been determined that these areas have a 1% or greater chance of flooding in any given year. The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) issues maps known as Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRM), to help determine the flood risks for real property. FIRMs can be viewed on the internet using

FEMA's Map Service Center at <https://msc.fema.gov/portal/search>. The Bountiful City Engineering Department can assist inquirers about flood insurance and flood information for specific properties including:

- The flood zone
- If the property is in a "floodway"

- Flood depth (where information is available)
- Flood-related hazards
- Natural floodplain functions, and
- Flood protection measures

Engineering staff can also do site visits and give recommendations for flood protection. Copies of FEMA Elevation Certificates for some properties and brochures about Utah floods are available in the Bountiful Engineering Department.

If you have questions about flood hazards or storm water cleanliness, please contact Bountiful City Engineering at 801.298.6125.



Find it on Main!

Are you observant when you shop on Bountiful's Main Street? Do you recognize the location pictured here? If you do, you could win a \$50 gift certificate to one of our Main Street Merchants! Enter to win and get details at BountifulMainStreet.com or you can link to it from the Bountiful City website (Community—Related Links).

Emily Porter Griffiths was the winner of the last "Find It On Main." She is deciding which store on Main to get a \$50 gift certificate from!



Business Licenses

Did you know you need a business license if you are running a business out of your home or opening a new store or restaurant at a commercial location? Come and apply for a business license in the Planning and Zoning Department at City Hall, 790 South 100 East. Both Home and Commercial business licenses are valid January 1 through December 31. Watch for your business license renewal notice – they will be in the mail mid-November. Any questions? Call us at 801.298.6190.



Gift Idea!

First Aid Kits at public service pricing! Three different sizes of first aid kits, ranging in price from \$42.50 to \$99.95, are available from the South Davis Metro Fire Agency Station 81 (255 South 100 West) just in time for holiday gift giving (through December 15). For more information, call 801.677.2400.



Family/Group/CERT kit for \$99.95 is pictured

Bountiful Food Pantry Can Use Your Help!

The Bountiful Community Food Pantry has several ways that you can help others during the holiday season. This pantry serves 1,700+ Davis County families each month.

Needs at this time include families or groups to participate in the Sub-for-Santa for families in need of Christmas gifts, turkey donations in early November, financial donations, schools/businesses/churches to host food drives for most needed items (listed on the website), groups or families



to collect food for and assemble our week-end food assistance bags (Pantry Packs) for 1,400+ Davis County students each week and individuals to fill selected holiday volunteer openings including helping at the loading dock receiving food and/or financial donations and answering phones during the holiday season.

In the last 12 months the pantry has distributed over two million pounds of food, provided services for 81,462 individuals and helped countless individuals find jobs and move out of crisis mode. Please look for volunteer opportunities on www.justserve.org or

www.bountifulfoodpantry.org, call 801.299.8464 or email lornakoci@bountifulfoodpantry.org to get more information or offer your help.

[Prepare continued from page 2] pry bar, gloves and CERT manual] all of which is yours to keep. You can take either the Wednesday or Thursday class. The next session starts February 14 or 15, 2018. Don't wait until the class is full or until disaster strikes! Sign up today by calling 801.677.2400. For more information visit <http://bountifulprep.org/cert/>

Winter Reminders!

It's that time of year again when the City's winter parking ordinance goes into effect. In an effort to help our Streets Department continue doing such an excellent job of clearing the snow from the roadways, we are asking for your cooperation in not parking your vehicles on the street when prohibited as described in Bountiful City Code §13-1-103:

"It is unlawful for any person who owns or has possession, custody, or control of any vehicle to park or allow to be parked any vehicle or trailer on any street between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. during the months of November, December, January, February, and March."



Parking vehicles on the street when it is actually snowing, or within twelve hours thereafter is also prohibited by this ordinance. This prohibition does not include Main Street between 500 South and 400 North.

This ordinance assists the Streets Department in keeping the streets plowed during the winter months. The Police Department will enforce this ordinance by putting warnings on vehicles left parked on the street for the first two weeks of November. After that, officers will begin issuing parking citations on all vehicles that are left on the street in violation of this ordinance. After the same vehicle has been issued two parking citations, that vehicle will be impounded at the owner's expense. This includes all cars, trailers, boats, etc.

SIDEWALK SNOW REMOVAL

Bountiful City Code §6-2-116 states that property owners are responsible for removing snow on all sidewalks abutting their property. This includes corner lots and properties that back onto public streets. Shoveling snow and ice from your sidewalks with 24 hours of a storm is important for the safety of residents. It is also illegal to shovel or blow snow into the street—it defeats the efforts of our snow plow drivers.



HOLIDAY GARBAGE PICKUP

If your garbage/recycling day falls on Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day or New Year's Day, your garbage day and the remaining week's pick up will be delayed by one day, with Friday's garbage being picked up on Saturday. For all other holidays, garbage/recycling is picked up on your regular garbage/recycling day!

Contacts and Calendar

Bountiful Ridge Golf Course	801.298.6040
City Attorney	801.298.6143
City Cemetery	801.298.6080
City Manager	801.298.6140
City Prosecutor	801.298.6145
Engineering	801.298.6125
Landfill	801.298.6169
Light & Power	801.298.6072
Mayor & City Council	801.298.6146
Parks	801.298.6178
Planning & Zoning/Code Enforcement	801.298.6190
Police (non emergency)	801.298.6000
Recycling (Ace)	801.363.9995
Streets/Sanitation	801.298.6175
Utilities	801.298.6100

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City Council Meetings—second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

No Parking Ordinance—in effect from November 1 through March 31. See related article on page 3.

For up-to-date or more information, visit our website at www.bountifulutah.gov, follow us on Facebook, Instagram and/or Twitter or sign up for emails on our website.

Clip and save this section for future reference!

South Davis Recreation Center

- **Thanksgiving Day Races** - Thursday, November 23 – Includes a Turkey 10K, Family 5K and Kids 1K. Register in person at the front desk at the Rec Center (\$1 off if you bring a can of food for the Food Pantry—max \$3 discount) or on Active.com.



- **Christmas Ice Show** - Friday, December 1. Watch our Learn To Skate participants show off their skills - holiday style!



- **Come meet Santa!** - Saturday, December 9 from 1:00—3:00 p.m. Grab your coats and gloves and come take a picture and visit with Santa. Bring a bag of food during those hours and ice skate or swim free! One free entry per bag of food.

- **Sweethearts Run** - Saturday, February 3. Includes Sweethearts' 5k and Cupid's 1k. Register at the front desk at the Rec Center or on Active.com



- **South Davis Racing Series** - Sign up for all five of our annual races and receive a shirt. Finish all five races and you will receive a pullover or jacket. Watch for our Black Friday discount.



For more information on these or other events, call 801.298.6220 or visit our website at southdavisrecreation.com

Golden Years Senior Activity Center

For information on any of our many activities, or for a complete calendar of events, call us at 801.295.3479, come in (726 South 100 East, Bountiful), or easier still, visit our website at www.co.davis.ut.us and click on Aging Services and then Senior Centers.

Bountiful Davis Art Center

Upcoming exhibits and events:

December 1 - 23—Annual BDAC Holiday Show & Sale

December 2—Gingerbread Festival (Contest) - contact BDAC for details

Geometric Cement Succulent Planter with Kirsten Moore—Make your own geometric concrete succulent planter using a quick dry mix and a template, and your choice of a fun little plant! You will leave with a finished project!

March 9-12, 2018—Starting Methods Workshop with Tina Garrett—All levels welcome to participate in this comprehensive study of oil painting starting methods.

Family Art Nights (none in November or December)

January 25, 2018

February 26, 2018

For additional information about current classes, exhibits and music events visit www.bdac.org or call 801.295.3618. Watch for our new sign and a schedule of 2018 exhibits and events!



String of Pearls, oil, by Tina Garrett

Tax Help Available at City Hall



For those who qualify, tax help will be available at City Hall on Wednesdays beginning January 29, 2018 (VITA), and February 7, 2018 (AARP), and continuing through April 11. To schedule an appointment or to see if you qualify, use the following contact information:

- **AARP**—contact Devon Steiner beginning Monday, January 15, 2018. Mr. Steiner takes calls for appointments or questions on **MONDAYS ONLY** from 9:00 a.m.—noon and 1:00—4:00 p.m. at 801.292.1389. Tax help appointments will be available between 12:30 and 4:00 p.m. on Wednesdays.

- **VITA**—Appointments can be made by calling 2-1-1 starting January 29, 2018. Having an appointment is preferred and given preference, but walk-ins are also welcome. Tax help will be available on Wednesday evenings from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. **Volunteers are also needed** to help

with the VITA program. No prior experience is required and training is available. To learn more about the program, see if you qualify for assistance or sign up to help, visit UtahTaxHelp.org or contact Jordan via email at vita@utahfcc.org.