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September 2012 City Newsletter

Utah's City of Trees

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Police Department Bike Sale

The PGPD will hold a sale of property room bicycles. The sale will be held on **September 27th 2012 from 5 pm to 9 pm** during the Promenade in the Downtown Park. The bikes will be very affordably priced. Please come and get a great deal on a bike and help us clear out our property room.



PLEASANT GROVE PROMENADE CAR SHOW
THURSDAY SEPT. 13, FROM 5-9PM
LOCATED AT 100 SOUTH MAIN IN PL. GROVE, UT
AWARDS, FOOD, MUSIC AND MORE
ENTRY IS FREE TO EVERYONE
COME OUT AND ENJOY GREAT FAMILY FUN
ENJOY GREAT CLASSIC VEHICLES

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City Honors Former Economic Director

Every month Pleasant Grove City has a different department head write the main article for the city newsletter. This month was reserved for the Economic Development Department. The City would like to use this space to honor our former **Economic Development Director, Richard Bradford.**



Back in March of this year, Richard wasn't feeling well and went to see a doctor. Through a series of tests and surgery it was determined that Richard had Stage 4 brain cancer. The prognosis was that he had a few months to live. Richard passed away on Saturday, July 28th.

Richard was very kind hearted and genuine with the people he worked with. He took time to talk with people and get to know them. He was extremely well-liked around the office as well as with the people he worked with and his peers in his field.

While Richard was Economic Development Director, the City accomplished many things. Most of Richard's efforts helped usher in the current development that has happened in The Grove. Because of the time it takes to take a project from an idea to an open business, we'll continue to see the fruits of his labors due to current projects in the pipeline that will blossom over the next few years.

Richard was also very engaged with Downtown Pleasant Grove and particularly Main Street. He worked with business owners trying to help them be successful in driving more patrons to their business. **He created The Promenade** on Thursday nights during the summer to bring people downtown. In its 5th year, **The Promenade** continues to grow.

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Richard's wife, Susan and his seven children.

Thanks Richard, for your many years of service to our city.

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Heritage Festival September 8th (See insert)

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Participating in Recycling

Human behavior is one of the largest contributing factors to the success of a recycling program. Studies show four motivational factors associated with participating in recycling:

- 1) Benefits of recycling;
- 2) Personal inconvenience;
- 3) External pressure; and 4) Financial.



The goal of Allied Waste (Republic Services) is to prolong the life of Utah's landfills and to save as many natural resources as possible. In order to make recycling more convenient, we provide co-mingled recycling programs, eliminating the need to personally sort your recycled materials. **We encourage you** to place more emphasis on recycling in your home and work place and motivate those around you to recycle. We work hard to provide cost effective recycling programs. We help you recycle over 3 million tons annually and provide the most affordable service rates possible.

Republic Services is committed to increase recycling nationwide. Visit www.alliedwasteutah.com for more information on recycling.

ADULT FEMALE JAZZ DANCE CLASS **Tuesday NIGHT:**

7:30-8:30pm Beg. to Int. \$30/mo
8:30-10pm Int. Plus \$45/month

Thursday MORNING:

9:30-10:30am. Beg. to Int. \$30/mo
10:30 am-noon Int. Plus \$45/mo

Held in the upstairs dance room in the Old P G Rec Center. **Contact Lacy Seegmiller at 801-427-2115.**



At The Library

Fall Classes Start Sept. 4th

Story Time: Tues. and Wed. 10, 11am, or 1 pm. Ages 3-6. 6 week session of stories, rhymes, songs, crafts and fun. No fee, but registration required. Sign up online or at the front desk.

Music and Movement: Mon. at 10, 11 am, or noon. 6 week session. Free, registration required. Class limited. Ages 3½ - 6.

Wee Read: Thurs. at 10, 11 am or noon. 6 week session. Learn how to encourage your baby's language development. 18-36 mos. Free, but registration required.

Great Reads for Girls/Book Bash for Boys: First fall event on Sept. 27th, 7 pm. For boys and girls, 8-16, with a caring adult. Join us for lively discussions, activities, friendship and fun! Pick up "Maniac Magee," by Jerry Spinelli, at the front desk.

READ Book Club: 10 am, first Thurs, starts Sept 6th. All invited.

BookEnders: Sept. 26th, 7 pm. Adult discussion and reading book group. This month: "Between Shades of Gray," by Ruta Sepetys.

Teens: 4 pm on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month. The Teen group is for those in Junior High or High School.

Basic Computer Class: Intro the Internet: Fri, Sept. 14th, 7 pm.

Learn how to search the internet, find documents, images, and more! Free class for beginning computer users, basic internet research skills. Call 801-785-3950, or see the Library.

Professional Writers Series: Sept. 20th, 7 pm. This event is held downstairs, and is free. This month will feature Heather B. Moore.

Twilight Tales; Tues. 7 pm. Story time for the whole family.

Spanish Storytime: Fri. 10:30 am. A bilingual storytime for Spanish and non-Spanish speakers. Les invitamos a la biblioteca para participar en una aventura y cuentos en ingles y en espanol.

The Pleasant Grove Orchestra will begin rehearsals for the 2012-13 season on **September 8th at 8 am** in the lower level of the Pleasant Grove Library. We especially need string players. **Call Jeralyn Merrill at 801-785-4721.**

Eagle Project in Pioneer Park - Jacob Brazell is attempting to furnish a cabin in Pioneer Park for his **Eagle Project** and needs donations of materials that would belong in a tappers cabin of the late 1800's. If you have access to anything or know where he can obtain something, please call him at 400-2249, 701-0711, or email soccerman12@gmail.com.



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Musical Theater Workshops

Center Stage Youth Performers is currently enrolling students.

BROADWAY BOUND

Ages: 5-7 years old

Sept. 6 through Feb. 2013.

Classes and rehearsals held each Thursday from 4:30-6:00 pm at Pleasant Grove's Lion's Club.

Fee: \$50/month, \$40 non-refundable registration/materials fee

PERFORMANCE COMPANY

Ages: 8-18 years old

Classes begin: Sept. 5 through Apr.

2013. Classes and rehearsals will be each Wednesday from 4:00-6:30 pm at Pleasant Grove's Lion's Club.

Fee: \$55/month, \$50 non-refundable registration/materials fee.



Utah Children's Choir Begins 29th Season

The Utah Children's Choir has just finished its annual Choir Camp. The new season is about to begin with rehearsals starting the last week of August. Rehearsals are held at the P. G. Sr. Citizen's Center. Our director, Kay Asay, is still holding auditions for spots in the choir. The choir is open to all children between age 8-16, who love to sing and want to learn more about their own individual voice. Marilyn Rudolph, vocal coach for the choir, works with the children individually and Miss Asay rehearses them in the group setting. Education musically is one of our strong points. If you are interested in an audition please call Kay Asay at 801-756-6450.

Pleasant Grove Chamber of Commerce

Chamber of Commerce luncheon on **Fri. Sept. 14th, 11:45 am.** Register at www.plgrovechamber.org. Also, join us at the **Pleasant Grove Promenade** every Thurs. eve at the Downtown Park. For information call Jennifer Wright at 380-3179.

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Promenade

Thursday Evenings 5-9 PM
July 5th – September 27th, 2012

Historic Downtown Park



“Come Join The Fun!”

- Live Entertainment
- Outdoor Market
- Delicious Food
- Fresh Produce
- Children's Activities



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Community Events

- Sep 3** Labor Day
City offices closed
- Sep 4** City Council Meeting
6 pm
- Sep 8** Heritage Festival
8 am – 4 pm
- Sep 13** Planning Commission
7 pm
- Sep 13** Promenade Car Show
5 pm – 9 pm
- Sep 14** Chamber of Commerce
11:45 am
- Sep 18** City Council Meeting
6 pm
- Sep 29** Police Dept. Bike Sale
5 pm – 9 pm

Seniors Calendar Information:

Call 801-785-2818

Recreation News



- Fall Playtime Toddler & Kid** - Toddler class- mom and tot, 2-4yrs, 1 hour. Kids class- no moms required, 3-5yrs. (Must be potty trained) 1½ hours. Activities include: tot cooking, snack time, crafts, stories, singing, little sign language, games, gym, fieldtrips and holiday parties.
- Toddler Gym: Themed Play & Exercise** -Held on Wed, 10:30 am to 11:30 am. 5 sessions, 6 weeks each. Different themes each week. Adult required to attend with child. Ages 20 mos.-4 yrs. Any child participating needs to be enrolled in class. Snack is provided. Class starts Sep 5, 2012.
- TLC -Baby Sitting Camp**- Come learn fun skills to be a Great Baby Sitter. Sat, Sep 22nd, 9 am to 2:30 pm Lunch, baby sitting bag, booklet included.
- Chef Class**-Come join the fun! Cook a meal from start to finish in this 4 week class. Starts Oct 16 and goes to Nov 13. Held on Tues 4- 5:30pm. Register by Oct 10 and get \$5.00 off on full class fee.
- Halloween Cooking**- Make Halloween pretzel sticks, pumpkin cupcakes, apple nachos and pumpkin decorating. Bring a medium pumpkin to decorate. Sat, Oct. 27-10 am - 12:00 pm. Register early!
- Pie Class** - We will be making pie crust and fruit pie, Fruit Loop pie and mini pumpkin pies. Saturday, Nov. 17th 10 am -12 pm.
- After School Chess Club**- An opportunity for kids and adults to develop critical thinking while mastering the fundamentals of chess. Classes held on Thursday from 4 pm - 5 pm. *Beginners & Advanced – Adults are welcome!*
- Swiss Chess Tournament** -Sat, Oct 20, 8:30 am -2:30 pm. Register on line.
- Great Pumpkin Fest** - Family Fun Night - Monday, Oct 29th from 6:30-8:30 pm. Dinner, carnival games, prizes, jump house, monster slide and bat cave maze. Enter pre-carved pumpkin contest and costume contest.
- Build a party**- Let us help you build a party! Cost varies depending on party theme and activity. To book a party call Vanessa at 785-6172.
- Reserve your spot -“To Scrap Or Not to Scrap”- Over Nighter** - Scrapbooking plus bring other projects to work on. Fri, 4 pm – Sat, 8 pm.

See web site or the community center for more information.



September Special

\$25 for 18 holes

with cart after 10 am Sun - Thurs.
Must have 4-some group w/ coupon.
Plan to catch breakfast, lunch or dinner at The Fox Den.

SUMMER HOURS: 6 am to dark
7 days a week.

RANGE HOURS: Mon - Sat
6 am to dark. Sunday 6 am to 2 pm.
Use the FOXHOLLOW application on your phone to schedule a tee time or call 801-756-3594.

Maverik Open House

Sept 12th, 300 E State St.
Ribbon cutting at 4 pm.
Prizes and give a-ways.



Hazards of Radon Gas - Radon gas is the second leading cause of lung cancer nationwide. Nonsmokers make up 2,900 of those who die each year from lung cancer. Breathing radon over prolonged periods of time can present a significant risk. The gas develops from the breakdown of uranium of other minerals in soils, rock and water sources, and negative pressure draws it into homes. Even for nonsmokers, State Epidemiologist Dr. Robert Rolfs said the radon issue is widespread enough that every home should be tested: 34.5% of homes in Utah have high levels of radon gas, for which the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency recommends action.



For more information, call Bob Miles at 785-4565.