EAGLE MOUNTAIN CITY, UTAH

# THE EAGLE MOUNTAIN VIEWS



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## FROM THE MAYOR'S DESK

#### THIS MONTH I THOUGHT I Would take some time and Update you on several things That are going on in the city.

First of all, our splash pad is now open in Nolan Park. After the water is activated, it runs for about fifteen minutes until it is activated again. The water is clean culinary water that is collected in a tank and then reused to irrigate Nolan Park. We hope you enjoy this new feature in our park. Please take note of the new sod that was laid around the pad. It will be watered frequently, and please do not sit on it until it has taken root. Thank you.

On June 15, 2011 the Alpine School District Board held a joint meeting with the Eagle Mountain City Council. We appreciated the opportunity to discuss future planning of our city with the district. At that meeting they informed us that the district had completed their due diligence study on the potential sites for the new middle school. The school district told us that an agreement for the purchase of the middle school site property would be on the agenda for the June 21, 2011 meeting. The agreement was approved and the site chosen is the site that is north of our Mid-Valley Park on the west side of Sweetwater Road. The middle school will not be built unless the bond resolution passes in November. We will keep you informed as new information becomes available to us.

Lastly let's talk about the road construction projects in Eagle Mountain. The S.R. 73 project is moving right along. We are looking forward to the completion sometime in August. They should be finishing with the intersection at Ranches Parkway within the next week or so. The Pony Express Pkwy project will have the repaving completed this week, with the exception



Mayor Jackson and Council Members Donna Burnham, Jon Celaya, and Ryan Ireland officially opened the splash pad at Nolan Park on July 1.

of the turn lane into Plum Creek at Fire Station #2 and the turn lane at SilverLake Parkway. There will be a micro surfacing of Pony Express Pkwy that will be taking place in late August and you may see some sealing going on between now and then. We hope that the majority of the orange barrels will be gone soon. We are glad to have these improvements occurring.

One final note, we have a couple of new restaurants that have opened. (Read more about them on pg. 3) Please make sure that you purchase from our local businesses. If we want to get more business to come, we must show that we support what is here and that it is viable to locate a new business in Eagle Mountain.

Enjoy the summer. It goes by so quickly.

Mayor Heather Jackson



Kids enjoy themselves at the Nolan Park Splash Pad opening on July 1. The Splash Pad hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily. To activate the water, wave your hand over the green post at the north east corner of the splash pad. It is on a timer system and may need to be reactivated during your play time there.

## Business Incubator Update

The City is still accepting applications for businesses interested in participating in our Business Incubator Development Program (BIDP).

Participation in the program includes office space, equipment, and phone and internet service at free and reduced rates.

Information on the program and applications are available at www.eaglemountaincity.com/incubator.



## EM CITY NEWS Trivia Contest

## What are the hours for the splash pad at Nolan Park?

## 2011 Citizen Satisfaction Survey— Enter to Win Utility Bill Credit

Eagle Mountain City is seeking feedback from our residents on specific questions to determine public perception on matters related to the City and its development.

The survey is limited to Eagle Mountain residents ages 18 and older.

Those who complete the survey will have an opportunity to enter a drawing to win a \$100, \$75, or \$50 credit on their utility bill.

Go to www.eaglemountaincity.com/survey for more information. The survey will be available until July 31, 2011.



Business incubator participants, city officials, representatives from the Economic Development Board, and the Lehi Area Chamber of Commerce cut the ribbon at the Business Incubator Development Program opening.

If you can correctly answer this city news trivia question, you may win a certificate for **<u>\$50</u>** off your utility bill.

E-mail an answer with your name, address, and phone **after 8:00 a.m. on July 18 and before 5:00 p.m. on July 19** to news@emcity.org. All correct entries will be included in a drawing for the certificate.

Congratulations to last month's winner, Amanda Barnson!

Winners and family not eligible again for one year. City employees and immediate family not eligible.



## New Eateries Add Flavor to EM

Two new food establishments opened in Eagle Mountain recently, offering residents tasty options close to home. Simply Ice Cream lives up to its name, offering a variety of Farr's ice cream presented several ways, including cones, sundaes, and shakes. Tita's Grill at The Ranches Golf Club serves traditional grill items with a Polynesian flair, with some island favorites and Asian fare such as Kalbi short ribs and chicken and beef teriyaki.

Simply Ice Cream is located at 3535 E. Ranches Pkwy, Ste. C (next to Great Clips). Their phone number is 801-789-8556. Hours are Monday-Thursday, 11-9:30 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 11-10 p.m.; Sunday, 12-7 p.m. Prices start at \$1.75 for a single scoop cone.

"It's been a great response," Simply Ice Cream's Samantha Smith says about community support since their opening. "People have welcomed us and say they really want us to stay." Smith co-owns the business with her husband, Robert. They are Eagle Mountain residents and wanted to locate their business here. The Smiths plan to offer cold weather friendlier fare starting in the fall, such as coffee and hot chocolate.

Tita's Grill is located in The Ranches Golf Club clubhouse at 4128 E. Clubhouse Lane. Their phone number is 801-789 -8103. Hours are 7:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. daily. They also have a bakery featuring Polynesian bread and other delicacies, as well as catering services and



daily lunch specials. Most entrees are under \$10.

## NEWS BRIEFS

**Fireworks Restrictions** — New State fireworks requirements are posted on the main page of the city website. Fireworks are now legal to be used in Utah from June 26 through July 26. Eagle Mountain City is banning fireworks from being shot off on Lake Mountain Road, as well as areas behind homes on Lake Mountain. Areas that are restricted, including behind homes on Lake Mountain, include parts of neighborhoods such as Point Lookout, Castle Rock, Jacobs Well, Skyline Ridge and areas north of North Ranch and Meadow Ranch. Residents may light fireworks in these neighborhoods, just not in brush areas where natural fuels could precipitate a fire starting and threatening homes.

**Utilities Office Hours Change** — As of July 1, 2011, the utilities office hours have changed to 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

**SR-73 Widening Project** — While construction is underway on the SR-73 widening project, please be advised UDOT has noticed a number of residents jogging or bicycling through the construction work zone. It is not safe for anyone to be inside the work zone with all the heavy equipment there. We would ask that for everyone's safety, residents please use an alternate route while UDOT is working on SR-73.

#### Seniors Raise Money to Help an EM Family —

The Eagle Mountain Seniors group donated over \$400, raised at their Pony Express Days booth, to provide a headstone for a family in Eagle Mountain whose child passed away.

#### Ranches Academy Earns Money from PED — The

Ranches Academy earned \$2,000 from providing parking services at the Clint Black Concert during Pony Express Days. Each of the local schools helped to run some of the PED events for a share of the proceeds.

#### Pint-for-Pint Campaign Addresses Potential

**Blood Shortage** — Share a pint of blood during July or August and MountainStar Blood Services (MBS) will give you a coupon good for a frosty treat. It's part of the Pint-for-Pint promotion that rewards volunteer blood donors. Coupons for ice cream, shakes, or frozen custard are available at the Provo donor center, 152 West 1230 North. The center is open Monday-Friday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Call 1.877.45.BLOOD for the dates and times of convenient mobile blood drives throughout Utah County.



The City welcomed home several soldiers from the 141st Military Intelligence Battalion in June, including SSG David Santiago, SSG Keith Moon, SSG Leo Vongphakdy, SFC Kelly Summers, MAJ Matthew Cousins, and pictured here (L-R: SSG Brent Williams, SSG Jonathan Berry, and SGT Jeff Lambert, with their families).

## SENIORS' CORNER

Summer Barbecue

Saturday, July 30, 5 p.m. Nolan Park Pavilion

#### **Monthly Activities:**

**Game Night** — first Monday at 5 p.m.; more info, contact Myron and Sandy Ring at 801-766-0547

**Dominoes** — first Wednesday at 1:30 PM; more info, contact Lee at 789-6326

**Lunch Bunch** — first Thursday; meet at Chevron in The Ranches at 11:00 AM to carpool to a restaurant; more info, contact Pat at 801-623-2214.

**Craft Class** — second Monday at 1 PM; basement training room at City Hall; more info, contact Joye at 789-7544

- , **Bunco** second Thursday at 1 PM (bring \$5 prize)
- Bingo third Monday at 5 PM

Book Club — third Tuesday at 5 PM; city council
 chambers; contact Diane at 789-8663

Mahjongg — third Thursday at Noon; bring a sack lunch and drink

Canasta — fourth Thursday at Noon; bring a sack lunch
 and drink; for more info, contact Pat at 801-623-2214.

Activities are held in the city council chambers unless specified.Check the city website for updates or call Carroll at 801-318-1595.



## 2011 ELECTION INFORMATION

This year's Primary Election will be held on September 13. The General Election will be held on

November 8.

Candidate filing dates for this year's election are from July 1 – July 15 (ending at 5:30 p.m. on the 15th). There are three, 4-year city council seats open. Candidates must file in person at the Recorder's Office.

Voter registration deadlines for the Primary Election are August 15 (by mail) and August 29 (in person at the County Clerk's office in Provo). Registration deadlines for the General Election are October 10 (by mail) and October 24 (in person).

Additional information may be found on the city, county and state websites:

eaglemountaincity.com, utahcountyonline.com and vote.utah.gov.



**Ranches Junior Camp** — The Ranches Golf Club and Eagle Mountain City are holding a junior golf camp for young players ages 6–16

looking to either try a fun new sport or improve at the sport they all ready love.

Dates: July 18, 19, 20, and 21

**Time:** 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

**Cost:** \$60.00 entry fee per player per session (register at www.eaglemountaincity.com on the Parks & Rec page)

#### Instruction in:

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Driving, Iron Play, Chipping, Putting, Basic Rules & Etiquette

Players will be separated by age and skill level each day for instruction. Each player will receive a gift package and free nine hole green fee for joining the clinic.

There will be a skills competition with prizes, as well as a parent/child BBQ on the last day of the clinic.

Vanguard Golf Night returns for 2011 Season!

Every Tuesday after 3 p.m., play 9 holes for \$13.

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## EM FIRE Department

#### 2011 CPR Class Schedule

The Eagle Mountain Fire Department offers three separate CPR classes. These classes vary in curriculum, so review the course details below to see what class works best for you. To sign up, email Captain Steve Conger at sconger@emcity.org.

CPR Classes are held the first Thursday night of the month at Fire Station # 2 in The Ranches. (3785 E Ranches Pkwy)

Babysitter classes will be held on Saturdays at City Hall or at Fire Station # 2 in The Ranches. Prior to the class, you will be contacted by a representative of the fire department to determine the location.

Class:	CPR Certification for the Community
Details:	This is the American Heart Association's Basic Heartsaver class for the common citizen. Any one is welcome to enroll in this class. An AHA CPR Certification card will be issued after com pletion of this course. Cost is \$15.
Dates:	August 4 and October 6, 2011
Location:	Station # 2 in the Ranches
Time:	7-9:30 p.m.
Class:	CPR Certification-Health Care Provider
Details:	This CPR course is for those that are required to hold a CPR card for work purposes, such as life guards, nurses, EMT's, etc. If your line of work is in the health care field, this course will fulfill the job requirement. AHA BLS curriculum is used. Cost is \$30 and includes a manual.
Dates:	Held Annually: September 1, 2011
Location:	Station # 2 in the Ranches
Time:	7-9:30 p.m.
Class:	Babysitter CPR and Safety
Details:	This class is for pre-teen to teenagers (recommended ages 11-15) who will be caring for toddlers and infants on their own. Topics include infant and child CPR, how to deal with emergencies and how to prevent them from happening. This course is FREE.
Dates:	Held Quarterly: August 27 and November 19
Location:	Station # 2 in the Ranches
Time:	9 a.m12 p.m.
For questions regarding CPR or other classes, please contact: Cpt. Steve Conger at 801-420-2897 or sconger@emcity.org	



## Wakeboard Park Plan Approved

Plans are moving forward for Utah's first wakeboard park to be located in Eagle Mountain. A site south of Pony Express Regional Park in City Center has been approved by the Planning Commission and City Council.

Working under the name Wasatch Wake Park, owner Darcy Hanks hopes to begin construction sometime this summer on land leased from the state School and Institutional Trust Lands Administration. There will be two phases of the park, with the first phase set to feature two 680-foot-long artificial lakes using 3 million gallons of water. The park will use two twenty foot towers with a cable system running between the towers to pull riders.

Hanks plans to keep the park open in summer and winter, with wakeboarding in the summer and snowboarding and possibly tubing in the winter.

Pricing is not set, but Hanks is considering \$25 for a two-hour pass, \$29 for a four-hour pass, and \$35 for an all-day pass. Equipment rental and lessons will also be available.

Phase two is planned for one to two years after opening, featuring a larger, circular lake with six towers to allow for more riders at one time.

Eagle Mountain's location between the population centers of Salt Lake City and Provo was a large part of the appeal for Hanks to build the park here. Wakeboard parks are becoming popular around the country as a venue for enthusiasts to wakeboard without having to own a boat.



## Miss EM 2010 Awarded at Miss Utah Pageant

Miss Eagle Mountain 2010, Hartley Lojik, received two awards at the Miss Utah pageant on June 25. Lojik was awarded the "Spirit of Miss Utah" award (Miss Congeniality). All 50 contestants, the hostesses, and the Miss Utah Board members voted on the award. She is the first Miss Eagle Mountain to win an award at the Miss Utah pageant, which is affiliated with the Miss America pageant.

Lojik also won the Outreach Competition by signing up the most people for the Child Protection Registry, an organization dedicated to protecting Utah families from adult-oriented solicitations.

Miss Utah Valley University, Danica Olsen of Tooele was crowned Miss Utah 2011 at the event held at the Capitol Theater in Salt Lake City. Olsen won a \$10,000 scholarship to continue her education, a new car from Murdock Motors and housing for a year.

The first runner-up was Miss Pioneer Valley McKenna Wheeler, who earned a \$3,000 scholarship. Second runner-up and a \$1,500 scholarship went to Miss Davis County, Ciera Pekarcik. Third runner-up was Miss Draper Shelby Dixon, earning an \$800 scholarship. Fourth runner-up was Miss Rocky Mountain Hannah Christensen, earning a \$600 scholarship.

## City Code—Animal Control

Following is part of the City Code pertaining to animal control, as a reminder to residents to please follow the code if you own animals:

6.05.110 Dogs running at large.

A. It is unlawful for the owner or person having charge, care, custody, or control of any dog to allow such dog at any time to run at large. The owner or person charged with responsibility for a dog found running at large shall be strictly liable for any violation(s) committed by the dog, regardless of whether or not the person knows the dog is running at large.

B. Trained dogs under the supervision of the owner may be at large while participation in field trials and obedience classes organized and sanctioned by recognized dog clubs, while assisting their owner or trainer in legal hunting or in herding of livestock, while assisting a peace officer engaged in law enforcement duties, or while being trained for the above purposes so long as such dogs are under direct and effective sound or gesture control within sight of such individuals to assure that they do not violate any other provisions of law. [Ord. O-18-2001 § 5-2-11].

#### 6.05.120 Cats running at large.

It is unlawful for the owner or person having charge, care, custody, or control of any cat to allow such cat to run at large on the property of another. The owner or person charged with responsibility for a cat found running at large shall be strictly liable for any violation(s) committed by the cat, regardless of whether or not the person knows the cat is running at large. [Ord. O-18-2001 § 5-2-12].

#### 6.05.130 Public nuisance.

The introduction, possession or maintenance of any animal, or the allowing of any animal to be in contravention of this chapter is, in addition to being a misdemeanor, hereby declared to be a public nuisance. The department, public health officer, and peace officers are hereby authorized, directed and empowered to summarily abate any such public nuisance by any means reasonably necessary, including but not limited to the destruction of the animal or animals involved.

A. Any animal which does any of the following shall be deemed a nuisance:

1. Causes damage to the property of anyone other than its owner or custodian;

2. Is a vicious animal as defined in this chapter and kept in a manner contrary to this chapter;

3. Causes unreasonable fouling of the air by odors;

4. Causes unsanitary conditions in enclosures or surroundings;

5. Defecates on any public sidewalk, park or building, or on any private property without the consent of the owner of such private property unless the owner or custodian of such animal shall remove any such defecation to a proper trash receptacle. Unsighted persons while relying on a guide dog shall be exempt from this subsection.

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6. Barks, whines, or howls, or makes other disturbing noises in an excessive, continuous, or untimely fashion;

7. Molests passersby or chases passing vehicles;

8. Attacks other domestic animals;

9. Otherwise acts so as to constitute a nuisance or public nuisance under the provisions of Title 76, Chapter 10, Utah Code Annotated 1953.

B. An animal is a nuisance if it is determined by the department to be a nuisance by virtue of being offensive or dangerous to the public health, welfare, or safety.

C. Any animals which, by virtue of the number maintained, are determined by the department to be offensive or dangerous to the public health, welfare or safety. [Ord. O-18-2001 § 5-2-13].



### Horse Butte Wind Project Progresses

Representatives from 20 Utah cities gathered for a blade-signing celebration in June on-site at the Horse Butte Wind Project near Idaho Falls. Attendees toured the site and saw turbines in various stages of installation. Eagle Mountain is a participant in this project, which began construction in November 2010.

The Utah Associated Municipal Power Systems (UAMPS) project is a 57.6 megawatt wind farm in Bonneville County, Idaho. The 17,600-acre wind farm includes 32 turbines that each generate 1.8 megawatts. It is expected to begin operations by the end of this year.

The wind farm is a partnership between municipalities in Utah, California, Nevada, Idaho, and Wyoming - with Utah funding about 49 percent of the cost and receiving the same share of power. UAMPS is paying \$143 million to build the wind farm. The farm will connect to Bonneville Power Administration and Rocky Mountain Power.

## LIBRARY NOOK

**New App for Patrons** — The library offers a mobile app compatible with iPhone, iPod touch and iPad. This app gives you full functionality of your library account on-the-go! Go



to the iTunes store to download the app for FREE.

**Summer Reading** — There will be no summer reading event on Thursday July 14. We will resume the following week.

**Library Closures** — The library will close July 2 & 4, and July 23 & 25. Books will not be due on these days and may be kept until we reopen with no fines.

**Read-Aloud with ASD** — On Tuesday, July 12 the Alpine School District will have various volunteers coming to the library from 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. to read aloud. Come with your children to enjoy stories and fun at no cost.

**Library Board** — The library board will have its monthly meeting on Thursday July 28 at 7 p.m. at the library instead of the scheduled meeting of July 21.

**Chocolate** — The library staff is especially fond of chocolate...no preference.

**Used Book Sale** — Ongoing book sale shelf in library. Hardcover's \$1.00 each, paperbacks \$.50 each.

## icount Poll INFORMATION

The results of the City's latest poll on icount.com are in. The question was: Which of the following sports programs would you most like to see offered by the city, beyond what is already available?

Co-ed Volleyball—27% Youth Flag Football—27% Girls' Softball—20% Men's Basketball—20%

Women's Basketball—7%

Our current poll asks for your feedback on what amenities you'd like to see more of in city parks.

Register on icount.com to make your voice heard. This is a free service. The City will use poll results in our planning.

## Utah County Fair August 17–20 Spanish Fork Fairgrounds

Thompson Square in concert August 17 #1 Country hit "Are You Going To Kiss Me or Not" and chart topper "I Got You" 6:30 p.m. Tickets: \$18 Opening act Artie Hemphill & The Iron Horse Band

Disney's Imagination Movers in concert August 18 Emmy award winning musical group Reserved seats \$20 General Admission \$15 Limited VIP passes available



Tickets available at all Utah County Maceys Grocery locations and www.utcountyfair.com.

Ranch Rodeo August 19th - Free event for the whole family. The Ranch Rodeo serves as a living tribute to our Utah heritage. The Ranch Rodeo features competition between real cowboys from real working Utah ranches.

Demolition Derby August 20. FMX Stunt Riders half time show. Tickets available at Maceys only.

And much more! Info at www.utcountyfair.com.

## Service • Community • Fun Join us for the **UVU COMMUNITY CELEBRATION** Saturday, July 16

Lehi • Eagle Mountain • Saratoga Springs

MORNING

Service project in each city - 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. See uvualumni.org/cap

AFTERNOON

Community Bar-B-Que Meet at Wine Park in Lehi 12 p.m. to 2 p.m.

- Meet Willy the Wolverine
- Enjoy Giveaways
- Watch **Performances** by UVU's
  Performing Groups
- Learn How to **Become Involved** in the Future of UVU

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