



CEDAR HILLS

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Upcoming Events:

City Council Meeting 7:00 p.m.	Mar 15
Planning Commission Meeting 6:00 p.m.	Mar 24
City Council Meeting 7:00 p.m.	Apr 5
Easter Egg Hunt	Apr 23
Family Festival 2011	June 18-27

City Phone Numbers:

Dial 801-785-9668 then ext. number:
 Front Desk, 100
 City Recorder, 101
 Planning, 109
 Business Licensing, 108
 Building/Zoning, 105
 Utility Billing, 108
 Community Services, 114
 Public Works, 202
Other Phone Numbers (801):
 Public Works Emergency, 420-2243
 Golf Pro Shop, 796-1705
 Animal Control, 763-3020
 Police, 763-3020

OUR HOME TOWN

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Girl Scout Cookie Time!

The best part of Girl Scout cookie sales is having fun! Timpanogos Service Unit Director Stephanie Martinez (center) and Allison Thornbrugh, unit cookie manager (behind Martinez), gather with some of the 30 unit leaders and parents to break down 2,689 cases (32,268 boxes) of cookies on Feb. 28 at the City office building.



The unit includes Cedar Hills, Pleasant Grove, and Lindon, with over 160 Girl

Scouts, ranging in age from five to 18. The unit's top cookie seller this year was Hallie Martinez from Cedar Hills troop 808 (1,132 boxes!). This is her fifth year selling cookies. She will use her cookie credits to attend a camp this summer and go river rafting in Moab. Girl Scouting develops valuable life skills, while having fun, growing stronger, and making the world a better place. If you would like to know more, call Stephanie Martinez at 801-492-4429.

Poster Contest—"Trees are Terrific...Where you live and play!"

Students of Deerfield and Cedar Ridge Elementary schools are invited to participate in Utah's Arbor Day Poster Contest. Celebrate Arbor Day by creating an original poster with the theme: "Trees are Terrific...Where you live and play!" Visit www.arborday.utah.gov for contest rules and requirements for each poster. Submit entries to the Cedar Hills City office no later than Friday, March 11. Posters will be judged by our very own Youth City Council. Winners from each grade will be recognized and sent onto the regional competition.

A Night out with the Jazz—Tickets available until March 10

The City has discounted tickets for the March 28 Utah Jazz game with the Washington Wizards. Tickets are available at the City office until March 10. Cost is \$12.50 per ticket.

Spring Cleanup coming April 30 through May 7

The City will sponsor its 13th annual "Spring Clean-Up" effort from April 30 through May 7. The City will provide roll-off dumpsters to assist individuals and groups with projects. We appreciate residents who have taken an active role in making Cedar Hills a beautiful place to live and hope to see these efforts continue. **Group Projects:** The City is looking for groups that are interested in taking on some clean-up projects. If you have a project in mind, or if you are interested in helping and need ideas, please contact the City office. The City may have resources available to assist you in your efforts.

Open burn available April 1-30

The City offers an open-burn permit during the County's month-long burn window, April 1-30. Come to the City office for the free permit. More information about how to burn is available on the City's Web site on the "Sanitation" page. Open burning is only allowed within the designated burn window.

Pressurized Irrigation Reminder

The Public Works Department would like to remind all residents to close their individual pressurized irrigation valve in preparation for the system to be turned on and pressurized around April 15. Since water pressure may fluctuate during activation, closing the main valve will protect sprinkler systems from damage. If your property is not currently connected to the City's pressurized irrigation system, information is available on the City's Web site (click on "Residents" and then "Pressurized Irrigation"). A connection guide and diagram, as well as the necessary installation permit (no charge) and connection agreement, are all available. The City may be able to assist residents in locating individual lateral lines. Questions? Please contact Public Works at 801-785-9668, ext. 202, or by e-mail at public-works@cedarhills.org.



OUR HOME TOWN - MARCH 2011

City Meeting Updates

Work Session – Feb. 15, 2011

- Requests for proposal for waste/recycling services were discussed.

City Council Meeting – Feb. 15, 2011

- Bids were received from three companies for waste/recycling services: Allied Waste, Waste Management, and Ace Disposal. The item was continued to the next meeting.
- Second quarter financial statements were reviewed.
- The Council received information regarding a Utah County Metro Fire District that could assist with specialized needs, provide automatic aid, and possibly reduce training costs.
- Councilmember Jackman appointed Mayor Pro Tem. This appointment is made on a rotating basis among council members.

Annual Easter Egg Hunt—April 23

The Youth City Council presents the City's annual Easter Egg Hunt on Sat., April 23, at Heritage Park. Please note that this is the day before Easter. The hunt is for children ages 10 and under, and pictures will be taken with the Easter Bunny free of charge. Bring your own cameras, too. The hunt will begin promptly at 11:00 a.m.

TOT SOCCER offered this spring

The Recreation Department begins another season of Tot Soccer, which is a learn-to-play soccer league for three and four-year-olds. Children must turn three by May 1. The fee for the four-game season is \$10, and registration will be held online March 7 thru 31 from the City's Web site. The new online registration option offers convenience and flexibility, and residents are encouraged to utilize this new service. Games will be played on Tuesday evenings, starting April 12. For more information, contact Kaity at the City office, ext. 111, or e-mail: kw hittaker@cedarhills.org.

Call for photos of people & places in Cedar Hills

"Thank you" to those who submitted photos last month. We received some great pictures. Please keep them coming. Submissions will be accepted indefinitely. The City claims non-exclusive rights to use submitted photos for publicity purposes, including the newsletter and Web site. Photos may be e-mailed to frontdesk@cedarhills.org. Please provide name, phone number, and age, if under 18. All published photos will be credited.

Lone Peak Youth Cheer - Cedar Hills/Highland

Clinics and tryouts for grades 3-8 will be held March 24, 25, and 26 at TNT Allstars Gym, 308 South 1250 West, Lindon. For more information, please contact Director Jennie Bateman at 801-376-7374, or by e-mail at: jennierb6@gmail.com. Additional info may also be found online at: lpycheer.blogspot.com.

Cedar Ridge Kindergarten Registration

Children need to be five years old on or before August 1, 2011. No deadline, but registration is encouraged as soon as possible. The school's weekday office hours: 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The school will copy birth and immunization records for you. Questions? Please phone the school at 801-785-8726.

Dates set for Family Festival 2011

Mark your calendar now for Family Festival 2011. Various events will be scheduled for the week of June 18-27, with the parade, carnival, and fireworks on Saturday, June 25.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection – April 9

Residents with household hazardous waste items such as old gasoline, paint, and fluorescent light bulbs may dispose of these items safely on Saturday, April 9, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Orem Public Works Facility (1450 W 550 N). For details, please visit www.UtahCountyHealth.org/HHW or call 801-225-8538.

YEP11—Year of Emergency Preparedness 2011

During an emergency or disaster, land and cellular phone lines may be down or overloaded. If you are not with all of the members of your household, how will you communicate with each other? in the event that you are not able to communicate through local means, designate local and out-of-state emergency contacts for the entire household. If you have school-aged children: 1) Familiarize yourself with the school's emergency policy; 2) know the location of the school's designated emergency pick-up point, where students will be if the building is not safe; 3) and make sure that emergency-release forms are updated with current contact information. Establish a neighborhood meeting place if your home is inaccessible.

Kerry Baum, an emergency preparedness expert from Brigham Young University, said, "What you **HAVE** can come in handy, but it's what you **KNOW** that saves lives and makes a vital difference in an emergency situation. Below is a sample of a Family Communications Plan card, which FEMA suggests using. Make sure that every household member has a copy for the purse, wallet, or backpack. You should also post one at a central location in your home and keep one with your emergency supplies.

Other Important Phone Numbers & Information:

Family Communications Plan

Contact Name: _____
 Telephone: _____

Out-of-State Contact Name: _____
 Telephone: _____

Neighborhood Meeting Place: _____
 Meeting Place Telephone: _____

Dial 9-1-1 for Emergencies!

Storm Water Corner:
 Whenever possible, use natural fertilizers. Do not spill fertilizer on sidewalks or drive-ways, and only apply as much fertilizer as needed. If pesticides must be used, follow the directions on product labels and do not apply on exposed, eroding soil. Only use what you will need, and remember not to apply pesticides on windy or rainy days.

City Job Opportunities

Check the City's Web site employment page for openings at the Cedar Hills Golf Club and in the Public Works Department.

Census 2010 Results Population: 9,808; 2,444 households.