

The Richmond Record

A Newsletter for the Citizens of Richmond, Utah

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A Bit of Caution to Save Lives: In some ways it is hard to believe that October is here already. The sunlight is daily decreasing with the double jeopardy of the sun being in drivers eyes, eastbound or westbound, at a time of day when the children are going to or from school, and the earlier darkness “covering up” children playing. Please be extra careful as a driver – those young lives are not replaceable, and whose fault it might be doesn’t lessen the damage and loss to a family and a driver.

Micro-burst (windy) Photos: In the past several months, Richmond has experienced several micro-bursts that knocked down trees, caused property damage, and disrupted the community. Many citizens, along with City employees, came together to clean up after the storm. If anyone has photos of the damage, of volunteers or City employees working, or other activities related to the mayhem, we would be interested in getting copies for the Richmond archives at USU. Please drop copies off at the City Office by November 15th. Digital files on a CD are preferred.

Monthly Safety Tip: We have been getting a few phone calls about burn permits. The Fall burn season will be open from Oct 1st to Oct 31st. Here is how you get a burn permit. You can call (435) 932-0234. That will put you in touch with one of the members of the Richmond City Fire Department, who will be able to assist you. You can also call Cache County Fire District at (435) 755-1670.

Even though the burn season will be open, this does not mean that you will be able to burn when you want or what you want. There are many rules that must be followed. There may be some days that the burn index is too low. On these days we will not be issuing burn permits. Also you cannot burn on Sundays. You are also

limited to what you can burn. The things that are allowed are garden waste, branches, weeds, and other natural products. You are not allowed to burn construction waste, cardboard, plastics, tires, and other synthetics. If you have any questions on what you can and can't burn, please give us a call and we will be happy to help you.

You need to have an adult present at all times while burning. All fires must be completely out before dark, unless special permission is granted. There may be a site inspection before a permit is issued and random inspection after the fire is started. If there are things that are being burned that are not allowed, you will be issued a ticket. There are other rules that will be told to you when you call to get a burn permit.

Remember to be safe when burning. Make sure before you start the fire that you have already prepared the area so that the fire can't spread. Also have in place ways that you can control the fire and extinguish the fire as necessary. Remember if the fire spreads, you may be held liable for the cost to extinguish it, and the cost of property loss.

Let's keep everyone safe, as safety is our number one priority. Richmond City Fire Department

Candidate Appearance: You are cordially invited to a Freedom Forum with SCOTT BRADLEY (U.S. Senate Candidate). Richmond Civic Center, 6 West Main St., Friday, October 29, 2010, 7:00 pm.

Followed by a "Question and Answer" period."

Library News and Views: “Reading is a basic tool in the living of a good life.” -Mortimer J. Alder

Come meet your candidates for the Cache County Board of Education, October 7, at 7:00 PM, in the basement of the Richmond Library. Share ideas, ask questions and bring solutions. Board candidates Garrick Hall and Mindee Hoopes will be leading the discussion. Refreshments will be served.

Teen Read Week – Oct 18-23 This year's National Teen Read Week theme is "Books with Beat". If you don't know of a book with beat, you might find something to fit the bill during this fun-filled week. Come to the library and enjoy a week full of fun activities, including: book give-aways, drawings, contests, games, puzzles, and treats.

Preschool Story Hour Schedule:

- Oct. 7 Fall Colors
- Oct. 14 NO STORY HOUR (UEA)
- Oct. 21 Apples
- Oct. 28 Pumpkin Time

New Children Books:

Vampires Do Hunt Marshmallows by Marcia Thornton Jones

The Classroom at the End of the Hall by Douglas Evans

The Phantom Mudder by Darrel Odgers

Math Rashes and other Classroom Tales by Douglas Evans

DVDs: Looney Tunes Movie Collection, Flushed Away

New Teen Books:

Heist Society by Ally Carter

Sabotaged by Margaret Peterson Haddix

Hope was Here by Joan Bauer

Mockingjay - Hunger Games #3 (also in audio) by Suzanne Collins

That Summer, Lock and Key, Someone Like You, and *The Truth About Forever* by Sarah Dessen

Audio: *Be Who You Are* by Hank Smith

Adult Books:

Luck of the Draw by Rachael Renee Anderson

Reluctant Soldier, Reluctant Saint by Tom Roulstone

Tranquil Light by Anita Stansfield

The Reluctant Heiress by Eva Ibbotson

Shroud for a Nightingale by P. D. James

Pardonable Lies by Jacqueline Winspear

Several new inspirational romance titles by various authors

Killing Time by Della Van Hise

Prayers and Promises for Every Day From the Living Bible by Corrie Ten Boom

Not without Hope by Nick Schuyler

New Audios:

Take One, Take Two, and Take Three by Karen Kingsbury

Lion in the Valley by Elizabeth Peters

The Messiah by Paul Thomas Smith

The Silence of God by Gale Sears

The library will be closed on Columbus Day, Monday, October 11th.

Lions Club and Calendar: The Lions Club will be selling Lions Club calendars again this year. This is the main funding source for the Club and these funds are used within the local community to assist those in need. Typically the Club will assist several local citizens each year in the purchase of prescription eyeglasses or reading glasses. Also the Club typically completes a community service project each year. Please know that your purchase of a Lions Club calendar supports this effort in a direct manner.

If you would like to purchase a calendar please contact a member of the Lions Club or call Curt Kidd at 258-5296 You may put in up to six listings for the \$8 cost of the calendar. If you desire a birthday or other event listed, please contact Curt before October 15th.