

The Richmond Record

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Photo Calls!

The DUP is putting together a photo of all residents of Richmond who are over 75. Meet at the Relief Society Building (15 E Main) at 10:30 a.m. on April 5th.

A reminder that the Richmond Fire & Rescue Department is requesting any information about the history of the department: members, photos, newspaper articles, etc. Any information may be emailed to Katie Wallentine at 528kems@gmail.com.

HEAT Financial Assistance Program

The HEAT Program is a federally funded assistance program designed to help low-income, elderly and disabled households with home energy costs.

The HEAT program is open Nov 1st through April 30th or until federal funds are exhausted.

Eligibility and benefit amounts are determined by number of U.S. residents or permanent residents in the household, household income, household size, and energy costs (fuel and electric bills). Household must be under 150% of the Federal Poverty Level.

HEAT benefits are a one-time payment and will not cover your entire winter heating costs.

The HEAT Program is located in the BRAG Offices at 170 N Main in Logan. To schedule an appointment please call (435) 713-1444.

Caucus Nights

The Republican Caucus night will be Tuesday, March 20th, while the Democratic Caucus will be held Thursday, March 22nd. Meeting places and times may be found at the respective party websites:

cachegop.com/event/2018-caucus-night/ or www.cachedems.org/caucus-night.html

All registered voters are encouraged to attend their respective caucus. If you are not currently registered or need to change your address, you may do so [online](#).

Information about issues of importance to each party may be found on the state political party websites. Other political parties in Utah may also be holding caucus meetings.

Richmond Youth Sports

Spring Recreation Soccer registration closes March 4th. Until then, you can sign up online at www.northernutahunited.com or drop off your registration form with your payment to the Richmond City Office. Make checks payable to N.U.U.

After the March 4th deadline, you'll need to contact a member of the Richmond Sports Committee to see if there is room on a team: richmondutsports@gmail.com or (435) 932-0257.

We are in need of referees. If you are interested, you can email the sports committee or call Holly at (435) 890-3223. There will be a referee training clinic before games start. Games start the week of April 9th.

Baseball registration closes March 23rd. We'll only accept registration after that if there is room on a team. Sign up through the Richmond City Office; make checks payable to Richmond City. Forms are available at the office or on the [website](#). Be sure to fill out both sides!

Age is as of April 30th. All divisions include a shirt and hat.

T-Ball - Boys & Girls ages 5 & 6; \$25 (Wed. & Fri. Game days)

Coach Pitch - Boys & Girls ages 7 & 8; \$25 (Wed. & Fri. Game days)

Slow-pitch Ponytail - Girls ages 9 -12; \$30 (Thu. Game days)

Minors - Boys ages 9 & 10; \$45 (Wed. & Fri. Game days)

Majors - Boys ages 11 & 12; \$45 (Tue. & Thu. Game days)

Game days are subject to change.

Call (435) 932-0257 for questions or to volunteer. We need coaches for all divisions, and score keepers for Ponytail, Minors, and Majors. We need Umpires for home games (Cub River Sports Complex) for Ponytail, Minors, and Majors. We pay \$20 per game.

State of the City Address



The mayor and council presented the State of the City address on February 22nd. Among topics discussed were the renovation of the Park School building, options for the northwest corner of the city park (where the old Texaco station

was located), and the city budget—sources of revenue, costs associated with our growing community, and possible property tax increase.

For information on the Park Renovation, check out the city [website](#). Contact the mayor and council with questions or suggestions on the topics above. A booth with information about the renovation will be at Black & White Days as well.

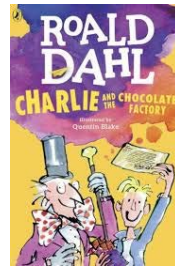
Thanks to all who attended this presentation that was sponsored by the Richmond Library and Richmond Lions Club!

The Richmond Library

A citizen's door to lifelong learning

It's a fact...

The average household in Salt Lake County pays \$169.61 per year for library service (less for Cache County). For that amount you could...Buy about 6 hardcover fiction books or Buy a couple of all-day ski lift tickets.



One Book-One School-One Community: **Read the book—enter the drawing—join the fun!!**

Everyone who reads *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory* with White Pine Elementary can enter a drawing for the movie as well as other prizes. Last day to enter the drawing will be Wednesday, March 28th.

Presentation



Mark Anderson will be sharing his expertise on preparing, planting, and producing an amazing garden, growing an incredible lawn or pruning your trees. Come with any questions you need answered. See you **Thursday, March 15th at 7:00 p.m.** in the basement of the library.

Baby Story Time: Tuesday @ 9:30 a.m.
2nd & 4th weeks only

Preschool Story Time: Thursdays @ 10:30 a.m.

Check our website for more information
<http://richmondlibrary.us/>

Robotics

Where: The Library Basement

When: EVERY Wednesday

Time: 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Who: Students 2nd-8th grade (younger children may attend with a parent)

Call the library with any questions: 258-5525

New Arrivals

To view a list of our new materials, check the resource lists on our catalog from home or the library: <http://richmondlibrary.us/>

The library is closed for all state and national holidays.

Time Together Workshops

White Pine Elementary is sponsoring a series of workshops for parents to help preschool children prepare for entering school. **Time Together Workshops** provide a take home kit

that can be used in your home. The kits need to be returned in good condition to White Pine Elementary in the fall of 2018. Child care, refreshments, and door prizes are provided. All workshops will be held in the media center at White Pine Elementary at 7:00 p.m. If you have any questions, please contact Belinda Burningham at Park Elementary: 258-2344, belinda.burningham@ccsdut.org

Workshops for parents of children entering school the fall 2018:

March 15

Workshops for parents of children entering school the fall of 2019:

March 8



Easter Egg Hunt

The Richmond Lions Club will be helping the Easter Bunny with the city's annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, March 31st, at 9:00 a.m. at the city park. This event is open to ages infant to 12 years old. It starts promptly at 9:00 and all of the eggs are gathered in approximately 43 seconds.

Behind the Uniform

Richmond Fire & Rescue Department



Getting to know the people behind the uniform: Richmond Fire Department would like to present Rebecca Watkins. Rebecca has been with Richmond Fire for 1 year. Rebecca was raised in Paradise. She is

married to Kevin, and they have two wonderful boys. They moved here just over a year ago. Rebecca works for Cache Valley Hospital as an OB Tech. In the year she has been on our department, she has completed the Wildland Fire training and just finished the EMT class. She is currently pursuing her nursing degree. Rebecca loves yoga, Zumba, hiking, and crochet. Welcome aboard! We look forward to working with you for many more years.

Upcoming March Activities:

Our biggest project for this year is locating all history about our department: department members, photos, newspaper articles—anything would be wonderful.

Any information can be emailed to Katie Wallentine at 528kems@gmail.com.

Watch the newsletter and our face book page for other upcoming events.

SAFETY TIP OF THE MONTH:

Time to Change the Clocks!

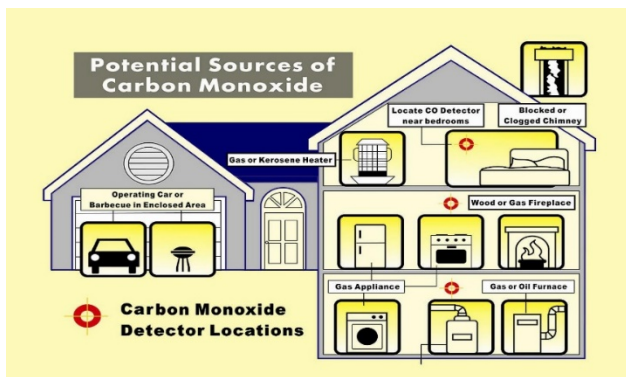
Daylight Saving Time begins every year on the second Sunday in March which is March 11, 2018. It's also a good time to review the following spring safety checklist:

Smoke Alarms

Three out of every five home fire deaths result from fires in homes with no smoke alarms, according to the National Fire Protection Association. Test your smoke alarms every month and replace the battery at least once a year. If the alarm makes a "chirping" sound, replace it immediately.

Smoke alarms should be in every bedroom and in the common areas on each floor of a home. Mount them at least 10 feet from the stove to reduce false alarms, less than 12 inches from the ceiling and away from windows, doors and ducts.

Smoke alarms can be interconnected wirelessly. That means, when one sounds, they all sound. A Consumer Product Safety Commission survey found this is the best way to notify everyone in a home if there is a fire. Be sure to purchase smoke alarms with the label of a reputable testing agency, like Underwriters Laboratories (UL).



Carbon Monoxide Detectors

Anything that burns fuel can potentially become a source of carbon monoxide, an invisible, odorless gas that can kill. CO alarms should be installed in a central location outside each bedroom and on every level of the home. The safety tips for CO detectors mirror those of smoke alarms: change the batteries, test them and interconnect them, if possible.

Also, make sure vents for your gas appliances (fireplace, dryer, stove and furnace) are free and clear of snow or debris.



Family Emergency Plan

The National Safety Council recommends every family have an emergency plan in place in the event of a natural disaster or other catastrophic event. Spring is a great time to review that plan with family members.

Have a home and car emergency kit. The Federal Emergency Management Agency says

an emergency kit should include one gallon of water per day for each person, at least a three-day supply of food, flashlight and batteries, first aid kit, filter mask, plastic sheeting and duct tape, and medicines. Visit the FEMA website for a complete list.

The emergency plan also should include:

A communications plan to outline how your family members will contact one another and where to meet if it's safe to go outside

A shelter-in-place plan if outside air is contaminated; FEMA recommends sealing windows, doors and air vents with plastic sheeting

A getaway plan including various routes and destinations in different directions

Also, make sure your first aid kit is updated.

You can buy first-aid kits at many drugstores or assemble your own. You may want to tailor your kit based on your activities and needs. A basic first-aid kit includes

- Basic supplies
- Adhesive tape
- Elastic wrap bandages
- Bandage strips and "butterfly" bandages in assorted sizes
- Nonstick sterile bandages and roller gauze in assorted sizes
- Eye shield or pad
- Triangular bandage
- Aluminum finger split
- Instant cold packs
- Cotton balls and cotton-tipped swabs
- Disposable nonlatex examination gloves, several pairs
- Duct tape
- Petroleum jelly or other lubricant
- Plastic bags, assorted sizes
- Safety pins in assorted sizes
- Scissors and tweezers
- Soap or hand sanitizer
- Antibiotic ointment
- Antiseptic solution and towelettes
- Eyewash solution
- Thermometer
- Turkey baster or other bulb suction device for flushing wounds
- Breathing barrier

- Syringe, medicine cup or spoon
- First-aid manual
- **Medications**
- Aloe vera gel
- Calamine lotion
- Anti-diarrhea medication
- Laxative
- Antacids
- Antihistamine, such as diphenhydramine
- Pain relievers, such as acetaminophen (Tylenol, others), ibuprofen (Advil, Motrin IB, others) and aspirin (never give aspirin to children)
- Hydrocortisone cream
- Cough and cold medications
- Personal medications that don't need refrigeration
- Auto-injector of epinephrine, if prescribed by your doctor
- **Emergency items**
- Emergency phone numbers, including contact information for your family doctor and pediatrician, local emergency services, emergency road service providers, and the poison help line, which in the United States is 800-222-1222.
- Medical consent forms for each family member
- Medical history forms for each family member
- Small, waterproof flashlight or headlamp and extra batteries
- Waterproof matches
- Small notepad and waterproof writing instrument
- Emergency space blanket
- Cell phone with solar charger
- Sunscreen
- Insect repellent
- Whistle

Give your kit a checkup

Check your first-aid kits regularly to be sure the flashlight batteries work and to replace supplies that have expired or been used up.

Consider taking a first-aid course through the American Red Cross. Contact your local chapter for information on classes.

Prepare children for medical emergencies in age-appropriate ways. The American Red Cross offers a number of helpful resources, including classes designed to help children understand and use first-aid techniques.

Richmond Fire 

Winter Reminders

The Winter Parking Ordinance is in effect from November 1st through March 31st.

Vehicles CANNOT be parked on city streets from 10:00 P.M. to 7:00 A.M. daily or a citation can be written. Please help us keep your vehicles safe from damage and our snowplow drivers safe as well.

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Richmond City Website

Visit the website at www.richmond-utah.com for information on council meetings, public safety, resident info (utilities, licenses, permits), and much more.

Richmond City on Facebook

The city has an official Facebook page at www.facebook.com/richmondcityutah.

Community Response System

If you're interested in joining the city's community response system, please send an email to communityresponse@richmond-utah.com. If you'd like information on the system, send your request to the above email address.

Newsletter Submissions

Send to terlou38@gmail.com by the 20th of each month.

