

CLINTON CITY RECREATION NEWS

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Last Chance -- YOUTH JR JAZZ BASKETBALL

Late sign-ups for Jr. Jazz Basketball are being accepted for leagues that still have openings. Cost for registration is \$60 and includes jersey, certified officials and scorekeepers, Utah Jazz clinic and two (2) tickets to a Utah Jazz game. Practices have already begun for all leagues; games start in January.

❖ JAZZ TICKET ON SALE NOW

Tickets for the Monday, January 7th Utah Jazz vs. Dallas Mavericks game are on sale now for \$11 each at the Recreation office 1651 W 2300 N.

DO YOU WANT TO COACH FOOTBALL?

If you are interested in coaching contact football in Clinton for the upcoming 2013 Seahawk season, training classes will begin in February. Please come by the recreation office and fill out an application before the first week of January. Training is mandatory for coaching and is part of the Mark of Excellence Coach and Youth Development program in Clinton.

ONLINE HUNTER SAFETY CLASSES - JANUARY & FEBRUARY
Space is limited – Pre Registration is required!
Mandatory attendance is required for field day class & range date.

Step 1: Pay \$10 for a voucher at any location where Hunting & Fishing licenses are sold. Bring that voucher to Clinton City Rec. 1651 W 2300 N to register for field day class.

Step 2: Pay \$10 at Clinton Rec. After registration, begin online portion of course which may take 10-12 hours to complete.

Step 3: Attend field day class and range day. Bring receipt from Clinton City, voucher and all internet tests or completion certificate to field day class. ***All tests must be 100% correct. BRING YOUR CASED .22 RIFLE. NO AMMUNITION.***

- **1st January field day class Jan 8 / range day Jan 12.**
- **2nd January field day class Jan 22 / range day Jan 26.**
- **1st February field day class Feb 5 / range day Feb 9.**
- **2nd February field day class Feb 19 / range day Feb 23.**

West Davis Corridor Update

Both Alternatives A and B are being studied as part of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (Draft EIS). Currently, chapters of the Draft EIS document are being drafted and the team is conducting a comprehensive analysis on impacts such as noise, water quality, and air quality. The results of this in-depth analysis will be presented in the Draft EIS, which is expected to be released in spring 2013, along with a public hearing process. A final Record of Decision is not expected until the study is complete in 2014. For the latest information, including maps, data, and project schedule, please visit the project website at www.udot.utah.gov/westdavis.

As always, we encourage you to submit your comments and questions. The study team can be reached at 877-298-1991 or westdavis@utah.gov.

Business licenses for the 2012 business year will expire on December 31, 2012. Renewal applications will be mailed the first week of December. Please contact the Community Development Department at (801) 614-0740, if you have questions. Thank you!

*Please support our local businesses
this holiday season!!*

NOW OPEN IN CLINTON CITY

- Mountain Ridge Chiropractic
2207 West 1800 North, Ste B
214-232-4493
- CherryBerry
1737 North 2000 West, Ste A
- Standing Ovations Music School
928 West 1800 North, Ste I
801-436-7164
- Mountain America Federal
Credit Union
1737 North 2000 West, Ste A
801-773-3445

Holiday Fire Safety

Decorating homes and businesses is a long-standing tradition around the holiday season. Unfortunately, these same decorations may increase your chances of fire. Based on data from the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) and the U.S. Fire Administration (USFA), an estimated 240 home fires involving Christmas trees and another 150 home fires involving holiday lights and other decorative lighting occur each year. Together, these fires result in 21 deaths and \$25.2 million in direct property damage.

Following a few simple fire safety tips can keep electric lights, candles, and the ever popular Christmas tree from creating a tragedy. Learn how to prevent a fire and what to do in case a fire starts in your home. Make sure all exits are accessible and not blocked by decorations or trees. Help ensure that you have a fire safe holiday season.

Christmas Trees

What's a traditional Christmas morning scene without a beautifully decorated tree? If your household includes a natural tree in its festivities, make sure to "Keep the tree watered." Christmas trees account for hundreds of fires annually. Typically, shorts in electrical lights or open flames from candles, lighters or matches start tree fires. Well-watered trees are not a problem, however, a dry and neglected tree can be.

Selecting a Tree for the Holidays

Needles on fresh trees should be green and hard to pull back from the branches; the needles should not break if the tree has been freshly cut. The trunk should be sticky to the touch. Old trees can be identified by bouncing the tree trunk on the ground. If many needles fall off, the tree has been cut too long and, has probably dried out, and is a potential fire hazard.

Caring for Your Tree

Do not place your tree close to a heat source, including a fireplace or heat vent. The heat will dry out the tree, causing it to be more easily ignited by heat, flame or sparks. Be careful not to drop or flick cigarette ashes near a tree. Do not put your live tree up too early or leave it up for longer than two weeks. Keep the tree stand filled with water at all times.

Disposing of Your Tree

Never put tree branches or needles in a fireplace or wood-burning stove. When the tree becomes dry, discard it promptly.

Robinsons Waste Management will start picking up natural Christmas trees on January 7th 2012. Trees must be curbside before 7 A.M.

Have a Happy and Safe Holiday Season,

David Olsen, Clinton City Fire Chief

MERRY CHRISTMAS