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## MAYOR'S NOTES NOVEMBER 2010

'Tis the holiday season once again. The scary ones come first, Halloween and Election Day. Stores have already stocked the shelves for Thanksgiving and Christmas. Families will soon join together and give thanks for the bounteous blessings we enjoy. And though the tough economic times still haunt our region, we still have many, many things to be grateful for. We live in a country where freedom reigns; where we can choose where we live, decide what we do, how to worship, how many kids we have, whom we choose as our friends; a lot of people on this earth do not have those most basic freedoms. We live in a relatively safe and law abiding society and for the most part our kids still can play safe outside our homes.

We need to be grateful for what we've been blessed with at all times, but especially this time of year and we need to remember those who made the ultimate sacrifice so we could enjoy these freedoms. Next week is another important but often overlooked holiday, Veterans Day. Take the time this season to thank all Veterans who served this nation and those who continue to serve on foreign soil in often harsh and unforgiving places fighting a daily struggle for simple freedoms. My prayers and personal gratitude are with each of those young men and women and their families this holiday season, may they be blessed with a safe reunion with their families when their assignments are complete. The City is working with an Eagle Scout to develop a Veterans Monument within the City so watch future newsletters for ways you can help support and honor all those who have served.

Remember to let the City know your thoughts regarding the new street lights. We have received about a dozen comments both in support of and opposed to the new lights, and the City Council would like to have more input from the residents on this issue. You can get more information on the City website at [www.sccity.org](http://www.sccity.org). Make sure we hear from you. The City is also working with the attorneys and insurance company to get the claim resolved and the roof repaired on the fire station, but as of yet some obstacles remain. Thanks to our firefighters as well for their patience and service to the City during this period.

Have a great holiday season Santa Clara, and remember to thank a Veteran for the freedoms you enjoy this season, and God Bless our Troops.

### NOVEMBER CALENDAR

- NOV. 3...**City Council Work Mtg. 5:00 p.m.
- NOV 9...**Heritage Comm. Mtg. 4:30 p.m.
- NOV. 10...**City Council Regular Mtg. 5:00 p.m.
- NOV. 16...**Planning Comm. Mtg. 7:30 p.m.
- NOV. 24...**City Council Reg. Mtg. Canceled
- Technical Review Committee Mtgs...** Thursdays at 7:30 a.m.
- OFFICE CLOSURES:**
- NOV. 11...VETERAN'S DAY**
- NOV. 25 & 26 THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY**

### ELECTION NOTICE

**Beginning with the November 2, 2010 Election, all residents of Santa Clara City will now vote at the Town Hall at 2603 Santa Clara Drive. Please make a note on your calendars to get out and vote on Nov. 2, 2010.**

## SANTA CLARA CITY CEMETERY FALL CLEAN UP BEGINS MONDAY NOVEMBER 8TH

Clean up in the Santa Clara City Cemetery is scheduled to begin Monday Nov. 8th and be completed by Tuesday afternoon Nov. 9th. Please make sure flowers, arrangements, shepherd hooks and all other decorations are removed from the cemetery before the morning of Nov. 8th, otherwise remaining decorations will be disposed of with the exception of fresh burials. Flowers and decoration may be returned to the cemetery Tuesday evening Nov. 9th or Wednesday Nov. 10th in time for Veteran's Day on Thursday November 11, 2010. Thank you for help during this cemetery clean up and your desire to help keep the Santa Clara City Cemetery a beautiful part of our city.

## NEW HERITAGE PLAQUES PLACED ALONG SANTA CLARA DRIVE

Santa Clara City recently received a grant from the Utah State History Department to aid in funding five new plaques for Santa Clara Drive. To satisfy criteria for receiving funding, content of the plaques must include information about the architecture of the home represented, its history, and any unique information about the structure.

The Santa Clara plaques also include information about the people who built and lived in the homes, interesting facts about their lifestyle, and comments about the city at that time. This ap-

proach raised a bit of a stir within the state history department when the first plaques were proposed, but after passing the information around to each staff member, the voice of one secretary who mentioned that it made the plaques much more interesting to read brought them to embrace our proposal. Two waves of plaques since have proven to give Santa Clara an attractive way to tell more of the Santa Clara Story. We now have 15 plaques.

We hope everyone reads the new plaques and reviews the past year's

plaques as well. They offer a deeper insight into the residents of this cherished community and provide a glimpse into the varied architecture of the times in which they were constructed,

2010 plaques include: Fritz Reber Home on Hamblin Drive; J. Claude Frei Home (Garden Sprout business now) across Chapel Street from LDS Church; Hug-Gubler Home at Heritage Square; Preston and Vella Ruth Hafen Home across from Heritage Square; and Leo Reber Home on the corner of Old Farm Road and Santa Clara Drive.



### Santa Clara Christmas Eve Program



Hard to believe the holidays are just around the corner and plans will soon be underway for the annual Town Christmas Eve Program. If your children would like to participate in the program or for more program information please look for contact information in the December newsletter. The program takes place Christmas Eve in the valley chapel located at 3040 Santa Clara Dr.

## SANTA CLARA CITY LOCAL BUSINESS HIGHLIGHTS

- \* [About Childcare](#) by **Jennifer Hobson** at 628-4801
- \* [AKA Embroidery](#) by **Angie Langston** at 674-7418
- \* [Anytime Fitness](#) fitness facility at 673-9962
- \* [Avon Products Sales](#) by **Danette Hunt** at 673-6315
- \* [Bale Electric](#) by **Ryan Bale** at 680-5273
- \* [Be Your Healthy Best](#) by **Marlene Remington** at 628-8953
- \* [Brooks Window Design](#) by **Benita Brooks** at 628-2768
- \* [Cameo Florist](#) Floral Shop at 652-0262
- \* [Choppers Yard Care](#) by **Brandon Pectol** at 862-2089
- \* [Clear View Eye Care](#) by **Shaune Wallace** at 674-3502
- \* [Cut & Dried Home Hair Salon](#) by **Madelyn Derrick** at 652-8491
- \* [Dixie Children's Choir](#) by **Launa Wyson** at 652-4558
- \* [Eagle Creek Landscapes](#) by **Darrin Heinz** at 627-8058
- \* [Entre, Inc. Garage Door Repair](#) by **Ed Gray** at 680-6699
- \* [Fisher Lawn & Yard Care](#) by **Bart Fisher** at 862-7457
- \* [Funeral Pre-arrangement for Spilsbury and Metcalf Mortuary](#) by **Ted Salmon** at 632-4310.
- \* [Garden Sprout](#) by **Lance Allred** at 673-3839
- \* [Green Valley Martial Arts](#) for kids & adults **Chris Barela** at 435-767-1703
- \* [Ivory Pet Care](#) by **Mary Ellen Call** at 688-9615
- \* [Jack & Jill Preschool](#) by **Alice Steel** at 673-6046
- \* [Jeri Sue Stewart Mobile Notary Service](#) by **Jeri Sue Stewart** at 619-2262
- \* [JT Wills Travel](#) by **Julie Williamson** at 435-817-6680
- \* [Kevin Lee Construction](#) by **Kevin Lee** at 680-9858
- \* [Keystrokes Bookkeeping & Secretarial Services](#) by **Julie Gubler** at 229-2218
- \* [Landscape Maintenance](#) by **Belmont Gardening** at 628-2013
- \* [LP Windows & Doors](#) by **Dell Pulley** at 272-2346
- \* [Maids of Honor](#) by **Christine Romine** at 656-0043
- \* [Mr. Honey Do Service](#) by **Marshall Dick** at 669-0870
- \* [Neilson Automotive](#) by **Bruce Neilson** at 652-4401
- \* [Pest Control](#) by **Viking Pest Control** at 435-272-4129
- \* [Photos by Richelle](#) by **Richelle Nelson** at 632-5544
- \* [Piano Lessons](#) by **Sheryl Snow** at 628-9110
- \* [Rose Restoration](#) by **Michael Rose** at 673-8006
- \* [RV/Business Storage](#) by **Bruce Belmont** at 628-2013
- \* [Shining Star Preschool](#) by **Trudy Carlson** at 669-6461
- \* [Simply Delicious](#) sandwich shop by **Randy & Lisa Shaw** at 673-3714
- \* [Smarty Pants Preschool](#) by **Doree Sargent** at 674-2305
- \* [Solutions Hair & Body Salon](#) by **Colleen KirkaInd** at 628-0215
- \* [Spotlight Performing Arts Center](#) by **Teresa Putnam** at 628-8550
- \* [Strain Landscaping](#) by **Craig Strain** at 668-9150
- \* [Super Star Preschool](#) by **Debra Gourley** at 656-1647
- \* [Sweet Pea Cakery](#) by **Mary Kopman** at 773-7122
- \* [Talent Sprouts](#) Talent Studio & Preschool at 668-1515
- \* [The Clover Patch](#) by **Doug Clove** at 986-9070
- \* [Uncle & Auntie's Gift Shop](#) **Vicki Lasswell** 634-9416
- \* [Violet & Lily's Home Garden Café](#) by **DeAnn & Aaron** at 435-986-4000
- \* [V-Max Remodeling](#) by **Craig Mangus** at 628-6000
- \* [Way Cool...Dirt Cheap Home Accents](#) at 673-5504
- \* [Wedding Reception Connection](#) by **Kris Feltwell** at 673-1942
- \* [West Ridge Financial](#) by **Sylvia Bradshaw** at 673-5133
- \* [Word Pros Tax Preparation](#) by **Constance Maynard** at 634-1884

## Swiss Days Parade & Cow Review Awards

The 2010 Swiss Days Parade was a huge a hit once again this year. We have received many compliments about the parade—many think it is the best parade in Washington County! Special thanks to director, April Nielsen, and the volunteers who helped organize the parade. Special thanks also to all the parade entrants who made it so much fun to watch! Entries included floats, classic cars, horses, commercial entries, bands, dance groups and more.

### This years Parade trophy winners are as follows:

Best Overall Entry—Tuacahn Center for the Arts  
 Best Float—Pirate Island  
 Best Theme—The Frei Family  
 Best Band—Snow Canyon High School

The Swiss Days Cow Review was great this year too and it is fun to see the “herd” continue to grow each year. A big thanks to our “cow coordinator”, Wendy Cox , for helping to make this such a fun event. **The Cow Review Winners are as follows:**

1st Place—The Jacob Hamblin Cow Family  
 2nd Place—The “222” Cow by Wade & Marilyn Roberts  
 3rd Place—Frei’s Outdoor Market

Honorable mentions include: The USP (Post Office) cow, Krumpet’s zebra cow, Bruce & Sherri Anderson “apron” cow, Marion Graf “Family Crest” cow, Landon Frei Family—“mama cow & babies”, Simply Delicious—pink cow with brown dots, Second Nature Entrada backpacking cow, Mary Alice Gates “cattle ranch” cow and the Pink Pie Cow! Thanks to all who participated and we look forward to seeing next year’s herd!

## PUBLIC SAFETY NOTICE



In an effort to become a more Community Oriented Police Department, we have implemented a bike patrol. You will begin to see Officer’s on bike patrol in the public more, not only driving around the neighborhoods. As a result of this, you may see Public Safety vehicles parked in specific locations unattended. We have also increased our foot patrol in areas where criminal activities have increased to help prevent and discourage further criminal behaviors. We are looking forward to continuing our efforts, and will strive to make our city a place of enjoyment and a place where our residents can continue to feel safe.

### Attention Parents of SCHS Seniors:



The Yearbook Staff at Snow Canyon High School will be handing out Senior Ad flyers for parents to recognize their child's graduation (prices will be on the flyer). The deadline is November 22. Also, the Yearbook Staff will be collecting Senior Portraits and quotes to be included with your child's school picture in the senior section of the Yearbook (no charge). Please have your child's Senior Portraits taken ASAP and provide a copy to the Yearbook staff. Pictures can be brought in directly to the school or emailed to [snowcanyonyearbook@me.com](mailto:snowcanyonyearbook@me.com). Contact Ms. Jensen at 435-634-1967 during school hours for questions. Again the final deadline for everything is November 22!!

## THANKS TO THE 2010 SWISS DAYS SPONSORS!

Swiss Days 2010 was a fun and successful event once again this year and much of that success is due to the great sponsor support we received. The City wishes to thank those sponsors for their support—without their generosity this great community event would not be possible. Thank you to the following sponsors who participated through special event sponsorships, ads, banners and donations:

**Special Event Sponsors :** Allied Waste/ Republic Services, Ence Homes, Intermountain Health Care, Snow Jensen & Reese, State Bank of Southern Utah and UAMPS.

**Ads, banners and other donations:** Back to Perfection Flood and Fire, Boulevard Home Furnishings, Chopper’s Yard Care, Country Kids Children’s Center, David Clark -State Representative, Dixie Nutrition, Dixie-land Tire & Auto, Drake UBI Insurance, DVD’s Right Now, Farmers Insurance, Frei’s Fruit Market, Grandma Tobler’s Bakery, Hafen Insurance, Hafen’s Pools, Henriksen Butler Group, Hughes General, James Ence DDS, Jenkins Oil, KCSG, Krumpets International, Lightfoot’s Inc., Lin’s Marketplace, NAI Realty, Neilson Automot-

ive, Newby Buick, Petro West Chemical, Rosenberg Associates, S & S Mechanical, Second Nature Entrada, Snow Canyon Eye Center, Southwest Diesel Inc., St. George Dental, Sunrise Engineering, Sweet Pea Cakery, Terminator Pest Control, Texas Twister, The Clover Patch, The Spectrum, Todd Searle State Farm Insurance, Town Square, Uncle & Aunties Gift Shop, Violet & Lily’s, Way Cool...Dirt Cheap, and Xpress Lube.

**5K Run/Walk Sponsors:** Anytime Fitness, Dutchman’s Market, Josh Gunn D.C., Kyle Frei DDS, Liisa Frei—ERA Broker, Phil Packard Construction, Pizza/ Pasta Factory, Rebel Sports, Savage Esplin & Radmall—CPA’s, Scott Parry MD, St. George Running

Center, St. George Urology (Robert Cope MD, Gregory Taylor MD, Dennis Mitchell PA -C), Staheli & Jacobsen CPA’s, Sunset Physical Therapy, Western Endocrine and Wilkinson Electric.

Thanks again to all the 2010 Swiss Days sponsors— we look forward to your participation for the 2011 Swiss Days event. Your continued support helps to keep Swiss Days possible and successful each year. If you have not been a Swiss Days sponsor and are interested in this advertising opportunity for next years event, please call the City Office at 673-6712 ext. 201 or Kathleen Nielson at 229-8310.

# SANTA CLARA CITY CONTACT PHONE NUMBERS

**SANTA CLARA CITY ADMINISTRATION OFFICE:** Phone 673-6712, Fax 628-7338 (City Manager, Finance Officer, Recorder, Treasurer/Utilities, Court Clerk/Deputy Recorder, Business Licenses, Dog Licenses, Cemetery, General Information)

**SANTA CLARA CITY PUBLIC SERVICES:** Phone 656-4690, Fax 879-5298 (Public Services including Streets, Sidewalks, Water, Sewer, Power)

**SANTA CLARA CITY PARKS & TRAILS:** Phone 656-4690, Fax 879-5298

**SANTA CLARA CITY BUILDING DEPARTMENT AND PLANNING & ZONING-LAND USE AUTHORITY:** Phone 656-4690, Fax 879-5298

**SANTA CLARA CITY PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICE:** 652-1122

**PUBLIC SAFETY DISPATCH:** 634-5730 (for any non-emergency call)

**EMERGENCY CALL:** 911

**SANTA CLARA CITY ANIMAL CONTROL:** 652-1122 ext. 222

**SANTA CLARA CITY AFTER HOURS:** 673-6712

## SANTA CLARA CITY MONTHLY MEETING SCHEDULE

<b>CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS</b>	<b>2ND &amp; 4TH WEDNESDAYS @ 5:00 P.M.</b>
<b>HERITAGE COMMISSION</b>	<b>2ND TUESDAY @ 4:30 P.M.</b>
<b>PLANNING COMMISSION</b>	<b>3RD TUESDAY @ 7:30 P.M.</b>
<b>ECONOMIC DEV. COMMISSION</b>	<b>QUARTERLY</b>
<b>TECHNICAL REVIEW COMMITTEE</b>	<b>EVERY THURSDAY @ 7:30 A.M.</b>
<i>CHANGES TO THESE MEETING DATES AND TIMES WILL BE POSTED AS NECESSARY</i>	

## PUBLIC SERVICE NOTICE

**Please know the location of your water and electric meters and keep them clear to allow for easier access to read your meters. Public Services appreciates your help.**

### 2011 Business License Renewal Information

Current Santa Clara City business licenses are valid through the end of 2010. Renewal information for 2011 will be sent out in December. Please provide proof of your current business registration with the Utah Dept. of Commerce, as well as current EIN number, Sales Tax ID # and any specific state license that you may be required to have—such as those for contractors, salons, child care, massage therapists, pest control or other state licensed occupations. Day care and preschools must be current on Fire Safety Inspections. Making sure the above information is included with your renewal form and fee will help expedite the issuance of your 2011 business license. Please call 435-673-6712 ext. 201 for business license questions and information.

### DOG LICENSE & RABIES CLINIC

The City will hold the 2011 dog licensing and rabies shot clinic in January. Please watch for the date and time in the December newsletter. The clinic will be held at the Old Fire Station at 2775 Circle Dr. City ordinance requires all dogs to be licensed annually and current on rabies vaccinations. Dog License fees are as follows:  
1st dog fixed: \$10.00 Not fixed: \$20.00  
2nd dog fixed: \$12.00 Not fixed: \$22.00  
A \$15 late fee will apply to licensing after February 28, 2011.

Please use the request form at the right to let our Public Service Department know if you have any service needs the City can take care of, such as street lights that may be out, sidewalks in need of repair, trees in power lines, or any other problems regarding streets, sidewalks, water or power issues. You can also call the City Office at 673-6712 to report any such problems.

#### Santa Clara City Service Request

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Request for Service: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Mail, drop off, or call 656-4690 for Public Services.  
Or include service request with your utility payment.**