



## From Mayor Smith

### NEW YEAR, NEW BEGINNING

I want to recognize the loss of two members of our community. Joe Jennings and John Callahan passed away this last month and will be missed. Our condolences go out to their families and friends.

A new year gives us all an opportunity to step back and evaluate what we would like to accomplish during the next year. There are many projects in different stages of completion that will hopefully come to fruition over the next year. These include the transit system, the water treatment plant, fiber optics and natural gas, to name a few.

There are also the day-to-day projects that keep the town running which always need attention. I want to express my gratitude to the Council, Planning Commission, Historic Preservation Commission, and staff for all the work they do to keep things moving along.

May this year bring good things to each of you and the Town of Springdale. Thank you for giving me the opportunity to serve this beautiful community.

— STAN

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## Let's Go Paperless!

To some, it's comforting getting a paper bill or notification in the mail. Receiving it online may seem less secure, however this is not the case. Going paperless can actually help simplify life. There are a number of advantages aside from being eco-friendly and cost effective. Receiving bills or notices electronically provides greater flexibility and access to your information by allowing you to review it at home or away. You will also spend less time organizing, filing and destroying your paper files.

Today nearly every bank, credit card, hotel and airline have well-proven paperless systems for communicating with their customers. This is also the case for the Town of Springdale. As a property owner or resident, here are two ways you can 'go paperless' with bills and notifications:

- 1. Pay your utility bill online.** The Town has partnered with Xpress Bill Pay, a premier provider for online payment systems. This free service provides the following to our utility customers:
  - Monthly updates when utility bills are available to view online
  - A 2-year history of your account
  - Easy online payment methods, including auto-payment options, and paperless billing.

Utility customers can sign-up by going to [www.springdaletown.com](http://www.springdaletown.com) and accessing the *Utility Bill Payments* page. Easy, step-by-step instructions are available by clicking the *Pay Online* tab.

- 2. Receive Town legal notices electronically.** The Town of Springdale is required by Utah law to give legal notice of public hearings and certain public meetings. Traditionally these notices are sent via U.S. mail, however they can be received by email. If you would like to receive these notices electronically, please fill out the form at the end of this newsletter and return it to the Clerk's Office.

Make a resolution to go paperless this year! It will take a small initial investment of time, but you will be glad you did. If you have questions, please call Town Hall at 435-772-3434 for more information.



## The Power of Optimism

The start of a new year tends to bring renewed optimism. There's something about a fresh start that adds positivity to anyone's outlook. Optimism is not just about feeling hopeful and encouraged, it's also about being motivated and persistent. Optimists tend to deal with difficult situations and problems head-on. Rather than walk away, they plan a course of action, seek input from others, and look for solutions. Optimists believe their actions affect their destinies. This also rings true for a community. Residents, businesses, public officials and staff all contribute to the positivity reflected in Springdale which in turn can shape the direction of our future. So, what can you do to stay optimistic this year? Here are a few tips:

- Reframe how you define events – Instead of dwelling on a bad experience, figure out what good came from it.
- Be realistic and expect ups and downs – Setbacks happen to everyone. When they occur, learn from them and move on.
- Surround yourself with positive people – Avoid negativity and expose yourself to supportive friends with positive outlooks.
- Set and pursue goals – Determine what is important to you, set meaningful goals, and take action.

## A Few Words...

Sometimes a few simple words can lift us up, provoke thought, or give perspective. Perhaps one or two of these quotes will do that for you. Happy 2019!

“Believe you can and you're halfway there.” ~Theodore Roosevelt

“Hardships often prepare ordinary people for an extraordinary destiny.” ~C.S. Lewis

“Keep your face always toward the sunshine, and shadows will fall behind you.” ~Walt Whitman

“The more you praise and celebrate your life, the more there is in life to celebrate.” ~Oprah Winfrey

“No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted.” ~Aesop

“Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.” ~Nelson Mandela

“You cannot escape the responsibility of tomorrow by evading it today.” ~Abraham Lincoln

## The Chief's Message

On Saturday December 15, lights and sirens were activated while police officers from around the county participated in the annual “Shop with a Cop” event. The Sheriff cooked while I helped serve breakfast along-side other Police Chiefs from surrounding communities. After breakfast, Sgt. Shafer and Officer Bulkley took two local children shopping.



Our department also supported another local charity during the month of November. Officers were allowed to grow beards if they donated money. A few Town employees contributed as well, and \$380 was raised for the Springdale Rotary Club's Angel Tree. We are very proud and honored to be a part of both activities.

Follow us on Facebook for updates:  
<https://www.facebook.com/springdale.police>

Thanks for your continued support.

— CHIEF BRECKE

# Springdale Town Community Calendar

January 2019						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	01 <a href="#">11-2pm Senior Lunch</a> <a href="#">5:30 - 6:45pm Yoga_Vinayasa Level 2</a>	02 <a href="#">2-3pm ZCVB Meeting</a> <a href="#">5 - 7pm Planning Commission Work Meeting</a>	03 <a href="#">11-2pm Senior Lunch</a> <a href="#">6 - 7 pm: Pilates</a>	04	05
06 <a href="#">9:30 - 10:45am Yoga_Yogasana</a> <a href="#">11:00 am - 12:15 pm Yoga_Gentle Rejuvenation</a>	07 <a href="#">6:30-7:30pm: Alcoholics Anonymous</a>	08 <a href="#">11-2pm Senior Lunch</a> <a href="#">5:30 - 6:45pm Yoga_Vinayasa Level 2</a>	09 <a href="#">5-8 pm Town Council Meeting</a>	10 <a href="#">11-2pm Senior Lunch</a> <a href="#">6 - 7 pm: Pilates</a>	11	12
13 <a href="#">9:30 - 10:45am Yoga_Yogasana</a> <a href="#">11:00 am - 12:15 pm Yoga_Gentle Rejuvenation</a>	14 <a href="#">6:30-7:30pm: Alcoholics Anonymous</a> <a href="#">5:30 - 7 pm: Vinyasa to Yin</a>	15 <a href="#">11-2pm Senior Lunch</a> <a href="#">5:30 - 6:45pm Yoga_Vinayasa Level 2</a>	16 <a href="#">10-11 am: Pilates</a> <a href="#">5 - 7pm Planning Commission Regular Meeting</a>	17 <a href="#">11-2pm Senior Lunch</a> <a href="#">6 - 7 pm: Pilates</a> <a href="#">8:30 - 9:45 am: Vinyasa Flow</a>	18	19
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February 2019						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28	29	30	31	01	02
03 <a href="#">9:30 - 10:45am Yoga_Yogasana</a> <a href="#">11:00 am - 12:15 pm Yoga_Gentle Rejuvenation</a>	04 <a href="#">6:30-7:30pm: Alcoholics Anonymous</a>	05 <a href="#">11-2pm Senior Lunch</a> <a href="#">5:30 - 6:45pm Yoga_Vinayasa Level 2</a>	06 <a href="#">2-3pm ZCVB Meeting</a> <a href="#">5 - 7pm Planning Commission Work Meeting</a>	07 <a href="#">11-2pm Senior Lunch</a>	08 <a href="#">7-9pm Performance: Tom Russell</a>	09

# JANUARY 2019 Menu and Activities

TUESDAY		THURSDAY	
January 1		January 3	
<b>JANUARY BIRTHDAYS</b> Elsie Cleveland 4 <sup>th</sup> Information & Reservations Call Hurricane Senior Center 635-2089 Everyone is Invited Call for Reservations	<b>HAPPY                      NEW YEAR                      SENIOR                      CENTER                      CLOSED NO                      LUNCH TODAY</b>	Beef Spaghetti Sauce Spaghetti Noodles Green Beans Mixed Green Salad Apple Raisin Compote Garlic Texas Bread	<b>WII                      GAMES</b>
January 8		January 10	
Roasted Turkey Breast with Poultry Gravy Maple Roasted Sweet Potatoes Mixed Green Salad Green Beans Grapes	<b>BIRTHDAYS</b>	Homemade Meatloaf Brown Gravy Garlic Country Potatoes California Veg Blend Carrot Raisin Salad Seasonal Fruit	<b>BINGO</b>
January 15		January 17	
Beef Lasagna Italian Veggie Blend Mixed Green Salad Garlic Texas Bread Pears	<b>JULIE                      FROM                      FAMILY                      PHARMACY</b>	Crustless Chicken Pot Pie Club Spinach Biscuit Apricot Halves	<b>CARD OR                      BOARD GAMES</b>
January 22		April 26	
Potato Crusted Pollock Crinkle Cut Fries Key Largo Veggies Coleslaw Pineapple Tidbits	<b>BINGO</b>	Sweet Chili Coconut Chicken Breast Jasmine Rice Whole Kernel Corn Mixed Green Salad Tropical Fruit Cocktail	<b>MEXICAN TRAIN                      DOMINOES</b>
January 29		January 31	
Beef Chili with Beans Baked Potato Mixed Green Salad Corn Chips Seasonal Fruit	<b>PICTIONARY</b>	Country Fried Steak Country Gravy Country Potatoes Mixed Veggies Mixed Green Salad Seasonal Fruit	<b>BINGO</b>



# ZION ANIMAL LOVERS

## 2018 ANNUAL LETTER



PO Box 214  
Springdale, UT 84767

### 2018 ADOPTIONS

#### SAMSON & PFIETTER :



These two puppies sauntered into a camp off Smithsonian Butte Rd. to check out the cooking. After a long search to find where they may have come from, they were put into our care. No one claimed them, but friends of the rescuers were watching their story unfold and adopted them both. These two little boys are now living the good life with hiking trails right out their back door!

#### ADELINE :



This young Red Heeler found herself in big trouble after multiple “chicken incidents,” and we were asked to re-home her. We reached out to RSQ Dogs and they stepped right up to help. Poor girl had parasites and was just coming into heat, but after getting healthy, she and another little friend she made at RSQ Dogs were adopted together into a home with a big yard without chickens.

#### GUS :



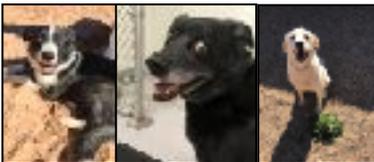
Gus needed a new home when his owner could no longer keep him, and despite being a purebred Yellow Lab with papers, Gus had some medical issues that required surgery. We were able to get sponsors and a temporary foster home with Filomena Diaz-Johnson at the Doggy Dude Ranch, and shortly after his surgery, he was adopted and now runs free and easy with his own little pack. (Note: Don't buy puppies from pet stores, and make sure you choose a reputable breeder.)

#### PUMPKIN :



A very friendly and hungry cat showed up at the Red Hawk Apartments when the weather started getting colder. Initially thought to be de-clawed, she was fed and offered outdoor shelter by residents until we could locate her owner or an adopter. She was scooped up by a local family and now enjoys her indoor environment eating and purring to her heart's content.

### 2018 RTOs - RETURNED TO OWNER



All of the dogs pictured at left (Tex, Bentley, Buddy) stayed with us less than 24 hours before returning home. Not pictured are “Picasso,” “Harley,” a Pug, and two German Shepherds. All of them have a story. In 2018, a total of 8 dogs were released to their owners; one of them, twice.

**THANK YOU** to the adopting families, the Town of Springdale and the Springdale Police Dept., RSQ Dogs, our volunteers, our 2018 donors and everyone who donated items and offered support, especially with our feral and non-feral feline friends; to all the businesses who let us put up “Found or Lost Dog” flyers, and to all the people who shared posts that help our dogs & cats get home or adopted.

As you make your charitable donations, we hope you will consider your local animal welfare organization, Zion Animal Lovers. We are an all-volunteer 501(c)(3) corporation. Tax-deductible donations may be mailed to ZAL, PO Box 214, Springdale, 84767. Visit and “like” our Facebook page for regular updates on lost & found animals and our adoptable dogs.

**Zion Animal Lovers (ZAL) is a 501(c)3 registered nonprofit. Tax ID# 74-3188936**



## REQUEST TO RECEIVE PUBLIC NOTICE VIA EMAIL

I \_\_\_\_\_ certify that I am the legal owner of real property in the Town of Springdale identified as (please provide the parcel number(s)) \_\_\_\_\_.

I understand that the Town of Springdale is required to give legal notice of public hearings and certain public meetings via mail to property owners. I understand that these notices have traditionally been sent via U.S. mail. I do hereby give consent and request to receive all such legal notice via email, in lieu of U.S. mail. I understand it is my responsibility to notify the Town in writing in the event I no longer wish to receive legal notice through email. I further understand it is my responsibility to keep the Town informed of any changes to my email address.

Email address where notices can be sent: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

(If submitting this consent form via email, please type your name again in the 'Signature' line and send the form back via the email address you indicated above.)

You may return the completed form in one of the following ways:

- Scan and return via email to [dcarlson@springdaletown.com](mailto:dcarlson@springdaletown.com)
- Fax to 435.772.3952
- Mail to PO Box 187, Springdale, UT 84767
- Drop off at Town Hall

If you have any questions, please call the Town Clerk's Office at  
(435) 772-3434 x305