

TOWN OF SPRINGDALE



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From Mayor Smith

CONTINUED EMPHASIS

The County Association of Mayors has met at least twice a week since the pandemic started. Leaders from various governmental departments participate to provide vital updates. Other experts are also invited to help provide the latest information. For now, our community must continue to emphasize the importance of social distancing, frequent hand washing, and wearing masks in public when 6-foot distancing is not practical. Not everyone agrees with these practices, but health experts highly recommend them as simple yet effective ways to help slow the spread. Doing them demonstrates concern for others and shows we each play a part. Although you can't control the actions of others, you can control your own. I am committed to doing a better job wearing my mask while out in public.

This crisis remains very complicated and more issues are at play than just the virus. Mental health concerns and economic impacts are huge, but progress is being made. No one has all the answers however, many are working hard to find them. Remember, if you do not feel comfortable going out, stay home. Patience and compassion remain the order of the day. Stay safe.

— STAN

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Bringing More Beauty to Springdale

Have you noticed the beautiful mosaics at the base of the lampposts along Lion Boulevard near the Town Park and Community Center? Wonder who's responsible and how it came to be? Here's how an idea became a reality....

Like many residents we spent time in the park observing the beautiful, but neglected mosaic on the retaining wall. We wanted to change that image; so, our idea was to repair, clean, and complete this wall mosaic giving credit to the many folks who spent hours designing and installing it. Following up on this idea, we applied for RAP Tax funding. Our thought was to finish the wall, then move on to lampposts in the future. After our success with the community quilt project, which now adorns the Performance Room wall at the CCC, we were ready for another creative challenge. The mosaic wall project was postponed, but the lamppost project was funded. Next, we reached out to community members to adopt a post. The response was tremendous with nearly 40 people signing up to design and install a mosaic. Some had never done anything like this, but were excited for the guidance and opportunity to participate. As with the quilt, we encouraged everyone to use their imagination and love for the canyon to depict their ideas.

We were fortunate to receive advice from local mosaic artists and tile installers in the area. Stores have been enthusiastic about the project and many gave discounts on supplies or donated materials. We especially want to thank Carpets Plus, Southwest Tile and the Tilted Kiln in St. George for their generosity. The Garden of Eva also contributed labor, glazes and the use of her studio. Many local artists provided materials for their post definitely making this a village effort.

The Town of Springdale loaned space to store all the supplies and tools. We have also scheduled short seminars to teach and inspire. Then when a mosaic is ready to install, it is truly a group effort giving us all a great way to meet others and talk about the latest community news.

The lamppost project is divided into two phases. Phase one, which extends from the water treatment plant down to Town Hall, is complete. Phase two is underway now and moves south from Town Hall to Zion Park Boulevard. This has been a wonderful, unifying project that not only beautifies our Town but brings people together with a common goal. Aside from the special, uniqueness of each finished mosaic, the best outcome has been a deepening of our comraderies and friendships. If you haven't recently walked up Lion Boulevard, take time and go. We know you will enjoy seeing this project continue to come to life! Follow the process on Facebook under [Lion Lamppost Mosaic Project](#) and ask to become a member.

For a peek at the phase one post designs, see the flyer in the newsletter.

— CORNELIA KALLERUD & JAN PASSEK



Zion National Park News



Deer fawning season is upon us! Please remember that deer mothers can be extra protective of their fawns. If you see a deer fawn, do not touch it and keep your distance. Use extra caution if walking your dog. Last year, several visitors who were walking their dog were injured by a protective deer mother. Also remember that a lone fawn is not an abandoned fawn. For the first couple weeks of their lives, fawns spend a large amount of time bedded down by themselves. This behavior in addition to their spotted fur, helps conceal them from predators. On another note, if you have noticed bats or their guano in your attic, barn, or storage shed, Zion's bat biologist would like to know. Please contact him at: zwarren@batcon.org or 435-772-0220.

Temporary Sign Regulation Changes

One year ago, the Town revised its regulations for temporary signage. The revisions were made necessary by a US Supreme Court ruling regarding temporary signs. The new regulations apply to all temporary signage such as campaign signs and other similar temporary signs. The following is a summary of the revised temporary sign regulations:

- The signs must have a non-commercial message (i.e. not advertise a business or product).
- The signs must be four square feet or less in area, and four feet or less in height.
- Only one temporary sign is allowed per property.
- Temporary signs may be displayed for a maximum of 90 days at a time.

Please make sure any temporary signage you display (campaign signs or other temporary signage) is compliant with these regulations. Larger temporary signs (up to 20 square feet) may be displayed on commercial property by obtaining a banner permit from the Town Office. Signs permitted through a banner permit may be displayed for a maximum of 17 consecutive days. Only four banner permits per property are allowed each year. Please contact the Planning Department at the Town Office for additional information regarding temporary sign regulations.

Code Enforcement Change

The Town has ordinances and codes intended to enhance quality of life and preserve community character. On occasion it is necessary for the Town to help bring properties into compliance with these codes through code enforcement. In the past the Town has used a criminal process with the potential for criminal penalties to enforce the code.

After a thorough review of Springdale's Code Enforcement policy, the Town determined that Code Enforcement could better serve the community by implementing a Civil Code Enforcement Policy in place of the previous Criminal Code Enforcement process. The Town has always had the option to proceed with Civil Code Enforcement, but the organization was not in place to fairly and efficiently proceed with the Civil Enforcement path.

The organizations and procedures that allow the Town of Springdale to begin Civil Code Enforcement are now in place. It is the Town's policy to attempt to resolve code violations without needing to issue citations. However, the Town now has the option and ability to issue civil citations for violations of the Town Code. Hopefully, we can all work together to make this Civil Code Enforcement Policy a welcome addition that enhances the quality of life for the businesses, residents, and visitors in Springdale.

Attention Irrigation Users...

Attached to the newsletter is a copy of the Irrigation Schedule. It is also available on the Town website. We have been experiencing consistent volumes of water running through the meter at the irrigation pumphouse during the day and outside the hours on the schedule when irrigation users should be watering. Please keep irrigation use to the schedule and try to conserve water as much as possible. We have also heard concerns of low pressure, both during the day when users should not be watering, and at 6 pm when many systems turn on. Scheduling your water times to later in the day or early morning when others are not also watering may help to alleviate these pressure issues.



Springdale Meetings & Events Calendar

June 2020						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	01 6:30pm-7:30pm Alcoholics Anonymous	02	03 2-3pm ZCVB Meeting 5 - 7pm Planning Commission Work Meeting	04	05	06
07	08 6:30pm-7:30pm Alcoholics Anonymous	09	10 5-8pm Town Council Meeting	11	12	13
14	15 6:30pm-7:30pm Alcoholics Anonymous	16	17 5-7pm Planning Commission Regular Meeting	18	19	20
21	22 6:30pm-7:30pm Alcoholics Anonymous 4 - 5pm Springdale Historic Preservation Commission	23	24 10am Town Council Budget Hearing	25	26	27
28	29 6:30pm-7:30pm Alcoholics Anonymous	30	01	02	03	04

July 2020						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	01 2-3pm ZCVB Meeting 5 - 7pm Planning Commission Work Meeting	02	03	04

Visit the Community Calendar at www.springdaletown.com for the most up-to-date event schedules.



IN JUNE YAZ WILL CONTINUE TO DO...

TAKE HOME ACTIVITY KITS

***KITS WILL BE SET OUTSIDE OF THE CCC
EVERY FRIDAY IN JUNE AT 11:30AM***

Kits are first come first serve

YAZ is a FREE program for kids 5-12 years of age
Please contact Robyn at (435)-772-3434 with questions



Friday, June 5th:

Emergency preparedness grab bag
(Provided by Springdale Police!)

Friday, June 12th:

Make your own octopus necklace
or
Make your own turtle necklace
(and play with some bubbles!)

Friday, June 19th (Father's Day Craft):

Decorate your own Father's Day key chain

Friday, June 26th:

Decorate your own emoji kite
or
Decorate your own doodle design kite

Kits are first come first serve



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The following Springdale Parks and Recreation facilities and activities will be opening on the dates listed below:

Town Playground:

May 26th

CCC, Gazebo and Ball Field Rentals:

June 1st

Fitness Classes:

Please refer to the Town Fitness Calendar for updates

Senior Lunch:

To Be Determined

The Town of Springdale strongly encourages social distancing. In the event that you cannot social distance, please wear a mask. We ask that patrons assess their symptoms. If you are experiencing any COVID-19 symptoms, please refrain from using the facilities or attending activities



Contact Ryan Gubler with any questions or concerns at (435)-772-3434





IRRIGATION SCHEDULE

LOWER SECTION From Sol Foods Market (Center of Town) South to Anasazi Plateau	UPPER SECTION From Sol Foods Market (Center of Town) North to Zion National Park Entrance Station
<p>6:00 pm – 10:00 am</p> <p>STARTING ON THE FOLLOWING DAYS:</p> <p>MONDAY</p> <p>WEDNESDAY</p> <p>FRIDAY</p>	<p>6:00 pm – 10:00 am</p> <p>STARTING ON THE FOLLOWING DAYS:</p> <p>TUESDAY</p> <p>THURSDAY</p> <p>SATURDAY</p>
BIG WATER USERS	
<p>THURSDAY 10:00 am – 6:00 pm</p> <p>SUNDAY 10:00 am – MONDAY 10:00 am</p>	

This is a year-round schedule and is subject to change based on weather/river conditions.

*For questions/issues please contact
Springdale Public Works – (435) 216-8486*