

CLINTON CITY NEWSLETTER



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ROOFING REALITY

By Steve Hamblin, Clinton Building Official

Last month I received a complaint that an unlicensed individual was installing a new roof. Knowing that more often than not these complaints turn out to be a simple “recover” of shingles (which do not require a permit in Clinton City for the first recover), I went to the address expecting to not find an actual violation. After arriving at the home I found that rather than a simple recover, someone was actually attempting to install a new “pitched” pre-manufactured truss system over the top of an existing flat roof system. Although this can normally be a proper method of changing from a flat to a pitched roof, the method of installation used was completely unprofessional and unacceptable.

My first thought was that the installer might be an uninformed property owner trying to complete the job on their own. After leaving an inspection report at the home indicating the individual responsible for the installation was in violation of the building code for not obtaining a permit, I once again found that my assumption was wrong. Not only had the property owner hired someone who represented themselves as a “state licensed general contractor”, he had already paid them half of the amount agreed to in what now is considered an illegal agreement document/contract. The state investigator for the Utah State Division of Occupational and Professional Licensing was asked to investigate the case and found the contractor to be unlicensed.

Upon inspection by the city it was also determined that the “contractor” hired by the owner was also uninformed, unqualified and apparently unaware of the building code requirements for framing a new roof.

After all was said and done, the owner now has to individually seek restitution civilly in order to attempt recovery of the lost funds to the first unlicensed contractor. He must also either act as the “owner/builder” for the project or hire a properly qualified/state licensed contractor to correct the existing violations.

The Community Development Department is available to answer questions and to assist you in planning your home construction project. Remember, installation or replacement of any type of water heater, furnace or A/C requires a building permit as well as any modification to your homes framing, plumbing, mechanical or electrical systems. Once again, the building inspectors goal is not to “catch you” making a mistake, but to provide a second set of eyes to ensure that the work done is both safe and code compliant. Obtaining a permit also protects the homeowner when having to make an insurance claim regarding any modification/remodel to their home. By not obtaining a building permit, you may very well provide your insurance company with the justification they need to deny a claim on damage to that portion of your home completed without a building permit. As always, if you need the help of a contractor with your home project, make sure they are licensed with the State of Utah and that they have obtained a permit.

DID YOU KNOW....

- That the area between the sidewalk and the street, known as the “park-strip” must have 50% living, growing vegetation, and that a No-fee permit (compliance permit) is required. This means that there can not be 100% rock, gravel or concrete in this area.
- That a permit is required to cut the curb.
- That if you live within an R-1-10 or R-1-15 zone you can have chickens, however you must register the chickens.

West Davis Corridor EIS Study

Come help us develop alternatives the first week of August! We will be hosting three Alternative Workshops in local communities to discuss different alternatives that the study team can evaluate. The Workshops will be held in the following locations from 4:30 p.m. to 8 p.m.

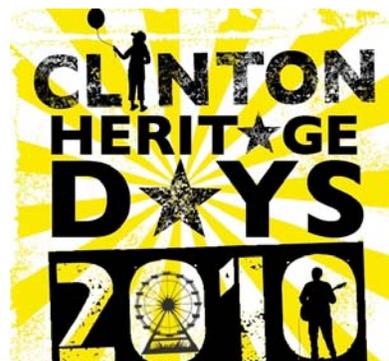


Tues, Aug 3, 2010	Wed, Aug 4, 2010	Thurs Aug 5, 2010
Sunset City Hall 200 Wt 1300 N Sunset	Kanesville Elem 3112 S 3500 W West Haven	Legacy Events Ctr 151 S 1100 W Farmington

Please visit www.udot.utah.gov/westdavis for more information regarding the EIS study.

The 2nd annual Farmers Market will be held July 31 to Sept. 25 in the Parking lot adjacent to Clinton Elementary and Veteran’s Park. Go online to www.clintoncity.net for more information and to obtain an application to become a vendor.

Look inside for details



**Buy 1/2
Price
Carnival
Tickets
now at the
Rec. Dept.
1651 W
2300 N**

CLINTON CITY RECREATION DEPARTMENT

SUMMER YOUTH PROGRAMS & CLASSES – 2nd SESSION

For more information on all summer programs call Clinton City Recreation at 801-614-0780

Kids in the Park

Kids in the Park for children ages 5-12 years old – Mon - Thur 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon now thru July 29th; children may sign up to participate on a monthly basis.

Tennis Lessons 2nd Session

Tennis lessons will be offered for boys and girls ages 7 - 16 beginners to intermediate/advanced July 5th thru July 16th. The lessons will be held at the Clinton City Park tennis courts and the cost is \$30 for residents.

Tumbling & Dance Lessons

Head Over Heels Tumbling & Dance (1094 W 1800 N.) is offering tumbling & dance classes for ages 18 months to 16 years. Classes run July 5th - July 22nd the cost is \$35 for residents.



Contact Football – DEADLINE IS JULY 9TH

Youth ages 7 to 15 (with some restrictions) can sign up to play WWFL football through Clinton Recreation. Registration runs thru July 9th at the Recreation office. Cost for the program is \$95. To register, you must bring your 1) Birth Certificate, 2) Proof of Medical Insurance (medical card), 3) Proof of residency (i.e., water bill); 4) \$95 Registration fee. Also...each participant must have a physical within the last 6 months or have a physical prior to July 28th. All Clinton and Sunset residents MUST sign up in Clinton; this is a league By-Law. If you have any question please contact the Recreation Department at 801-614-0780.

Youth Soccer

Registration for youth fall soccer will begin July 1st thru July 30th. This soccer program is for children Pre-School age (year before they enter Kindergarten) through 6th grade. The fee is \$40 for residents and includes a jersey, shorts, socks games and practices.

Bowling Camp

In conjunction with Sparetime Family Fun Center in Roy. Clinton will host a bowling camp July 5th – 9th. Cost is \$40 for residents and includes transportation to Sparetime.

Now Open In Clinton City

Crane Field Golf Course/Driving Range
3648 West 2650 North
Clinton, UT 84015
(801) 779-3800

Martinizing Dry Cleaning
1912 West 1800 North, Ste A
Clinton, UT 84015
(801) 776-2288

Volunteers Needed for the Clinton City Community Response Emergency Team (CERT)

In an ideal world, everyone would prepare himself to respond to an emergency. In a less than ideal world, we are fortunate to have professional emergency responders; police, firemen and EMT's with ambulances. In 1985 the LAFD recognized that in a catastrophic disaster, the professionals could be overwhelmed and many in need would be forced to wait. That was the origin of the Community Emergency Response Team concept, CERT. Help prepare yourself, your family, your neighborhood, and the Clinton City community for such a circumstance. Volunteer for CERT training by calling 801-614-0854 or email cvalentine@clintoncity.com

Fun Water Fact

A mere 2% drop in body water can trigger fuzzy short-term memory, trouble with basic math, and difficulty focusing on the computer screen or on a printed page.

Indoor Water Conservation Tip

Perform an annual maintenance check on your evaporative (swamp) cooler. Check for and fix any leaks you find.

Outdoor Water Conservation Tips

Plant drought-tolerant and regionally adapted plants in areas that are hard to water or that receive little use. This may include narrow strips near sidewalks or driveways and steep hills.

Water Conservation Activities

Saturday, August 21st Noon-1:30 pm; Free class "Provident Gardening" Joy Bossi
(For a full class schedule and other water conservation information go to www.weberbasin.com. Classes are located at Weber Basin Water Conservancy District's Learning Garden located at 2837 E. Highway 193 in Layton)

Fifth Annual Fishing Derby

- The Clinton City Recreation Department will again host a fishing derby to kick off Heritage Days week. The derby will be held on Tues, July 13th from 6:00 to 8:00 pm at the Clinton City Pond (3000 West 2500 North). Pre-registration will cost \$5 and is open to youth ages 0 to 16. On site registration is \$10 per person. As a reminder, children 12 years of age and older need a valid fishing license, if they plan to fish. This is a wonderful family activity for all ages including; casting contests, rubber ducky drawing, climbing wall, little tyke's fish pond, and much more. Don't miss this exciting event. Call Ty Swenson at 801-614-0780 for more information.

COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM

Saturday July 17, 2010 (Heritage Days Celebration)

3rd Annual Quilt, Craft & Photography Display

Recreation Admin Bldg 1651 W 2300 N

10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Classes resume in September – Zumba Exercise

BE SAFE WITH FIREWORKS!!!!

Clinton City Fire Officials would like to remind our citizens of a few safety tips when using fireworks this July

- Fireworks may be discharged 3 days before and /or 3 days after; July 4th, July 24th, and January 1st or the Chinese New Year.
- Always have adult supervision when lighting fireworks and use common sense. Please follow the directions.
- Do not discharge fireworks closer than 20 feet from your residence.
- Make sure your fireworks are legal in Utah. It is a Class "C" misdemeanor for a person to sell, discharge or to have illegal fireworks in their possession.

Any questions please call the Clinton Fire Department at 801-614-0840,

Clinton Heritage Days

Our annual Heritage Days celebration will be held July 13th - 17th. The celebration will have a week of exciting activities including: Fishing Derby, Dutch Oven Dinner, Car Show and Entertainment, golf tournament, 3 on 3 basketball tournament, professional carnival, concert series, parade, fun run, breakfast in the park, booths, food, entertainment, fireworks and much more. Last year we added four new events; Chalk it Up in the Park, Chalk Art Festival, a Movie in the Park, a Youth and Novice Golf Tournament and a Youth 3 V 3 Soccer Tournament. These events were all very well received and we look forward to continuing them and watching them grow in 2010. With the help of our newly formed Clinton Community Arts Board we will be adding a Tuesday night band concert at Heritage Park and an art exhibit and Silent Art Auction to be held in the Fire Station. In addition, Clinton City is proud to welcome country band **LITTLE TEXAS** to our City Park on Thursday, July 15th. We have something for everyone to enjoy! Call 801.614.0780 for more information on Heritage Days Events.

Pre-Sale Carnival Tickets (the most economical way to attend the carnival) are on sale now at the Recreation Department—1651 W 2300 N. Please come take advantage of this limited time offer!

Donations are being accepted from local businesses for all of our different events. If you or your company would like to support Heritage Days please call LeeAnn at 801.614.0780.

Sign up now for the golf tournaments, 3 on 3 basketball, 3 V 3 soccer, the fish derby, the fun run and the Chalk Art Festival. Space is limited on all events! Hurry In!

The Community Arts Board is looking for donations for the Art Auction. All of the money raised from the auction will be used to support Arts Board activities for the community throughout the year. To donate please call Laretta Beesley at 801.825.6354.

Heritage Days 2010 Schedule of Events – July 13th - 17th

Tuesday, July 13th

- * Fish Derby Clinton Pond (3000 W 2500 N) 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM
- * Community Band Concert Heritage Park (1000 W 1300 N) 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Wednesday, July 14th

- * Youth/Novice Golf Tourney Schneiters Bluff Noon Shotgun Start
- * Carnival Opens City Park (East Football Field) 4:00 PM - 11:00 PM
- * Movie in the Park City Park (Clock Tower) 7:30 PM - 11:00 PM

Thursday, July 15th

- * Carnival Open City Park (East Football Field) 4:00 PM - 11:00 PM
- * Dutch Oven Dinner City Park (Bowery) 5:30 PM - 'Til it's gone
- * Car Show City Park (Clock Tower) 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM
- * Entertainment City Park (Bowery) 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM
- * Little Texas Concert City Park (Softball Complex) 7:30 PM - 11:00 PM

Friday, July 16th

- * Golf Tournament Schneiters Bluff 7:00 AM Shotgun
- * Chalk Art Festival City Park (SB Complex & Clock Tower) All Day
- * Art Exhibit & Silent Art Auction City Park (Fire Station) 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM
- * Carnival Open City Park (East Football Field) Noon - Midnight
- * Vendor Booths Open City Park (West Football Field) 4:00 PM - 11:00 PM
- * 3 on 3 Basketball Tourn. City Park (Tennis Courts) 5:00 PM - 11:00 PM
- * 3 V 3 Soccer Tournament City Park (Softball Fields) 5:00 PM - 11:00 PM
- * Entertainment City Park (West Football Field) 6:00 PM - 11:00 PM

Saturday, July 17th

- * 5K Fun Run City Park 6:30 AM Start
- * Breakfast in the Park City Park (West Football Field) 7:30 AM
- * Parade New Route (Park Plaza to City Park) 9:30 AM
- * Vendor Booths City Park (West Football Field) 10:00 AM - 11:00 PM
- * Carnival Open City Park (East Football Field) 10:00 AM - Midnight
- * Art Auction & Silent Art Auction City Park (Fire Station) 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
- * Entertainment City Park (West Football Field) 11:30 AM - 11:00 PM
- * Chalk Art Festival Continues City Park (SB Complex/Clock Tower) 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
- * Quilt, Craft & Photography Show City Park (Rec Admin Bldg) 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM
- * 3 V 3 Soccer Continues City Park (Softball Fields) 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM
- * 3 on 3 Basketball Continues City Park (Tennis Courts) 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM
- * Concert in the Park City Park (West Football Field) 9:00 PM - 11:00 PM
- * Fireworks City Park 10:00 PM

1/2 Price Carnival Pre-Sale Tickets ON SALE NOW. Purchase them at the Clinton Rec Dept. 1651 W 2300 N before July 14th.

2009 Highlights

Quilt Show, Movie In The Park & Chalk Art Festival



CLINTON HERITAGE DAYS
Heritage Park Concert
 Tuesday, July 13th
 Free Concert Sponsored by the Clinton Community Arts Board
 Please plan to be seated by 6:45 PM
 Grass and Blanket seating Only

Join the Clearfield Community Band under the direction of Gretchen Myers for a concert in the park at our beautiful Heritage Park. This 30 - 40 member concert band will feature contemporary and patriotic music to entertain the entire family.



Heritage Park (1000 W 1300 N)

Parking at Heritage Park is limited and existing parking will be used for handicap, elderly and special needs. Additional parking is available at Veterans Park and at the LDS Church just west of the park. Call Clinton City Recreation for more information at 801.614.0780

2010 Clinton Heritage Days

CLINTON HERITAGE DAYS
 1st Annual
Art Exhibit & Auction

JULY 16TH & 17TH

DISPLAY HOURS:
 Friday, July 16th - 11:00 AM to 8:00 PM
 Saturday, July 17th - 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

Local artists will be displaying their work at the Fire Station. Don't miss this opportunity to bring your family and walk through this display of amazing talent.

Where: Basement of the Clinton Fire Station. There is an entrance in the back of the station with a basement, street-level entrance

Artist Registration: Registration will be on Thursday, July 15th from Noon to 6 PM. Registration forms can be found on line or at the exhibit that day. THIS WILL BE A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO SHOW YOUR ART TALENT! Those wishing to sell their piece of art will pay a percentage of the sale to the Arts Board.

Donations Wanted! Please help the Clinton Community Arts Board get established by donating works of art for our Art Auction. To donate and support the board please call Lareta Beesley at 801.825.6354.

Contact Clinton City Recreation for more information: phone- 801.614.0780 or the web-www.clintoncity.com

2010 Clinton Heritage Days

Davis County Walks 5K Run/Walk and Kids Fun Run

When: Saturday, Aug. 21
 Run/Walk starts at 7:30am
 Kids Fun Run starts at 8:30am
Where: Legacy Events Center in Farmington

Free for those 60 & older; \$15 for pre-registered individuals 59 years & under; Free Kids Race (12 & under—pre-registration required—deadline is Fri Aug 13)

How to register: Pick up a form at Davis County Health Dept. or www.daviscountyutah.gov/dcw
Questions? call 801-451-3377

FOSTER GRANDPARENTS PROGRAM

When you share your love, time & experience, you have the power to help a child who needs you. If you're 55 or older you can serve as a Foster Grandparent in an area school. The program has flexible hours & volunteers receive a small stipend. To learn more call 801-625-3865 or 800-209-2503.

CLINTON HERITAGE DAYS
LITTLE TEXAS
 In Concert
 Thursday, July 15th
 Come Join With Us For a "Live & Loud" Evening With AMERICA'S FAVORITE ROCKIN' COUNTRY BAND



JULY 15TH
7:30 PM
 With Special Guest
 The Greg Simpson Band

CELEBRATING 20 YEARS OF ROCKIN' COUNTRY

Tickets Available Through Any Smithtix Outlet or by going to www.smithtix.com
CIVIC CENTER CITY PARK
 (Softball Complex)
 1500 West 2300 North
 For more information contact Clinton City Recreation 801.614.0780.

2010 Clinton Heritage Days

VISTA COLLEGE

FREE CLASSES @ VISTA COLLEGE
 As part of our continued commitment to the community, Vista College's Clearfield Campus now offers Free Community Classes

Request more info or reserve your spot TODAY!
CALL 801-774-9900

JULY/AUGUST 2010 COMMUNITY CLASS SCHEDULE
 Classes held at Clearfield Campus • 775 South 2000 East • Clearfield, UT 84015

Date:	Class Titles	Time:
Wed, July 14	Microsoft Office 2007: Word <i>Intermediate to Advanced</i>	2:00 PM to 4:00 PM
		6:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Wed, July 21	Microsoft Office 2007: Excel	2:00 PM to 4:00 PM
		6:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Wed, July 28	Microsoft Office 2007: PowerPoint	2:00 PM to 4:00 PM
		6:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Wed, Aug 04	Microsoft Office 2007: Publisher	2:00 PM to 4:00 PM
		6:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Wed, Aug 11	Microsoft Office 2007: Word <i>Intermediate to Advanced</i>	2:00 PM to 4:00 PM
		6:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Wed, Aug 18	Microsoft Office 2007: Excel	2:00 PM to 4:00 PM
		6:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Wed, Aug 25	Microsoft Office 2007: Word <i>Intermediate to Advanced</i>	2:00 PM to 4:00 PM
		6:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Wed, Aug 25	Microsoft Office 2007: Excel	2:00 PM to 4:00 PM
		6:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Syracuse City Arts Council Presents:
Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat, Aug 5 - 7 at 7 PM & Sat., Aug. 7 at 2 PM - Syracuse High Auditorium. Tickets available at the door
 \$6 General Admission
 \$5 Students & Seniors (with ID), & Children under 12 years of age
<http://scacl happenings>

The Davis County USU Extension 4-H office will host a 4-H Idol Talent Contest (for youth ages 8-18). Thurs. July 8, 2010 Performance workshops & rehearsals 12:00-5:00pm. Talent Show begins at 6:30pm
 Layton City Amphitheater
 403 North Wasatch Drive
 Layton, UT 84041
 For more info or to register
<http://extension.usu.edu/davis/hm/4h/2010/summercampschedule>
 Or call 801-451-3409

Clinton City is proud to welcome Country Band LITTLE TEXAS to our City Park on Thurs, July 15th. Tickets are available at www.smithtix.com or thru any Smithtix outlet. We will also host our Dutch Oven Dinner, Car Show & other Entertainment that night as well. Don't miss out on the great food, beautiful cars, and Rockin' Entertainment!

Please remember to keep your garage doors closed and locked especially during the warm summer months to prevent burglaries and theft.