

Clinton City Newsletter



2014



August Water Contamination Event

After their culinary water was turned off because of non-payment, one household made the unfortunate decision to connect secondary water to their home services. We strongly suspect that this action established a "cross connection" which resulted in a couple of the City water test samples to test positive for E-Coli bacteria. That initiated all the processes of notification, super chlorination, mass flushing and constant sampling that followed. From this emergency situation the City learned a lot on how to improve our own emergency processes.

One bright spot in this event was the City's Emergency Notification System. This is a new process that we had just recently established, but it worked well. Unfortunately many people didn't get direct notices because they hadn't yet registered through the City web site (www.clintoncity.net under [community alert and messaging sign up](#)) or their information with the City records was out of date. We hope we never have another crisis; however, we need to be prepared. If you haven't already done so, we recommend you sign up for the Notification System. If you are a renter, it is especially important for you to sign up so you receive the notifications as well as the homeowner. After you sign up, you'll receive a verification e-mail. You must respond to this e-mail which will then activate your notification account. If you do not see the e-mail in your inbox, check your junk/spam folder, then flag it as "always allow" to receive future emails in your inbox. Thereafter you can access your account whenever you like to keep your contact information up to date.

There are approximately 300 verification e-mails that were not responded to therefore the set up process is not complete for those accounts. If you signed up and did not receive or respond to the verification e-mail, we will resend it in early September. Please follow the directions above to complete your notification set up.

Thank you all for your help and patience as the City dealt with this crisis. We appreciate our local businesses for donating water and for restocking their water to ensure availability. Thank you to those that reached out to their neighbors and the elderly to keep them informed. Please encourage all your neighbors and friends to sign up for the notification system.

Water Cross Connections

This is the action of physically establishing a connection to the culinary water service which could potentially allow any other source of water, liquid or any kind of contamination to be placed or induced into the culinary water system. No form of any such connection, even with valves or back flow devices whether active or inactive, is allowed.

Violation of the no cross connection law not only is a Class C Misdemeanor, but may include other civil and felony crimes. The City will proceed under Civil as well as Criminal Law to prosecute to the full extent possible for violations on cross connections. If you have a cross connection (for example, a connection of your culinary water to your secondary water served sprinkler system, allowing you to water earlier and later than the secondary water season), it needs to be immediately physically disconnected. Remember any work performed on the culinary water system must be inspected by the City. If you call us and proceed with the disconnection, we will not cite you for the cross connection violation. Help us protect your drinking water.

New Business Now Open in Clinton City



Taco Bell
1667 N 2000 W
Clinton Utah 84015

Arts Board News

A huge thanks goes to everyone involved in Heritage Days!

Congratulations to the Clinton's Got Talent winners:

1st Place Carson Schoenfield; 2nd Place Vylette Jay; 3rd Place Devon Higgs; Audience Choice: Kyra Foster; 1st Place Nolan Evans; 2nd place Glenna Shirley; 3rd Place & Audience Choice: Krystal Shipley

Congratulations also to Clinton's Film Festival Winners:

Degrees of desperation part 1 - Best Screenplay; Degrees of desperation part 2 - Best Actress; Mark the Sharkdog - Best Documentary; The Idea - Best Actor; Egg Russian Roulette - Best Drama; Summer - Best use of a Tan a Hat; Red Bull High - Best Music; Taxed & Amazed - Best Comedy; Winded - Best use of Theme, Best overall & Audience Choice.

Clinton's Children's Choir for ages 5 - 14 will begin Sept 9 at Clinton Rec 1651 W 2300 N. Cost is \$20 Register on line at www.activityreg.com or at clintonparcs.org. Call 801-614-0780 with questions. Parent volunteers needed.

COMMUNITY ENHANCEMENT PROGRAM

Clinton Recreation 1651 W 2300 N

THURS SEPT 11 7:00 PM

We are excited to welcome Candice Ortiz from *The Blooming Lotus Yoga and Dance Studio* to teach us basic belly dance moves. Come learn a new skill, have fun, and get some creative exercise.

THURS OCT 9 7:00 PM

Come learn the ins and outs of creative home décor from *Design Dezin's Laneel Perry*. She will teach us how to liven up a ho-hum room.

The Clinton Community Enhancement Board would like to welcome Karen Cook as our newest board member. We are excited to have her join us. We are still looking for more board members if you are interested Applications can be found on the City website at www.clintoncity.net or contact a current board member directly to get involved. Thank you for your support! Contact Destry Merritt at 801-391-5746 or Debbie Barlow at 801-776-9364. Follow ClintonCommunityEnhancement on Facebook or contact us to receive monthly email reminders.

Parks Board News

This month we are highlighting two parks. Trailside Park, located at approximately 900 W & 1800 N. This is a small park, originally set up as a storm water detention area. This is also where the City's welcome sign is located. And, the Rail Trail, which parallels 1000 W from Roy to Clearfield. The trail follows the old railroad bed and can now be used by walkers, people on bicycles, joggers, and also allows dogs (but be sure to clean up after your pet). Thanks to Scout Andrew Plum, there are benches and signs for your use on the Rail Trail. Please take some time to check out this park and the Rail Trail.

Also, there is a vacancy on the Parks Advisory Board. If you are interested, please see the application form on the city's web site at www.clintoncity.net.

FYI for October...

- Fall Clean up is scheduled for Saturday, October 4 8 am to 1 pm - 1711 W 1800 N. Please call 801-614-0780 with questions.
- The Weber Basin Canal Co. has notified us that the secondary water will be turned off as of October 1.

CLINTON CITY RECREATION NEWS

~~ Follow us on Facebook, Pintrist, Instagram and on Twitter @ Clinton Rec~~

JR JAZZ BASKETBALL

Registration includes a jersey, player clinic and 2 tickets to a Jazz game. Mark it on your calendar and sign up early!

New this year: Jr High Girls 7-9th grade, we will be combined with Syracuse Recreation and will play at their new gym. We will play earlier than the rest of our leagues. Sign up now through October 15th.

All other Jr. Jazz Basketball Leagues: Boys 1st – 10th grade and girls 1st – 6th grade Sign up now through November 7th. Practices and games begin the end of November – February. The cost is \$50. No draft, teams will be put together by random computer selection.

ONLINE HUNTER SAFETY CLASSES

Space is limited – Pre Registration is required! Mandatory attendance required.

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.**

- September 2nd class day / September 6th range day.
- October 7th class day/ October 11th range day.
- November 11th class/ November 15th range day.
- December 2nd class day / December 6th range day.

For more information please call Recreation at 801-614-0780. Class size is limited.

YOUTH FISHING CLUB

For ages 6 to 12 for six weeks on Wednesdays, Sept 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, Oct. 1st & 8th 6 to 8 PM. Come learn how to cast, use equipment, tie knots, learn fish biology, ecology and water safety. 12 & older need a fishing license. Clinton Pond Park 2415 N 3000 W Cost is \$10 for residents \$15 for non-residents. Volunteer Fish Coaches Needed! Sign up at 1651 W 2300 N or call 801-614-0780 with questions.

Watch for Merit Badge Classes coming in October.

Our **Club 55 SR Luncheon** will be Wednesday Sept. 17 at 12 noon at Clinton Recreation 1651 W 2300 N. (\$3 optional donation for lunch). For more info call 801-614-0780. Hope to see you there!

Looking for more info for local Senior Programs? Visit www.daviscountyutah.gov/seniors or contact Marie with the Davis County Senior Services 801-525-5086. Many programs & work shops are available.

Country Pines Retirement is hosting monthly **FREE BINGO** events at 1706 W 1800 N. The next one is September 16 @ 10 AM. RSVP Shelly 801-773-0990

Community News...

- Syracuse City has a Farmer's Market on Wednesdays from 5 pm to dusk – 1891 W 1700 S. for more info visit: <https://www.facebook.com/SyracuseCityUtahFarmersMarket?ref=hi>
- **September is Family Meals Month** – The Davis County Health Dept. is encouraging families to make time to eat together. Children can receive long term benefits in many ways including smarter food choices, better grades and being more likely to avoid drugs and alcohol. For more information and to see a complete list of benefits visit <https://extension.usu.edu/foodsense/> or contact ajudd@daviscountyutah.gov.

Clinton City Parks and Recreation
and the Division of Wildlife Resources
Fishing Club
2014
ages 6 to 12⁺
Wednesdays
September 3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th
October 1st, 8th
6 to 8 PM
Volunteer Fish Coaches Needed!
Classes meet for 6 weeks at the Pond
2415 N 3000 W, Clinton
Learn how to cast, use equipment, tie knots, fish biology, ecology and water safety.
Equipment provided or bring your own.
Adult volunteers wanted.
1 1/2 hours of class time and 1 1/2 hours on the water!
Come prepared for wet and/or sunny days.
A Great Family Activity!
Cost is
Residents \$10.00
Non-Residents \$15.00
*11 and older need a fishing license.
Space is limited, so sign up early at the Recreation office!
Clinton City Recreation, 1651 W 2300 N, Clinton, phone-614-0780

Clinton Children's Choir
Cost: \$20.00
Ages: 5-14
Performances
December 6th
Parkside Clem
3:00 pm
Look for Santa
Practices
Tuesday's 4 pm to 6 pm
Starts
September 9th
In
The Recreation Building
1651 W 2300 N
Directors:
Andrea Hill G
Nicole Crisp
Register At:
Recreation Offices
on line at: www.activityreg.com or clintonparcs.org
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2014/15 JUNIOR JAZZ
Clinton & Combined Cities
Jr High School Girls Basketball
In High Girls
Jr Jazz Basketball
Girls grades 7th to 9th
Price
\$50.00 in City
NO
Out of City Fee
All participants receive
1 ticket to a Jazz Game
Purchase additional tickets
\$10.00 at time of registration
Sneak Peek, Uniform levy,
Qualified Official & Scorekeeper
Jazz Player Clinic
"Random Draft" Teams will be put together by
Random computer selection
Leagues will begin: End of October and run mid-December
Registrations are taken at the Clinton City Office, Mon - Fri, 9 am - 5 pm
1651 W 2300 N, Clinton 801-614-0780
Deadline October 15th, 2014
Register online at: www.activityreg.com
www.clintoncity.net or www.Clintonparcs.org

Clinton & Sunset Recreation
Youth Basketball
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Boys Grades 14 to 19th
Girls grades 14 to 19th
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1st & 2nd
Grade
Instructional
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**Clinton City Fire Department
Annual Fire Prevention Open House**

Great Family learning and Fun

Events include:

- Smoke Detector Display
- Children's ID Cards
- Hazardous House
- Sparky the Fire Dog
- Fire Sprinkler Demo
- UHP Seatbelt Convincer



- CO Detector Display
- Life Safety Trailer
- CERT
- Air-Med
- Free Refreshments
- American Red Cross

Fire Engine Rides for the Kids

Date: October 2, 2014
Time: 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm
Where: Clinton City Fire Station
2153 North 1500 West

Working Smoke Alarms
Save Lives
Test Yours Every Month!
Fire Prevention Week - October 9-11, 2014

Property Tax Increase Approved - At an August 12, 2014 Clinton City Council Truth in Taxation Hearing, (continued on August 13), the Council voted to reduce the proposed property tax rate increase to .002253 or \$3.78 per month for the average \$181,000.00 home. The funds are intended specifically for street maintenance and repair. To review the minutes of the Council meetings or view the Pavement Management Report go to www.clintoncity.net.