



HEBER CITY NEWS

April 2012



MAYOR'S MESSAGE

by Mayor Dave Phillips

Congratulations to two of our city employees for their recent special recognitions. Tammy Thacker, police officer, is a recipient of the "Heroes Award" by the Children's Justice Center (CJC). Tammy has been a fulltime police officer with Heber City since March, 2007. She excels as a detective and has a special rapport and empathy with victims of crimes, especially the children. She is also a forensic interviewer, a gang expert, and has received police department awards for her investigative skills.

George Rodrick, Animal Control Officer, was named the Animal Control Officer of the Year by the Utah Animal Control Officer's Association. George has developed an excellent rapport with citizens throughout the community as he handles a multitude of issues surrounding animals and pets, from lost and stolen animals, strays, feral and vicious animals, shelter operations and general law enforcement of this special category. George is known for his cheerful disposition and love of his job.

On March 20th, Mayor Dave Phillips and City Councilman Erik Rowland participated with other elected officials in the valley in delivering meals to the homes of those individuals participating in the Meals on Wheels program. Mountainland Association of Governments coordinates the Meals on Wheels program with key staff at the Wasatch County Senior Citizens Center.

Clean Out Your Medicine Cabinet

Bring your unused, expired, and unwanted medications to the 4th annual **Clean Out Your**

Medicine Cabinet event: April 28, 2012, at the Days Market collection site from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 pm. Help keep your family and the environment safe by getting rid of your medications the right way.

Remember, you can get rid of expired medication anytime at the Wasatch County Sheriff's Office, or the Heber City Police Department.

For more information contact the Heber City Police Department at 435-654-3040, or go to: www.wasatchcounty.net/KnowWhereTheyGo.aspx

Easter Egg Hunt

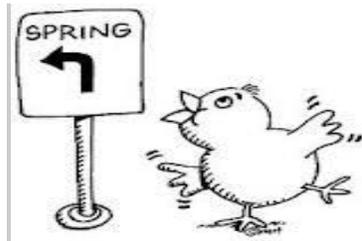
Heber Valley's annual Easter Egg Hunt will take place on Saturday, April 7th, 10:00 a.m., in the Heber City Park located at 200 South Main Street. The Easter Egg hunt is for children ages toddler to 10 years old and will be split into 4 age groups.

Heber Valley Job Fair

Several new businesses to Wasatch County will be in attendance at this job fair, including Tanger Outlet Stores.

3111 North College Way
Heber City, UT 84032
April 4, 2012
4:00-7:00 p.m.

Bring your resume and come prepared to talk to hiring representatives. A variety of jobs will be available including retail sales jobs, labor jobs, professional and management jobs and more.



A Note from Animal Control

Now that the warmer weather is approaching and everyone wants to walk their dogs, please remember that Heber City has a leash law. Heber City Municipal Code Section 6.19.010 States:

Section 6.19.010 Dogs Generally

A. Dogs Running at Large.

1. It is unlawful for the owner or person having charge, care, custody, or control of any dog to allow such dog at any time to run at large. The owner or person charged with responsibility for a dog found running at large shall be strictly liable for a class B misdemeanor under this Section as well as for any violation(s), damage, or injury committed by the dog, regardless of whether or not the person knows the dog is running at large. A dog is not "at large" if it is confined within a building or enclosure or is restrained by a leash.

Please remember that dogs are not allowed in the Heber City Park or the South Fields Park, but are allowed in the Muirfield Park. Heber City Municipal Code Section 6.19.010 Subsection B states:

B. Dogs Prohibited Where Notice Given. It shall be a class B misdemeanor for the owner or person having charge, care, custody or control of a dog to allow such dog to be present on a public park, trail, sidewalk, or gathering place where notice against such is given through the posting of signage by the entity controlling such place. Persons who use specially trained dogs to assist them with hearing, mobility or sight shall be exempt from this section.

If anyone has any questions please call the Heber City Animal Control at 654-5727 or stop by the Heber City Police Department and ask for an animal control officer.

Host Family Needed

Forte, an exchange student organization; has placed a German student at Wasatch High School for the second semester next school year. In order for him to come, the first semester slot (end of August to the middle of January) needs to be filled. Forte will pay \$50 as a thank you for a family who decides to host a student.

Forte also has a very nice boy from Brazil who is available to come the first semester and a German girl who also needs a host family. The students have their own spending money, insurance; they follow family rules, do family chores, are clean living, and participate in school and family activities. Host families get a \$50 income tax deduction for gas and food for each month the student is living with them. The student can share a room. We ask that one member of the host family be home at supper time most of the time. If interested please contact **Ginger Smith at 801-444-1348** or email her at hosting@grandmaginger.com
Inquiries need to be done within a couple of days, because the school slots for exchange students are filled and these one-half year openings are the only ones remaining.

Elmbridge Apartments

Elmbridge Apartments is a 76 unit Affordable Housing project with 1, 2 and 3 bedroom apartments. Income restrictions apply. Please call 435-649-8838 Monday, Tuesday, & Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., Wednesday & Thursday 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 pm to see if you qualify.

Heber Valley Community Garden News

Calling all gardeners! Are you interested in locally grown produce and sustainability? We are now taking applications for plots in our local community garden. Come and make your garden grow!! For more information call Annie at 435-901-1974 or Michelle at 654-0757, mkellogg@ci.heber.ut.us