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JULY 2024

CENTERVILLE CHRONICLE

Official Newsletter of Centerville City, Utah

Dear Residents:

As I look forward to the upcoming events of the Fourth of July, I am struck by what the Fourth of July is. Independence Day. In those two words we think of the document that Thomas Jefferson, with input from others, created. Let us remember what this Independence was from. It was a document proclaiming to the British Empire that this American Continent desired to be free from the tyrannical rule that the colonists felt they were under from the British Empire. This was a day for all people living in America at the time to celebrate. However, not all celebrated. The nation's people were split about whether they wanted to be free from British rule or not.

As I look back at the activities of this past week, specifically the primary elections our Utah people are much the same way. They are split upon who they want in office, upon how they want the direction of our county, state, and nation to go as well. However, that is what makes the Declaration of Independence great along with other documents that followed and that is those documents allow us to vote to voice our opinion. Let us not forget that this is, "One nation under God." Please take a chance to participate in our upcoming celebrations on July 3, 4, 5, and 6 (please consult the [city website](#) for the schedule). In addition, to those celebrations I invite you to an open house for our retiring police chief, Paul Child, on July 12th between 2 and 6 pm at city hall with a program at 2:30. He has given law enforcement 41 years of his life. We will sadly miss him and his dedication to public service.

Thank You everyone for all the service you render to our city. It makes it such a better place to live.

Sincerely,
Mayor Wilkinson



Mayors Message





Service

There will be many projects throughout Centerville to remember those who gave so much on 9/11 as a community. Most projects will be taking place, Saturday September 7th.

Information will be posted on the city website, city social media channels and JustServe.org by mid July. Look for: #CentervilleRemembersByServing As well as #911UtahDayOfService and 911.org



9/11 NATIONAL DAY OF SERVICE & REMEMBRANCE

Centerville Remembers by Serving

To join in and serve, go to **JUSTSERVE.ORG**

911day.org #911UtahDayofService

Recreation

[Register Here!](#)

CENTERVILLE FALL BALL

Pre K - 9th Grade **GIRLS & BOYS**

Sign Up: **June 3- July 22**
+ \$10 after 7/22

About This Rec League
Centerville's Fall Recreation Baseball League will play approximately 7-8 games. 1st-9th Grade leagues will end their season with a single elimination tournament. Most games will be played in Centerville. Possible to play games elsewhere in Davis County - especially for 5th-9th graders.

Pre-K \$45 Tee Ball Mondays &/or Wednesdays	5th-6th Grade \$85 Pinto - Live Kid Pitch Wednesdays &/or Mondays Placement Tryout: July 29th
Kinder - 2nd Grade \$50 Machine Pitch Tuesdays &/or Thursdays	7th-9th Grade \$95 Pony - Live Kid Pitch Wednesdays &/or Mondays Placement Tryout: July 29th
3rd-4th Grade \$85 Mustang - Live Kid Pitch Thursdays &/or Tuesdays	Cost Includes 7-8 Games, Medal, Individual and Team Photo, Performance Jersey, & Custom Centerville Hat

Community Park
1350 N 400 W Centerville, UT

Game Times
As early as 5 pm
As late as 8 pm

Register here
centervilleutah.gov

Season
Aug. 19th-Oct. 10th

CENTERVILLE CITY GAMING NIGHTS

MONDAYS
JUNE - JULY
FREE OPEN PLAY

CENTERVILLE CITY HALL
260 N MAIN ST.
6:30 PM - 8:30PM

NO GAMING NIGHTS HELD ON JULY 1 OR JULY 22

Let's Laugh & Play with Friends

OUR SWITCH'S WILL BE POWERED UP 9-HOUR COUNCIL BIG SCREENS AND READY FOR MARIO KART RACERS! THERE WILL ALSO BE OTHER CARD AND BOARD GAMES PROVIDED. FEEL FREE TO BRING YOUR OWN AS WELL!

ADULT CORNHOLE LEAGUE

Escape the hustle and bustle of everyday life and play some cornhole this fall at Centerville's Community Park.

\$30 PER TEAM

Thursday Nights
Mid August-Early October

Games Start
07:00 pm

JOIN NOW

centervilleutah.gov 801.477.6431

E V E N T S

Community Events

CENTERVILLE CITY PARKS & RECREATION

FREE FRIDAY NIGHT MOVIES IN THE PARK

JUNE 14
FATHER'S DAY WEEKEND FUN
LAWN GAMES
7:30PM-9:00PM



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JUNE 28
BIRDS!
LONG WING BIRD SHOW
FROM 7:30PM TO 8:30PM



JULY 12
DATE NIGHT
COUPLES TRIVIA & PRIZES
7:30PM-9:00PM



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JULY 26
PRINCESSES IN THE PARK
ANNA, BELLE, & TIANA
FROM 7:30PM TO 9PM



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AUGUST 9
INDIE FEATURE FRIDAY
MAKE YOUR OWN MARCEL
7:00PM-9PM



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300 N 100 E - CENTERVILLE- SMITH PARK - 9:00 PM

THURSDAY - 6 PM

ON JULY 11, 2024

WHITAKER CENTERVILLE MUSEUM

168 N MAIN ST, CENTERVILLE, UTAH

FLASHBACK

MILITARY OF OUR PAST - THE MEN, WOMEN, AND LIFE ON THE BATTLEFIELD - INCLUDING CAMPS, REENACTORS, VEHICLE DISPLAYS, & FAMILY ACTIVITIES

POP-UP MUSEUM

WHITAKER MUSEUM

Visit with our local Centerville Spinster or check out our Mountain Man and his teepee at the Centerville Freedom Festival

JULY 6TH
10 AM - DUSK | MOUNTAIN MAN
10 AM - 1PM | SPINSTER
@ CENTERVILLE COMMUNITY PARK

Check out more events: centervilleutah.gov | whitaker museum

Community HIKE

Centerville Utah

Free Event!

Wednesday July 31

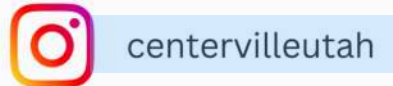
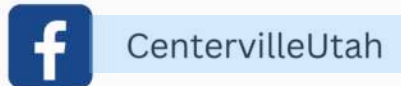
Hosted by Centerville Parks & Rec with Centerville Trails Committee at Freedom Hills Park

Hike will depart at 6:30 pm
Feel free to join us at our Neighborhood Night Event pre or post hike for Disc Golf, Water Games, and Hot Dogs

Join us as we wrap up Parks & Recreation Month and experience a true sense of unity in our community. Bring your friends, family, neighbors, and join us on a guided family friendly hike out of Freedom Hills Park. We will be taking the switchbacks out of the park and along the firebreak road. Bring plenty of water with you on the trail as it will be toasty and sun exposed. Please wear sturdy shoes.

Enjoy the evening filled with food, socializing, fun & games.
For more information, please call/text Haley: 801-877-6431

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THE WHITAKER

Centerville's Heritage Museum

“Keeping Our Stories Alive”

2024 Story Event Calendar

Mar 12 7pm



Your Bounteous Garden

Master Gardener Presentation

Presenter: Debbie West
Master Gardener, J&L, Rockin E'

Location: City Hall (free)



Those Who Came Before

Indigenous Presence in
Davis County
Davis County Museums

Location: Various (free)

April 2024



May 9 7pm



Alf Engen

Pioneer of Utah Skiing

Presenter: Alan K. Engen
assisted by Jamie Lehman Alf Engen
Museum Director

Location: City Hall (free)

Gallery Walk Art Show

Date Night Art Class
(registration required)
Open Mic

Presenter: Local Artists
Location: Whitaker Museum (free)

Jun 13 7pm



Jul 13 6pm



Flash Back Military Time Line

Revolutionary through WWII
Reenactors, Camps, Vehicle Displays
Activities for the whole family

Whitaker Museum/ History Specialists

Location: Museum/City Campus (free)

Utah's First Cars

Motor Tales
Utah History Behind The Wheel

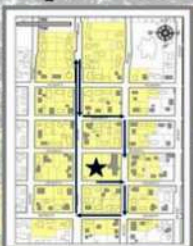
Presenter: John Clark
Author

Location: City Hall (free)

Aug 8 7pm



Sep 12 TBA



Centerville Historic District

Home Walking Tour II

Presenters:
Land Marks Commission

Tour Begins at: Well Church (free)

Wild, Wacky Urban Legends

Family Fun Stories of Davis County
Davis County Museums

Presenter: Local/Utah Storytellers
Location: Farmington Events Center (free)

Oct 17 7pm



Museum Board Members

Chair: Jim Morgan - V Chair: Robin Jensen - Spencer Packer - Nancy Smith - Jana Taylor - Bob Brown - Alyson Childs

Director: Lisa Linn Sommer

whitaker@centervilleut.com

Phone: 801.335.8843

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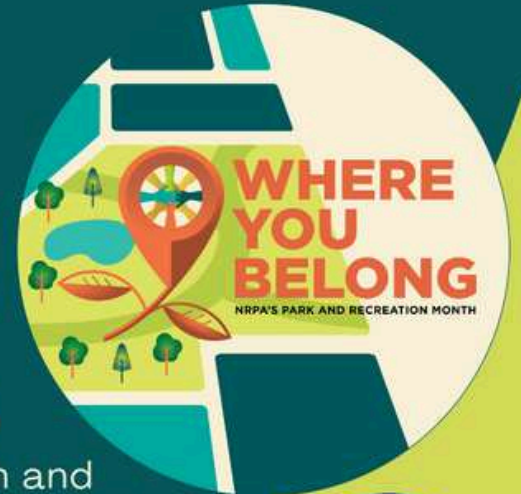
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EIGHBORHOOD NIGHTS

Free Events!

Wednesdays

Join us for Parks & Recreation Month and experience a true sense of unity in our community. Bring a lawn chair, play some games, and socialize with your friends and neighbors.



July 10

Host - Centerville Parks & Rec
at **Smoot Park** - From 6pm - 8pm
Water Balloon Volleyball, Pickleball,
Bucket Golf, Creamies

July 17

Host - Centerville Parks & Rec
at **Porter Walton Park** - From 6pm - 8pm
Street Hockey, Board/Card Games,
Chalk Fun, Banbury Donuts

July 31

Host - Centerville Parks & Rec
at **Freedom Hills Park** - From 6pm - 8pm
Disc Golf, Water Games, Hiking, Hot Dogs

Enjoy the evening filled with food, socializing, fun & games.

For more information, please call/text Haley: 801-677-6431

CENTERVILLE FREEDOM FESTIVAL



JULY 3-6

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FREEDOM

JULY 3-6 FESTIVAL

CELEBRATE FREEDOM IN CENTERVILLE

WEDNESDAY COMMUNITY PARK – 5PM – 8PM
CHILDREN'S ENTREPRENEUR MARKET

THURSDAY CENTERVILLE CITY HALL – 7AM
5K FREEDOM RUN
1450 N MAIN TO PAGES LANE – 9AM
FREEDOM FESTIVAL PARADE

FRIDAY WILLIAM R. SMITH PARK – 7PM – 11PM
FOUNDERS FAMILY FUN NIGHT
ACTIVITIES, DONUTS, 360 PHOTO BOOTH
MOVIE IN THE PARK-TOP GUN MAVERICK

SATURDAY COMMUNITY PARK
CHILDRENS PARADE – 9AM
FLAG RAISING CEREMONY – 9:30AM
RED, WHITE, & FUN ZONE GAMES – 10AM – 1PM
QUILT SHOW – 10AM – 4PM
LIVE ENTERTAINMENT – 10:00AM – 8PM
HEADLINER BAND – STEVEN BOSCO – 8:30PM
FIREWORKS – 10PM



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CENTERVILLE FREEDOM FESTIVAL

CHILDREN'S ENTREPRENEUR MARKET
COMMUNITY PARK - 1350 N 400 W
WEDNESDAY - JULY 3

CHILDREN'S 
ENTREPRENEUR
market



FREE TO THE PUBLIC
5PM - 8PM

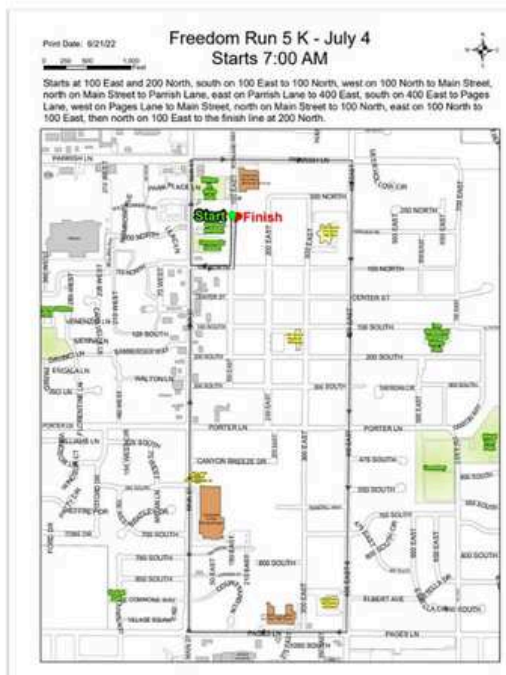
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THE CHILDREN'S ENTREPRENEUR MARKET IS AN AWARD-WINNING PROGRAM THAT TEACHES YOUNG PEOPLE ABOUT THE POWER OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP, INNOVATION AND LEADERSHIP THROUGH EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING. THE MARKETS STARTED IN UTAH AND SOLD OUT FOR FIVE YEARS STRAIGHT, HELPING NEARLY 10,000 KIDS BEFORE EXPANDING TO 24 ADDITIONAL STATES.

REGISTER - WWW.CHILDRESENTREPRENEURMARKET.COM

CENTERVILLE FREEDOM FESTIVAL

**FREEDOM RUN-5K & 1 MILE
CENTERVILLE CITY HALL
THURSDAY- JULY 4 - 7AM**



**JULY 1
FEE GOES UP
DON'T DELAY**



**SCAN TO
SIGN UP
TODAY**



FOR 45 YEARS, THE CENTERVILLE-FARMINGTON ROTARY CLUB HAS PLANNED AND ORGANIZED THE ANNUAL CENTERVILLE FREEDOM RUN. THE RACE IS THE PRIMARY FUND RAISER FOR THE ROTARY CLUB AND THE PROCEEDS ARE USED TO FUND BOTH LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL SERVICE PROJECTS. THE 5K 2024 RACE IS SCHEDULED FOR JULY 4 AT 7:00 AM STARTING AT CENTERVILLE CITY HALL, 250 N. MAIN ST. THE 1 MILE RACE FOR CHILDREN AGES 12 AND UNDER WILL BEGIN AT 8:00 AM AND THE 1/4 MILE RACE FOR CHILDREN 8 AND YOUNGER WILL BEGIN AT APPROXIMATELY 8:15 AM.



[HTTPS://WWW.CFROTARY.COM/4TH-OF-JULY-RACE](https://www.cfrotary.com/4th-of-july-race)

CENTERVILLE FREEDOM

FESTIVAL

PARADE

1450 N MAIN TO PAGES LN

THURSDAY- JULY 4 - 9AM

 OVER 50 ENTRIES

 MILITARY FLY OVER

 LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

 MAXFIELD FAMILY

CLOWNS

 TONGAN BRASS

BAND

 SCHOOL BANDS

 & MUCH, MUCH,

MORE!



**GRAND MARSHALL
CENTERVILLE POLICE
CHIEF PAUL CHILD**

41 Years of Police Service



RESIDENTS CAN START PUTTING OUT CHAIRS AND BLANKETS TO SECURE THEIR SPOTS FOR THE PARADE AFTER 4:00 PM ON JULY 3. ORD -11.01.140
CONTACT LISA MALMSTROM, 801-243-5282 MOMMALISASG@GMAIL.COM
OR BRI WETSEL, 801-824-2978 / BRIWETSEL@GMAIL.COM

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CENTERVILLE FREEDOM FESTIVAL

FOUNDERS FAMILY FUN NIGHT
WILLIAM R SMITH PARK
FRIDAY- JULY 5 - 7PM - 11PM

**BANBURY
CROSS**

DONUTS

CORN HOLE
NINE SQUARE **SPIKE BALL**
FAMILY FUED **BUCKET GOLF**
MUSIC **GIANT YARD GAMES**
POP DARTS **PADDLE SMASH**
MINUTE TO WIN IT GAMES

FREE DONUTS

**BANBURY
CROSS**

DONUTS



MOVIE IN THE PARK



JOIN YOUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS FOR THIS NEW EVENT THAT CELEBRATES CENTERVILLE CITY HERITAGE. THERE WILL BE GAMES, FREE BANBURY DONUTS, AN EPIC 360 PHOTO BOOTH, MUSIC, MOVIE IN THE PARK AND MORE.

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CENTERVILLE FREEDOM FESTIVAL

COMMUNITY PARK

SATURDAY - JULY 6 - 9AM - 11PM

CHILDRENS PARADE - 9AM

Decorate your bikes and wagons or just come walk! Begins at the brick church on 1461 N Main, proceeds west on 1450 N, turns south on 400 W, and ends at the Centerville Community Park with popsicles and fun!

FLAG RAISING CEREMONY - 9:30 AM

Join us at the big stage on the east side of the park as we raise old glory.

QUILT SHOW - 10AM - 4PM

Across the street in the cultural hall at the church 1285 N 400 W. in Centerville, UT

RED, WHITE, & FUN ZONE GAMES - 10AM - 1PM

Bounce houses, carnival games, face painting, Home Depot, and more.

ACTIVITIES, FOOD, & FUN - 10AM - DUSK

Food trucks, vendors, bounce houses, and entertainment. Bring your own chair!

HEADLINER BAND - STEVEN BOSCO - 8:30PM

Nashville recording artist with his local five piece band. BYOC (Bring Your Own Chair).

FIREWORKS - 10PM

Spread your blankets on July 6th only.

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DON CHRISTENSEN**



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CENTERVILLE FREEDOM

JULY 3-6 FESTIVAL

SPECIAL THANK YOU TO OUR VOLUNTEER
FREEDOM FESTIVAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS!

Mayor Clark Wilkinson - Centerville City
Wendy & Danny Inkley - Freedom Festival Chairs
Brianna Wetsel & Lisa Malmstrom - Parade Chairs
Julie Hoth - Children's Parade Chair
Steve Thacker - Freedom Run Chair
Tauna & Kevin Connors - Red, White, & Fun Zone Chairs
Julie Summerhays - Food Truck Chair
Sharrisa Kay - Vendor Chair
Leslie Palmer - Quilt & Art Chair
Joani Stevens - Founders Family Fun Chair
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Karl Taylor - Logistics Chair
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