

AT YOUR SERVICE

A bulletin of community news

May 2017

Cemetery Memorial Day Cleanup

Holiday and floral arrangements will be removed from the Ogden City Cemetery beginning Monday, June 5. Patrons who wish to keep their flowers and grave decorations must pick them up before that date; remembrances can be placed back on graves after June 12.

801-629-8231

Home Exterior Loan Program

Low interest loans available for roofing, driveways, windows, fencing, sprinkler systems, and more. Open to all qualifying citizens city-wide, not income restricted or reserved for select neighborhoods. See if your home improvement project qualifies.

801-629-8940

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For Clean Drinking Water...

Learn how to properly maintain your irrigation system. If you can switch from culinary to secondary depending on the time of year, we can show you how to reduce the risk of cross contamination.

Ogden City Public Utilities

801-629-8384 or 801-629-8317

Community events are good for Ogden

Marathons, car shows, art festivals, concerts, parades, and more. Yes, it's event season in Ogden, and no one else does it quite like we do.

Why do we celebrate all things in Ogden? Besides being fun, well-managed festivals and events offer a host of economic and social benefits to our community. The big public gatherings downtown foster community pride, teach us new things, and strengthen relationships. Festivals also attract visitors, and visitors spend money which boosts our local economy both for festival vendors as well as local businesses. Think about the free advertising for Ogden as visitors talk about, post about, and share images of their fun experiences when they go back home, even if home is only a few miles or minutes out of town.

Successful events cause a great ripple effect for all of us here in Ogden. So start filling up your own calendar with the exciting summer lineup Ogden has to offer. And while you're at, be sure to invite some friends.

events.ogdencity.com

Replacing your roof?

A Re-Roof Permit from the City is required. Certified City Inspectors will assess each phase of your project to ensure you have a good roof over your head, including a final inspection when the roof is complete.

Permits must be obtained in person at the City Municipal Building, 2549 Washington Blvd. To expedite the process, print and complete the application ahead of time at www.ogdencity.com/permitapp.

801-629-8985

Grow a Row for the Hungry

Did you know 1 in 4 people in Ogden live with food insecurities? The Weber-Morgan Health Department is promoting "Grow a Row for the Hungry" to help procure fresh produce to fill our local food pantries.

When planning your garden, plant a row that you can donate. When it's ready to harvest, drop off that row of produce at Catholic Community Services, 2501 F Ave, and tell them it's for "Grow a Row." Donations are accepted Monday – Friday, 7:30am to 3pm.

801-394-5944

Grilling Safety from our Fire Department

There's nothing like outdoor grilling. It's one of the most popular ways to cook food. But a grill placed too close to anything that can burn is a fire hazard. Keep these tips in mind to keep your grilling as safe as possible.

- Place the grill well away from the home, deck railings, and out from under eaves and overhanging branches.
- Keep children and pets at least three feet away, and never leave the grill unattended.
- Before using a propane grill for first time each year, check the gas tank hose for leaks. Apply soap and water to the hose and watch for bubbles indicating a leak. Have leaks serviced by a professional.
- Always make sure the lid is open on a gas grill before lighting it. If the flame goes out, turn the grill and gas off and wait five minutes before re-lighting.
- When using charcoal grills, only use safe methods for starting the charcoals such as charcoal starter fluid or newspaper with charcoal chimney starters. There are also electric charcoal starters that do not use fire. When finished grilling, allow coals to cool completely and dispose in a metal container.
- Keep your grill clean by removing grease and fat buildup from the grills and trays below the grill.

May

- 4 Make a Difference Day | volunteer projects
- 5 First Friday Art Stroll | Downtown 6pm
- 5 MOMENTS Festival | 6pm Union Station to Jefferson Ave
- 6 Cinco De Mayo Celebration at Marshall White Center
- 10 Jazz at the Station | Union Station 7pm
- 13 Heritage Festival at Union Station 10am – 5pm
- 17 Historic Scavenger Hunt entries due | Ogden City Municipal Bldg 5pm
- 19 Mayor's Walk | High Adventure Park 6pm
- 20 Ogden Marathon | Finishes on Historic 25th St

June

- 1 Twilight Concert: Oh Land | Ogden Amphitheater
- 2 Historic 25th Street Car Show | 5 – 9pm
- 8 Twilight Concert: OK Go | Ogden Amphitheater
- 10 & 11 Ogden Arts Festival | Ogden Amphitheater
- 15 Twilight Concert: Louis the Child & Troyboi | 5pm
- 16 TEDx Talk | Perry's Egyptian Theater
- 22 Twilight Concert: The Shins | Ogden Amphitheater 5pm
- 24 Farmers and Art Market | Ogden Amphitheater 9am – 2pm
- 24 Weber Pathways' TrailFest 2017 | hike, bike, or run a section of the Centennial Trail 8am – noon, celebration at Ogden Amphitheater noon to 3pm
- 29 Twilight Concert: Mike Snow | Ogden Amphitheater 5pm

See more at events.ogdencity.com

City Council Meetings

Council Chambers | Tuesdays 6 p.m.

Ogden Trails Network

Municipal Building | Third Thursdays 4:30 p.m.

City Planning Commission

Municipal Building | First Wednesdays 5 p.m.

Summer meals for school kids

Ogden City School District sponsors the summer food service program bringing free, healthy meals to children 18 and under.

Lunch is served June 5 – July 21, 11:30 to 12:15, Monday thru Friday at:

Lincoln Elementary, 550 E Canfield Dr
***New Bridge School, 2150 Jefferson Ave**
***Odyssey Elementary, 375 Goddard St**
***TO Smith Element, 3295 Gramercy Ave**
***Highland Jr High, 325 Gramercy Ave**
***Ben Lomond High, 1080 9th St**
4th St/Romrell Park, 4th St & Wall Ave

Jaycee Park, 25th St & Fillmore Ave
Lester Park, 24th St & Madison Ave
Lorin Farr Park, 17th St & Gramercy Ave
Marshall White Center, 222 28th St
Monroe Park, 30th St & Monroe Blvd
Mount Ogden Park, 32nd St & Taylor Ave
West Ogden Park, 24th St & E Ave

Lunch is served June 5 – July 20, 11:30 to 12:15, Monday thru Thurs at:

***Ogden High School, 2828 Harrison Blvd** **Washington High School, 455 28th St**

*Breakfast is also served at locations marked with *, 8 to 8:15.
No meals will be served July 3 and 4 at any of the locations.

Youth soccer leagues

Kids 3 to 18 are invited to play soccer with AYSO Region 351. Register online at www.ayso351.org; Ogden residents receive discount with code 95414 at checkout. Player fees include uniform with socks, shorts, team jersey, trained referees, team photo and up to 16 soccer games played through spring and fall. C'mon and get in the game!

801-627-AYSO or **www.ayso351.org**

Domingo Ayala performs at All Star Showcase

Ogden City Recreation brings comedic YouTube sensation Domingo Ayala to town to perform live at Lindquist Field on June 2 at 6pm as part of the annual High School All Star Showcase weekend.

The public is invited, get tickets online at www.ogdenrecreation.com or in person at Ogden City Rec office, 1875 Monroe Blvd. Follow us on Facebook for events, updates, and giveaways!

801-629-8253 or **[Facebook.com/ogdencityrec](https://www.facebook.com/ogdencityrec)**

Emergency preparedness: get kids ready for disaster

With school out for the summer, should your family emergency plan change? Disaster can strike without warning and having a plan for when kids are in school or at home will help you be better prepared.

Practice exit drills to make sure each child knows at least two ways out of every room in your house and make sure they remember where to meet up so you can verify everyone made it out safely.

Involve children in restocking the 72-hour kit; now is a good time to swap winter clothing for summer gear. Most of all, know your Family Communication Plan. Include phone numbers of family, friends, and neighbors as well as the designated point of contact in case of a disaster. Always include one out of state contact in the event local circuits get bogged down with extra call volume.

Children who learn about emergency preparedness experience less anxiety during an actual emergency and feel more confident, empowering them to become positive influencers in their homes and neighborhoods.

emergencymanagement.ogdencity.com or **ready.gov/kids**



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