

Spring Town Times

November 2026

Mayor's Corner by Mayor Paul Penrod

Meet Spring City's New Emergency Manager: Brill Hernandez

Mayor Paul Penrod has appointed Brill Hernandez as Spring City's first volunteer Emergency Manager. This is a new position for the city. Brill will lead our community's emergency preparedness and work with Sanpete County and the State of Utah so Spring City is ready when disaster strikes.

Brill brings more than 15 years of fire and EMS experience. He studied Pre-Hospital Emergency Medicine from the University of Antelope Valley. He trained under physicians at UCLA and USC and under firefighter-paramedics with the Los Angeles County Fire Department, then served five years in Los Angeles County. Johnson County, Kansas later recruited him to the Kansas City metro, where he served as a Lieutenant Paramedic. While there he was a member of Kansas Search and Rescue Task Force 1 and the tactical medical team, and he led the hazmat medical team. He also helped design safety features for fire apparatus, ambulances and crew living quarters.

A trained critical care paramedic, Brill has cared for more than 33,000 patients and has worked several large-scale incidents. Having served as an officer he has completed FEMA's full series of incident and emergency management courses.

Brill moved to Spring City in 2021. Since 2022 he has served as lieutenant with the Spring City Fire Department and North Sanpete Ambulance.

Watch future newsletters for preparedness tips and ways you can help keep Spring City safe.

Community Doings by Christie Kimball & Becky Holbrook

Spring City Citizen Corps offers interesting presentations every **Thursday at 7pm** down the hall from the art gallery at 150 E Center St. Come make new friends, connect with neighbors and learn useful skills.
November 5 - The first Thursday of each month is always **City Council** at City Hall.
November 12 - Alternative Ways to Cook Food - Taught by Linda Pearson
November 19 - How to Do CPR and AED in case of a heart attack - Taught by Regina Hess
November 26 - Thanksgiving

Our previous classes are available on a **Youtube** channel called **Spring City Ready**.

12 mg Ivermectin pills are available for purchase at the Thursday night classes. A box of 100 pills sells for $27. Make checks payable to Pam Howell.

ExploreSpringCity.com is a website about the Restaurants, Things to See, Things to Do and Events happening within 25 minutes of Spring City. Did you know there are currently 41 places to eat?

Senior Dinner

On Wednesday, **November 18th at 5:30 PM** our monthly Senior Dinner will be held in the lovely ballroom of the Old School City Center. The menu will be Chicken Pot Pie Casserole, Arugula Salad with Lemon vinaigrette and Fall Spice Cupcakes for dessert. Our entertainment will be Tamara Tanner and the Youth Orchestra who will be entertaining us with Some beautiful music. The cost is $7 per plate. If you plan to attend, please RSVP by calling or texting Becky Holbrook at 801 369-1351 by November 15th so we can inform Abbi, our wonderful Cook, how much to prepare. You pay at the door or you may VENMO Becky your payment @Becky-Holbrook-94 (please leave your name on the Venmo). We pay Abbi based on how many dinners she prepares, so if you commit to come, we need you to cover the cost of your dinners. Thank you so much!

DUP News by Cherrie Barrow

The Canal Creek Camp of the Daughters of Utah Pioneers will meet Monday, November 2nd at 11:00 a.m. in the Ballroom of the Old School Community Center. Our lesson will be "Oregon Trail Cutoffs and the Donner Party" given by Sandra Hawkins. Gloria Childs will give a pioneer history.

Our next meeting will be held December 7th. The lesson will be given by Denise VanWoerkom, "The Pioneer Celebration of Christmas for Children," and the pioneer history will be given by Kathy Oler.

We love our Main Street in Spring City. One of the most eye-catching sites is the old Aiken Service Station at 488 North Main. Lorenzo Wilson Aiken and his wife, Mary Jane (Nielson) Aiken built this small corner service station in 1924. This was the first actual gas station build in Spring City. Lorenzo was the youngest son of Samuel R. Aiken and Isabella Livingston, born in 1873 in Spring City. He worked in the mountains logging, cutting and sawing timber and hauling it to Nephi with oxen. He was a sheep sheerer for 43 years.

There were a few other stations in town: Strate's Garage repaired and sold automobiles, and had a pump; Cliff Anderson's Garage, and John R. Baxter opened a Shell Oil station. The Sinclair station was built in 1949.

Planning & Zoning Report

The Planning & Zoning Commission met 28 October. The minutes of the previous Planning & Zoning meeting were approved. A discussion was held on the business license application for Baxtor Manor, LLC that includes an alcohol license.

Allred Acres annexation was discussed, and a letter of recommendation will go to the City Council for their next meeting. A rezoning request was made for Eric Richardson's property at 300 North 80 West but was tabled for now as the neighbor response forms have not had sufficient time for review. Mayor Penrod said the General Plan was approved, and the City will start going forward with it. Our Zoning Administrator said it was important for the Main Street Subcommittee to be aware of the applications that come through to the Planning and Zoning Commission. The dates for our next meetings on 18 November and 16 December. Thank you to all that come each month and support our meetings!





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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Daylight Savings Time Fall Back One Hour	2 **DUP Meeting**	3 VOTE!	4	**5** **City Council 7PM**	6	7
8	9 P&Z Submission Due Date 3:00 PM	10 Nov 11 21 Gun Salute at Veterans Memorial 11:30am	11 **CITY OFFICE CLOSED**	12	13	14
15	16	17	18 **Seniors Dinner** **Planning & Zoning 6:30PM**	19	20	21
22	23 **Utility Bill Due**	24 FULL MOON	25 **CITY OFFICE CLOSED**	26	27	28
29	30				Information provided here is subject to change without update to this calendar. Please see the website for official updates Please see our website or newsletter for information on skills classes	



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