

December 2016

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Mon-Fri 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. 801-483-6000 220 East Morris Ave SSL, UT 84115

Animal Service 801-483-6024
Building Permits 801-483-6005
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Code Enforcement 801-464-6712
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Justice Court 801-483-6072
Police Administration 801-412-3606
Promise 801-483-6057
Public Works 801-483-6045
Recreation 801-412-3217
Utility Billing 801-483-6074

Emergencies 911 Police/Fire Dispatch 801-840-4000

### Mayor's Message - Cheers to Our Community



**Mayor Cherie Wood** 

In this season, we all spend time being grateful for our families and our communities. South Salt Lake is blessed with so many people and groups who are caring for their neighbors and families and working for a better world. We are so fortunate for the team effort making meaningful, long-lasting changes in people's lives. This edition of the newsletter highlights just a few of the many shining stars in our community.

Our community also benefits from a lively, engaged citizenry who embody the spirit of democracy. There are many ways to get involved. Voting is one way to make your voice heard and spur change, as last month's elections just demonstrated. But, it is just one way. Getting

involved in community conversations is just as important. As city leaders, we know we are on the right path (or sometimes in need of a U-turn), when we hear from you, our constituents. This year was particularly interesting as city council and planning commission meetings were packed with passionate people. The debates on the future of Granite High, our fire, ambulance and animal services showed how important our local government decisions are to your daily lives. I thank every one of you who shared your story and got involved.

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**COMMUNITY EDITION** 

My hope this season is that our community continues to share this spirit of giving. Your time, energy and passion will lead us into a brighter future. Thank you.

# South Salt Lake Angel Tree



Stop by City Hall and visit our Angel Tree from now until mid-December. The tree is located on the 2nd floor of South Salt Lake City Hall (220 East Morris Ave). It is ornamented with tags that have a description of a want and/or need by a local resident. Youth City Council will be accepting and distributing for families in need. Gifts may be dropped off at City Hall. Please don't forget to attach the tag to your wrapped gift so we know who it belongs to. Monetary donations can also be made at the Finance Department on the 2nd Floor. The South Salt Lake Youth City Council would like to thank everyone in advance for participating. Call 801-455-1729 with questions.





# On The Move

### **SSL City Council Meetings**

220 E. Morris Ave., 2nd Floor Wednesday, Dec. 7, 7 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 14, 7 p.m.

### **SSL City Planning Commission Meetings**

220 E. Morris Ave., 2nd Floor Thursday, Dec. 1, 7 p.m.

## New Resident **INFORMATION**

### **Snow Removal**

The City of South Salt Lake works to provide timely and efficient removal of snow and ice from streets. Residents can assist by keeping the following information in mind:



- · Be mindful when the snow starts to fall and accumulate that sidewalks need to be free and clear of snow and debris.
- Snow removal must take place the same day the snow has fallen, unless it falls after 6:00 p.m., it will then need to be removed by 10:00 a.m. the following morning.
- Do not park on any city street or roadway between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. when snow removal will be necessary.
- Parking is limited to 72 consecutive hours on any street or in any alley.

These regulations are enforced for the safety of everyone. Contact Urban Livability at 801-464-6712 with any questions.





## **UTILITY BOX ART Lexey Otterstrom**

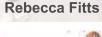
We are excited to announce our latest utility box art selection and honor one of our senior citizens. Lexey Otterstrom, the artist. One of our Meals on Wheels volunteers was invited to view a basement full of original paintings in one of our meal recipient's homes. While it was difficult to choose just one, we selected a lovely piece. The original work will be installed on the corner of 300 East and 2700 South. This beautiful piece of art will enhance our community for years to come. Thank you to Lexey for sharing your talents with us. For more information on the City's Utility Box Art program email vlelo@sslc.com.



### **Volunteer Recreation Coaches**

South Salt Lake is a community of people who give. This is seen across the City and our Recreation Volunteers are shining examples. They give unselfishly of their time, energy and talents to see to it that our youth succeed and have fun while doing so. Seen here are photos of some of the coaches at the volunteer dinner: Anthony Martinez, Beth Floyd, Chad Carpenter, Dimas Rivera, Mark Montoya, Steve Long, Rebecca Fitts, Rachel Becker and George Hatch. These coaches have volunteered in our City four days a week and coached multiple seasons, sometimes multiple teams at a time. Thank you for spending your time making a difference for the youth in our community.







**Anthony Martinez** 



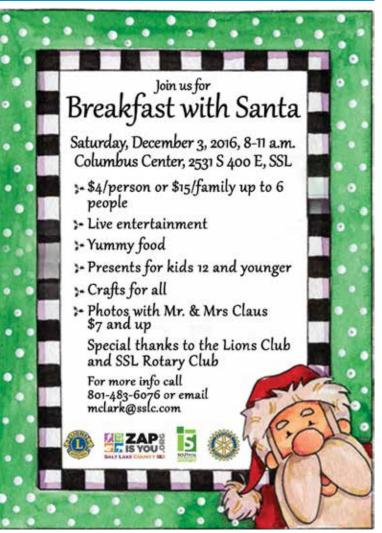


**Dimas Rivera** 

### **Columbus Senior Center HOLIDAY PARTY**

Tuesday, Dec. 13 11 a.m. Entertainment by the **Decibells Chorus Dinner at Noon** Please call or sign up by Dec. 6 385-468-3340











# PAL Thanksgiving – Thank you to our Community and Partners!



PAL Youth, Police Officers, community members and business partners were able to prepare Thanksgiving Dinner kits for nearly 50 South Salt Lake families in need. A special thank you to our business partners: Village Inn, Salt Lake Valley GMC & Dodge, State Farm, Salt Lake Culinary Center and Fresh Market!

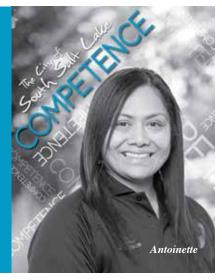
### Competence

Definition:

The ability to do something successfully or efficiently.

"Quality is never an accident; it is always the result of high intention, sincere effort, intelligent direction and skillful execution; it represents the wise choice of many alternatives."

- Will A. Foster



## Promise South Salt Lake Neighborhood Center Spotlight: Lincoln Elementary School

Promise South Salt Lake's program at Lincoln Elementary School, a United Way Promise Partnership site, serves Lincoln students and their families. Promise afterschool programs at Lincoln support education, health, and community involvement. Activities include the following: homework help and small group tutoring, enrichment activities and Friday field trips. The school also offers pre-school and college prep and career planning services. Principal Afton Lambson has been an amazing partner to Promise South Salt Lake and it is a true privilege to be operating programs at his school.

For more information, contact Center Manager Brandis Stockman, at 801-657-0416 or email bstockman@sslc.com.



# Write Here

Write Here Community Writing Center offers free writing assistance to people of all writing levels and staff members can discuss ideas with participants even if individuals haven't yet started writing. The writing doesn't have to be for school or work as any form of writing is welcome. In the past, people have sought assistance on short stories, family histories, résumés—just name it!

Historic Scott School
Arts & Community Center
3280 S 540 E
801-803-3632
writeheresslc@gmail.com
http://writeheresslc.wixsite.com/writehere
Monday & Wednesday: 3-7 p.m.
Tuesday & Thursday: 3-6 p.m.



South Salt Lake has 14 neighborhood centers serving our community:

Hser Ner Moo Community and Welcome Center 479 East 2250 South South Salt Lake, Utah 84115 801-466-3238

Roosevelt Community School 3225 South 800 East Salt Lake City, Utah 84106 801-828-8210

Historic Scott School and Arts & Community Center 3238 South 540 East South Salt Lake, Utah 84106 801-803-3632

Lincoln Community School 450 East 3700 South South Salt Lake, UT 84115 801-657-0416

Utah International Charter School 350 East Baird Circle South Salt Lake, UT 84115 385-290-1306

Central Park Community Center and PAL Boxing Program 2797 South 200 East South Salt Lake, UT 84115 801-466-3143

Columbus Center 2531 South 400 East South Salt Lake, UT 84115 801-412-3217

Woodrow Wilson Community School 2567 South Main Street South Salt Lake, UT 84115 801-386-0589

Granite Park Jr. High 3031 South 200 East South Salt Lake, UT 84115 801-440-4409

Meadowbrook STEM & Community Center New Address: 250 West 3900 South South Stat Lake, UT 84107 801-518-502

Cottonwood High Promise 5715 South 1300 East Murray, UT 84121 801-828-8678

Kearns Saint Ann Promise 430 East 2100 South Salt Lake City, UT 84115 801-518-9523

Commonwealth Performing Arts and Youth Entrepreneurial Center Opening August 31, 2016 Address-TBA 801-828-8678

Moss Elementary 4399 South 500 East Salt Lake City, UT 84107



# On The Move



## Locate Utility Shut-Off Valves



Some emergencies may require you to turn off your utilities. To prepare for this event, you will need to be able to locate and effectively turn off the gas, electricity and water being supplied to your house. Keep necessary tools near gas and water shut-off valves. All adult members of the family should know how to turn off the utilities. However, if the gas is shut off to the house, a professional must turn it back on. Do not attempt to do this yourself.





### **Coffee With A Cop**

Coffee with a Cop is part of a national initiative to create a place for community members and police officers to come together. There are no agendas or speeches; just the opportunity to ask questions, voice concerns, and the chance to get to know the officers in their local neighborhoods. The **South Salt Lake Chamber supports** the program to help businesses increase their involvement in the community's safety. The event takes place on the first Wednesday of each month from 9-10 a.m. at Village Inn, 2929 S. State St.

The next session is Wednesday, December 7.



### Holiday Safety Tips

The holiday season is upon us, take time to ensure you have a safe and happy holiday season.



### **Holiday Shopping**

While shopping, be mindful of the following safety tips:

- Be aware of your surroundings; look for suspicious persons, etc.
- · Remember where you parked your car
- If shopping late in the day or after dark, park where the lighting is bright
- When returning to your car, make sure to keep your car key in your hand
- · Avoid carrying large amounts of cash
- · Don't leave valuables or purchases in your vehicle

### **Package Theft**

Keep in mind these tips when having items shipped to you:

- Track your packages
- · Have neighbors or family members retrieve packages once delivered
- Have packages delivered to your workplace
- Request signature upon delivery, whenever possible

While these steps don't guarantee you will not become the victim of crime, they will reduce your chances of falling prey to criminal activity.

### **Rock Star - Andy Wagner**



Captain Andy Wagner marches forward every day, going above and beyond. He is humble and dedicated to the South Salt Lake Fire Department and to our community. He puts his many talents to good use, taking on new tasks and showing he cares. He has been instrumental in completing several electrical projects for the Fire Department, saving the city money each time.

Captain Wagner is well known among his peers as a person that will reach into his own pocket and financially help citizens that may be struggling and down on their luck. This type of behavior exemplifies the type of person Andy is.

Captain Andy Wagner is respected by many and is viewed by all as a mentor in the ever changing fire service profession. Thank you, Andy, for being a "Rock Star"!



## South Salt Lake CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

**Reported by:** Bill Knowles, Community Ombudsman, South Salt Lake Contact for questions/concerns: 801-580-2626; knowles.bill@att.net

#### 2245 S 300 E - Zellerbach Apartments - 292 units

Contractor: Jacobsen Construction

Estimated completion date: late summer 2018

Current status/activity: concrete pours ongoing, framing on west resident building; the number of workers on the site will jump from 50 to well over 80, all working for local Utah companies

### 2245 S 400 E - S-Line Townhomes - 32 units

Project owner: JF Capital

Estimated completion date: late spring/early summer 2017 Current status/activity: under full construction, moving to inside of units shortly, project on target for May 2017 completion

#### 2255 S State St - Ritz Classic - 287 units

Estimated completion date: spring 2019

Current status/activity: groundbreaking set for the first week in March

## 2200 South between State & Main - WinCo Foods & other commercial development

Project owner: Boyer Company

Estimated completion date: late fall 2017

Current status/activity: completing design review; groundbreaking set

for March

#### 2928 S State St - Harley Davidson Expansion

Project owner: Harley Davidson of Salt Lake
Project description: 5.200 sf building expansion

Current status/activity: project under construction with footing and foundation being poured for the expansion

#### 862 W Fine Dr - HOJ Engineering

Project Owner: HOJ Engineering

Project description: new 45,000 sf industrial building Current status/activity: building is near completion