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A bulletin of community news



April 2019

OGDEN AIRPORT

Fly OGD to Spike 150

Friends and family visiting for the Spike 150 celebration can fly direct to Ogden from Mesa/Phoenix.

www.flyogden.com

Arts on the Town Celebration

Arts on the Town will be held April 25 at the new Monarch building (451 25th St) to celebrate the talented work of this year's Art Grant recipients. Free tickets are available on EventBrite.

ogdencity.com/Arts

HELP (Home Exterior Loan Program)

HELP provides low-interest home improvement loans for eligible projects to all qualifying citizens city-wide.

801-629-8940

ogdencity.com/HELP

Free WaterSmart Application

Ogden residents can use this free program to manage family water usage and save money. Contact the Utility Billing Office for information.

801-629-8321

ogdencity.com/WaterSmart

Union Station Opportunity Drawing

Union Station Foundation is receiving donations towards renovating the Union Station. Donors will automatically be entered into a drawing for a \$100k custom built Ornata Spitfire Convertible.

usfogden.givesmart.com

Emergency Home Repairs

Loans are available for low income, owner-occupied households to correct unexpected emergency housing conditions.

801-629-8903

Fire Alarms for Residents

Fire alarms are available for \$10 at the City Municipal Building (2549 Washington Blvd) with proof of Ogden City residency.

ogdencity.com/Fire

Accessibility

TDD/TTY for Relay Utah dial 711

ogdencity.com/FairHousing



Heritage Festival 150th Anniversary

The Heritage Festival 150th Anniversary on May 9, 10 and 11 celebrates Ogden City's historic role in the completion of the Transcontinental Railroad.

Ogden's growth as the "Junction City" began with the driving of the Golden Spike in 1869 that connected the Union Pacific and Central Pacific railroads. This downtown celebration will feature activities immersed in Ogden's history and will align with the rare meeting of the historic steam engines "Big Boy" No. 4014 and "Living Legend" No. 844.

- **Meeting of the Trains and Golden Spike Historical Reenactment.** "Big Boy" No. 4014 and "Living Legend" No. 844 will appear together for the first time May 9 at 10:30 a.m at Ogden Union Station. A historical reenactment and photo recreation will take place of the iconic moment when the last spike was tapped into place at Promontory Summit, creating America's first transcontinental railroad. No. 844 will arrive in Ogden on April 28 and stay on display at Ogden Union Station through May 11. No. 4014 is the world's only operating Big Boy locomotive and arrives in Ogden May 9. Residents wishing to view the engines and the historical reenactment are encouraged to arrive early, as large crowds are expected. The official viewing schedule for the locomotives can be found on the Union Pacific website.
- **Heritage Festival Activities.** The Heritage Festival 150th Anniversary is an annual celebration, but this event will be a special edition for the Union Station. The "Big Boy" and "Living Legend" steam trains will be on full display at Ogden Union Station throughout the weekend, with additional exhibits celebrating the influence of trains and the rail industry. All museums inside of the Union Station will be open to visitors free of charge during the festival. This event will also extend up Historic 25th Street May 9, 10 and 11 from 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. featuring historic presentations, live music, performances, vendors and community activities. For more information and additional events surrounding the 150th Celebrations visit the Golden Spike 2019 website to be updated frequently.

up.com/heritage/steam/schedule
goldenspike2019.com

Urban Adventure Festival, May 4

The Urban Adventure Festival on May 4 will support the Junction District's motto of "Where Adventure Meets Downtown".

This family-friendly festival from 12-8 p.m. is an opportunity to explore the many off-mountain adventures downtown Ogden has to offer. Visit local adventure vendors, free kids activities, community-based organizations, live music and fun for all ages. Follow @OgdenDowntown on Facebook for event updates.

ogdendowntown.com

Ogden Marathon, May 18

Voted top ten marathon for first-time marathon runners by Runners World and Shape.com, the Zions Bank Ogden Marathon returns to Ogden on May 18.

More than 8,000 running enthusiasts will descend down scenic Ogden canyon and experience our unique town from the soles of their feet. In addition to the 26.2-mile marathon option, participants can choose from a 13.1-mile half-marathon, five-person relay team, 5k, KidsK, one mile Mayor's Walk or the newly introduced Canyon Bike Ride. The only way to finish a marathon is to take the first step, and registration can be done online.

ogdenmarathon.com



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Recreation Reminders:

Adult Softball Registration ends 4/29/19

Lorin Farr Swimming Lessons

Registration opens 5/1/19

Summer in the Parks Registration opens 5/1/19

Summer Classes Registration opens 5/1/19

Adult Tennis League Registration ends 5/20/19

Adult and Youth Tennis Lesson

Registration ends 5/29/19

ogdencity.com/Recreation

April

- 2 Ogden City Tree Nursery Giveaway Begins
- 4-11 Ogden Restaurant Week | Downtown
- 5 Friday Morning Coffee with OPD Beans and Brews (4201 Harrison Blvd) 8 – 10 a.m.
First Friday Art Stroll | Downtown 6 – 9 p.m.
- 10 Jazz at the Station | Union Station 7 – 8 p.m.
- 19 The Band Perry in Concert
Peery's Egyptian Theater 7 p.m.
- 20 Community Easter Egg Hunt
Marshall White Center 10 a.m.
- 25 Arts on the Town | The Monarch 6:30-8:30 p.m.
- 27 Comcast Cares Day
Miles Goodyear Park 7 a.m. – 1 p.m.

May

- 3 Friday Morning Coffee with OPD
Coffee Links (287 Park Blvd) 8 – 10 a.m.
First Friday Art Stroll | Downtown 6 – 9 p.m.
- 4 Urban Adventure Festival | Downtown 12-8 p.m.
Cinco De Mayo Celebration
Marshall White Center 12 p.m.
- 9-11 Heritage Festival 150 Anniversary
Union Station and Historic 25th St 9 a.m. – 9 p.m.
- 10-12 Spike 150 | Promontory Summit
- 10 Mother's Day Breakfast
Golden Hours Senior Center 8:30 a.m.
- 17 Mayor's Walk
- 18 Ogden Marathon
- 23 Senior Health Fair
Golden Hours Senior Center 1-3 p.m.
- 27 Memorial Day | City offices closed
No trash collection delay
Lorin Farr Swimming Pool Opens

See more at events.ogdencity.com

City Council Meetings






Council Chambers | Tuesdays 6 p.m.

Ogden Trails Network

Public Works Building | Third Thursdays 4:30 p.m.

City Planning Commission

Municipal Building | First Wednesdays 5 p.m.

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Ogden Twilight Tickets on Sale

Tickets are now available for the 2019 Ogden Twilight Concert Series. Ten shows are scheduled between the dates of June 6 and September 27. The full times and schedules for each concert can be found through the ticket vendor, 24tix. Tickets can be bought online or in person at The Corner venue on 25th and Washington in the City Municipal gardens. Complete information on concert schedules and venue rules can be found online.

The current line-up listed is:

- **June 6** - Dillon Francis
- **June 20** - Nick Murphy
- **July 12** - Washed Out/Deerhunter
- **July 18** - The Flaming Lips w/ The Growlers
- **August 2** - Matt and Kim
- **August 17** - Phantogram w/ Bob Moses
- **August 21** - Iron & Wine and Caexico
- **September 5** - The National w/ Always
- **September 17** - TBA
- **September 27** - RÜFÜS DU SOL



ogdentwilight.com

Community Led Strategic Plan Survey

Citizens can help shape Ogden's future by participating in a community opinion survey. The volunteer-led Strategic Planning Advisory Committee is collecting ideas to see what people in and around Ogden want to see happen in the City in the next five years. Complete the survey online or scan the QR code in the image to the right to take the survey on a mobile device.



ogdencity.com/StrategicPlanning

Explore Historic Ogden During April and May

The Annual Historic Property Scavenger Hunt will be held in May for National Historic Preservation Month.

Participants can find historic buildings in Ogden based on visual clues from a scavenger hunt brochure. Those that locate buildings and submit their answers will be eligible to win gift cards from downtown businesses and restaurants. Brochures can be found online and at the City Municipal Building 2nd Floor Information Desk beginning on April 15. Prizes for participation will be awarded at the joint meeting of the Landmarks Commission and Weber Heritage Foundation on May 16. Official contest rules and information can be found in the contest brochure and on the Historic Preservation page of the City website.

ogdencity.com/Landmarks

Emergency Preparedness: Flooding

Flooding is the most common natural disaster in Utah. Run-off occurs in Northern Utah in early spring, and as temperatures rise, the streams and rivers begin to swell and saturate the ground. If temperatures rise too quickly or a high amount of spring rain descends, excess water has nowhere to go and flooding potential increases. This can also lead to landslides and debris flows, so being alert of safe conditions and practices is important.

- **Avoid flooded rivers and streams.** Keep children and pets safe from these areas.
- **Listen to news and weather alerts.** Don't drive or travel through flooded streets.
- **Don't walk through moving water.** Six inches of moving water can knock a person off their feet.
- **Check insurance policies.** Flood insurance is not part of regular homeowner's insurance and requires a separate policy.

floodfacts.utah.gov